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# SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES AT TIMBER PROBE

## PEOPLE WANT NEW CITY HALL ON FEDERAL SQUARE ANY OTHER PLACE ILLEGAL

"Father of Federal Square" Plan Says Injunction To Stop Building On Present Site Is Contemplated—Citizens' Wishes Should Be Carried Out.

Reports that an injunction will be sought to prevent the use of funds voted for federal square purposes to erect city offices on the present site were further strengthened today, when Lieut. Col. W. G. Coles stated that action of this kind was contemplated. It was largely through his efforts that the Federal Square scheme was adopted in 1913, and he is anxious to see the wishes of the people carried out as expressed on that occasion.

Diverting funds yeard for that purpose in purchasing the temporary building now occupied.

Lieut.-Col. Coles points out that Mayor Somerville recognized the fact that the money could only be spent for the purpose for which it was voted, because he authorized a vote of the people on the question in 1919. The project of office buildings on the present by two thousand. He claims that a clause was then inserted in the London bill to authorize the expenditure of \$200. that occasion.

Diverting funds voted for that purpose to the erection of a temporary office building is illegal, in his opinion, and can be stopped by the courts. The funds, he pointed out, were accumulated in the following manner: \$100,000 was acquired by the sale of the old city hall: \$75,000 for a new hall was voted by the council of 1912, and in 1913 the Federal Square vote added another \$250. 900 to be used in the erection of buildings on the Federal Square site. This made a total of \$425,000, part of which

# PAID FOR THEIR SERVICES

Ald. John Ashton Will Bring In Resolution at Next Council

Meeling.

London aldermen may follow the lead of their Windsor colleagues, and not merely a moral one as at the mark a real obligation to give serve the more of the windsor colleagues, and not merely a moral one as at the mark a real obligation to give serve the mark and not merely a moral one as at the mark a real obligation to give serve the mark and not merely a moral one as at the mark a real obligation to give serve the mark and not merely a moral one as at the mark a real obligation to give serve the more of the collean "I think that the Windsor aidermen have made the payment a little too much but the principle is a good one." Ald. Ashton declared. "I think they should be paid a small sum, as it makes it possible for any citizen to serve on the council without too great a monetary sacrifice. Many workingmen who are on municipal councils lose a considerable part of their income through their attendance at civic meetings throughout the year."

"It would be an excellent idea." Ald. G. A. Wenige asserted. "The sum paid doesn't matter, but the mere fact that the members of the council received a salary would make them the paid ser-

JAPAN AWAITS BRITISH-U. S. **NAVAL HOLIDAY** 

Tokio Government Claims That America Furthering Own Interests Only.

Tokio, Jan. 17 .- Proposals emanating from the United States that Japan, Great Britain and the United States "take a naval holiday" is eloquent proof that despite the fabulous riches of the United States, she wishes to curtail national expenditures, and therefore the national expenditures, and therefore the proposals are intended more to help the United States than to contribute to the peace of the world, said Marquis Shigenobu Okuma, former Japanese premier, in an interview today. He asserted the United States should first consult Great Britain relative to the suggested suspension of a naval pro gram.
"Only when an American-British agreement has been reached," he added, "can Japan be in a position to consider this proposition. Japan's naval program

Ald. W. A. Wilson was opposed to it, too, and Ald. G. B. Drake was so strongly against it that he even advocated cutting off the salary being paid to the mayor.

Dog Is Convicted

of Sheep Slaughter,
Sentence Suspended

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He felt that he couldn't support such a move this year, as it might be viewed as being done with selfish reasons. He realized that it meant a considerable sacrifice of time and money to serve on the council, but was not decided as to whether this justified a salary or not. Ald, P. J. Watt had not considered the matter.

Ald. Cameron Wilson was opposed to it. "A man should have public spirit enough to do the work without salary,"

Ald, W. A. Wilson was opposed to

Winchester, Ky., Jan. 18.—"Old King," a foxhound owned by Frank Jones, was convicted of sheep slaughter by County Judge sheep slaughter by County Judge W. Lee Evans yesterday, after days of deliberation. Conviction for this offence usually means death, but Judge Evans has promised to withhold sentence if Jones will send the dog away from the county. Two puppy sons of the hound were exonerated. ated.
"Old King" has for years been an inseparable companion of Jones, and the old man has not said whether he can bear to kill the foxhound or send him to one of the numerous persons in the control of the property of the of the numerous persons in various states who have asked that he be given to them.

The trial which decided the fate of the hound and his sons created interest in this section which compared with celebrated cases in which men have been defendants.

DAYLIGHT-SAVING TIME FOR DOMINION'S CAPITAL

Ottawa. Jan. 18 .- Ottawa this summer will be under daylight saving rules. Last night at the city ouncil meeting Ald. McElroy's motion for daylight saving between May 1 and September 17, carried, after three divisions.

### UNITED FARMERS OF ALBERTA NOT TO ENTER PROVINCIAL

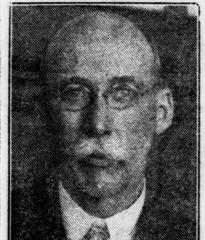
Edmonton, Jan. 18.-Approximately 1,500 delegates from all parts of the province are in the city to attend the annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta, which meets here all week, commencing

The most important matter scheduled for consideration is the proposed co-operative selling plan for wheat and grain products of the three Western Provinces. Considerable opposition to the wheat pool is said to exist among the members of the association, and although President H. W. Wood, in his address, will urge the approval of the principle, and the board of directors' report is favorable, it is expected, that there will be considerable discussion. More than two hundred resolutions will be considered by the convention. The United Farm Women of Alberta are holding sessions at the same time, and will meet each evening with the men.

According to present plans, the association will not even consider efficially entering provincial politics as a body.

In federal potitics the organization has already completed a working plan, and it is expected that the leadership of Hon. T. A. Crerar will be indersed. He will speak on Wednesday night.

PREMIER DRURY AND THE U. F. O. SECRETARY CLASH



J. J. MORRISON, who takes issue with the premier on the position of the farmers in politics and declares Hon. Mr. Drury will not remain head

London Daily News Says His

Appointment Is "Essentially

# ARE KILLED IN **AMBUSH ATTACK**

Fight Ensues When Black and Tan Patrol Is Waylaid.

POLICEMAN MURDERED

Assailants Escape After Killing Officer in Saloon.

London, Jan. 18.—Four civilians were killed and seven black and tan auxil-iary policemen were wounded in a fight in County Galway, Ireland, according to reports received here today. The fight ensued when a black and tan patrol was ambushed near the city of Galway.

POLICEMAN IS IRISH SALOON

Belfast, Jan. 18.—A member of constabulary was shot dead yesterday Cappaghwhite, County Tipperary. Tunurdered man was Constable Boyd. Tshooting occurred in a saloon. His assilants escaped David Kent, Sinn Fein member of the House of Commons for the East Division of Cork, was arrested yesterday. He makes the seventeenth Sinn Fein member of the British Parliament now in Six members of the "Irish Republican Parliament" are now in the United States, two are on the continent, and two have died, while one, Diarmid Lynch, has resigned.

FOUNDER OF SINN FEIN ORGANIZATION TO FACE COURT-MARTIAL

Dublin, Jan. 18.—Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein organization, who was arrested in his home here on the morning of November 26, will be court-martialed if the present plans of the authorities are carried out. The date of the court-martial, however, has not yet been set.

United as Ever MORE HYDRANTS IN Berlin, Jan. 18 .- On the occasion **SCHOOL VICINITIES** 

> Special Council Committee to Consider Requests.

> > MORE EQUIPMENT

Strongly Urged by Head of Local Fire Fighters.

iers shall never separate us.
"The unity of the German fatherlan Better fire protection for the city by is for us all an article of faith and earnncreasing the equipment of the fire de-

TOMORROW-MODERATING.

The Conservative newspapers are filled with optimistic Paris dispatches regarding efforts in Entente countries generally to secure financial relief for Austria, but in the face of this the crown has fallen 100 points on the exchange in the last five days.

The public is pinning its faith on the police for the maintenance of order. It is said associations of former officers and non-commissioned officers have been thoroughly organized as police auxiliaries in case of need. Inasmuch as these men number about 30,000, it is believed they will prove a deterring factor against any really grave outbreak.

Toronto, Jan. 18—5 a.m. Forecasts.

Lower Lakes: Today—Fine and decidedly cold. Wednesday—Fine and gradually moderating.

Georgian Bay: Today—Snow flurries, but mostly fair and decidedly cold.

Wednesday—Fair and gradually moderating.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria... 38 36 Fair Winnipeg...—8 —12 Clear Sault S. Marie. 4 — 6 Cloudy Depend on Police. break.

The Austrian newspapers generally are refraining from mentioning January 20 by government instruction, but today they contain the warning that no element should imperil the hope for Entert and the specific properties.

element should imperil the nope for Entente aid by communistic lawless-LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following are the highest and lowest

IN CANADA



FLETCHER BROCKMAN, New York,

# NAVAL BOARD PROBING FIGHT

Kloor, Farrell and Hinton To **Explain Conduct As Well** As Experiences.

Is Seriously III NEWSBOY-BISHOP

Paris, Jan. 18.—Madame Kaharine Breshkovskaya, "the little grandmother of the Russian revolution," who came to Paris recently from Ruthenia to at-tend the conference here of the rem-nant of the old Russian duma, is serinant of the old Russian duma, is seri-ously ill in the Russian hospital at Boulogne, near Parls. She was taken to the institution last week, suffering from a general breakdown and a heart affection. Madame Breshkovskaya is in her 77th year, and her revolutionary activities began when she was at the age of 26.

HIGH COURT WILL BE **ASKED TO DECIDE ON VACCINATION ISSUE** 

First On Mutinous Cossacks.

former army encampment at Tchatalja, 25 miles northwest of Constantinople.

TWO YEARS IN "PEN" FOR ELOPING WITH WOMAN PRISONER all stamps returned.

#### River Pulp and Paper Company had been arranged for in September of 1919, just before the Provincial election. "That's about the largest grant we have heard of yet," re-"It's a principality, my lord," replied Mr. Denison. The Government counsel told the commission that he had recently had a conference with the Drury cabinet and the ministers had told him to go right ahead and bring out everything that he could. They did not want anything held back,

He stated that the Spanish River Company was now trying to get confirmation of this 5,500 square miles grant by the present Government, "and in the public interest I ask for as early an upon it by the participants.
Following the luncheon, Principal Beal briefly welcomed his guests before handing over control of the business to Secretary R. M. McElheran, who presided till the committee had selected Trustee T. Rowe as chalrman for the year, Mr. Rowe immediately took the chair, and Principal Beal presented his report, which was received.

### Daring Young Bandits Hold Up Mail Truck, Escape With Sacks of Bonds and Money

Shirley Denison, K. C., Springs Sensation at Today's Ses-

sion of Timber Probe When He Tells of Concessions

Made by Hearst Administration to Spanish River Pulp

and Paper Company—Declares Concern Is Now Trying

Toronto, Jan. 18 .- Another sensation was sprung at this morning's session of the Riddell-Latchford timber inquiry when

Shirley Denison, K.C., investigating counsel, informed the judges

that a grant of 5,500 square miles of pulp limits to the Spanish

To Get Drury Government To Confirm Grant.

Robbery at Chicago Union Depot Is Accomplished in Record Time-Men Believed To Have Had "Inside Information"-Three Guards Are Taken by Surprise by Five

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Five youthful bandits held up a United States mail truck at the Union Station here early today, escaping in an automobile with twelve sacks of mail, ten of which contained registered mail. Police say that the best information obtainable this morning indicates the pouches contained part of a Federal Reserve Bank money shipment, which was to have been placed on a train leaving for St. Paul. Minn., at 2:30 a.m.

The bandits surprised three postal employees guarding the pouches, forcing them at the point of guns to back into the truck, while the bandit car deshed up. The police as the bandits seemed to have knowledge of the bank shipment, as well as the time the truck would arrive and the number of men guarding it.

Thomas Carter, Richard J. Sliney and Philip Cahill, postal employees, said the time the truck would arrive and the one of whom appeared to be more than 20 years old, all wore black masks, and carried out the robbery was accomplished in a few minutes.

Value Not Estimated.

The regular mail was composed solely of city collections, the police say. The The regular mail was composed solely said he believed the bandits' car folregistered mail bags were supposed to station.

Carter, who drove the mail truck, said he believed the bandits' car folregistered mail bags were supposed to station.

LEAVE FIUME

DURING WEEK

Secures Passports for Several

Foreign Countries.

Trieste, Jan. 17.—Gabriele D'Annun

The blockade of Fiume has been com

rders of Gen. Caviglia, commander of

the regular Italian forces along the

COLD WAVE IS **MOVING EASTWARD** 

coldest point on the official wea coldest point on the official weather map of Canada, has not reported its mercury standing this morning to the meteorological observatory, but a minimum of 40 below at Iroquois Falls, Ont., and 28 below at Cochrane, Ont., are unofficially reported to Canadian Press, Limited, from the north country. All Canada, except the Pacific and Atlantic coasts, is apparently gripped in zero weather, the lowest officially reported to the observatory at 8 a.m. today being at Ottawa, where the thermometer registered 18 below. At Winnipeg it is where the thermometer register-ed 18 below. At Winnipeg it is comparatively balmy today at 2 below, and the fact that it was 32 below at that point yesterday indicates that the cold wave is noving eastward

Another Spanish Cabinet Decides On Resigning

JAPANESE CROWN PRINCE Paris. Jan. 18.—Decision to resign has been reached by the Spanish cabinet, according to a Madrid dispatch quoting information received in political circles at the Spanish cabinet. The cabinet asis was caused by a strike of civil servants, which has embarrassed the government.

JAPANESE CROWN PRINCE

PLANS VISIT TO ENGLAND

Tokio, Jan. 18.—The Japanese crown prince is planning an official visit to statements printed in newspapers of this city.

### Will Get It Right If Enough Trials Made

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 18.-There has been considerable confusion regarding the proclamation summoning Parliament. At first it was decided to open the session on February 10, and a small issue of the Canada Gazette was printed to this effect. The issue was destroyed, and the date changed to the 14th, but in the new proclamation there has been a peculiar omission. The House of Commons is summoned to meet, but no mention is made of the Senate. As a consequence the new issue of the Gazette, which has been freely circulated, will be suppressed, and a new proclamation, in which both Houses of Parliament will be summoned, will be assued today.

# **GRANT OF 5,500 SQUARE MILES** PULP LIMITS MADE TO FIRM JUST BEFORE ONT. ELECTION

### **ACTIVITIES OF** THE TECHNICAL **SCHOOL SHOW A** LARGE INCREASE

Trustee Rowe Elected Chairman of Industrial Advisory Committee.

Many, even of the leading cafes and hotel dining-room staffs in the city, might well take a course in the service of meals from the students of the domestic calendary. The Government and the large marked Mr. Justice Riddell.

"It's a principality, my The Government and the large marked Mr. Justice Riddell." vice of meals from the students of the domestic science classes at the Technical School, as exemplified today in the preparation, setting out and service of the luncheon provided for the entertainment of the members of the industrial advisory committee of the board of education, and guests of Principal H. B. Beal. Appetizing, quiety and most efficiently served, the meal well deserved the encombums passed vell deserved the encomiums passed

DIES OF PNEUMONIA: STRENUOUS LIFE

Late Bishop Evans Formerly Sold Papers On London Streets.

HAD A REVELATION

Last Years of Life Spent in Wearisome Litigation With Church.

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French Black Soldiers Fired REFUND ON LUXURY TAX STAMPS ON APPLICATION

the department of inland revenue at Constantinople, Jan. 17.—French black roops turned their machine guns on nutinous Cossacks of Gen. Wrangel's luxury tax stamps held on hand by the various merchants on December 18 Saturday night, after the Cossacks had disarmed their officers. The Russians returned the fire, killing ten Senegalese not must be forwarded to the departwhen the tax was abolished. All unand wounding twenty others, and two ment through the local collector of French officers. inland revenue accompanied by an application form which may be secured from the inland revenue office. The claim is then forwarded to Ottawa and a check will be issued in settlement of

When the licenses were issued to Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night; Highest, 19; lowest, 12 above.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 14; lowest, 4 above.

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

Pressure is about normally high over the Great Lakes region, with a low are also to be returned to the local collector of inverse are affor "eloping" with Juanita Weaver, a woman prisoner. The eloperatures in the west.

Milledgeville. Ga., Jan. 18.—J. W. Gans, a guard at the state penitentiary here, was today sentenced to serve two areas for "eloping" with Juanita Weaver, a woman prisoner. The eloperatures in the decidedly cold weather throughout Eastern Canada, and more ment occurred in December last, and the couple were arrested in Tampa, Fla. Gans entered a plea of guilty. license are not returnable nor is the