

LATIN REPUBLICS OUTLINING NEW PLAN FOR LEAGUE

ASSOCIATION OF NATIONS SUBMITTED TO PRESIDENT BY SOUTH AMERICANS.

ADVISORY IN NATURE

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By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 20.—A diplomatic report giving a rough outline of an association of nations plan, is reported as being favored by President Harding. The report was sent by two South American republics. It was learned.
The salient features of the Harding association plan are:
No written constitution.
Function through a council of representatives.
Membership of nations advisory rather than binding.
The present allied supreme council to be used as a nucleus for the new association.

OREGON TRAPSHOOTERS MEETING AT ASTORIA

By United Press
ASTORIA, Or., June 20.—The ninth annual tournament of the Oregon Sportsmen's association, which opened here yesterday, starts on its second day when the traps opened at 9 o'clock this morning.
Guns, shells, powder fumes, old-time scores, and yams of the traps, of all kinds and descriptions, have been features of Astoria lounging places and of the city in general since crack shots from all over the state began to congregate early yesterday. The only "kick" heard so far are those "felt" as the pigeons soar and the guns bark.
The schedule of events for today and tomorrow, the last day of the tournament, includes 250 16-yard single targets, 25 pairs of doubles, and 100 distance handicap targets. The Oregon state amateur trapshooting championship will be a 200-bird event, 100 flying today and another century tomorrow. A fifty-yard target competition for women will be a feature of the tournament tomorrow.

TWO DELEGATIONS WILL MEET SIMS

LAUDATORY RECEPTION, AND OTHERWISE, PLANNED WHEN ADMIRAL REACHES PORT.

By United Press
NEW YORK, June 20.—Admiral Sims will get two receptions when he lands in New York. One will be laudatory and the other opposite.
Irish sympathizers, led by Mayor Michael Kelly, are planning the razzberry festivities while Casper Whitney, former editor of Outing, has announced plans for a laudatory demonstration.
Washington Vanderbilt, mining engineer, who recently completed negotiation for huge concessions in Soviet Russia, will be on the same ship with Sims.

STREET CAR AND TRAIN COLLIDE IN OKLAHOMA

By United Press
OKLAHOMA CITY, June 20.—A passenger train today crashed into a street car at a rail crossing near here, according to reports. No estimate of casualties could be made this evening.

MINES OPEN BUT NO WORKERS RETURN

OWNERS HAVE SLIGHT HOPES OF STRIKES VOLUNTARILY RESUMING.

By United Press
LONDON, June 20.—British coal mines, closed two months ago when union miners went on a strike, reopened today. Operators started a portion of the machinery and had everything ready for the resumption of work, but only a few miners put in an appearance.
Owners admitted that they had only slight hope that the strike would be ended in this manner.

STRAY SEAL MAROONED IN MILL CREEK.

RESIDENTS ANNOYED BY NOCTURNAL SONG OF STRANGE VISITOR.

A number of persons residing along lower Mill creek are being kept awake nights by a seal, which has taken up its abode in the waters of the creek, according to John Chambers, who claims that he is one of the persons who have suffered from involuntary insomnia recently as a result of the seal's vocal efforts. The seal, which has been seen by several persons and heard by others, seems to be training for an operatic career according to Chambers. Each night it clears its throat several times and then proceeds to entertain the surrounding community with weird noises, somewhat resembling a cow in search of a lost calf. Chambers declares. The seal is thought to have come up the creek during the high water, which caused the waters to back up as far as the Fourth street bridge, forming a small lake in which his sealship has apparently decided to make his home.

RIOTING ATTENDS GOMEZ FUNERAL

SEVERAL KILLED AND INJURED IN CUBA WHEN FORMER CHIEF IS BURIED.

By United Press
HAVANA, June 20.—An outbreak by former adherents of General Jose Miguel Gomez, ex-president of Cuba, during the late general's funeral at Colon cemetery Sunday afternoon, was reported to have resulted in the death of several persons and injuries to others.
The funeral began with a procession larger than any ever held before in honor of a Cuban, attended by government representatives, members of the diplomatic corps, senate and house of representatives, marching to the music of six bands. Dozens of airplanes soared above the parade and dropped flowers into the streets adjacent to the Gomez home, which were packed with people, many of whom had been there all night.
A large force of police remained on guard through Saturday night and Sunday to guard against any trouble.

INFANTICIDE TRIAL POSTPONED

By United Press
LOS ANGELES, June 20.—Trial of Miss Eric Mullican, charged with taking the life of her nameless baby, was today postponed until July 20.

PICTURE PRODUCER DEAD

By United Press
LOS ANGELES, June 20.—George Loane Tucker, director and producer of "The Miracle Man," died today at his home. Death followed a search for health. He sank rapidly following a minor operation.

Military Planes Begin Bombing Tests on East Coast Tomorrow

PROGRAM STARTS WITH ATTEMPT TO SINK EX-GERMAN SUBMARINE FROM AIR; LEADERS OF ARMY AND NAVAL FLYING SERVICE CONFER ON PROBLEMS FOR THE PACIFIC.

By Ralph H. Turner
(United News Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, June 20.—The aerial bombing tests, to begin off the Virginia Capes Tuesday, have been made the occasion of a conference which is expected to determine new and important features of air policy in the American navy.
Captain W. A. Moffatt, director of naval aviation, has summoned to Washington Captain H. C. Mustin, commander of the air force attached to the Pacific fleet. During and after the bombing experiments, these two men, with Captain A. W. Johnson, commander of the Atlantic air force, and other officials of naval aviation, will confer on numerous matters of significance to naval aviation.
Moffatt and Mustin will fly to Hampton Roads Monday to join Johnson, who is in charge of the navy's share of the bombing operations.
The conference was called by Captain Moffatt, firstly, for the purpose of determining the wisest means of expending the pending congressional appropriation for naval aviation and, secondly, to observe the lessons which may be drawn from the aerial bombing of surface craft.
The consultation may also have important bearing upon Secretary Denby's plans, to be announced this week, for the redistribution of American

ALLIES UNABLE TO DETERMINE GERMANY'S FATE

CONFERENCES IN PARIS TERMINATE WITHOUT SOLUTION OF SILESIAN QUESTION.

BRITAIN WOULD FAVOR

LORD CURZON ASKS DISSOLUTION OF RHINE BARRIER; GREEK ARMISTICE ASKED.

By Webb Miller
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PARIS, June 20.—Great Britain and France, sitting as a jury, failed again today to determine Germany's fate.
The conferences here between Lord Curzon and Premier Briand came to an end with the Upper Silesia situation and the Rhine customs barrier unchanged.
Lord Curzon argued strongly for dissolving the customs barrier, declaring that Germany has shown her good faith by making the first reparations payment.
"Good faith," retorted Briand contemptuously, "hasn't paid us a franc yet."
The British representative told Briand that he was convinced the allies should evacuate Dusseldorf, Ruhrort and Duisburg and give the Germans full freedom in paying off their debt. Lord Curzon also outlined British opinion on the final division of Upper Silesia, declaring that the plebiscite vote should be followed by awarding the industrial regions to Germany. Both were left open for consideration by the allied supreme council, which probably will meet in mid-July.
The conference, however, reached an agreement regarding the Near East. With the approval of the Italian government, a note was sent to the Greek government, proposing that it should consent to a peace with Turkish nationalists, to be arranged by the allies. The basis of peace, it was stated, would be substantially that proposed last winter in London, calling for withdrawal of Greek forces from Asia Minor until negotiations were completed.

BANDITS ROB MESSENGER

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—Four bandits in an automobile today held up and robbed Fred Myers, a messenger of the Mutual Trust company, of \$10,000 in cash.
The robbery was committed a few yards from the bank.
In Granite City, Ill., five armed men today held up John Metro, driver for the American Railway Express company, seized the payroll of \$17,000 belonging to the National Lead company and escaped.

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DALLE TRIMS DUFUR BY SCORE OF 6 TO 3

The Dalles baseball team evened up matters with the Dufur Sagebrushers yesterday afternoon in a terrific battle played upon the Dufur field. The game of the game was never in doubt, the score standing 6 to 3 when the final player had been retired.
Woolsey, pitching for The Dalles, heaved an errorless game. The fielding of the local players was considerably improved over the exhibition given here two weeks ago, when Dufur handed The Dalles a walloping.
One of the stellar plays of the game was completed when Harold Maier, a roofer for The Dalles team, caught a foul ball in the eye. The eye was somewhat damaged as a result of the encounter and soon afterwards put out the usual sign of distress, a deep rich purple coloring.

BIG SCHOOL BOARD VOTE IS EXPECTED

30 HAD BALLOTTED FOR DIRECTORS AT 2:30 THIS AFTERNOON.

Competition in this year's election of school board directors bids fair to bring out a record-breaking vote, judging from the number of ballots cast during the first half-hour of voting. Voting started at the high school promptly at 2 o'clock. At 2:30, 30 ballots had been cast.
At last year's school election, only 21 persons voted.
Final returns on the election are expected to be available by 10 o'clock this evening when it is expected that the votes will have been counted.
This year's school election brought out four candidates for two vacant positions on the school board. They are: E. C. Malloy, John L. Bogue, Ed Kurtz and L. J. Gates. The two vacant positions are for terms of three years each.

COLONISTS WILL TOUR WASCO COUNTY

HOMESEKERS' PARTY WILL BE HERE JULY 27; LUNCHEON AT MAUPIN.

From 100 to 150 prospective Oregon settlers, guests of the Oregon state chamber of commerce on the "homeseekers' special," will pass through all of Wasco county when they are in this district next month.
The homeseekers are eastern and middle-western men and women, after farms and business opportunities in Oregon. They were recruited in the east and brought to Oregon by the state chamber of commerce. The original itinerary included a short stop in The Dalles after the party had arrived here from Bend by train. N. G. Hedlin, however, has succeeded in having this feature of the schedule changed so that the prospective settlers will make the trip from Bend to The Dalles by automobile, thus giving them the opportunity of viewing the entire county.
The party will be at Maupin for luncheon on July 27, and will spend the evening of the same day in The Dalles. Arrangements to this effect were made by Hedlin with George Quayle, secretary of the state chamber of commerce.

KANSAS NEEDS 25,000 MEN FOR CROP HARVEST

By United Press
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 20.—Kansas today sent out a call for 25,000 volunteers to aid in harvesting the wheat crop. Calls for help have been sent to all eastern cities.

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SAME ENEMIES FIGHTING WORKERS WHO ARE COMBATTING AGRICULTURISTS, AVERS VETERAN LEADER; FEDERATION OPPOSES SUGGESTED DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE.

By Robert J. Bender
(United News Staff Correspondent)
DENVER, June 20.—This time has come in the opinion of President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, for industrial workers and farmers to stick together. Identical "enemies," he says are attempting to drive back the positions attained in both classes of producers and a "closer alliance and cooperation should be established between them" for the fight.
Gompers was presiding as chairman of the convention of labor delegates here, a domain he has ruled for nearly a score of years now, when I submitted some questions to him. Putting on one after another sturdy, black cigars, he had been sitting there hours after hour, listening to the discussion, now and then participating in it, keenly alert to any new unexpected development from the floor.
Now and then, his eyes followed the maneuvers of friends of John Lewis, who are trying to convince the miners' chief that he has a chance to beat Gompers for the presidency. But Lewis privately realizes and knows that even if he were a candidate he couldn't beat the veteran leader this year, so the belief is that Lewis won't even attempt it. Even Gompers and his friends manifest not a shade of concern over the outlook. Rather, Gompers acts and talks as if his mind were occupied entirely with the federation problems. This is plainly

UNIONS WIN IN BOARD'S CLOSED SHOP DECISION

MAJORITY RULE FOR WORKERS MADE EFFECTIVE IN AGREEMENT DRAWING.

By United Press
CHICAGO, June 20.—Advocates of the "closed shop" won a victory before the United States railroad labor board here today.
The board announced that representatives of the majority of the men in one draft may draw working agreements which will affect all members. Since unionists are in the vast majority, this is a ruling in their favor, it was interpreted.
The decision was handed down in answer to a query by the following employees of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad and the Wichita Falls & Northwestern, steamship clerks, freight handlers, express employees and station workers.
Employees are engaged all over the country in drawing up a new set of working agreements as ordered by the railroad board.
The new working agreements are to be formulated in conferences with railroad managers.
The board's latest ruling means that only union representatives may sit in and act and speak for all employees.
Representatives of twenty of the largest railroads in the country appeared before the board today to ask that they be included in the recent 12 percent wage cut ruling of the board.
The cut only affected some of the smaller roads who threw their cases before the board as a test.
These are some of the roads represented today: Michigan Central, Erie, Big Four, and Illinois Central.
The wage slash made in the previous ruling, is effective July 1 and affects shop employees, common labor

3 GIRLS GO WITH FATHER IN SUICIDE

BABY DAUGHTERS COMPELLED BY PARENT TO DIE BY ASPHYXIATION.

By United News
WASHINGTON, June 20.—Taking his three daughters, aged three, four and five, with him, Samuel R. Cranford climbed to a balcony in the top floor of their rooming house. He closed the door and the window. He placed pillows on the floor so the children could rest their heads.
Then he turned on the gas.
Ten hours later the father and the children in his arms were found on the floor, dead. "Lollypops" were still clutched in the hands of two of the children.
Cranford and his wife had quarreled. When Mrs. Cranford came down stairs Saturday morning, on the way to her work in the bureau of printing and engraving, another occupant of the rooming house had asked her a question. Cranford yelled down the stairs that it was "damn of his business." Mrs. Cranford was sobbing heavily, the neighbor said.
Cranford was a street car conductor. Apparently their finances were low, neighbors said, despite the fact that both Mr. and Mrs. Cranford worked.
Police Sunday found Mrs. Cranford at the home of her mother and told her of the deaths of her husband and children. Mrs. Cranford spent Saturday night at her mother's home.

WHEN CHIEF PAYS, SHE WILL LISTEN

ZION CITY GUARDIAN SET RIGHT ON STYLES BY WOMAN.

By United Press
ZION CITY, Ill., June 20.—Mrs. Sarah Johnson, charged with being dressed immodestly because she wore a waist that was short-sleeved and low-necked, today told the chief of police that he could tell her what to wear when he started buying her clothes. Her case was continued.

NATIONAL BONUS BILL FAVORED

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTS OUT ON SOLDIERS' MEASURE.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 20.—The soldiers' bonus bill was today reported favorably by the senate finance committee.
The measure was accepted virtually as drafted by the subcommittee, embracing five plans for adjusting "veterans' compensations, from a dollar a day for home services to aid in acquiring homes.
Early consideration by the senate is expected. Action upon several soldier's measures is expected this week and enactment of the entire soldier legislation program is expected by the end of the summer.

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