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THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, CANADA. THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 23, 1919. PEACE CONGRESS DELEGATES ARE NOW GIVING PRICE TWO CENTS. UNDIVIDED ATTENTION TO LEAGUE QUESTION

BRITISH AND AMERICAN VIEWS HARMONIZE ON FIRST OF VITAL ISSUES BEFORE THE CONFERENCE BACK TO LIQUOR

Delegates of Two Great Nations Are Agreed On Principles of So Declares Dr. J. A. Mac-World League-Problem Now Is, What Will the Bolshevists Do With Allied Offer.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The solution to the of nations is essentially identical with Russian problem proposed by the that which American experts formusupreme council of the peace congress lated after close study of every promise considered here as the first visible ising available plan among the two manifestation and realization of American experts. is considered here as the first visible manifestation and realization of American and British accord on great issues before the peace congress. This accord was pledged in speeches and in private expressions in England by both president Wilson and Premier Lloyd George. It is understood that inasmuch as the surpreme council has accepted the American plan for the settlement of the Russian question, the British plan may form the foundation of the structure which the peace congress may erect to house the league of nations. Yet it is pointed out by observers here that this is a mere exchange of courtesy. The plan for settling the Russian question is very identical with that which Premier Lloyd George suggested in his note to Stephen Pichon, French foreign minister, on January 5.

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MAJORITY SOCIALISTS AND DEMOCRATS WILL CONTROL GERMAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Count Posadowski, Dr. Bernh ard Dernburg, Hugo Haase and Others Are Assured of Seats-Entente To Provide Sea Transport F or German Troops.

London, Jan. 23.—It is impossible as yet to clearly forecast the results of the German election, according to an official wireless dispatch sent out from Berlin and picked up here. The impression prevalls, however, the dispatch says, that the majority Socialists have by far the strongest party, while head of the non-Socialist parties the head of the non-Socialist parties.

OF FEDERAL SQUARE IN NAVAL PICTURES BY THE GOVERNMENT AT OTTAWA EXHIBIT

Committee Going to Ottawa For Purpose.

MAYOR ADVOCATES IDEA

Recalls Promise of Financial Aid Not Yet Fulfilled by Government.

CONFLICTING REPORTS

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Every phase of the war at sea from frightfulness to the work of the Red Cross, is depicted in the wonderful exhibition of official British naval photographs in color which was opened to the public yesterday afternoon. Hon. N. W. Rowell and Sir Thomas White delivered addresses. noon. Hon. N. W. Rowell and Sir Thomas White delivered addresses.
Yesterday's events were given added interest by the awarding of decorations for conspicuous gallantry to several well-known officers. The decorations comprised two distinguished service orders and three military crosses. They were presented by the Acting Prime Minister Sir Thomas White. The recipients of the D. S. O. were Lieut. Col. Thomas Edwards Powers of St. John, N. B., and Major Clifford Thackwell Trotter, one of the M. C.'s, was given to W. S. McIlquham, father of the late Lieut. James Maxwell McIlquham. The remaining two were awarded Capt. Leslie Frank Burrows and Lieut. Helmont Lloyd Irwin of Cornwall. EISNER IS DEFEATED. Basle, Jan. 23.—Kurt Eisner, the Bayarian premier, falled to win a seat on the German national assembly in any

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. s. The codimittee will go to Ottas soon as an appointment can be
ged with the members of the Govent.

Following were the highest and lowest
temperatures recorded in London during
the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last
right: Highest, 44; lowest, 30.

The official temperatures for the 12
hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Highest, 43; lowest, 38.

TOMORROW-CLOUDY AND MILD, agree Toronto, Jan. 23-8 a.m. Forecasts.

AFFORD TO GO

Donald After Visit to the Orient.

STUDIED CONDITIONS

one step from her present high position.

Speaking of the conference now meeting in Paris, Dr. MacDonald stated that he was pleased with the progress that had been made so far. "I have always believed in the efficacy of a league of honest nations in the same way that I believe in a league of honest men. I would go further than that, and if necessary put an international

way that I believe in a league of honest men. I would go further than that, and if necessary put an international police force on the job to compel a respect for honesty, but for goodness sake let us do away as soon as possible with the constant competition for larger and more expensive armaments."

Democracy's Opportunity.

"Brute force is not the hope of any nation or of the world as it is constituted today," said Dr. MacDonald. "And real democracy has the biggest opportunity that was ever presented to it. There are variant opinions as to just how much democracy the world is able to assimilate. The former prime minister of Japan called President Wilson's statement that the world must be made safe for democracy very dangerous doctrine. However, since then that gentleman and his governdangerous doctrine. then that gentleman

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KING CONSENTS TO PRINCESS PATRICIA RENOUNCING TITLE

After Her Marriage She Will Be Known as Lady Patricia Ramsay.

ness on her marriage. The princess after her marriage will be known as Lady Patricia Ramsay. She will now receive a considerable fortune from her mother's estate. GOMPERS APPROVES

Wise Act by Peace Congress.

Paris, Jan. 23.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who was told upon his arrival here last night of measures relative to said:
"I think it is a very wise decision, and nope it will have satisfactory results hope it will have satisfactory results were summoned to put down the Spa that unfortunate country again into hear satisfactory results were summoned to put down the Spa that unfortunate country again into hear satisfactory.

Assumed More Serious Proportions.

Toponto, Jan. 23—3 and editination of the Word of Prince of the Serious Proportions.

Parts. Jan. 23—Contradictory address on the status of the Momentum of

COMING TO SPEAK BEFORE CHAMBER TROTZKY ORDERS PEACE CONGRESS DEVOTING



On the left is Lieut.-Col. Molioy (Trooper Molioy) of the department of soldlers' civil re-establishment, Ottawa, who will address a membership meeting on Friday evening on the effect of soldiers' training on his re-establishment in civil life. On the right is E. P. Fred ricks of Toronto, whose subject will be Street Rallway Service-at-Cost Plan as operated in several American cities.

ADMIT SHOOTING AT

CONDUCTOR WHEN HE

of Murdering Toronto

Detective.

IT COST MONEY That is a lot of money for an organization that depends on its street corner collections and individual voluntary donations, not only to durry on an extensive war work among the soldiers and among the dependents of soldiers, but to continue its pre-war program for the social uplift of humanity in general.

And during the past four years And during the past four years it never slackened up on its social welfare work in the slums of the great cities.

Murder of N. H. Veilleux of Ottawa Being Investigated. Ottawa, Jan. 23.—In connection with the murder of N. H. Veilleux, Ottawa, last Tuesday night, High Constable Chevalier, accompanied by Chief Groulx and a squad of the Hull police, paid a visit to Tetreualville, a mile on the outskirts of Hull, and placed under arrest J. Goudreau, N. Gravelle and J. Ferland. If the Salvation Army had no other claim for financial support than that of its work among the down-and-outs, and the discouraged and helpless, that would be

principles \$2,750,000 Worth FRANK MCULLOUGH of Furs Auctioned SENTENCED TO HANG

COMMISSION WILL SETTLE PROBLEMS

Technical Experts Engaged On Plans To Be Submitted.

EDUCATION BOARD?

Will Commission Government

THAT PETROGRAD

Instructions Are Issued to the Governor in Case of Attack.

London, Jan. 23. - Leon Trotzky, the Russian minister of war, has ordered Zinovieff. the Bolshevik governor of Petby the Northern Russian forces.

BRITISH VICTORY OVER BULGARIANS ACHIEVED UNDER GREATEST ODDS

REQUESTED FARES Description of Allied Success.

PLAYED GALLANT PART

Heavy Losses Were Sustained by British in Near East

London, Jan. 23.-Gen. Sir George Two of the men, Ferland and Gravelle, ish forces at Saloniki, in a dispatch ave confessed to shooting at Veilleux, dispatch shows that the British played a very conspicuous and very important part in this battle and suffered heavy losses. Gen. Milne reports that he received instructions to prepare for his share in the general offensive in July. He was advised that the British were to take the heights west and forthwest of Lake Doiran, provided the initial Franco-Serb attack from Bokol to Verenik was successful. The latter assault on September 14 was a brilliant victory, so that on the 18th the British attack was begun. The British strength at this time, owing to climatic disease and in-Condemned Man Found Guilty

Fought Under Difficulties.

vernment being approved by the turner? This is the question that thering some of the members of the council. It was brought up at the ting of No. 1 committee last but no definite action was taken.

but no definite action was taken. The present regulations any labe to break right through the Rulers.

The proposed commission form was taken, the whole of his reserves, which might otherwise have been employed effectively elsewhere had been employed effectively elsewhere had been pinned down and lost so heavily that they had been rendered ineffective. The results of this stubbornly-fought battle were to be seen in the next few days, the Franco-Serbian army being approved by the control of the results of this stubbornly-fought battle were to be seen in the next few days, the Franco-Serbian army being approved by the control of the results of this stubbornly-fought battle were to be seen in the next few days, the Franco-Serbian army being the control of the results of the r

WORLD LEAGUE First Plan For Formation of League of Nations Is Being Presented by Premier Lloyd George—Problem Will Be

Considered Until Wilson Returns to U.S. SUPREME COUNCIL AWAITING REPLIES. the Bolsnevik governor of Pet-rograd, to surrender that city posal for a conference being awaited, the supreme council of the peace confer-

without a fight if it is attacked made up, although no names have been announced. ence met at 10:30 o'clock today. Meanwhile the joint allied commission is being All the members of the council were present when the meeting began, Parls, Jan. 23.-Having disposed of the Russian question for the mo-

the supreme council of the peace congress turned today to the principal object of its work, the establishment of a league of nations. This question promises to command virtually the undivided attention of the delegates until their action regarding Russia shows results one way or another. As the Russian delegates are not expected at Prince's Island until February 15, this means that nearly the whole of the congress will be turned to the league of nations until President Wilson's departure for America.

Out of the Russian negotiations, it is hoped that some unanim ment will be reached that will bring representatives of that country into further sessions at Paris. Delegates of all the associated governments have expressed

he opinion that a secure peace can hardly be considered to have been made while Russia remains on fire. It is regarded as quite significant in circles surrounding the peace congres

Gen. Sir George Milne Gives that it should be announced that the first plan for a league of nations to be considered comes from Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, FRENCH NOT FAVORABLE TO PLAN

ADOPTED TO SOLVE RUSS PROBLEM Paris, Jan. 23.—The decision of the it has at least the merit upreme council of the peace congress of the still more harmf n the Russian question meets with a mixed reception on the part of the mixed reception on the part of the ing on affect territor commentators in the Paris morning newspapers. The Matin, which carries the news under the caption, "Dramatic Stroke at Peace Conference,"

Russian problem head territor t says:
"It is a great and bold idea. We shall their the London, Jan 23.—Gen. Sir George
Milne, commander-in-chief of the Britsh forces at Saloniki, in a dispatch

ESTHONIANS HAVE LEAGUE MUST BE

Capture of Narva Virtually Amounted to Rout.

in great strength, with numerous guns able them to encircle the city of Psk and machine guns.

PORTUGAL DESIRES

Fears That Possessions in Africa May Be Divided.

BOLSHEVIKI ON RUN NON-RIGID, DEGLARES LORD ROBERT GEGIL

> Some Elasticity Must Be Permitted in Formation of World Society.

POWERS ARE AGREED

Favors Establishment of

Permanent Council of Organization.