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PARLIAMENTARY NOTICE

Friday, the fifteenth day of February next, will be the last day for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.
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Thursday, the seventh day of March next, will be the last day for receiving Reports of Committees on Private Bills.

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LABOR TO DECIDE MANY MOMENTOUS ISSUES THIS WEEK

Conference at Nottingham Will be One of Far Reaching Importance

London, Jan. 22.—The Labor Party Conference to be held at Nottingham to-morrow and the two following days will be an event of far-reaching importance affecting not only the immediate national task of prosecuting the war, but also the future balance of political parties and courses of government. The conference for the reorganization of the party which is to be submitted to the conference by the executive committee represents a tremendous advance in the political mobilization of the forces which can be labelled "Labor," and it overshadows all the other questions with which the conference will be invited to deal. Nevertheless those other questions include some vital to the progress of the war, foremost among them are the direct questions of the retention by the party, through the Labor Ministers, of a share in the burdens and responsibilities of government and the equally direct question of negotiations of peace.

The preliminary agenda for the conference contains eight resolutions from the British Socialist Party and the local Labor parties of trades councils of Manchester, Lambeth, Willesden, Sheffield, East Ham, Edinburgh and Glasgow, demanding the withdrawal of all Labor members from Ministerial offices. Their continuance as Ministers, the resolutions assert, is contrary to the interests of the working classes, a violation on the part of the constitution had a limitation of the independence of the party. The resolution from East Ham bases its demand on "the continued barefaced robbery of the people by the food prices, and the open support given by the government to this action by steadily refusing to suppress the robbers." and it suggests that any labor member who refuses to resign should be expelled from the party. There is no reason to believe that the conference will reverse the decision which it gave just a year ago reaffirmed by an overwhelming majority at Manchester in approval of the retention of office by labor ministers.

Cornate resolutions protest against the support by the Executive Committee to G. H. Roberts at the Norwich bye-election in spite of his rejection by the local labor organizations, and condemn the action of Messrs. Barnes, Trace, Hodges, Parker and Roberts in voting against the party's amendment to the Corn Production Bill to fix the minimum wage for agricultural laborers at 30s. a week. A novel proposal made by the Edinburgh Labor Party is that the Government should be elected by the members of the House of Commons.

Peace is the subject of many resolutions. Four put forward by Bristol, Norwich, Leicester and York labor bodies declare that the time has arrived for peace negotiations. They call for a call for labor representation at the Peace Congress of the powers when it meets or for the simultaneous holding of an international labor conference. Three submitted by the Independent Labor Party, the British Socialist Party and the Glasgow Trades Council ask for an immediate or early conference of labor representatives from all countries to discuss peace. Indirectly these resolutions raise the question of the invitation to assist in the promotion of a fresh project for a Stockholm conference.

Food supplies and profiteering are dealt with in several strongly worded resolutions. "Capitalist food thieves" are denounced and the Government is urged to handle the food problem as to eliminate profiteering and secure "real equality of sacrifice." The Independent Labor Party is responsible for a long resolution on military pay, pensions and kindred matters, and urging among other things that the death penalty in the army should be reduced to the narrowest limits. Over a dozen societies have financial proposals to make, including a substantial levy on capital, a drastic increase of the income tax, a raising of the exemption limit to £160, £180, or £200, and the compulsory application of the "sinking fund" principle to all land and capital so that all share capital may be cancelled and businesses may become the property of the nation. Reforms of housing, education, health administration and workmen's compensation have their usual place in the program, and it contains also familiar protests against the imprisonment of conscientious objectors and infringements of civil liberties.

Three notable newcomers, a host of resolutions which are well received by the conference for a fortnight, are a demand for the amendment for the law of libel, that local labor bodies may protect themselves against newspapers, books, and speakers by whom they are alleged to be "trafficked and slandered," a declaration in favor of "Home Rule for India" on the lines of the South African Constitution with transitory provisions whereby it should be brought into full operation within 20 years, and a declaration that the time has come when an international language should be taught to enable the workers of the world to understand one another without need of interpreters.

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LUDY ADMITS ACCURACY OF FRENCH GUNS

Destroyed Eighty Three German Guns and Put Others Out of Action

By Courier Leased Wire
French front, December 14.—(Correspondence)—General Ludendorff, regarded by the Entente Allies, as the master-mind of the German army, paid an unintentional tribute to the accuracy of French artillerymen in a memorandum issued to the troops on October 4, which has just been made available to the correspondent of the Associated Press. In this document, he admits that the French gunners by their counter-battery fire destroyed in one German army alone in the course of a month, eighty-three German field guns and 72 heavy cannons, while they seriously damaged 20 and put out of action also two hundred and eighty-two field guns and 59 heavy cannons, slightly injured but capable of being repaired and used again in a short time.

To these imposing figures of artillery losses caused by the French gunners, the same German army in the same period of time had the mortification of adding an almost equally large number of losses brought about by the wearing out or bursting of guns; 164 field guns and 129 heavy guns seriously damaged and 177 field guns and 91 heavy guns slightly disabled. The memorandum was issued to the German army by General Ludendorff because his artillery officers had argued repeatedly in favor of making counter-battery work secondarily to attacks on infantry and communications. The German general demonstrated the falsity of this argument, and show the French determination to prevent the German guns as far as possible from being used against the French infantry and lines of communication and supply, and that they do this successfully.

General Ludendorff, in concluding his memorandum, points out that by counter-battery work not only is the enemy artillery destroyed or put out of action, but the opponent is forced to a considerable extent to turn his attention away from the doing of the enemy's infantry, which is thus able to manoeuvre with greater ease.

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RELIEF AT LAST IN FREIGHT CONGESTION

Large Number of Cars of Coal Started Away From the Mines

By Courier Leased Wire
Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 21.—More trains were started for tidewater in the last 26 hours than were moved in a single week of the coal shortage, according to railroad men. All railroads tapping the Pennsylvania anthracite fields are mobilizing locomotives, crews and laborers, have made headway in reducing the number of loaded coal cars, which has been jammed in classification yards and on sidings.
"At least 5,000 flatbeds," and hoppers, their capacity ranging from fifteen to twenty tons, railroad officials estimate, are strung out along the mining districts. The railroads hope to break the congestion by the end of the week.

Both the Pennsylvania and Reading roads gave coal trains the right of way over passenger traffic on Sunday. The Lehigh Valley road cancelled all Sunday passenger traffic on branch lines.

PLAGUE SPREADS THROUGH CHINA

Inadequate Measures Taken By Authorities to Check Disease

By Courier Leased Wire
Peking, Jan. 22.—The plague is spreading in Shan-si province. There are numerous cases at Kwei-lu-chung where the authorities are doing nothing.

There have been many deaths at Tatung-fu, but these have not been determined as plague cases, owing to lack of support of the plague commissioners by the central government. The measures taken locally are inadequate and the commissioners are telegraphing to the government urging it to assist in taking energetic steps to combat the epidemic.

The missionary medical men are making efforts to keep the plague out of the great wall and to close the entrance of upper Shan-si. Dead bodies are lying in the streets of the city and the coolies refuse to remove them.

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MARKETS

Grain		
Baled Hay	13 00	14 00
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Oats	0 70	0 70
Rye	1 60	1 60
Straw, baled	7 00	9 00
Wheat	2 10	2 10
Barley	0 00	1 00

Vegetables		
Beans, quart	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, dozen	0 50	1 00
Cabbage, head	0 05	0 10
Carrots, basket	0 40	0 50
Onions, basket	0 40	0 50
Celery	0 05	0 07
Onions, bushel	1 00	1 50
Onions, bag	1 50	2 00
Parsnips, basket	0 20	0 35
Potatoes, bus.	1 50	1 75
Potatoes, basket	0 65	0 70
Potatoes, bag	2 50	2 50
Turnips, bushel	0 40	0 50

Meats		
Bacon, back trim	0 48	0 50
Bacon, back	0 45	0 45
Beef, boiling, lb.	0 15	0 20
Beef heart, each	0 25	0 50
Beef, tenderloin, lb.	0 15	0 25
Beef, blade	0 10	0 15
Chickens, dressed	0 75	1 50
Ducks	1 25	1 75
Geese	3 00	3 00
Chickens, live	0 75	1 00
Dry salt pork, lb.	0 30	0 35
Fresh Pork carcass	0 21	0 24
Fresh pork	0 25	0 30
Hogs, live	0 17	0 20
Beef kidneys, lb.	0 15	0 17
Pork kidneys	0 18	0 20
Lamb	0 30	0 35
Sausages, beef	0 20	0 20
Sausages, pork	0 28	0 28
Smoked shoulder, lb.	0 35	0 35
Veal, lb.	0 35	0 35
Veal, carcass	0 25	0 30

Fish		
Halibut, steak, lb.	0 20	0 30
Kipper, herring, pr.	0 10	0 15
Salmon trout, lb.	0 20	0 25
Salmon, sea	0 15	0 20
Mixed fish	0 10	0 12
Herring, fresh	0 10	0 15

Dairy Products		
Butter, creamery	0 50	0 50
Butter, salt	0 45	0 50
Cheese, per lb.	0 28	0 30
Eggs	0 60	0 60
Honey, comb	0 30	0 35
Honey, pail, 5 lbs.	1 15	1 15
Honey, pail, 10 lbs.	2 25	2 25

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.		
By Courier Leased Wire		
Chicago, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; market, weak; calves, \$8.35 to \$12.85; stockers and feeders, \$7 to \$10.70; cows and heifers, \$6 to \$11.75; calves, \$9 to \$16.		
Hogs—Receipts, 46,000; market, dull; light, \$14.50 to \$16.50; heavy, \$16.05 to \$16.80; rough, \$16.05 to \$16.20; pigs, \$12.75 to \$15.30; bulk sales, \$16.35 to \$16.75.		
Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market, weak; wethers, \$9.70 to \$13.25; lambs, \$14.40 to \$17.60.		

BUFFALO MARKET.		
By Courier Leased Wire		
East Buffalo, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; steady.		
Calves—Receipts, 200; steady.		
Hogs—Receipts, 11,200; easier. Heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$17.75; light yorkers and pigs, \$17.50 to \$17.75; roughs, \$16.25; stags, \$14 to \$15.		
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,400; slow and easier. Lambs, \$14 to \$19.50, a few, \$19.75; yearlings, \$13 to \$17.50; ewes, \$7 to \$13.50; wethers, \$14 to \$14.50; mixed sheep, \$13.50 to \$14.		

TAMPERED WITH TORPEDOES.
New York, Jan. 22.—The Government has twenty-five witnesses for the proof of its case against Paul Hennik, naturalized German, charged with treason in tampering with torpedoes in the plant of E. W. Bliss and Co., in which he was foreman. This was disclosed to-day when Hennik's trial in the federal court in Brooklyn was postponed at Budapest. It was discovered that under a United States statute of 1900, the government in treason cases must turn over to the accused three days before beginning of the trial the names of its witnesses against him.

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STRIKE MOVEMENT GROWS IN AUSTRIA
Spreading Through Dual Empire, Associated With Demand for Peace
By Courier Leased Wire
London, Jan. 21.—The strike movement is spreading throughout Austria-Hungary and it is associated with a demand for immediate peace, according to despatches received in London from Swiss and Dutch sources. A general strike was declared at Budapest on Friday when the entire transport system came to a standstill, while from all parts of the dual empire strikes and demonstrations are reported.

The food situation and the question of peace were the sole subjects of discussion at the sitting of the budget committee of the Austrian Chamber of Deputies on Friday. The Socialists, according to the despatches, described the situation as "extremely serious and declared that peace could not be postponed.

Count von Torggenberg, the minister of the interior, told the deputies that the expressed views of foreign minister and Leon Aratsky, the Russian foreign minister, exhibited many similarities, which fact, he added, offered a guarantee that the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk would go well.

The Socialist party of Austria has published a declaration stating that the workmen will only calm down if the government can undertake that it will not allow the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk to break down on the territorial question and that the

system of food distribution will be re-organized.

SMUGGLE UNDERWEAR
Associated Press
The Hague, Netherlands, Jan. 22.—Endless are the tricks of the smuggler. Prior to the advent of cold weather, Germans had been discovered crossing the frontier into Holland wearing no underclothing and women wearing only a mantle. They were on their way to supplement this rather scanty raiment at some Netherlands store near the border, thence to return homeward clad in genuine woolen or cotton underclothes instead of the substitute materials where-with Germany is these days arraying itself. To counter this method of procedure, the customs authorities have adopted the equally novel method of stamping the underclothes of all persons who regularly or frequently cross the frontier. If such travellers are subsequently found wearing unstamped clothes, these are treated as smuggled goods.

NEWSPRINT PRICES
By Courier Leased Wire.
Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Commissioner R. A. Pringle has completed his interim recommendations in regard to newspaper price and expects to place them in the hands of the minister of finance this afternoon or to-morrow. The order-in-council fixing the price of newspaper paper to publishers at 1 1/2 cents per pound expired this morning.

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DINAH MIGHT DO
By Courier Leased Wire
Chicago, Jan. 22.—Government agents to-day professed that they had been unable to obtain any information from the girl arrested here last week with a full suitcase of dynamite.

They are calling her "Joie Lind" now instead of Linda or Laura Jones as at first reported, but were by no means convinced that any of these were her true names.

The girl is in jail at Waukegan, where it was said she seemed to enjoy parrying the questions of law officers.

SAULT'S EX-MAYOR MISSING
By Courier Leased Wire
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Jan. 22.—Alderman W. H. Munro, twice mayor of Sault Ste. Marie, is missing. He was last heard of in the American Red on Thursday night and it is felt that he has fallen into the river while crossing on the ice.