

THE C.N.R. DISTRICT OFFICE LONDON

TURKS WILL SIGN ALL PEACE TERMS IS LATEST REPORT

Finance Notices Great Britain of the New Ottoman Agreement.

ONLY INTERRUPTION

Turks Seem To Realize They Have Nothing To Gain by Refusing Signature.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Feb. 6.—Finance has notified Great Britain that the Ottoman delegation at Lausanne has agreed to all the peace terms.

By PAUL SCOTT MOWLER.

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Paris, Feb. 6.—The Lausanne rupture seems to have become a mere interruption. French diplomacy was exceedingly active both in Lausanne and London Monday trying to repair the broken threads of the negotiations.

Thinking matters over, the Turks seem to have realized that they had much to lose and nothing to gain by persisting in their refusal to sign. The British Government was found to be in a conciliatory mood, and it is expected that the compromise proposed by Italy in the question of capitulations, on which conference broke up, will now be accepted.

The French dislike the Lausanne peace, which makes it impossible to obtain any concessions from the Turkish Nationalists and risks in the Near East. Nevertheless they are in favor of signing even this treaty for the sake of obtaining peace.

French leaders believe that the signing of peace will soon terminate the menacing Turco-Russian alliance and that the Turks in descending the snows of Angora to the my breezes of the Bosphorus, will willingly lose something of their present ferocity.

CLEAN UP CLAUSES OF INAUGURAL SPEECH

Council Will Make Effort To Deal With Remaining Items.

Another big informal session of the city council is set for tomorrow night, when a determined effort will be made to "clean up" the several remaining clauses of Mayor Wenige's inaugural address.

The items are so numerous, however, that it seems doubtful if everything can be dealt with at one session. London's transportation problem, including the mayor's motor scheme, will be considered.

It is proposed to stage a preliminary investigation of the police and departments as well, and the mayor stated today that in all probability members of these departments would be in attendance to substantiate evidence, if required.

Absence of Light Ends In Two Fines

Magistrate Graydon Quickly Shows Force of Bylaw.

Lights out—without a bugle," a drama in one act, was rehearsed before Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon this morning. One single person for the class of two sets the principals in the play back just \$5.

There was no musical comedy out of the little affair, and no comedy sound. Nor was there even a single introduction to make the "lights" sound realistic. The plot centered around "lights" that were not discovered on two motor cars.

"Two-and coster" sang out the part, after a lesson that set the cord for brevity. The costs amounted to \$4. The "lesson" money was paid and two motorists were permitted to depart.

W. Palmer and Sons Partly Destroyed by Early Blaze.

Special to The Advertiser.
Palmerston, Feb. 6.—T. W. Palmer and Sons, men's furnishing and shoe store, was damaged by fire this morning to the extent of between \$4,000 and \$5,000. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

The fire broke out in the store at 9 o'clock this morning, when the fire alarm was sounded. The fire was quickly extinguished, but the damage was considerable. The store was completely gutted, and the stock in the store below was damaged by water. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

CHEROKEE INDIAN CRIES "I LOVE HER" AND DIES A FEET

Unrequited Love for Grass Widow Ends in Department Suicide.

WROTE LOVE LETTERS

Called Woman Who Played With His Affections. "My Indian Moon."

Special to The Advertiser.
New York, Feb. 6.—Unrequited love for Mrs. Norma Pearl Moore Smith, 27, soda fountain cashier, caused Chief Gabriel White Horse Hattling, 39, Cherokee Indian, to shoot himself to death at her feet in Bloomingdale's department store here last night, police declared today.

"I love her—I love her," White Horse, who came here from Oklahoma and New Mexico, fired three shots, starting a panic among the 300 women shoppers. Two bullets went wild and the third killed him instantly. Mrs. Smith, who declared she had been separated from her husband and admitted, police said, that she had exchanged love notes with White Horse, addressing him as "My Indian prince."

"My Indian Moon."
He called her "My Indian moon." She asserted she failed to realize he was serious and carried on the affair just for fun.

"I am Chief White Horse of the Cherokee Indian tribe of Oklahoma," read a scrawled note found on the Indian's body. "I am an overseas veteran, and in case anything happens to me ask the United States government to take charge of my body. Bury me with Buffalo Bill. I was a member of his gang. The girls in the store are kidding me how wild can I get? I am as wild as any fighting wildcat."

Letters found in the clothes of the Indian, some of them signed, "Miss Pearl Moore and Norma Smith," bore such salutations as "Dearest Rain-in-the-Face," "Sitting Bull," "My Indian Prince," and "My Papa." One of these that reiterated passionate love ended, "Take me away out west and make me as wild as you are."

Only Kidding.

"I was only kidding him," Mrs. Smith told police. Authorities who took charge of the letters said they grew less endearing recently and that Mrs. Smith advised her to stop to end the affair when she found the chief was "serious."

Cherokees also show that White Horse is a son of Chief White Horse of the Cherokee of Oklahoma, a world war veteran of the Canadian and American expeditionary forces. He had been decorated for bravery under fire and at the end of the war took treatment for being gassed.

He also carried a medal for heroism as a member of the "Wildcat" crew of the Lloyd Italian liner Florida when it rammed and sank the Republic in 1919 off Ambrose Light. He was the custodian at Bloomingdale's store.

COLD NIGHT, OLD COAT CAUSE MAN'S ARREST

Leo Thorsell Pleads Guilty to Theft Charge in Police Court.

Leo Thorsell, who was arrested by Detectives Down and Bolton on a charge of stealing an overcoat belonging to Gordon Axtell, was remanded for a week by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in police court this morning, so that his past might be looked into.

Thorsell promptly pleaded guilty when the charge was read to him. Saturday night was a cold night, and his own overcoat was a poor one, he said. The court commented upon the apparent respectable appearance of the prisoner, and regretted that he should so far forget himself as to help himself to anything not his own. Bail was offered by a friend of Thorsell's, but was refused.

According to Axtell's story, the affair happened at a local dance hall, and was about to leave. Instead of his own coat, another greeted him, rather the worse for wear. The thief had been kind enough to place Axtell's scarf and gloves in the old coat. Information was placed with the police, however, with the result that Thorsell was rounded up at work yesterday.

TEMPORARY COMPROMISE OVER MEMEL PROBLEM

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Feb. 6.—A preliminary compromise has been reached between the Lithuanian government and the Entente ministers at Kovno for the regulation of the Memel problem, pending the decision of that territory's future, either by the ambassadors' conference or the League of Nations, says the diplomatic correspondent of the Telegraph today.

TO CANCEL CERTIFICATES OF INTOXICATED DRIVERS

Canadian Press Despatch.
Winnipeg, Feb. 6.—Without dividing, the legislature last night passed a proposal for imposing additional penalties on persons convicted of driving automobiles while in an intoxicated condition. The penalties take the form of cancellation of driving certificates for six months in the case of a first offense, and for twelve months in the case of a second offense.



A PEEP INTO THE NEW "WENIGE" BUS.

Here is the interior view of one of the fleet of 62 modern motor buses which, according to Mayor Wenige and Engineer R. W. Knowles of Cleveland, can be operated in London satisfactorily throughout the year, at a 5-cent fare. The machine has a seating capacity of 25, and a total capacity of 40. Mayor Wenige and his associates, who are now in the city, maintain, despite opinions to the contrary from Sir Adam Beck and E. K. Bunnell, that this type of omnibus can give the people of London decent and continuous service at a minimum expenditure. They stand prepared, they say, to submit their plans, figures and other data to the scrutiny of all experts and authorities. They base their computation upon local conditions and experiences of other communities throughout America.

LOOK FOR FORTUNE ALLEGED HIDDEN BY AGED RECLUSE

Believe Eccentric Woman Was Choked to Death and Burned.

SLEPT ON RAG PILE

Believed Dead Husband Would Return as Reincarnated Animal.

Special to The Advertiser.
Chicago, Feb. 6.—Search for the \$200,000 fortune of Mrs. Elizabeth Joran Wilson, aged recluse, whose charred body was found in her once palatial home, was stunted by authorities today.

Police believe the fire which caused Mrs. Wilson's death was of incendiary origin. Friends of the eccentric woman declared she sold at least \$80,000 worth of real estate during the last few months, and this could not be accounted for today.

Authorities hoped to bring out at the inquiry today that the eccentric was choked to death by robbers, who later burned her body in an effort to hide the crime. Mrs. Wilson, 84, lived alone in a fourteen-room house in what was once the fashionable residential district of Chicago. She was the widow of James Wilson, one time prominent attorney, and believed that he would be reincarnated as an animal and return to her. For this reason she kept the house exactly as it was when he died.

Mrs. Wilson slept on a pile of rags in a closet under the stairs, where her body was found. Friends scouted the idea that she started the fire by accidentally tipping over an oil stove.

DR. BERNHARD FERNOW, FORESTRY EXPERT, DIES

Former Dean of Faculty of Forestry of Toronto University Passes.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 6.—Dr. Bernhard Fernow, former dean of the faculty of forestry, University of Toronto, and at one time connected with the chief division of forestry, United States Department of Agriculture, died here this morning, aged 72.

The late Dr. Fernow was born at Inowroslaw, Posen, Germany, and moved to the United States in 1876. He was recognized as one of the foremost forestry experts on the American continent.

LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK DIES IN HIS 80TH YEAR

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Catharines, Feb. 6.—Johnson Clench, county clerk of Lincoln, died at his home here today, aged 79, after 61 years of active service. He succeeded his uncle when the county seat was removed from Niagara to St. Catharines, the office having been in the family 95 years. He was a son of the late Gen. Whistler Clench.

PASSES COMFORTABLE NIGHT

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 6.—Sir William Mulock, who is now in the Wellesley Hospital suffering from acute appendicitis, passed a fairly comfortable night, according to a statement issued by the hospital authorities this morning.

Talks to Brother From Ocean Liner

Every Night Sister Speaks From Atlantic Ship to Chicago.

Special to The Advertiser.
Cherbourg, Feb. 6.—Miss Florence MacDonald of Chicago arrived here today aboard the Cunard liner Berengaria, having talked with her brother at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, each night of the voyage by means of wireless telephone.

A private set, constructed by E. F. MacDonald of the Chicago radio laboratory, connected with the Berengaria's aerials, enabled the girl to perform the unique feat. "My brother in Chicago talked to me every night at one o'clock Chicago time," Miss MacDonald said. "He would tell me the personal news and bid me good night. I could recognize his voice and hear every word, except part of the time last night."

POSTPONES MESSAGE ON DEBT FUNDING LAW

President Harding Will Bring Matter Forward Following Discussion With Leaders.

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, Feb. 6.—President Harding decided today to postpone until tomorrow at least his message to Congress asking for modification of the debt funding law to permit final approval of the funding settlement recently negotiated with Great Britain.

It was said at the White House that no definite time had been fixed for transmission of the president's recommendations, which generally had been expected to go forward today. It was indicated, however, that the message would be sent to the capital as soon as further conferences with leaders in the senate and house had established what form of amendment of the law would be least likely to meet with serious opposition. While admitting the probability of considerable opposition developing to the plan in both houses, administration leaders were confident today that its merits would be so revealed in discussion as to assure its approval.

What specific recommendation, if any, the president would make as between congressional approval of the settlement by specific resolution or by amendment of the debt funding act had not been indicated. Administration leaders in Congress apparently were not agreed as to which course was best.

EDMONTON PRESBYTERY FAVOR ORGANIC UNION

Canadian Press Despatch.
Edmonton, Feb. 6.—By a majority vote the members of the Presbytery of Edmonton decided yesterday to petition the General Assembly to proceed with the consummation of an organic union with the Methodist and Congregational denominations.

London's Most Beautiful

Not a girl this time, but motor cars. You'll find them at the Motor Show in the Armories all this week, the most beautiful cars in the city. Sleek, shining, luxurious limousines, chummy little roadsters, cosy coupes and the big open models—they are all there, and under the smooth enamel and glittering glass is hidden the tremendous power of combustion motors which represent the last word in engineering skill.

The Motor Show has a wider interest than that, however. It is an institution for the benefit of the city as a whole. It is based on co-operation, and that is why you are invited to "SHOP IN LONDON DURING MOTOR SHOW WEEK."

WILL URGE C. N. R. TO CONSIDER CITY AS OFFICE CENTER

Mayor and Alderman Judd Launch Campaign for District Passenger Offices.

DESIRES ALL TO WORK

Establishment of Headquarters in London Might Mean New Depot.

Mayor Wenige and Ald. Albert Judd, chairman of the finance committee, today launched a campaign to induce the Canadian National Railroad to establish district passenger offices in London. It has been reported recently that a change from Toronto is under contemplation.

His worship is taking the question up with Frank White, M. P. for London, at his earliest opportunity, while Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, M. P. P. will be also asked to exert whatever influence he can in this direction.

Ald. Judd brought this to the attention of the mayor this morning, and his worship agreed that no opportunity should be allowed to pass whereby anything that would benefit London, directly or indirectly, could be gained.

"If these changes are made as I understand," Ald. Judd reasoned, "I think that we should not stand idle and allow St. Thomas, Stratford, or other centers take anything that we might be able to have, if we merely expect ourselves."

Mayor Wenige is asking all civic organizations to enter the fight, and the Labor party, the two political parties, the Trades and Labor Council, etc., will be requested to consider the proposition and also lend their support by petition if possible.

"Let's get this under way today then," Mayor Wenige advised. The advertisement, "We have already asked Sir Henry Thornton, the president of the lines, to come to London, and after a favorable consideration by the council, I will move that the entire council, if need be, comprise a deputation to wait upon him in this respect."

During Sir Henry's visit here there will be a mass meeting of district workers of the Canadian National, at which Mayor Wenige will attend and urge them to use what influence they can.

"Let's get everyone working for this," he said. "No one is barred." Ald. Judd voiced the suggestion that in the event that the Canadian National should establish additional offices in London, it might lead to the construction of a new depot within a reasonable length of time.

Both Mayor Wenige and Ald. Judd sense the immense value to be derived from the change.

AMERICA OBJECTS TO REPRESENTATION FROM THE LEAGUE

Disfavors Sending of League Envoy to Pan-American Congress.

IDEA IS ABANDONED

Journal Points Out Danger of United States Hegemony.

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Paris, Feb. 6.—From a reliable Latin-American source the writer learns that the American Government, through one of its principal European ambassadors, has informed the League of Nations that the presence of representatives of this international organization at the Pan-American Congress in Chile in March would be viewed with disfavor by the United States.

On the initiative of the Latin-American states the League Assembly voted last September to place its technical services at the disposition of the forthcoming congress.

Owing to the opposition of the United States, the League will not be represented officially at Santiago, but the Chilean, Augustine Edwards, President of the last League Assembly, will perhaps be a member of the Chilean delegation to Santiago.

The semi-official organ, *France-Amérique*, in its publications, has been pointing out the dangers of United States hegemony over Latin America. Emphasis is placed on the fact that Mexico, Bolivia and Peru refused to attend the Santiago meeting because of the popular antagonism between Brazil and the Argentine republic over the Martin Garcia stand. The strategic key to the river, it has been fully explained and the admission of Canada to the Pan-American union as a useful counter-poise to the United States hegemony has been urged.

FIVE PEOPLE INJURED IN BIG TRAIN WRECK

Fireman of Passenger Train Will Likely Succumb to Hurts.

Associated Press Despatch.
Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 6.—Five persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, in a wreck on the Big Four Railway near St. Marys, 6 miles west of here, when passenger train No. 46, eastbound, St. Louis to New York, struck an open switch on the tracks. McDonnab, fireman, will likely die.

DISAPPROVE LECTURE, FASCISTI BEAT CROWD

Anti-Jew Body Attack Audience, Beating and Trampling Many.

Associated Press Despatch.
Vienna, Feb. 6.—Disapproving of a lecture by Professor Hirschfeld, a German pathologist, 300 alleged anti-Semitic Fascisti set fire yesterday to the Knozenthau hall, in which the lecture was being delivered. Then, as the panic-stricken audience emerged, the Fascisti are alleged to have attacked them, thrashing, stabbing and trampling many. Thirty-five arrests were made.

Bennett Has Long Municipal Training

Mentioned for Position of London Assessment Commissioner.

Harry Bennett, who is likely to be the successor to Stephen Grant as assessment commissioner, has been more than sixteen years in the city employ. He served five years in City Clerk Baker's office and was transferred to the assessment office, when Arthur Jolly resigned. He has been an outside assessor and since was general supervisor of the office activities.

He enlisted August 5, 1915, and served in France with the 1st Canadian Infantry battalion, returning home in April, 1919.

ASK CIVIC DEPARTMENTS FOR LIST OF EMPLOYEES

All civic departments, including the public utilities commission and the board of education will be requested by Mayor Wenige and the city council to furnish a list of their employees and salaries, to be incorporated in the municipal year book. This accedes to a request from the Real Estate Owners' Association.

SUPREME COURT MINUS SEVEN OF ITS JUDGES

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 6.—The supreme court of Ontario is now without the service of seven of its justices. Justice Latchford was taken ill today and it is feared that he has a serious attack of grippe. Justices Lennox and Kelly are also indisposed and Sir William Mulock, chief justice of the exchequer division is ill with appendicitis. Justices Riddell and McLachlan are on leave of absence.

"CANNOT BE DONE," SAYS CHAS. CURRIE OF THE BUS PROJECT

Chief of Street Railway Declares Mayor's Estimates Too Small.

WILL TAKE MILLION

Cleveland Magnate Claims that Street Railway Has Lived Up To Bylaw.

Harry Bennett.

Here is the logical choice for the successor to Stephen Grant, who was superannuated last night, by the city council. To The Advertiser Mayor Wenige stated that Mr. Bennett's likelihood of appointment inasmuch as he is concerned, are excellent.

MARSHAL BEGINS INVESTIGATION OF INCENDIARY FIRES

Will Look Over Ground Carefully Before Issuing a Statement.

NEED INFORMATION

Provincial Chief To Spare No Expense in Probing Fire Causes.

E. P. Heaton, the provincial fire marshal, is in London. He came this morning, and along with his two deputies, E. D. Jordan and R. E. Dingle, is starting at once upon an investigation of the many incendiary or supposedly incendiary fires that have occurred in this city since July.

"I will be unable to issue any statement until I have looked the ground over carefully," Mr. Heaton said to The Advertiser. In the last epidemic of fires was in Brantford two years ago," he continued, "but they seemed to die out after it was known our department was conducting an investigation."

"I am here to size up the situation and direct activities, but as yet have no definite idea as to just how things stand. We intend to start our investigation by looking into the city records of each fire, and all other possible sources of information."

"I have two men assisting me at present, but if this number is found to be insufficient I will call upon as many more as is necessary. The department will spare no expense in time or men in an endeavor to sift this matter to the bottom. We are going to do everything that is humanly possible to clear up the question and stop the occurrence of so many disastrous conflagrations."

"As soon as I have made inquiries and obtained some definite idea of the situation I shall make a statement to the newspaper."

Since July, 1922, there have been six fires in London which showed indications of having been started by an incendiary, and six more are strongly suspected of being such, according to Fire Chief Aitken.

"FLU" CLAIMS SEVEN NEW YORK CITIZENS

Forty Reported To Have Died From Pneumonia Yesterday.

Special to The Advertiser.
New York, Feb. 6.—Three hundred and twenty cases of influenza and 106 cases of pneumonia were reported to the health department here yesterday. It was announced today there were seven influenza deaths and forty from pneumonia.

"While the figures do not give evidence of an epidemic, the situation is becoming serious," said Health Commissioner Copeland. "Many complaints of lack of coal have reached me. This makes it more serious."

FRENCH SOCIALIST PARTY URGES LEAGUE TO ACT

Associated Press Despatch.
Lille, France, Feb. 6.—The congress of the French Socialist party, in which British, German, Belgian and Italian Socialist leaders also are participating here, has addressed an open letter to the League of Nations, declaring it the league's duty to attempt to settle the reparations question.

TWO CONSTABLES KILLED WHEN POLICE CAR SKIDS

Associated Press Despatch.
St. Paul, Feb. 6.—Two St. Paul policemen were killed and four others persons were injured, two critically, when a speeding police car skidded on the icy street and crashed into a millinery shop in the residential section. The front of the building collapsed when the police car struck it.

THE WEATHER

Tuesday—Easterly winds, decidedly cold with light local snows. Wednesday—Easterly winds, cold with light snows.

Pressure is now higher to the northward of the Great Lakes and in the Western Provinces. The weather continues very cold from Manitoba to the Maritime Provinces and comparatively mild in Alberta.

Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	42	32	Cloudy
Calgary	42	32	Fair
Winnipeg	42	32	Clear
Port Arthur	42	32	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	42	32	Clear
Toronto	42	32	Cloudy
Kingston	42	32	Cloudy
Ottawa	42	32	Fair
Montreal	42	32	Cloudy
Quebec	42	32	Clear
St. John	42	32	Clear
Halifax	42	32	Clear

(—) Below zero.
LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 15; lowest, zero. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 10; lowest, 1 below.

Barometric Readings.
Monday—29.75.
Today—29.60.