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SENATE PASSES KNOX PEACE RESOLUTION; SENATOR WALSH OPPOSES ITS ADOPTION

Treaty With Germany to Follow Enactment, States Senator Lodge

Leader Gives Notice America Will Not Abandon Allies; Senator Myers, Montana, Among Three Democrat Supporters.

Washington, April 30.—The administration's first step toward placing the United States on a technical legal basis of peace, was taken Saturday night by the senate in adopting the Knox peace resolution. The vote for adoption of the resolution was 49 to 23.

Three Democrats voted for the resolution and although no Republicans voted against it, Senator Nelson of Minnesota was paired against it. The Democrats voting for it were Senators Myers, Montana; Shields, Tennessee, and Watson, Georgia. Two other Democrats, Reed, Missouri, and Walsh, Massachusetts, were announced as favoring the resolution.

Package Explodes as Last Wrapper Re- moved; 5 Hurt.

Johnstown, Pa., April 30.—An eleven year old girl was killed and five other persons were injured Friday night at South Fork near here, when a bomb, sent through the mails exploded in a store owned by Tony Raneri. Annie Raneri was killed and three of her sisters, a brother and an unidentified man were injured.

Grain Exchange Bills Pondered

Washington, April 30.—Various bills looking to the regulation of grain exchanges were considered Saturday by the house agriculture committee and at the same time Chairman Norris of the senate agriculture committee announced he was waiting for additional information before drafting a measure on the subject which he expects to introduce in the senate. Senator Norris said he had already conferred with experts from the agricultural department and the federal trade commission.

John L. Slattery Recommended for Montana Attorney

Washington, April 30.—Attorney General Daugherty recommended to the president Saturday the appointment of John L. Slattery of Montana to the U. S. district attorney for Montana.

Thompson, N. D. Is Swept by Flames

Grand Forks, N. D., May 1.—Fire swept the village of Thompson, N. D. 10 miles south of Grand Forks, Saturday night and into Sunday morning, burning a hardware store, two pool halls, a barber shop, a grocery store, a meat market and the postoffice. No estimate of the damage could be obtained at an early hour Sunday morning.

Irish "Ambassador" to Moscow Badly Beaten on Train

Riga, April 30.—(By The Associated Press)—A so-called Irish ambassador to Russia arrived in Murransk early in April and being unable to speak Russian, was badly beaten on the train by "red guards" and robbed of his money and valuables and then jailed until his identity was established, according to reports from Petrograd today.

Secret Service Foils Counterfeit Plot to Dupe Northwest

Chicago, April 30.—With the arrest of three persons here, one of them a woman, and one in Milwaukee, secret service operatives were confident Saturday that they had frustrated a conspiracy of counterfeiters' ring to flood the northwest with bogus currency.

Flames Destroy Field Artillery Near Fort Bliss

El Paso, April 30.—Fire Saturday night destroyed the 82nd United States field artillery at Fort Bliss. The fire extended to the ammunition stores of the regiment and exploding shells and small arms ammunition endangered the lives of the firemen. At 10 p. m. the fire had not been brought under control.

G. O. P. SPLIT ON 'BIG ARMY'; STRENGTH CUT

Democratic Solidarity Sets Enlisted Strength at 150,000 Volunteers.

Washington, April 30.—Holding a solid front against a Republican split, Democrats forced through the house Saturday an amendment to the army appropriation bill cutting down the enlisted force to 150,000 men. The Kahn proposal for a bigger force will never get a vote.

Disabled Vets League Under Fire; Leaders Graft, Charge

Well Known Citizens at Various Times Included in Executive Council, States Solon.

UNFAIR TRADING DENIED BY GARY; INVITE INQUIRY

Involve Simple Question of 'Pittsburgh Base Plus, System.'

SPROUSE SHOTS WIFE, HER FRIEND, TURNS WEAPON ON HIMSELF

Lewisport, Ind., April 30.—Joseph Hart, 40, owner of a gas-works, shot his wife and a friend Saturday morning at 7 o'clock. He then walked to a neighbor's, C. F. Wilmar's, and killed the woman, Mrs. Wilmar, and himself.

CONLEY BOOMED FOR GOVERNOR

Anacosta, April 30.—Paying tribute to Frank Conley, former warden at the Montana state penitentiary, Milwaukee shophen employed at Deer Lodge Saturday night tendered Mr. Conley a banquet.

Marine Workers to Discuss Wage Reduction Order

New York, April 30.—Meeting of the various groups of marine workers will be held Sunday to discuss the action of the United States shipping board in reducing a 15 per cent reduction in wages, effective at midnight Saturday night.

1,000 Paper Mill Workers Strike; General Tieup Fear

Glens Falls, N. Y., April 30.—More than 1,000 paper mill workers employed in plants of the International Paper Co. at Glens Falls, Fort Edward and Corinth, N. Y., went on strike Saturday night, will strike Sunday in the first move toward a general walk out which threatens to tie up three-fourths of the paper industry of the United States and Canada.

Denby Describes Navy Insurance Against Disaster

Detroit, April 30.—The United States navy was described as an insurance against disaster, by Secretary Denby in an address to his fellow townsmen here Saturday night. "If the flag is ever lowered on the sea," he said, "prepare to lower it on land. Failure to maintain the navy will spell absolute disaster in the near or far future. You cannot send an army over an unguarded sea."

Ruhr Occupation by French Opposed by Italy and Britain

French Delegation, Supported by Belgium, Shows Dissatisfaction With Meeting; George Calls Cabinet Together.

London, April 30.—The French delegation is dissatisfied with the results of Saturday's conference of the supreme council. The present feeling of the delegation is that France, with Belgium, will have to act alone in the organization of the Ruhr if the allies fail to approve such a step. They await Sunday's meeting with considerable anxiety.

FRENCH OUTLINE SEIZURE PLANS

Complete Mobilization of 1919 Class Necessary, Belief.

Paris, April 30.—(By The Associated Press)—Plans for occupation of the Ruhr region thus far perfected contemplate operations covering two days, according to French military authorities. The territory to be occupied, subject, of course, to decisions reached at the meeting of the supreme council in London, will extend in a line beginning at the confluence of the Wupper and Rhine rivers, running to the northeast, skirting and taking in the towns of Zollingen, Elberfeld, Barmen, Hagen and Unna.

Seed Loans to Drouth Stricken Farmers Totals \$1,625,224

Fargo, N. D., April 30.—Total disbursements of the government seed loan to drouth stricken farmers in the northwest reached \$1,625,224 Saturday night, according to H. S. Smith, disbursing clerk. Saturday was the last day on which applications for loans were to be received at the federal seed loan office here. (T. W. Warburton, in charge of the office, announced that the force of clerks would be cut sharply during the next week and that subsequent operations would be on a reduced scale.)

Miles City Fliers Leave for Planes

Miles City, April 30.—Earl T. Vance and L. K. Hills left Saturday night for Helena to obtain the new airplane purchased by the Miles City Aero club as their passenger craft, and the flight will be made from the capital city to the cow town, picking up H. B. Wiley at Melestone.

THEFTS BLAMED ON LOW WAGES

Macon, Ga., April 30.—In sentencing forty-one men, thirty-six of whom were found guilty and five of whom pleaded guilty to charges of conspiracy to rob the about because "the express company did not pay the messengers wages sufficient to give them an adequate living."

First Baseball Fatality

Quincy, Ill., April 30.—Wilbur Samuel, Lewistown, Missouri, high school boy, is dead as the result of being struck in the temple by a thrown ball during a high school game last Thursday.

'Long Tom,' Billings Garbage Collector, Seeks Job of Guard

Minneapolis, April 30.—"Long Tom" Wakefield, of Billings, Mont. who can "shoot to kill with either hand" has made an application to Postmaster E. A. Purdy of Minneapolis for a position of mail guard.

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SPECIAL POLICE GUARD BANKERS; ARREST REDS

Communists' Arrest Re- veals "Underground Party," or Terrorists.

One Identified as Man Indicted in Chicago Over Two Years Ago.

New York, April 30.—Public buildings and churches, and home of prominent public officials, and well known financiers, under special police guard Saturday night in anticipation of possible May day disturbances.

SOLONS DISCUSS CIRCULARS

Washington, April 30.—Representative Foster, Republican, Ohio, played in the house Saturday a Communist circular which he said had been circulated among unemployed miners in his state urging them to join a communist organization for the purpose of bringing about a May day revolution in the United States. The mine workers union, he said, had no responsibility in the matter, and was opposed to any suggestion of such a move.

FAMOUS CIRCUS MAN STRICKEN

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