

BOYS DISCUSS ENFORCING TREATY

Allies and Germans Will Begin Conferences in Paris Early Next Week

FINAL RATIFICATION SOON

By the Associated Press Paris, Dec. 26.—Conferences will begin early next week between allied and German delegates on measures preparatory to putting the peace treaty into effect.

The final date of the repeatedly postponed exchange of ratifications of the treaty depends upon the speed with which the allied nations in Germany can verify the German figures of available floating dock tonnage demanded by the Allies as compensation for the sinking of the German warships at Neuport.

MINERS BEAT NONUNIONISTS

Wilkeson, Wash., Company Appeal for Troops to Protect Workers Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 26.—(By A. P.)—John J. Hewitt, treasurer of the Wilkeson Coal and Coke Co., received a report last night that fighting had broken out between union and non-union miners in the company's mine at Wilkeson, Wash.

KAISER RULES AS SANTA

Former Emperor Has Tree and Everything for Former Prince Amerongen Dec. 25.—The former German Crown Prince Wilhelm came to Amerongen to spend with his parents their second Christmas in exile.

POLICEWOMEN AS A GIFT

Paducah, Ky., Has First Female Law Officers in That State Paducah, Ky., Dec. 26.—McCracken county, Ky., citizens awoke yesterday to find themselves possessed of a corps of policewomen, a Christmas gift of the board of city commissioners.

SEES JEALOUSY AS CAUSE OF SLAYING

Sheriff Expects to Make Arrest Today in Killing of Wealthy Detroit Man

MI. CLEMENS, Mich., Dec. 26.—(By A. P.)—An arrest in connection with the killing of J. Stanley Brown, found shot in his automobile near here Wednesday, is expected today, according to Sheriff William Caldwell.

BUILD BRITISH SHIPS HERE

Harlan Plant at Wilmington at Work on Four Tankers Wilmington, Del., Dec. 26.—An announcement was made today that the Harlan plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation had received contracts for four British tankers.

OSLER HAS OPERATION

Noted Scientist Optimistic After Going Under Knife Baltimore, Md., Dec. 26.—Following recent discouraging reports regarding the health of Sir William Osler, the superintendent of Johns Hopkins Hospital received the following telegram dated Oxford, England, from the eminent physician:

RUM SHIPPED TO CONSTANTINOPLE

Boston, Dec. 26.—(By A. P.)—Two hundred barrels of New England rum were included in the cargo of the American steamship Lake Edsburry, which left here today for Smyrna and Constantinople.

SPIRIT LIKENESSES TAKEN BY BRITON

Cabinet Worker Claims Power to Produce Photographs of Dead

CREDITED BY CONAN DOYLE

(Reprinted from the Public Ledger) Special Cable Dispatch Copyright, 1919, by Public Ledger Co. London, Dec. 26.—There is a poor cabinetmaker living in one of a row of humble brick cottages in the drab factory city of Crowe who has overnight reached great eminence among spiritualists in the United Kingdom.

TRIED TO VISIT PRESIDENT

Lancaster Youth Taken to Police Headquarters Instead Washington, Dec. 26.—Saying he had served eighteen months in the navy and giving his name as Nathaniel Sample Lindsay, of Ruby street, Lancaster, Pa., a twenty-three-year-old youth, was taken to the Washington Asylum Hospital here yesterday after attempting to interview President Wilson.

PASTOR GETS PURSE OF GOLD

Ocean City, N. J., Dec. 26.—The Rev. George W. Yard, pastor, was presented with a purse of gold by the men's Bible class of the Methodist Church, and the Rev. Dr. Snyder, of the Presbyterian Church, was given a traveling bag.

also one from Fleet street, and within a few days they propose descending on Hope demanding him to make good. Hope himself has a collection of these questioned photographs. Many of them are of tenants on an estate at Innerethen, Peebles, Scotland, that belongs to Lord Glenconner, once a pillar of the Church of Scotland and now a professed spiritualist.

Other "photographic medium" are springing into activity since the Hope cult began and one of these has taken a relative of Gladstone to superimpose an outline—somewhat bearded with side whiskers—rather awry and the famous mustache collar of protruding points—of the grand old man himself.

Such a sensation has been created by Mr. Hope's spirit photographs that doubt of their authenticity has caused the formation of a committee of six London skeptics, including Maskelyne, a professional magician, who scoffs at spiritualism. The committee has employed a West End photographer and

adding "it might occur in some cases that a plate used twice would show some trace of the previous exposure, but with the faces as often as not in front of the sitters, such an explanation becomes impossible, in both photographs, which were taken for me under rigid test conditions by Hope, in Crowe, the psychic figures were in front and, on one occasion, they eluded me altogether."

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ago outlining a plan for some special kind of reconstruction work in which he said he was interested. Last night he appeared at the Pennsylvania avenue entrance of the White House and announced he was ready to interview the President. His interview was with detectives at the District of Columbia police headquarters.

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