

## LANDIS THREATENS BASEBALL LEADERS AND WINS VICTORY

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Federal Judge Landis today was formally accepted as the supreme head of organized baseball when the club owners of the American and National leagues in joint session signed an agreement binding themselves to abide by his decisions. The minor leaguers were expected to give their approval later in the day.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Federal Judge Landis threatened to resign as the supreme dictator of organized baseball today when a word was substituted in the new national agreement, stripping him of authority immediately to investigate charges of crookedness or corruption.

Judge Landis who addressed a joint meeting of the American and National leagues, gave the club owners fifteen minutes in which to adopt the agreement as originally drawn, threatening to resign at the end of that time if they failed to adopt it.

Judge Landis objected to the substitution of the word "recommend" in the revised agreement. The original agreement authorized him to "take" immediate action to investigate all charges of crookedness.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—The National Association of Minor Leagues today voted unanimously to sign the proposed new major-minor national agreement.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—The American league, on motion of B. B. Johnson, its president, today signed the new national agreement which was ratified at their New York meeting. The motion was seconded by Tom Shibe of Philadelphia.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Players Ruml, Borton, Maggett and Dale, involved in alleged baseball crookedness in the Pacific Coast league today were expelled from organized baseball by the National Association of Minor Leagues.

## FARM BUREAU DRIVE NOW ON

President Geo. A. Mansfield will be the principal speaker at a series of meetings that will be held throughout the county commencing January 14th. Mr. Mansfield, as president of the State Farm Bureau has just returned from the federation of the state organization and has a message of interest for you from the State and National Federation of Farm Bureaus. Also a message of interest for every farm woman interested in the development of the women's welfare work in Jackson county under the direction of your home demonstration agent.

Be sure and get out to these meetings on the date scheduled.

## FEARS MEXICO MAY BE 'SAN DOMINGOED'

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 12.—(By Associated Press.) Resolutions were received today by the Pan-American Federation of Labor congress, a motion having been adopted that all resolutions must be submitted before 5:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Comment on occupation of San Domingo by United States marines was again heard from Carlos Gracida, a Mexican delegate, referred to the section of the secretary's report dealing with the efforts of the American Federation of Labor to secure native rule in the island, and required that the present congress make a renewed protest, "as there is danger the same force may be applied in Mexico."

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Daniel McInerney, Jr., 6 years old, is in a serious condition at a hospital today because he sampled some of the moonshine whiskey his father had bottled and stored in the basement.

The police will turn Daniel McInerney, Sr., over to the federal authorities today to answer charges of violation of the Volstead act.

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## POLAND WILL PAY COST OF GETTING ITS CHILDREN FED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan.—In the face of poverty and famine the Polish government has raised a sum of more than \$200,000 and dedicated it to the uses of the European Relief Council to defray a portion of the cost of feeding the 200,000 starving children and nursing mothers of the country during the next five months.

The sum, according to advices received at the Pacific headquarters of the council today from the Warsaw office has already been placed at the disposal of the PKPD, the Polish organization working for the American Relief Administration by the assumption of responsibility for all deliveries of food sent to the famished country from Danzig to the various warehouses and food kitchens from which the work of human salvage is carried on directly.

## LATEST NEWS OF THE STATE

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 12.—The body of Daniel Vickstrom, who disappeared from his home at Silverton last Saturday, was found in Silver creek there yesterday. He had been ill for two years past. He was 60 years old.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Jan. 12.—Reduction of wages averaging 20 per cent of the present scale has been announced by local timber operators, effective January 15 in all branches of the lumber industry.

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 12.—The First State and Savings bank of Klamath Falls, Ore., was today closed by Frank C. Bramwell, state superintendent of banks, who announced that his department took the action because of depleted reserves of the bank. The bank has capitalization of \$100,000, surplus to the fact that the politicians in Washington amounting to about \$1,225,000. Captain J. W. Seimens is president.

## OBITUARY

SLOVER—Elias Slover died at his home in Central Point January 10 of pneumonia at the age of 76 years, and 29 days. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Sarah E., two sons, Henry and Charles Slover of Central Point, and eight daughters, who are Mrs. H. E. Reynolds of Gresham, Ore.; Mrs. Mary Mayfield, and Mrs. Jane Mayfield of Central Point; Mrs. Ann Mayfield of Bend, Ore.; Mrs. Julia Pierce of Jacksonville, Ore.; Mrs. Dollala Hammersley of Eureka, Calif.; Mrs. Clara Craddock of Doris, Calif.; and Mrs. Ella Cleveland of Central Point.

Mr. Slover had made his home at Central Point for the past seven years where he leaves a host of friends to mourn his loss. The remains are at the Perle Funeral Home. The funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 10 a. m. at Central Point. Interment in Central Point cemetery.

MERRIMAN—Barbara Aylze Merriman, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt B. Merriman of Gold Hill, Ore., died at the home of the parents, January 12, aged three months. The remains are at the Perle Funeral Home. Funeral arrangement announced later.

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 12.—Dr. Peter Hansen and Mrs. Eva Bussey, of Rock Springs, Wyo., are under arrest here today, the doctor charged with enticing Mrs. Bussey away. She is charged with desertion. They were trailed here by the woman's husband.

## AMERICAN NAVY AIDS QUELLING RIOTS IN CHINA

SHANGHAI.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—After the looting and burning of the important Yangtze river port of Ichang by mutinous Chinese soldiers, the arrival of British, American, French and Japanese gunboats has brought an end to the outbreak. The inordinate soldiers held undisputed possession of the city, which numbers upward of 40,000 people, for more than five days.

For three days after the outbreak, telegraph service down the Yangtze was seriously interrupted. Messages that later found their way down the thousand miles of river to the coast carried the information that about 60 Chinese had been killed in the insurrection and that it was ended only when the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Ichang had agreed to pay \$100,000 to a Chinese officer commanding the mutinous troops.

It was stated that the outbreak developed because the troops had not been paid for six months.

Reports are that Japanese were the principal sufferers among the foreign population, which numbers upwards of 100 persons. Offices of the Robert Dollar company, which operates a line of river steamers up the Yangtze, were among the other foreign establishments looted, according to reports of the company's agent. The Standard Oil company's office in the same building was not damaged.

It is understood that, probably to avoid international complications, forces were not landed from the gunboats, when it was found that foreign lives were not in danger and no further damage to foreign property was imminent.

## SCOLDED FOR WET FEET BOY COMMITS SUICIDE

DETROIT, Jan. 12.—Joseph Grichvich, 5 years old, committed suicide last night by shooting himself in the head, according to a statement to the police by the lad's father, Daniel Grichvich.

The boy had been punished for coming home with wet feet and sent into the kitchen to dry them, Grichvich said.

MADRID, Jan. 11.—Alejandro Lerroux, the radical leader in a speech today, declared that only a republican form of government could save Spain.

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