

SIR EDWARD GREY, RECHID PASHA HAVE PLAN READY

One of Turkish Envoys Said to Agree to Terms Suggested by the British Foreign Secretary.

London, Jan. 11.—It developed tonight that all was not harmonious in the Turkish diplomatic camp. Rechid Pasha, chief of the Ottoman peace plenipotentiaries, in a statement at the Carlton, was optimistic, admitting that negotiations would be renewed early next week on a new basis that might result in an agreement. Osman Nizam Pasha, on the other hand, was decidedly pessimistic. He said frankly that he had no hope of a peace agreement.

"Personally, I think we might as well pack our trunks and start for home tonight," he said.

Tewfik Pasha, the third Turkish delegate, was non-committal. Though there was no open criticism from any of the trio, it was inferred that Osman Nizam Pasha and Tewfik Pasha did not entirely approve of the plan which was said Sir Edward Grey and Rechid Pasha had agreed to try.

The Turkish envoys persisted in their declaration that the Porte never would consent to give up Adrianople, but this was thought to be largely for effect, because it was known that the ambassadors of the powers at Constantinople unanimously had informed the Turkish government that Adrianople would have to go.

The action of the British foreign office today in advising with the Turks amounts practically to intervention in the Balkan controversy, though it was wholly informal. The ambassadorial conversations will be resumed Monday, at which time Sir Edward Grey will lay before the other diplomats the plan he and Rechid Pasha agreed upon. The ambassadors have not yet received from their government authority to intervene, but it is confidently expected that by next week the representatives of the great powers will be clothed with authority to resolve the conversations into a formal ambassadorial conference, with power to take steps to end the Balkan struggle, and possibly also to mediate between Roumania and Bulgaria.

Dispatches from Athens said that Turkish Mussulmans, taking advantage of war conditions, had massacred 30 women and children and burned more than 100 homes in the village of Kermass in Epirus.

From St. Petersburg it was reported that official figures given out in Sofia put the Bulgarian dead in the Balkan war at 24 officers and 21,014 men, with 875 officers and 53,000 men wounded.

ONION GROWERS SENT MEMORIAL AGAINST REDUCTION OF DUTY

Protesting against the cutting off of the duty on onions in fear that such action would ruin the industry along the Pacific Coast, the Confederated Onion Growers' association of Oregon has sent a memorial to the state's representatives in congress.

The protest states that the omission of the duty would allow the orient to flood the market with onions owing to the low wages paid for labor there. The onion men claim that the average price received for their product is just above the cost of production in this country, therefore they are in position to compete with the cheap labor of the orient.

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FEAR FOR MAN WHO DISAPPEARED OCT. 12



W. A. Klingensmith.

Friends and relatives of W. A. Klingensmith, 1624 Macadam street, are greatly worried over his continued absence and fears are entertained that he may be dead. Since October 12, the date of his disappearance, not a thing has been heard that might indicate his present location. Klingensmith is 45 years old and at the time he was last sighted of his health was apparently the best. He left home at the usual hour the morning of the disappearance for his work in an automobile garage at Third and Hoyt streets. About 3 o'clock that afternoon he left the latter place with apparently no excuse. He was known to have no enemies, and no reason for his leaving is offered by members of the family. He was employed as a janitor at the automobile concern.

PROGRESSIVES TO BEGIN CAMPAIGN FOR 1914 AT ONCE

Press Bureau Is Established and Formation of County Branches of Party to Go Ahead at Once.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Jan. 11.—Complete plans for a continuation of the Progressive party for a fight to secure control of county governments and of the next congress, were announced here tonight. Leaders of the party from every section of the country have been in session for two days. Tonight it was announced that permanent headquarters had been established; that a publicity bureau would be opened and that the party would have a complete organization within a reasonable period.

"The first objective," says the report of the conference, as made public, "is the organization of the Progressive party in every county and congressional district throughout the country with the purpose of having county tickets nominated for the election of 1914 and of making an effective far-reaching congressional campaign in that year. Emphasis is laid upon the purpose of the party to have a candidate in every congressional district in the country in the next congressional election."

The educational committee, under the direction of Miss Frances A. Keller of New York and the legislative reference committee, it was announced, will immediately get to work at the headquarters in the Manhattan hotel. As soon as the new Forty-second street building is complete offices will be removed there, headquarters having been moved.

Elton W. Hooker, chairman of the finance committee, announced that he has named the following as his assistants: George C. Priestley, Oklahoma; Charles S. Bird, Massachusetts; H. D. W. Engle, Pennsylvania; George F. Porter, Illinois; and Arthur L. Garford, Ohio.

Secretary Oscar King Davis is to open the publicity bureau in Washington immediately. Headquarters there will be in the Munsey building. The work of the organization was placed in charge of Walter F. Brown of Ohio, who was authorized to visit the various states and get the work under way at once. Various conferences to aid him are to be held, the first to be in St. Paul on January 24, at which representatives of Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota are to be present.

STATE LAWGIVERS READY TO SMITE FOES OF PEOPLE

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measures will be the workmen's compensation act, road bills, judicial revision, and a swarm of bills said by their authors to be intended to "perfect" the initiative and referendum.

Another measure that may loom large politically is the second choice bill, vetoed by the governor at the last session. An attempt is to be made to pass it over the veto, or, failing in that, to enact a new law on similar lines.

Among other duties to be performed is the selection of a United States senator. This will come the second week, when Henry Lane will be chosen in accordance with instructions delivered by the people in November.

The legislature will also be expected to ratify in quick order the proposed amendment to the United States constitution providing for the election of Senators throughout the nation by direct popular vote.

BISHOP TURNS TABLES ON INQUISITIVE ATHEIST

(By the International News Service.)

London, Jan. 11.—The Church Family Newspaper says: A good story is told of the late Bishop of Ripon, who, when addressing an open-air meeting on one occasion, was interrupted by an atheist who asked him if he believed that Jonah was swallowed by a whale.

"I don't know," said the bishop.

"But, supposing," the other persisted, "that he is not there?"

"Then you will have to ask him," was the retort, and the crowd laughed uproariously while the atheist slunk away ashamed.

DEMOCRATS WILL HOLD UP ALL CIVIL APPOINTMENTS

Senate Caucus Agrees to Protest Against Taft Naming Republicans to Serve During Wilson's Administration.

(By the International News Service.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—Democratic senators held a caucus today and decided to stand pat in their opposition to a corner in Republican patronage.

The Republicans having refused to cooperate with a Democratic committee to consider the nominations with a view determining what should be and what should not be confirmed, they determined to stand pat and hold up everything but army and navy promotions and the diplomatic appointments until the further orders of the caucus. It is said the Republicans are willing there should be no delay in acting upon the nominations placed upon the exempt class by the Democratic caucus.

Postmasters and other civil appointments intended to be filled with Republicans within a few weeks of the end of the Republican administration will be protested against by the Democrats, even if it takes a filibuster to enforce their protests.

Immediately upon the convening of the senate today Mr. Warren gave notice that there were at least two military nominations that must be confirmed today. They were favorably acted upon.

The reappointment of Brigadier General George H. Torney as surgeon general of the navy and Brigadier General James A. Aleshire, quartermaster general, to be chief of corps with the rank of major general for four years from August 24, 1912.

The necessity for action in the case of General Torney prior to January 14 was that his present appointment expires then and he would be compelled to leave the service altogether on account of age unless reappointed before that date.

Oregon Appointments Delayed.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Jan. 11.—There will be rather cold comfort for those whose names are sent in by the president. Two postmasters were the only nominations for Oregon that the president sent in today. Those that Ralph Williams submitted must go to the various departments having jurisdiction and be approved. This is naturally a mere matter of form, but it will delay their presentation for a few days.

NEW YEAR BRINGS "RENO RING IDEA" HERE TO PORTLAND

The "Reno ring" is here. More strictly speaking, perhaps, the "Reno ring idea" is here, the ring being but a common or garden variety of wedding ring while the "idea" of the thing is in wearing the martial gold band on the third finger of the right hand, rather than on the customary and tradition-ordained third finger of the left hand.

Reno Ruth, one of the principals in the celebrated "Silk Hat Harry" divorce case, explains that the fad started in the Nevada divorce colony as a result of the sentimentality that divorces attach to the wedding ring.

After the final separation papers are granted the regular finger is no longer a strictly legal place for the narrow gold band, so it is now customary to switch it over to the corresponding finger of the right hand.

There it may remain as a reminder of old memories and emotions, while at the same time it does not stand in the way of further decorations to the "regular" ring finger of the left hand.

The fad came in with the new year, the fact that it was Leap year having made it less necessary in 1912.

COLUMBIA RIVER GEESSE WAX FAT ON GREEN FOOD

(Special to The Journal.)

White Bluffs, Wash., Jan. 11.—Between Locke island in the Columbia river and Locke ranch on the highlands thousands of wild geese make trips

twice each day, morning and afternoon, and hunters stationed in wheat fields of the plateau are taking home immense bags of game.

The distance between the roosting ground and the feeding ground is so short—about four miles—that the geese have not worn themselves poor from the exertion of flying. As a consequence they are in better condition than they have been in the valley of the Columbia for years. Three of the hunters brought to White Bluffs yesterday weighed an average of 14 pounds each. The feeding grounds afford the geese the best sort of green feed without any effort to get it.

PREACHERS SHOULD DON OVERALLS, SAYS PASTOR

Port Worth, Texas, Jan. 11.—Put the preacher to work makes him don overalls and wild pick and shovel with the station gang. Let him labor in factories, stores, mines and on the ranch. Thus he will gain a practical knowledge of the needs of his fellowmen.

This is the philosophy evolved by Rev. J. P. Hicks, pastor of the Memphis Presbyterian church as the result of a week's experience as floor walker at Burton's store.

"I believe that the practical preacher who stops his clerical labors periodically to get into close contact with the outside world is the successful preacher of the future," declared Rev. Mr. Hicks.

"As an indication of my sincerity I have planned active operations of this sort in the packing houses and the railway yards at Port Worth. John P. King, president of the King Candy company, has offered to let me work in his factory whenever I choose to do so. I shall certainly avail myself of the permission providing that I remain in Port Worth."

Because it is difficult for a man aiming a searchlight to see the object at which his light is pointed the French navy has perfected an electrical aiming device which may be operated from a distance.

BECOMES BURGLAR FOR THE AFFECTIONS OF GIRL

Detroit, Jan. 11.—Love for a blue-eyed, grown up girl and a desire to give her a merry Christmas resulted in Charles Miller's being held at the county jail on a charge of breaking and entering a dwelling in the night.

The story of his temptation and fall was told before Judge Phelan Wednesday when the prosecuting attorney recommended that the charge be modified to read breaking and entering in the daytime. He was remanded for investigation.

Miller is a clean looking little Englishman, who has not been long in Detroit. He met and fell in love with a little miss who he says is a blonde, but whose identity he conceals. He offered to tell her name to Judge Phelan, but the latter refused so as to shield her from any connection with the case.

Anxious to win her favor, Miller said, he cast about for a proper remembrance to bring to her at Christmas. November 14 he is said to have entered the house of Everett Lila, 235 Second avenue. The inmates there were the proud possessors of furs of such splendor as could only be worn in advantage by crinkly-haired blue-eyed maidens. But Miller is a clumsy sort of man and he made enough noise to arouse the family. Arrest followed.

Judge Phelan ordered him to keep the girl's identity a secret and not to implicate her in his misfortune. He then instructed his attorney to investigate Miller's record.

Hedwig Staronska, believed to be the oldest woman in Germany, has just celebrated her 118th birthday at Dossau near Posen. Official documents attest to her birth in 1794.

The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks has established new lodges in the states of Minnesota, West Virginia, Idaho and Oklahoma.



What Are Your Home Plans for the New Year?

Are you going housekeeping the boarding-house way? Almost starve to death in genteel misery, with all the world looking on to see the first quarrel and the first make-up. Nothing to show for your hard-earned money but a dozen rent receipts at the end of the year.

Or are you going housekeeping the Edwards way? A cozy home in your own privacy. A bright kitchen full of good things cooking; a house full of pretty furniture—all your own at the end of a year or so.

Twenty years ago the boarding-houses were full of newly weds—but

that was because people had to pay cash for their furniture. It was impossible for the man on a moderate salary at that time to have his own home and his own comforts.

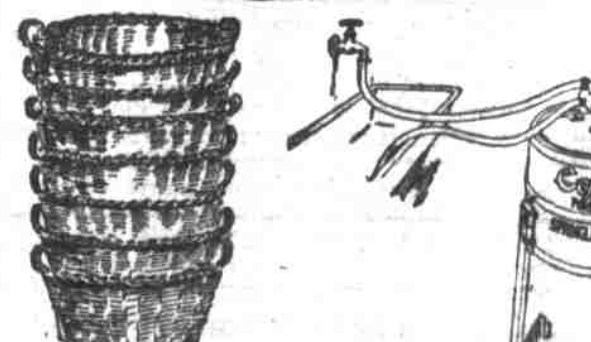
Today housekeeping is the thing. Edwards' credit plan has made the necessity of "sad-eyed people cooped up in a boarding-house" a thing of the past. Go housekeeping the Edwards way. It's the right way. It's the comfortable way. It's the happy way. It's the easy way. Best of all, it's within your means, no matter how small your income.

Edwards' Annual Sale

Everything Except Contract Goods Reduced

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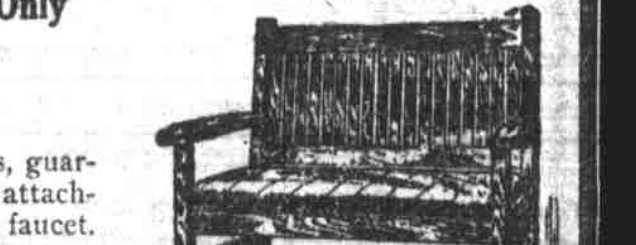


Prices on Water Motor Washers Reduced from \$25.00 to Only

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Water-power washing machines, guaranteed for a year, will run by attaching hose to your cold water faucet. Saves the drudgery of washday.

Sale of Bungalow Sets

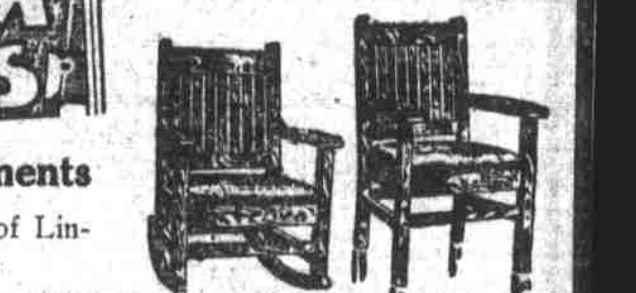


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1.25 Axminsters75¢
1.50 Axminsters83¢
1.75 Body Brussels\$1.18

All Rugs reduced 10 to 30 per cent below our usual reasonable prices.



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No. 2, 21-in. 80¢
No. 3, 28-in. 90¢
No. 4, 30-inch \$1

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Two-Shelf Racks45¢
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