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#### URGE PEACE WITH SOVIETS.

LONDON, Jan. 29. Complete and immediate peace for Soviet Russia is declared necessary in a manifesto signed by eighteen prominent labor leaders, including John Robert Clynes, former Food Controller, James Henry Thomas, General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen and William Brace, miner's leader.

#### IS IT TREACHERY?

LONDON, Jan. 29. Admiral Kolchak's surrender to Siberian revolutionists was authorized by General Janin of the French army, who was placed in command of all the Allied troops west of Irkutsk, on January 9th by Kolchak's order, said a Harbin Despatch to the Daily Mail. A profound sensation was caused throughout the Far East by the report that Kolchak had given up, says the message which was filed at Harbin on Monday, and one Russian General has challenged General Janin to a duel, which officers under the command of General Semenov, have formed a league, the slogan of which is "Have Janin's Blood."

#### ANOTHER MINERS' STRIKE THREATENING.

LONDON, Jan. 29. A note that a national strike of miners is possible within a short period was given by Frank Hodges, one of the miners' leaders in the course of the meeting held here by the members' Federation to-day to consider its dealings with the Government.

#### AWAITING FIGURES.

LONDON, Jan. 29. Compliance with Premier Lloyd George's request that they postpone any further action was decided upon by the miners' delegates at a conference this morning. The delegates had asked that the government reduce immediately the price of industrial and export coal and proceed with the limitation of coal owners' profits, and take steps to reduce the price of food and clothing to a reasonable basis the alternative being a threat by the miners to demand immediately an all round increase in wages amounting to five shillings daily. The postponement agreed to by the miners was for the period of one week in order to allow

chartered accounts sufficient time to report regarding figures.

#### FLU ON ATLANTIC LINER.

PLYMOUTH, Eng., Jan. 29. Influenza raged on board the Cunard steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, during the passage here from New York whence she sailed on Jan. 17. The steamer arrived here to-day, 24 hours late, because of encountering a hurricane. There were sixty cases of influenza among the passengers and crew; three of the patients developing pneumonia of which one third class passenger died last night. It was declared on the steamer that sailing "dry" hampered the surgeons in fighting the diseases. A supply of spirits and medical stores was taken on board before the steamer proceeded for Cherbourg and Liverpool.

#### SPAIN PROTESTS.

MADRID, Jan. 29. The Spanish Government officially confirms its refusal to assent to the appointment of Dr. Rosen as German Minister of Madrid.

#### LETTER ATTRIBUTED TO EX-KAISER INVENTION.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 29. Telegraphing to the Amsterdam Handelsblad, General Von Conland, adjutant to former Emperor William of Germany, declares that the widely printed letter purporting to have been sent by William Hohenzollern from Amerongen to Prince Furstenberg saying that the former Emperor had no desire to return to Germany as he felt he had been deceived even by officers of the German high command was an invention in its entirety.

#### ITALIAN RAILWAY DISPUTE ENDED.

LONDON, Jan. 29. An agreement on all the principal points at Rome has been reached between the Italian cabinet and leaders of the striking railwaymen, according to a Central News despatch from Rome under yesterday's date. It is expected that the strikers will return to work immediately, the message adds.

#### NO RELIEF FOR MAGDALENES UNLESS WEATHER MODERATES.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29. Prospects of getting relief to Magdalen Islands seems very remote unless weather conditions moderate to

a very considerable extent. The Government ice breaker, Montcalm, is still stuck in the ice between the mainland and the islands. Advice received by the Marine department indicate that she is making no progress; she has been in that situation several days.

#### LUMBER JOINS THE PROCESSION.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29. A general advance ranging from 5 to 12 dollars per thousand feet has taken place in Ottawa lumber during the past few days and prospects are that prices will still go higher before the spring months.

#### FAVOURS PROHIBITION IN BRITAIN.

PLYMOUTH, Eng., Jan. 29. Lord Leverhulme, British manufacturer, who arrived here to-day on the steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria from a visit of two months in the United States declares himself to interviewers as in favor of the adoption of prohibition in Great Britain, throughout which, he said, enough could be saved to pay Britain's indebtedness to the United States within 5 years.

#### INVESTIGATION DEMANDED.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29. A special despatch to the Gazette, from Washington, says, "Announcing he would prove his charges by submitting official reports that a number of the transports now at sea are unsafe, and that unless some change is made immediately, shipwreck at sea will open the eyes of not only the War Department but of the world." Representative Britton, Republican of Illinois, to-day again demanded investigation of army transports and particularly the Powhattan.

#### BOSTON FISHERMEN TO STRIKE.

BOSTON, Jan. 29. A fish famine is declared to be imminent if the threatened strike of fishermen and fish handlers becomes effective. The strike which impends, it is stated, is in connection with demands that the fish business be conducted on a closed shop basis with an eight hour day and increased wages.

#### SARDINE FISHERY FAILURE.

BREST, Jan. 29. Such havoc has been wrought in the sardine fisheries off the coast of Brittany by shoals of porpoises that the fishermen have appealed to the French Ministry of Marine for relief.

#### O. B. U. AIDS STRIKERS.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 29. Two hundred dollars to aid striking One Big Union miners at Prince Rupert was voted at the One Big Union convention to-day. Work in connection with the readjustment of the organization's constitution was proceeded with.

#### EXPLAINS SHORTAGE 1918 CATCH.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29. Ravages of German submarines are blamed in a degree for the decrease in the 1918 fish catch, according to the report of the fisheries branch of the Naval Department. The report states that several Lunenburg County vessels, a Yarmouth County vessel and a Halifax steam trawler were victims of the U-boats.

#### HOLLAND AND ARMENIA'S MANDATE.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 29. Government officials informed the Associated Press yesterday that they had never been approached on the question of the mandate of Armenia. They added that it was highly improbable that such a mandate would be accepted, if it were offered.

#### ANOTHER C. P. R. WRECK.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 29. The Kettle Valley express of the Canadian Pacific Railway, due here at 11 o'clock last night, was wrecked fifty miles east of here this morning. Reports indicate that all the passengers and crew escaped injury. The train ran into a mud slide east of Port Henry station, the locomotive and five

of the coaches being thrown off the rails into a ditch.

#### GOMPERS CONDEMNS BOLSHEVISM.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29. Writing in the current number of the Federationist, official organ of the American Federation of Labor, Samuel Gompers condemns the Bolsheviks "completely, finally and for all time."

#### YUDENDITCH ARRESTED.

LONDON, Jan. 29. Reports have been received here from Revel that General Nicholas Yudenditch, commander of the Russian northwest army which was badly broken in last fall's unsuccessful drive for Petrograd has been placed under arrest.

#### HUNGARY WILL BE A MONARCHY.

BUDAPEST, Jan. 29. Hungary will be a monarchy and the new king will be chosen immediately after the national assembly convenes on February 16th, said Premier Huszar speaking at a women's gathering yesterday. He added that it would be premature to mention the names of those considered for to-day. The Premier's words were greeted with enthusiasm.

#### OPPOSE RELATIONS WITH VATICAN.

PARIS, Jan. 29. The resumption of diplomatic relations between France and the Vatican is opposed by Anatole France who asserts in an article printed in La Lanterne that "dissolution of bonds some years ago came as a logical crowning of a long struggle waged against the papacy."

#### SINN FEIN LOSING GROUND.

LONDON, Jan. 29. The Sinn Fein is losing ground in consequence of recent municipal elections, having given in for the first time to administrative responsibility for local affairs, according to the Daily Mail's correspondent.

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#### Many Brilliant Stars at the End of the Year

It is seldom, writes an astronomical correspondent, that so many brilliant stars are on view as may be seen during the next few weeks, and particularly at Christmas time. The four bright planets, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, will be visible in the morning sky and Mercury will appear for about a fortnight after the middle of the month in the morning twilight. Venus will be the most brilliant of them all, and will rise at about 4 a.m., when Jupiter (not much

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#### Hard Times.

Yesterday, for the first time in five years, application was made to the police authorities, for assistance by families in destitution. One application was from a widow with five children. She is ill and has neither fuel nor food. The other was from the wife of a shipwright, who has three children, and whose husband is in one of the public institutions. Head Constable Byrne is looking after the unfortunate people and would be pleased with assistance from any charitably disposed persons.

LAST NIGHT'S FROST.—The thermometer registered 3 below at 11 o'clock in the city last night. It stood at 10 below at Bishop's Falls, -20 at Lewisporte and 15 at the Gaff Topsails.

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