

MOORE, BABCOCK AND SPROUL SEEK TO END PART ROW

Important Developments Expected to Follow Conference Held at Harrisburg

CROW-GRUNDY FIGHT IS WORRYING LEADERS

Philadelphia's Mayor Urges James Connelly and Carson for Magisterial Jobs

The wedding of break in the state Republican ranks is expected to develop an important conference held today by Governor Sproul, Mayor Moore and Mayor E. V. Babcock, of Pittsburgh.

"THEM THAT HAS, GITS"

Western Comet, With Wet Cargo, Leaves Port for Havre

OFFER LION CUBS TO MAYOR

Avalanche of Mail, Bearing Complaints, Carries Unique Note

AMBLER CASE HELD UP

Former Insurance Commissioner Succeeds in Checking Indictments

B. & L. CAN CHARGE PREMIUM

Only on Money Publicly Bid For, However, Official Rules

U-BOAT CAPTAIN A SUICIDE

German Who Bank Great French Battleship Takes Poison

TOWN MAROONED BY ICE

Boats Frozen in Streets in Darkness and One Bus Line Quits

HITCHCOCK TO MEET LODGE AT PARLEY OVER TREATY TODAY

Republican and Democratic Senators Arrange Conference to Effect Compromise

Washington, Jan. 15.—(By A. P.)—A conference today between informal committees of Republicans and Democrats prominent in the effort to reach a compromise on the peace treaty has been arranged.

MOTHER DIES AFTER EFFORT TO RESCUE CHILDREN IN FIRE

Youngsters in Hospital, Unaware of Her Death, Call for Her Constantly

NEWS KEPT FROM FATHER, HURT IN LEAP TO SAFETY

Patrolman Is Also Injured in Effort to Save Family Trapped by Flames

SEWER EXPLOSION 7TH AND CHESTNUT

Two Manhole Covers Are Lifted High in Air—Passersby Endangered

CONDUIT CATCHES FIRE

Several persons narrowly escaped injury at noon today when two manhole covers were thrown high in the air by gas explosions in the big underground gas main and the conduit.

CHILD LAUGHS AT BLAZE

Spanking Spoils Otherwise Pleasant Morning for Isadore

ACCUSE WOMAN OF FORGERY

Mrs. Francis Klingler Held for Passing Check at Malvern

ALERT POLICEMEN WIN PIES

Grateful Driver of Burning Pastry Wagon Rewards Rescuers

Snow and Warmer

With snow in the offing to give us a holiday

BAKER URGES U. S. AID FOR POLES TO CHECK RED WAVE

Bliss, Also Addressing House Committee, Fears Revival of World War

Washington, Jan. 15.—(By A. P.)—Senator Charles C. Baker, of Pennsylvania, today urged the United States to furnish surplus military supplies to Poland to aid it in repelling the westward advance of the Bolsheviks.

WOULD GIVE AMERICAN ARMY SUPPLIES TO POLES

Baltic Nation Is "Only Bulwark Against Bolshevism," General Asserts

REDS GAINING NATURAL RESOURCES

The Bolsheviks, General Bliss continues, are regaining coal, oil and grain lands and are able to care for themselves regardless of any blockade.

NEW JURY DEADLOCKED

Reported Swinging Between Second Degree and Manslaughter

MAN SLAIN IN RUM PLOT

Attempt to Steal \$216,000 in Whisky Is Fatal to Pugliat

THOUSANDS LIVE IN BOXERS

Thirty thousand boxers on railroad sidetracks in Siberia, half are occupied by persons who fled eastward from Russia to escape the revolution.

ASKS TO DROP SIX EMPLOYEES

Chief Davis Asks Dismissal of Six Employees of Bureau of Water

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HOOPER RECEPTIVE CANDIDATE IN RACE FOR PRESIDENCY

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WOULD RUN AS DEMOCRAT TO BEAT REACTIONARIES

This interest in liberalism is such that Mr. Hoover, although by instincts and associations a liberal Republican, would be willing to run on the Democratic ticket, "if over-confidence in its own political prospects blinds the Republican party to adopt a non-progressive platform and to nominate candidates of reaction."

Would Fight for Liberalism

Mr. Hoover is thus put forward to make the fight for liberalism, if it is necessary to make that fight.

His Americanism Intensified

"His wide experience and intimate knowledge of the outside world had intensified his Americanism, and he was proud of his pride in American ideals and institutions."

No G. O. P. Boom for Hoover

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