

## FIGHT OVER TURKISH MANDATES PROMISED

People of Palestine and Syria Are Badly Divided.

### ZIONISTS PREFER BRITAIN

Christians and Moslems Favor American Guardianship; Vote to Be Taken in Damascus.

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JERUSALEM, July 6.—(Special Cable.)—The arrival here of Henry Churchill King and C. A. Crane, American commissioners named by the peace conference to investigate conditions in the Turkish empire and to report on questions concerning mandates over countries to be formed out of this empire, has created intense interest. Their presence in Jerusalem also is serving to remove any danger of violence by natives against the Zionists. The consensus is that there will be no outbreaks, at least until after the decision of the peace conference has been announced.

The antipathy between natives and Zionists, however, is markedly increasing and certainly will become a battle of words before the American commissioners.

The Zionists want a British mandate over Palestine, especially because of the promises made to them several months ago by Arthur J. Balfour, British minister for foreign affairs. On the other hand, both Christians and Moslems want Syria and Palestine united under an American mandate.

#### Jerusalem Suffers Little.

These Christians and Moslems now present a solid front while there appears to be at least a slight division in the Zionist ranks. At least some of the resident Jews here are attacking the Zionists because of their failure to observe many orthodox practices.

The persistence of reports in America of acute distress in Palestine and in Syria is disturbing American opinion here. In Jerusalem I have found no more suffering and poverty than was here in normal times. Indeed, there seems to be less of it than in pre-war times.

The American Red Cross is quit work and only near east relief workers are left in Palestine. Some of these are overseeing the taking care of 400 orphans. Meanwhile the Jewish commission for relief is maintaining a comprehensive social service work. There appears to be no Armenian suffering south of Aleppo.

At the present time all sections of Syria and Palestine are sending Christian and Moslem delegates to Damascus to vote on their choice of a mandatory before the King-Crane commission reaches that city.

**Zionism Strongly Opposed.**  
The itinerary of Mr. King and Mr. Crane, when they left Paris, included only Jerusalem, Damascus and Beirut, in the order named.

The general sentiment is in favor of a union of Palestine and Syria, fear of Zionism being the compelling motive behind both Christians and Moslems. Leading natives state publicly they will resist Zionism to the death. There is no hostility against Jews already living here.

The Zionist commission, however, hopes for a compromise whereby a few thousand Jews will be admitted to the country every year. They are working to this end and are convinced there is no intention on the part of the Zionists to take possession of the land and to set up a Zionist government.

They express regret at extravagant statements by Zionists in the United States and in England.  
Natives here declare that whatever government is constituted in Palestine and Syria they will enforce anti-Jewish immigration laws.

**Minister's Arrest Regretted.**  
An American officer from Salonica has just arrived and reported that as a result of the exposure of the arrest in Salonica last February of the Rev. William Cooper of Chicago, Rev. J. Henry House of Ohio and Rev. William Clark of Massachusetts, American missionaries, King Alexander made a trip to that city and apologized personally to them.

A dispatch from Mr. Ellis on February 13 last contained the first news to be received in the United States of the arrest of these missionaries by the authorities at Salonica. They were held incommunicado for 24 hours before they were released. Premier Venizelos disclaimed any responsibility for their arrest and publicly apologized to them.

## TREATY, DRY LAW ARE UP

CONGRESSMEN REASSEMBLING TO FACE PROBLEMS.

Francisco-American Agreement and German Pact Come Up for Early Discussion.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Members of the senate and house began returning to Washington today preparatory to the reconvening Tuesday of congress after a week's Fourth of July recess.  
The appearance of President Wilson before the senate Thursday to lay before that body the German peace treaty and the Franco-American agreement and consideration by the house of war-time prohibition enforcement legislation, are expected to outrank anything else before congress within the next fortnight.

The treaty as well as the Franco-American agreement probably will be referred immediately to the foreign relations committee. No plan for consideration of the treaty has been announced by the committee.

The house is expected to take up legislation to arm the government in its enforcement of war-time prohibition immediately on convening Tuesday. Strong sentiment exists for prompt enactment of a war-time enforcement measure, but whether this measure will be part one of the bill already reported or an entirely new bill has not been decided.

Investigation of expenditures of the war department during the war will be resumed tomorrow by the special committee conducting the inquiry.

**Dan Boyd Is Champion Driller.**  
TONOPAH, Nev., July 6.—Dan Boyd defeated 39 entrants in a jackhammer drilling contest here tonight when he drilled 54 inches in seven minutes. George Lynch was second with 53 1/2 inches.

## COWGIRL ON HORSEBACK DASHES UP STEPS OF WYOMING STATE CAPITOL WITH PROTEST FOR GOVERNOR.



Mrs. Jack Elliott, a widely-known cowgirl, dashed up the steps of the Wyoming state capitol, on horseback, and presented a message of protest to Governor Robert D. Carey. The photo shows the governor just after receiving the protest from Mrs. Elliott. The protest came from a committee of Wyoming girls who ask that the model for "Miss Wyoming" be selected from the girls of that state.

## GIRL DENIES LOVE STORY

POISON VICTIM REFUSES ALL INFORMATION ABOUT SELF.

Mystery of Romance and "Near-Death" Puzzles Chicago Officials Who Investigate.

CHICAGO, July 6.—Although the young woman at the American hospital, who swallowed poison in the Pompeian room in the Congress hotel, still insists upon posing as a "mystery girl," there are three persons who refuse to accept her in that role.

They are Carl Johnson of Evanston, his wife, and Hazel Roman, who lives at the same address. They are all positive that the girl at the hospital is Aliza Johnson, known on the stage as Aliza Lane. Two of them know her as their daughter, the third recognizes her as a girlhood chum.

The three are also pretty well satisfied that the young woman tried to kill herself because of an affair with a wealthy New Yorker, known to them only as "H. D." of whom she had talked frequently. All are inclined to ignore the girl's denial of her identity.

The nurses said that they had arrived all morning, but the girl refused to tell from whom they came. She would not tell where she purchased the tablets which so nearly caused her death.

Miss "Johnson" is apparently a well-educated girl. She felt talkative this morning and spoke of everything from invitation to the marriage of Marilyn Miller, except her personal affairs.

The girl's room at the hospital was filled with roses, lilies and other flowers. The nurses said that they had arrived all morning, but the girl refused to tell from whom they came. She would not tell where she purchased the tablets which so nearly caused her death.

## LOOK TAKEN INTO FUTURE

Middle Class to Be Strikers Ten Years From Now, Is Prophecy.

LONDON.—Looking only ten years into the future, W. L. George, writing in The London Sunday Pictorial, sees as the coming strikers the great middle class, who are now the chief sufferers from strikes, while the government and labor are banded together for the suppression of the new "reds." Mr. George pictures a Rip Van Winkle waking in a London hospital after ten years' sleep and telling the attendant he is going out.

"You wouldn't get out," said the attendant, "if the doctors weren't on strike."

"Doctors? Strike?" murmured Rip. "Of course you couldn't know. About ten years ago the middle class started striking. Doctors, lawyers, business men, managers—they've all got their trade unions now. They're on strike today."

He meets an old friend, an economist, who says: "Yes, the war stirred things up. The middle class got tired of being bled. Nowadays you can't get a doctor to see you under a guinea, but most of us go on the new plan. The doctor has 1000 a year from the borough, and if we aren't well he gets fined so much a head."

"You've got a standard of health, then?" said Rip, laughing.

"Yes, Fact is, this is a standard world. I'm wearing a standard suit, not bad, is it? There's even a standard lunch officially guaranteed to supply energy for six hours. We built a lot of standard houses, too, round about 1913. Makes things easier."

"Not at all. You can't standardize life you see. They tried it ten years ago, when they expected the social revolution. But labor settled down

## SOCIALIST SHOUTED DOWN

SILVERTON MEETING NEARLY ENDS IN RIOT.

J. E. Hosmer Narrowly Misses Being Handled by Angry Soldiers at Patriotic Gathering.

SILVERTON, Or., July 6.—(Special.)—The home-coming reception held here yesterday in honor of the returned soldiers and sailors came near ending in a riot when J. E. Hosmer interrupted Rev. J. A. Bennett during his address of welcome by saying he was not speaking the truth.

Mr. Bennett was speaking of the present conditions in Russia, and stated that "in this country we must live under one flag or the other, the red, white and blue, or the red."

When Hosmer interrupted the speaker someone in the audience said "put him out," and instantly hundreds of soldiers and men started for him. A riot was averted when the president of the day emphatically called for order.

Hosmer is a man of strong socialist tendencies and has served time in the county jail at Salem for libel, having been convicted on a charge made some time ago by the Benedictine fathers of Mt. Angel.

## SELLING AGENCY PLANNING

Western Oregon Tie & Lumber Association Forms.

EUGENE, Or., July 6.—(Special.)—The Western Oregon Tie and Lumber association, with headquarters in Eugene, will organize a selling agency and a company will be formed here for that purpose at a meeting Saturday night.

Two thousand dollars of the stock of the proposed company has already been subscribed, according to O. H. Ball, secretary of the tie and lumber association.

## Nations Sign Arbitration.

RIO JANEIRO, July 6.—The chambers of commerce of Brazil and the United States today signed an arbitration agreement similar to that in effect between the Argentina Chamber of Commerce and the United States organization.

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## PLAYING LIBERTY

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## PACT IS CALLED OBITUARY

(Continued From First Page.)

European system had won completely. Clemenceau declared for special alliances. Wilson met the challenge in his speech at Manchester, England, but Clemenceau had his way.

"This alliance is the premature obituary of the league of nations as a league of peace. The real explanation of this situation is this, that Clemenceau demanded the special alliance as a consideration for his support of the league of nations. And we traded with him."

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Bloodhounds Follow Trail of Child

Last Seen Wading in Oswego Lake on July 4.

Was Esther Chapman, 9, who disappeared at Oswego lake July 4, kidnapped by either her real parents or her father by adoption?

This question took first place in the minds of officials yesterday after Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman, supposed parents of the youngster, had admitted that she was not their child. The statement to the authorities revealed a strange matrimonial tangle, which offers several possible solutions of the child's disappearance, although the authorities have no evidence of kidnapping except the fact that several persons said they had seen an old man hanging around the children during part of the afternoon of July 4.

**Child Adopted in Nebraska.**

Mr. Chapman told Sydney B. Vincent, of the Portland Chamber of Commerce; Deputy Sheriff Carter of Clackamas county, and a party of searchers for the missing child, that Mrs. Chapman had adopted Esther while she was living with a former husband, from whom she is now divorced. The husband's name, it is said, was Brande, and he is supposed to be in Omaha, Neb.

Mr. Chapman, it is said, either could not or would not tell the circumstances under which the child had been adopted. The authorities did not learn her real name, or anything of the adoption except that it had taken place in Nebraska, before Mrs. Chapman came to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman have been married about a year. They have no children of their own.

Thirty men and boys under the leadership of Mr. Vincent and the deputy sheriff yesterday searched the woods around Lake Grove, on the shore of Oswego lake, in the hope of finding the missing child. Taking stations 10 or 15 feet apart, they searched so thoroughly that it seemed almost impossible for them to miss the child's body if it should be there.

**Bloodhounds Follow Trail.**

Bloodhounds yesterday followed Esther's trail from Lake Grove to a point half a mile east of that village, on the north shore of the lake. The party began combing that district last night, but at a late hour had found no further trace of the child. The search will be continued today, and Mayor Baker will be asked to send Municipal Grappler Brady to drag the lake.

The searchers were somewhat discouraged by the failure of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman to tell all the facts after their supposed daughter's disappearance had become a matter of public concern. Allowing for their natural desire to keep family affairs private, the men who had been devoting time and effort to the quest felt that they were entitled to facts which might alter the whole complexion of the case.

The child was last seen wading in the lake with another child. The family had gone to the lake for a Fourth of July picnic.

## MRS. W. R. DAVIS IMPROVED

WOMAN INJURED BY BOULDER IS RESTING AT CAMP.

Party of Multnomah Club Climbers, Caught in Storm on Mount Hood, Reach Safety.

Mrs. W. R. Davis, resident of Milwaukie who was seriously injured when she was struck by a falling boulder on the slopes of Mount Hood Saturday, was reported much improved last night and practically out of danger.

Members of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club mountain-climbing party, who it was feared had been lost in the storm that swept the summit, returned to the camp Saturday evening after having been forced to spend some hours in the shelter of trees just below the timber line.

Members of the party returned last evening bringing news of Mrs. Davis' condition and of the return of those whom it was feared had become lost. During the storm which raged on the summit of the mountain as the party was making the ascent, a number of the climbers became separated from the main group and it was several hours before they were able to get back to government camp. The last group to arrive in camp was composed of 14 of the Multnomah club hikers who had been forced to crouch beneath the branches of trees at the timber line to obtain shelter from the storm. After the gale had passed they made their

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The three are fully posted on the activity of the L. V. W. and bolshevik movement in America and particularly in the Pacific northwest and their purpose is to impress the danger of business, manufacturers and others allowing this movement to spread without taking steps to combat it.

The party under the direction of the Multnomah club consisted of 55 people, of whom 18 made the trip to the summit. Others had started out to make the summit, but turned back when Mrs. Davis was injured at Grater rock, 1500 feet below the top. In addition there were several other parties of Portland residents who had chosen the holidays as a time to visit the mountain.

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