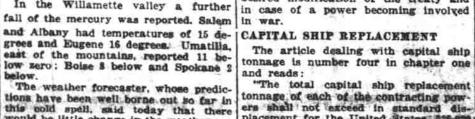


be a misapprehension about cific will be organized, grammar grade dances. Because these "No coast port need fear the result of ances are held in grammar grade does the conference," said Robert Dollar, head they are grammar grade punot mean they are grammar grade pu- of the most powerfu-pils. If they come, they come with their ing in the Pacific. of the most powerful companies operat-"The conference parents, and at the last dance less not aimed to take trade away from any than 12 out of 250 were grammar school locality in favor of another, but to bring additional trade to each port. "The United States shipping board "Now I wonder how many of the

modern amusements today can be con-ducted in the name of God. I don't passenger carriers, preferably to Amer-



onnage is number four in chapter one

tonnage of each of the contracting pow-ers shall not exceed in standard dis-placement for the United States, 525,657 tons (535,400 metric tons); for the Brit-

before the deal is made.

Price points out that the validity of the will has been settled definitely by the state supreme court and the two remaining suits pending in court would The trouble began Tuesday when the pontiff contracted a cold. As a precauthis morning. The school was a two story brick building with basement. It was built in 1910 and was one of the ences were cancelled. The Vatican enbest equipped schools in Eastern Oregon. The value of building and equipment is put at \$59,000 and insurance is \$34,000.

thool was destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock

feel that our recreation is any of God's MRET AGAIN TONIGHT

"The principal argument I have seen is because some of the children go home eithout proper chaperons. I wonder if these gentlemen have followed up the parties and Christian Endeavor associations, from which the young people go home without chaperons.

"Shall we close up the clean dance and let these children who have been taken care of ro to the vicious dance? If our school dances are to be prohibited, what provision is to be made for these children ?"

After hearing both sides of the argument the school board voted to continue the hearing tonight at the auditorium of the Lincoln high school, so that all who are interested in the controversy might be accommodated. Some of the Methodist pastors present objected to the date because of its conflict with a conrence of Methodists, but Parentfeacher members insisted.

They started it; let them see it rough," exclaimed one, and Dr. Grough," (Concluded on Page Twenty, Column Four)

WHITING DENIED CUT IN ALIMONY

Circuit Judge Tucker handed down a decision this afternoon denying the motion of Dr. Sanford Whiting that he be awarded the custody of his elder son. Curtis, and that the alimony he was previously ordered to pay his first wife. iva Whiting, he reduced from \$185 to \$100 a monthly.

The judge has had the case under advisement for several days. He held that Curtis, who is now 14 years old, is at the age when he most needs the care of his own mother. The court said : Investigation shows that the children have an equal regard for both parents. Whiting, I find, is living in moderate circumstances and, with the alimony left at its present figure, she will be able properly to care for both boys without going outside to work as she has been doing."

The judge said he appreciated that Dr Whiting's practice had been curtailed since the war, but expressed the belief that he could recover himself by diligent

## Local Boxing Board **Bars Middleweight** Champion J. Wilson

Following the steps of other boxing commissions throughout the country, the Portland boxing commission has placed Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion.

m the blacklist, Wilson's suspension in Portland will

stand until such a time as he has been restored to good standing by the Naional Boxing association. Wilson is barred in virtually every

state in the union where professional boxing is legalized. This action against Wilson was taken after he declined to carry out a contract to risk his chamarry out a contract to risk his cham-ionship with Harry Greb, Pittsburg be forced to resign soon because of in-ability to attend his duties.

ican interests. American interests must see their way clear, however, to operate the vessels they buy at a profit and that is one of the purposes of the con-ference and of the shipping pool which will be formed."

Members of the Portland committee baleful influence of librarles, church who will attend the ship merger conference at San Francisco Friday left Wednesday evening for the southern city together with two representatives from Seattle and two from Astoria. They were to have been joined at Eugene by two representatives from Marshfield.

> On Way to Salem to Confer About Bird Reserve Controversy ter early Wednesday registered 5 de-

W. C. Henderson, assistant chief of the United States biological survey, from Washington, D. C., and Dr. L. E. Hibbard, superintendent of the Malheur lake reservation, from Burns, arrived in Portland this morning on their way to Salem to meet with the state land board and the attorney general on the Malheur lake

bird reserve controversy. Henderson is representing the biological survey in a conference with the state authorities in response to a request by the Oregon delegation to congress to consider a possible agreement with the

state. Malheur lake has been the subject of bitter strife between the state and federal government for years, with the sportsmen and prospective settlers com-

### plicating the issue Patients at Deaf School Decrease

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 19 .- Decrease by 14 persons at the state school for the his place, Thirty-first street and Kauff deaf at Vancouver at the end of December, 1921, as compared with the year previous, is shown in the report of the institution received by the department of business control. Inmates numbered 118 December 31, 1921, and 132 a year ago. Inmates are being steadily discharged after learning trades by which they may make their own way. The school poultry farm produced 255 dozen eggs and 320 pounds of dressed



St. Louis. Jan. 19.-(I. N. S.)-Former o'clock it had risen to seven above. Governor Elliott W. Major and seven Columbia river here today is completely other officers and directors of the closed frozen across and for 100 feet is strong Night & Day bank, now in the hands of the state department of finance, were indicted today on charges of receiving de- of moderation in the weather. There is

posits after they knew the institution was insolvent. The offense is a felony under the Missouri statutes.



denying the seriousness of United States Senator Crow's illness, it is still be-

part of the county, but in the southwest it was warmer. Thursday morning the government thermometer registered 10 above, with the sky overcast. Ice in the river is still moving, but is in large fields with narrow channels of water between. All farm work throughout the county is suspended and few farmers are coming to Vancouver because of the icy condition of the roads. COLUMBIA BIVER SPANNED BY ICE AT THE DALLES The Dalles, Jan. 19 .- The official min-

but Weather Observer A. A. Quarnberg

reported a temperature of 9 above at

man avenue. Reports from the country

indicated 8 above in the northeastern

imum temperature here this morning man. There sh was seven degrees below zero and at 3 drawn, she said, The enough to hold up a man. It is partially cloudy here today, indicating possibility no wind.

Following Wednesday morning's low record for two years of 10 degrees be-low zero, the mercury crawled up 28 de-

Ridgefield, good coasting.

(Concluded on Page Twenty, Column One) Ill With Influenza

Paris, Jan. 19.--(I. N. S.)--Georges Carpentier, light heavyweight champion boxer of the world, is ill in bed at his here with influenza

a minimum temperature of prob-525 000 tons (533,400 matric tong) ably only 22 degrees would be reached Generally fair weather will accompany for France, 175,600 tons (177,800 metric (Concluded on Page Twenty, Column Four) the rising temperatures and the winds are expected to shift to the south. The

weather man believes that the tempera-SAYS PUNISHMENT tures will be high enough soon to prevent the south winds from bringing

FROZEN RIVERS HALT BOATS **KILLED TWO VETS** CARRYING SCHOOL CHILDREN Ridgefield, Wash., Jan. 19 .- Ridgefield and surrounding country are experiencing the lowest temperature of

would be little change in the weather ex-

cept that it would be warmer Friday and

snow.

Washington, Jan. 19 .- (L N. S.)-Two LAND AT \$20 PER A CRE two winters, accompanied by snow. which fell Tuesday morning to a depth American soldiers died in France from

of two inches on the ice-coated ground. the effects of being held under cold acre. On land of this character a man According to H. C. Clair Jr., manager water by military police of the A. E. F., who knows farming should make a comof the Ridgefield Lumber company's as punishment for coming into camp late addition be able to lay aside from \$500 at night, according to testimony given to \$1000 each year. today before the senatorial committee grees above zero, while at the resi-

dence of Mayor N. C. Hall it read 8 investigating charges of Senator "Tom" above. In the outlying districts the cold Watson of Georgia. s not so intense, ranging around 9 and The witness was James Elliott, a doc-10 degrees above. The cold wave forced tor and lawyer of Newark, N. J., who attempting to bring in Japanese, to use the suspension of operation at the sawtold the committee that the incident mill of the Ridgefield Lumber company which he described took place at Safor an indefinite period. venay, France, in the summer of 1918. Lake river is reported frozen over

The soldiers, according to Elliott, were and for the first time in two years the named Craig and Jones. two "kid boats," gasoline launches, used

in transporting children to and from Royal House Will school by Orlando Horn and Robert Mc-Grotty, could not make their usual trips Have New Romance because of the frozen river. Ice skat-

ing and coasting are popular sports. Lakes near Lake river afford excellent skating and Packard's hill in East London, Jan. 19.—Another romance

affecting the royal house of Windsor will be disclosed, so it is said, at the WIDE VARIATION IS SHOWN IN CLARKE TEMPERATURES wedding of Princess Mary and Viscount Vancouver, Wash., Jan. 19. - A wide Lascelles next month. The announcevariation in temperature between points ment will be made of the engagement of along the Columbia river and farther the Duke of York to Lady Mary Ashley. out was observed Wednesday morning daughter of Lady Shaftesbury, who is A thermometer at the east entrance of lady-in-waiting to the queen. the St. Francis hotel registered 18 above,

band's suit for divorce. Star Defends Mary Garden

By James L. Kilgallen of my nationality, of course. But Chicago, Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.)-Mme. know what American woman can do! Your women have so much more free-Rosa Raisa, world's greatest dramatic dom and they develop their intelligence

soprano, today announced her convic- so " "Why should not a woman be able to tion that a woman is fully as compeproperly conduct an opera company?" tent to conduct an opera company as a she continued. "What difference does it man. There should be no sex line make-Mary' Garden or Gatti Cazazza' SOREY FOR MURATORE

said :

of the value of Monsieur Muratore badly counselled."

Mary Garden a failure as manager of "Woman or man? The question is not, the Chicago Opera association? she a woman; it is, does she know "Oh, no, no, no !" exclaimed Mme. her job? I think Mary Garden does." Raisa, in an exclusive interview in her Mary Garden, commenting on the decdressing room. "Not so-she is too typically American!" laration of Muratore that he could not return here to sing under her direction. But, she was told, Lucien Muratore,

the internationally famous tenor, says Garden as a "directa" is "impossi ble" because she is a woman and, wo manlike, inclined to change her mind PRAISES AMERICAN WOMEN

The prima donna registered mild as-tonishment. Her dark eyes smiled indulgently. "Woman is a much maligned creature at times," she said. "As for Mary Gar-

den-well, here is an exceptional woman, typically American, with all the Petit, to this country. high qualities of the women of this The famous French tenor was vigor-

great country, ability, imagination, resourcefulness and tact. "I, myself, am a Russian.

GULD HUMIENS HS The state land committee will have planty of land in the Ochoco project, as well as in other localities at the right price for the ex-service men was who wants to take advantage of his state loan under the bonus law. What we insist on is that the former soldler settler be given a chance to make good and pay off his indebtedness. Our lands will not be in the hands of men inter-

ested in speculation. We will try, in every case, to arrange for equitable conthe coldest spells in recent years. tracts between the ex-service man and the original land owners, and will insist In San Francisco the weather bureau said the temperature was 33 during the that the speculative profit be eliminated night but at points in the city it was

lakes in Golden Gate Park. The city jail and the firehouses were filled with We have land offered under irrigation jall and the firehouses were filled with men-unemployed who have been wanprojects now being constructed at \$20 an dering the streets-who were taken in **Of Store's Business** 

reported from interior California towns. cold wind accompanied the freeze. "As far as Japanese are concerned or

#### Ochoco or any other project the Amer-DENVER SECTION PROMISED ican Legion national organization, a

well as the state organization, depend Denver, Colo., Jan. 19 .- (L N. S.)on the posts near where speculators are Rising temperatures are promised today by the weather bureau for Denver and all friendly persuasive measures to dishe Rocky Mountain region, which have courage importation into localities where there are no original settlements at presbeen in the grip of the severest cold wave of the winter for the past 24 hours. with the thermometer readings ranging

Walaska Sues Hubby and, Wyo.

To Obtain Bric-a-Brac Kan., narrowly escaped death from freezing on the prairie east of Colorado

(By Universal Service) New York, Jan. 19.—Action to recover furniture and bric-a-brac seized last exposed to the biting cold for several hours. The Millers were driving to Salt August by her husband, Alexander Smith Lake City lochran, multimillionaire sportsman, was begun here today by Ganna Wal-

aska, operatic prima donna. Mme. Walaska also asks \$10,000 damages. She BLIZZARD STRIKES TEXAS; is in Paris aiding her lawyers in the Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.) The winter's worst blizzard struck Texas early today. Snow and sleet preparation of the defense of her husare reported through the Panhandle and

Washington, Jan. 19.-(1. N. S.)-

will not be approved by the department of justice, Attorney General Daugherty

gant, against the Oregon Growers' Packing company. The Weigant boy. Appropriations for the department of justice are not sufficient, Daugherty said, to permit the expenditure of money six years old, was drowned when he fell to employ the additional marshals who would be needed under the Havnes'

"Foreign dictation is a thing of the past. We are to have a little American dictation for a while and see how that works out. It is a pity to see an artist **Dublin Hall Is Seized** By Unemployed Army Muratore is defendant today in an action brought by the United States dis-trict attorney charging him with vio-

By Charles M. McCann

I am proud Mary Garden joined in the applause. took part in the demonstration

San Francisco, Jan. 19 .--- (U. P.)--Caliornia was in the grip today of one of domestic science and art, library, principal's office and general assembly room. The gym and the grade school, two frame buildings nearby, were saved by efforts of Wallowa's volunteer fire

lower. A thin crust of ice formed on the department.

for a warm night's sleep. Temperatures of from 20 to 30 were

BELIEF FROM COLD SPELL net business of \$1\$3,000,000 in 1921, it was revealed today in a statement read to the house of representatives by Representative Mann, Illinois, The statement declared the company made a net profit of 2.29 cents on every dollar for a total return of 6.3 per cent on the capital

from eight below zero in this city early this morning to thirty-six below at Wor-

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miller of Wichita, Springs when their automobile broke

down. They were rescued after being

SNOW AND SLEET REPORTED matters affecting ex-soldiers, it was announced today.



Plans of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes to concentrate deputy United States marshals to assist "dry" agents n the enforcement of the Volstead law

court Wednesday night awarded \$3759 damages to the estate of Charles Welannounced today.

into an open cesspool on the company property in this city last October. Daugherty Obtains

lation of the contract labor law in bring-ing his valet, Ernest Petit, and Mrs. Petit, to this country. The famous French tenor was vigor-ously applauded when he appeared last "ously applauded when he appeared last" refused to evacuate, despite orders from

The basement had two large rooms equipped for manual desining and farm shop and agriguitural work, boys' and girls' lavatories and shower baths, third grade rooms, and the necessary room for the furnace. On the first floor were recovery. The visit of King Albert of Belgium to Rome later in the month may be post-poned as a result of the pope's liness. Arrangements had been made for the king to be received at the Vatican. Dr. Batishni, who visited the pope with GRIP IN CALIFORNIA strike invatories and the necessary room for three recitation rooms, commercial de-partment with enclosed typewriter room, invatintendent's, office and inboratory. On the second floor were two rooms for

Dr. Mascisrolli, denied alarmist rumors regarding his holiness. MRS. RYAN DIES IN

HOSPITAL AT PARIS

Paris, Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.)-Mrs. Audrey Creighton Ryan, 22 years of age, California music student, who accused Washington, Jan. 19 .- (U. P.)-Marher husband, Thomas S. Ryan of Musshal Field & Co., Chicago, one of the largest retail stores in the world, did kogee, Okia, a writer, with forcing her to swallow three bichloride of mercury tablets at the point of a knife, died in the American hospital at Nuellly this afternoon. Ryan, who was arrested or information furnished by Mrs. Ryan and her mother, denies any guilt and contends that his wife swallowed the polson with suicidal intent.

### Martha P. Bateman **Republicans** Call Is Granted Divorce Bonus Bill Caucus

Washington, Jan. 19.--(I, N. S.)--As a result of insistent demand of members Colfax, Wash., Jan. 19 .- An intercutory decree of divorce was granted who saw service in the World war, Reto Martha Pet Bateman of Pullman publican members of the house will hold against Arthur James Bateman, formerly of Columbia county. They have one son, a caucus next Wednesday night to consider soldiers bonus legislation and other student at Washington State college, Fullman. In September, 1917, Bateman was declared mentally incompetant and

Dallas, Or., Jan. 19 .- A jury in circuit

committed to Medical Lake. Mrs. Bateman later had him taken to a private Negro Confesses satitorium in Spokane, from which he disappeared in 1918. He was located in Theft of \$500,000 1920, living in Fresno, Cal., under the

apsumed name of E. A. Deau, and had married in 1919. This marriage was annulled. Mrs. Bateman was awarded Eikhart, Ind. Jan. 19 .- (U. P.)-Dan 193 acres of land in Columbia county. Last August a Walla Walla court deciared Bateman restored to mental petency.

# Says Congress Is **Usurping Authority**

Washington, Jan. 19 .- (L N. S.)-If For Death of Boy congress is going to usurp the authority of the interstate commerce commission and fix railroad rates by legislation, the commission might as well be abolished Senator Cummins (Rep.) of Iowa, chairman of the senate interstate, commerce committee, declared in the senate during debate of the pending bill to fix railroad mileage rates and make mileage

> Masked Men Kidnap Kansas Evangelists

books interchangeable.

**Retail Price Data** Salida, Colo., Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.)-A sensational kidnaping was revealed here Washington, Jan. 19 .- (L N. S.)-A today when two evangelists who have been conducting a revival in Salida reeport on retail price conditions in the United States as a basis for possible ported to police that they were seized by action in federal or state couris has masked armed men after their meeting been made to Attorney General Daugherty by, William J. Burns, chief of the to the town of Swissvale, 10 miles and

bureau of investigation, it was offi- The victims were the Rev. J. W. Kra. cially announced at the department of mer and his song leader, Raiph Mile both of Denver.