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Dundee. SEVERAL lots, building restriction, \$1, 100.00. Adjoining Happy Hollow Circle, \$400.00 to \$1,000.00. W. L. SELBY & SONS, Doug. 1110. A BUNGALOW lot, near school and car line. Write Box 3422, Bee.

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WELL improved, take good bungalow as part payment. S. P. BOSTWICK & SON, Tyler 1106. 100 Bee Bldg.

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Glover & Spain, Douglas 2892. 919-20 City National.

TRACKAGE. 2 66-100 acre C. U. & Q. trackage at Osborn. Suitable for industry desiring large acre with lots, prices. Also have 3 acres beautifully located on boulevard S. E. part without trackage. W. L. Selby & Sons, Keeline Bldg.

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Real Estate, Loans, Mortgages. CITY and farm loans promptly made, Rates 5, 5 1/2 and 6 per cent. Reasonable commission.

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FOR SALE—500 shares of stock of the Bankers' Realty & Investment Co., at \$1.10 per share, for quick sale, pays 8 1/2 per cent dividends. Address Box 239, Bee.

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Nebraska Lands. KIMBALL COUNTY. 640 acres choice wheat land, in fine location; good 6-room house, barn 32x40, good water supply; 250 acres plowed, 200 acres fall wheat, which goes with place; 30 acres alfalfa, fenced good-light, land well fenced and cross-fenced; great school. Price, \$25 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance at 6 per cent.

J. H. CAMPBELL & SON, Kimball, Neb. WE FARM the farm we sell you. THE HUNGERFORD POTATO GROWERS' ASSN. Co-operative Potato Farming, 15th and Howard Sts., opposite Auditorium.

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WEED and made dry enough for crops or no crop, in one day of draining land. No tract too large or too wet. Guarantee Drainage Co., Oakland, Neb.

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FARM AND RANCH LANDS

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THOROUGHbred English pointer pups; well marked for next season's hunting. John B. Richards, West 6th St., Fremont, Neb.

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GUARANTEED TIRES. 1/2 Price. We make one new tire from the old ones.

GUARANTEED 3,000 MILES. We Buy and Sell USED CARS—TIRES. Live agents wanted. If you are a dealer write for our agency proposition.

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2209 Farnam St., Douglas 2316. Chevrolet touring, 1916, \$275. Mitchell '16' touring, 400. Chevrolet touring, 400.

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GHOSTOWN Garage, 315 S. 14th, D. 4442. 1916 Ford sedan, \$2,250. Front \$1,500. St. Stewart vacuum system, 16; other bargains. Motorcycles presto take, \$2.

FOR SALE—1915 Packard 1-30, seven-passenger touring, like new. Must be sold. For quick sale, \$2,600. Hithorn Auto Co., Mason City, Iowa.

WE will trade you a new Ford for your old one. INDUSTRIAL GARAGE CO., 29th and Harney, Douglas 6261.

FOR SALE—Owning to my leaving city, my 1916 Overland coupe, must be sold, low cash or payments. Address Apt. 807, New Hamilton.

USED CARS AT REAL PRICES.

C. W. FRANCIS AUTO CO., Douglas 524. 2216-18 Farnam St. REHABILIT high and low tension magnetos, magneto coils or magnets, one block from corner of Main St. and W. Broadway. See Hendricks & Son, Co. Bluffs, Ia.

BALL and roller bearings, all makes of cars, good as new at half the price. Mattox, 1425 South 15th, Tyler 1112-J.

FIRST reasonable cash offer takes my 1915 Maxwell touring car, just like new. Call Tyler 1416 after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE—1915, five-passenger Ford coupe for cash. Must be sold, low cash. Owner leaving city. Box 262, Bee.

THE first 1100 cash between now and February 1 will take my 4-cylinder thirty horse power car, 2213 Leavenworth.

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MISS LARSON—Baths, massage and manicure. Soap and facial massage. Starts January 1, 1917. 1509 Paxton Bldg. D. 7997. Open evenings and Sundays.

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LUELLA WEBSTER—massage and manicuring. 414 Paxton Bldg. Doug. 2089. SCIENTIFIC MASSAGE, 629 Bee Bldg. Phone Douglas 6324.

MISS S. BENJAMIN, manicuring, facial, scalp treatment. Starts Jan. 1, 1917. MISS SARAH BRIDGMAN, scientific massage and baths. 263 Park Bldg. Red 3737.

ALL Right Private Maternity Home, 3011 Miami St., Webster 2908. E BROTT—Magnetic massage, 2424 Cumins.

MISS GILIE, mass. chiropody, 1822 Farnam. Manicuring and mass. 1623 Farnam, Rm. 18.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Mary Norbek to Frank Hajek, south-east corner Twenty-first and "P" streets, 802130. Julius Hanback and wife to Mrs. Nellie Hanback, Emmet street, 100 foot east of Twenty-first street, north side, 20x124.

Charles W. Martin and wife to the First National Bank, northeast corner Minne Lusa avenue and Redick avenue, irregular approximately 120x.

Michael J. Clarke sheriff to J. H. H. northwest corner Thirty-fifth and Charles streets, 60x121.5.

Grove street, 60x121.5. John White, Fifty-fourth street, 300 feet north of Spaulding, east side, 30x121.

Charles W. Martin and wife to Hannah C. Thomsen, Boyd street, 50 feet east of Thirty-sixth street, east side, 20x121.

Barker company to W. Roscoe Thomas, Fontenelle boulevard, 150 feet north and east of corner of 24th and 25th streets.

Michael Gleason and wife to Francis J. Falkner, southwest corner Twelfth and Chicago streets, 60x121.

Lord Beresford Thinks

The Naval Policy Is Poor. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.) London, Dec. 21.—Lord Charles Beresford's latest pronouncement on naval matters is a plea for a thorough and far-reaching reconstruction of Great Britain's entire naval policy.

In an appeal to the British public he says: "The present position with regard to the future supply of our food and raw materials is, in my opinion, one of unparalleled gravity. Any hiatus in the lines of communication of our ocean-borne traffic would create an appalling state of affairs, particularly as we shall soon have to take steps to revivify the country."

"The new policy and tactics that have been developed in submarine warfare, changing the area of attack from headlands and shallow waters to the deep sea, require strategy and tactics to meet and beat these developments. Submarine warfare in its fresh manipulations must have definite systematic measures for its suppression."

"The navy has been hampered by political exigencies involving in many cases a policy of defense instead of attack. Take the case with regard to the arming of merchant ships. An agreement consists of a gun mounted astern, a British merchant ship, on seeing a submarine, has to put its helm up, expose its broadsides or largest target to the submarine, and run away in order to get its gun to bear, increasing its range every second, making it more difficult to hit the enemy and adopting a method totally opposed to British traditions, and particularly disgusting to the gallant officers and men of the mercantile marine by arming an attitude of defense instead of attack. The traditional policy which has made the British empire what it is has been attacked, and always attack, at sea."

"There may be diplomatic difficulties connected with the arming of merchant vessels for attack, but surely these difficulties could easily be surmounted. Germany has directly challenged us, and has cut and stopped our route to Holland, a short distance of about eighty miles. The war staff should immediately set to work to devise means for opening the line of communication between this country and Holland."

Government Laborers Now Get Twelve Cents Per Hour

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) Panama, Dec. 8.—The board appointed by Acting Governor Harding to consider a revision of wages and conditions of employment of alien canal laborers, mostly negroes, has granted an increase of about 20 per cent in pay to the lowest paid laborers, making the minimum wage 12 instead of 10 cents an hour.

Minor increases are given for the more skilled labor, and those on hazardous jobs. The new wage scale goes into effect January 1. The board went on record as recognizing the obligation of the government to pay its men a wage sufficient to maintain them in reasonable comfort and decency, and stated that the higher standard to which the West Indians had become accustomed was a reason for maintaining improved conditions.

The desirability of housing the employees on the canal zone was stated, and Acting Governor Harding has recommended an additional appropriation to take care of this. This feature has military aspects, as during the recent strike it was brought out that inimical interests operating in Panama might prevent many of the laborers from going from their homes to work and thus cripple the operation of the canal.

Raise in Pay for Members Of Netherland Parliament

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) The Hague, Netherlands, Nov. 26.—The second chamber of Parliament has passed a revised article of the constitution which will raise the salaries of members from \$800 to \$1,200 a year. Deputies will, in addition, be paid their traveling expenses, and on retirement get an annual pension equal to \$40 for every year in which they sat in the chamber, up to a maximum of \$800. The government's proposal to pay an additional attendance fee of \$2 per sitting with a view to combating "absenteeism" was rejected as being incompatible with the chamber's dignity.

HAGUE PROSPECTS ON PEACE OUTLOOK

All Holland Anxiously Awaits Next Movement and Meanwhile Watches Warily.

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) The Hague, Netherlands, Jan. 10.—The peace outlook constitutes the one absorbing topic in the Netherlands and more than adequate explanation of the Hollander's interest in the latest turn of events is afforded by a glance at the burdens, problems and anxieties which the last twelve months have brought the Dutch nation and its rulers.

As another year opens the watchword still is respect to the country's defense and its foreign policy, but in the economic realm regard to the supply of the raw materials for its industries and public services and of the food of its people.

For though some politicians are already beginning to talk about entire or partial demobilization if the peace wind blows at all favorably, it appears quite certain that not a regiment will be disbanded until the peace treaty has been actually signed and the belligerents themselves begin demobilization.

Holland knows full well that even the peace congress may bring its own dangers for the nation that holds the mouths of the great northern European waterways. The prime minister himself, Cort van der Linden, has only just again told the chamber that "the government still considers there is danger of the country being drawn into the war. It can by no means admit," he added, "that the danger grows less the longer the war lasts, but in existing circumstances regard to the essential that an adequate force shall be immediately available for the energetic maintenance of our neutrality." And the chamber, including the socialists, has once more unanimously passed the bills prolonging the term of the men with the colors.

More Munitions. However, in the two and half years of mobilization the trained army reserve has been increased by over 100,000 men, and all of the sixteen levies under arms in August, 1914, have now been relieved by newly trained troops and sent home on indefinite leave.

The munition supplies have been correspondingly reinforced. Notwithstanding what has been achieved, however, there is sharp criticism of the army and its administrations. The bitter attacks are constantly made on the minister of war, and Major General N. Bosboom's position would seem to be none too secure.

Emphasis is particularly laid on the continued lack of artillery—in which the army was notoriously weak when war broke out—of anti-aircraft guns and aircraft.

So far as the political situation is concerned, the premier and his liberal, extra-parliamentary cabinet still appear to be firmly seated in the saddle, although voices are heard on the right in favor of a coalition ministry.

The general election is due next June, but negotiations are on foot to postpone the actual electoral struggle until 1918, when there would in any case have to be a fresh election if the revised constitution finally passes, and that an election on the new proportional representation system.

The present party seats shall not be challenged in June next, this meaning the practical re-election of the present chamber. Incidentally there is some discontent with the prime minister's refusal to propose a revision of the constitution cancelling any potential claims of foreign, i. e., German princes, to the throne. It is said here that the queen is opposed to such a step, but it is also believed the premier fears giving offense to the foreign power most interested.

Frontier Aroused. As to the state of affairs in the country itself, there is still considerable ferment in the frontier region. Despite the continual seizures