

PEACE PACT RATIFIED BY BOCHE ASSEMBLY

Treaty Adopted at Weimar by Vote of 209 to 119.

ALL CONDITIONS ACCEPTED

When Three of Allied Powers Ratify Treaty It Will Be In Force for Those Who Have Approved.

WEIMAR, July 9, via Cologne.—(By the Associated Press.)—The resolution ratifying the peace treaty was adopted by the German national assembly here today by a vote of 209 to 119. The text of the ratification resolution as introduced in the national assembly consisted of two clauses, reading as follows:

"The peace treaty between Germany and the allied and associated powers signed on June 28, 1919, and the protocol belonging thereto as well as the agreement relative to the occupation of the Rhineland signed the same day are agreed to."

This law came into force on the day of its promulgation.

PARIS, July 9.—The German national assembly in Weimar has adopted the resolution ratifying the peace treaty, according to advices received here today.

Ratification of the treaty by the German national assembly removes all doubt of the acceptance of the terms by Germany.

Blockade Lifting Probable.

The national assembly by ratifying the treaty makes it possible for the allied and associated powers to raise the blockade. Official notification was sent Germany June 29 that the blockade would be raised when the treaty was ratified. Placing this condition on the raising of the blockade was looked upon in peace conference circles as a sure plan for securing speedy ratification by Germany.

The council of five on Monday decided to lift the commercial censorship on communications with Germany simultaneously with the removal of the blockade.

Promulgation of the resolution ratifying the treaty is dependent on the signing of the resolution by President Ebert.

When three of the principal allied powers, in addition to Germany, have ratified the treaty it becomes effective for those who have ratified it. After Germany and the three allied powers have ratified it, the treaty will come into force for each other power on the day when it notifies the peace conference secretariat of its ratification.

Germany First to Act.

The German national assembly is the first elective body in any country whose representatives signed the treaty to adopt a ratifying resolution. The treaty has been laid before the British, French and Belgian parliaments and will be placed before the senate of the United States tomorrow by President Wilson.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Frank L. Polk, under secretary of state, will be the first to sign the peace treaty at Paris, it was said today in official circles. Secretary Lansing will sail for home Friday, but the time of Mr. Polk's departure for Paris has not been announced. It is expected, however, that he will leave within a short time.

Signing the peace treaty with Germany has resulted in a decision by the department of justice that the great majority of German and Austrian enemy aliens now at large on parole may safely be released from all parole obligations.

STRAW VOTE IS PLANNED

SERVICE MEN WILL EXPRESS PRESIDENTIAL DESIRES.

Army Recruiting Service to Conduct Novel Test as Victory Buttons Are Given Out.

Distribution of 5000 victory buttons and a straw vote on prospective presidential candidates will take place simultaneously next week at army recruiting headquarters in the Worcester building, Third and Oak streets, according to announcement made yesterday. As each veteran of the late war applies for his button he will be given an opportunity to cast his ballot. This plan will be followed in other offices of the state, and it is estimated that 20,000 or more votes will be cast during the several days' balloting.

Much interest in the straw vote is expected to be taken, as it will show the trend of the returned soldier sentiment in the west. In addition to the presidential-candidate issue, a number of other questions will be submitted on the ballot. The count will be made each night and totals tabulated.

Returned soldiers who live in the country will be permitted to cast ballots by mail, addressing letters to recruiting officers in Portland and indicating on the outside of the letter that it contains a ballot. The balloting will be open to former soldiers, sailors, marines, field clerks, officers, nurses, signal-corps girls and others who participated in the military service. Those who have received victory buttons may call at headquarters and vote. The ballot box will open today. Those still in the service will not be permitted to participate in the election. Civilians who desire to vote may do so, although their ballots will be counted separately. Service with the American expeditionary forces in Siberia is proving the army's best drawing card in the recruitment campaign.

A DISCOVERY THAT BENEFITS MANKIND

Two discoveries have added greatly to human welfare.

In 1855 Newton originated the vacuum process for condensing milk with cane sugar to a semi-liquid form.

In 1885 Horlick at Racine, Wis., discovered how to reduce milk to a dry powder form with extract of malted grains, without cane sugar.

This product HORLICK'S named Malted Milk. (Name since copied by others.) Its nutritive value, digestibility and ease of preparation (by simply stirring in water) and the fact that it keeps in any climate, has proved of much value to mankind as an ideal food-drink from infancy to old age.

Ask for HORLICK'S—Avoid Imitations

CAMPBELL BILL HITS AT WILSON'S JAUNT

Proposed Measure Would Bar Presidential Journeys.

WASHINGTON DUTY CENTER

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PAVING REPAIR ORDERED

SALEM-AURORA SECTION TO BE MADE SATISFACTORY.

Reports Show Paving Mixture Was Proper, But That It Had Not Been Laid in Uniform Manner.

An order was issued by the state highway commission before its adjournment yesterday to State Engineer Nunn to have the pavement on the Salem-Aurora section brought up to specifications.

The order recounts that certain sections of this pavement were found to be below the specifications and that these shall be remedied.

This, apparently, closes the chapter of the excitement which developed over the contract of Blake-Compton.

Reports of the expert engineers, E. W. Laxell and C. H. Whitmore, brought out the facts which led to the commission's issuing the instructions to the state highway engineer. Mr. Laxell's report showed that the mixture was proper and the cuttings of pavement, which he measured, averaged a trifle over the required five inches. Mr. Whitmore, who took 24 cuttings from the pavement, showed that there was a fluctuation in the thickness of the pavement.

On several points the reports agree. There was no "skinning" the job. The material was used in sufficient quantity, but was not properly spread to get the best results. The fault appears to have been with the men who raked the material. Carelessness is considered the foundation of the trouble, the contractors being careless and the inspection insufficient. The state is short of experienced inspectors.

Reports were found in the pavement, due to the mix handling, and the pavement was of varying thickness, being too thin and too thick.

To remedy these defects, the state engineer will go over the section in controversy and will have all the weak spots removed and replaced, and the five-inch pavement will be carried out to the letter. Constant inspection, with a man on the job all the time, and greater care of the part of the contractors, it is explained, would have avoided the difficulties. The necessary amount of material went into the job, but was improperly spread.

YOUTH'S SMILE IS COSTLY

ATTEMPTED FLIRTATION WITH PATROLMAN'S WIFE IS SAD.

O. H. Miller Fined \$100 and Sentenced to Three Days in Jail for Violating Marshers' Ordinance.

Driving past a house four times, smiling, and making a motion with his arm cost O. H. Miller, 24, of 1039 Leon street, \$100 and three days in the city jail. Miller was convicted in the municipal court yesterday of violating the marshers' ordinance and was sentenced by Judge Rossmann.

According to Miller's story he was driving past 286 East Fifth street on business, when he happened to notice a pretty woman on the porch. He drove back again to see if his eyesight was correct, and found that it was. Because, as he explained, it he always smiled, this smiling this time. Before he could see the result of the smile he was beyond the house, and, therefore, had to turn around and come past again.

This time, it is said, he added an inviting motion of the arm, directed at the empty seat by his side. To discover how he was received, he started past again. This time, however, he was stopped. Officer Fuller of the police department happened to see the automobile maneuvering. And Officer Fuller happened to be the husband of the pretty girl.

Mr. Fuller, Mrs. Fuller and the two little girls appeared against Miller in court yesterday afternoon.

He gave notice of appeal and the bail was set at \$500 by the judge.

MISSING CHILDREN FOUND

MEDFORD BOY AND GIRL ARE LOCATED IN PORTLAND.

Youth, 9, Would Join Villa, While Sister, 13, Would Become Star in Motion Pictures.

The trail of Villa and the lure of the movies led Otis Tull, 9, fighter, and Juanita Tull, 13, beauty, from Medford to Portland in search of adventure. They were discovered in a lodging house at Morrison street by Officers Hill and Cahill, after having been missing from their home in Medford since Sunday night.

The mother of the two children, Mrs. Ella Tull, arrived in Portland last night to take them home. They were cared for by the juvenile court until she arrived. The children said they were on their way to Princeton to join their father, preparatory to winning fame and fortune in their chosen lines.

When the children first disappeared it was feared they had been kidnapped. Otis has long cherished ambitions of joining the bandit Villa, and making a name for himself as a soldier of fortune. He was convinced that if he could reach Mexico, nothing could keep him from ruling the country.

The ambitions of Juanita ran in less martial lines. The girl, who is exceedingly pretty and has beautiful hair, has long wished to set the world afire through the motion picture field. She was on her way to the motion picture studios, though just where they were she wasn't certain. A check, recently received from their father, who is away from home on business, furnished the necessary funds for the start of the adventure.

NURAYA TEA.—Nutritious-flavor. Closet & Devers, Portland.—Adv.

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PRUNE WAGE SCALE FIXED

CLARKE GROWERS TO PAY KILN TENDERS \$6 A DAY.

County Association to Join With California Producers in Packing and Selling Product.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 9.—(Special.)—Various questions of interest to prune growers were discussed at the semi-annual meeting of the Clarke County Prune Growers' association, held here today. Orders were pooled by the members for vetch to be used as a covering.

W. J. Newhouse, county agent, led a discussion on "Diseases, Which Affect Prune Orchards." It was decided by the prune growers of the county to unite with the Oregon and California prune growers for the packing and sale of their products. When growers from California arrive in August final arrangements will be made.

Various opinions were expressed at the meeting as to the best method to obtain and distribute prune spray. About 210 barrels were distributed by the association last year. A motion picture was shown of the pruning process.

One man to take charge of the distribution. He is to receive as compensation 25 cents a barrel. The following schedule of daily wages to be paid for harvesting and drying was adopted: Kiln tenders, \$6, with a bonus of 10 cents per hour; pickers, 8 cents per box, 2 cents per box bonus; shakers, \$1, 10 cents per box bonus; dippers, \$1, 10 cents per box bonus; teamsters, \$1, 10 cents per box bonus. Sorters will get 35 cents per box and dryers will receive \$18 a ton for drying.

Frank Russell, president, presided at the meeting.

I. W. W. HELD CHURCH FOL

Speaker at Seattle Conference Finds New Peril on Coast.

SEATTLE, July 9.—Organized efforts to put anti-Christian propaganda in every public school and Sunday school of the Pacific coast are being made by Industrial Workers of the World and similar organizations. C. R. McMillan, Sunday school missionary for Seattle and Bellingham districts, declared here in an address today at a conference by the Presbyterian synod of Washington.

"Remember this next time someone comes along with a new patent religion," he added. "The I. W. W. realize that Christianity is one of the greatest forces opposing their venomous teachings and they are continually working to destroy the church."

Red Cross Head Resigns.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 9.—C. D. Simpson, manager of the northwest division of the Red Cross since it was organized August 27, 1917, today announced his resignation. He will be succeeded by Earl Kilpatrick, at present head of the division of military relief.

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EX-ARMY MEN ARE ACCUSED

Activities in Connection With Deportation of Alleged I. W. W. Members in 1917 Alleged.

STILL MAKIN' 'EM LAUGH

Young and old, the shy and the bold all take their turn laughing at this great comedy romance.

COOLED WITH ICE LIBERTY MAKES IT NICE

BISBEE, Ariz., July 9.—Sixty-four men, many of them prominent locally and over the state, were named defendants in complaints filed today on a charge of kidnaping and assault in connection with the deportation of more than 1300 alleged members of the I. W. W. and their sympathizers here July 12, 1917. The complaints were filed before Judge W. C. Jacks of Douglas, who came here for that purpose.

"Several hundred more complaints will be filed in the next few days," said Assistant County Attorney Roark. "I will file complaints personally in case the plaintiffs do not put in appearance."

Preliminary hearings were set for 2 P. M. July 11 at Douglas in Judge Jacks' court. Bail bonds have been fixed at \$2000 each.

Warrants issued this afternoon are for the following men: J. C. Greenway, general manager Calumet & Arizona Mining company, resident of Bisbee ten years; served as lieutenant-colonel A. E. P.; awarded croix de guerre and distinguished service medal. M. C. Cunningham, president of the Bank of Bisbee, well-known financier of Arizona. Dr. N. C. Bledsoe, chief physician Calumet & Arizona mines, resident of Bisbee ten years, now city councilman. J. J. Bowen, member county highway commission, former county supervisor. Sam Frankenburg, dry goods merchant and banker. H. C. Wheeler, resident of Tombstone, former sheriff for two terms of Cochise county; held office at time of deportation; captain A. E. P. J. C. Ryan, county highway engineer, former assistant state engineer. Gerald Sherman, chief consulting engineer Copper Queen mines. H. E. Wooten, hardware merchant and plumber. James Henderson, lumber dealer; first marshal of the city of Bisbee. Allie Howe, deputy sheriff; former probation officer. J. B. Angus, grocer. Arthur Houle, Lowell, manager Denn mine. Phil Tovera, Bisbee, butcher. Biddy Doyle of Bisbee, hotel man; former deputy sheriff. Bassett Watkins, Bisbee, city councilman; former city marshal. L. L. Gilman, Douglas, jeweler of Douglas and Bisbee. J. P. Hodgson, Morenci, manager Copper Queen mines at Morenci. J. O. Walker, Lowell, superintendent mine. W. P. Sims, Bisbee, dentist and chairman state board of dental examiners.

Albany Family Has Ninth Son.

ALBANY, Or., July 9.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walruff of this city may some day have the pleasure of seeing a baseball game in which one entire team is composed of their own sons. For a ninth son was born in their family here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Walruff have ten children, only one of the number being a girl.

Mothre Adopts Own Daughter.

Eleven-year-old Josephine Matlock yesterday morning had the unusual experience of being legally adopted by her own mother. After having been separated at the age of two years because of domestic and financial troubles of her parents the little girl was given back to the mother, Mrs. Marie A. Shelton, yesterday when a decree of adoption was signed by Judge Jacob Kanzler of the court of domestic relations. When the girl was 2 she was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Matlock. Mrs. Matlock died recently and left Josephine without a woman's care. In the meantime Mrs. Shelton's circumstances had changed so that she was able to care for her daughter.

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"THE WOMAN THOU GAVEST ME"

Coming Saturday—"The Devil's Trail"