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RED CROSS CAMPAIGN BEGUN AT NOON TODAY

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SOCIETY

Mrs. H. H. Vandervoort and Mrs. W. C. Winslow entertained at dinner Monday evening at the home of the former at 435 North Winter street.

The parlor was also beautifully decorated with Oregon grape and mistletoe. Large bouquets of chrysanthe-mums similar to those used in the dining room adorned the piano.

A business meeting of the club was called to order at which time the club members chose a name. The decision was that it should be called "The Lane Treaty club."

The decorations were very simple but suggestive of the Christmas season.

The audience that filled the First Methodist church to overflowing to listen to the singing of the Messiah by the chorus and soloists under the direction of Frank Wilbur Chase, Sunday evening, were more than pleased with the work.

The offering was one of the most pretentious it has been given here in years, and it was the first time that this work has been sung here.

The chorists were Miss Benson, Miss McCaddam, soprano; Miss McKinney, mezzo soprano; Mrs. C. E. Bates, contralto; A. A. Schramm, tenor; Prof. John W. Todd, tenor, and R. E. Jones, bass.

Mrs. Frederic D. Thielsen and small son, Frederic, Jr., are expected to return to Salem Thursday, after passing a week in Astoria.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Jason Lee Methodist church will meet with Mrs. S. W. Drake at her home, 1912 North 5th street, Wednesday afternoon, December 19th, at 2:30 o'clock.

Arthur W. Fish has returned to Salem to be with his wife, Mrs. Anna Rogers Fish, for the holiday season.

Mrs. Fish has been in Idaho for the past two months. Mrs. L. C. McCoy spent the entire week end in Portland with friends.

Miss Ruby Cornell went to Portland last Saturday evening where she is visiting with friends. Miss Cornell expects to return soon to resume her work in the state house.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Galloway of 1370 Chemeketa street left Salem Monday afternoon to be with Mr. Galloway's father who is seriously ill.

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President May Not Decide Railroad Policy Quickly

Washington, Dec. 17.—President Wilson may await until next month before announcing his railroad policy.

While the war board does not hope to save much car space and fuel from this step, it was ordered December 5 as another move toward elimination of non-essentials.

The president will not take any revolutionary steps in the railroad situation before consulting congress.

He has conferred with Attorney General Gregory over authority to act with Secretary McAdoo over the effect of contemplated policies on the country's finances.

Secretaries McAdoo and Lane are again coupled with the president's selection of a transportation administrator.

The latest step the board ordered is elimination of all unnecessary travel in private cars. Henry C. Frick, and others of the country's richest men have given up use of their luxurious cars to relieve already overburdened passenger transportation.

The girl, who was formerly of the Alcazar theater in San Francisco, was taken to a local hospital. A few hours later, her father, Jesse B. Cook, police commissioner of San Francisco telegraphed requesting that no operation be performed.

One never knows when they will become a headline; look at the penn! The body of Miss Florence Cook, age 28, San Fran-

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Canada Will Decide Conscription by Ballot

Montreal, Que., Dec. 17.—Canada is voting on conscription today. The union government, headed by Sir Robert Borden, is up for re-election. It is opposed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier's liberals who are pledged to delay operation of the conscription law, put through by the unionists.

The votes of 250,000 Canadian soldiers in the trenches and of the women relatives of those troops may decide the issue. These women relatives were recently enfranchised and are casting their first ballots today.

The election in Halifax has been postponed and the vote in some distant provinces will not be taken until later.

Simpson Boosted For State Governor Marshfield Or. Dec. 17.—The L. J. Simpson for Governor club, has been organized here to work for the nomination of Louis J. Simpson as republican candidate for governor.

WORKERS GET INCREASE. San Francisco, Dec. 17.—Having obtained wage increases totalling \$30,000 daily for Pacific coast shippard workers over the scale granted several weeks ago by the federal wage adjustment board, R. W. Hurton, Pierre Flaherty and M. J. McGuire, representing the

metal trades workers, returned to San Francisco today to report officially to their unions. The government also agreed to establish a board of appeals from shipping board decisions and to give labor equal representation on the labor adjustment board.

Dying In Persia. Washington, Dec. 17.—Hundreds are dying of famine at Teheran, Persia, said state department advices today adding an appeal for relief.

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Thief Traded In Stolen Automobiles

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 18.—That a band of Sicilians known as the "thief" trust, whose trading in stolen automobiles has totalled nearly \$250,000 in a year, is responsible for the murder of Carl Cona, was the report of investigators from the police department today.

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Mrs. Walter Tooze Jr. Is Dangerously Ill

Dallas, Or., Dec. 17.—There is little change in the condition of Mrs. Walter L. Tooze, Jr., wife of Captain Walter L. Tooze, Jr., who is dangerously ill in a hospital at Tacoma. Mrs. Tooze accompanied her husband to Camp Lewis when he went to take command of Company K, Three Hundred and Sixty first infantry of the national army.

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