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Answer to President Wilson's Note Suggesting Definition of Peace Terms Will Outline Objects Sought.

DOCUMENT NOW BEING DRAFTED, IT IS SAID

London Believes Germany Is Eager for an Early Peace.

> Negotiate Through Wilson,

27.—(11 -If President Wilson will from the entente allies their terms of peace, Germanys 'probably" will furnish to the president the Teuton terms, it was stated at the German embassy today.

Central power diplomats agreed with this belief. They move from President Wilson England's reply to his peace note is received. Should Wilson thereupon ransmit the German reply to England and should England officially ask for Germany's peace terms through the president, it is thought probably Germany will reply favorably similar concession was made

In such an event, however, Germany, it was said, would prefer both sets of peace terms be held temporarily confidential between the belligerents and President Wilson and be published except by mutual agreement

By Ed L. Keen.

London, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)-England Intends to tell the world exactly what Belief Transmission Difficul- Searching Party Goes Again she is fighting for. Her answer to President Wilson's note suggesting that belligerents in the great war define their peace terms, will be a clear outline of the objects which Great Britain and her allies hope to attain That this sort of a note is now in (Concluded on Page Three, Column Three)

### GERMAN AGENTS AT THE HAGUE PREPARE FOR PEACE MEETING

Dispatch From Dutch Capital Says Hotel Accommodations Are Sought.

Los Angeles, Dec. 27.—(U. P.)—An invitation for the belligerents of Europe to send their delegates to Los Angeles for the conference suggested by the central allies is provided for in a resolution introduced in the city council today

by President Betkouski of the

council. This provides for the extending of the invitation by the mayor and council, through President Wilson, to all of the belligerent nations. London, Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S.) -Gernan agents have arrived at The Hague to make preliminary arrange-

ments for a peace conference if one be brought about, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company today from the Dutch capital. The text of the dispatch from The Hague follows: "In view of the preparatory meeting

delegates to a peace conference suggested in the Germany reply to for German peace representatives."

Desire to Move Cautiously.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S.)-To make known her peace terms at this time would seriously weaken Germany's position, according to a view expressed in diplomatic circles

German statesmen are said to feel that they can bargain for better terms if they enter a peace conference with their exact conditions un-

Neutral diplomats declare it is evident that Germany wants to parley upon the basis of the present war map and that it is equally evident that the allies will not listen to any such proposal-that is, for the time

#### Four Hurt When Elevator Tumbles

Aberdeen, Wash., Dec. 27 .- By the fall of an elevator in the American mill, a distance of 30 feet, late yester- of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boscello, were day afternoon, four men were injured. taken early today from the ruins of

### Portland Always World Center FIGHT FOR RATE Arrowhead Industry Was Big PARITY IS WON AIM OF ALLIES City Should Have Real Museum

Smithsonian Ethnologist Says Willamette Valley May Tell Indians' Source.

"The Willamette valley was without doubt the great industrial center of primitive American life. The important question is how long ago.

"To the layman the finding of Indian arrowheads signifies a particular area was a battlefield. This is entirely erroneous in view of the finding of thousands of these relics. What it does signify is that such a great area as the Willamette valley was at one time a great manufacturing area, a great working and distributing cen-

"Geologically and archaeologically it is the most important area west of the Rockies. Its relation to the Indian is important, for it is the richest the discovery of Indian flints, hammers and other implements known.

Such is the opinion of Dr. Leo rachtenberg of Washington, D. C., an thnologist of the Smithsonian insti-"Through Portland's arrowpoint collection, which is the greatest in the

world and the only connected one of its kind, will be possible a comparison

Smithsonian Institution Will Help. "Portland should by all means have museum for the adequate preserva-



Dr. Leo J. Frachtenberg.

of the points of the Willamette valley tion and display of these important In with those of Europe and Asia. And dian relies. Interest on part of the this way we hope to discover the re-lation of the Indian with the other among those who have private collecraces of mankind," Dr. Frachtenberg tions and in this way the city's collection would be augmented.

"The Smithsonian institution will cooperate with Portland every way pos-

### UNITED STATES WILL GIVE CARRANZA MORE TIME TO SEND REPLY

Protocol Answer Is Cause.

Washington, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.) -That arranza's answer to the American process of formulation was learned on peace commissioners' demands for igning of the troop withdrawal prothis afternoon of one of Carranza's

He refused to permit his name to be used in connection with a statement. on that subject claimed to know noth-

Washington, Dec. 27,-(U, P.)-The nited States government will await or two for Carranza's answer on the troop withdrawal protocol.

Though yesterday was the last day of grace in which he could sign, authoritdifficulties may have delayed his reply. For that reason they refused to consider formulation of any new Mexican policy until they were certain he had ignored the recommen-

In fact the general feeling still was that Carranza would come to terms searched for the missing men all day in an eleventh hour message. If he does not, the Mexican peace commission will be automatically ended, although a formal session of farewell will probably be necessary. Then, ac-

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#### Horses Shiver While Worshippers Pray

Baker, Or., Dec. 27.-While their wners prayed for salvation, at a revival meeting at the "Church of God" last night, their horses, left unprotected at hitching racks, suffered Salem, Or., Dec. 27.—Dr. R. E. Lee ist congress, in session here, today greatly and probably would have Steiner, superintendent of the Oregon adopted a resolution favoring a statefrozen had not officers been sent to state hospital for the insane, today care for them. church and told the worshippers that Hurst, an attendant at the asylum, the horses would be taken in charge with assault and battery as a result unless blanketed, and issued a warn- of Hurst's rough treatment of James ing that during the cold weather Powers, a patient, last night. rses must be stabled.

people from the country, driving in told the patient to undress. The pa- are ready to give their aims for the with sleighs. President Wilson, German agents have known as "Holy Rollers," and wor- according to Dr. Steiner, Hurst took arrived at The Hague and are making ship without a leader, all praying at the patient to the linen room, threw inquiries for hotel accommodations the same time with much noise and a towel around his neck and choked confusion. Officers had some diffi- him down. Again, when the patient of free nations in civilized humanity." culty in getting a hearing, and the did not undress when told, Hurst orshippers were quite indignant.

#### San Francisco Trade Breaks All Records

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—(P. N. S.)
-Breaking all records for San FranJapanese Passenger cisco's foreign trade, preliminary esti-mates by the customs house toda; placed exports for 1916 at \$125,000,000 and imports at \$116,000,000. This means that exports have virtually quadrupled in 10 years, the 1906 gures being \$32,462,626. In 1915, ex-

#### ports were \$80,539,218 Imports in 1906 totalled \$45,192,378 and in 1915 \$83,338,138 Parents Away, Boys

Aspen, Colo., Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S.) Charred remains of two boys, children

### (Concluded on Page Eleven, Column Three) TOM RILEA IS FOUND: FATE OF FLEMING IS NOT KNOWN AS YET

ties May Have Delayed to Look for Wanderers in for the Southern Pacific railway. Wilds of Curry Country,

Rilea, the Oregon City Power plant in the mountains between West Fork in each to the "average point" in other with a clean white layer. socol had been received was the claim and Mariel, in Curry county, was found alive at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. according to a brief telephonic message received by the United States forother available sources of information estry bureau here at 11 o'clock this

The message was from Forest Ranger Helm, believed to be at Agness, was ley line. routed via Crescent City, and read: "Found Rilea 11 a. m. Tuesday. Not frozen and doing well." No particulars of the rescue of Rilea are yet available at West Fork, or at ies expected today that transmission the forestry bureau here, as the wires from West Fork to Mariel and Agness

are still down. The fate of Commodore Fleming, the rural mail carrier, unaccounted for since Saturday in the same locality, is not yet known. The party from West Fork, headed by Lee Emerson, which Tuesday and was forced by deep snows and intense cold on the divide to return to West Fork last night, started out again this morning.

This party could not, yesterday, get beyond Nine Mile, which is the apex of

#### Rough Handling of Insane Man Charged

Superintendent Steiner Swears to Complaint Against Earl Hurst, Attendant at State Institution.

They entered the swore to a complaint charging Earl

The affair was witnessed by Dr C Members of the church are largely E. Bates of the hospital staff, Hurst They are commonly tient did not heed the request. Then, grabbed him and roughly dragged him his room, a distance of 30 or 40

> complaint was issued today oon by Justice of the Peace Webster. Hurst has been employed at the asylum about a month.

# Steamer Is Ashore

Tokio, Dec. 27.-(I. N. S.)-The Japanese steamer Sankaku Maru, with 100 persons on board, has gone ashore off is awaited with interest by the gov-Chefoo, China. says a dispatch received here today. Among the passengers on the Sankaku Maru are two Americans, Efforts to refloat the vessel have been futile.

### Are Burned to Death Union of Churches Indorses Peace Note

London, Dec. 27.—(I. N. S.)—Presi-

iterstate Commerce Com-Portland Lumber Companies for Equality.

MARYSVILLE IS NAMED AS POINT OF DIVISION

New Rates Are Ordered Established on or Before March 15.

Washington, Dec. 27 .- (WASHING TON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)-Portland lumber mills won their fight for parity of rates with Willamette valley competitors in reaching Sa Francisco bay points by decision he Interstate Commerce commission today in the case brought by the In man-Poulsen, Eastern & Western and East Side Lumber companies. The ommission held that rates on fir and hemlock lumber and lath in straight or mixed carloads from Portland to San Francisco bay and all points south of Marysville, also to Auburn, should ot exceed Willamette valley rates or rates from the Tillamook branch to he same destinations.

"Traffic from Portland east is more highly competitive than to the south, says the commission's decision, "and the first point south to which rates from Portland and the Willamette valley should be the same may properly be more distant than the first point east of Portland. We are of the opinon that rates south of Marysville, however, should not exceed rates from he Willamette valley."

James G. Wilson represented the Portland mills. New rates in accordance with the decision were ordered established on or before March 15. The Willamette valley lumber rate case has been hanging in the commis-

ion's balance since January 9, 1915, when it was argued at Washington by James G. Wilson, for the Portland \* lumber mills, and by C. A. Durbrow. The hearing was had in the fall of were gathered for the commission. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* The railroad contended that under the present system of rate-making, arbi-

the "average distance" from the towns groups. It happened that the Willamette valley group left off just a few miles south of Portland. The Portland rate was higher than from the valley, although figures showed the railroad where they will "tip off" these maricarrying lumber for long distances at the Willamette valley rate before the

A similar case involving the rates from the Willamette valley and from Portland, respectively, into the Salt Lake City territory, in which the same issues are set out, is still pending before the commission. In that case the Portland mills are seeking a lower rate than the valley enjoys.

# FAVOR A STATEMENT OF TERMS FOR PEACE

Congress in Session in Paris Adopts Resolution Bearing on the Great War.

Paris, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.) -The Socialist congress, in session here, today ment of terms from the ailies on which peace may be established,

The resolution, which was adopted by a vote of 2911 to 130, demanded: "That the French and allied governments, in replying to President Wilson, having wanted peace, but having re-establishment of peace and are ready to agree to any solution which, ending the injustice of strength, would organize in accord with neutrals, a society

#### Booze Shippers to Retain H. McGinn

Judge McGinn will represent Wohlers, Ed Donovan and Ed Baker, indicted for conspiracy in shipping in booze from California to Portland, in violation of the Interstate Commerce act, these defendants announce. The case has been set for trial on February 1, at which time Judge McGinn will have undoubtedly retired, from his present office. This eventuality ernment's attorneys. Deputy District Atttorney Barnet: Goldstein will represent the govern- added.

ment in the case. He has taken over all the liquor cases, as a matter of fact, and will prosecute alleged bootteggers hereafter, who violate the fed-eral statute. No date has been set for the trials of the cases against William Margulis, or the several others, accused of bringing in illicit Considerable delay has been experienced in obtaining the custody of

Philadelphia, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)-15 he belligerent nations of Europe agree

#### LATE NEWS BY WIRE Suspect Is Shot on Busy City Street

Man Believed Implicated in Phoenix, Ariz., Holdup May Die as Fight Result.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)-In a thrilling duel on a crowded business street this afternoon, Deputy mission Grants Plea of the Sheriff Murphy shot and probably fatally wounded Pete Salinas, arrested on suspicion of being implicated in a holdup last night and also believed to be a desperate character wanted in Los Angeles and elsewhere. As the officer approached him

> revolver and sent for more ammunition. While awaiting bullets, Murphy arrested Salinas' companion and Salinas took refuge in a gtore. When other officers arrived Salinas resumed his fire from a vantage point, he officers, dodging behind automooles and trucks, closing in on him.

## Murphy surprised Salinas by a flank movement and shot the bandit through

Storm to Slacken and Cause No Serious Trouble, Promises Weather Man.

BOTHERS CAR SERVICE

Appeals were issued today by the Humane society and by the Oregon Fish and Game commission asking the public to feed the birds which ordinarily manage to pick up a livelihood from bushes and from the ground.

The snow has covered the food the birds usually find and unless people throw crumbs, meat scraps and other food, the wild creatures will suffer in case the snow con- \* tinues. Thousands of birds were fed

during the protracted storms of

Just about half way between the trary groups had to be established and milkman and the paper carrier this a rate made for these groups based on morning a sneaking snowstorm slunk upon Portland, salting down the city

The weather bureau had hardly an inkling of this stealthy approach, be cause it came from the ocean. So far the bureau has failed to educate the mermaids and sea lions to that point time snowstorms.

Snow May Turn to Rain. It began snowing just before 'clock. By the time people began to get up everything was covered. The weather bureau believes the snow will turn to rain before very long, but it isn't dead sure. At noon the weather bureau figured

that the indications point to a modifi-

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#### Texas Congressman Weds Schoolma'am

Jeff McLemore Takes Bride Whom He Met 13 Years Ago-Couple to Leave at Once for Nation's Capital. Galveston, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)-De-

ite a youthful aversion to school eachers, Congressman Jeff McLemore epent 13 years of his life winning one. le will marry her at her mother's ome here at 5 o'clock this afternoon The bride is Miss May Clark Mc-Lemore met her in Kingsland, Texas, 13 years ago. Only members of the mmediate families will attend the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. McLemore will leave for Washington at once.

#### Nine Negroes Jailed In Murder Mystery

negroes are in jail here today in connection with the murder of John Reeves, his wife and two child-en hristmas night. County authorities gressive votes registered for Roosesuspect that the crime was engineered velt four years ago. y a white man, however, and

#### Nine Aeroplanes of Allies Brought Down Liquor Warehouses

Berlin, Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S., via Saywireless.)-Nine allied aeroplanes have been shot down by the Germans on the western front, the oificial statement said today. Intense artillery fire in the bend of he Ypres river and on the northern ank of the Somne also were reported. The fire slackened toward evening,

#### Independence Hall Is Made Available Mexicans Release

to meet in a peace conference they will Chris Faulkner, foreman, suffered a the Boscello home which was de-broken arm and internal injuries. A stroyed by fire of unknown origin, fifth workman clung to the scaffolding and hung on until rescued. The men were injured, taken early today from the ruins of the Boscello home which was de-dent Wilson's note was emphatically some of the defendants, as they are indered in obtaining the custody of the Boscello home which was de-dent Wilson's note was emphatically indered to some of the defendants, as they are independence to bring the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the defendants, as they are be offered the use of Independence to find the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the defendants, as they are be offered the use of Independence to find the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the custody of the defendants, as they are be offered the use of Independence to find the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to the father was visiting friends when the father was visiting friends when the father was visiting friends when the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to the father was visiting friends when the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the father was out of town and the butch section of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the father was out of the was out of the world and the father was out of the was out of the World's Union to use his influence to bring the father was out of the was out of the

#### General Herrera Is Killed.

United Railroads Sale Asked. San Francisco, Dec. 27 .- (P. N. S.) E! Paso, Texas, Dec. 27.-(U. P.) Sale of a portion of the United Rail- A refugee arriving from Torreon to ads, its franchises and property at day brought word that General Luu public auction to satisfy a bond is- Herrera, commander of the garriso sue balance of \$1,800,000 was sought there, was killed when Villa captured this afternoon in an action filed in the city December 21. Herrera was the superior court by the Oakland formerly Carranzista commander at bank of Savings and the Anglo and Parral, but fled before the town was London-Paris National Bank to fore- occupied by Villistas. Mexico City lose an existing mortgage, dispatches today confirmed the repor of Herrera's death.

Attorneys for the plaintiffs this aft-ernoon said that the suit was brought to protect bondholders and that an immediate reorganization of the United Railroads is necessary

Bank Resources Increase Big. sources of the national banks have inthe inauguration of the federal reserve system three years ago, accord-Salinas opened fire and while the ing to the report of Comptroller of Russian positions which consisted of crowd scattered, Murphy emptied his the Currency Williams today. The several lines of barbed wire and resources of the national banks have which were tenaciously defended." doubled since the spring of 1908, he

> Actors Will Strike New Year's Day New York, Dec. 27 .- (I, N. S.) Twenty-five vaudeville actors, affillated with the White Rats Actors' lived on money obtained from girls inion of America, will strike New whose hearts he has won. The man Year's Day unless a new agreement is held on a suspicion charge, is the "King affected giving the actors a new style of Heartbreakers," they say, but has of contract, closed shop, three shows never married. Police are looking for day, a six day week and a reduc- Miss Mabel Mackay as a witness. tion in booking agents' commissions

To Open H-3 Salvage Bids. eached near the entrance to Hum- by Superior Judge George H. department tomorrow recited diver a mile across in the eninsula into Humboldt bay, ald, and the bids are expected to be n the neighborhood of \$100,000.

Storm Wrecks Army Tents. Washington, Dec. 27. - (I. N. S.) damaged a field hospital and other ulldings.

Harriman's Son Engaged.

\* Fries to E. Roland Harriman, son of \* the late E. H. Harriman, was an with an initiative petition. San Bernounced today. ably will take place in the early cent general election, Canadian Monastery Burns.

Russo-Roumanians Defeated. Berlin, via Sayville wireless, Dec 27.-(U. P.)-"Complete defeat" o the Russian-Roumanian forces on Washington, Dec. 27.-(U. P.)-Re- front of 17 kilometers (10 miles) southwest of Rimnicul-Sarat was recreased over four billion dollars since ported in today's official statement. "In five days' struggle," the state ment said, "our forces pierced strong

> Another "Oliver Osborne" Held. Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.) leveland police announced today they had caught a second "Oliver Osborne" Wax. He has, they say, for 15 years

Von Walden Gets 10 Years. San Francisco, Dec. 27 - (P. N. S.) -Edwin von Walden, son of a prom-San Francisco, Dec. 27.—(P. N. S.) inent Cincinnati physician, today was Bids for salving the submarine H-3, sentenced to 10 years in Folsom prison inent Cincinnati physician, today was Cabholds bay, will be opened by the navy aniss for the robbery of the Mission branch of the Anglo-California bank It may be necessary to drag the here August 30. The court denied his motion for a new trial.

Freight Embargo Is Lifted. Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 27 .- (I. N. )-Embargoes against freight ship- Thursday ents from connecting lines, declared eneral Pershing reported that the been repealed, according to announcethristmas storm which swept the en- ment made this morning. The Frisco president of the State Normal school campments of the punitive expedition will now accept freight for any point destroyed 75 per cent of the force's and in any quantity or classification.

San Bernardino Has Gone Dry. San Bernardino, Cal., Dec. 27 .- (P. S. S.)-San Bernardino heretofore one of the strong liquor centers of New York, Dec. 27 .- (I, N. S.)-The the state, has gone dry. The council engagement of Miss Gladys C. E. yesterday adopted a prohibition ordinance after it had been submitted The wedding prob- nardino voted dry by 800 at the re-

Gonzales' Secretary to Die. El Paso, Texas, Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S.) Oka, Que., Dec. 27.—(I. N. S.)—Fire -Major Francisco Ariata, secretary to made to determine whether a vacancy f undetermined origin today de- Governor Arnulfo Gonzales, has been exists. \* stroyed the monastery of the Trappist sentenced to death for the shooting of monks here. The loss will reach the chief of police of Juarez. He is in

### PRESIDENT'S POPULAR TORNADO IN ARKANSAS PLURALITY IN NATION 518,147 OVER HUGHES

States on the Presidential Election Are Made Public.

New York, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.) -- Woodears more by virtue of a popular pluality over Charles Evans Hughes of najor political parties. This total does was increased to 14. ot include votes for the Socialist, Pro-

The figures, as assembled today by he United Press, are based in a maof the states, as certified to the elec-

314,462 votes, against 8,796,315 for able reports today. Hughes. over those figures. Similarly, the Republican nominee

Taft) in 1912, polled 3.484,956 votes. Hughes' total in 1916 was an increase land, whose family was injured in the of about 152 per cent. The total vote collapse of their home. cast for the two major parties was 4.212.295 more than that cast in 1912 gett, 7, and Francis Snow, 9, all living for the then three major political near Carlisle. parties. In other words, there was an increase in 1916 of more than 30 per cent in the total vote cast. There is no way, on the basis of the figures themselves, to ascertain what became of the 4,119,507 Pro-

red velt four years ago. not be nation-wide vote Identity of Ship in harges have been filed against the on the Socialist and Prohibition tickets are yet incomplete, but it is esti-The 15-months old baby, which was mated that Alian Benson, Socialist, rebelieved to be dying in a Shreveport ceived about 571,000, nearly 200,000 hospital, was reported today to have less than the Socialist ticket polled in 1912; and the Prohibitionist candidate Hanly, 225,200, or about 17,000 more than the same ticket received

## Seized for U.S. Tax

Government agents today seized the would have been found in the wireless wholesale warehouses of E. Gouge & messages. Co., corn whiskey distillers, to satisfy claims for \$161,000, which the government alleges is due it in unpaid rev- and Acushnet, which are now in the enue taxes. The claims are based upon the weights of grain received by the company compared with the amount of liquor which it scheduled

#### American Prisoner Washington, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)-Ri-

ardo Soles, American citizen recently taken from Matamoras to Victoria for died Sunday at her country residence in trial, has been released, the Mexican Meung-Sur Laire, aged 72 years. The foreign office informed Consul Parker real name of Mme. de Thebes was Anna at Mexico City today.

# CAUSES DEATH OF SIX WHITES, 15 ARE HURT

Complete Returns From All Several Negroes Killed; Wires Are Down and Details Received Are Meager,

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 27 .- (U. P. ow Wilson will be president for four -With wire communication to the tor-18.147 votes out of a total of 18,110. Arkansas restored partially late this preliminary work previous to getting 7 cast on November 7 for the two afternoon, the number of known dead down to actual distribution of money

The report that a score hibitionist or Socialist Labor candi- perished at Walmpoo was denied. Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S. -Six white persons and several nejority of cases on the official counts gross dead and 15 persons injured was the toll exacted by the tornado which swept through central southern Arkan-They show that Wilson received sas yesterday, according to all avail-

Rumors that the convict camp at Four years ago the Democratic can- Tucker had been demolished, many lidate (Wilson) polled 6,293,019 votes, convicts killed and all others freed, The Democratic candidate's total this were set at rest today when word from of Columbia. year was an increase of 48 per cent Tucker said that the camp was undamaged. The known dead are

Albert I., Swartz, a farmer near Eng-Choice Padgett, 10, and Allalee Pad-Two negroes near Pine Bluff, tw near Sherill and one near England.

## Distress in Doubt

Seventeen negroes are reported to

have been killed when a settlement

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Owners of Maryland Believed Lost of Opinion Identity Would Have Been Indicated Had Vessel Been Theirs. Philadelphia, Dec. 27 .- (U. P.)oubt as to the identity of the steam-

ship Maryland, believed to have been lost off Sandy Hook, still kept the oftices of Crew, Levic company here busy. This concern owns a steamer of that name but officials were unanimous in their belief that had the Mary. land belonged to them some indication

from the coast guard cutters Gresham position which the Maryland last reported before her wireless failed Fear was expressed for the safety of the Maryland's crew, consisting of 34 Spaniards.

#### Madame de Thebes, Clairvoyant, Dead

Paris, Dec. 27 .- Madame de Thebes, famous astrologist and clairvoyant,

Pedagogues to Get Into Class Along With Doctors, Lawyers, Newspapermen and Other High Class Lines.

STATE ASSOCIATION TO MEET HERE TOMORROW

Delegates Are Gathering in Portland From All Parts of Oregon.

Oregon teachers are to have a code f ethics for their guidance, Physicians have their ethics; lawvers have theirs; the Fourth Estato has its; and now the teaching profession has fallen in line. In written form, a code of 16 cardlnal principles was adopted by the rep-

resentative council of the Oregon State Teachers' association, meeting at the Hotel Portland this morning. Delegates from all parts of the state are in attendance for the council, which is the governing body of the association, the general meetings beginning in the Lincoln High school

The ethical code was prepared by by the Frisco railroad last week, have special committee appointed a year ago and headed by J. H. Ackerman at Monmouth. The code as adopted, and to which

all the teachers of the state will be expected to subscribe, follows: Here Is Code of Ethics. "To govern one's conduct in public and private life by the highest principles of courage, justice and truth, "To be loyal to all movements look-ng toward the raising of the standards of the teaching profession with a

reciprocal loyalty between teachers, uperintendents and principals. 'Not to make application for an adinistrative position until a vacancy as occurred, nor to apply for other ositions until every effort has been

"Never to underbid.

"Never to undermine. (Concluded on Page Three, Column One)

### SPOKANE IS SELECTED AS LOCATION OF FARM LOAN BANK OF N.-W.

Washington, Montana and Utah Comprise District to Be Served.

Washington, Dec. 27 .- (I. N. S.) to the farmers of the nation today, by farm loan banks are to be organized. The list of cities was as follows:

District No. 1-Springfield, Mass. covers Mane, New Hampshire, Ver-mont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York and New Jer-District No. 2-Baltimore; covers Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland,

Virgania, West Virginia and District District No. 3-Columbus, S. C.; covers North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, District No. 4-Louisville, Ky.; covers Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Ten-

District No. 5-- New Orleans; covers labama, Mississippi and Louisiana. District No. 6-St. Louis; covers Illiois, Missouri and Arkansas, District No. 7-St. Paul: covers Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota. District No. 8-Omaha: covers lowa. Vebraska, South Dakota and Wyo-

District No. 9-Wichita, Kan.; covers Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico District No. 10-Houston, Texas; covers Texas. District No. 11-Berkeley, Cal.; covers California, Nevada, Utah and Ari-District No. 12-Spokane, Wash

covers Washington, Oregon, Montana

#### Corset Is Called Greatest of Evils By Indiana Woman

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27,— (I. N. S.)—Of the three great evils, corsets, the white plague, whiskey-the corset is greatest. This is the declaration of

Mrs. Anna Lee, who has drafted for introduction in the Indiana legislature a bill prohibiting the manufacture of There is more tuberculosis in children of corset deformed mothers than in whiskey drink-

ing fathers," she declared to-

"Intoxicants have been in general use for centuries, tuberculous children were never known until the corset was invented."