

Have You Made a Date for "Saturday Night" BUT NOT THIS SATURDAY NIGHT.

Anglo-Italian Marriage Union.

Prince of Wales to Wed Savoy Princess --- Premier's Conference Postponed --- Bonar Law Speaks on German Reparations.

PRINCE TO MARRY ITALIAN PRINCESS?

LONDON, Jan. 2. Plans are in making for the marriage of the Prince of Wales to an Italian Princess, according to the Daily News. The newspaper says the question of the Prince's marriage will be settled during the next few months.

NOT HOPEFUL.

PARIS, Jan. 2. As the Prime Ministers of France, Great Britain and Belgium, and Marquis Della Torretta for Italy, emerged this afternoon from the first short session of the Premier's Council, the general impression of observers here was that the opening day of the conference had given little or no promise of an agreement being reached. Some of the members of the delegations talked tonight of the Conference breaking up in two days. The meeting of Premier's to-day was a continuation of the postponed London Conference.

POINCARÉ'S OFFER.

PARIS, Jan. 2. Premier Poincaré, at the Conference of Allied leaders to-day offered a reduction of the German Reparations to fifty billion gold marks and a two year moratorium, but exacted productive guarantees to insure resumption of payments later, by the Germans.

BONAR LAW SPEAKS.

PARIS, Jan. 2. "You can get certain amounts of money by taking immediate possession of Germany, but you cannot take over Germany and establish her financial stability," declared Mr. Bonar Law tonight in the course of the first direct statement he has made on behalf of the British Government. He continued: "The Allies have reached a point where they must choose between the two methods. They cannot have both. This is not a political question, it is a business question. You can get certain amounts from Germany if you can take them and establish German credit. I wish to say that it is certain there is on the part of the British Government an earnest desire to act in accordance with the Allies. I am convinced also that this is the desire of the French Government. The real danger is that differences in public opinion of these countries will be so strong as to make it difficult if not impossible to reach an agreement. Large sums are only available through loans. The amount of the loan must be fixed but by partisans but by impartial business-minded people. No one is fond of paying debts, if it can be avoided. This is equally true of any nation and Germany is no exception. Having fixed reasonable conditions, if Germany does not then take necessary steps forthwith to carry them out, necessary steps must be taken to force her to comply. If we do

not need reparations to the same extent as other nations, we need them certainly to a greater extent than others outside of our islands seem to believe. The question is getting the largest amount Germany is able to pay. If this were all there was to it there should not be difficulty in agreement. It is stated constantly in the French press that there can be no question about payment of the French debt until Germany will pay her indemnity. This sounds natural, but let us look at it logically. We have made our budget position strong by making our tax payers poor. We are suffering from this fact, our unemployment is as scarce as great as that of the other Allied countries. We run serious risk of ruin unless there is a very big improvement in our position. We are in a far worse position as regards the people of our country than other Allies whose position is less strong than ours financially. It is often said that we have selfish interest in the restoration of Germany, because we do so much foreign trade. It is my firm conviction that from a purely selfish point of view if an earthquake were to come along and swallow up Germany, we would gain, not lose, since Germany is our trade rival."

ANGORA AND MOSUL.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 2. An official announcement confirms the report of an insurrection at Mosul, in the kingdom of Irak, according to an Angora despatch which says the inhabitants of the entire oil-producing region are demanding annexation of the territory to Turkey.

NOT TRUE.

LONDON, Jan. 2. The Colonial Office tonight declared that reports originating in Constantinople of revolution in Mosul were untrue.

A CRAZY PROPOSAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. A special despatch from the Washington correspondent of the Tribune states the British Government has rejected the proposal from United States prohibition leaders that she surrender her island possessions in the West Indies to the U.S. in payment of her war debt. The Tribune's correspondent suggests that the settlement of the war debt is a secondary consideration, that the prohibition leaders are really looking toward a cutting off of "way stations" by which imported liquor is being smuggled into the United States. The despatch describes the manner the suggestion was disposed of by a "high British official." He said: "We will never sell our citizenship and subject into slavery by prohibition. We are not in the real estate business." He continued to suggest that if America were really anxious to discuss territorial adjustments, Canada would be interested in obtaining a slice of Maine and the object of

developing ports there with consequent benefits to Canada and no injury to the United States, and doubtless an exchange of the West Indies Islands could be arranged. The prohibition leaders threw up their hands at this proposal, the despatch says.

A MINOR WAR.

LONDON, Jan. 2. The Times quotes the Giornale d'Italia as reporting that the Italian cruiser San Giorgio, aided by airplanes, bombarded the fortifications of the rebel forces at Misurata on the Libyan Coast, North Africa.

THE NORTHLIFFE ESTATE.

LONDON, Jan. 2. The Daily Express publishes an estimate of the late Lord Northcliffe's estate, value at five and a half million dollars.

DEMONSTRATING MINERS ARRESTED.

EDMONTON, Jan. 2. Fully one hundred striking miners were arrested to-day following a stone throwing demonstration at the Standard Mine. The whole body of strikers were surrounded by a police force of twenty men, told they were under arrest, and marched to the station where they were charged with unlawful assembly.

THE TWO VICTIMS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. Joseph Levito and Charles McDougald were the two members of the crew of the schooner Jeanette, claimed to be from Halifax, who were drowned when the schooner was cut in two off Barnegat Light early Sunday, by the tanker Nora. (A Halifax despatch says there is no record in the Custom House of the Jeanette being owned there.)

DIXIE FLYER WRECKED.

MACON, Georgia, Jan. 2. The Dixie Flyer is detailed at Rivoli, six miles from here. All the passengers are turned over and many passengers are injured, but none are reported killed as yet. Doctors and ambulances are being rushed to the scene.

SCOTTISH CURLEERS ARRIVE AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, Jan. 2. The Canadian Pacific steamer Marloch to-day landed twenty-eight Scottish curleers, members of the Royal Canadian team, to start their Canadian tour. The steamer was two days late and experienced a tempestuous crossing, but all the players landed in good condition for the game.

A TEMPORARY TRUCE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. The Irish Republicans and Free Staters declared a temporary truce at the Irish Consulate tonight, after a clash for possession which stopped just short of being a riot during the morning. "We are still inside," said Lindsay Crawford, named as Consul by the Free State, who has taken possession of offices. "Yes, we are still standing here," replied Arthur Briscoe, lieutenant to Mrs. Myriel MacSwiney, in charge of the Republican side forces, who are trying to get their Consular nominee into the Consul's chair.

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Horse Power AND ITS MYSTERY.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir:—A few months ago and again quite recently an article appeared in the Evening Telegram giving specific information on the exact amount of potential energy in a horse-power, but while probably I may give someone an opportunity to smile at any erratic tendencies, I cannot help making some remarks on the article referred to. I should like just to explain that owing to the universal use of motor engines a large majority of users has a burning curiosity to know what H.P. really is, and those users, being in the main, poorly educated, like myself, it would be useless to dive into high technical terms, kilograms, watts and Kilowatts to fish up a true understanding. The statements that I wish to sit upon are (a) that Watts (a Scotchman by the way) invented the steam engine and in his experiments to test his engines computed each horse-power at 33,000 lbs., (b) that the real H.P. is 2,260 lbs., and therefore a rated 10 H.P. engines is in reality only 6%.

Now here is something I cannot understand. Let us for the moment cut out Watt's exaggeration of pounds and suppose that we have bought a 10 H.P. engine. At 33,000 lbs. to each H.P. that would mean on the exaggerated plan that we had a machine capable of lifting 330,000 lbs., per foot per minute. This, of course, is not so; but I want you to note my point of view that if the potential energy of any H.P. engine is but over-rated by pounds, it is but over-rated by power. Let us understand how by reducing the theoretical number of pounds to the real number we reduce the H.P. also. If Watts erred only in the number of pounds to the H.P. (and that is what practical physics teach us) does it not look like a fallacy to do this? Just look! When we bought that 10 H.P. engine we understood then the difference between real and imaginary horse-power. We were perfectly satisfied that our engine represented 220,000 lbs. of power instead of 330,000. If now we let it stand at the original number of H.P. and reduce the rate of pounds on the change from 10 to 6% H.P. it would now fall from 330,000 lbs. to 146,544 or 14,654 lbs. to the horse-power. Again, and if possible, to make my meaning clear, let us hitch two average power horses to a load of pounds under Watt's theory. As soon as we find that the horses cannot use this load, we lift 11,000 lbs. from each, with the result that they pull it up immediately. The question is, have we not still got the two horse-power. I daresay, however, that it does look a bit absurd for an obscure and illiterate person like myself to butt in on such a subject after a century or more of equality and adjustment. Still, whatever the nature of the thoughts or words I might draw to myself now or at any time I hold, to the opinion that information that misleads is a corrupt form of teaching, and while I am thankful for (on this matter) corroboration or correction? An enclosing clipping for a more ready reference.

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Vital Statistics.

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Total number of Births for month of December 1922	94
Total number of Deaths for month of December 1922	60
Deaths under one month	8

CAUSE.

Convulsions	2
Spina Bifida	1
Prematurity	3
Congenital Debility	2

Deaths under one year

Gastro-Enteritis	1
General Debility	1

Deaths from one to five years

Acute Bronchitis	1
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CAUSE.

Broncho-Pneumonia	1
Acute Lobar Pneumonia	1
Laryngismus Stridulus	1

Deaths from five years and over

Typhoid Fever	3
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4
Carcinoma Stomach	1
Subacute Rheumatism	1
Cerebral Tumor	1
Dementia	1
Epilepsy	1
Status Epilepticus	1
Endocarditis	4
Myocarditis	4
Valvular Heart Disease	2
Arteriosclerosis	4
Acute Pleurisy	1
Bright's Disease	1
Abscess	1
Senility	5
Heart Failure	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Year	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922
Total number of Births for month of December	106	100	112	94	94
Total number of Deaths for month of December	61	61	44	50	60
Deaths under one month	5	5	4	8	8
Deaths from one to five years	4	7	4	2	4
Deaths from five years and over	50	36	32	36	36

The number of Deaths from Pulmonary Tuberculosis and the rates per 1,000 of the population for the past five years are as follows:—

Year	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922
Total Deaths	101	58	64	42	53
Rates per 1,000 Population	2.96	1.67	1.81	1.13	1.40

The following tables show the Infantile Mortality (i.e., deaths of children under one year of age) for the past five years:—

Year	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922
Total Deaths	137	141	180	160	167
Rates per 1,000 Births	152.05	114.07	146.34	131.57	136.83

W. J. MARTIN, Registrar General.

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Vaudeville Artists Will Arrive To-Day.

Will Open Engagement at NICKEL TO-MORROW.

Clinton and MacNamara, the noted vaudeville artists will arrive by the 8.30. They to-day and will open an engagement at the Nickel Theatre commencing to-morrow. These performers come to St. John's highly recommended, and have recently terminated a most successful tour of Australia. Their songs are all new and class, with sparkling humor. Judging from advance information these people are going to "put it over big." Watch this paper for announcement to-morrow.

Jackie Cookan will be seen at this theatre in a few days, in his greatest picture to date, entitled, "My Boy." This picture has been announced for quite a while, but a good thing is worth waiting for. Everybody liked Jackie in "Peck's Bad Boy"—but wait till you see "My Boy" in his picture, "I'll tell the world!"

There will be a meeting of the B. I. S. Ladies' Auxiliary on Wednesday evening at 8.30. ESTHER M. DOYLE, Sec'y. Jan. 23.

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