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French Army Invades Ruhr

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REDS MURDER JAPS' ENVOY

ARMY TRAINING ADVOCATED; U. S. IS UNPREPARED

New Yorker Declares Unreadiness of United States For War Directly Responsible for "Frightful Extravagances" of Victory Over Germany; Bill Provides Service for Youths of 18 to 21 Years.

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The appeal [illegible]

Appeal Is Issued For Approval By People of League

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The appeal [illegible]

SIMS CRITIZED FOR DESTROYER USE DURING WAR

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—[illegible]

FORBID WOMEN TO PICKET FOR IRELAND CAUSE

By The Associated Press.

[illegible]

Mrs. Woolworth, of 5 and 10 Fame, Ill

By The Associated Press.

[illegible]

By The Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—Japanese Vice Consul Ishida has been killed by the bolsheviki at Nikolaevsk, eastern Siberia, according to news received by the New World, a Japanese language newspaper here today.

The news advised that the Russian government formally has asked the Japanese government [illegible] and the Japanese government has responded by sending Yagichi Muira, its special envoy at Paris and former minister to Switzerland, to Russia to investigate.

Union Switchmen Take Places of Strikers in Chicago Railway Yards

Backbone of Strike of Insurgents Will Be Broken Predicts Brotherhood Chief; Stockyards Crippled and 5,000 Men Thrown Out of Work, But 50,000 May Quit Today.

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 5.—[illegible]

CARS PROMISED TO MOVE GREAT CABBAGE CROPS

By The Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Tex., April 5.—As a result of a conference held in Houston Monday between officials of the American Refrigerator Transit company and representatives of the International and Great Northern railway and the Gulf Coast lines, a much better movement of refrigerator cars is promised to bring relief to the growers of the cabbage and other perishable vegetables of the Rio Grande valley section.

T. H. Garman, general agent of the American Refrigerator Transit company, with headquarters in St. Louis, and G. B. Scully, general agent with headquarters at Tyler, Texas, promised immediate refrigerator car relief.

20 YOUUNG FOLK DROWNED WHEN BOAT CAPSIZES

By The Associated Press.

[illegible]

BUYS MUCH FLOUR.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 5.—The [illegible]

COAL MINERS WALK OUT IN KANSAS AREA

Between 1,500 and 2,000 Men Quit in Protest to Wage Commission's Award; State May Not Act Under New Industrial Relations Law, Says Attorney General.

By The Associated Press.

[illegible]

OHIO STRIKE NOT OFF.

By The Associated Press.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 5.—Three thousand miners in Ohio and Belmont counties who went on strike last Friday refused to keep the mines today in spite of the efforts of union leaders to have the men call off the walkout. The miners expressed dissatisfaction with the manner in which the 27 per cent wage increase was adjusted.

HOT FIGHT SURE THURSDAY OVER PEACE MEASURE

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Democratic and Republican leaders of the house decided on their tactics today for the battle Thursday over the peace resolution put forward by Republican Leader Mondell. Democratic votes will be cast against the resolution, it was decided, in the belief that a majority of the house will vote against it.

Chairman Kahn of the military affairs committee, declared in a statement issued today that if the resolution were passed and signed by the president, it would be tantamount to a declaration of war against Germany, although it would not be so in fact. The resolution would provide that the president call upon the allied and associated powers to begin negotiations for the adoption of a covenant for the protection of Germany and Austria-Hungary against aggression, and would provide that if the president deems it necessary he may call upon the United States armed forces to carry out the terms of the covenant.

Democratic leaders in the house are expected to offer a substitute for the Mondell resolution which would provide for the immediate ratification of the German treaty with the Lodge reservations and would declare that the United States does not desire any part of the German territory or any other indemnity than that provided in the treaty.

MOVE IS NOT HOSTILE, BUT TO ENFORCE PEACE PACT

Forces Leave For Occupancy of Frankfurt in Ruhr Valley; Military Intervention by Berlin Government Is Uncalled for, Says Note; Had Germans Obeyed Disarment Provision Would Have Been No Kapp Revolt.

By The Associated Press.

MAYENCE, April 5.—The French troops will occupy Frankfort early tomorrow morning. Some detachments have already started.

FRENCH NOTES EXPLAINS.

By The Associated Press.

PARIS, April 5.—The attitude of the French government in the present German crisis is defined and explained in a note issued tonight. After reiterating that the government has no hostile designs toward Germany, desiring on the contrary, the resumption of normal relations with that country and expressing realization of the difficult situation of the Berlin government, the note declares the German government has given way to pressure by the militarist party "not fearing to infringe the imperiative and most solemn stipulations of the Versailles treaty."

The note continues:

"The reasons of facts follow:

"The first request for permission for the entry of extra troops into the Ruhr district was made just after the insurgent movement by the military authorities March 13. It was renewed from Berlin March 17, in the name of the legitimate government, by Von Lossow, who had remained in Berlin with the consent, at least implied, of the insurgent government.

"All information from the allied missions and again the day before yesterday from the Inter Allied commission at Cologne does not seem to show that Germany military intervention is justified by the situation, and it would be attended with the gravest dangers from the point of view of security both for the population and the men in the field."

The note then points out that if the German government had carried out the disarmament clauses of the treaty there would have been no Kapp adventure and the red army in the Ruhr district, and remarks that after it had it was also an offender in this respect that article 160 of the Versailles-Spa-Aix-la-Chapelle convention defines as a crime freedom from disarmament insufficient for order. The protection of Europe.

"The situation created by the abrupt offensive of the German troops in the Ruhr obliges the French government today to consider military measures, the execution of which cannot be deferred. The sole object of these measures is to bring Germany to due respect of the treaty, and they are exclusively of a defensive and precautionary character."

GERMANS LOSE 200.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, April 5.—The government forces have lost 200 men killed in fresh fighting in the triangle formed by Duisburg, Dortmund and Essen, according to official information given the correspondent this morning. Except in this triangle, quiet regularly is being restored in the Ruhr district.

FRANCE STANDS FIRM.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, April 5.—Dr. Gesphert, president of the German peace commission, called on Premier Millerand tonight with the object of trying once more to reassure him as to the character of the German operations in the Ruhr, which, it is pretended now in German circles, will be finished within a week, and seek to persuade the premier to forego application of the guarantee measures.

Dr. Gesphert, it is understood, made no impression on M. Millerand.

NAMES LOAN BANK HEAD.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—President Wilson today designated Chas. S. Lobingier of Kansas, a republican, as chairman of the federal farm loan board, succeeding George W. Norris, who resigned to become governor of the Philadelphia federal reserve bank. Mr. Lobingier has been a member of the board since it was created.

Donna Re-Elects 3 School Trustees; Name New Member

[illegible]

Rousing Talks For Greater Corpus Christi and Consideration of Many New Projects Feature $10,000 Commercial Fund Supper

[illegible]

To Explain Expenditures.

[illegible]

Legion Pledges Aid.

[illegible]

Most Built Causeway.

[illegible]

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GOVERNMENT TO BORROW MONEY

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Governmental [illegible] were warned by the treasury department that the government would be a heavy borrower in April and May despite the March reduction of $200,000,000 in the public debt. The officer in charge of treasury certificates of indebtedness which will be necessary to meet the immediate needs was not disclosed, but announcement of such obligations before April seem.

It was explained that while "prosperity and progress" has been made in lowering the gross debt, it was necessary to borrow that a reduction equal to that in March would be lost next month.

For the first nine months of the fiscal year ending June 30 the treasury shows a deficit of $214,000,000. But during that period the most of the war debt was funded and a commission of the public debt by months since August 31, 1919, reports a substantial reduction both in the permanent and floating obligations. Secretary Houston said.

FORD CAN'T RUN.

By The Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 5.—Nomination petitions intended to place the name of Henry Ford of Detroit, Mich., before the voters of Pennsylvania as a candidate for presidential nomination at the May primaries were rejected by the secretary of the commonwealth today because they did not give the name of any party and failed to comply with the requirements of the Pennsylvania primary law.

Weather

For Corpus Christi and vicinity: Tuesday, fair, rather warmer; light to fresh northeast to south east winds.

For [illegible] Tuesday, fair, rather warmer; fresh to brisk southeast winds off the coast.

East Texas: Tuesday fair, rather warmer in east and south portions; Wednesday partly cloudy; rather warmer; fresh southeast winds.

West Texas: Tuesday fair, rather warmer; Wednesday fair, rather colder.

A LINE O' CHEER FOR EACH DAY O' THE YEAR
By John Kendrick Bangs.

BOVINE

The cow launched to see a cow
Blind cow begin a bellowing. And
the cow, with which to begin
Bellowing herself, the cow
Bellowing herself, the cow
With cows time to encourage
One bovine's cow so difficult to
"Bud" to the things with our
doors.
The Cow is but an idiot call
And so for moo. It is to laugh!

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