

PRESIDENT WILSON ADDRESSES SENATE GERMAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY RATIFIES PEACE TREATY

WILL TAKE ACTION IMMEDIATELY FOR LIFTING BLOCKADE

(Special United Press Wire.)
Berlin, July 10.—The national assembly at Weimar ratified the treaty, but not until every speaker had protested against the terms. The vote was 209 to 115. Foreign Minister Mueller said: "A unanimous protest against possession embodied in the treaty is maintained today and always will be." Dr. Tasb declared, amid applause, "the wound of this peace will never heal; it shall not heal." "We will never recognize its validity," asserted Herr Kahl. After President Ebert signed the treaty last night, he immediately sent the document to Versailles by courier.

OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED.
Paris, July 10.—Herr Von Lersner of the German peace delegation officially announced that Germany had ratified the peace treaty. The Superior Economic council is meeting this afternoon and it is expected they will take action for the immediate lifting of the blockade.

Von Lersner also announced that the German reparations committee, numbering 18 persons, would arrive this evening and would begin sessions tomorrow.

Hopeful indications of Germany's intention to speedily execute the terms affecting the surrender of Polish territory, is seen in receipt of the note from Foreign Minister Mueller, proposing the establishment of a joint German Polish commission to attend to the transfer of affairs in the territory to be surrendered.

LIFTS BLOCKADE.
(Special United Press Wire.)
Washington, July 10.—Germany's ratification of the treaty automatically lifts the blockade against her, in the view of Wilson, it is learned. The president is known to believe a speedy resumption of trade is of great importance.

TRYING TO PROVE ALIBI FOR WILLIAM

Berlin, July 10.—In a telegram to King George, Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the former kaiser, attempts to absolve Wilhelm from responsibility for the world war and its consequences and offers his services in assisting the allies to bring to light the truth. The emperor refers in his telegram to a conversation with King George in July, 1914, just previous to the world war, and states that after his return to Germany he was with Wilhelm continuously until mobilization began.

WANT 44-HOUR WEEK.

San Francisco.—Organized sail makers are demanding a 44-hour work week.

RENO MAYOR TAKES OVER EXCHANGE

When Burlison Refuses Offer to Mediate the Strike City Official Gets Busy on His Own Hook.

(Special United Press Wire.)
Reno, Nev., July 10.—Mayor Stewart took over the local exchange of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company here, acting under the city charters and police powers. The striking telephone girls were invited to return to work, the city guaranteeing them the wage demanded, when they struck with the other coast operators. Stewart recently sought to have the strike mediated by the mayors of San Francisco, Sacramento and Reno, but Burlison refused to accept the offer. Several California cities recently threatened to take over the telephone service as a means of forcing a settlement and guaranteeing service to the business interests.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE IS PLANNED

City of Denver Still Without Street Cars. City May Install Motor Service for the Citizens.

Denver, July 10.—Denver is still without street car service, due to the strike of street car men against the greatly reduced wages, resulting from the restoration of the five-cent car fare. Efforts of company officials to man a few cars resulted in the pickets and their sympathizers pulling off the trolleys and stalling the cars. Thousands of jitneys are now in operation.

Manufacturing concerns picked up their employes by motor trucks while workers in the mercantile establishments walked to work, patronized the jitneys or were given free rides by incoming motorists. Municipal ownership of the tramway system is being urged as a solution of the tieup.

Mayor Bailey has announced that he is considering submitting a proposal to the city council, that the city expend \$3,000,000 for the establishment of a municipal motor car service, to take the place of the thousands of automobiles licensed to carry passengers, the mayor declared that the transportation problem had been solved.

CORN CROP FOR 1919 A RECORD BREAKER

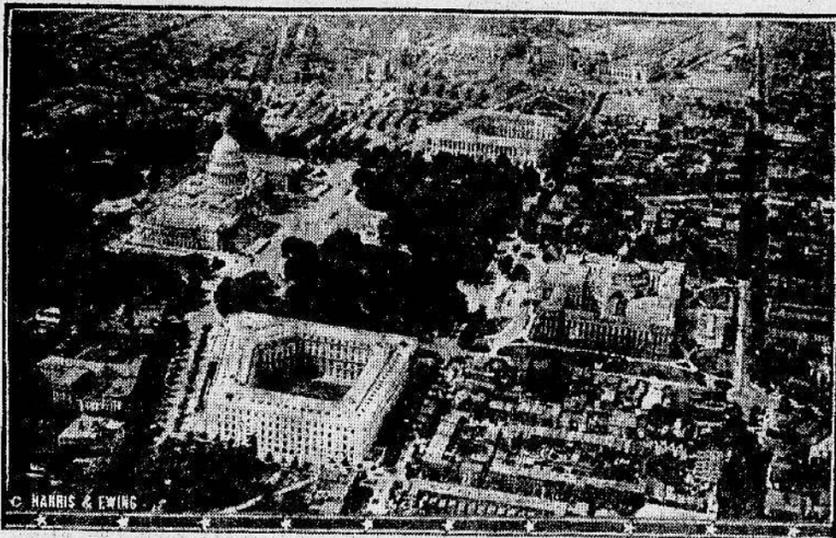
(Special United Press Wire.)
Washington, July 10.—The 1919 corn crop is estimated at 2,815,000,000 bushels by the department of agriculture. This sets the record by more than 100,000,000. Moist, damp weather caused a sharp drop in the condition of both winter and spring wheat, according to reports by the department of agriculture. This was due to leaf rust and other diseases, which the moist season caused. The department estimated the condition of winter wheat at 5.9 per cent under that estimated on June 1, while the condition of spring wheat is 11.7 per cent under the June 1 estimate. A yield of 1,403,000,000 bushels is predicted for the oats crop.

MRS. LULU BURGER WILL DEFEND SON

(Special United Press Wire.)
Los Angeles, July 10.—Mrs. Lulu Burger, mother of Harry S. New, charged with the murder of his fiancée, Miss Frieda Lesser, in a lone some spot in Topanga canyon last Friday night, arrived here late last night from Indianapolis. She was on the verge of collapse and was prevented by her physician from immediately visiting her son in prison. Instead, she sent him a message conveying her belief in his innocence and promising him every assistance in his defense. It is believed temporary insanity and the theory that Miss Lesser committed suicide as the only way out of her difficulties will constitute the defense of New.

THE WEATHER.
Butte—Fair and warmer.

CAPITOL HILL AS SEEN FROM AN AIRPLANE



Airplane view of Capitol Hill, Washington, showing the capitol at left center, the house office building in the immediate foreground, the library of congress on the right, the senate office building beyond that, and the Union station in the upper right. Beyond the capitol and the senate office building are the government dormitories for women.

HOW'S THIS FOR BRITISH GALL?

(Special United Press Wire.)
London, July 10.—"Don't forget it was the British Empire that won the war," Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig declared in a speech at Newcastle. "We talk a great deal about our allies; it was necessary and right that we should do so, to buck them up all we could while the fighting was going on, but don't forget that it was the British Empire that won the war. I don't wish to particularize, but you know our Russian friends threw us down and the Italians didn't do a great deal then. Our French friends made the best of it, but then they really had a very hard job at the beginning. For the last two years England bore the brunt of the struggle."

FAMILY IS FACING STARVATION AS RESULT OF A.C.M. BLACKLIST

Father Forced to Leave Town to Find Employment, While Mother Is Compelled to Go Out and Do Housework, That Herself and Three Children Might Not Starve

As an example of the methods of his company and the injustices done through his system of "blacklisting," the Bulletin calls the attention of that distinguished benefactor, Con F. Kelley, to the plight of Mrs. Alice Seiler, 29 West Copper street, and her three children, who today are faced with starvation unless Mrs. Seiler can continue to leave her small children at home unattended, while she works by the day for more fortunate women of the city.

GOVERNMENT SHOULD RESIGN

Says British Labor Party or Reduce the Cost of Living. Failed to Prevent Profiteering.

(Special United Press Wire.)
London, July 10.—The government is called upon to take a definite pledge to reduce the cost of living or resign, in a resolution the nation executive committee of the labor party passed yesterday. The resolution declared the government had failed to prevent "merciless exploitation" of the public by profiteers "who are charged with taking ruthless advantage of the shortage of supplies and transports."

CO-OP. BUSINESS GROWS.
Portland, Ore.—Business of the union cooperative store in this city is increasing at the rate of 30 per cent each week.

Father Blacklisted.
Mr. Seiler was employed as a miner, but falling under the disapproval of some of Mr. Kelley's "stool pigeons" was slated for the slaughter and "blacklisted." Finding every avenue of employment in Butte closed to him, he was forced to go to Seattle in search of work a week ago Sunday. There he found conditions as bad as in Butte and not until a few days ago did he find any employment, finally being forced to accept a job at \$2.25 per day.

Credit Denied.
In the meanwhile, Mrs. Seiler, remaining at home with her three children, the eldest of whom is a bright little girl of 14, the next being 7 and the youngest a baby of less than six months, found that because her husband had been "blacklisted" she was denied credit by the grocery store with whom she dealt, the manager of which curtly informed her that a bill amounting to \$10, which she owed there was the total extent of her credit and that anything else she bought in the way of food for her young ones would have to be paid for in cash.

Mother Goes to Work.
Mrs. Seiler, bravely as other of her sisters, victims of the system which permits an overpowering corporation like the Anaconda Copper Mining company to "blacklist" their husbands and prevent them from working for the support of their families, sought employment herself, although all the laws of humanity required that she should be permitted to remain at home in the care of her children. This morning she started

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CAPITALISTS FIGHTING O. B. U.

Profiteers and ex-Kaisers in Vancouver Fighting New Organizations. Strike Is Not Over.

Vancouver, B. C., July 10.—The strike in Vancouver is still on. It is the profiteers and ex-kaisers against the new organization of the One Big Union. The former are aided by the "recognized" labor movement's international officers and the rank and file that still believe the interests of capital and labor are identical. All of the O. B. U. members are standing firm and the strike threatens to again tie up the city as daily the membership of the militant organization increases. Although it is known here that funds have been forwarded from various cities in the northwest, said donations have as yet failed to reach here, and it is believed that even the mails are being tampered with by the employers.

REJECTION OF LEAGUE WOULD BE REJECTING WORLD CONFIDENCE

(Special United Press Wire.)
Washington, July 10.—The United States has been offered the moral leadership of the world and we dare not refuse it "without breaking the world's heart," President Wilson told the senate in presenting for ratification the treaty of peace.

BOY STRUCK BY AUTO; MAY DIE

Norman McLeod Run Down as He Stepped From a Street Car. Taken to the Hospital.

Norman McLeod of 331 Zerelda street was run over shortly before noon at Park and Montana streets by an Overland car, driven by Samuel Wilson. Young McLeod, who is about 11 year old had just stepped off a Montana street car, when the Overland struck him, both wheels passing over his body. Mr. Wilson picked the lad up and took him at once to Murray hospital, where Dr. Schwartz has been treating him. It is impossible yet to determine the full extent of his injuries, although they are believed to be very serious. The boy has not lost consciousness.

AMERICANS RETURNED IN GOOD HEALTH

Washington, July 10.—Bolsheviks have returned five American soldiers, captured from the American Siberian expedition at Soukhine Mine, the war department announced. The men, who were in good health, are: Lieut. Custer Fribley, quartermaster corps; Corps. Eastland W. Reed and Harlan S. Dale, and Pvt. Harold C. Billard and Forrest Moore. The enlisted men all belonged to Company H, 314th infantry.

WILL PRESENT AGREEMENT TO CONGRESS LATER ON

(Special United Press Wire.)
Washington, July 10.—Wilson will present the agreement to aid France in the event of an unprovoked German attack, at a late session of the senate it is learned. He considers it too important to be presented at the same time the peace treaty is presented.

WAITING TO DELIVER LETTER TO WILSON

(Special United Press Wire.)
Washington, July 10.—President Wilson has no immediate intention of declaring demobilization complete or rescinding war-time prohibition, it is learned.

He is believed to hold that the rate at which various nations ratify the treaty has a bearing on the question, also the maintenance of military forces for the enforcement of the treaty must be taken into consideration.

EX-OFFICER MURDERS WIFE

After Using a Revolver and Hunting Knife He Telephones the Police to Come and Get Him.

Spokane, July 10.—Accusing his wife of infidelity, Frank Parrish, formerly of the "Mooseheads" Police force, clubbed and stabbed her to death in a road camp on the state road west of Ft. Wright, near Spokane yesterday. He then called the police station and told them what he had done. The police rushed to the scene of the murder and found Parrish waiting for them on a bridge. As they approached, he waved a bloodstained hand and told them to stop. They saw back his coat and asked them to take his gun away. Mrs. Parrish was found lying in a pool of blood. Her head had been crushed with the butt of a revolver, and had been stabbed four times in the breast and abdomen with a hunting knife. With blood dripping from his hands and clothing, Parrish was brought here and charged with first degree murder.

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