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### FURUSETH TELLS WHY HE LEFT CONFERENCE

#### Differed With Other Delegates On Question of Manning Life Boats.

New York, Jan. 6.—Andrew Furu- seth, appointed by President Wilson to represent the American Seamen at the international congress for the safety of life at sea, came here yesterday from London to tell president why he resigned that post. Furu- seth is president of the National Seamen's union of America.

Furu- seth said he gave up his post because he could not agree with his American colleagues regarding recom- mendations for the manning of life- boats. He considered that steamships should carry sufficient men of three years' experience to man life boats in case of disaster, and accused the other delegates of trying to lower the exist- ing standards of safety.

### APPEAL MADE TO GIVE AMERICAN LABORERS WORK

Washington, Jan. 5.—An appeal that American laborers be given preference under the government's contract for improving and rebuilding of Fort Bliss, Texas, is made in a letter just received by Representative Stevens of Texas from J. A. Starling, commis- sioner of labor statistics of that state.

### STOCKHOLDERS MAKE UP RESOLUTIONS OF CLERK

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The Farmers bank of Schaumburg, Ill., opened for busi- ness as usual yesterday after the 2 stockholders had made up the

deficit of \$40,000 said to have been caused by peculation of Frank Hen- ning, assistant cashier, who dis- appeared new year's eve. The stock- holders voted to double the capital stock.

According to John Fenz, president of the bank, it is not certain that warrants will be sought for Henning. The missing assistant cashier is said to have left an explanation of the alleged shortage and an agreement to make it good.

### TROUBLE IS SETTLED WITH JEWISH BAKERS

Cleveland, O., Jan. 6.—A strike which threatened to call out all the Jewish bakers in Cleveland was set- tled yesterday after only a few hours' duration, when these bakers' committee reached an agreement with Jacob Makoff, president of the Makoff Bakery company, where the strike oc- curred. Makoff is the largest baker of kosher bread in the city.

### HAVE THWARTED FAKE WRESTLING SWINDLE

Cleveland, O., Jan. 6.—The police believe they thwarted a \$10,000 fake wrestling swindle and other opera- tions planned by confidence men here in the street Sunday of five well dressed men in a downtown hotel. A complete confidence game outfit was captured with the men. It in- cluded a blackboard marked with the names of horses running at Jauzez, a bookmaker's desk, dummy telegraph instruments, racing forms, "green seconds" and "article" of agreement for a wrestling match for a bet of \$10,000.

### LAND LEASED FOR A U. S. CAMP SITE

Winchester, Va., Jan. 6.—The fed- eral government has leased approxi- mately 1500 acres of land near here which will be used next summer as a camp site for the federal troops which will take part in the military maneuvers. The negotiations for the property were conducted by Major James A. Logan, of the general staff of the army.

### LAST GREAT SALE OF OKLA. INDIAN LANDS

#### More Than Million Acres of Agricultural and Grazing Lands to Go.

Idabel, Okla., Jan. 6.—The last great sale of Indian lands in Oklahoma under the direction of the United States government began yesterday. More than a million acres of timber, agri- cultural and grazing lands are to be sold in five county seat towns in Mc- cord in five county seat towns of the Choctaw nation during January, the sale in McCurtain county being the first to begin.

Months have been spent by the de- partment of the interior in prepara- tion for the sale. Hundreds of land buyers and home seekers have flocked here to bid on the tracts which will be sold at auction. There is no lottery in connection with the sale. Every buyer is required to make prompt payment.

### TEARS UP TRACK WHERE PEOPLE WERE KILLED

#### Mayor Crump of Memphis Re- taliates When Road Ig- nores Order.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 6.—Heading a large force of workmen, E. H. Crump, mayor, and Thomas Dies, commissioner of public utilities yester- day tore up the railroad tracks at the grade crossing where five persons were killed and several injured Sunday night when a freight train on the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad and a street car collided.

The freight train was operating on a track that city officials had ordered removed several days ago. The rail- road authorities had made no move to comply with the order and the mayor's action resulted.

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### EGG CONSUMERS STRIKE STARTED IN ST. LOUIS

#### Inaugurated to Demonstrate Influence Over the Market Conditions.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6.—An egg con- sumers' strike which is to last a week was inaugurated yesterday by the People's league, a civic organization with a membership of almost 1000.

The league has urged both house- wives and restaurant patrons to ab- stain from the use of eggs, not so much for the purpose of effecting an immediate reduction in the price of eggs but rather to demonstrate that the consumers can get together and thereby exert an influence over market conditions.

### FATHER IS SUSPECTED OF MURDERING CHILD

#### Body to Be Exhumed For Examination of Stom- ach Contents.

Simsboro, La., Jan. 6.—Pending the result of a chemical analysis of the body of Mary Loux, nine years old, Casper Howell, the child's stepfather, is held here on a charge of murder.

The child was struck by a train several days ago, but she did not seem to be seriously hurt, and when she was apparently near the point of recovery an attack of convulsions proved fatal.

### WESTERN FUEL CO. TRIAL IS RESUMED

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 6.—The Western Fuel company conspiracy trial, which eight officers and em- ployees of the coal concern are ac- cused of conspiring to defraud the government out of "customs duties and drawbacks," on duties paid was resumed yesterday before Judge M. T. Doolittle in the United States district court. Before Christmas court ad- journed until after the holidays.

### CHARGES FILED AGAINST U. S. PRISON OFFICIALS

Washington, Jan. 6.—Charges of severe punishment, bad and insuffi- cient food, favoritism and other al- leged abuses against the administration of the Atlanta federal penitentiary are contained in documents submitted to the department of justice, it is an- nounced.

### THE SECOND CONCERT WAS MOST SUCCESSFUL

#### Asheville Band and Orchestra Club Delighted Large Audience Yesterday.

The Asheville Band and Orchestra club gave the second of a series of Sunday afternoon sacred concerts at the Majestic theater Sunday after- noon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, and the house was well filled for the event, despite adverse weather conditions.

It has been the plan of the club to give these concerts every two weeks but it announced now that it will be impossible to give them this often, owing to the fact that too many re- hearsals are required to crowd the musicals into such short periods. It is probable, however, that the con- certs can be given every three weeks.

### SAYS DAUGHTER UNDER HYPNOTIC INFLUENCE

#### Foster Father of Mrs. Evans Will Go to Norway to Assist Her.

New York, Jan. 6.—Paul Herman, whose foster daughter Charlotte is under arrest in Norway with Perdin- and Pinney Earle for the kidnap- ing of Harold Erwin Earle, is pre- paring to go to Europe to bring his daughter home.

"I am sure that Charlotte is under Earle's hypnotic influence," Mr. Her- man said yesterday at his home in Rutherford, N. J. "Able counsel has been retained by me here and in Eu- rope to defend Charlotte, and I shall go to Europe as soon as I can get positive information from my legal repre- sentatives there about the possibility of prosecuting Earle. Every possible thing will be done to take care of my foster daughter's interests."

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### GARDEN TO BE TRANSFERRED

#### British Minister to Mexico To Be Sent to Brazil—Change Is Salary Promotion.

### NO CONNECTION WITH AMERICAN ATTACKS

#### Understood Carden Would Go To Brazil Months Ago—Great Surprise to Americans.

London, Jan. 6.—Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico, is shortly to be transferred to Rio de Janeiro as minister to Brazil. He was ap- pointed to Mexico July 18, 1913, to succeed Francis William Stronge.

The successor to Sir Lionel Carden at Mexico City will probably be Charles Murray Marling, senior coun- selor in the British diplomatic service, although the two legations possess the same standing in the service, would have been made sometime ago except for the fact that the British foreign office would not make the change while the minister was under fire for the alleged interviews in which he was made to reflect on the policy of the United States toward Mexico.

The diplomatic change in Mexico will be received with surprise, when it becomes known on this side of the Atlantic, for while Sir Lionel's actions and general demeanor since the out-

break of the Mexican troubles have been considered somewhat indiscreet by the general public, nobody here believed that he had done anything to justify the attacks on him which appeared in some of the American pa- pers. In fact it is expected that the official statement which will doubt- less be issued when the changes are made will explain that Sir Lionel's transfer to Rio de Janeiro in no way casts discredit on the minister.

Sir Lionel Carden probably will come to England before going to his new post. It is said by his friends that when Sir Lionel went to Mexico he was offered the choice of going di- rect to Rio de Janeiro to succeed Sir William Henry Doveton Haggard, who had reached the retiring age, or of spending six months in Mexico as min- ister there before proceeding to Bra- zil. Owing to the state of health of his wife Sir Lionel decided to go to Mexico first.

Unfortunately, Sir Lionel went to Mexico with a reputation of being anti-American, at a time when a good understanding between the United States and Great Britain was vital. Naturally the British government de- fended Sir Lionel against the attacks made on him, but the belief prevailed at the time that it would be better to find another post for him.

The salary of the British minister at Rio is \$17,500 with a house allow- ance of \$1250 while that at Mexico City is \$6000 less and no house al- lowance.

### JOHN WEEKS, OLDEST MAN IN NEW ENGLAND DEAD

Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 5.—John Weeks, 105 years old and the oldest man in New England, died today at the home of a nephew in the outskirts of the city. He was born at Fortham, N. Y., in June 1808 and had retained all his faculties up to a year ago when he became blind.

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Appointments of the remaining six deputies is expected at almost any time now.

May Be Aviator's Body.

New York, Jan. 5.—The torso of a body, believed by the police to be that of Albert J. Jewell, the aviator who disappeared while making a flight in a monoplane October 14 was cast up by the sea at Edgemere, L. I. yesterday. It was not possible to identify the body positively.

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