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# SENATORS START WITH A REDUCED LIST OF WORKERS

Begin Session With Forty-one Employes After Committee Toils for Almost Week in Making Up Roster.

CORRICK GIVEN HIS REWARD Son of Bull Moose Campaign Manager Appointed to Place by Democrats.

OMAHANS GIVEN POSITIONS

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 13. - (Special.) - The scrate now has forty-one employes upon its payroll. Seven had been appointed before to attend to the preliminaries, and after a long controversy today, during which the committee on employes submitted a report which the senators amended and added to, thirty-four more workers were put on the list. Douglas county statesmen were insistent that they be given a goodly share in the pie and it was largely due to their insistence that the changes were made. It is said they have threatened to get more employes on the list later as need arises or is made to arise when the session gets under

Two years ago the list of employes numbered seventy-eight.

Corrick Rewarded.

The first evidence given since election that the democrats recognize and appreciate the part that the bull moose party had in turning the state over to democratic control was shown this morning when in the list of appointees given cut by the senate committee the name of Pruce Corrick appeared as a clerk in that bedy.

Young Corrick is a son of Frank P. Corrick, chief engineer of the bull moose party in this state and personal representative of Colonel Roosevelt. During the ampaign charges were made that the democrats were furnishing funds to run the third party campaign, but this was strenuously dendied by Chief Corrick, Now the reward comes for faithful endeavor and Mr. Corrick is remembered for the part he took in defeating the republican state ticket by the appointment of his son to a job in the legislature.

morning by the senate committee, but which were held up because of objection raised by Senator Howell of Douglas are: raised by Senator Howell of Douglas are;

J. H. Burger, custodian of gallery; Walter Johnson, Omaha, and George Wilson,
Curtis, pages: Arthur Pearson, Morefield,
magaenger to lleutenant governor; J. H.
O'Malley, Alda, George Holmes, Omaha,
and Mr. Gillman, elerks in bill room; Elwin Vall, Seward, cerk judiciary committee; Ed Shoemaker, Sidney, and Mr. Phillips, proofreaders; clork enrolling and engrossing room. Mary Brady, Albien: stenographer, Miss. O'Grady; day watchman,
Charles Bruner, Omaha; Janitor, Isaac
Bailey; Janitor gallery, Colonel Thrasher,
Plattsmanth; clerk, J. C. Gay, Orleans;
clerk, Bruce Corrick, Rhooin; custodian,
J. M. Burger; gatekreper, D. Roberta

Report is Revised.

Later the senate committee readjusted the employe report striking out the Columbus, Miss Misen of Hastings, erything but legitimate lumber business." Bernice Owen of York and adding William Bays, A. J. Stiger and Phil Tracy, as clerks in bill room; Mrs. D. C. Craighead of Omaha, assistant to chief clerk in engrossing room; Lillian Bellford, Janette Caranaby, stenographers. Omaha; James McCloud, custodian, Omaha, and Herbert Bishop, door-

With these changes the list was author-

Jerry Howard Scores. (From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 13 .- (Special.) Representative Jerry Howard succeeded in having a letter he had written to Omaha papers put in the record this aft-Howard read the letter which was for retrenchment in state expenses. The house tabled the request, but it becomes a part of the record just the same.

#### The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Thursday For Omaha, Council Bluffe and Vicinity -Fair and colder Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.



Comparative Local Record.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Station and State Temp, High-Rein-of Weather. 7 p. m. cmi fall-heyenne, part cloudy.... 30 36 00 of Weather. The Cheyenne, part cloudy... Davenport, clear Denver, clear Denver, clear Des Moines, cloudy... Lander, part cloudy... Lander, part cloudy... Pueblo, clear Rapid City, clear Salt Lake, cloudy Santa Fe, part cloudy Sheridan, cloudy Sious, City, clear Valentine, clear Tindicates trace of indicates below see

L. A. WELSH Local Forecaster.

WAR IN WINTER TIME-Group of British soldiers in Flanders. Note the men wearing sheepskin coats.



## Other appointments announced this STATE LUMBERMEN **MEET IN CONVENTION**

Opening Session Devoted to Receiving Reports of Officers and Discussion of Credit and Cash Systems!

REPORT MANY CONSOLIDATIONS

clerk, Bruce Corrick, Bhootn; custodian, J. M. Burger: gatekeeper, J. T. Boberta, Fairfield; fimekeeper, J. T. Loury; jan ito, Harry Bradiey, Seward; bookkeeper, Gus F. Beschorner, Lincoln; stenographers, Paul Kavanaugh of Columbus, Mabel J. Fenn of Omaha, Nellie Murphy of Omaha, Iva R. Mizen of Hastings, Bernice Owen of York, Marjorie R. Welch of Lincoln, Lilliam G. Golden of O'Neillinightwatch, Joseph Burr, Nebraska City. "We should have nothing to do concern ourselves with the war no further than to declare eternal war on substitutes for good lumber, eternal war on names of Gilham, Miss Kavanaugh of the trade pirate and eternal war on ev-

Secretary E. E. Hall in his annual report charged the beginning of the little slump in business the country has experienced, to the door of tariff legisla-

tion in congress, and then admitted that the war and several other things following later, accontuated it. He arserted the revision of the Sherman antitrust law to be "the rankest piece of legislation that has been enacted for a long time," in that it exempted farmers and certain other businesses from the anti-trust provisions.

The secretary stated that there are less lumber vards in the state now than a year ago. 'The past year," he said, "has been marked by a great many busi-ness changes, many of which were consolidations, so that the agregate number of yards in the state is reduced."

talk on credits. "He has worked out a sames it with perfect honesty and with system of his own and recommends it to others. "He advocates a discount for cash settlement, and interest on deferred

payments. C. H. Ketridge representing the Missouri following Mr. Trapp, saying that a cash business can be done if one will only push it and stick to it. He gave instances of the working of the cash system to such an extent that not more than a few hundred dollars stood on the books at the close of the year, and declared; "The credit business has been run into the ground in all lines of business. There is going to be more of the cash business. The younger generation will do it, and it

who can't stand the gaff will have to get Sidney Clemons, associate editor of the American Lumberman, also touched the subject in the instance of the remarkable Michigan, who, although he had been in

will come to the point where the man

century ago and on a cash basis; that he later went into the retail grocery bustness and went wrong in that he did not stick to the cash basis. He stood for the cash basis as a general proposition.

1915 OFFICERS INSTALLED BY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION Officers elected for 1215 were installed

at a meeting of the Douglas County Medical association held in the City National bank building last evening. Dr. H. I. able vessels and the virtual centairty of Akin is president and Dr. R. A. Dodge, secretary. A program of papers and dis-

# BORAH FIERCELY ATTACKS WILSON

Senator Declares Speech at Indianapolis Like Those Made by Taggart and Murphy.

HE LAMBASTS MEXICAN POLICY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- An attack on President's Wilson's use of his constihis Mexican policy and political speech making mingled today in a senate discussion of Senator Cummins' Assolution asking what the United States intends to do with the taxes collected during the occupation of Vera Crus.

John Sharp Williams, defending the administration, said it was well known the the edifice. money was to be turned over to any government in Mexico eventually recog-

"You cannot embarrass the administration, nor befoozle the American people with any such resolution," he said, launching into a defense of the president's policy. He declared if "a certain American had been in the White House there would have been stern messages to congress, climaxed with: 'Come on, boys, suvius was broken.

His Prediction. "Woodrow Wilson will be renominated for the presidency," said Senator Williams, "and re-elected, not as a minority,

but as a majority candidate." Senator Cummins insisted congress, not the president, should decide what shall ecome of the Vera Cruz money, and then, paying a tribute to President Wil-

son's integrity and ability, added: "I am simply objecting to his position that he is trying to run the United States. It appears in every utterance that falls from his lips. He assumes that under C. C. Trapp of Graham, Mo., gave a all these things. I have no doubt he asthe most careful consideration.

Like Taggart and Murphy. Senator Borah assalled the president's Rumore of German indianapolis speech, characterizing as an admission by the president that he had Valley Lumberman, discussed credits also, arrived at the conclusion that he preferred to be the leader of his party rather than the chief executive of the whole

> "I wish to quote the most significant statement ever made by a president with (Continued on Page Seven, Column One.)

#### Wheat Siared to Dizzy Heights Upon The Chicago Market

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.-Wheat stormed business, but six years, had the whole ing at \$1.40%, only I cent under the upper-firmed. most record made since the war began. Throughout the session the May option perched near the top rungs of the price indder, while immense new export sales were effected and the bulls had almost indisputed control of the turbulent pi in which speculative dealings went on-Competition by millers with exporters appeared to be largely responsible for the impetus which since Monday has whirled prices up 75c a bushel from the ollapse brought about by sensational stories that the Turkish grip on the Dardanelles had been amushed. It was said today that the Dardanelles, which are 120 miles long, are heavily mined from end to end, and that even if the passage was forced the scarcity of availalmost prohibitive war risks would still

remain, not to mention winter conditions

on the Black Sea.

# 8,000 PERISH BY QUAKE IN ITALY, ROME TREMBLES

Avezzano Virtually Destroyed and Most of Those Escaping from Ruins Are Injured.

PANIC THROUGHOUT CAPITAL

Confusion and Terror Prevail in Streets of Ancient City

HISTORIC BUILDINGS DAMAGED

BULLETIN.

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ROME, Jan. 13 -A terrific earthquake, the strongest ever felt in Rome, occurred early today. It lasted several seconds and caused a serious panic, people everywhere rushing from their houses in terrer. Many buildings were damaged. So far as could be learned one hour after the quake, no lives were lost. Nor was it possible to reach any definite idea of the degree of the damage suffered by the city.

Whole City in Confusion.

piece of the stone cornice had fallen. lice to prevent people from approaching

neighborhood. Ceilings in many of the houses fell, a manner.

John Lateran, which occupied a posttion visible from many parts of Rome, fell and was shattered on the steps of

Panie in Naples. today and caused a panic.

It is reported than many, houses fell in Caserta, northeast of Naples. All the glass in the observatory on Mount Ve-

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12,-The earth cks at Rome were recorded here from 2:23 to 2:32 a. m., eastern time, on the seismographs at Georgetown university That would be, Rome time, 8:13 to 5:22 according to calculations of the observers

# Submarines Sunk. Is Denied at Dover

DOVER (via London), Jan. 13 .- The port authorities deny the report current regard to a co-ordinate branch of the here today that two German submarines were fired upon and sunk by the coast batteries off Dover.

Dover, according to persistent rumor

The presence of hostile airships over the English channel during the past night has been reported today from inty heights selling at \$1.41 repeatedly various points on the coast. These reon the Board of Trade today, and clos- ports, however, have not yet been con-

# The National Capital

The Senate.

Met at noon. Foreign relations committee discussed the Colombian treaty. The House.

WANTED—Experienced druggist, one who is capable of taking full charge of drug store; only reliable man with good references need

#### President Asks Republicans to Help Pass His Ship Purchase Measure

President Wilson intends to concentrate several amendments to the shipping bill his influence for the ship purchase bill, which he thought would make it acceptable will be added to some republicans. One would place and conservation bills, if necessary, was eliminate the temporary character of the

project. Manuel Quezon, resident Philippine The president expects to see other ommissioner, told the president today he republican senators in the near future. did not expect the Philippine bill to pask Some democrats oppose the bill, and the during the present session. Senator president plans to win enough republican Cenyon, republican, invited to the White votes to pass it.

on the Tiber.

that the number of dead from the earthquake reaches about 10,000.

ROME, Jan. 13 .- The town of Avezzano was virtually destroyed by the earthquake, the dead being estimated at about 8,000. One thousand persons escaped from the ruins, but most of them were injured.

girls did their best to meet the emergency. A system of gathering and giving information was hurriedly inaugurated.

Historic Bulldings Damaged. among the old buildings damaged was the Czar to Drop Men It was learned early in the day that Palazzo Chigi, as well as the famous column of Marcus Aurelius. Historic buildings on the Piazza Colonna, in the center of Rome, were also damaged, sa was also the famous Farnese Palace, occupied by the French embassy. Here a The belfry of the church of St. Andrea in danger of falling and the building has been surrounded by a cordon of po-

Church Dome Cracked. cornice of the Jesuit church of St. Ig- pire in the capacity of councillor.

A colonsal statue at the Basilica of St.

Several street car lines suspended operations because of the damages caused by

the earthquake. NAPLES (Via Rome), Jan. 13.-A violent earthquake shock occurred here

The last serious earthquake in Rome was July 19, 1899. Rome, Frascati, Marino and other towns on the Alban hills felt the shock and many buildings were damaged, but their was no loss of life. Further south, in Italy and Sicily, however, earthquakes are frequent and very Great loss of life and heavy damage to property have occurred in these regions.

Shock Recorded in Washington.

DOVER (via London). Jan. 13.-Two across the state line. The department is German submarines today were fired waiting for further data from Karch. upon and sunk by the coast batteries off current in the city.

# Wednesday, January 13, 1915.

Met at noon. The naval committee adopted the ad-inistration's two-battleship program.

For further information about these opportunities, see the Want Ad section of today's Rec.

# WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.-Evidences that . House today by the president, suggested

probably with the aid of some republican control of the government ships under a

AUSTRIAN FOREIGN MINISTER RESIGNS

ROME, Jan. 13 .- it is estimated Man Who Formulated Policy Which Lead to Declaration of War Leaves the Cabinet.

> HUNGARIAN SUCCEEDS HIM

BULLETIN.

VIENNA, Austria, Jan. 13.-(Via Lon don.)-Count Leopold Von Berchtold, Austrian foreign minister, has resigned and his resignation has been accepted, according to the Vienna Fremdemblatt. Count Von Berchtold will be succeeded by Baron Stephen Burian von Rajecz, minister of the royal court in the Hungarian

Count Von Berchtold was one of the main factors in the situation which led to the Austrian declaration of war Servia which in turn precipitated the

European war. As Austrian foreign minister Count There was confusion throughout the Von Berchtold was largely responsible whole of Rome. In some cases it for formulating the policy which resulted amounted to terror. The telephone was in the declaration of war on Servia. On resorted to by great numbers of people several occasions recently it has been at virtually the same time in endeavors reported unofficially that he would reto ascertain the safety of relatives and sign. The appointment of a Hungarian friends, and then to learn the extent of to succeed him in control of Austrian the damage to the city. The telephone foreign affairs is believed to indicate that henceforth Hungary will assume policy of the dual monarchy during the

# With Teutonic Names From the Council

PETROGRAD, Jan. 13 .- (Via London.) What virtually amounts to an entirely new council of empires is being created today, the last day of the Russian year, by the annual appointment of new members. The general interest in the selections which are to be made public before So violent was the shock that the the day is over is intensified by the ex-dome of the church of St. Charles Catithe day is over is intensified by the exnari was cracked. A large piece of the man names will no longer serve the em-

natius broke and fell with a crash which. It is practically certain that the new added to the fright of the persons in the president of the council will be Ivan Golouboff, that the vice presidency wil be given to Serge Manoukhins. . Both number of persons being injured in that these men are Russians. The council of empire corresponds in importance to the American senate, but in addition it wields certain powers which in the United States are vested in the president and supreme A number of its members are appointed by the emperor, while the remainder are elected by the Zemstvos. Since the elected membership is seldom complete and as it always includes a number of non residents, the appointees of Emperor Nicholas always are in a majority in the council which, after the emperor himself, is the most important governing factor in the empire. The president and vice president always are appointed

to office. Russian officials bearing Teutonic names predominate in the government of Poland. These men also are being gradually replaced with born Russians-thus removing one of the complaints of the Poles. After the capture of Baron Korff, the governor of Warsaw, by the Ger- the body frozen in the ice. It was brought mans some weeks ago, he was replaced with a man named Von Essen. Later Von Essen was supplanted by the head of the emperor's chancellory, a Russian

#### Will Investigate Charge of Fraud in Cannon's District

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.-United States Attorney Karch of the eastern district shoes and clothing are intact and can be of Illinois has been authorised to begin identified. Relatives of Connett will be an investigation of the published charge here in two days. The situation at presthat frauds were committed in the Eight- ent is that Charles Clayton and his wife eenth Illinois district in the fall elections assert that Roberts murdered Connett, when former Speaker Cannon was re- while Roberts insists that Clayton was urned to congress.

Officials of the Department of Justice here know little about the matter, except published reports that several hundred voters went to the Eighteenth Illinois district from Terre Haute, Ind., just

#### Bank Robbers Who Killed Oklahoma Officer Arrested

MUSKOGEE, Okl., Jan. 13.-Two of the three robbers who held up and robbed the application for bail was opposed by rep-First National bank of Teriton, Okl., yes- resentatives of the crown attorney and terday and killed Robert Moore, a deputy was denied. The men were committed to sheriff, were captured late yesterday and are in fail today at Pawnee. The third at Wolland. escaped. Most of the \$3,000 taken from the bank was recovered.

#### German Soldiers Deserting Colors

#### The Day's War News

The assaults of the allies against selected positions in the German line, gaining ground for them at several points during the last week, have led to German counter attacks in force and the heaviest infantry fighting for some time. The official communications from Berlin and Paris indicate that the Germans, having brought large bodies of troops into play, have checked the advance of the allies and have themselves made important gains.

Further important successes in the campaign against Turkey were announced today by Russia. It is asserted that one Turkish regiment was captured, another partially destroyed. The statement today of the Russian staff attached to the Caucasian army, however, shows that Turkish resistance has not been broken, stating that obstinate and bitter fighting is still in progress.

Turkish forces which invaded northwestern Persia are reported unofficially to have occupied Tabriz, an important Persian city within the sphere of Russian influence.

In southern Poland the Russians have made another attempt to push across the Nida river, apparently in an effort to advance once more on Cracow. An official Austrian statement says the Russians were compelled to withdraw under the fire of the Austrian artillery.

# BODY OF CONNETT IS FOUND IN THE RIVER

Froze nin the Ice of the South Platte at Point Indicated by Roy Roberts in His Confession.

IN CHARGE OF THE CORONER

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 13 .- (Speial Telegram.)-By Sheriff Salisbury, A. E. Tummerman and I. E. Trout the body of Vernon Connett was found today in the South Platte river one mile south of

Sutherland.

Yesterday Roy Roberts, charged with the murder of oCnnett, and who has been bound over to the district court of Lincoin county to answer to that charge stated that Connett was killed by Charles Clayton at Bund's ranch, about eight niles west of North Platte, August 2, 1914; that he, Roberts, hitched up Connett's team, loaded the hody into a wagon and deposited it in the South Platte river one mile south of Sutherland. This information was wired to the county attorney the missing guide to mariners. here last night and Sheriff Salisbury, Timmerman and Trout went this morning fifty feet long entangled in the chain of to the location described and there found

here today by Coroner Maloney. The body of oCnnett is encased in ice and it is impossible to tell whether the fawbone is still intact. Some weeks ago CTATE ENGINEERS MEET TO a jawbone was found about a mile from where the body was found today, and was identified by Connett's relatives. After putting the body in the river, Roberts yesterday confessed that

with Charles Clayton. There is no question but the body found the murderer

#### No Bail for Canadians Killing U.S. Hunters

BRIGGEBURN, Ont., Jan. 12.-Prominsiol, a constable; Thomas W. Delaney, corporal; Archie Kayo and privates Kinsman and Macintosh of the Fortyfourth Canadian infantry, facing charges of manslaughter growing out of the killing of Walter Smith at Fort Erie, Derember 28, were arraigned before a magiatrate here today. Through counsel, the men entered pleas of not guilty and asked that they be admitted to ball. The jail and trial was set to begin March ?

#### HOUSE NAVAL COMMITTEE **FAVORS TWO BATTLESHIPS**

pedo boat destroyers and seventeen aub-PARIS, Jan. 18.—"The real reason for the strict guarding of the Beigian-Dutch into the naval bill today by the house frontier," says the Matin's correspondent naval committee. The bill was reported at Havre, "is an epidemic of desertion at once to the house. The vots for the which began in the German ranks after two battleships was sixteen to 4; for the the buttle of the Yaer. From November six torpedo boat destroyers, fifteen to its to December 15 there were 11,000 desertive, and for the seventeen submarines, tions from the garrison of Bruges alone."

# MOSLEMS MAKE VALIANT STAND **NEAR CAUCASUS**

cotes, to the exclusion of the Philippine nonpartisan board, and another would Turkish Force is Making Surprising Resistance to Advance of Russians in View of Reported Disastrous Defeat.

GERMANS ACTIVE IN FRANCE

Violent Fighting is Reported by Paris at Points Near Soissons and Perthes.

BATTLE CONTINUES ALL NIGHT

LONDON, Jan. 13 .- The stand of the defeated Turkish army at Kara-Urgan, between Sara-Kamysh and the frontier of the Caucasus, and the attempts of the Germans to check the advance of the allies in France, northeast of Soissons and near Perthes, marked the principal points today where desperate conflicts are

reported to be raging. For six days the Turks have been making a valiant effort to rally their retreating forces, and, aided by a garrison from Erzerum, have been making a surprising fight, in view of Russian reports of their recent

crushing defeat. The latest Petrograd official communication says the fighting at Kara-Urgan is turning in the Russians' favor, but both armies are fighting with the handicaps of deep snow and bitter cold. Private Petrograd dispatches say the

Turks show no signs of weakening. Two Battles in France.

The Germans have again stormed "Spur 132," northeast of Scissons, in what Parls describes as an "important attack," the result being still unknown this morning. The French took the hill only last Saturday, and since then the Germans have made a determined effort to carry it by

a counter attack. The scene of the fighting is the nearest point to the French capital along the hattle line, being only sixty miles from

Paris. Similar violent fighting is reported as progressing about fifty miles further east. near Perthes, where the Germans by a counter attack succeeded in breaking through and in establishing themselves belind the French advanced position. north of Beausejour. The fighting presumably continued all night, but the out-come was not known this morning. The Germans apparently are making great efforts, not only to hold what they have recovered, but also to drive the French farther back, as an advance on the part of the latter would threaten their com-

unications to the north. Egypt Again Threatened.

Telegrams from Cairo revive the reports of a German-Turkish invasion of that the Turkish forces, officered by Germans, which are gathered in southern Syria, waiting to attack, are holding back only until the arrival of expected rein-

forcements. Dispatches from Sofia indicate that Roumanta plans to start its campaign through Transgivania in February.

#### Whale Drags Heavy Buoy Long Ways

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 13 .- 'Rearing Bull" buoy, which, with its anchor, weighs 5,000 pounds, was carried away by a whale, according to officers of the Canadian government steamer Lansdowne in port today from a search for

the buoy, which had been dragged a long distance. The whale apparently died from exhaustion.

The Lansdowne found a dead whale,

ORGANIZE SOCITY TODAY Hartson L. Mark, concrete and irrigahe tion engineer of Oshkosh, Neb., is in drove the team to Hershey, sold it to Omaha to assist in the organization of William Jenkins for \$250 and then came a state engineering society, the promotto North Platte and divided the money ers to meet at the Paxton hotel this morning, Mr. Mark surveyed Garden county and is an applicant for superintoday is that of Vernon Connett. The tendent of irrigation division No. 1, the south half of the state.

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