

SLAVS AGREE TO RESUME PARLEYS

Teutons to Have New Chance for Peace—Trotzky Told to Negotiate.

LENINE MAKES ADDRESS

Formation of Great Red Socialist Army Commanded by Members of Their Own Party to Take Place of Old Order.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 26.—The national Russian congress of soldiers and workmen's deputies, to which the Bolshevik government has invited the question of war expenses, has authorized Foreign Minister Trotsky to continue the peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk, a Petrograd dispatch reports.

M. Trotzky will return to Brest-Litovsk early next week.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 26.—The congress of all-Russian workmen and soldiers' delegates organized formally today, naming Nikolai Lenin, Leon Trotzky, Maria Spiridonova honorary presidents. It also designated an executive committee of 13 members, each of whom will act in turn as chairman of the congress.

Old Order to Go.

Lenin delivered an address to the congress, reviewing the work of the Bolsheviks, which he said had abolished the old order entirely and would replace it with proletarian organizations and a great red socialist army commanded by members of their own party to insure safety against bourgeois oppression.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 26.—An official statement issued today by the Bolshevik government says that on Wednesday the congress of Cossacks from the front was inaugurated at the military station of Kamenskoye. It unanimously adopted a resolution declaring war on General Kaledines and relegating all authority to the congress.

Superior Officers Surrender.

A military revolutionary committee, the statement adds, was formed and detachments were sent to capture the towns of Likhala and Zverovo. Eighteen superior officers were arrested.

Continuing the statement says: "The Cossacks are fired with enthusiasm and are striving to end Kaledines with their own hands."

"The regiment detailed to aid the general staff was too late. At the staff headquarters a note written by General Kaledines was found, stating that the railways had been placed under special control."

BOLSHEVIKI AFFRONT U. S.

Vise to Passport of American Embassy Secretary Denied.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 25.—The Bolshevik government's foreign representative in Stockholm has refused to grant a visa to the passport of Livingston Phelps, third secretary of the American Embassy in Petrograd, who desires to return to his post. Phelps came to Stockholm recently with his wife, and intended to leave her here and return to Petrograd.

Ira Nelson Merritt, the American minister, has had no relations with the Bolshevik "minister," Vorovsky, but inasmuch as there was no other Russian authority here whose visa would be recognized he was compelled to request the courtesy of Vorovsky, who declined to comply.

The Bolsheviks also is refusing to give passports for American diplomatic couriers.

ROUMANIANS INVEST KISHENEV

Hot Fighting With Bolshevik Troops Reported in Progress.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Kishenev is reported to be surrounded by Roumanian troops, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Hot fighting is said to be in progress between the Bolshevik troops and the Roumanians.

EASTERN SUPPLIES CUT OFF

Chinese Officials Put Embargo on Exports to Russia.

HARBIN, Manchuria, Jan. 26.—The Chinese officials here have cut off all exports of goods to Russia, thus accentuating the food shortage in that country. The Russian frontier authorities have filed a protest, threatening to suspend the operation of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

WORKMEN BUY LUXURIES

William E. Shannon Deplores Tendency Toward Extravagance.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—"Bricklayers are buying more pianos nowadays than millionaires," declared William E. Shannon, vice director of the war savings stamps committee for the district, who spoke before the Washington Presbytery at its weekly meeting in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church.

The speaker was urging the prime necessity of supporting the Government in ways financial and deploring the tendency toward extravagance on the part of the newly-made prosperous artisans when the "piano" statement was made.

REVOLT SIGNS REPORTED

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clear word is spoken regarding Belgium. England's war mongering will end. An honorable, complete reinstatement of Belgium is our duty.

"I cannot see the day," Herr Scheidemann went on, "when Germany will say to the entente, 'We accept your terms; we are beaten.' But just as little can I see the day when England, France and the United States will say the same to us."

Regarding relations between Germany and Austria, Herr Scheidemann said an indication of the Austrian feeling toward the present German regime might be gathered from the fact that during the recent demonstrations in Vienna the Austrian Emperor was never once attacked by speakers, but that the German Emperor was openly and repeatedly insulted.

"This was due, he said, to attacks of the German Junkers on Austria. He declared the Junker press has been demanding that Germany should be freed from Austria."

"Let us seek in honor," said the speaker, "to save the world from new bloodshed in the Spring. Let us give up illusions on both sides. Remember that the feeling among our people is most serious. If you permit the Russian negotiations to break up and the people hope to be disappointed, what else can be expected but catastrophe?"

3 DIE IN TRAIN WRECK

TWO SMASH-UPS OCCUR IN MONTANA AND ONE IN COLORADO.

Runaway Freight Hits Passenger Train, Freight Strikes Sluce, Engine Demolishes Stage.

BILLINGS, Mont., Jan. 26.—Three men and an Indian woman were killed and several persons injured near Wyola, Mont., early today, when a section of a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy freight train broke its coupling on a hill and crashed into Burlington passenger train No. 44, eastbound.

The dead are: R. A. Clifford, Crow Agency, Mont.; A. E. Marlock, Reno, Nev.; Harry Jackrabbit, Wyola, Wyo., and an unidentified man.

The injured are: Herman Kruse, Benson, Neb.; Gladys Littlecote, Frederick, Bartles, Wyo., and Manon Butcher, Arvada, Wyo.

MISSOULA, Mont., Jan. 26.—Three trainmen—Albert J. Butzerin, engineer; Charles McAdam, fireman, and Leonard H. Bridges, brakeman—were killed today when a Northern Pacific Railway freight train crashed into a rock slide three miles west of St. Regis. Butzerin and Bridges were dead when their bodies were taken from the wreckage. McAdam died three hours later on a train bound for Missoula. Butzerin was a veteran engineer and served a term in the Montana State Legislature as Representative from Missoula county.

CASCADE, Colo., Jan. 26.—H. H. McLean, of Chicago; Charles Anderson, of Cripple Creek, Colo., and J. T. Hawkins, of Colorado Springs, were killed and two persons were injured today when the Colorado Springs-Cripple Creek automobile stage, westbound, was struck by a light Colorado Midland Railroad engine near here.

C. McDowell, of Billings, Mont., sustained internal injuries and may die. E. J. May, a banker of Cripple Creek, and Kaledines, also was injured. May was driving.

Hawkins for years was private secretary to the late James F. Burns, multi-national Cripple Creek mine owner, and was manager of the Burns estate.

REVOLUTION ON DON BEGINS

Statement Signed by Antonoff Tells of Formal Proceedings.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 26.—An official statement, which was sent out by wireless cables, was received today under the caption, "The Revolution on the Don," begins.

"On Wednesday at the military station of Kamenskoy, a congress of Cossacks was inaugurated. Representatives were present from 21 regiments, five batteries and two reserve regiments. There were present also at the congress all of the participants in the conference of laboring Cossackdom, which was instituted at Voronezh on January 12.

"General Kaledines gave orders for dispersal of the congress and the arrest of the organizers.

"The congress unanimously passed a resolution declaring war upon Kaledines and relegating to itself all authority on the Don."

The statement is signed by "Antonoff, Peoples' Commissary" (Assistant Minister of War here).

ATROCITIES NO FICTION

GRUESOME SIGHTS IN BELGIUM RELATED BY U. S. ARMY OFFICER.

Captain A. P. Simmons, Military Observer, Tells of Babies Impaled on German Bayonets.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—German atrocities have been minimized 100 times where they have been magnified once, members of the Republican Club were told today by Captain A. P. Simmons, a United States military observer in Germany during the mobilization, having been attached to the American Embassy at Berlin.

"Don't let anyone tell you that German atrocities are merely fiction," Captain Simmons declared. "One of the most gruesome sights I ever saw was the impaling of babies on the ends of German bayonets and their return to frantic mothers. If you knew the horrors of Belgium suffering in Belgium has been through, your blood would freeze in your veins."

Captain Simmons said the United States must send 5,000,000 men to France to make any showing. "For our enemy is fortified by almost impregnable forces."

FATHERS CARE FOR SONS

Seattle Men Send Dean Priest to France for Soldiers' Benefit.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 26.—Arthur R. Priest, dean of men at the University of Washington, will leave for France early next month to establish headquarters for the benefit of all Washington soldiers. The work has been financed by Seattle men who have sons in service, but will be carried out for the benefit of all Washington soldiers. The first cost is estimated at \$10,000.

It is planned to establish a headquarters equipped with all home comforts, which the soldiers can enjoy on leaves of absence.

Nordica's Will Is Upheld.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 26.—A decision adverse to George W. Young in his legal fight to obtain possession of the estate left by his wife, Madame Lillian Nordica, who died at Batavia, Java, was returned by Vice-Chancellor Stevenson here yesterday. The decision upholds a will made by Madame Nordica four months before her death, naming her three sisters as chief beneficiaries.

Santiseptic Boon to Mothers.

Sores and ulcers, chafed, itchy skin of infants. Keep their feet and feet. Fine for baby's tender skin. 50c. All druggists.—Adv.

COLLEGE IS FIRED

Fifth Blaze in Month Indicates Work of Firebug.

LITTLE DAMAGE IS DONE

Preparedness for Emergency Saves Destruction of Building—Police Believe Fires Work of Someone Connected With School.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Responsibility for the fire which threatened the factory building of Walla Walla College, the Adventist institution at College Place, this morning has not been placed by the authorities tonight, and there is some question whether the blaze was incendiary. Considering the fact that within a month there have been four other attempts to fire the main building and all were plainly incendiary, officers believe that this latest attempt was also work of a firebug.

The blaze had gained considerable headway before it was discovered by the night fireman about 6 o'clock. The blaze started in the factory building. The interior of the building was badly scorched before the blaze was extinguished by the volunteer fire department of the school. The Walla Walla fire department reached the scene within five minutes after the alarm, was turned in, some of the apparatus having been set apart for just this use in case of need.

Since the recent attempt to fire the main building, the college has had the auditorium building carefully guarded, and no attempts have been made for several weeks. Authorities of the school say they do not believe a student could be responsible. Officers, however, believe that the attempts in the past have been so-called "inside jobs," because persons responsible have shown great familiarity with the building.

All the attempts have been made when no life loss would have resulted, early morning or evening being the times chosen. In the factory part of the building where the fire was started this morning are located the lighting plant, heating plant, laundry and pumping plant.

A delay in discovery would have crippled the entire institution. Much of the machinery was damaged, but not so badly that it cannot be repaired.

NEW BLIZZARD COMES ON

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In tunnels dug through the snow left by the storm of two and three weeks ago, were quickly filled today.

Beginning of the week were directed toward towing cars into the city from the countryside, which was fast being snowed in.

A number of the main roads followed the action of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy early today and canceled all but a few trains, and some of them may suspend entirely for morning.

Blizzard Conditions Return.

Chicago was almost normal. Its streets were almost clear. Its schools, closed for weeks, were preparing to open. Its railroads, working day and night, had cleared "to all" under the caption, "The Revolution on the Don," begins.

Then came the fourth great blizzard, which threatens to rival the worst snow fall of the year.

Pavements and streets again are lost to sight and the work of 100,000 shovellers has been undone.

The fear of famine, coal tieups, milk tieups, of transportation suspensions which the city has faced three times and overcome, confronted Chicago for a fourth time. This time, if the weather conditions materialize, it will be in a more dangerous and powerful form.

Since the last blizzard the railroads have managed to clear their lines sufficiently to enable the cars to reach the coal mines in Southern Illinois and Indiana.

Fuel Situation Critical.

Pending the return of these cars, numbering several thousand, the city has been on almost a famine basis on its coal supply. Now there is no chance for these cars to be brought in for several days and the situation is extremely acute.

The blizzard also means no milk deliveries for two or three days, the food supply is very short and the situation, viewed from any angle, is extremely critical.

In connection with the milk supply a new problem faces the dairymen in the matter of getting feed for the cows. Few of the farmers had laid in a store sufficient for the entire winter, and grain is waiting at many road centers for days at a time until connections can be made with the dairies.

There is also present at all times the peril of fire in any one of the snowbound cities.

STORM TO PROLONG EMBARGO

Disastrous Effects on Railroad Transportation Seem Probable.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Just as railroad administration officials, encouraged by rising temperatures over most of the country, had begun today to discuss removal of the general freight embargo on three Eastern trunk lines, reports reached them of new snow storms, with their disastrous effects on railroad transportation.

The immediate result was the abandonment of hopes of removing the existing embargo tomorrow or Monday and the intimation that it might be necessary to extend it further.

After Chicago reports said from seven to 10 inches of snow had fallen and was being driven over tracks and trains by a high west wind, more snow was forecast for most of the eastward country for tomorrow.

Coal was kept moving and neither the fuel nor railroad administrations had any reports indicating any more serious commercial shortage than has prevailed for the past week.

The zone system of distributing coal probably will not be put into effect for another week.

11,500 WORKERS NEEDED

California Starts Labor Drive in Behalf of Shipyards.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—Federal authorities, in co-operation with California state and county councils of defense, will begin today a drive to enroll 11,500 shipworkers in California for national service.

Registration and enrollment will be conducted in inland counties, as well as in districts in which there are shipyards, executives of the State Council of Defense announced tonight.

Filipinos to Be Trained.

MANILA, Jan. 26.—The opening of three training camps and organization of recruiting depots to raise the division of Philippine troops provided for under the bill recently passed at Wash-

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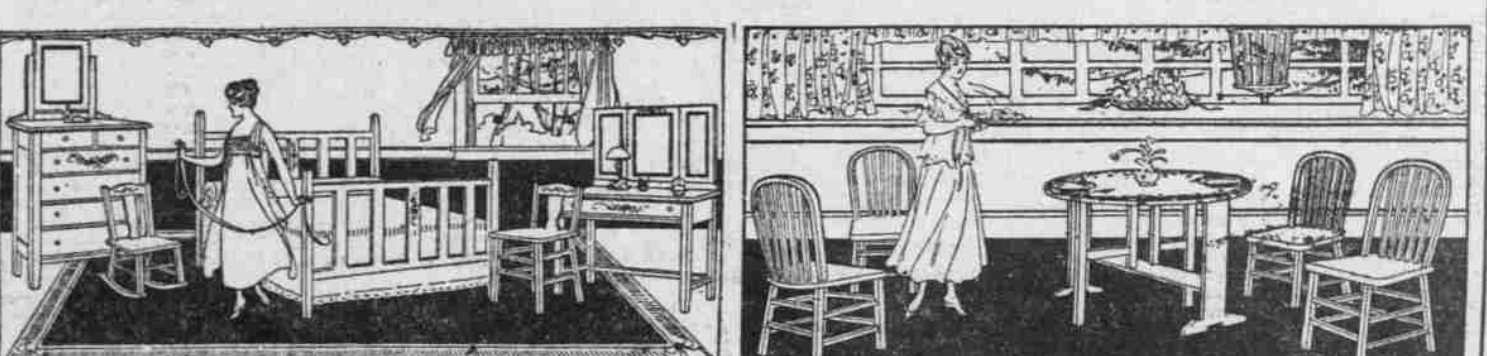
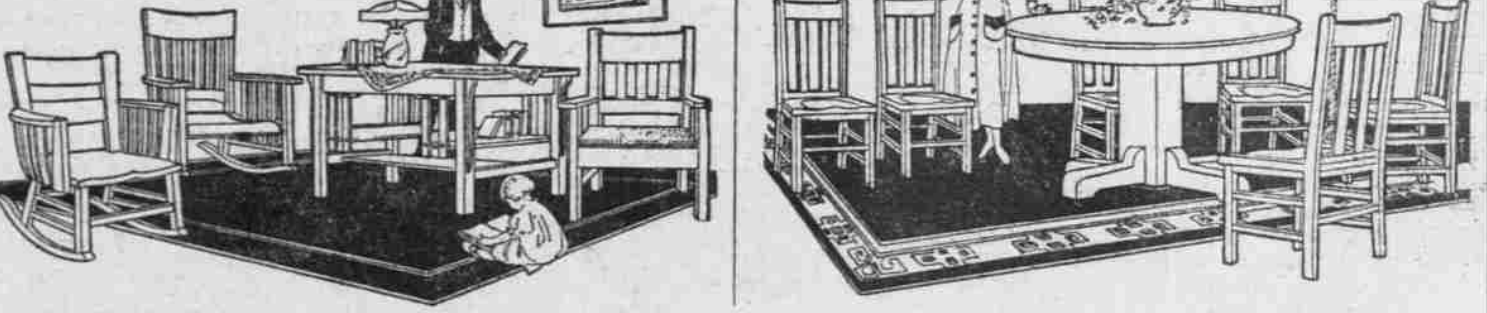
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Paper Mills Must Close.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Reversing an earlier ruling, the Fuel Administration today held that news print paper mills come within the class of industries that must be closed on the next nine Mondays to conserve fuel. The ruling was changed after the Federal Trade Commission had reported that enough news print paper was on hand in the country to supply newspapers for the next 25 days.

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