

SPA CONFERENCE STEP FOR PEACE, ASSERS PREMIER

Session Just Ended Brings World Face to Face With Beginning of Big Things, Says George.

Spa, Belgium, July 17.—(U. P.)—Prime Minister Lloyd George, at a farewell dinner given to newspapermen here today, declared the result of the conference just closed was a real step for "overlasting peace."

The British premier said all participants in the conference agreed it was a success. If the German cabinet should be forced to resign and the German government should find itself unable to carry out the agreement, the allies must take steps to realize their aims, Lloyd George declared.

"The Spa conference found us on the road to reality. The world is facing the beginning of big things," the premier said. "The next few weeks will determine whether Germany is willing and able to carry out the obligations of the Versailles treaty."

Lloyd George said he regarded Chancellor Fehrenbach and Foreign Minister Zimmer as sincere and honest, but that Stinnes, the "disagreeing delegate," is a fanatic. Lloyd George said he knew the German government was weak and liable to collapse and that the question of German disarmament was the most important in the world today.

"Germany's millions of rifles and guns," Lloyd George said, "are the greatest menace to Europe as long as Bolshevism looms big on the horizon."

The British leader pointed out that the allies would not find it difficult to collect indemnities or obtain reparation even if it became necessary to invade Germany and take it.

LEAGUE ISSUE'S PARAMOUNT, DECLARES COX

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will reach a complete agreement on how the League of Nations issue shall be treated in the campaign.

"The American people are not interested in long quibbling," he said, "but before casting their vote they will demand to know which nominee would have the United States join a tribunal to prevent war."

"I am for going in with reservations that do not emasculate the covenant, but neither the Republican platform nor Senator Harding has made clear whether the Republican party favors going in or staying out."

Cox then pointed out that William H. Taft was urging the Republicans to stand for the League with reservations, while Senators Borah and Johnson, who are backing Harding, are claiming that the United States should reject the whole program.

LEAGUE TO BE TOPIC

The main topic of the conference with the president and also with Senator Hitchcock, Democratic leader in the senate, will be the League, Cox said.

"The president is the greatest authority in the United States on international relations, and it is natural that I should desire to confer with him before entering the campaign," the nominee said.

In his first conference with Washington newspapermen, Cox reiterated his purpose to make an extensive stump campaign, and indicated that he may make a swing through the mid-South.

Cox will discuss with Victor Murdock of the federal trade commission the high cost of living issue. The meeting with Murdock also may develop into a consideration of plans to obtain the former Bull Moose vote and, in this connection, Secretary of State Colby may see the nominee.

WILL MEET FLOOD

After his conference at the White House tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, Cox will meet Representative Flood, Virginia, chairman of the Democratic congressional campaign committee. Accompanied by Roosevelt, Cox expects to leave Washington at 4:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for Columbus, where he will meet Hon. E. Cummings Monday and the Democratic national committee Tuesday.

Following his station welcome, Cox, with Roosevelt and Judge and Mrs. E. E. Ansberry, was driven to the Ansberry home, where he is meeting all the Democratic leaders except the president.

Telephone Rates of Cities on Cobs Bay Are Increased

Salem, July 17.—The Oregon public service commission, in an order issued here Saturday, increased the rates of the Cobs & Curry Telephone company as far as the service affects the exchanges at Marshfield and North Bend. Slight advances in rates are made on the lines of the company extending into the rural communities.

The increases average slightly less than 10 per cent in all classes of service. The order provides for a discount of 5 per cent on all calls paid within 15 days after due date.

In another order the commission increased the rates of the Independence Telephone company, which serves Independence and Monmouth. It was found by the commission that the revenues of this corporation were insufficient to pay operating expenses and that there was an actual deficit for 1919. The accounts of the company were balanced on January 1 of this year.

Chileans Welcome Ousted President

Santiago, Chile, July 17.—(U. P.)—A press dispatch from Arica, Chile, today, announced arrival there of a train from La Paz, Bolivia, bringing the ousted Bolivian president, Gutierrez-Guerra. He was given a warm welcome.

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Singing by Troops After Saluting Flag Cause for Protest

Berlin, July 17.—(U. P.)—The French charge d'affaires today sent a formal protest to the German foreign office against the "serious incourtesy" of the salute given by the body of reitweh troops which marched to the French embassy and saluted, in apology for lowering of the French flag on the building by a German student on Bastille day.

After the troops had saluted the French flag, they broke into "Deutschland über Alles."

The youth who took down the French flag was being held in close confinement for trial.

The German cabinet awaited the return of its members who attended the Spa conference before reaching a decision relative to the situation arising from the salute.

The cabinet met today and considered the French demand for formal apologies and severe punishment of the company commander for failing to halt the singing of the German anthem.

Many Are Fined in Municipal Court for Breaking Speed Law

S. E. Hemphill, president of the Hemphill Trades school, was fined \$5 in municipal court Saturday by Judge Rossmann for violation of the Oregon motor law. Hemphill was arrested Friday night at Fifth and Alder streets. W. E. Langley, arrested on a similar charge, was fined \$10 by Judge Rossmann.

Other fines imposed in the municipal court Saturday morning for traffic violations were: For speeding, J. Robertson, \$10; J. K. Lehmann, \$10; L. G. Fougall, \$5; S. Card, \$15; A. W. Parkes, \$5; G. A. Handley, \$5; R. H. Paulson, \$5; W. R. Young, \$5; C. H. Wattenburger, \$5; H. A. Green, \$5; J. M. Grant, bail forfeited \$10; F. Batchelor accused of speeding \$5 to \$10 miles an hour on Lombard avenue, \$20.

For having cut-out open, C. Stanich, \$7.50; F. S. Cutter, \$7.50; H. M. Bruhm, \$5; M. Algren, \$5; R. E. De Long, bail forfeited \$2; E. S. Hamlet was fined \$5 for passing a street car while discharging passengers.

Physical Experts Are Against Long Elimination Trials

Berkeley, Cal., July 17.—(U. P.)—Going on record against "unduly long elimination schedules and prolonged seasons," the annual convention of the American Physical Education association, Western Division, came to an end at the University of California today.

The members opposed prolonged sessions in sports such as football, basketball and baseball in high schools and higher educational institutions as detrimental to the health. They also favored limitation of geographical areas in which inter-school competition is held, to shorten the seasons. One resolution declared the press is "the greatest educational medium of the day."

Some 250 leaders in physical education from nine Western states attended. A new council of directors elected includes Mrs. Elizabeth Dickerson, Seattle, representing the Y. W. C. A., and John F. Bovard, University of Oregon, Eugene, Or., and Christian Brocar, Spokane, representing the Northwest.

A gasoline engine driven dynamo that is entirely automatic in its action is attracting attention in England.

Deportation Train Leaves California

Washington, July 17.—A deportation train, as it was characterized by Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of labor, left San Francisco today for New York. It was announced at the departing today, carrying anarchists and other alien undesirable who are under sentence of deportation. There will be more than 100 on board by the time the train reaches New York. They will be promptly deported on various vessels to their native lands.

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Troops of Bolsheviki Approach Vilna From Two Sides and March In.

London, July 17.—(U. P.)—Bolshevik pressure on the northern and central Polish fronts has resulted in acceleration of the Polish retreat, according to dispatches from both Moscow and Warsaw tonight.

A column of the Red army has taken Vilna from the Poles, although the Warsaw headquarters of the Polish army stated the Lithuanians were expected to take the city.

Bolshevik troops approached Vilna from two sides. When they entered, the Lithuanians were six miles from the city. The commander of the latter ordered capture of a Polish regiment stationed nearby. This was believed to be the last of the Lithuanian units. The official wireless from Warsaw today stated the Poles had recaptured the city of Dubno.

Jose M. Escalier May Be Chosen Head Of Bolivian Nation

Buenos Aires, July 17.—(U. P.)—Supporters of Jose Maria Escalier, head of the Bolivian Republican party, which has come into power with the overthrow of President Guerra, expect that Escalier will be called to La Paz to assume the presidency of the Bolivian republic. Dr. Escalier, who is now in this city, said the revolution was caused by the autocratic conduct of President Guerra. It is expected that the assumption of power by the Republicans at La Paz will immediately revive the dispute between Bolivia and Peru over territory claimed by the former nation for a sea outlet.

Soft Drinks by the Wholesale Imposed As "Kangaroo" Fine

Charles F. Osborne, superintendent of power of the Portland Railway, Light and Power company, was fined \$2 inose cream cones and 37 bottles of pop at the seventh annual picnic of the Employees Beneficial association of the traction company at Dodge park, Saturday. Osborne had been "cutting up" all morning and was halted before a kangaroo court over which "Judge" E. P. Boynton presided, more or less. Osborne demanded a jury of the fair sex and selected six of the handsome belles of the "sixth floor" of the electric building. After hearing the evidence, the jury found the defendant guilty as charged, and fined him "refreshments for everybody in sight."

"Broke till next day day," grunted Osborne, as he paid the bill. The picnic committee staged the usual program of athletic events and field contests. Nearly 1000 employees of the company attended the outing. Music was furnished by the association band.

Can Reindeer Meat Be Substituted for Beef? Inquiry Is On

Washington, July 17.—(U. P.)—Dr. Edward K. Nelson, chief of the biological survey of the department of agriculture, is now on his way to Alaska to determine if the meat of the reindeer can economically be used as a substitute for beef, the department announced today. Alaskan herds of reindeer, it was pointed out, have increased from 142 animals in 1905 to 150,000 in 1920, and it was this rapid multiplication of the species, coupled with the fact that the flesh

of the animal is considered a delicacy by tribes of the North which first suggested the possibility of utilizing the meat of the reindeer on a large scale.

In addition to other advantages the reindeer is noted among hunters as the "prize boob" of the animal kingdom, surpassing even sheep in lack of intelligence.

Mexican Rebel Is Held Incommunicado

Mexico City, July 17.—(U. P.)—General Pablo Góngora was held incommunicado in the federal prison today awaiting court martial on charges that he had led a revolt against the De la Huerta government. The offense is punishable by death.

Gusher at Tampico Gives 80,000 Bbls.

Los Angeles, July 17.—(U. P.)—An 80,000-barrel a day gusher, one of the largest in the Tampico Mexican district, was brought in yesterday at Chinampa, eight miles from Tampico, on lot No. 114, owned by the Union Oil company of California, according to a telegram received by the company this morning.

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