

GERMANY FEARS TO REJECT TREATY

CONSIDER SEPARATE PEACE WITH FOE OPPOSITION TO PACT IS STILL APPARENT

SENATORS TO CONSIDER THREE RESOLUTIONS

Defeat of Knox Bill Would Lead to No Alternative But to Make Treaty With German Government.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Separate peace with Germany is provided for in at least three resolutions being prepared for senators for introduction "at the proper time." Refusal of Germany to sign the allied treaty, or her signing of it, or the defeat of the Knox resolution in the senate are among the events which senators said, are likely to be the signals for introduction of the separate peace resolutions.

President Wilson Delivers Message to Belgian People

BRUSSELS, June 18.—President Wilson today delivered the following message to the Belgian people: "I am happy at the opportunity to visit a nation which defended the barriers of civilization under the most crushing difficulties. I strongly desire to meet King Albert, Cardinal Mercier, Burgomaster Max and General Leman, and to see the damage to the country whose only fault is absolute loyalty to its conception of national honor and fidelity to its pledges."

GENERAL STRIKE VIOLENCE FEARED

Arrest of Winnipeg Labor Leaders is Said to Aggravate Conditions.

WINNIPEG, Man., June 18.—Winnipeg is a city of dread. It is gripped with the fear of an outbreak of violence that will sweep it from end to end. Its population of approximately 225,000 is about evenly divided on the questions at stake in the general strike—if anything the majority is on the side of the workers.

PRESIDENT OF BRAZIL IN NEW YORK THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, June 18.—President Pessoa of Brazil and his party are speeding to New York on the Imperator today following a break-down last night of the French cruiser Jean d'Arc.

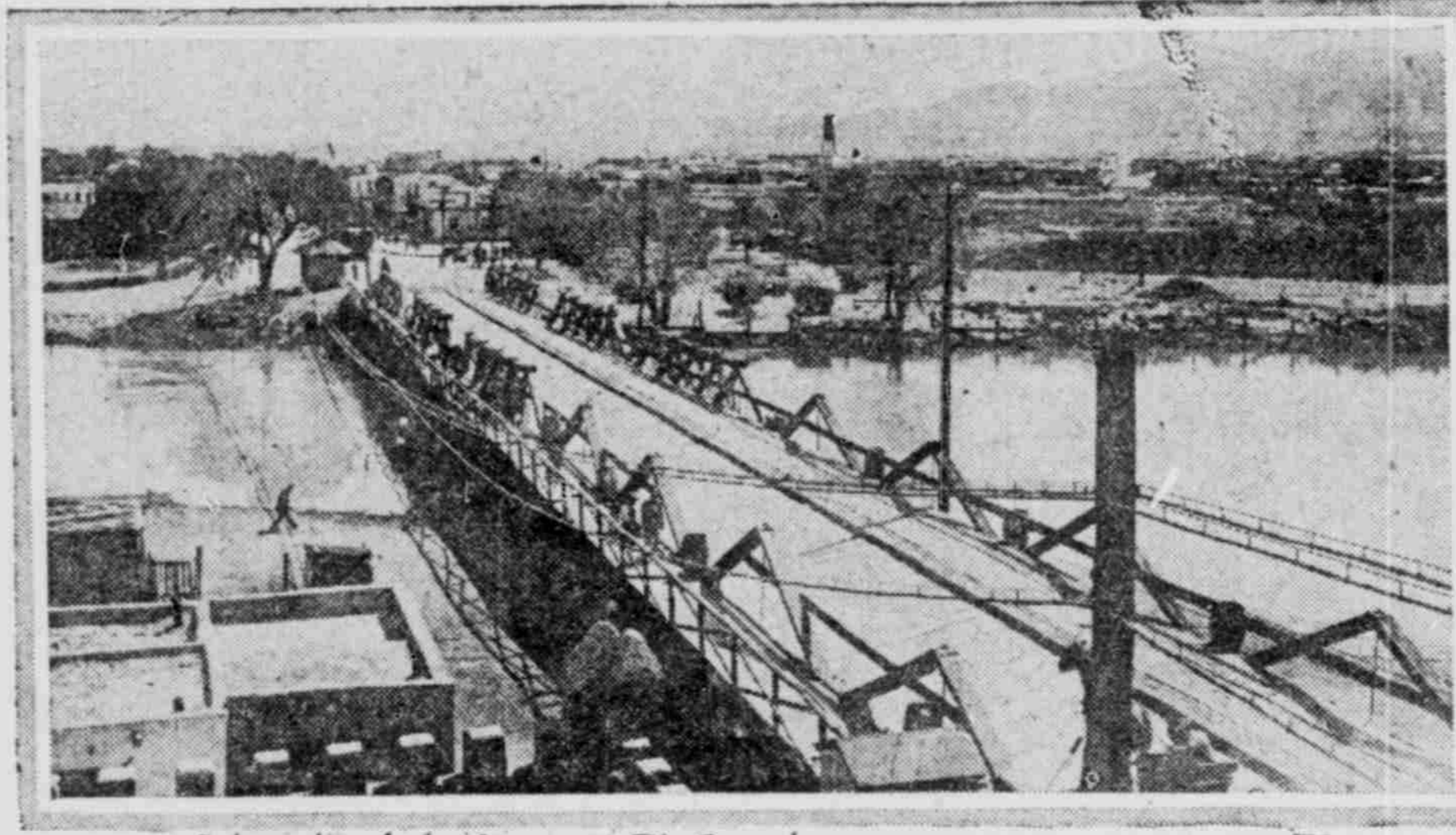
CHICAGO KEYMEN ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

CHICAGO, June 18.—Striking telegraphers here today expressed utmost confidence in the outcome of the conference between Deputy International President Percy Thomas and Samuel Gompers, president of the A. F. of L., regarding an adjustment of the situation.

WILL CONSIDER SUFFRAGE

NEW YORK, June 18.—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association announced today she has received a telegram from Gov. Shoup, of Colorado, saying he will call a special session of the legislature to ratify the federal suffrage amendment.

El Paso and Juarez Bridge



International bridge across the Rio Grande connecting El Paso and Juarez. American troops have crossed the bridge into Mexico and forced back Villista troops. Big United States artillery guns are in position on the hills of El Paso pointing at the bridge and commanding the span across the river. The photograph of the bridge was made looking toward Juarez, the Mexican garrison city.

VOKE AID OF STATE OFFICIALS

Studebaker Corporation is Against Repeal of Present Daylight Saving Law.

In letters from the Studebaker corporation received Tuesday, the aid of Indiana's three representatives in congress, from the 13th congressional district, was invoked to use their influence in fighting the repeal of the present daylight savings law.

President Orders American Vessels to Ignore Rules

ADINKERKE, Belgium, June 18.—President Wilson has ordered all American vessels unloading in German ports to disregard British orders to cease discharging their cargoes. It was learned today.

LARGEST PERMIT IS FOR \$700,000

Building Department Issues Order For Erection of Studebaker Plant.

The largest building permit ever issued by the South Bend building department was granted Tuesday evening to the Studebaker corporation. The building to cost approximately \$700,000, is a duplicate of the mammoth structure that is being erected at the plant at the present time and will be 192 by 594 feet.

FORMAL PROTEST OF EXPEDITION EXPECTED

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The formal protest by the Carranza government against the American expedition into Juarez to disperse Villistas was expected today in Washington.

FAIL TO STRIKE

OTTAWA, Ont., June 18.—The 30,000 Canadian railway shopmen will not strike today as scheduled. The secretary of the shopmen's organization is at Atlantic City conferring with American labor leaders.

POLES WILL JOIN ALLIES TO FIGHT FOE

Foch Has Plan to Form Ring to Overrun Germany if She Fails to Sign.

PARIS, June 18.—The Poles and Czech-Slovaks will join the allies in throwing an iron ring around Germany, in case she chooses war rather than peace, according to authoritative information obtained today.

Officials Astonished at What is Regarded As Disregard of German Counter-proposals and Criticise America.

WEIMAR, June 17.—Germany fears the consequences of rejecting the revised peace treaty. This attitude was apparent in government circles here today.

Record of Health Board Shows Few Contagious Cases

No scarlet fever, no diphtheria, a very few chicken pox cases, and one small pox case to be dismissed Saturday—this is the record of the local health board at the present time. It shows the smallest number of contagious diseases existing in South Bend in the history of the health board.

TAX TOTALS OF COUNTY FIRMS

With three of the largest corporations in St. Joseph county not included, total appraisement of personal property, corporate excess, and real estate of the remainder of corporations of the county amounts to \$36,299,990, according to the figures just compiled by the members of the local board of review. These figures represent the new system of taxation at true cash value, which was provided for in the law passed by the last session of the legislature.

ARREST GIRL CHARGED WITH DIAMOND THEFT

LAFORTE, Ind., June 15.—Florence Sickman, 18 years old, wanted for a \$19,000 diamond robbery in Detroit, was arrested here by a Pinkerton detective. When taken into custody, the girl confessed her guilt, surrendering all of the jewels but two finger rings though she had shipped several of the diamonds.

OPPONENTS WIN TEST VOTE OF DAYLIGHT LAW

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Opponents of daylight saving in the house today won the first test vote on the repeal of the law when by a vote of 163 to 34, they ordered immediate consideration of the repeal.

OHIO GOVERNOR ASKS VOTE ON FIGHT BILL

COLUMBUS, O., June 18.—Rep. Dunn will ask a reconsideration vote on his bill designed to interfere with the Dempsey-Willard championship bout. The house last night defeated the measure by a narrow margin.

THE COVENANTER ARTICLES Making Clear All Phases of the Paris Covenant of the LEAGUE OF NATIONS Soon to Come Before the U. S. Senate

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