

WILSON IS TOUCHED BY SUFFRAGE VIGIL

President Invites Freezing Sentinels Inside, but They Do Not Accept.

HOT BRICKS IN VOGUE

Guards Drink Much Chocolate and Are Changed Frequently, but Seek Grateful Shelter of Stone Pillars at Gateways.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Freezing winds sweeping about the White House grounds today played such havoc with the 120 sentinels on guard at the main gate that President Wilson was moved to send a messenger to invite the women in to get warm. The invitation was not accepted, and at the headquarters of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage it was said the vigil would be continued tomorrow.

This was the second day of the women's new campaign to force its cause on the President's attention, which it is planned to continue until March 4. In spite of frequent reliefs and the use of hot bricks wrapped in newspapers and much drinking of hot chocolate, the guards now and again sought shelter behind the big stone pillars flanking the gateways.

The President passed the sentinels only once, as he returned from his morning game of golf. He smiled as his automobile swept into the grounds but took no other notice of his visitors.

Word of the trials of the women reached the White House family and shortly after noon the President gave the first evidence of having his attention forced by sending the chief usher out with his invitation. There were no acceptances.

A message for transmission to Dutch suffragists was delivered by the Congressional Union today to The Netherlands legation. The Netherlands women were congratulated for placing sentinels outside the Parliament building in Holland during the last few weeks and were told that the suffragists also were "laying siege to the seat of government."

Resubmission Bill Is Passed.

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 11.—The Senate after a heated discussion late today passed a bill providing for resubmission of the equal suffrage amendment to the state constitution at the next general election. The bill now goes to the House. In the last election the amendment was defeated on a referendum vote.

WILSON'S MEN OPPOSED

Nominees for Shipping Board Encounter Snag in Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Some opposition to Bernard N. Baker, of Baltimore, and James E. White, of Kansas City, as members of the shipping board developed today when their nominations were taken up by the Senate commerce committee.

Opposition to Mr. Baker came from the International Seamen's Union, on the ground that he is inimical to the seaman's law. Opposition to Mr. White was based on the fact that he was a prominent figure in an organization of lumbermen in Missouri, ousted from the state for violation of its anti-trust statutes.

FEDERAL CUT, PROTESTED

Employees Ask Oregon Senators to Get Proposed Increases.

More than 50 Federal employes, excluding the postal employes, have voiced a vigorous protest against proposals in the United States Senate to defeat all legislation for an increase in salaries of Federal employes.

At a meeting held in The Oregonian building Wednesday night it was agreed that the Oregon Senators should be advised of the attitude of the Portland Federal employes.

Special appeal is made for those of lower grades "who now find great difficulty in supporting their families on the present pay."

Astoria Firms Get Licenses.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 11.—(Special.)—Licenses under the provisions of the state law to store grain and grain products for compensation were granted by the County Court today to the Astoria Grain Company and to the Astoria Flouring Mills Company. A surety bond in the sum of \$2000 was furnished by each company.

Milk Condensing Plant to Rise.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 11.—(Special.)—The Farwell Milk Condensing Company of this city, has given a trust deed to the Portland Trust Company, covering its plant and holdings in Astoria, to secure an issue of \$50,000 in 6 per cent bonds. The money is to be used in operating a milk condensing plant in this city.

All Trace of Christenson Lost.

LAPINE, Or., Jan. 11.—(Special.)—All trace of Russell M. Christenson, forest service man, missing for 15 days now, was lost at 2 o'clock this morning by the searching party of 20 men, which arrived here this afternoon. The search will continue.

THE WHOLE BODY NEEDS PURE BLOOD

The bones, the muscles, and all the organs of the body depend for their strength and tone and healthy action on pure blood.

If the blood is very impure, the bones become diseased; the muscles become enfeebled, the step loses its elasticity, and there is inability to perform the usual amount of labor. The skin loses its clearness, and pimples, blotches and other eruptions appear.

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. It is positively unequalled in the treatment of scrofula and other humors, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling. Be sure to get Hood's and get it today. There is no real substitute. All druggists.

RICH WOULD-BE SUICIDE AS HE APPEARED WHEN LAST IN PORTLAND.



—Photo by Photographer for The Oregonian.

THAW TRIES SUICIDE

Throat Slashed Twice, Wound Is Serious.

RECOVERY IS EXPECTED

Attempt at Self-Destruction Made While Search Being Conducted in Eastern City—Charges Are Called Blackmail.

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also hacked the artery of his left wrist. Had the wound in his neck been one-eighth of an inch deeper he could not have lived, according to physicians. Several poison tablets were found in Thaw's pocket.

Thaw was reported resting easily in a hospital tonight. His physicians said tonight Thaw probably would recover within a week or two.

Thaw was unconscious when discovered by Mrs. Tacot with a blood-stained razor on the floor beside his bed. He remained in that condition until his arrival at the hospital.

Some time later Detective Wood, assured by the hospital physicians that his condition was not serious enough to necessitate an anti-mortem statement, approached his bedside and remarked: "You are not going to die, Harry, but nevertheless there may be something which you may want to tell us. Will you do so?"

Detectives on Guard.

The patient slowly shook his head. "I have nothing to say," he said feebly, and closed his eyes.

Detectives were placed on guard at the patient's bedside and Captain Tate, at detective headquarters, began arrangements for his extradition to New York as soon as his condition will permit his removal from the hospital.

Captain of Detectives Tate and others detailed to search for Thaw had accepted the belief that he had left the city some time after completing his testimony in his mother's civil suit here on Monday. It was generally believed that he had gone by automobile and was in seclusion in Pittsburg. Reports yesterday said he was one of a motor party staying at an upstate inn.

Detective Tells Whereabouts.

The first intimation of his presence in this city came with a message to the detective bureau from the private detective assigned to watch Thaw's interests while here. The detective had been informed of Thaw's attempted suicide by Mrs. Tacot shortly after she went to call him about 10 o'clock this morning.

Failing to get a response, Mrs. Tacot entered the apartment and found him lying stretched across the bed, fully dressed, his clothes stained by blood which spurted from two deep gashes on the left side of his neck and from a severed artery in his left wrist. His right arm hung limply at the side of the bed and on the floor, within a few inches of his head, was the bloody razor he had borrowed from Mrs. Tacot.

THAW IN PORTLAND IN 1915

Sympathy for Under Dog Expressed in Interviews.

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EX-YOGO HEAD MARRIES

Ralph M. De Bit Weds Divorced Wife of Dr. Rudolph Gerber.

SEATTLE, Jan. 11.—Ralph M. de Bit, former head of the Christian Yogo cult, and Mrs. Dorothy Alden Gerber, divorced wife of Dr. Rudolph Gerber, of San Francisco, were granted in the King County Clerk's office here today a license to wed. De Bit gave his residence as Victoria, B. C.

The matrimonial difficulties of Dr. Gerber and Mrs. Gerber, which included divorce suits and habeas corpus proceedings against each other for the possession of their little daughter, Ansel Gerber, in the courts of Germany, California and Washington, culminated here in September, 1915, in the arrest, on a complaint by Dr. Gerber, of De Bit and Mrs. Gerber on a criminal charge. The accused couple were acquitted after trial in the Superior Court.

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MRS. THAW UPHOLDS HER SON

Interest in Boys Declared Subject to Misconstruction.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw, late today issued a statement bearing upon his indictment in New York for assault upon Frederick Gump Jr., a schoolboy. In the statement Mrs. Thaw refers to the fact that while her husband, the late William Thaw, frequently assisted poor boys to secure an education and that Harry did likewise, her own opinion, "fortified by long experience and observation," is that "his form of benevolence is too susceptible of abuse to be indulged."

"It is not surprising that Harry should offer a scientific training to a lad whose ill-health had compelled his family to move to Southern California," Mrs. Thaw says in the statement, but adds that "in this particular instance, the combination of needlessly assumed guardianship and the obvious result, Christmas conviviality resulted disastrously."

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Committee, Over Republican Opposition, Votes Resolution Down.

CONTEMPT CASE UP IN AIR

Members Disagree as to Effect Action Will Have on Charges Against Lawson—New Version of Tip Given.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Unless Republicans develop unexpected opposition to the adoption of an adverse report by the committee on the Wood "leak" investigation resolution, the flurry over rumors that money was made in the stock market on advance information about President Wilson's peace note probably will end in the House tomorrow. Two hours of debate will precede a vote on the report.

Democratic members of the rules committee voted today over the vigorous protest of the Republicans to report unfavorably the Wood resolution, which would provide specially for an inquiry by a special committee into charges made by Thomas W. Lawson that there was a "leak" in advance of the peace note.

Other Resolutions Rejected.

The majority also declined to bring up for a final vote another Wood resolution for a general investigation of "leak" allegations or one by Representative Campbell, of Kansas, designed to empower the Congressional committee to inquire into every phase of the rumors.

Democrats and Republicans disagree as to the effect of the committee's action. The special sub-committee to deal with Lawson's refusal to answer questions still is in existence and may take some action.

The opposing members also disagree as to whether the inquiry is over. Representative Henry says Representative Wood has, in another resolution before the committee, which has not been acted upon, which the majority refused to take up today.

New Version of Leak Given.

A new version of the "leak" of Wall Street on President Wilson's peace note was given to the committee today by James R. Reilly, managing editor of the Wall Street Journal.

A tip picked up, he said, by a Dow Jones reporter in Wall street that brokers' private wires from Washington were saying the President was about to send a peace note was solely responsible for the dispatch forecasting the note which appeared on the company's ticker at 2:05 P. M. Wednesday, December 30, 10 hours before the note was published.

Between 11:30 A. M. the time Reilly said he received the tip and the dispatch of the item on the ticker, Reilly said he received two messages from John Boyle, the Journal's local representative here.

Two Messages Received.

The first, filed before Boyle had received Reilly's inquiry regarding his report, "It was marked 'confidential' and told of the coming of some sort of a note and said it was not a peace proposal."

The second, in reply to Reilly's inquiry as to whether anything was available on the reports gleaned from the brokers' wires, was to the effect that the reference undoubtedly was made to the coming note.

"About 11:30," Reilly said, "one of our reporters told me that Washington wires to brokerage houses said the President was preparing to issue a peace manifesto. There had been rumors to this same effect abroad in Wall street for some time. I immediately telegraphed our Washington representative. I sent him a message about 11:30. This preceded by an hour the filing of Boyle's confidential message."

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An endless variety of patterns in both Edges and Insertions in Swiss, longcloth, cambric or organdie; the popular medium and narrow widths.

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Lines worth to 25¢; Satin, Taffeta and Warp Print Ribbons; plain shades and neat colorings, in 3½ and 4-inch widths.

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Nine and 12-inch Skirtings, 17-inch Corset Cover and Flouncings, 27-inch Baby Flouncings, etc.; pretty patterns in batiste, cambric or Swiss.

CLEAN-UP SALE OF LACES AT 25¢ YARD
Lines worth to 48¢; both 18 and 24-inch Shadow Lace Flouncings, in white and cream; the most desirable patterns.

WOMEN'S COLLARS, SETS AND VESTEES, VALUES TO 48¢; TO CLOSE OUT AT ONLY 15¢
A clearance of all odd pieces, soiled or mussed Collars, Sets and Vesteess; an extensive variety to select from; values to 48¢; to close Friday at 15¢.

Sale of Hair Brushes 69c

Regular \$1.00 Lines

200 fine Hair Brushes—Pearson's Rubber Cushion, Double Bristle Brushes, with solid ebonoid, or natural back.

Men's Flannel Pajamas at 49c a Suit

Only 30 Suits in the lot, so come early. They are made of good quality outing flannel, and in regulation style.

Fashionable Coats, Suits and Dresses

BROKEN LINES SELLING TO \$25.00, TO CLOSE FRIDAY FOR, YOUR CHOICE..... \$5.00

No phone or mail orders—none sent C. O. D. or exchanged

An assortment of styles too extensive to describe. Suffice to say that all are this season's goods; broken lines from our regular stock; all sizes in the lot, including those for stout women. Those who would purchase a fine coat, suit or dress at less than the cost of the material alone, should not fail to attend this sale.

Men's Wool Socks 17c Pair

3 Pairs for 50c

A special lot of Men's Gray Wool Mixed Socks, slightly soiled, 25c grade—to close at 3 pairs for 50c.

Children's Cotton Stockings 10c Pr.

EXTRA! SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY! EXTRA!

All sizes, 6 to 9½; a standard make; children's medium-weight fine-ribbed Cotton Stockings, in fast black; made with reinforced heel and toe and double knee.

Purchase as many pairs as you wish, as long as the lot lasts, Friday at 10¢ pair.

NONE SOLD TO DEALERS

Plain and Colored Strips 9c Yard

12½c and 15c Qualities

White, Cream and Ecru Strips, in 36-inch width. Both plain and colored bordered styles.

Stamped Bath Towels at 23¢, Best 35¢ Grade

In the Art Section Bargain Friday—Stamped Bath Towels 18 by 32 inches. Conventional and cross-stitch designs.

Woven Rag Rugs 29c Each

Best 50c Grade

They come in desirable colors, are 18 by 36 inches, and are suitable for both bath or bedroom.

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69 garments in the lot; all in good style, color and pattern; come early for first and best choice.

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Portland's finest shoes, underpriced during this January Sale

You Men Who Want the Best and Who Are Accustomed to the Best

—Walk to Rosenthal's, twenty paces off Washington street, and buy some of America's best shoes at from \$1 to \$4 under regular prices. You can do it now during this sale of fine shoes, but it will be many and many a moon before you can do it again.

Factories are advancing prices almost daily. Don't be content with buying only for the present—buy for next Fall and Winter, or you'll surely pay more—dollars more!

Men's Shoes Genuinely Reduced

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Regular \$9 Boyden's Shoes, made in Newark; all sizes in calf or vici; single soles; all lasts and toes. Reduced to only **\$6.85**

Regular \$6 and \$6.50 Alden's and other Shoes; all sizes in tan Russia calf, black vici, kangaroo; lace or button. Reduced to **\$4.85**

Regular \$5 Shoes, in splendid qualities of calf; lace Bluchers in all lasts and styles of toes. Reduced to only **\$3.85**

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