

ALSO TO SEE IF PEACE IS DESIRED

American Diplomats Gather Information Regarding Attitude of Belligerents.

LABOR HEAD IS ACTIVE, TOO

Samuel Gompers Causes Interest in Official Circles by Statement Regarding Confidential Communication From Abroad.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—President Wilson will continue to get all information obtainable through American diplomatic officers abroad regarding the attitude toward peace of the nations at war.

BRITAIN SCORN'S PEACE TERMS

Every Englishman Prefers Death to Indemnity Payment, It Reply.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(Special.)—The Herald is in receipt of a letter from London which throws a strong light on the British attitude regarding peace plans.

DEFENSE PROBLEMS UP

SECRETARY DANIELS FAVORS CONSISTENT NAVY INCREASE.

Conference With President Set for Next Week—Department Experts to Submit Policy Plans.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Secretary Daniels will confer again with President Wilson next week on the question of National Defense.

FORESTS YIELD BIG SUM

Receipts From All Sources in Fiscal Year \$2,491,469.

According to figures just compiled and issued in the report of the Chief of the Division of Accounts, Forest Service, Washington, D. C., the receipts from all sources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1915, were \$2,491,469.

Oregon \$198,703, and for Washington \$149,732. According to the existing law, the following sums will revert to the states for distribution to the counties in which the forests lie:

Alaska \$4,458.28
California 14,973.22
Washington 14,973.22

Total \$34,404.72

In addition to this 10 per cent of the income will be used for the building of roads within the forests, as follows:

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By states, Montana leads in the volume of business on the National Forest, with a variety of receipts, while California is far ahead of the other states in receipts from water power rentals and special uses.

GERMAN PRESS PLEASED

SUBMARINE CHANGE, HOWEVER, UNNOTICED BY MANY PAPERS.

Chief Editor of Tageblatt Says Conflict With United States Would Have Been Illogical.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 4.—The news of the settlement of the crisis between Germany and the United States by reason of Germany modifying her submarine campaign has as yet evoked comparatively little comment in the German press.

The Tageblatt and the Frankfurter Zeitung, however, print leading editorial articles which are highly satisfactory to a conflict with the United States has been avoided, and express the hope that the relations between the two countries from now on will continue to improve.

The chief editor of the Tageblatt, Theodore Wolff, said yesterday that the situation has been far graver than was generally assumed in Germany, and that the understanding with the United States was highly desirable, not only because of the effect which a break would have had on the Balkan situation, but because there could be nothing more illogical for Germany imaginable than a conflict with the United States.

"The submarine issue," Herr Wolff says, "which is capable of exercising a decisive effect upon the final outcome of the war, could scarcely have been modified, but the concession that passenger steamers will be torpedoed only when the action is non-combatant, and that the safety of non-combatants' lives has been assured, certainly will not affect so vitally the result."

Herr Wolff says he hopes and expects that the people will be satisfied with the attitude of the German government, and that the trustworthiness of its peaceful and friendly disposition. He hopes, too, that the American government will take into consideration in future steps against England.

"I would suggest that this Board request the Chamber of Commerce to communicate this offer to some of the leading perfume manufacturers in both Germany and France," said Mr. Mead, and, at the same time, ascertain the price of the perfume which is to be used in the manufacture of perfume. This type of rose could be propagated along the parkings in various residence districts.

"If such an industry were established in the school children would have steady employment gathering blooms in the summer months."

At the suggestion of Mr. Mead, the Board elected S. Benson to honorary membership.

President Taylor announced that he hoped to bring the Board in closer touch with the property owners by extending honorary memberships to other leading citizens. A committee of ten realty men will be appointed to handle this feature of the board program.

President Taylor, Secretary Cowgill, as well as Dean Vincent and J. D. Lee, who attended the recent convention of the National Association of Real Estate Exchanges at Los Angeles, gave reports on the convention.

Mr. Dunn had been in the service of the Southern Pacific for 25 years, having advanced from a minor position, his first job with the company was as messenger boy to L. R. Florida, who retired last Friday on his way to the fair.

Mr. Dunn is survived by his widow, a son, Everett, aged 7. He was 42 years of age. Last April, when he retired on account of ill health, the company awarded him a substantial monthly pension.

The body will be brought to Portland, arriving on Sunday. The funeral will be held at the Cathedral, Fifteenth and Davis streets, at 9 A. M. Monday.

Clotheslines Are Looted.

The clothesline in the back yard of E. E. Vernon, general agent of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, was robbed by a sneak thief Friday night. The police believe that the same thief stole clothing from a line in the rear of Mrs. Ed Drake's home at 591 East Oak street.

Auto Knocks Man Down.

An automobile driven by Howard Hutchinson, 902 East Flinders street, knocked down Joe McDonald at Social street and Broadway last night. The man was not injured severely.

SERBIA AGREES TO CEDE TO BULGARIA

Reservation Is That Part of Own Country Touch Border of Greece.

MORE IS ASKED BY SOFIA

Latter Government in Statement Stands Out for All Macedonia and Says War of Unceasing Outcome Not Desired.

ATHENS, via Paris, Sept. 4.—It is announced here that Serbia has accepted in principle the terms proposed for territorial concessions to Bulgaria, with the reservation that the new Serbian frontier remain in contact with Greece in some part.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Sept. 1, via London, Sept. 4.—Despite the fact that a decision of the Bulgarian government regarding the Macedonian question is generally considered imminent, as it is realized on all sides that the time is not far distant when this issue must culminate in more than diplomatic conversations, there are no signs of excitement here, the capital remaining in its usual quiet state.

At the Foreign Office today the following statement was made to the Associated Press correspondent:

"The Bulgarian government is engaged in formulating its reply to the Serbian government, although Serbia's statement has not yet been received, being guided in this by an intimation recently given by the quadruple entente."

Turkish Negotiations Go On.

"Meanwhile, the Bulgarian government is continuing its negotiations with the Turkish government concerning the cessation of the Lykian-Adriatic-Anapole-Dedeagatch railroad line and certain adjacent territories of great strategic importance. The prospects of a quick and satisfactory settlement are good, although hitherto the Turkish government has required much time in reaching decisions on matters contributory to the main issue."

"The Bulgarian government is not inclined to embark upon an adventurous course, and heretofore the Bulgarian government is guided by three factors:

"First—Non-acceptance of the treaty of Bucharest, which was not ratified by the national assembly and which is not acceptable to Bulgaria so long as it remains unapproved.

"Second—The unwillingness of the Bulgarian people to engage in a war the outcome of which is at all doubtful.

All of Macedonia Wanted.

"Third—The absolute necessity of confining the Bulgarian people that whatever action is undertaken by a result to be achieved will be such that no betrayal afterwards will be possible.

From other governmental sources it was learned that Bulgaria wants all of Macedonia and not only those parts made the subject of recent notes by the quadruple entente.

Meanwhile the entente powers insist that Bulgaria earn these parts by whatever action is undertaken by the proposal of the Lykian-Adriatic-Anapole-Dedeagatch railroad line, never further than to assure the free passage through Bulgaria of materials needed by Turkey.

MICHIGAN ALUMNI MEET

PORTLAND COMMITTEE TO AID IN RAISING \$1,000,000 FOR UNION.

Plan Outlined at Gathering Called by Pacific Coast Organizer and Purpose Set Forth.

To organize a Portland committee that will do its share in raising of a \$1,000,000 fund for the University of Michigan Union, a former student of the Michigan school met Edward H. Salter, Pacific Coast organizer of the Michigan Union, at the Oregon Hotel Friday to hear of the monster plan the union has fostered.

The University of Michigan Union, which was organized in 1892, grew to a body by 1904 and three years later became such a factor in university life that the former residence of Judge Coody was taken over by the union. Since that time the union has steadily grown and now has an active, particularly membership of more than 3000 students.

The union exists for a three-fold purpose. "The campus melting pot" is what Mr. Salter pleases to call it. It is the center of activity for all student functions outside athletics, furnishing a wholesome meeting place and an environment that cannot be gained elsewhere, it provides a place where the student and the instructor meet on common ground and it insures a welcome for home-coming alumni.

To raise this fund, organizers have been sent all over the United States and 137 committees will be formed by as many cities to raise the union fund. The former Michigan men who yesterday met with Mr. Salter laid plans for the election of a committee to meet at the Oregon Hotel with Mr. Salter next Tuesday noon.

FEDERAL BANKER VISITOR

Frederick A. Delano, of Reserve System, Stops En Route to See Fair.

Frederick A. Delano, vice-governor of the Federal Reserve system, and formerly one of the best known railroad executives in the country, visited Portland Friday on his way to the fair.

Mr. Delano insists that he is touring the Coast country on pleasure, although he does not hesitate to discuss the financial situation. He was much interested yesterday in the fluctuation in the foreign exchange market, but predicted an early readjustment that will restore conditions to a basis approximating the normal.

While in Portland Mr. Delano visited his friend A. L. Mills, president of the First National Bank, who was a classmate at Harvard.

EARLY DAYS RECALLED

Lang Synge Society Has Family Party and Tales Are Told.

Portland may be a city of electric lights, paved streets traveled by thousands of automobiles and lined with 12 and 14-story buildings, but to the members of the Lang Synge Society it is loved most as a small village of two or three frame dwellings huddled together on Front and First streets and

entirely surrounded by animal-infested forests.

The members of the Lang Synge Society are those business men of Portland who were in business in this city before 1871. Such men as J. K. Gill, George C. F. Beebe, James P. Fallins, General H. Himes, F. E. Beach, Frank Dayton and 400 others form the Lang Synge Society.

Friday night at the Portland Heights clubhouse these men and their wives met and talked of the time when Portland was a village of a few hundred people. No formal programme had been arranged. It was a big family party.

George Himes, president of the society, presided and called attention to the fact that the society was but three years old and should be a mighty factor in keeping Portland's oldest citizens closer together. Mr. Gill recalled how he was warned by all his business friends that if he moved his place from Front street to First street he would surely fail.

G. A. Mooney, formerly of this city but now in business in New York, told of his first endeavors to establish a millinery store in this city.

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At the conclusion of the pictures light refreshments were served.

FILM SEALS ROMANCE

MARRIAGE FOLLOWS PORTLAND SUCCESS OF CIVIL WAR PLAY.

J. B. Lewis, Theatrical Man, and Miss Lauretta Cort Wed in New York. Due Here Today.

When the censors of Portland passed "The Birth of a Nation" and allowed it to be shown here they sealed a romance between J. B. Lewis and Miss Lauretta Cort, the accomplished daughter of John Cort, the Seattle and Portland theatrical man who "busted" the trust law.

Mr. Lewis, of Seattle, was married last week at the "Little Church Around the Corner" in New York, and the news of it has only reached Portland. Their marriage took place when it was telegraphed from Portland that the Civil War film now at the Grand had been sanctioned. John McCormick, of Portland and Seattle, New York and Chicago, is co-leader with Mr. Lewis in the theatrical enterprise.

Mr. Lewis telegraphed his fiancée, Miss Cort, a few days ago: "Will you marry me? I'll get married if I can't; can't otherwise. Can I afford to be a widower?"

Mr. McCormick telegraphed back: "You may take a couple of them if you think best. The film is going to be a big business."

Mr. Lewis is well known in Portland. He was associated with John Cort in a number of theatrical enterprises, among which were "The Rose of Persia," "The Candy Shop" and "The Enchantress" featuring Kitty Gordon.

Senator Harry Lane, in an informal talk before the Jackson Club last night.

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"PIANNY TUNER" ARRIVES

At 76, Man Reaches New York to Study New-Fangled Self-Player.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—A quaint little man of 76, with duck trousers, ruddy face, twinkling eyes and a big can from which swung a change of linen wrapped in a bandanna, ambled into the Hotel McAlpin, mumbled "I swan" as he glanced about the lobby, and then registered as Darwin De Wolf, of Valparaiso, Ind.

Mr. De Wolf is here to take a post-graduate course in his profession. He tunes pianos, traveling from town to town through the rural districts of his state. After 40 years of this work it might be thought that he knows something about pianos, but not long ago he struck into the vitals of a newfangled thing that played by itself and was actually stumped. U'gosh. When he got through it sounded as if the cat were walking on the keyboard.

So he saved up \$400, plinned it inside a trousers pocket to keep it from the hands of Broadway, and came to New York. He is a student in a player piano school, and when he gets through in two months there won't be a music box in all Indiana that he can't fix.

RANGER KILLED FOR BEAR

Hunters Near Thompson Falls, Mont., Shoot E. B. Clark.

MISSOULA, Mont., Sept. 4.—Ernest B. Clark, an assistant forest ranger of the Cabinet department, was shot and killed by a bear and killed by a hunter near Thompson Falls this morning.

Frank Wineland and L. G. Pine sighted Clark just as he was crossing a bridge, dressed in dark brown. Wineland shot the bullet from his gun striking Clark in the back, killing him instantly. The body was returned to Thompson and given themselves up to the Sheriff. Clark leaves a wife and three children.

'WAR SCARE' STIRS HOTEL

Visitors Aroused by Secret Letter to Naval Officers.

ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 1.—There was a mild species of "war scare" in the hotel at Atlantic City today.

Every Naval officer in the city, active and retired, from Admiral Dewey down, received a businesslike communication, bearing the name of the Navy Department. The contents of communications were guarded with the closest secrecy.

CAPE HAITIEN, Haiti, Sept. 4.—The American cruiser, Tennessee, arriving from Philadelphia, debarked 100 marines with machine guns today.

General Caco, the revolutionary leader, and his followers, declined to lay down their arms and retired in the hills to the north of the city. They left behind them, however, troops which took up positions outside the city to shut off communications with the interior.

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MR. LANE FOR DEFENSE

SENATOR TELLS JACKSON CLUB OF HELPLESSNESS IN ATTACK.

"Any Little Nation Could Land on Our Shores and Exact Tribute," Is Declaration—Wilson Lauded.

"If there are any persons in this audience who do not want the United States to have a good Navy, who do not want this country to be prepared in any way for war, who do not want us to have fortresses and enough trained soldiers to defend ourselves against attack, I wish to congratulate them, for that is exactly the condition that exists today," said United States Senator Harry Lane, in an informal talk before the Jackson Club last night.

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TURKS LOOK FOR WORST

GERMAN SUCCESS DOUBTED NOW IN CONSTANTINOPLE, SAYS REPORT.

Kaiser's Officers No Longer Arrive to Train Troops and Failure of Roumania Deal Expected.

PARIS, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Bucharest, dated September 1, says:

"Constantinople telegrams say that the committee on union and progress is beginning to have doubts as to the final victory of Germany and is considering the consequences of defeat. It has given orders that Greeks and Bulgarians should be treated with consideration. Other foreigners, including belligerents, are closely watched, but are not being molested."

"No more German artillery engineering officers are arriving and attempts are being made to train Turkish officers to replace them. These attempts are meeting with only little success."

"The great fear in Turkish official circles is that Bulgaria will refuse the agreement proposed and that German will fall in her negotiations with Roumania for the transit of munitions. The opinion in Constantinople generally inclines to pessimism."

CARS STOP TO AID CHURCH

Brilliant Baptist Block Party Ties Up Pottstown Traffic.

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 1.—Trolley traffic was suspended on King street above Evans, and nearly the whole town turned out for a Japanese block party, held for the benefit of the First Baptist Church. A street in Tokyo was realistically represented, and some of the town's prettiest girls were arrayed in the brilliant attire of that great Oriental city.

Gaisha girls served tea, a chorus, directed by Miss Jeannette Harsten, sang catchy Japanese songs, and Miss Laura Yeager had a beauty parlor under an orange tree. Every porch in the block was gaily illuminated with Japanese lanterns and the streets blazed under a glare of electric lights.

BAKERS TO MAKE MERRY

Picnic Will Be Held at Crystal Park Labor Day.

Labor day will be played for the Master Baker's association, who will picnic at Crystal Lake Monday. Special cars will be run during the day and a ball game will be the opening event. A tug of war between the Master Bakers and the flour seamen will follow.

Cash prizes and wedding cakes will be given to the best waiters. These events will continue until 10:30 o'clock. A. Keller is secretary of the association and the committee on arrangements consists of C. E. Johnson, A. A. Hoover, A. Sanden, J. M. Snyder, E. Frans, S. Dimoff and H. F. Rittman.

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