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GERMANY WILL BE ISOLATED IN CASE OF REFUSAL TO SIGN

German Delegates Will Receive Peace Treaty Tomorrow. Italian Delegates Returning to Be Present When Pact Is Presented. Hungarian Delegates Summoned to Conference

(Special United Press Wire.)

Paris, May 6.—The blockade section of the supreme economic council was directed to draft plans for the economic isolation of Germany, which are to be employed if coercion is required to make Germany sign the peace treaty. Pending the signing of the treaty some of the financial restrictions now in force will be released. The credentials of the Italian peace delegates were submitted to the Germans this morning, it was learned.

With the Italian delegates returning, it is planned to present the peace pact to the German delegates at the plenary session of the council to be held tomorrow. A conference is being held to arrange for the presentation of the treaty to the lesser powers. It is announced that the Hungarian delegates have been summoned to the conference and they are expected to arrive at St. Germain about May 15, being preceded about three days by the Austrian envoys.

Orlando and Sonnino will arrive in time for the participation in the ceremony of establishing the terms to the German delegates. The schedule is for the United States, Great Britain, her dominions, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Brazil, Greece, Poland, Portugal, Rumania and Serbia. Czechoslovak republic with one secretary each, six German delegates, 45 newspapermen. Wilson will head the American delegation, accompanied by House, Lansing, Henry White and General Bliss.

Paris, May 6.—The Germans must sign the peace treaty or face an economic isolation. This was made plain when the blockade section of the supreme economic council was instructed to draw up plans for an economic isolation toward Germany, to be put in effect if the enemy attempts to execute a threat to refuse the peace terms.

Recent United Press dispatches from Berlin indicated confidence of the Germans in their ability to evade the terms of the treaty, based on the belief that public opinion of allied countries would permit further military action against Germany.

Today's developments showed that the allies will not depend on direct action of arms, but indirect action of an iron-bound blockade to enforce the treaty. Information from various German sources indicates

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GIRL SMILES AS SHE AWAITS TRIAL

Ruth Garrison, Accused of Putting Strychnine in Cocktail, Charged With First Degree Murder.

(Special United Press Wire.)
Seattle, May 6.—Smiling and at times even laughing, Ruth Garrison sits in the superior court, closely watching the progress of the picking of jurors, who will decide her fate on a first degree murder charge.

When Superior Judge Tallman opened court Monday morning, one of the scheduled cases before him was that of Ruth Garrison.

The attractive young girl is accused of mixing strychnine in the fruit cocktail of Mrs. Grace Storrs and then calmly watching the wife of her lover die in agony. Miss Garrison had invited Mrs. Storrs to be her guest at luncheon. Though contending she is sane now, the defendant will plead temporary insanity at the time of the tragedy.

Dudley M. Storrs, a former deputy sheriff, husband of the dead woman, is in jail at Okanogan, Wash., awaiting trial on two charges growing out of his friendship for Miss Garrison.

COMPANIES WANT TO SETTLE

Striking Lumber Workers Are Offered \$5 and Board for 8 Hours. Strikers Beaten Up By Guards.

(Special Dispatch to Bulletin.)

Spokane, Wash., May 6.—The strike headquarters here for the strike now being conducted in the lumber camps at Fortine and vicinity reports that a settlement has been offered. The companies have agreed to pay the lumber workers \$5 and board for eight hours work but have not as yet agreed to furnish blankets. No men are working and the companies are expected to make the concession regarding bedding in a few days.

There has been no disorder on the part of the strikers, although a number of lumberjacks have been beaten up by guards employed by the lumber companies.

Jos. McDonald, a striker, has been arrested for distributing literature and charged with criminal syndicalism, under the law enacted at the behest of the employers' associations by the state legislature. He was sentenced to serve thirty days in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$100. The strikers have established a very efficient system of peaceful picketing, and though the guards are continually annoying them, there has been no disposition shown to retaliate.

WEATHER CONDITIONS UNFAVORABLE FOR FLIGHT

(Special United Press Wire.)
Rockaway Beach, May 6.—The three American naval planes failed to make their start for Halifax as preliminary to their trans-Atlantic flight. Head winds forced their postponement. It was announced. The three machines were all ready to start, as the damage done by the fire yesterday was speedily repaired. Weather conditions for Wednesday and Thursday are reported as unfavorable for starting the flight.

EIGHT ARE KILLED IN APARTMENT HOUSE FIRE

(Special United Press Wire.)
Columbus, May 6.—Eight persons killed, fourteen injured and at least one is missing, due to a fire which destroyed an apartment house here early today. Police and firemen are searching the ruins for additional bodies. About twenty children are known to have lived in the six-story building and it is said that many of these have not been found. The apartment had only one fire escape in the rear, this avenue of escape was cut off by the flames to those in the front of the building.

AS HE SEES IT



NO. 65 REBUKES INTERNATIONAL ELECTRICAL WORKERS RESSENT AN ATTACK ON ONE OF THEIR BROTHER MEMBERS

In the last issue of the official journal of Electrical Workers and Operators, the magazine published by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and Operators, was a bitter attack on the character of Leon Green, formerly business agent of local union No. 77 of Seattle, who took an active part in the recent general strike in that vicinity.

Local union No. 65 of this city took the position that this article was inspired by hatred for the progressive faction in the American labor movement and in view of the falsity of the statements contained therein passed the following resolutions at their last meeting.

The resolutions were ordered sent to the international office, to the Seattle Union Record and the Butte Daily Bulletin. It was also ordered that a copy be spread upon the minutes and a copy forwarded to local union No. 77.

Following is the text of the resolutions: "It has come to the attention of officers and members of local union No. 65, Butte, Mont., that the international officers, in charge of the official journal of the brotherhood have seen fit to publish a slanderous and scurrilous article attacking the character of Leon Green, formerly business agent of local No. 77 of Seattle, Wash.

"This article has been copied by a number of the daily newspapers in Butte and has doubtless been given wide circulation elsewhere by the capitalist press.

"When the international officers of a trade union stoop to using the tactics of the employers against the members who pay their salaries, it is

time for drastic action on the part of the membership, and the editorial abuse of the international officers of the brotherhood, directed against a man who has made sacrifices for the cause of labor that the swollen jesses of the International Parasites' union, never would and never could make, merits a stinging rebuke from every union deserving of the name.

"Leon Green played a man's part in the Seattle general strike, the strike that was the greatest demonstration of labor's mighty power that has been given in the last 29 years.

"He risked his life and freedom for labor's cause, not only in the United States, but in other lands. "He believes in the coming of the new day for labor, something that the prehistoric minds of the betrayers of labor cannot vision. Because he sees beyond tomorrow, he must be held up to scorn by the international officers of his own craft, who long ago ceased to listen to any voice except that of the master, who took upon the workers as a mass of benighted beings, who are foolish enough to pay salaries to officers who help to keep them enslaved.

"We denounce whoever wrote the attack on Leon Green as a stoopid con in the pay of the exploiters of labor."

"We denounce those responsible for its publication as betrayers of labor and we care not what high position they occupy.

"We deeply regret the fact that it is possible to use an organ of the workers for an attack on the bravest of the workers and we believe that this incident proves the rottenness of a system of organization that permits this abuse.

"We are ashamed of the men who

administer the affairs of the brotherhood and we regret that we have not the machinery with which to recall them.

"We believe further than an officialdom that has become so corrupt, who so willingly cast odium upon those who truly represent the spirit of labor, cannot by any stretch of the imagination, be believed to have the interest of the brotherhood, or any section of the labor movement at heart.

"A company, with the great majority of international officers of other unions, the officers of the electrical workers have never raised their voices against the oppressive measures enacted, designed to curb and hamper labor, in many instances they have actually accepted favors at the hands of labor's oppressors, and this attack on one of the militant members of the electrical workers and of the glorious Seattle labor movement, brands them forever for what they are.

"The tools of reaction, the lackeys of the forces that are opposing labor with every weapon at their command, including officers of the trade union movement of the United States.

"We again denounce those responsible for the attack on Leon Green and inform them that they are the objects of our loathing and contempt.

"Copies of the above are ordered sent to local union No. 77 of Seattle, to the Union Record of Seattle, for publication, to the international office and to the Butte Daily Bulletin." (Signed) Committee of local union No. 65, W. F. DUNN, J. W. FLYNN, E. B. BROUD.

SOLDIERS DISARMED BY CITIZENS DURING TROUBLE IN LINTON, IND.

(From the Linton Tribune.)
Linton, Ind., April 30.—It was understood Tuesday afternoon that all troops should withdraw from the city as soon as possible, but at 10 o'clock this morning no order for their removal had come. Members of the miners' union went to the depot this morning to take trains to their work, but when they learned the militia was still here they refused to go to work.

(By Staff Correspondent.)
Linton, Ind., April 30.—Quick action on the part of Governor Goodrich in appointing a committee to confer with the Central Labor union officials in regard to an arbitration of the telephone operators' strike at

Linton, Ind., probably prevented serious rioting and more bloodshed. Tuesday afternoon the governor's committee, composed of Charles Fox, president of the Indiana State Federation of Labor, Charles Greathouse, former state superintendent of public instruction, and L. C. Buessman, former United States labor commissioner, was appointed when the situation got beyond control of the state militia troops on duty.

The first serious outbreak developed late Tuesday afternoon when a crowd of strike sympathizers gathered in the downtown district. A parade, headed by a company of returned soldiers and sailors, started from the railroad station about 2 o'clock and marched through the business district and close to the strike zone waving an American flag. At the time three city blocks in Linton were heavily guarded and

surrounded by a cordon of militiamen. Returned soldiers in uniform were permitted to pass through the lines on their demand and it was not long until the militiamen were forced back to the Home Telephone exchange.

A guard line was formed in front of the building but a large crowd soon gathered. Several speeches were made by members of the crowd and the excitement increased at the sight of the militiamen's fixed bayonets. The strike sympathizers finally demanded that the nonunion operators working at the exchange leave and gave the militiamen 30 minutes in which to clear the building. Companies H of Terre Haute and C of Sullivan, were on guard in the building under command of Adjutant General Smith. The soldiers ignored the

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STODDEN TAKES OFFICE, NAMES APPOINTEES AND LIKES "SLICK" TACTICS

Hardcastle et al Lose Out in Fight for Secrecy in Election of Council President. Company's Man, Wilson, Put Over Through Denial of Caucus Agreement. Traitors Are Unmasked

Some 1,000 years ago, a gentleman named Judas, betrayed his master for a handful of silver; some 1,700 years later, another individual named Benedict Arnold, jumped into notoriety by betraying his government; last night, Aldermen John Murphy and George Austin, hold-over democratic members of the Butte city council, betrayed their party and delivered

control of the city council into the hands of the republicans. Incidentally, it might be mentioned that Alderman Ernest Hardecastle, was listed among the betrayers, but at the last moment lost his nerve when the light of publicity was focused on his vote and voted against the republicans, although at the time he was well aware that the votes of Austin and Murphy were sufficient for the purpose, which he, at the instance of his master, the Anaconda Copper Mining company, had engineered.

As predicted in yesterday's Bulletin, through the machinations of the Anaconda Copper company three of the company's pets in the city council had been ordered to disregard their solemn caucus agreement to vote for Alderman Lou Froudenstein for the presidency of the city council, because that gentleman refused to wear a copper collar, and to cast their votes with the company's recently elected republican aldermen for Gus H. Hess. With all the servility of paid hirelings, Austin, Murphy and Hardecastle obeyed and the latter especially was particularly busy during the last few days in interviewing republican councilmen. Their caucus agreement was ignored since the agreement was not satisfactory to the company; obligations to the democratic electorates to whose votes the three men owe their official positions were disregarded and last night the rape of the democratic party in Butte was consummated.

Everything Goes "Slick." The proceedings, graced with the stuff that comes from the richest hill on earth, went fairly smoothly, with the exception of when sand was thrown on the track by Alderman Froudenstein and Woods, and when it was found necessary to substitute Wilson for Hess. In fact, things went so nicely that in closing the meeting last night Mayor Stodden commented smilingly by declaring,

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THE APPOINTMENTS.

- City attorney—R. L. Clinton.
- First assistant city attorney—Charles J. Judd.
- City clerk—Shelby Irvine.
- First assistant city clerk—Floyd Johnson.
- Second assistant city clerk—John Forrest.
- City auditor—F. C. Gramling.
- Assistant city auditor—E. L. Wagner.
- Clerk to auditor—Mrs. Bert Harris.
- City physician—Dr. E. R. Grigg.
- Meat inspector—Dr. Stephenson.
- Milk inspector—E. H. Erickson.
- Food and fruit inspector—Mrs. Margaret Rosza.
- Sanitary inspectors and inspectors of weights and measures—J. Pedler and L. Hamilton.
- Punigating officer—William Sweet.
- Second assistant city treasurer—W. L. Wright.
- Assistant city treasurer—Miss Alma Swift.
- License collector—Percy Stodden.
- Stenographer—Miss Sarah Rosenstein.
- Janitor of city hall—W. Ross.
- Superintendent of streets—Jacob Oliver.
- Assistant superintendent of streets—Dan Sullivan.
- Foundmaster—Frank Krabler.
- Storerooper at city corral—Will Jenkin.
- Commissioner of public works—Edgar Strassberg.
- Stenographer to commissioner of public works—Nelle O'Brien.
- Stenographer to mayor—Caroline A. Toward.
- Building inspector—Sam Billings.
- Assistant electrician—Bert Treaga.
- Plumbing inspector—T. H. Holman.
- City chauffeur—Winfield Stodden.
- Machinist—James Hamblin.
- Police commissioners—C. S. Jackman, John Wolf and John McNeill.
- Janitresses of city hall—Mrs. Will Martin and Mrs. Annie Conhill.
- Janitress of emergency hospital—Mrs. Fredreke.
- Night soil man—E. I. Perry.

WOULD FORCE EMPLOYMENT OF WORKERS

Great Falls Machinists' Local Pass Resolutions Which Will Reduce the Hours of Labor.

(Special to The Bulletin.)
Great Falls, May 6.—The following resolutions have been adopted by Black Eagle Lodge, International Association of Machinists of this city. It is proposed by these resolutions to force the employment of all workers, thus automatically lowering the hours of labor.

Whereas, The state of affairs existing in our midst, as well as through the entire country, demands some immediate solution of the problem of unemployment; and

Whereas, The policy of organized labor in the past in reference to slackened labor markets has been detrimental to the best interests of labor; and

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JAPAN PLANS TO RETURN SHANTUNG

(Special United Press Wire.)
Paris, May 6.—Baron Makino, in a statement to the United Press, said it is Japan's policy to return Shantung peninsula in full sovereignty to China, retaining only such economic privileges as were granted Germany, together with a right to establish settlements under usual conditions at Sing Tao. Regarding the Shantung railways, which became jointly a China-Japanese undertaking, Makino said that special Chinese police with Japanese instructors will insure security of traffic.

FIVE OF SIXTEEN CONVICTED.

(Special United Press Wire.)
Gary, Ind., May 6.—Sentences from \$20 to \$50 and six months in jail is being served by five of the sixteen men arrested in the riot here Sunday. The trial of the other eleven was postponed until Friday.