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SUBMIT PEACE TREATY TO SENATE

FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE CALLS LEAGUE OF NATIONS "BREEDER OF WAR"

METAL TRADES COMMITTEE TO MEET KELLEY

WILL ENDEAVOR TO ARRIVE AT BASIS OF SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE NOW IN FIFTH WEEK

Sometime tomorrow a conference will be held between the representatives of the Metal Trades and Con Kelley of the Anaconda Mining company.

It is probable that the state executive board members from Great Falls will be unable to be present at the conference and the general strike committee this morning selected two members to act in their places.

An endeavor will be made at the conference to arrive at a basis of settlement of the strike now in its fifth week.

Three propositions have already been submitted to the company and it is expected that the discussion will center on these.

It was reported to the strike committee this morning that the blacksmith at the city central was not being paid the new downtown scale and the matter was referred to a committee from the blacksmith's union.

The relief committee of the general strike committee is meeting every morning to take up applications for financial aid.

So far, but two requests for aid have been made.

No change in the general situation is reported from Great Falls or Anaconda, none of the strikers having returned to work.

In Great Falls it is reported that the strike is hampering repair work on the zinc plant that the company wishes to reopen by October, as it is said that but a million pounds of zinc are on hand to take care of the increasing demand.

COLLIERS ON STRIKE IN PENNSYLVANIA

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 10.—Fourteen thousand employees of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal company in its mines within Lackawanna county obeyed the strike order of their grievance committee.

They went on strike in support of the company's miners at Archbald.

John Mitchell, Prominent Labor Leader, Passes Away

New York, Sept. 10.—John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America and one of the most widely known labor leaders in the United States, is dead.

Mr. Mitchell was 49 years of age. Although he underwent an operation 10 days ago for the removal of gall stones, his condition had been reported as satisfactory, and his death was wholly unexpected by friends.

With Mr. Mitchell when he died were his wife, his son and daughter, Governor Smith, who had called to inquire about his condition, arrived only a few minutes after he had breathed his last.

His physicians said that, while there had been every reason to expect his recovery, Mr. Mitchell had failed to rally from the operation.

Since 1915 Mr. Mitchell had been chairman of the New York state industrial commission.

GREAT DAY IN NEW YORK

General Pershing, at Head of Famous First Division, Leads America's "Victory Parade."

(Special United Press Wire.) New York, Sept. 10.—The First division, first in France, first in battle, was first in the hearts of its countrymen today.

The famous unit, led by General Pershing, marched down Fifth avenue in America's "Victory Parade" over ground hallowed by the blood of their forefathers, who gave their lives for American liberty.

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POLICE FORCE OF BOSTON ON STRIKE

Men Make Good Their Threat When Police Commissioner Disciplines Men for Joining Union.

Boston, Sept. 10.—Making good their threat to walk out if Police Commissioner Curtis disciplined any of their members for joining the union, force members of the Boston police union reported at evening roll call, turned in their guns and other equipment and proceeded to Fal hall in the south end of town where they held a meeting.

Several hours before the strike went into effect it was known to the authorities that it could not be averted and preparations were hastily completed for carrying out emergency measures for the protection of life and property.

Superintendent of Police Crowley said that more than 500 men had been recruited for a volunteer police force.

The volunteers, the superintendent said, had been sworn in as special officers and when called for duty would be equipped with badges and

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AUSTRIAN TREATY IS SIGNED

Supreme Council Gives Rumanians and Jugo-Slavs Three Days in Which to Sign.

(Special United Press Wire.)

Paris, Sept. 10.—In the absence of the elaborate details of the sitting at Versailles, the allies made a formal peace with Austria. Austrian Chancellor Renner signed the treaty at St. Germain this morning.

Speakers were made by the Austrian delegates and Clemenceau, representing the allies, invited the Austrians to sign in the same terse fashion which he employed at Versailles before the Germans.

Besides the peace treaty, the Austrians signed two engagements, one by which they will undertake to indicate the allied ships lost during the war which were sunk by the Austrians and another one which

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STEEL INDUSTRY FACING BIG STRIKE

Over 2,000,000 Workers Involved. Union Representatives to Issue Statement Outlining Plans.

(Special United Press Wire.) Washington, Sept. 10.—Officials of the steel workers have telegraphed President Wilson that they would wait 48 hours for him to act in arranging a conference with the United States Steel corporation before taking final strike action.

The telegram informs the president it will be impossible to hold the men "much longer from defending themselves unless relief is granted." The message was sent following reading of the president's answer to a previous telegram, asking him to arrange a conference with the steel corporation heads before today.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The representatives of unions who have members in the steel industry, announced after two lengthy conferences yesterday, that they would issue a statement outlining their position in the controversy with the

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DEMAND FOR SPEEDY ACTION CAME FROM BANKERS AND ADMINISTRATION PAPERS

(Special United Press Wire.) Washington, Sept. 10.—Accompanied by a six-page report, containing sharp and bitter phrases directed to President Wilson, the senate foreign relations committee submitted the peace treaty to the senate.

Senator Lodge filed the report, which represents the majorities' views. The report says the demand for speedy action by the committee was largely the work of the administration and its newspaper organs.

adding, the same demand was "disseminated by certain great banking firms, having a direct pecuniary interest in early ratification of the pact." In criticizing the president because the committee lacked information, the report declares "responsibility of the senate regarding this treaty is equal to that of the executive."

The report also says the committee's inability of securing the full information to which it was entitled. Arguments similar to those used in the senate debates were cited in support of the senate amendments to give this country and Great Britain an equal number of votes in the league, to transfer Shantung to China, and to halt American participation in the various committees set up by the treaty.

League reservations on the right of withdrawal, article 19, the Monroe doctrine and domestic questions were next taken up.

The report concludes with: "When we are once caught in the meshes of the treaty of alliance, or a league of nations composed of 26 other powers, our freedom of action is gone. To preserve American independence and American sovereignty and thereby best serve the welfare of mankind, the committee proposes these amendments and reservations."

Half of the report is devoted to the defense of the committee work, criticism of Wilson, answers to the arguments for the treaty advanced by the president and its supporters and a condemnation of the league of nations as a "breeder of war." The remainder deals with the textual

CULTURE IS CANNED IN BOSTON

(Special United Press Wire.) Boston, Sept. 10.—Following riots last night in which mobs of men, women and boys looted scores of shops after practically the entire police force struck, order was slowly being restored today.

There was rioting at several widely-separated points this morning, when mobs attacked volunteer

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EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION DOES NOT MEET WITH APPROVAL IN BILLINGS

SENATOR JOHNSON REPLIES TO WILSON

Chicago, Sept. 10.—The term of "quitter" was passed back to Wilson by Senator Johnson, in a speech here before the Hamilton club, the senator asked as to what "game" the president was referring in his St. Louis address, reciting a list of American principles, which he declared European and Asiatic diplomacy defeated and abandoned in Paris.

Johnson did not reply direct to the question as he commented upon Wilson's reference to the opposition senators as "contemptible quitters" if they do not see the game through, but declared: "Is it the game does Wilson refer? Is it the game he started to play in Europe and did not finish, or is it a game that was played for him, in which he supernaturally acquiesced?"

"Was it the American game he so finely phrased when he went to Europe, or was it a European or an Asiatic game?" asked the speaker. "The American people are not quitters. They rose majestically."

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Owners of Buildings Take Work Away From Contractors and Give Job to Members of Carpenters' Union.

That the Anaconda Copper Mining company tactics introduced in Billings by John McIntosh, the company's director of state employees, do not meet with the approval of the people of Billings, whose sympathies are all with the striking building tradesmen, is indicated in an official report of conditions there, received by the Bulletin from Frank Lockwood, acting secretary of the Yellowstone Trades and Labor assembly.

After telling of the popularity of the Bulletin among the workmen of Billings and of the decision of the Trades and Labor assembly to appropriate a monthly sum for the Bulletin's support, Mr. Lockwood stated:

"Here are some of the facts in connection with the building trades strike here. And we'll surely catch him. He can't escape. We have four different descriptions of him—any one of which is a perfectly good description."

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GATHERING EVIDENCE TO PROSECUTE ROBBER

County Attorney Jackson and Chief Deputy Rotering have been very busy all day gathering evidence to be used in the prosecution of the bank robber, who helped himself Monday noon to \$5,000 from the till of the South Side bank.

"We want to get it, now, you know, while it's fresh, so that we will be already when they catch the fellow," explained Jackson.

"When we catch him," said Officer Frank White, who was found making medicine with Jackson and his aide.

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Woman Asserts She Never Was Married to De Snell

That as one of the plans of defense adopted by Mrs. Stella De Snell, the wife of George De Snell, prominent Butte architect and member of the governor's state architectural commission, who was arrested Monday on charges of polygamy and larceny, will be that she has never been married to Mr. De Snell is indicated from statements made by the woman to police officials at the city jail.

In statements to the officers, Mrs. De Snell, apparently in the belief that the only other marriage with

which she is charged other than that to Mr. De Snell is that to Anthony Dolecki, calmly informed the police that the impression that she was the wife of the local architect was erroneous. She asserted that she had never been married to Mr. De Snell and that her relations with him were entirely platonic.

Friends of the couple, however, assert that Mrs. De Snell is really Mr. De Snell's wife.

Information received by the local police indicates that extradition papers have already been granted by the governor of Oregon to Portland officers who are said now to be on their way to Butte.

Mrs. De Snell takes her incarceration in the city jail coolly. She expressed satisfaction at the meals served her by the matron and declared she preferred the jail cooking to that of the restaurant chefs. Since insanity is likely to be a part of Mrs. De Snell's defense, many of the prisoners at the city jail, as well as some of the policemen who know believe that the woman prisoner's preference for jail cooking will be one of the features brought out at the trial in proof of insanity.

SENATE PASSES BILL

(Special United Press Wire.) Washington, Sept. 10.—The senate has passed the Edge bill authorizing the organization of foreign banking corporations under the supervision of the federal reserve board.

BULGARIAN TREATY SIGNED. Washington, Sept. 10.—It has been officially announced that the Bulgarian treaty has been signed.

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