

MAY PUT SKINNER ON GRILL IN EXPORT PLAN

State Department Irritated by Reports Consul Helped Arrange Neutral Shipments.

The State Department has denied responsibility for the plan arranged by the British government to expedite shipment of American goods to neutral ports.

Irritation was expressed by officials at reports from London that Consul General Skinner is given credit for perfecting the arrangements by which American shipments to Scandinavian countries may be expedited through the efforts of the British embassy and British consuls in the United States.

Consul General Skinner was given instructions not to discuss this plan with British officials, it was said at the State Department.

If Mr. Skinner exceeded his authority it was intimated he may be called to account.

Unwillingness of the State Department to stand sponsor for any move to expedite American shipments to neutrals is due to the fact that the department has been on record from the first as denying the right of Great Britain to restrict such shipments by an alleged illegal blockade.

Any steps to lighten the blockade could not be given official sanction because in effect it would be a recognition of its legality.

Bryn Mawr Puzzled Over Honor System

Girls Aren't Sure Whether Students Are Compelled to "Welch" on Others.

PHILADELPHIA, March 5.—The most puzzling question in Bryn Mawr College just now, not excepting quizzes in economics and Greek, is the following:

Is a student under the honor system honor-bound to "welch" on a violation of the college rules, or is it more honorable to keep a secret?

The question grew out of the resignation of Miss Ruth Cheney, a sophomore, as treasurer of the self-government association of the college. In explaining her action, Miss Cheney stated her fellow-students by saying she had obtained information of infractions of the self-government rules.

As an officer of the association, Miss Cheney felt that she was honor-bound to report the violations. As an individual, she was just as certain that she ought to keep them a secret, she obtained them in confidence. So she resigned and kept the secret.

The students didn't want Miss Cheney to resign, and a big discussion arose over the stand she took. Miss Margaret Russell, president of the association, argued that Miss Cheney had the right either as an officer or an individual to keep the secret if she felt she should.

This led to the adoption of a resolution that "members of the association who obtain information of infractions of the college rules should not be required to report offenses of individuals."

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Fight Three Yeggs On Roof of Church

Police at Medford, Mass., Overpower Two With Tools and Dynamite.

MEDFORD, Mass., March 5.—Three yeggs carrying bags filled with crackmen's tools and dynamite were captured early today on the roof of an

extension to the historic St. Mary's Church in the North End.

The police had a hard hand struggle on the roof with the three men, all of whom were armed. The police believe that the men are from New York, and that they intended to rob the rectory safe. There was enough dynamite in one satchel to have wrecked the church, according to the police.

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ARMY ENGINEER CHIEF RETIRES TOMORROW

Col. William Black Will Succeed Brig. Gen. Kingman.

Brig. Gen. Dan C. Kingman, chief of engineers of the army, will go on the retired list tomorrow.

Col. William Black, of New York, has arrived in Washington to succeed him. General Kingman will turn over his post to the new engineer chief at noon.

Colonel Black will advance automatically to the rank of brigadier general.

General Kingman was graduated from the West Point Academy in 1875, standing second in his class. He was assistant professor of engineering at the Academy from 1878 to 1881.

He was in charge of important river and harbor work before coming to Washington in 1912 to assume the post of chief of engineers.

During his term as engineer chief, General Kingman has been a friend of the District, and has approved every recommendation made to him for improvements at the Capital.

He has served as a member of the

Refuse Ever Again to Patch Bears' Bath Tubs

NEW YORK, March 5.—Mike Fogarty and Jerry Sullivan will patch no more bears' bath tubs. Not if Mike and Jerry know themselves.

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