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## PRESIDENT ARRIVES IN U. S. AGAIN

### FLUET OF WARSHIPS ESCORTS THE GEORGE WASHINGTON INTO HARBOR.

### MANY FROM WASHINGTON IN WELCOMING PARTY

### Prominent Labor Leaders, Headed By Samuel Gompers, Vice-President Marshall, Joseph Daniels and Cab- inet Members and Congressmen Await Arrival at New York.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

NEW YORK, July 8.—President Wilson's ship, the George Washington, approached New York harbor today escorted by destroyers at 10 o'clock today. Prominent leaders of the labor forces of America, headed by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, were among the welcoming party which went down the bay to meet the President.

Escorted by a fleet of warships the George Washington passed quarantine and moved into the harbor at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. On the dreadnaught Pennsylvania, which accompanied the George Washington, were Vice-President and Mrs. Marshall, Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Daniels and other members of the cabinet and congressmen, senators, who came from Washington to meet the transport. The President stepped from the gang plank of the transport upon American soil at the Hamburg-American line pier at Hoboken, N. J., at 3:22 o'clock. He was preceded by Mrs. Wilson and Miss Margaret, who crossed from Paris with him, and by his other two daughters who had rushed aboard the ship to greet them.

### Aviator Expects to Make Sacramento From Portland By Tonight

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

PORTLAND, July 8.—After flying from The Dalles to Portland in 62 minutes, Lieutenant J. M. Fetters, pilot of the Mather Field airplane which has been touring the northwest, arrived here at 8:30 o'clock this morning. Lieut. Fetters left forty minutes later for Eugene. He expects to reach Mather Field, at Sacramento, Calif., tonight, and may make other stops at Oregon points on the way.

### EUGENE, Ore., July 8.—Lieutenant Fetters, flying to his home field at Sacramento, arrived here from Port- land at 10:30 o'clock this morning and left again half an hour later to con- tinue his journey south.

### LONDON ACCEPTED AS PLACE OF TRIAL OF THE EX-KAISER

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

PARIS, July 8.—Agreement by the Allied council for the former Kaiser to be tried in London was tacitly but was regarded as binding. Premier Lloyd George suggested London as the place and no objections were voiced.

### Haywood Released From Chicago Prison Under Bonds Pending Appeal

CHICAGO, Ill., July 8.—Bonds for the release of William Haywood, I. W. W. leader, have been approved and he has been released from prison on pending his appeal.

### PLANK OFF FOR LAGADOR Value of Wood Pulp Resources to Be Investigated

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

NEW YORK, July 8.—An expedition to investigate the value of the wood pulp resources of Labrador sailed from New York last night for St. John's. The party of 24, to be headed by Captain Daniel Tobin, who served the first trip to the island in 1917.

It is planned to have a large party of 25, to be headed by Captain Tobin, to investigate the value of the wood pulp resources of Labrador. The party will be headed by Captain Daniel Tobin, who served the first trip to the island in 1917.

### British Censorship of Mails Claimed Used to Advantage in Business

LONDON, (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Dispatches from New York relating to the complaint of the Merchants' Association of New York to the American Postmaster General that British censorship of American mails was being used for the benefit of British business interests, have aroused widespread discussion in business and trade circles in Great Britain.

## DENVER CARMEN TIE UP SYSTEM

### TWELVE HUNDRED STREET RAILWAY EMPLOYEES STRIKE

### Wage Reduction is Reason—Strikers Demand More Pay and Recogni- tion of Their Union

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

DENVER, Col. July 8.—Street car services in this city is paralyzed as the result of the strike today of twelve hundred employees of the street railway company following a reduction in their wages. The tie-up is complete. The strikers demand more pay and the recognition of their union.

The reduction in wages was the decision of the Colorado Supreme Court yesterday in which home rule cities in Colorado were held to have full power to regulate the sale of utilities companies.

Saturday a 5 cent fare becomes effective in Denver under an ordinance passed by the city council. The cut pending decision of the Supreme Court covering the general question of the right of municipalities to regulate rates.

### PURCHASE OF R-34 BY U. S. URGED TO HELP AIR PROGRAM

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

NEW YORK, July 8.—Purchase by the United States of the R-34, the big British trans-Atlantic dirigible balloon, or its sister ship, the R-33, as a working model for dirigible development here, was urged by Henry Woodhouse, chairman of the Aero Club of America in a statement issued here Monday. Mr. Woodhouse added that army and navy aeronautical experts favored the plan.

The R-34 or R-33, he said, could be used as a pattern in building a larger airship in the United States, and a practice ship for training a nucleus of personnel for rigid airship service.

### THREE HUNDRED REDS EX- ECUTED; 4000 NEAR IRKUTSK

TOKIO, July 8.—A dispatch from Harbin states that 300 Bolsheviks were captured near Irkutsk lately, and shot to death. It is declared that there are about 4000 Bolsheviks west of Irkutsk in the direction of Krasnoyarsk.

## PETROGRAD TO BE EVACUATED

### BOLSHEVIK SAID READY TO QUIT RUSSIAN CITY

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

Council of State at Paris Orders Approval of Plans of Anti-Bolsheviks for Attack on City

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Bolshevik information has been received here from Moscow to the effect that the Bolsheviks are planning to evacuate Petrograd, in the event of the plans and of the Bolshevik government. The Red is given out officially. Some elements of the government at Petrograd, it is said, are opposed suggestions that the city be evacuated.

### Plot of Anarchists Against Rome Found Out Just In Time

ROME, July 8.—An anarchist plot to attack the central part of Rome by means of hand grenades and other explosives has been exposed by the arrest of 16 of the conspirators four hours before the time fixed for carrying out the plot.

### Thinks Germany's Offer of Hundred Billion Gold Shows She Can Pay More

BERLIN, July 8.—Richard Calwer, financial writer, believes that Germany's offer of financial indemnity supplies her enemies with a weapon which may encourage them to force her to fully comply with the terms imposed. He writes: "Germany, they will say, appears to be quite solvent and her credit unimpaired if she is able to offer a gold indemnity of one hundred billion on her own initiative. If she volunteers that much, she is in reality capable of exceeding that limit, will be the enemy's logic, and it is surprising to think this had not occurred before to men responsible for the offer."

### Oregon Graduates Wanted to Superintend Wyoming State Experiment Farms

CORVALLIS, July 8.—President W. J. Kerr has been asked to recommend three O. A. C. graduates to become superintendents of state experiment station farms in Wyoming at a salary of \$125 a month, with house and other advantages.

### AMERICANS NOT MARRYING RUSSIAN MAIDENS YET

ARCHANGEL, July 7.—So far as ascertainable from consular reports, only seven American soldiers in north Russia have taken Russian wives.

## PHONE GIRLS AT PENDLETON QUIT

### FOURTEEN OF TWENTY OPERA- TORS STRUCK YESTERDAY

### Girls Demand Minimum Wage of \$2.00 a Day, With Maximum of \$4.00 After Two Years

PENDLETON, July 8.—Fourteen out of 20 girls employed in the local phone office are on strike, having joined in the strike which is now being waged with more or less intensity in many coast cities.

The goal for which the girls are striking is a minimum wage of \$2 per day with a maximum wage of \$4 after two years' experience, according to a spokesman for the girls.

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## COMMITTEE STANDS BY PRESIDENT

### REPEAL OF BAN ON LIGHT WINES, ETC., URGED BY HOUSE COMMITTEE

### SAY ENFORCEMENT BILL GOES BEYOND OLD LAW

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The House today adopted, by a vote of 35 to 59, the resolution for immediate consideration of the prohibition enforcement legislation, as recommended by the House Judiciary Committee. Debate on the resolution is limited to 12 hours.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Five members of the House Judiciary committee in a minority report on the prohibition enforcement bill declared Congress should repeal the war-time prohibition act or at least lift the ban insofar as it relates to the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer.

While this report was being prepared Chairman Bolstead, of the judiciary committee, announced he had asked for a rule to make the general enforcement bill in order for immediate consideration in view of calling it up tomorrow in the House. There was no assurance, however, that the debate will begin at once and the general view is that consideration will go over until Thursday.

Mr. Bolstead said as far as he was aware there was no intention of supporting the measures or in putting before the House a straight bill for enforcement of the war-time law.

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## WILLARD DOWN 7 TIMES IN FIRST

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

TOLEDO, Ohio, July 8.—Motion pictures of the Willard-Dempsey championship fight exhibited privately to Tex Rickard, promoter of the fight, and a party of his friends, have removed all doubt concerning the number of knock downs by Dempsey in the first round of the battle. Willard was knocked to the floor seven times.

Congressionalists who expected to reap a harvest at the fight lost heavily on peanuts, lemonades, transportation and dormitory seligmas.

### Striking Fox Tips Walters Forces Roman Restaurants to Close

ROME, (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Restaurant waiters have been recently victorious against Caesars in Rome for they have controlled both the public and the hotel and restaurant proprietors. Romans cannot eat outside the confines of their own home for there is now no place to eat. All restaurants are closed.

The quarrel is on the unending subjects of tips. It has been the policy during some weeks to include the tip in the bill. At the end of each day, the waiter's share would amount to 20 per cent of the gross receipts in some cases. The proprietors found that this procedure was not acceptable to the guests and asked the waiters to return to the former system of voluntary tipping. They refused.

The refusal culminated in a strike. Some hotels were forced to accede to the demands of the waiters and in these alone was anyone able to get food. Because these hotels were the only ones in which people could be served, the waiters clashed with the patrons. Italian officers accompanied by women were insulted while a dignified British general, just returned from the campaign in Palestine, was subjected, to a somewhat tortuous exhortation.

### Hogs Still Breaking Record Prices; Now \$22.50 a Hundred

CHICAGO, July 8.—After breaking the high price record three times last week the hog market yesterday continued its upward course. New quotations were established at \$22.40 a hundredweight, as against an average cost of \$21.53 on Thursday, since when there has been no trading until this morning.

Hog prices shot up at the Portland Union Stock yards yesterday morning approximately \$1 a hundred pounds to \$21.50, the highest price ever known on the Pacific Coast. The market was extremely active and packers vied in their efforts to secure all fancy stuff offering, paying the record quotation without a murmur.

## ASKS FOR VOTE FROM STRIKERS

### ACTION ON MEDIATION PROPOS- AL TO BE TAKEN

### Suggested That Electrical Workers Submit Grievances to Men Ap- pointed by President

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—Telephone strikers will be asked tonight to pass on the proposal made by L. C. Grassor, international vice-president of the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, that the men submit their grievances to mediation of men selected by President Wilson or by Secretary of Labor Wilson.

### Large Increase This Year in Attendance at O. A. C. Summer School

CORVALLIS, July 8.—More than 400 per cent increase in number of men enrolled at the college for the summer session over the attendance of last year is recorded. Eighty-one men have registered and 178 women, making a total of 295. Last year at the end of the first week attendance was 191.

Thirty counties of Oregon are represented and 11 states. Benton county leads with 124. Multnomah is second with 21 and Marion third with 16. States represented outside of Oregon and enrollment are as follows: Washington 19, California 9, Idaho 4, Arizona 2, Montana 1, Colorado 1, New York 1, Pennsylvania 1, Oklahoma 1, and South Dakota 1. Two students from Canada have registered. Twenty girls and 16 boys, who won prizes in club work at county and state fairs are attending the short course.

## SURVEYORS ARE NEAR WALLOWA

### NEW STATE HIGHWAY LOCATED THROUGH CANYON

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

WALLOWA, July 8.—Surveyors on the new state highway through the valley have finished the canyon and are now approaching Wallowa. They were put in the field as soon as the state highway commission was assured that Wallowa county meant business, and they will locate the entire road from Minam to Joseph as rapidly as they can get over the ground.

When they were partly through the canyon they were called back and had to relocate part of the new road, as their first survey had run too close to the river to suit their superiors. Nothing definite can be known as to the details of the location of the road through the valley until the surveyors proceed farther. Naturally this is a matter in which many residents and property owners are vitally interested, for everybody wants the road to run past his place if possible. But somebody will disappoint.

In surveying the state highway through Union county the engineers apparently paid no attention to property lines, but ran their grades where they thought the road ought to be on the theory that the interest of the whole community is greater than that of any individual. This should work out all right, except where individuals wish to place their interests first, and there is no telling what juries will do.

Further work on the road will not be possible until the county has provided money, in most state funds. The county will get this money from the sale of bonds, authorized at the special June election. T. M. Hill, who has been engaged by the county court to look after the legal details of the bond issue, has prepared the necessary papers, transcript of the records, etc., with the idea of selling part of the authorized bond issue in a few weeks. It has been thought that \$100,000 of bonds should be sold this year.

This will give plenty of money to meet the county's part of the cost of the state highway for the year. By 1920 plans for the remainder of the county highway system will be worked out by the state and the federal government, and the remaining \$200,000 of bonds can be raised.

## SUPPLIES FIND A GOOD MARKET

### AMERICAN ARMY STORES OVER SEAS SELLING FAST.

### Week of Adjusting Contracts in Eng- land Started Last Fall Had Few New Orders.

LONDON, July 8.—The Associated Press correspondent says the list of the highest dollar worth of stores operated by the American army in England will have been disposed of by August 1, in the opinion of the general staff. The American army headquarters closed June 15 and only a small contingent of the quartermaster's department remained.

## DIRIGIBLE'S DEPARTURE IS DELAYED

### REPAIRS TO THE ENGINE OF R-34 EXPECTED TO BE FIN- ISHED TONIGHT.

### MAY GO BACK WEDNESDAY NIGHT OR NEXT MORNING

### Five O'Clock Wednesday Morning Canceled As Starting Hour, and Delay of From Fifteen to Twenty-Four Hours From That Time Decided Upon By Commander Scott.

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

WASHINGTON, July 8.—A delay of forty-eight hours in the departure of the British dirigible R-34 on her return flight across the Atlantic is recommended today in the weather forecast given out by the U. S. Navy Department.

MINEOLA, N. Y., July 8.—Repairs to the engines of the R-34 will be completed tonight. Windy weather yesterday prevented the mechanics making any progress with their work. The start will be made at daylight tomorrow, if the weather is favorable.

MINEOLA, N. Y., July 8.—The start of the R-34's return flight to England has been delayed from fifteen to twenty-four hours from tomorrow morning, following receipt of the weather report from the Navy Department.

MINEOLA, N. Y., July 8.—Monday night the R-34 swung at ease above this flying ground, her graceful hull, scarcely moving in the gentle breeze, illuminated by great searchlights which made her visible to thousands of spectators who had come here in motor cars, trains, and on foot to watch the early leaving.

In contrast with conditions as the darkness fell on Sunday, the dirigible was not riding in danger Monday night. Sunday she was suspended with her nose pointed towards the ground and her stern swinging at an altitude several hundred feet higher, in jeopardy of being dashed to pieces on Roosevelt field, sudden gusts of wind acting adversely against her broad surface. This condition did not prevail Monday night.

## Conspiracy Alleged Townley Aligned By the Non-Partisans

JACKSON, Minn., July 8.—District Judge E. C. Dear Monday denied the motion of the defense to dismiss the conspiracy charge against President A. O. Townley of the National Nonpartisan league and Joseph Gilbert, a league organizer.

Attorney George Hoke, for the defense, then began his opening statement. During his address to the jury Attorney Hoke flashed sharply with J. E. Markham, assistant attorney general, representing the state. "We will undertake to show you," Mr. Hoke said to the jury, "that instead of being conspirators, my clients are the victims of a conspiracy extending over this and neighboring states. This conspiracy was set on foot in 1917 for the purpose of destroying the Nonpartisan league as a political machine. It is all politics, and since it is, should be settled in the political arena."

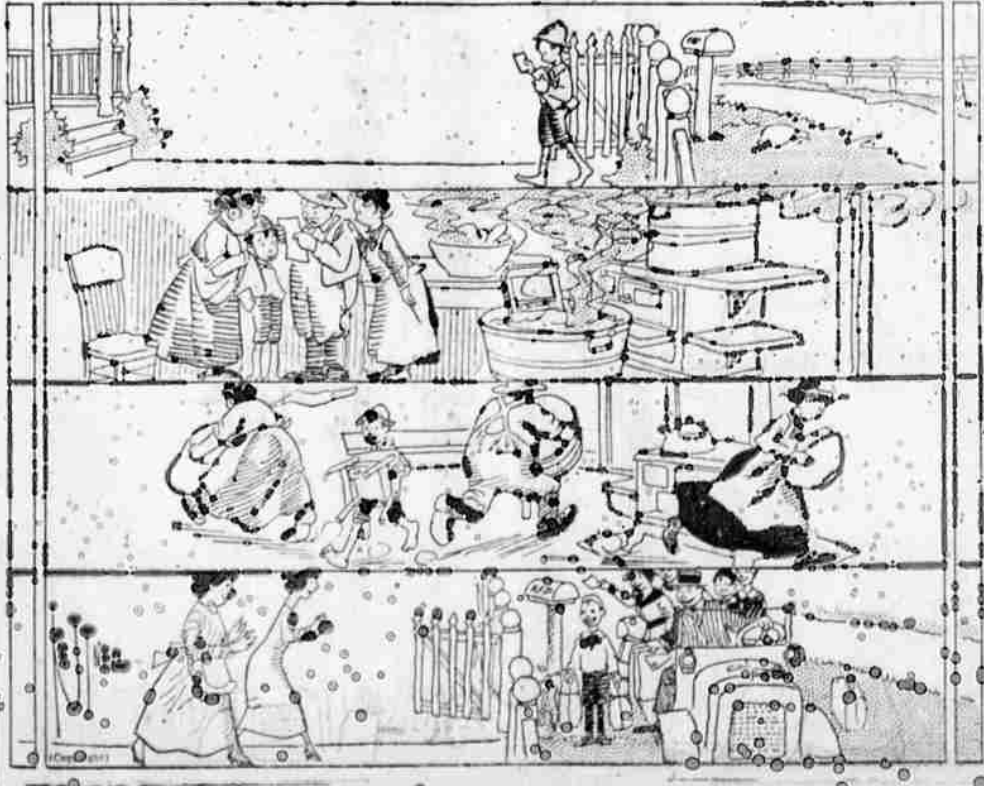
The men we are attacking, the attorney said, are the bankers, who fear that what we are advocating will interfere with their business, have conspired, and are now conspiring, to knock us out politically. They wanted themselves, of the opportunity which existed, as they possessed the machinery of the state, of securing the league of laws, through the assistance of some of the puppets of Germany and by being able to break up meetings.

Attorney Markham, opposing to this line of argument, saying state officials had nothing to do with the conspiracy.

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## Folks From the City



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