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SAYS TRESS GRP THE UNITED STATES

La Follette Sounds Warning Note

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Mercy

Can Fix Prices of Necessaries of Life and Give or Withhold Credit to Business Men Through Their Control of the Banks—Have Hand in Appointment of Judges and Select Candidates for President.

Associated Press
Cleveland, Dec. 29.—Senator Robert M. La Follette opened the speaking campaign for a platform, here last night with an assault on the supreme court, an attack on the Republican national committee, an arraignment of the trusts and an announcement of his ideas for the cure of evils resulting from the present system of government.

The criticism of the supreme court was the most bitter yet heard from the Wisconsin senator. It was predicated on the recent rulings of the court in the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases. "The rule of reason" he denounced as a "profane revolution in the position of the courts."
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MAN, HOPELESS, OFFERS TO QUIT

China's Premier Has Warm Conference With Manchu Rulers

MUST HAVE MONEY

Tells Dowager Empress and Imperial Princes That He Could Hold Part of the Empire if They Would Provide Funds to Pay the Soldiers, but They Decline to Contribute.

Canadian Press
Peking, Dec. 29.—The assembly in the palace today to discuss affairs connected with a settlement of the revolution was productive of at least one dramatic incident. The Dowager Empress, the Premier, Yuan Shi Kai, and the princes of the imperial clan were present, and the debate waxed so warm that finally Yuan Shi Kai arose and offered his resignation. This, however, was refused.

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PERSIAN SITUATION LOOKS MORE SERIOUS

Russia Will Take Charge

Britain is Not Likely to Interfere—Wounded English Consul Has Been Found and an Apology Has Been Tendered Him for Tribesmen's Attack.

Canadian Press
Tehran, Dec. 28.—The British consul, W. A. Smart, who was wounded in an engagement between his Indian escort and 800 Khasi tribesmen, is safe, having been brought from a caravanserai, where he received medical attention, to Kazeroon. The Persian foreign minister today called on the British minister and expressed deep regret on behalf of the regiment and government for the incident.

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RUSSIA LIKELY TO OCCUPY MONGOLIA

Calls on China to Restore Order, Which She is Unable to Do—Independence Has Been Proclaimed and Protection of Czar Has Been Asked—Britain and Japan Are Watching Events Sharply.

Canadian Press
Peking, Dec. 28.—In response to a direct request of the Russian government, handed to the Chinese foreign office by the Russian chargé d'affaires today, that China should promptly resume control of Mongolia, the Chinese government declared its inability to comply at the present moment.

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TO BAR PUBLIC FROM RICHESON'S TRIAL

HOW THE PACKERS CONCEAL PROFITS

Form Subsidiary Companies to Handle By-Products of Plants

ENORMOUS EARNINGS
Two Concerns With Nominal Capital Made About \$4,000,000 Each Yearly—Counsel for Indicted Men Fight Hard to Keep This Testimony Out.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Objections by counsel for the defense to evidence which the government seeks to introduce regarding the operations of the Kenwood Company and the Aetna Trading Company halted the packers trial today, and caused Judge Carpenter to excuse the jury pending the hearing of legal arguments.

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SHORT COURSE IN AGRICULTURE

The provincial department of agriculture has issued the following:
Every progressive farmer in New Brunswick should remember that the free short course of instruction at the Truro Agricultural College, opens on Tuesday, Jan. 2, continuing for two weeks, when experts conversant with farm conditions in all maritime provinces, will give the latest and best information on the selection, feeding, and care of different breeds of farm live stock, on fruit growing, on soil cultivation and seed selection, on the provincial department of agriculture to refund the railway fares of all to take this course as a special inducement for New Brunswickers to attend.

ANDOVER NEWS

Andover, N. B., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Thomas Kelly, of St. John, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kelly, at the home of Miss Davis, principal of the Andover annual school, left on Wednesday afternoon to spend the Christmas vacation at her home in Andover.

GERMANY RESENTS UNITED STATES' FAVORS TO CANADA

Refuses to Accord American Exporters Reduced Duties on Steel and Rubber.
Washington, Dec. 28.—American pulp and paper manufacturers are bringing pressure to bear upon President Taft to induce him to refuse to yield to the demand of certain European governments for the free admission of their pulp and paper on terms of equality with the Canadian product.

ACCIDENT DELAYS MARITIME EXPRESS

Slight Collision in Moncton Yard Damages Engine—Imported Hockey Stars Practice—Organist Farewelled.

BROTHER DRANK THE FATAL DOSE

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CANADIAN PACIFIC CUTS CABLEGRAM RATES IN TWO

Montreal, Dec. 28.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraph announces that on and after Jan. 1 the company will accept and transmit via the Commercial Cable Company cablegrams written in plain language either French or English for points in the United Kingdom at half of the regular rate for an ordinary cablegram.

REBELS TIRED OF PROMISES

Shanghai, Dec. 28.—An imperial edict which was accepted by the revolutionaries, except in the most liberal form under which a republic can be established without delay, or unless it provides for the transaction of the business of the country, regardless of everything excepting its own profits.

PHILADELPHIA MAN MIXED WHISKEY AND CARBOLIC FOR HIMSELF BUT ANOTHER GOT IT AND DIED AT ONCE.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—William Witt, thirty-three years of age, was found dead in his home here early today from poison which had been prepared by his brother, John, one year older, who had intended to kill himself.

HALIFAX TAX RATE BOOSTED

Halifax, Dec. 28.—(Special)—The rate of taxation for the city of Halifax in the coming year will be two per cent. on an assessment of \$555,832, an increase of \$13,000 over last year. The previous taxation rate was 1.90 per cent.

MAIL CLERKS SAFE FROM GUILLOTINE, SAYS OFFICIAL

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—That no mail clerk in the post office service need have any fear of losing his job through political reasons, was a statement made by the post office authorities in regard to a story to the effect that some clerks from the T. & N. O. were down in Ottawa to see the department about the loss of their jobs.

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