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MONROE DOCTRINE IS PROTECTED IN COVENANT

Text Reads: "Nothing in This Covenant Shall Be Construed as Invalidating Any Agreement Such as the Monroe Doctrine for Maintenance of Peace."

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
PARIS, April 11.—The peace council has reached an agreement on all questions concerning peace with Germany, including reparations, indemnities and frontiers on the Rhine and in Poland, according to a statement given out by Premier Lloyd George.

Certain details remain which, it is asserted, will be settled in the next two or three days.

Good Progress Made.
WASHINGTON, April 11.—Advices received at the White House today say that more progress has been made in the peace conference in the past forty-eight hours than in the entire previous two weeks, which indicates that President Wilson has secured the acceptance of certain important points for which he has been contending.

Monroe Doctrine Protected.
PARIS, April 11.—While the text of the Monroe doctrine amendment adopted by the League of Nations commission last night is withheld, its main features are along the following lines:

"Article Ten—Nothing in this covenant shall be construed as invalidating any agreement such as the Monroe doctrine for the maintenance of peace."

MAKES DISLOYALTY CHARGE
Dismissed Trustee Accuses Christian Science Publishing Directors

BOSTON, April 11.—Charges of disloyalty and mismanagement on the part of trustees of the Christian Science Publishing society are made in a separate answer filed in the supreme court Wednesday by John V. Dittmore, one of the defendants to the suit brought by the trustees last month to retain the directors of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, from interfering with their management of the society. Mr. Dittmore particularly attacks the methods used in the publication of the Christian Science Monitor, a daily newspaper. The other members of the directorate dismissed Mr. Dittmore March 17 last, eight days before the filing of the suit, and appointed Mrs. Annie M. Knott in his place. Both he and Mrs. Knott were made defendants in this suit, the trustees asserting in their bill of complaint that they were unable to determine which was a "duly appointed" director. Mrs. Knott joined in the answer filed by the other directors April 4.

Mr. Dittmore's answer completes the pleadings. It is expected the case will be sent to a master within a few weeks for the hearing of evidence.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The war department has instructed the army embarkation officials in France to return in one convoy the entire 77th (New York national army) division if possible or as large a part of it as may be possible with the shipping. This action was taken in connection with the parade of the division in New York city.

QUÉBEC IS VOTING ON
LICENSE OF PROSTITUTION
MONTREAL, Que., April 11.—The province of Quebec voted Thursday on a referendum whether wine and beer licenses shall be issued of the province shall go "dry." Proponents of the vote pointed Thursday to the buoyancy of general licensing stock on the market as an indication that the vote was expected to go for the state advance to a new high point at 10-1.

DISABLED SHIP HAS ARRIVED

TRANSPORT JULIA LUCKENBACH
REACHES NEW YORK.

Men Aboard Are of the Fortieth National Guard Division From Far Western States.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
NEW YORK, April 11.—The transport Julia Luckenbach, carrying the 157th infantry complete, which was reported to have lost a propeller at sea, arrived off the Ambrose lightship today. The men aboard are from the Fortieth (National guard) division and are from California, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico.

HEAVY SNOW IN KANSAS.
TOPEKA, Kan., April 11.—With the western third of the state covered with soggy snow from six inches to a foot in depth, wire communication in that area demoralized and train service much delayed, the state is emerging from a storm of unusual severity for this season of the year. The weather forecaster Thursday reported that the storm period has passed and milder temperature will prevail.

MORE TROOPS REACH RUSSIA

AMERICAN CRUISER HAS ARRIVED AT ARCHANGEL.

American and Russian Soldiers Raided Bolshevik Positions and Captured Prisoners.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
ARCHANGEL, April 11.—An American cruiser carrying American engineers and troops and Brigadier General Richardson, the new commander of the American forces in north Russia, has arrived.

American and Russian forces yesterday raided the Bolshevik positions and took nine prisoners and two machine guns.

LEITCH TO GO
TO SIBERIA

TACOMA, Wash., April 11.—Major General Joseph D. Leitch had not heard that he was to go to Siberia until the Associated Press dispatch was read to him Wednesday.

It was announced at Camp Lewis that Colonel Harvey W. Miller of the First Infantry will succeed General Leitch as camp commander unless the war department assigns another officer to the place. Colonel Miller is the senior camp officer below Major General Leitch.

TROOPS MOVE WESTWARD
FOR DEMOBILIZATION

ODGEN, Utah, April 11.—Information received here Thursday states that four trainloads of soldiers are to pass through here today, starting Friday, and one train will carry part of the 91st division enroute from New York to San Francisco for demobilization. The first train will arrive here at 10:15 o'clock Friday morning. The Red Cross cantina has made arrangements to serve refreshments to the soldiers.

FINDS NEW PRUNE TEST
Unknown Bug Causes Considerable Damage in Oregon Orchards

SALEM, April 11.—"Prune root-les" is the name Robert C. Pantel, manager of the Salem Fruit union, has given to a new insect pest which has made its appearance in the district south of here, he stated Wednesday. The little bug, he described as about the width of a hair and about one-eighth of an inch long. A dozen or more of the insects will attack each blossom on a prune tree, eating the white petals, and the damage in some orchards already is considerable, Pantel said. The insect never has been seen here before.

COASTWIDE PROTEST ON MAY FIFTH

SHIPWORKERS NOT SATISFIED
WITH THE AGREEMENT AS
RECOMMENDED.

DEMAND APPROXIMATELY
AN EIGHT DOLLAR DAY

Thirty-five Thousand Members of the Pacific District of Maritime Workers Will Join in the Protest at a Meeting to Be Held in Oakland, California.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—An extension of the labor board wage agreement to October first as recommended at the recent Washington conference, is disapproved by thirty-five thousand workers of the Pacific district of the Maritime Workers' council.

There will be a coast-wide protest at a meeting of shipworkers at Oakland on May fifth. The workers demand approximately an eight-dollar day, which is not provided for in the proposed extended agreement.

RUSS-BAVARIA'S SOVIET
RELATIONS ESTABLISHED

BERLIN, April 11.—Diplomatic relations have been established between the Russian and Bavarian soviet governments, according to the Zwelferblatt.

As late as April 8 the Russian soviet government had not got into touch with the Bavarian soviet authorities, according to a wireless message of that date from Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik premier, who sent the message to Bela Kun, the Hungarian revolutionary leader, asking him to send details of the revolution in Bavaria. "We have only the barest announcement," Lenin's message read.

MEXICAN BANDIT
REPORTED KILLED

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
MEXICO CITY, April 11.—Carranza troops have killed Emiliano Sepata, a bandit leader, it is reported.

DENVER IS STILL ISOLATED
FROM EAST AND SOUTHWEST

DENVER, Colo., April 11.—Denver's isolation from the eastern and southwestern part of the country continued yesterday as a result of the succession of storms that swept through Nebraska, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas Tuesday night and Wednesday. Wire service with the east, especially, was demoralized. The Colorado & Southern railroad has brought no trains to Denver since 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Several trains on that road are reported stalled in snow banks between Clayton, N. M., and Fort Worth, Tex. The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe train en route from Kansas City at 10 a. m. Thursday is reported stalled east of Garden City, Kan. All of the westbound trains on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific have been annihilated. These trains encountered snow banks of great proportions between Smith Center, Kan., and Phillipsburg, Kan.

PERSHING AS AGES
WILL KNOW HIM



Here is General Pershing as he will know him. He is a new bust of the American commander just completed by David American sculptor.

Russ War Prisoners Agitate Huns; Ask to Send Them Home

LONDON, April 11.—The German armistice commission at Spa, a dispatch from Berlin Thursday says, has addressed a note to the allies urgently requesting the removal to Russia of Russian prisoners of war still in Germany. The German standpoint is that the Russians are increasing the spread of disturbances in Germany.

ANTI-JAPAN LAW GIVEN UP

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATORS
REFUSE TO REQUEST

Resolution at Sacramento Asks Peace Conference Take Action on Question of Oriental Immigration

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—State Senator Imman withdrew Thursday his request to introduce an anti-Japanese land bill in the senate, after the senate had received from Secretary of State Lansing at Paris a cablegram to the effect that the introduction of such legislation would be "extremely unfortunate at this time."

He then introduced the resolution, incorporating a cablegram which he asked be sent to President Wilson, requesting that the "peace conference take such action on the question of oriental immigration that the future state legislation may be made unnecessary."

BRIBE OFFER IS ALLEGED

NEW YORK STATE SENATOR
SAYS PROPOSAL WAS MADE.

Claims That Trolley Interests Wanted His Help in Passing Bill at Albany.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
ALBANY, N. Y., April 11.—Senator George Thompson of Niagara, told the senate committee today that Richard H. Burke of New York told him if he would assist in the passage of the increased trolley fare bill he could become governor of New York and that the traction interests would raise a half-million dollar campaign fund for him.

Thompson testified that former Governor Whitman talked with him about the same thing.

Denied By Whitman.

NEW YORK, April 11.—Former Governor Whitman has denied the Thompson statement before the senate committee.

BIG EXPENSE FOR SMALL SUM

PORTLAND, April 11.—George Moore of this city has announced his determination to spend as much as \$500, if necessary, to recover 60 cents spent at a local vaudeville theatre. The question involved is whether a theatre patron can get his money back if he is told to go up to the gallery when he paid for seats in the balcony.

CANADIAN TROOPS WILL
PARADE IN LONDON

LONDON, April 11.—The Canadian authorities here have decided it will be possible for the Canadian contingent to take part in the proposed march of the overseas troops through London.

WILL STICK TO WILSON'S 14 POINTS

GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER EX-
PLAINS VIEW OF HIS GOV-
ERNMENT.

SAYS FINANCIAL DEMANDS
CAUSE OPPONENTS TROUBLE

Can Be No Solution to the Question Until German Experts Have Been Admitted to the Council to Explain the Demands and the Ability of Germany to Pay.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
BERLIN, April 11.—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, foreign minister, speaking before the national assembly at Weimar, said that Germany would not sign a peace treaty which deviated in any essential particular from the fourteen points enunciated by President Wilson.

He said: "Financial demands are causing our opponents as much difficulty as those regarding territory. It will be impossible to solve this question without negotiating with our experts at the peace table. We will give a clear account to our opponents relative to their demands as well as to our ability to pay."

1000 AMPUTATIONS IN
AMERICAN FORCES

WASHINGTON, April 11.—There were but 125 cases of total blindness and less than 4000 amputations in the American forces engaged in the war, it was stated Friday by the bureau of war risk insurance in an announcement concerning the bureau's activity in supplying the crippled soldiers and sailors with artificial limbs and in otherwise caring for the disabled and wounded.

WEATHER FORECAST
(By Associated Press to The Observer)
PORTLAND, April 11.—For Oregon: Fair. Heavy to killing frost tonight; gentle westerly winds.

WHIPPET TANK
SEEN AT MEDFORD

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
MEDFORD, April 11.—The whippet tank proceeding along the Pacific highway under its own power arrived at Medford last night. It left on the train this morning for Grants Pass, and Roseburg, after a Victory Day celebration here.

ALLEGED CONTRACT BREACH
Suit for \$12,000,000 Develops Over
Hand Grenade Option.

TORONTO, Ont., April 11.—Bulfinch, Lang & Co. of Boston have entered action here against Sir Donald Mann to recover \$12,000,000 claimed due for expenses and damages for alleged breaches of contract. "The plaintiffs say that they were given an option for six months for the sale of the Shaw hand grenade to Great Britain, United States, France, Italy, Japan and any of the allied nations. They were promised, they claim, from exercising this option. Sir Donald declares that the plaintiffs were given no irrevocable option."

NETHERLANDS FURNISH
A GRACIOUS HOSTESS



The arrival of Jonkhoe J. P. Premier, minister from the Netherlands to the United States, meant the addition of another charming hostess to the circle of Washington, D. C. social circles of Washington, D. C. Premier has already made her mark here.

SOVIET IDEA IS SPREADING

GERMAN-AUSTRIA REPORTED AS
BECOMING AFFECTED

States That Communist Governments Have Been Formed for Several Large Towns in Bavaria.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
COPENHAGEN, April 11.—The revolutionary movement in Bavaria has spread to Baden. Agitators are working in Karlsruhe and other large towns, in which communists at Munich have formed communist governments, disposing of the other governments.

All of German-Austria is reported to be coming under the influence of the Munich and Budapest soviet government.

SEND RELIEF TO SIBERIA

SEATTLE, April 11.—Twenty-four men and women Red Cross workers are scheduled to sail from here April 22 for service in Siberia. The workers, it was announced here Wednesday, will be stationed in camps along the Trans-Siberian railroad.

SUBMISSION OF PROHIBITION CASE

MANDAMUS ACTION ARGUED BEFORE
SUPREME COURT

Order Sought to Have the Ratification Matter Referred to the Voters of Oregon.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
SALEM, April 11.—A mandamus action brought by Karl Herbring, of Portland, representing the brewing interests, against Attorney General Brown to compel him to write the ballot title for a petition to the people on the legislature's resolution ratifying the federal prohibition amendment, was argued before the supreme court today.

California and Washington attorneys were among those present.

SANTELL WILL NOT WRESTLE

The wrestling event mentioned in the Observer yesterday as being dated for the evening of April 18, between Ad Santell and some other heavy-weight, of reputed Moslem ancestry and educated somewhere in the dominion of a recent ally of Kaiser Wilhelm, which said wrestler once had the temerity to engage Frank Gotch, during the contest was so rude as to break one of the legs of the great and only Gotch, has been called off, or is definitely postponed. This action was taken at the instance of the Ad Club, when John E. Anderson informed them that he already had billed a wrestling contest between Ad Gustavo and Ted Thyb, to take place on the night of April 22.

The contest between Thyb and Gustavo will take place as originally planned and has already attracted the attention of the entire sporting fraternity in this section. Thyb is a great local favorite, having formerly been employed in the railroad shops in this city, also appearing in some of the best wrestling contests ever staged here. He has many friends who are keen to see him match his ability with Gustavo, who has established quite a following by virtue of his performance in the two contests engaged in recently and from the clean sportsmanship he exhibits.

It seems some misunderstanding caused the counter attraction to be booked, and when this was brought to the attention of the parties interested the bill of the 18th was called off. La Grande wants and will support sporting events of this nature, and all who have the welfare of sporting exhibitions of this kind at heart will be glad to know of the action of the Ad Club in seeing to it that everything with a reason will be done to keep athletic sports in this city on a basis of fairness and clean sports.

RAILROAD MEN GIVEN INCREASE

ADVANCE IN EMPLOYEES' PAY
AMOUNTS TO SIXTY-FIVE
MILLION DOLLARS.

ORDER IS RETROACTIVE
FROM JANUARY 1, 1919

Four Hundred Thousand Men, Including the Four Big Brotherhoods, Are Included in the Order—Both Freight and Passenger Service Employees Are Affected.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)
WASHINGTON, April 11.—Director General Hines has ordered wage advances aggregating sixty-five million dollars for four hundred thousand railroad workers of the four big brotherhoods.

The order is retroactive to January 1, 1919. It affects both the freight and passenger service.

DEBS WILL BE TAKEN TO
PRISON IN FEW DAYS

CLEVELAND, April 11.—Rearrest and enforcement of a 10-year prison sentence imposed upon Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, convicted of violation of the espionage act last summer, is expected within the next two days, according to District Attorney Edwin S. Wertz, who said that upon the arrival of the supreme court mandate Debs will be arrested and taken to prison.

POISON GAS TO BE USED
AGAINST PLANT PESTS

PARIS, April 11.—Poison gas that worked such havoc during the war will be utilized for a very different and beneficial purpose, it is said in scientific circles. Gabriel Bertrand of the Pasteur Institute informed the academy of sciences Thursday that he had discovered a method by which such gas might be supplied for destruction of caterpillars and injurious larvae which had worked destruction on tree growths in the country districts during the past few years.

TRAINS SNOWBOUND

EL PASO, Tex., April 11.—Six passenger trains are snow-bound in eastern New Mexico and the Panhandle of west Texas while three big rotary snow plows and a number of wedge snow plows are burrowing a path for them through the deep drifts left by the storm of Monday night.

Reports received at the general offices of the El Paso & Southwestern railroad system, which connects with the Rock Island system at Tucuman, N. M., showed the Golden State limited trains due here Wednesday afternoon and Thursday were being held seventeen miles east of Dalhart, Tex., by the snow. The westbound Californian also is snow-bound east of Dalhart. The eastbound Californian trains which left here Tuesday and Wednesday night were being held at Tucuman, N. M., Thursday morning, together with the eastbound Golden State limited which left here at noon Wednesday. The heavy snow is east of Tucuman.

THIRD DAILY AT TWIN FALLS

TWIN FALLS, Ida., April 11.—The Twin Falls Chronicle, established here in 1906 by William J. Honnibgh and Thomas Devery, as a Democratic weekly newspaper, which was sold last fall to former State Senator Robert H. Stevenson of Wallace, made its appearance Thursday morning as the third daily paper now published here.

The state banking department has approved articles of incorporation of the Bank of Commerce of Astoria, which is being organized with a paid up capital of \$100,000. The incorporators are J. E. Hagan, Norris Starkins, J. Braggner, H. R. Hoeller, W. E. Gray, J. L. Linkin and F. N. Whitman. A charter has been issued to the first bank of Astoria, which has \$15,000 capital. C. E. Thard is president and W. M. Evans cashier of the bank.