

SELFISH AIMS IN WAR BY NAVY DEPARTMENT; WARSHIPS HELD BACK

Admiral Sims Hinted Before Senate Investigating Committee That the Department Desired to Keep Main Body of the Nation's Sea Strength for Possible eventualities.

READ CABLEGRAM FROM NAVY DEPT.

Which Declared That "Future Position of United States Must in No Way Be Jeopardized by Any Disintegration of Our Main Fighting Fleet"

Washington, D. C., March 11.—Indications that the navy department with held sending all available American naval craft to European waters early in the war because of a desire to keep the main body of the nation's sea strength intact for possible eventualities were contained in Admiral Sims' testimony today before the Senate committee investigating the naval conduct of the war.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS MEETS IN PARIS

Council Will Be Called to Order Next Saturday, It Was Decided in Paris To-day.

Paris, March 11.—The council of the league of nations, it was decided today, will meet for the third time in this city on Saturday.

STEAMER ECUADOR SAFE

Reached Yokohama March 4 and Proceeded to Kobe.

VERY FIRMLY WORDED NOTE

From Allies to Germany, Demanding Immediate Punishment FOR OUTRAGES DONE TO ALLIED OFFICERS

CONDEMNS WAR MANAGEMENT BY CABLE

At one point in his prepared statement, Admiral Sims paused to outline his purpose.

Admiral Sims himself visited London early in November, Admiral Sims continued, and quickly convinced himself of the wisdom of sending over a successful termination of the present war must always be the first allied aim and will probably result in diminished tension throughout the world.

CONVIVANCE WITH JENKINS ALLEGED

Mexican Rebel Claims He Carried Message from Jenkins' Abductor to Jenkins.

FELT SORE OVER IT

Father had been interviewing his offspring with a leather strap.

FLOODS HINDER COAL MINING

Production in Hazelton District Curtailed 20 Per Cent.

LABOR NAMES ITS CANDIDATES

For Members of the Railroad Wage Board of Appeals

NAMES ARE GIVEN TO THE PRESIDENT

Railroad Executives Have Not Handed in Their List as Yet

Washington, D. C., March 11.—Labor's nominations to the railroad wage board, the wage board of appeals on which the public will have representation, were submitted today to the president.

WALKING AT BINGHAMTON

Because the Street Car Men Refuse to Accept Premises.

AGAIN TAKEN IN TOW

Steamer Lake Elli'horpe's Rudder Badly Damaged.

RID CHICAGO OF CRIME IN 6 MONTHS OR RESIGN

Declares John J. Garrity, Chief of Police, Who Has Been Relieved of "Cumbrous Restrictions."

SAYS SHE KILLED SISTER

New York Girl Made Startling Announcement to Police.

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WEST VIRGINIA IS 34TH

Legislature Ratified Suffrage Amendment Late Yesterday.

ADIRONDACK TRAPPERS GOT MILLION FOR FURS

Sarnac Lake, N. Y., March 11.—Adirondack trappers received approximately \$1,000,000 for raw furs this winter, in the estimation of leading fur dealers in this region.

SENATE AGAIN HOLDS UP TREATY ACTION

While Leaders Sought to Bring Order Out of the Tangled Situation.

WINE WAS FOUND IN A HENCOOP

When Raid Was Made on a Literary Club at Chicopee, Mass., Last Night.

SUFFRAGE IS WON

Declared Carrie Chapman Catt on Hearing from West Virginia.

TWENTY STATES JOIN IN CONFERENCE

To Consider the Question of Community Organization—Call for Conference Issued by Franklin K. Lane.

WORCESTER TAILORS STRIKE

Want 8-Hour Day and \$36 a Week Minimum Instead of Piece Work.

ANTHER RALLY, THEN DROP

Pound Sterling Went Through Violent Movement.

CITY HOLDS MINE

Fifty Policemen are Keeping Workmen Away at Scranton.

TO VISIT IN PANAMA

General Pershing Will Start March 25 on Last Lap of Inspection.

CALIFORNIA APPOINTED

William N. Joyce to Be Member of Federal Farm Loan Board.

U. S. BOND ISSUE IS HAZARDOUS

And "Might Result in Disaster," Secretary Houston Testified

AT HEARING FOR SOLDIER RELIEF

Grave Situation to Try to Float \$2,000,000,000 Issue

Gov. Harding Opposes Issue

Issuing of \$2,000,000,000 in bonds at this time would be "a much more serious proposition than it was during the war," Governor Harding of the federal reserve board, told the committee.

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ALEXANDRIA, VA., GROWS

Population is 18,000, a Gain of 17.8 Per Cent.

YES, 15,500; NO, 11,021

With Thirteen Vermont Towns Still Unreported.

GIVEN RAISE OF 25 PER CENT

Bituminous Coal Miners Are Awarded That by the Federal Commission

WILSON APPOINT TO SETTLE LIKE

The Recommendation Was Submitted Today by Majority of Commission

AEROS AND ENGINEERS

Held a Joint Meeting in Burlington Yesterday.

DEATHS FROM PNEUMONIA

Mrs. Jessie Douglas and Daniel Hurley of Waterbury Victims.

BIG CUSTOMS INCREASE

For Month of January Through the Vermont District.

FEW DELEGATES PRESENT

At Meeting of Second District of Vermont Federation of Women's Clubs.

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