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THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 7, 1919. PRICE TWO CENTS. Liebknecht's Followers Open Reign of Terror In Berlin

CAPTURED BY BOLSHEVIK FORCES

# \$25,000,000 TO BE ADVANCED LAUDER REFUSES BY CANADA TO RUMANIA TO PURCHASE DOMINION PRODUCTS

Premier Borden Makes Definite Promise to Colonel Joseph Boyle, in Charge of Rumanian Relief — \$5,000,000 of Canadian Funds Immediately Available.

patch, from Reuter's, Limited.—Reuter's is informed that Col. Boyle, of the Canadian army, in charge of Rumanian relief, who has been working in Rumania and Russia since the spring of 1917, has just arrived in London from Eucharest. To him has been intrusted the task of dealing with inter-alied commissions and governments on questions of revictualing Rumania. He declares the most urgent matter is the supply of food, as the population is starving, or otherwise in very great distress. Col. Boyle conferred with Mr. Hoover in Paris, and the latter at once agreed to diver three cargoes of flour now on the Mediterranean to Rumania. He promised within two weeks to dispatch two other cargoes, including fats and milk. patch, from Reuter's, Limited .- Reu- the foreign office with Lord Reading,

### FUNERAL OF ROOSEVELT TO BE CHARACTERIZED BY SIMPLICITY

Remains of Great American Will Be Laid to Rest Among the Fir Trees On Knoll Overlooking Oyster Bay.

Oyster Bay, Jan. 7.—With the flags of Oyster Bay drooped at half-mast and death yesterday of Col. Theodore Roose velt, arrangements for the unostenta veil, arrangements for the unoscentatious funeral services here tomorrow were being perfected by members of the family today. High in the air over Sagamore Hill, army airplanes from Hazelhurst field maintained a ceaseless vigil, occasionally swooping toward the earth to drop a wreath of laurel among the elms of the mansion. It was the wish of the former president, as expressed to Mrs. Roosevelt, the obsequies would be of almost Spartan simplicity. First there will be a prayer tomorrow at the house, attended by only relatives. At 12:45 o'clock the Protestant Episcopal service for the dead will be read in Christ Church by the rector, the Rev. George E. Talmage. There will be no music, no eulogy, no honorary pallbearers. Mrs. Roosevelt has requested that no flowers be sent. Beautiful Burial Spot.

Beautiful Burlal Spot.

Burial will be in Young's Memorial Cemetery. Col. Roosevelt will lie among the fir trees on the crest of a knoll overlooking Oyster Bay cove—a beautiful spot selected soon after he left the White House.

The quaint church where the services will be held has seating accommodations for only 350 persons. Admission will be by ticket. The church recently celebrated its 200th auniversary. A bronze tablet bearing the names of the vestryanen, includes that of "Theodore restryance, includes that of "Theodore cosevelt, president of the United states." Two pages of foolscap, hung n cases on the walls, carry the names of young men of the church who enered the service for the war. The pages of the service for the day. names of Col. Roosevelt's sons head the list.

Capt. and Mrs. Archibald Roosevelt,
Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth and Mrs. Theodore Jun, arrived at
Sagamore Hill last night. The colone's
other sons—Kermit and Theodore Jun.

Flood of Messages.

Mrs. Richard Derby, who was Ethel Rooseveit, now the wife of Major Richard Derby, medical corps of the United States army, is expected to arrive in Oyster Bay tomorrow with her two children from Alken, S. C., where she has been sojourning. The major is in Persone. are still in Europe.
Flood of Messages.

France.
The flood of telegraphic messages of condolence from all parts of the world continued today and extra telegraph operators were called here from New York to handle the rush.

regard. Please scept my dee pathy on the irreparable loss suffered."

STEPHEN PINCHON

EXPLESSES SO

#### ROOSEVELT REGARDED HIGHLY IN LONDON

death of Theodore Roosevelt, the Times says this morning: "In politics, as in all else, he was a gorous fighting man and dealt hard blows. His opponent smarted under them, but the most determined enemies in that field were just as proud of him as a great citizen as were the rest of the American people. His name will go down among those of American presi- Mrs. Roosevelt. dents with something of a character that attaches to the name of Lincoln, as one who was a great abiding force in morals as well as politics."

The Post says:

"It is not every voice that carries across the Atlantic, but Roosevelt's undoubtedly did. It was listened to here almost as attentively as in America, and its familiar, downright accents will be missed. The world can ill spare its big men now, and even the strongest opponents of Roosevelt's policies admit opponents of Roosevelt's policies admit that Roosevelt was a big man."

"Few men, however eminent, are known outside their own country, but Roosevelt was one." says the Express.

"His ideals may be described as the cause of rightcompagnant."

AMERICAN TROOPS

AT FATHER'S FUNERAL

New York, Jan. 7.—Explaining that it

#### PRESIDENT WILSON CABLES SYMPATHY TO MRS. ROOSEVELT

Expresses Sorrow on Death of Distinguished American.

Oyster Bay, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Roosevelt eceived during the night a cablegram f sympathy from President Wilson, ated Modane, which is on the Francealian frontier, reading as follows: "Pray accept my leartfelt symp. ery much. (Signed) WOODROW WILSON."

## EXPLESSES SORROW

Deeply Regrits Death of Theodore Roosevelt. Paris, Jan. 7.—When informed of the leath of Theodore Roosevelt, Stephen Pichon, foreign minister, said:
"Without entering into political maters pertaining to the United States, the leath of ir. Roosevelt must be regretted. He was an eminent and courageous man, inspired with pure patriotism. France shares with the mutter American people in the sorrors. London, Jan. 7 .- In discussing the entire American people in the sorrow following his death.

#### FLAGS IN CUBA ARE PUT AT HALF MAST

Havara, Jan. 6.—Cuba's flag will fly Fort Arthur.... 18 Soult Ste. Marie, 24 at half staff over all forts, naval vessels, polic buildings and military posts Ottawa Montreal on theisland until after the funeral of Theodre Roosevelt, in accordance with Halifax a dedee issued by President Menocal

INEAU'S SCHOOLS REOPEN.

# TO SIGN APOLOGY TO MONTREALERS

Famous Comedian Greeted by Friends, Not Rotten Eggs.

BODYGUARD OF SCOTS

Declares That Critics Are Only Putting Up a Bluff.

Canadians. He coolly descended at Bonaventure station attired in a rain-



at, kilt and Glengarry bonnet and earing his celebrated smile. There as no demonstration, but a number of cal Scots gathered as a bodyguard and we the celebrated something. celebrated comedian a warm Asked if he would sign an the French-Canadians, he "I'll sign nothing. Don't get They're only putting up a A statement has been prepared er's friends, which it is hoped

by Lauder's friends, which it is hoped he will sign.

It reads as follows: "Great difference of opinion exists as to what Lauder did say. Your correspondent can guarantee the authority of the following made at the Rotary Club a year ago. Poor bleeding France will never be forgotten. Her bravery and devotion to duty may never be equalled, and certainly can never be surpassed. If there be any French or any Frenchen in Quebec who refuse to go to fight for France and Canada, they cannot surely be of the same pure, red blood as poor bleeding France. It must be a bastard blood."

Lauder will die rather than apologize

Lauder will die rather than apologize. Ie says he will defend himself, but elieves other true Britons will come to table this morning to a reporter, he said:
"I intended nothing of a racial reflection, but was alluding to the people who refused to go to fight for their country when it was a dire need and loudly calling for their aid."

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 26; lowest, 12.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 30; lowest, 26.

TOMORROW-MILD. Toronto, Jan. 7-8 a.m.
Forecasts.
Southerly winds; mild and mostly cloudy, with light local snowfalls or flurries today and on Wednesday.
Temperatures.
The following were the highest and

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria. 40 34 Cloudy Calgary. 34 16 Clear

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The Atlantic disturbance, which gave heavy gales off the Nova Scotlan coast Juleau, Jan. 7.—With the disappear-nc of all Spanish influenza cases from atheau channel district, Juneau's Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Maniyesterday, has moved away to the east-

# OPENING RED CROSS AT UVEK 14 IHUUSAND DOLLARS

In Two and Half Hours' Time Canvassers Made a Handsome Record in Gathering Money for the Fellows Who Have Suffere d the Most

Amid deafening cheers, it was announced at the noonday luncheon today tendered to the Red Cross canvassers by A. M. Smart in the dismissed suggestions that he should alight at a suburban station to escape the rotten eggs with which he was threatened by French-Canadians. He coolly descended at the noonday luncheon today tendered to the Red Cross canvassers by A. M. Smart in the Tecumseh House, that the total in the drive for \$75,000 stood at \$35,765.60.

The teams composed of men received \$14,515.60 in subscriptions this morning while the feeling was that a much larger.

tions this morning, while the feeling was that a much larger amount would be gathered in this afternoon. The women's team

Some of the subscriptions announced by Mr. Smart were Mayor C. R. Somerville, \$500; R. C. Struthers & Co., \$1,200; Ontario Loan and Debenture Company, \$1,500; the McClary Manu facturing Company, \$3,500; Major Gordon Ingram, \$150.

George M. Reid ......... J. K. and D. H. McDermid Col. Gartshore Jas. Wright & Co.
McCormick Mfg. Co.
D. H. Howden & Co.
E. Leonard & Sons, Liv McMahen, Grainger & Co. Smallman & Ingram Robinson & Little C. S. Hyman & Co., Limited

Already subscribed

#### LAURIER IS IN SYMPATHY WITH IRELAND'S CLAIM

FOR HOME RULE

Great Statesman Again Expresses View He Has Always Held.

MONTREAL MEETING

Prominent Canadians Speak at Gathering On Thursday Night.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—Letters from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Hon. Charles Murphy, expressing sympathy with the claims of Ireland for sympathy with the claims of freland for self-government and encouragement for the local Irishmen, who are organizing the mass meeting to be held here at the Monument Nationale on Thursday night for the discussion of this subject, have been received by the organizers. Sir Wilfrid states that his sympathies re-main, as they always have been with loudly calling for their aid.

"The sentence I used simply meant that they were rot of the pure blood of France. If they kill me, as they threaten, well, let them do it. I will defend myself, and surely others will defend me if there is trouble. But I will not apologize or withdraw." Mrs. Lauder was equally determined. "Apologize, after we gave our only boy," she said. "No, he will not apologize." Meanwhile the French-Canadians remain to be heard from. There is every promise of a stormy time.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London division. eral others have been invited, includ-ing the lieutenant-governor of the prov-ince, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, but re-plies have not yet been received from

#### Takes Out Insurance Policy of a Million

Chicago, Jan. 7.—William Wrigley Jun., millionaire and dominant stockholder in the Chicago National League Basebail Club, has taken a life insurance policy for \$1,000,000. The annual premium on the ordinary life plan will be \$50,000. Eight physicians, representing 32 companies, among which the insurance will be apportioned, conducted surance will be apportioned, conducted the examination

\$3,000 WORTH OF BOOZE CONSIGNED TO KITCHENER

Toronto, Jan. 7 .- A G. T. R. detective today discovered at York yards a car of liquor billed for Kitchener, Ont. It was

# TAKEN IN: TOTAL, \$35,765,60

Congratulates Workers Mr. Smart congratulated the workers of whom about 125 were present, or the manner in which they had raised the other property in the property of the control of the control

The local attention was what these men desired and needed, and this was what the local organization had set out to do now that the overseas pressure had been abated somewhat.

Need Individual Work.

"If we are to arrest the Boishevik movement in this country, we must interest the men," declared Sir Adam. They don't want to be treated as out, but doesn't cover the individual work that is needed. When you contince the men that you are interested in them and want to help them, you're going to check the awful condition that is facing Europe, and is making great ng Europe, and is making great s in the city of Toronto, more ou know of."

are included in the list that was posted in the blackboard and which follow:
Advertising Club \$3,403 75
Phistle Club 2,700 50
F. M. C. A 2,360 90
Chember of Commerce, No. 1. 2,902 25

Rotary Club, No. 1
hamber of Commerce, No. 2
(incomplete)
alyation Army alvation Army ... otary Club, No. 4 

"Make no mistake, there is no armistice for the Red Cross."

"Try to remember that this is a campaign for the benefit of fellows who went over the ten who didn't belt up.

#### Germans Willing To Trade Anything For Cake of Soap

American Soldiers Use Small Pieces as Purchasing Medium.

Coblenz. Dec. 31.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—Soap was in such demand among the Germans that the American infantrymen in their march from Luxemburg to the Rhine used small cakes of it as Indian money in trading with the civilians of the larger vilages. In one instances an infantry man secured a chicken for six pieces of ordinary soap, about the size of the individual cakes supplied to guests by hotels in American.

Eggs are very scarce in Germany at this season, but if there were any eggs in most of the villages through which the Americans passed the soldiers could get them by offering a cake of soap for get them by offering a cake of soap for an egg.

#### MOTOR CAR THIEVES SECURE FURS VALUED AT \$8,000 TO \$10,000

St. Catharines Store Entered By Means of False Key.

# Civil War and Anarchy Reigns In Berlin; Opposing Factions Preparing For Final Struggle

## RIGA IS TAKEN BY BOLSHEVIKI

Capture Was Effected at Noon On Saturday.

London, Jan. 7.—The port of January 4 by the Bolshevik, aceording to a Russian wireless dispatch received here today. In Esthonia the Bolshevik are marching on Reval, and have miles east-southeast of Reval.

#### BOLSHEVIK FORCES CONTINUE ADVANCE THROUGH RUSSIA

#### SOLDIERS' CHILDREN HAVE BEEN GRANTED PENSIONS INCREASE

September 1, 1918.

NEW CLASSIFICATION

Government Will Make Allow ances Based On New Class Schedule.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Pensions for codren of deceased and totally disal soldiers have been increased and clasceased members of the forces will be entitled to allowances as follows: First child, or younger brother or sister, \$12 a month. ounger brothers or sisters, \$8 per (4) First orphan child or younger bro-

her or sister, \$24 per month.
(5) Second orphan child or younger rother or sister, \$20 per month.
(6) Third and subsequent orphan chilwent over the top, who didn't halt un-til they were sorely stricken. This is a Continued on Page Nine.

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Continued on Page Nine. Payable From September 1 Previously, there has been a straight allowance of \$8 a month per child in the case of children whose mothers are still living. In the case of orphan children, there the straight allowance of \$16 per

The children of disabled members of The children of disabled memoers of the forces up to the rank of major (militia) or lieutenant-commander (naval), will be now entitled, when the menther of the forces is entitled to a total disability pension to the following allowances:
(1) First child, \$12 per month,
(2) Second child, \$10 a month.
(3) Third and subsequent children, \$8

Previously, under this heading, ther

# Refuge On Farm

The Former German Military

Means of False Key.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—Furs valued at between \$8,000 and \$10,000 were stolen from the store of Normandin & Turcotte, Limited, St. Catherine street west, early last night by thleves, who used a false key, and who were seen escaping in an automobile.

Sweden of Gen. Ludendorff, the former virtual head of the German military system, are confirmed by T. A. V. Schotte, the Swedish home minister. It is said that Gen. If idendorff is living on a farm at Hassleholm, in Southern Sweden, with a man named Edgar Olsson.

German Capital Is in Hands of Turbulent Forces-Spartacans, Lead by Liebknecht, Are Organized To Meet the Government Troops-Hundreds Fleeing From City.

GOVERNMENT APPEALS FOR SUPPORT

Berlin, Monday, Jan. 6 .- (By the Associated Press) .- The streets leading to the chancellor's palace and the Tiergarten, this afternoon were full of crowds hurrying to the respective demonstrations—the Spartacans in the Siegesalle and the Government supporters at the chancellor's palace in Wilhelmstrasse. The Gov-Riga was captured at noon on ernment has issued an appeal to all its supporters for demonstrations against the Spartacans. The factories in the city are deserted. The situation is most tense.

Copenhagen, Jan. 7.—Berlin is in a state of complete anarchy and civil war has begun there, according to the Munich correreached Charlenoff, about 30 spondent of the Politiken. His information, he says, is based on telephonic messages from the German capital. All the banks are barricaded and a great number of the public buildings are in the hands of the Spartacan, or extreme radical group.

Thousands of armed workmen of the Spartacus faction, the correspondent reports, are crowding the streets, and at several Solution of whom about 125 were present, on the manner in which they had raised 1,500 hours' time. He felt that the men 1,500 would reach the amount needed in order to carry out the work of the Red 1,500 or men did not need any encouraging 2,000 words from him. Personally he had 2,000 words from him. Personally he had 3,500 glad to give. He stated that in the stated that points firing has begun. The sound of machine-gun fire could be expected to begin very soon. Hundreds of persons are reported fleeing from the city.

> Reports from Berlin on Monday, relayed through Amsterdam, adicated a disturbed condition of affairs in Berlin on Sunday, due o another attempt of the Spartacus group to obtain control of the ty and thereby of the central German Government. The ultraadical forces opposed to the Ebert Government sallied forth from their stronghold near the district which contained the principal newspaper offices and seized several of the newspaper plants, in-New Rates Are Payable From cluding those of the Tageblatt, the Vossische Zeitung. Lokal Anzeiger, Vorwaerts and Morgenpost, together with the office of the Wolff Bureau, the semi-official news agency.

#### LIEBKNECHT'S FOLLOWERS PARADE THE PRINCIPAL STREETS OF BERLIN

Berlin, Monday, Jan. 6, 1 p.m.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Spartacus group is engaged today in a big demonstration against the Government. Tens of thousands of followers of Karl Liebknecht have been parading Unter den Inden and the Brandenberger strasse, and, as this dispatch is filed, are returnng along Unter den Linden. Up to this time no shots have been fired. The Wilhelmstrasse from Unter den Linden to below the Leipzigstrasse is

packed full of Government sympathizers who have been standing there for two nours. It appears to be the Government's strategy to prevent the Spartacans demonstrating before the Government office. Hundreds of youths and other civillans in the Spartacan ranks are carrying rifles. Fist fights have occurred at the corner of the Wilhelmstrasse and Unter

den Linden, where the Bolshevik demonstrators took away their opponents' (2) Second child, or younger brother standards. Spartacan soldiers took a stand in open order in front of the Hotel Adlon with their rifles ready, but there was no firing-The Spartacan marchers, with the exception of the workmen from certain

factories, comprise the scum of the city, and four-fifths of the whole number are bedraggled women and young girls. The American flag has been holsted over the Hotel Adlon, where the American can officers, belonging to the prisoner and food commission, are living.

The opinion seems general that only a miracle can prevent blood-letting be-

#### **RUTHENIAN TROOPS** HAVE SURROUNDED CITY OF LEMBERG

ore the end of the day

Polish Forces Are Putting Up Strong Defence.

WOMEN HELP TO FIGHT

Many Are Reported To Have Been Captured in

London, Jan. 7 .- Ruthenian troops have advanced and surrounded Lemberg, which is defended by the Poles, according to a Central News dispatch from Copenhagen, quoting advices from Vienna dated Saturday. It is added that the Poles have been driven from Lubachoff, northwest of Lemberg. In the advance on Lemberg, the Puther

#### BOLSHEVIK LEADERS HELPING LIEBKNECHT TO FOMENT REVOLUTION

Copenhagen, Jan. 7.—Adolphe Joffe and M. Radek, leaders of the Rolshevik mission to Germany, are in Berlin assisting Dr. Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg in fomenting a Bolshevik revolution. According to advices received here, they are believed to be at the police headquarters, which is the stronghold of the Spartacans. The Independent Socialists, whose leaders were recently dismissed from the Government, are reported to have gone over entirely to the Spartacans. These two groups have issued a joint proclamation, declaring that the final right to preserve the revolution must be fought.

#### FORECASTS CHANGES IN PROHIBITION ACT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Attorney-General of Province May Institute Police Court Proceedings.

The Former German Military
Leader Safe in Sweden.

Lubachoff, northwest of Lemberg. In the advance on Lemberg the Ruthenians attacked with 2,000 rifles on a front of twelve miles. All the Polish forces in Lemberg took part in the fighting, including a division made up of Polish women. This division, it is stated, suffered severe losses, and many of the women were captured.

Schotte, the Swedish home minister. It is sated that agents of the Corwin have been busy lately upgrosses to institute police court proceedings against the persons whom the crown has reason to believe have been implicated in illegalities was made yesterday by Attorney-General Farris. It is sated that agents of the crown have been busy lately upgrosses to make full use of what information he has obtained in one way and the 189th body recovered from the Princess Sophia wreck, has been brought

GIVE HANDSOMELY TO SPLENDID RED CROSS CAUSE