DATE PASIDA

U. S. Senators Marking Time Before Taking Further Action on Treaty.

PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS

Washington, Jan. 6.—Disposition was evidenced by leaders of all senate factions today to await President Wilson's message to the Jackson Day dinner of Democratic leaders Thursday, before taking any further action in the German peace treaty Etuation. While mamerous individual and informal conferences continued today between senators, spokesmen of the various groups said they did not expect any "move in the senate until after President Wilson's letter is made public.

The only new development today in the treaty controversy was the inauguration of discussion between a few Democrats and "mild reservation" Republicans of modified reservations said to have been prepared by Senator Kendrick, Democrat, Wyoming. The draft of these reservations was said to have been presented to Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, and others of the mild reservation Republican group. The proposed modificacities of the mild reservation Republican group. The proposed modifications, it was said, had not been submitted to Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, acting Democratic leader; Senator Underwood of Alabama; Senator Swanson, of Virginia, or other leaders.

The mild reservation leaders it is said, were told that the Kendrick suggestions might, with modifications, form the basis of very solid Democratic support. The Kendrick reservations were reported to involve verbal changes and elimination of the preamble of the Lodge reservations and considerable changes in the Lodge reservations affecting Article X., and the voting power of the league of nations.

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Democratic leaders said they were not informed of Mr. Kendrick's reported suggestions and Republican leaders said they believed the Kendrick suggestions offered no more tangible proposals for a compromise than the many suggestions which have been recently tossed back and forth in private discussions.

DRURY DISLIKES **SAW-OFF SCHEME**

rate of representing Centre Simcoe as arranged prior to an election petition being filed by the Conservatives against the return of J. Murdock. The U.F.Q. lodged a petition protesting the seat of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson in Grenville, and at one time it was expected there would be a saw-off with Centre Simcoe. It is now understood, the second of the bylaw would have to be turned on the bylaw would in the bylaw would have to be turned on the bylaw would in the bylaw would have to be turned on the bylaw of the bylaw of

Canadian Pacific Liner

Damaged by Fire at Hongkong

in the engine-room of the Canadian Pacific liner Monteagle, in port here, on December 31, and it was with great difficulty that the flames were extinguished by the crew, it was antoday. Extensive damage is said to have been caused by the blaze and water. The Monteagle arrived here December 30 from Vancouver, B.C., via intermediate ports.

Exporting of Leather and H'des Made Easier by Federal Action

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—In view of the termination of several of the orders-in-council passed under the war mea-sures act, the control by the Canadian trade commission over the ex-portation of leather, hides and skins no longer exercised. Co1trollers of customs will now permit of the exportation of these articles as in pre-war times.

Government Cables Britain Regarding European Famine

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—(Special) — The government here has cabled the British authorities requesting information regarding the famine conditions in central Europe, and asking for a statement as to what measures are regarding the famine conditions in central Europe, and asking for a statement as to what measures are being taken to cope with them. The government will be guided by the in-The decided by the independent of the local Air Club held here last night.

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McDougall—Reeve—Jas, Darlington, redected by acclamation, and Councillors Henry Scott, Robert Tait, John Lumsden. Frank Duckworth, the latter redected by acclamation and Councillors Henry Scott, Robert Tait, John Lumsden.

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To determine the local Air Club held here last night.

PROMINENT HAMILTONIAN SHOT BY BURGLARS AT BEACH HOME

Otto W. Cooke Sustains Nasty Gash in Side - Altho Wounded He Pluckily Notifies Police, and Both

Desperadoes Are Captured.

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Woodville-Reeve-A. D. McIntyre.

Clinton-Mayor-Thos. Cottle. Reeve-

Cochrane—Ben Rothschild was elected mayor of Cochrane over his opponent, R. J. Mackay, his majority being 62. The six seats on the council will be filled by Neil McPhee, J. H. Lemaire, Dan Camieron, J. M. Rumford, H. Bissen, A. E. Eaton. The bylaw providing for exemption of taxes to a butter factory, 185 1, 169 against, was defeated, not having a two-thirds majority.

Halleybury—Council elected: F. L. Fleming, J. D. McKay, G. T. Hamilton, P. M. Fleming, R. Leheup, P. D. Boyer. The telephone bylaw was defeated, 131

Matheson-Matheson's Town Council for 1920 will consist of Mayor Dan John-son and Councillors Burman, Fred Har-beige, R. Hanbruff, J. A. Monahan, S. Little, McDonald and J. A. Monahan.

HAMILTON

Hamilton, Jan. 6.—Announcement was made at the Collegiate Institute today that all classes would be suspended for a week in order that the students may

WAS IT A HOLD-UP?

any report of the supposed robbery.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Results of Municipal Elections in From More Ontario Towns.

VOTE ON THE HYDRO

Radial Line Bylaw Passes in North Dunmfries—Close in Ancaster.

W terloo—Official returns from Centreville today confirm the unofficial reports last night of the re-election of August Janzen as reeve of Watschoo Towne'ip. The reeve was given a stiff fight for re-election by Councillor Amos Groff, who was defeated by only nine votes. Another string of election returns showing the results of the municipal contests in more Ontario cities and towns have been received. No accla-mations were reported in the return Campbellford—The mayoralty contest was very close, G. A. may defeating Marthew Mullhearn by only four votes. Reeve—clas. Davidson. Deputy reeve—j. H. Stone. water and il.n.—E. Wragge. Councillors—A. J. Myers, 346; D. F. Robertson, 334; W. S. Russell, 312; V. S. Collinson, 272; C. Palliser, 262; J. A. Irwin, 258. mations were reported in to of the second day's voting.

Hamilton.
The Hydro radial returns for An caster will not be counted until to-morrow. It is known that five out of the n.ne divisions gave majorities for the bylaw, Ancaster village and West Hamilton returning large majorities. However, it will be a very close vote.

View for Ontario

Premier.

Returns of voting on the Hydro radial bylaw in North Dumfries and township, complete this morning give a majority of 15—80 for, 65 against. The small majority is accounted for by the opposition of the district in the vicinity of Ayr, where the vote was 5 to 26 against the bylaw, all other that it is not morally sound. He is, therefore, reluctantly compelled to abandon all hope for the present at any rate of representing Centre Simcoe as arranged prior to an election. Colchester—Elections for Colchester South: Recve—W. E. Fer. is. Councillors—Arthur Martin, Orley Iler, Stanley Halstead, M. Deadppe. Fort Frances—Election results: Mayor—A. McTaggart. Councillors—A. Thompson, D. Keenshen, R. Lockhart, L. Frenctie, C. Russell, W. Fraleigh. electors believed the sum stipulated in the bylaw would have to be turned over in cash instead of being guar-

grenville, and at one time it was expected there would be a saw-off with Centre Simcoe. It is now understood, however, that the two cases will combefore the courts in due course.

It was stated on good authority at parliament buildings yesterday that Premier Drury will find a seat in Norfolk South, this having been of fered to him at the time the obstacle was placed in his way of seeking election for Centre Simcoe. Norfolk South is acceptable to the premier, and as the member-elect and the local organization are at one, coupled with the fact that no opposition will be forthcoming, the way seems perfectly clear.

East Kent Offer Remains.

The offer of J. B. Clark, member-elect for East Kent, to resign in favor of Hon. Manning Doherty, minister of suggiculture, still holds good, but as in the case of seats for the premier and Hon. W. E. Raney, attorney-general nothing definite will be arranged until the return of J. J. Morrison, sccretary of the U.F.O., from Winnipeg towards the end of this week.

The question of finding a seat for Mr. Raney is still in the vexed class. He still states that he is not worrying and that the newspapers seem more concerned than himself, but the fact remains that he will be relieved of a big burden when he can class himself among the real legislators.

Canadian Pacific Liner

St. Thomas—The most spirited contest for municipal honors for many years took place in St. Thomas. Of the two women candidates for the board of education, Miss Eva McCully was elected, she being the first woman elected to a municipal office in this city. In a three-cornered fight for the mayoralty, Ali. Frank Brinkman, Pere Marquetto yarlmaster, was elected by 61 votes over Edgar E. Sanders, barrister, and 317 votes over Ald. John Handford, the candidate endorsed by labor. The aldermen elected were: Dr. Jas. D. Charles, Craven, Frand A. Lemon, W. A. McIntyre, Mathew H. Penhale, Geo. E. Hill, Angus Taylor, Colin A. Walker, Clas. S. Butler, Patrick Meehan and John Lake. a week in order that the students may be vaccinated.

Central Branch G.W.V.A. held its annual meeting today and elected officers.

L. H. Cooke was elected president. Delerates were also appointed to the Dominion and provincial conventions. Thelerates of various municipalities will meet in Hamilton on Friday to arrange for a deputation to interview the Ontario government in regard to the Niagara to Windsor highway proposal. At the regular meeting of the Hamilton Discharged Soldiers' Association tonicht letters were read from Premier Bo den and the military council.

Elect cases were up for trial in the creminal court today.

Ottawa—The property owners of Ottawa decided yesterday not to inaugurate tax reform in Ottawa. By a vote of 4757 to 1597, those entitled to vote on this question defeated the proposal to exempt buildings, improvements, business assessments and incomes from taxes, and, with the exception of water and school rates, to gradually transfer the burden of taxation to land values In every ward there were majorities against the bylaw. Majorities of two to one or more were recorded in almost every ward, in some the majority against being almost five to one. Only property owners were entitled to vote on this question.

Bobcaygeon-Reeve-W. C. Moore,

YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

FIRE IN TODMORDEN

Two Stores and Dwelling Burnt to Ground—Falling Leve Wires Menace Fireman.

plent which is being erected here was the cause of another spirited election causes here yesterday when R. Reese Hall, M.L.A. who has occupied the agyor's chair for the past year, was opposed by Councillor A. McCallum and former Ccuncillor S. David Gillesple, and was again elected by a plurality of 87, his total vote being almost equal that of both his opponents. The council elect is; E. Lipscombe, Geo. Fawcett, W. Went, H. F. M. Quire, A. R. Jackson, John Perks. present unknown.

NO HOLD UP OCCURRED

The rumor regarding a hold-up by armed motor bandits on Don Mills rd., whi h has gained current in the Todmorden district recently has no foundation in fact according to the statement of the police officials, who point out that the Todmorden section is the best patrolled section in the eastern portion of York township.

May Lethtridge, aged 15, 141 Gow-an ave., Todmorden, who disappeared from her home on Dec. 12, has not yet been heard from and much anx-iety has been caused her parents.

MISSIONARY FILLS PULPIT.

from his charge of Todmerden Baptist Church to the pastorate of St. John's Church, the vacant pulpit has been supplied by various ministers.

On Sunday evening last Rev. J. Davis, returned, missionary from Africa, gave an interesting account of the work of the Baptist missions on that continent.

VISITOR WAS CELEBRANT. Rev. J. Bennett, Cl.ffside, N.J., dis-

the s o clock mass yesterday morning at the Feast of the Epiphany, at Holy Name Church, Danforth worth.

Council this year. Tuesday he and John Ough, who were tied for sixth place on the board, after the votes were counted Monday night, tossed for the honors, Mr. Campbell winning. Town Clerk Ogorman, as returning officer, confirmed the decision.

7 and 8 a.m. in Holy Name Courch, Danforth avenue, were thronged with members of the congregation, and space cal cohections were taken up for the African missions which have languished during the years of the great way.

IMPROVEMENTS DEFERRED

Norway, have been temporarily laid over on account of the national interchurch movement at present in progress, according to the statement of Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed, rector.

G.T.R. AGENT RETIRES.

G. T. Waugh, former agent of the Grand Trunk Railway at York Station, retired on December 31, after 36 years' service with the company. On Monday evening last he was presented with a handsome club bag by the members of his staff as a token of their esteem. Mr. and Mrs. Waugh leave this week for California.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Druggists refund money if PAZO OINT-MENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleed-ing or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation, Soothes and Heais. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

EMPOWER TO STOP NEWSPRINT EXPORT

Ottawa Order Gives Minister of Customs Right to Can-

cel Licenses.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—(Canadian Press.)

The minister of customs is empowered, under an order-in-council signed today by the governor-general-in-council, to refuse licenses for the ex-port of newsprint paper from Canada, Claiming he had been robbed of \$150 in money and a Victory bond worth \$100, a man approached H. W. Milock of Danforth avenue, last night and asked Mulock if he had seen two men R. A. Pringle, K.C. the product of any mill which has re-fused or is refusing to comply with any order of the controller of paper,

run across a field. Mulock remem-Another order-in-council gives the paper controller power to requisition bered seeing two men running along Danforth and before he could direct and distribute to Canadian newspaper the excited man to the police station he ran on. The police of Main street station reported at one o'clock this morning that they had not received publishers any quantity of newspr paper which any manufacturer has re-fused, neglected or failed to deliver to such publishers at the order of the paper controller. The controlle given the right to enter any premises

Port Co'borne.—Mary Jane Rae, wife of John C. Jordan, custom broker, deed suddenly vesterday morning of beart failure. She is survived by her husband, two daughters. Miss Blanche at home. Mrs. Harry faev, and one son Rae. Sydney. N.S.—Bread prices here are to advance two cents per loaf, commencing, during the present week, according to leading bakers. They blame the higher prices upon a recent advance in the price by the paper controller. requisitioned, such price being fixed by the paper controller.

Waterloo At the inaugural meeting of the Waterloo water and light commission, Mr. A. Bauer was re-elected chairCELEBRATE NEW YEAR

Unionville Presbyterian Church Holds Annual Concert and General Festivities.

Sgt.-Major J. McNamara, D.C.M., M.L.A., addressing a well attended meeting of the Riverdale branch U. V. L. in Rhodes avenue Presbyterian Churca recently stated that he is strongly opposed to universal military service and gave reasons why he objected to the scheme.

The speaker's remarks seemed to meet with the approval of the audience. J. Harry Flynn and others also spoke.

MUNDER WARKANI

IN MICHIGAN CASE

Cousin of Victim's Wife is Accused of Shooting

Stanley Brown.

HOUSE DEMAND BRISK

The demand for rouses in the east end of the city is still as brisk as every for twenty up-to-date detached residences of the bungalow type on Linsmore crescent eleven were sold before the work of excavation commenced, at prices ranging from \$5800 and up-wards.

Constable Murray was fined a day's pay yesterday morning, for not discovering a store on his teat had been covering a store on his teat had been covering a store. Several weeks ago the Owl Drug store, 970 East Queen street, was entered. Thieves broke a back door open and to discover the theft the officer would have to have

CHILDREN BACK AT SCHOOL

The contemplated improvements and east end public schools were reported Norway, have been temporarily laid.

Owing to the lifting of the vaccintum.

Vancouver, Jan. 6.—Sawing thrutum in two iron bars guarding a cell corridor window and sliding down a rope made of blankets, John Vitch, charged yesterday.

The unvaccinated children returned

ARMENIAN TROOPS SCORE BIG VICTORY

In Four-Day Battle, Defeat Army of Tartars, Kurds and Turks.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANT PASTOR request of Attorney-General Alex. J.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANT PASTOR

Rev. Thomas A. Rodger, at present in charge of Rev. Dr. Pringle's work at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Sydney, N.S., will take over the duties of assistant pastor on the 1st Sunday, in February for six months at St. John's Presbyterian Church, Broadview ave., of which Rev. J. McP. Scott is pastor.

The new minister is well known to Torondo congregations, having formerly resided in this city.

The annual congregational meeting in connection with St. John's Presbyterian Church, Broadview avenue, will take place on Wednesday, 14th January. Rev. J. McP. Scott, minister, will preside.

RIVERDALE G. W. V. A. TREE

Riverdale branch G. W. V. A. Christmas tree and entertainment for Soldiers will be held in St Barnabas' Parish Hall, corner of Dan'orth and Mampton avenues today. Mayor Church and members of the board of control are expected to be present.

HOUSE DEMAND BRISK

Mt. Clemens. Mich., Jan. 6.—At the request of Attorney-General Alex. J. Groesbeck, who headed the special grand jury investigation into the slaying trand jury investigation into the slaying trand jury investigation into the slaying two weeks ago of J. Stanley Brown, a warrant was issued today for Lloyd Prevost, a cousin of Brown's widow, charging first degree murder. Prevost has been in custody without a warrant since last week.

According to the authorities, their investigation has uncovered circumstantial evidence which completely upsets Prevost's alibi. The evidence also promises, the officers stated, to investigation has uncovered circumstantial evidence which completely upsets Prevost's alibi. The evidence also promises, the officers stated, to investigation has uncovered circumstantial evidence which completely upsets Prevost's alibi. The evidence also promises, the officers stated, to investigation has uncovered circumstantial evidence which completely upsets Prevost's alibi. The evidence also promises, the officers stated, to investigation in the fed authorities. Prevost as a second man later.

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CONSTABLE FINED

It is expected that 200 houses will be erected in the early spring on vacant property east of Greenwood ave. a coording to the report of John Mac-Lean, Danforth avenue.

From Vancouver Prison

The unvaccinated children returned to their various schools and were admitted. Yesterday being the feast of the Epiphany, the day was observed as a holiday by the separate schools, which were closed all day.

Great January Reduction

HE following list of bargains, at prices that cannot be dupli-cated in the city. The largest sale of the year. Special Sale of Taupe Wolf Sets at a very great reduction. Neckpieces from \$15.00 to \$65.00.

Muffs to match, from \$15.00 Black Siberian Wolf Sets—searf and muff—reduced from \$22.50 to \$13.50 per set.

Special Sale of Black Fox Sets, beautiful glossy skins, Reduced from \$110.00 to

Several Sets of White Alaska Sable, a better wearing fur than White Fox. Regular price, \$75.00. Sale price, \$40.00.

A great bargain.

Children's Fur Coats, to fit from 2 to 7 years. Made from a variety of furs—Muskrat, Hamster, Squirrel, Coney, etc. Prices from \$19.85 to \$65.00.

Ladies' Fur Neck Pieces in Sable, Grey Opossum, Grey Squirrel, Lynx, Fitch, Fox, Mole and Wolf. Reduced prices, \$13.50 to \$95.00.

All-Winter Millinery, including Velour Pattern Hats and a variety of high-class models, all reduced in price.

All-Wool Sweeter Coats and Pull-Overs. Regular price, \$13.50. Safe price, \$6,50. Blouses, \$1.95 to \$22.50. All our Stock of Ladies'

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INJURED SLEIGHING.

Harold Boundy, aged 20, of 446 Crawford street, had his thigh fractured yesterday in a bolb sleigh accident on the High Park slides. Boundy was removed to the General Hospital.

HYDRO Power Shortage

The capacity of the generating plants at Niagara Falls, available to the Commission for supplying the power and lighting demands in the Niagara district, has reached its limit, which has necessitated the Commission limiting the amounts of power that can be supplied to the Municipalities in the Niagara district.

The power shortage during the winter months is greatly increased by the overlapping of lighting and power loads, by the extensive use of electric heaters, and also at times on account of the blocking by ice of the water supply to the generating plants.

The Commission are asking the co-operation of every Hydro user, whether domestic or industrial, to assist them in conserving power and light in every possible way in order that an uninterrupted service may be maintained, until a further supply of power is obtained for this system.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER COMMISSION OF ONTARIO

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