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RELEASING OF LIMITATION OF WORLD'S ARMS

Meeting Under Auspices of Disarmament Committee Adopts Resolutions for Presentation to Harding; Urge Cut in Funds.

WAR EXPENDITURE LARGE

Senator Borah of Idaho, who has argued against continuation of the 1918 naval building program, was the principal speaker.

TOKIO FIRE LOSS PASSES 10 MILLION

Tokio, March 28.—(U. P.)—Careful estimates of property loss sustained in Tokio's great fire Saturday night indicated today that the total will exceed \$10,000,000.

THIRD WOMAN IN STILLMANN CASE

New York, March 28.—(I. N. S.)—A fresh element of mystery was added to the Stillmann divorce sensation today when it was learned that a third woman, whose identity is being carefully concealed, is about to figure in the case.

Sun Keeps Fair Easter Day Smiles

In the spring the ladies' fancy blossoms in their new frocks; in the spring the children's promise us more home-made wine.

RELEASING OF LEGIONS FEAR TOWARD GOAL

Major Financial-Philanthropic Offensive Begins at Noon With Blaze of Bands; \$850,000 Sought for Community Chest.

NEGROES' SLAYER FACES COLLEGE

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Secretary of War Announces Selection of Department Heads

Washington, March 28.—(I. N. S.)—Secretary of War Weeks today recommended to President Harding the following appointments:

George M. Pullman's Widow, 82, Dies in Pasadena Hotel

Pasadena, Cal., March 28.—(I. N. S.)—Mrs. George M. Pullman, 82 years of age, and one of America's wealthiest women, died at the Hotel Raymond in Pasadena, at 1:10 this afternoon of bronchial pneumonia after an illness of only a few days.

Chicago Theatres Cut Prices Box Office Lines Shorter

By James L. Kliganell United News Staff Correspondent Chicago, March 28.—The line at the theatre box office is growing shorter.

One Glance Sends Letter Bride Away

One look at her prospective husband, Anton Leski, who is a farmer of Seio, convinced Olga Bankova, pretty 23-year-old lass who arrived in Portland from Bohemia Saturday, that the marital match was entirely unsatisfactory.

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SIEN FEN TORCH WHIPPES OUT FARMS

London, March 28.—(U. P.)—The most destructive arson campaign yet attempted in England by Sinn Fein was carried out over the week-end. Damage amounting to thousands of pounds was done in Northumberland, Durham and Yorkshire, where 40 farm fires broke out simultaneously.

Masked Thief Meets Returning Family; \$300 in Loot Taken

Mr. and Mrs. William Crafton and 12-year-old son Bert, living at 525 East Eighteenth street, returned home late evening in time to disturb an enterprising burglar who eventually got away with about \$300 worth of stuff from the house.

Reorganization of Postal Department Announced by Hays

Washington, March 28.—(I. N. S.)—Reorganization of the postoffice department under the direction of a commission composed of the postmaster general, the joint congressional postal committee and business representatives from various parts of the United States was announced by Postmaster General Hays today.

Crop Outlook Exceptionally Favorable, Lumber Mills Resuming and Outlook Is Generally Good, Declares 12th Reserve Report.

San Francisco, March 28.—(I. N. S.)—Not only has the peak of unemployment been passed in the Twelfth federal reserve district, but prospects for 1921 crops of all kinds are exceptionally favorable, according to the monthly report to the federal reserve board by John Perrin, federal reserve agent and chairman of the board of federal reserve banks of San Francisco.

FAIR ENDORSED BY CALIFORNIA

In the shortest time ever required for the passage of a measure, the California legislature pledged support of the Atlantic-Pacific Highway and Electrical exposition, reported Colonel David M. Dunne, who returned to Portland this morning after having played the stellar role in the achievement.

BURNSIDE BRIDGE IS TO REOPEN TUESDAY; CITY PLANT GETS JOB

The Burnside bridge will be reopened Tuesday afternoon, according to promises made today by the county roadmaster, following acceptance of the paving bid entered by the city paving plant. The bridge has been closed for a fortnight.

State Official New Head of Engineers

Spokane, Wash., March 28.—J. A. Davis, assistant chief engineer of the state department of highways, was named as follows: R. Lozier, Seattle; H. Powell, Spokane; and W. L. Lovejoy, city engineer, Hoquiam. Courtland Penny, Seattle, will continue as executive secretary.

The Dalles Suspects Taken at Hood River

Hood River, March 28.—Two men were taken from the morning train and held in connection with a holdup and attempted murder in the Dalles at 1 o'clock this morning. Both were carrying overalls said to have been worn by the holdup men, but local police are doubtful that they are the men wanted. They gave the names of Reuben W. Myers and Dan Carlson and addresses at The Dalles.

GIRL, 15, SMASHES CHINA VASE ON BURGLAR'S HEAD

Portrait of Irene Carlson, a 15-year-old girl who smashed a china vase on the head of a burglar who was robbing her home.

IRRENE CARLSON, 15-YEAR-OLD MISS WHO ROUTED BURGLAR BY FOLLOWING EXAMPLE OF MAGGIE OF THE COMICS AND SMASHING VASE OVER HIS HEAD

Fifteen-year-old Irene Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Carlson of 445 Vancouver avenue, completely routed a burglar who was robbing the home and menacing her father's life Sunday night when she swung a heavy china vase at the intruder, smashing it into a hundred pieces over his head.

BIG TAX DECISION IS WON BY U. S.

Washington, March 28.—(U. P.)—The federal government, by decision of the supreme court today, won one of the big suits growing out of the federal income tax laws. One hundred millions will be kept in the federal treasury as a result.

TWO DROWN WHEN BOAT IS CAPSIZED IN SOUTH UMPQUA

Roseburg, Or., March 28.—Ted Farris and Peter Kufner, residents of Riddle, were drowned in the South Umpqua river Saturday evening when their boat overturned. Farris, Kufner and Joe Graham were in the boat and were attempting to locate some lost logs from their mill on Cow creek. They had reached a point just above the Pruner bridge when they struck a riffle and the boat capsized.

6 DEAD, 30 INJURED IN EASTER ACCIDENTS

San Francisco, March 28.—(I. N. S.)—Six dead, including one woman and a baby, and 30 persons injured, was the Easter Sunday toll of automobile accidents in the Bay region. The condition of several of the injured is serious.

Pistol and Rifle

Chinamen Shoot Each Other to Death in Exchange of Bullets in San Francisco Lodging House; Spread of Trouble Is Feared.

LOCAL POLICE ON LOOKOUT FOR TONG WAR TROUBLE

Portland's Chinatown was ominous in its quiet this morning. News that gunmen had arrived from Chicago, presumably to be ready for any outbreak between the Bing Kung-Bow Leung and the Hop Sing Tong was received with the quietest of interest.

EARLY MAKE-UP OF 1921 QUAKES RECORDED

Santa Clara University, Cal., March 28.—(U. P.)—The seismograph at Santa Clara University today recorded an earthquake 225.5 miles west from here, Father Ricard, in charge of earthquake observations, announced. The tremor lasted 19 minutes.

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