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Detroit, Michigan.—"My troubles were severe pains in my back and terrible bearing-down pains in my right side, also headaches and sleepless nights. I first began having troubles when I was 15, and they have increased as I grew older. A little booklet was left at my door, and I read what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women and decided to try it. After the first week I could go to sleep every night and I stopped having that nervous feeling and got a better appetite. The doctor had always said that an operation was the only thing that would help me, but I never had any faith in an operation. Since the Vegetable Compound has started helping me I do not suffer the severe pains, feel stronger, and am able to do my own work. I am more than glad to tell my friends that it helps where other medicines have failed."

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Slayer Pays Penalty For Murder of Wife

Utah Man Executed by Firing Squad at Sunrise Friday

Universal Service
Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 18.—Five men concealed behind a curtain in the state prison yards Friday morning poked five rifles through as many holes in that curtain, aimed at a little target pinned over the heart of Omer R. Woods, and ratified the vengeance of the law. Woods had exiated the murder of his wife, Marietta, in a down town apartment house two years ago.

The doomed man met his death calmly. "In a few minutes I will be in eternity," he said, just before he was strapped to the death chair: "I will meet my God and He will say that I am innocent. And my wife will welcome me with outstretched arms."

Then he walked out to meet the rifles, sat down on the chair, suffered himself to be pinned and awaited the end. Just as the sun peeped above the Wasatch mountains back of the grim prison, without any evidence of breakdown.

JOHNSON FLAYS FOREIGN POLICY

Says People Have Right to Know What's Going On

Universal Service.
Chicago, Jan. 18.—Senator Hiram Johnson opened his presidential campaign in Illinois Friday night.

The California senator addressed two large meetings.

In his speech Senator Johnson attacked the administration's tax reduction plan, declaring it to be a "blind to obscure issues and benefit the wealthy."

And of the administration's foreign policy he said:

"The American people today do not know what is the foreign policy of our government, and I have no hesitation in saying it is their right to know that foreign policy. It may be we do not know our foreign policy because we have none, but even the fact that we have none, the American people have the right to know. A foreign policy, which in words, according to the late presidential message says: 'We attend to our own affairs,' and which in deeds attends to the affairs, not only of our neighboring nations, but the nations in Europe as well; a foreign policy toward Russia which, in the presidential message, holds out a welcoming hand, and through the secretary of state, turns it back; a foreign policy that denies activity upon the reparations commission abroad, and then indirectly participates in that reparations commission; a foreign policy which says the League of Nations is a closed incident, and then attempts to take us into a part of the league; a foreign policy which speaks against permanent political alliances, and then practically allies us with existing powers upon this hemisphere, constitutes a record of foreign policy which needs the obscuring sheen of a tax reduction scheme."

Senator Johnson declared that the government overtaxed the people last year and finds itself with a surplus on hand of \$850,000,000.

Recall Order To Cut Express Rate

I. C. C. Temporarily Vacates Mandate on Food Prices

Washington, Jan. 18.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today temporarily held up its recent decision ordering a reduction in express rates on foods.

The reductions which were to have been effective February 21, were postponed to an indefinite period. They ranged up to 11 per cent, and were ordered after an investigation by the commission into the methods of making express charges.

Express companies also have been ordered to change slightly the method of fixing rates, and this section of the decision was not affected by today's action.

Minister Sends Another Sharp Note to Chinese

Peking, Jan. 18.—(U. P.)—Citing six attacks upon American missionaries in China within 60 days, American Minister Schurman Friday intimated that if the Peking government cannot protect the rights of foreigners, the powers involved will be obliged to take action.

Addressing the American association, Schurman insisted the attitude of the United States towards China was friendly but that it was not incompatible with friendliness to insist that the Peking government recognize and fulfill its treaty obligations to protect American lives and property.

Newton D. Baker Denies Presidential Longings

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 18.—(U. P.)—Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war under the Wilson administration, denied dispatches from Florida that he would be a presidential candidate on the democratic ticket.

Baker said the Florida dispatches were from statements by Milton Young, his secretary, while in the war department and were absolute-

EX-PREMIER SOUNDS KNELL

Fall of Baldwin Administration Now Regarded as Certainty

BY ROBERT J. PREW.
Universal Service Correspondent.
London, Jan. 17.—With the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York listening interestedly from the galleries in the house of commons Thursday evening, former Premier H. H. Asquith pronounced the doom of the Baldwin administration. From his place on the opposition benches, the former liberal leader declared:

"It is impossible for any member of the liberal party to withhold his support from the labor party's amendment to the king's address."

The Asquith pronouncement was greeted with tremendous cheering from the liberal and labor benches, removing the last vestige of doubt that the Baldwin government will be overthrown in Monday's vote on the debate.

Princes Not Worried

Both princes smiled easily at this final intimation that the king of England is about to be surrounded by labor advisers.

Asquith continued: "I decline to believe that the sun will set on the power and prosperity of Britain the day that Ramsey MacDonald takes office. Labor, like other parties, will be limited by parliamentary conditions which the electors created."

He reiterated the determination of the liberals not to enter into any combination with the conservatives to obstruct the labor movement.

Labor Plans Vague

J. R. Clynes, labor, opened the debate, moving for an amendment expressing a lack of confidence in the Baldwin government. He was vague regarding the plans of the labor ministry, but he intimated that a part of the program would be to recognize the soviet government of Russia and apply new methods for working out real peace for Europe.

Clynes declared that the foreign policy of Britain is characterized by "weakness and inaction," and said:

"We can no longer merely watch and wait for American aid in making international settlements. We not only welcome such aid, but we find it essential."

An uproarious scene was staged by Scottish labor members who voiced dissatisfaction regarding the reply from the government bench and to a question about pensions.

D. Kirkwood and E. Shinwell became so violent in their denunciation that Speaker White threatened to eject them. In the excitement, Mrs. Wintringham, one of the women members, grabbed Kirkwood by the coat tails, trying to force him back into his seat. Kirkwood angrily shook her off.

Winston Churchill made a sensational statement disassociating himself from the position taken in commons by former Premier Asquith.

Mr. Churchill declared:

"The enthronement in office of a socialist government will be a serious national misfortune, such as has usually befallen great states only on the morrow of defeat in war."

Churchill advocates a joint address by the liberals and conservatives to King George pointing out the evils of a socialist government.

Ford Muscle Shoals Offer is To Stand

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 18. (U. P.)—Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals still stands and no new proposal will be made, it was learned today.

Despite the controversy between the automobile manufacturer and Secretary of War Weeks over the sale of the Gorgas power plant, Ford's original offer for Muscle Shoals never was withdrawn. A repetition of the offer is not necessary, therefore, and it is not regarded as likely that a new proposal will be made.

Ford, in his conference with President Coolidge last month is understood to have again expressed his readiness to take over Muscle Shoals.

The sale of one unit—which Ford declared an integral part of the whole Muscle Shoals scheme—is not expected to be a barrier, for it undoubtedly will be replaced if the government accepts the Ford offer.

King Albert Rides Trolley Car When Ice Stops Auto

Brussels, Jan. 17.—The streets of Brussels were a glaring mass of ice Thursday morning and were so dangerous that King Albert, driving in an automobile from Laeken castle to the palace at Brussels, was obliged to leave his car.

In the Gare du Nord he jumped aboard a trolley car, to the astonishment of the passengers, paid his fare of 6 cents, and rode the rest of his journey.

The sentry at the palace was more than surprised when a street car stopped and the king alighted and entered the palace.

Ford Buys Little Red Schoolhouse, Reported

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 18.—The little red school house where Henry Ford, half a century ago, picked up what limited "book learning" his youth yielded him has been purchased by the Detroit manufacturer.

It was not explained what Mr. Ford plans to do with the school, which has not been in use for two years.

Bandits Escape With Mail But Overlook Big Payroll

Sullivan, Ind., Jan. 18.—(U. P.)—Three bandits overpowered R. S. Daw, night operator at the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad station here early Friday and escaped with two pouches of registered mail.

Postal authorities were unable to estimate the amount of money in the pouches but they said they believed it was small.

The bandits overlooked a third pouch containing the payroll for local employes of the railroad, amounting to several thousand dollars.

The bandits were unmasked. They escaped in an automobile.

PROBE OF BLIMP FLIGHT ON TODAY

Naval Committee to Investigate Wild Voyage of Shenandoah

Universal Service
Washington, Jan. 18.—Investigation of the cause and effects of the thrilling runaway flight of the navy dirigible Shenandoah Wednesday night, when it broke from its mooring mast and rode out a 70 mile gale in a badly damaged condition, will be begun by the House naval affairs committee Saturday.

The naval committee's inquiry will be directed particularly with the view of determining the wisdom and value of the proposed flight of the Shenandoah to the north pole next spring and the ability of the giant craft successfully to negotiate the unprecedented voyage.

Secretary of the Navy Denby and Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, chief of the bureau of aeronautics of the navy department, who has been designated by the department, will appear before the committee to give the members the benefit of their knowledge and opinion.

The carrying out of plans for the polar flight may depend upon the results of the committee's inquiry and findings. There has developed some opposition to the expedition, on the ground that it unnecessarily jeopardizes the lives of the crew without any reasonable assurance that the flight can be made or that the scientific benefits will be commensurate with the risk and expense.

It may be said, however, that the majority opinion among the committeemen and members of congress seems to be that if the navy department successfully can make the long and hazardous journey and that there is no undue risk of life not found in all such exploring undertakings, and further can demonstrate the scientific value of the expedition, there will be no attempt to interfere.

PARISIANS HAVE NEW CAUSE FOR GLOOM

Universal Service
Paris, Jan. 21.—Paris gave a new sort of gasp Friday as the high cost of living hit the bars and cafes a healthy wallop.

The price of all drinks went up from 25 to 30 per cent, following the dollar in its upward climb.

Turning from the bars to the restaurants after paying the new high prices for inexcitants, the thirsty and hungry souls also discovered that all food prices had risen in the same proportions.

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Bok Will Appear Before Senate Committee Monday

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Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Edward M. Bok, promoter of the \$100,000-Bok peace plan, Friday notified the selected committee of the Senate, named Thursday to investigate League of Nations and other propaganda, that he will appear before the committee Monday.

Miss Esther Everett Lape, the only other witness thus far called, has not replied.

Bok had planned to leave his Philadelphia home Sunday night for a winter sojourn in Florida. He will stop here enroute south.

Automobile Trip Across Africa to Be Attempted

New York—In 1924, the attempt will be made to travel by auto from Alexandria in Egypt to the Cape of Good Hope, through the heart of Africa, including many sections where an automobile has never been seen. Baron Florio, a Rome (Italy) sportsman, is the originator of the idea and he will be accompanied by six other explorers. Four automobiles will be constructed especially for the trip, with special tires, etc., including equipment to cut their way through heavy undergrowth.

Pastor Third Party In Divorce Action

Rev. Mr. Case to Fight Charges Made By Chicago Husband

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Rev. Carl D. Case, pastor of the First Baptist church, of Oak Park, declared today he would fight to the utmost for vindication of his name which was brought into the divorce suit of Albert R. Leland, member of the church who testified his wife had confessed that she loved the pastor. Although the church trustees and deacons had exonerated Rev. Mr. Case of the charges, Superior Judge Foel had indicated that he would grant Leland a divorce.

Leland's father, Rev. H. C. Leland, of Dewitt, Ia., a witness for his son, said Mrs. Leland had written him a letter stating a hypothetical case involving "a friend," a married woman who had fallen in love with another man and asking if she could be forgiven and reconciled to her husband. He said he replied that the woman's misdeeds could not easily be forgiven.

HALTS MEXICAN MARCH IN U. S.

Texas' Acting Governor Wants Guarantees No Harm Will Be Done

Austin, Tex., Jan. 18.—Permission to transport Mexican federal troops across Texas was refused today by Acting Governor T. W. Davidson in a telegram to Secretary of State Hughes. Possibility of trouble with Mexican residents on the Texas border prompted the refusal, the acting governor said.

If the federal government shows that the demand for the passage of the troops is urgent and guarantees ample protection to Texas citizens, the request will be reconsidered and every effort will be made by officials of Texas to co-operate with the national authorities, according to Mr. Davidson.

President Obregon, of Mexico asked permission to transfer 2,000 Mexican federal troops across Texas between El Paso and Laredo.

Acting governor Davidson expressed himself as in hearty sympathy with any move which would bring tranquility to the republic to the south, but he pointed out the dangers of bringing Mexican troops onto Texas soil because of strong differences of opinion concerning the revolution among the Mexican citizens residing on this side of the border.

STRAINS OF VIOLIN ONLY ANESTHETIC DURING OPERATION

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(U. P.)—With only a violin for an anesthetic, Mrs. Irene Bezell, former Chicago actress, underwent a major operation for an eye growth here Friday. Dr. Henry J. Schireson, Chicago, performed the operation in the presence of newspapermen and announced it a complete success.

John Ribini, Los Angeles violinist, appearing at a Chicago theater, supplied the "musical" anesthetic.

"Strains of the violin completely deadened the pain," Mrs. Bezell declared. "I was hardly aware that my eye was being operated on."

"My mind was so absorbed by the music that only subconsciously did I realize that someone was moving about me."

La Follette May Run in N. Dakota

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 18.—A movement to place the name of Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin on the ballot at the March 18 primary in this state, as a candidate for president and announcement that two sets of Coolidge delegates to the republican convention would be in the race were important developments today in North Dakota politics.

Following conferences here with La Follette supporters, Gerald P. Nye, of Cooperstown, candidate for congressman for the second district, said that a state wide campaign would be started immediately to put Mr. La Follette's name on the ballot.

At a meeting Thursday the independent republican state central committee endorsed President Coolidge and called a state delegate convention for Bismarck on February 14, to name 13 delegates to the Cleveland convention as well as a candidate for national committeeman.

Richard Washburn Child To Quit Diplomatic Post

Rome, Jan. 17. (U. P.)—American Ambassador Richard Washburn Child announced today that he is definitely retiring in accordance with arrangements made with President Coolidge. Child will sail for New York from Cherbourg January 26.

HIRAM HAS PLAN TO GIVE BONUS

Senator Decides Both Adjusted Compensation and Tax Cut Feasible

Universal Service
Detroit, Jan. 17.—Michigan will be the chief battle ground in the fight for the republican presidential nomination, Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California declared Thursday night before an audience that packed the armory.

Admitting the "politicians and the powers" are arrayed against him, Johnson said that nevertheless he entered the contest in "highest spirits" because of his "abiding confidence in just folks, those who, after all, constitute the patriotic backbone of the nation."

Naturally every effort will be made to befool and becloud every issue, he said. The senator then launched into an attack on the so-called Mellon tax reduction plan, charging that this was being used as "a smoke screen to hide what is happening domestically and to distract attention from a wobbling foreign policy which has for its ultimate purpose, getting us into Europe's maelstrom."

Declares For Bonus

Senator Johnson challenged the convention system of selecting presidential candidates, declared for a bonus for the soldier, and demanded adequate credit for farmers.

Senator Johnson declared it his belief that the United States could pay a bonus to the soldiers and at the same time carry out an adequate tax reduction program. As proof of this statement, he called attention to the fact that several of the European nations to whom the United States had loaned considerable money, have already taken care of their war veterans.

"The tax on incomes under \$10,000 can be reduced exactly as proposed by the Mellon plan," he said, "and other reductions may be made and we can keep our promise to pay soldiers their due, a plan to which the republican party is pledged through endorsement of it by the late President Harding."

Farmer Hit Both Ways

Taking up the fight for the farmer, Senator Johnson said:

"The farmer today suffers not only from low prices but from the high cost of production. What he sells is low and what he buys is high. His dollar is below par. This is especially true of the farmer in the interior where the greatly increased freight charges stand between him and the market."

"The wheat farmer suffers most. During the war the government held down the price of wheat to a lower level than other commodities. It insisted on greatly increased acreage. The resulting overproduction has added much to the farmer's difficulties."

Conditions with him are not normal so long as he is not able to exchange his day's labor with all other kinds of labor. He is entitled to a fair wage and a reasonable return on his capital. He is not getting it."

"Credit schemes alone will not save him from bankruptcy. He must have a market for his products at a fair price."

The presidential candidate demanded a clearer knowledge of the foreign policy, declaring that the statement regarding the World Court as outlined in President Coolidge's message to congress, was an admission of futility, so far as the World Court concerned the United States.

Senator Johnson will return here in March to further his Michigan campaign.

Runaway Dirigible Safely In Hangar for Repairs

Lakehurst, N. J., January 18.—(U. P.)—The crippled Shenandoah was stored up in its 1,000 foot hangar Friday, for repairs that will fit it for the proposed flight to the north pole next summer.

The damage sustained when the huge naval dirigible twisted loose from its steel mooring mast Wednesday night and rode the storm to Staten Island and back, can be repaired within 80 days, Captain McCrary, the airship's commander, declared.

An official court of inquiry will determine the causes of the Shenandoah's runaway flight.

IOWA'S RICHEST MAN CELEBRATES 85TH BIRTHDAY AT DESK

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Frederick M. Hubbell, "the richest man in Iowa," celebrated his 85th birthday anniversary Thursday by putting in a full day's work at his desk in the Hubbell building.

Hundreds of friends and business associates flocked to his office to extend congratulations.

Hubbell is the oldest man in the United States to carry a life insurance policy, as well as the country's oldest life insurance company official. He is the founder of the Equitable Life Insurance Company of Iowa.

Banker Held on Charge Of Embezzling \$29,000

Superior, Wis., Jan. 17.—(U. P.)—D. M. Maxey, president of the Rayfield County State bank, Washburn, Wis., was arrested today on a charge of embezzling \$29,000 of the bank's funds. M. P. Sprague, president of the Northern State bank of Washburn, was arrested several weeks ago on a similar charge. The doors of both banks were closed December 5 by the state banking commissioner.

See Hope of Compromise In British Rail Strike

London, Jan. 19. (U. P.)—Eleventh hour compromises today led to probable postponement of the threatened national rail strike.

Trades union congress officials submitted to R. R. managers an offer of the engineers and firemen to defer the walkout scheduled for tomorrow if the owners would postpone wage cuts due to become effective at that time.