

IRISH REBELLION HALTED BY TRUCE

Peace Pact to Go in Effect Monday Noon.

VALERA ACCEPTS OFFER

Difficulties to Be Discussed at Conference to Be Held in London.

KING IS LEADING FIGURE

General Smuts Is Pivot on Which Movement Has Been Set Going.

LONDON, July 8.—(By the Associated Press).—A truce has been declared between England and Ireland. It will take effect at noon on Monday next. Preparations were already under way to end the hostilities between the crown forces and those actively engaged in the Irish cause.

General at Conference.

Earl Middleton, a unionist, who recently conferred with the British prime minister, read a letter from Mr. Lloyd George to the effect that hostilities must cease if negotiations looking to peace were to succeed.

King Leading Figure.

The king of England has been a leading figure in the developments up to the present, while General Smuts, the South African premier, has acted as the pivot on which the peace movement has turned.

Conference Is Accepted.

"In reply I desire to say I am ready to meet and discuss with you on what basis such a conference as that proposed can reasonably hope to achieve the object desired."

Events Move Swiftly.

The day started hopefully with the king summoning the Ulster premier to a conference at Buckingham palace. This, following upon the king's conference yesterday with

PARALYSIS STROKE LEAVES ALBERS BLIND

BREAKDOWN IS ATTRIBUTED TO WIDE UNPOPULARITY.

Being Read Out of Elks Lodge Is Said by Friends to Have Been Severe Blow.

Henry Albers, convicted of seditious utterances during the world war, and whose sentence of three years in prison and fine of \$10,000 were annulled recently when the government, through Solicitor-General Ferguson, admitted error, has been stricken with paralysis and blindness.

ISOLATED GIRL WEDDED

Pane of Glass Shields Bridegroom and Priest From Fever Germs.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 8.—(Special).—Miss Kate O'Brien of Philadelphia, and Charles Barker of this city, were married in Moosejaw, Saskatchewan, by Rev. Father O'Brien of Boston, through a pane of glass which prevented the scarlet fever, which the bride had contracted reaching the bridegroom and minister.

HOOPER DONATES \$2500

Pacific College Endowment Fund Helped by ex-Student.

NEWBERG, Or., July 8.—(Special).—The committee in charge of the campaign to raise an additional endowment fund for Pacific college to the amount of \$150,000 a few days ago received a subscription of \$2500 from Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce.

THRESHER CRUSHES BOY

Bennie Krum, Aged 2, Drawn Into Feeder of Separator and Killed.

COLFAX, Wash., July 8.—(Special).—Bennie, the 2-year-old son of John Krum, living 20 miles west of Colfax, was crushed to death in a threshing machine separator late today.

JOHN D. 82 YEARS OLD

Round of Golf Played While Attendant Carries Umbrella.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., July 8.—John D. Rockefeller celebrated his 82d birthday today by playing a round of golf under an umbrella.

DELAY OF BONUS BELIEVED CERTAIN

Votes to Postpone Action Declared Assured.

HARDING TO SEND MESSAGE

McCumber Says Expenses Can Be Trimmed to Meet Bill.

HOT FIGHT IS EXPECTED

Senator Cannot Believe Country Will Be Aroused Over Aid to Veterans Contemplated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—Debate on the soldier bonus bill dragged along in the senate today while the list of senators favoring indefinite postponement of action on the legislation through recomittal of the measure to the finance committee steadily grew in proportions.

BIG WOOL DEAL CLOSED

Quarter Million Pounds of Oregon Clip Sold for 14 Cents.

PENDLETON, Or., July 7.—(Special).—Sale of 250,000 pounds of wool of the Arlington clip of Smythe Brothers of this city, at a price averaging 14 cents, was announced today, in what probably was the largest single wool sale made in Oregon this year.

CABLE FEUD IS ENDED

Permission for Miami Landing Is Granted Western Union.

MIAMI, Fla., July 8.—The long controversy between the government and the Western Union Telegraph company over the landing of its Miami-Barbados cable here was brought to an end today.

SWATH IN 320-ACRE GRAIN FIELD BURNED

FIRST SERIOUS FIRE OF SEASON VISITS INLAND EMPIRE.

Between 80 and 100 Acres Razed. Estimated Loss of \$4000 Covered by Insurance.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 8.—(Special).—Between 80 and 100 acres of wheat were burned this afternoon in the first serious grain fire of the season. The scene of the fire was the Ferris Bros. ranch, five miles west of Walla Walla.

HOT WEATHER TRACED TO METEOR SHOWER

MATTER GREATER THAN MOON HITS SUN EVERY CENTURY.

Government Astronomer at Mars Island Navy Yard Offers Explanation of Warmth.

VALLEJO, Cal., July 8.—The extraordinary hot summer being felt all over the world is due to an unusual downpour of meteors upon the sun, by which the radiation and effective surface temperature of the sun is temporarily increased.

CHINA OPEN DOOR STILL U. S. POLICY

American Radio Company Is Backed.

MONOPOLY IS OPPOSED

Protests of British, Japanese and Danes Answered.

EQUAL RIGHTS DEMANDED

Formal Statement Repudiates Certain Interpretations of Lansing-Ishii Agreement.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., July 8.—Secretary of State Hughes today issued a public statement which was a reaffirmation of the open-door policy in China and a repudiation of certain interpretations that have been placed upon the Lansing-Ishii agreement.

BRITAIN MAY CALL CONFERENCE ON EAST

AMERICA, JAPAN, CHINA REPORTED SOUNDED.

Official Circles, However, Decline to Comment on Nature of Communications.

COUNCIL AGREES TO CURB PARKING

All-Day Privileges to Be Eliminated.

LEFTHAND TURNS TO STOP

Mayor Baker to Reorganize Traffic Department.

PROTESTS MEET REBUFF

Signal System to Replace Automobile Semaphores; Ordinance Stated for Early Adoption.

FISHERMEN'S BOAT UPSET

One Man Drowns Near Astoria. Three Are Rescued.

ASTORIA, Or., July 8.—(Special).—The first fatal accident of the present fishing season occurred about 10 o'clock this morning when two fishing boats containing two men each capsized on Peacock spit at the mouth of the river and Charles A. Carlson, employed by the Booth Fisheries, was drowned.

CARUSO DENIES INJURY

Famous Tenor Says Voice Is Not Impaired by Illness.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 8.—Bruno Zitaro, secretary to Enrico Caruso, today received a cablegram from the famous Italian tenor, denying reports that his voice had been probably permanently impaired by his recent illness.

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The Weather. YESTERDAY'S—Maximum temperature, 65 degrees; minimum, 58 degrees.

AMERICAN CONCERN UPHELD

State Department Hands Note to Chinese Minister.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—(Special).—The government's reply to the note from the Chinese minister inquiring regarding the open door policy was contained in a note from the state department to the Chinese minister here in respect to a contract entered into with the Chinese government by the Federal Telegraph company.

NEW INDEED.

