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STONE OF ULTIMATUM LACKING IN ANSWER

Orlando continues. "It is impossible for me in a document of this nature to repeat the detailed arguments which have been produced in



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Italy's behalf. I might simply say that no one will receive without reserve the affirmation that the collapse of the Austro-Hungarian empire should imply the reduction of Italian aspirations.

Citing the president's argument that the concessions granted by Italy to its natural defenses, by the Alps, Sigar Orlando says: "This recognition is of great importance, provided the eastern flank of this wall does not remain open and that the right of Italy should be interpreted to include the line of Mont Nevoso which separates the waters running toward the Black Sea and the Mediterranean."

He recalls that the latins from the earliest dawn of Italian history, designated this mountain the "Italian limit."

Bad Breach in Alps. "Without this protection," says the premier, "a dangerous breach is left in this admirable barrier of the Alps, rupturing the unquestionable political, economic and historical unity of the Italian peninsula. I contend, furthermore that it is entitled to the honor of proclaiming to the world the right of the free determination of peoples should recognize this right for Fiume, an ancient Italian city which proclaimed its Italian nature before the Italian ships arrived."

To deny this right only because of the small number concerned would mean the admission that the criterion of justice toward peoples varies according to their territorial extent."

Premier Orlando then points out that Antwerp, Genoa and Amsterdam are international ports serving as an outlet to diverse peoples and territories without having to pay for the privilege by sacrificing national conscience, and continues:

Aspirations Not Excessive. "It is impossible to qualify as excessive the Italian aspirations toward the Dalmatian coast, Italy's boulevard throughout centuries, which Roman genius and vealitan activity made noble and grand and whose Italian character, defying for centuries implacable persecutions, still shares the same thrill of patriotism with the Italian people."

The principle proclaimed with reference to Poland that denationalization based on violence does not create rights, the premier contends, should be applied to Dalmatia.

Passing over the argument of "cold statistical statements" the premier affirms that among the national reconstructions occupying the peace conference none of the reconstructed nations will count within their frontiers a relatively slighter number of persons of alien race than would be attributed to Italy, and asked why only Italians should be suspected of imperialistic cupidity. The history of the negotiations, he declares, will show that the Italian delegation acted with a broad spirit of conciliation.

Italy's Part Notable. He concludes his statement as follows: "The presidential message ends with a warm declaration of America's friendship for Italy. I reply in the name of the Italian people, and proudly claim the right and honor to do this as one who in the most tragic hour of this war, proclaimed the cry of resistance at all costs. This cry was heard and replied to with courage and abnegation, of which there are few more striking examples in the world's history. "Italy, thanks to the most heroic sacrifices and purest blood of her children, was able to ascend from the abyss of misfortunes to the radiant crest of most glorious victory. In the name, therefore, of Italy, I express with all my power the sentiment of admiration and profound sympathy which the Italian people profess toward the American people."

STATES RUNNING CLOSE

Cleveland district continued tonight to lead all other districts in the number of communities reaching their quota, having 115.

Seattle, Wash., April 24.—Official reports of the progress of the Victory Liberty loan in Washington, as received up to Wednesday night announced by state headquarters here, gave reported subscriptions as \$5,351,850.

San Francisco, April 24.—Liberty loan officials believe subscriptions to the Victory Liberty loan in the twelfth federal reserve bank district will pass the \$100,000,000 mark by the close of the week, according to a statement issued here tonight by George K. Weeks, campaign manager for the district.

Weeks said that telegraphic reports to his office showed subscriptions actually filed with banks in the district for the first three days of the drive totaled \$15,549,250 from more than forty thousand subscribers. The district's quota is \$134,000,000.

"Owing to the delay in the distribution of supplies," he continued, "it is probable that this total really represents about one day's subscription."

Nine Per Cent Raised. NEW YORK, April 24.—With a victory loan quota of \$1,350,000,000, the New York federal reserve district was credited officially with \$124,104,750 or approximately 9 per cent of its allotment.

DOCK STRIKE ENDS

LIVERPOOL, April 24.—The dock strike was settled this evening. The grievances of the dock workers are to be arbitrated.

PROHIBITION IS CALLED GREATER NEED THAN EVER

Bone Dry Law to Be Enforced to the Letter, Department Announces

EUROPE GETS GRAIN

United States Cannot Yet Afford to Use Products for Beverages

NEW YORK, April 24.—The government proposes a literal enforcement of the war-time prohibition act including a ban on production and sale of all beer and wines, whether or not they are intoxicating, the department of justice announced through a special representative in the federal court today.

While no steps will be taken to prevent brewing, pending a court determination of the law's constitutionality raised by brewers of the New York district, manufacturers will operate in peril of future prosecution, according to the statement of William C. Fitts, special counsel appearing at United States Attorney General Palmer in the beer litigation.

The attorney advised Judge A. N. Hand, who heard arguments on the government's motion to dismiss the suit brought on behalf of the national brewing interests by the Jacob Hoffman Brewing company to restrain the federal authorities from interfering with its production of two and three-quarter per cent beer, that the department of justice did not know and did not care whether beer of the strength indicated was intoxicating.

Law Interpreted. The law prohibited sale after June 30 of distilled beverages as well as manufacture after April 20 and sale after June 30 of beer, wine and other intoxicating malt or vinous liquor for beverage purposes, pending the mobilization of the military forces. The words "beer" and "wine" were not qualified in the opinion of the government, he added, and the apparent congressional intention to stop the "waste" of grain and fruits in their production in any strength would be enforced.

"With 'half the world looking to America for food' Mr. Fitts contended, the necessity of its conservation was greater 'even than on the day of Chateau Thierry' and it was equally essential that liquors be withheld from public sale while the army and navy were undergoing demobilization.

To this statement Judge Hand added his opinion that the war "was still in progress" which upset one of the complainant's contentions. Following Elihu Root, who argued that the prohibition law did not apply to beer which was not intoxicating (in which class the brewers rate the 2 3/4 per cent product) and that the act, having passed after the signing of the armistice and the expiration of the war emergency, was unconstitutional.

Cafes Denies Threat. District Attorney Caffey announced that he had never threatened to begin prosecutions under the emergency prohibition act. He added that he did not propose any action along this line until the act had been given time to consider the litigation in progress.

The litigation was discontinued as affecting threats of internal revenue department to prosecute manufacturers of a 2 3/4 per cent beer up to April 30, when the government counsel admitted that Commissioner Roper had erred in ruling under the food conservation laws that beer of one-half per cent or greater alcohol content was intoxicating and so could not be manufactured under the president's proclamation prohibiting manufacture of near beer.

None but a court had authority to pronounce a beverage intoxicating, or the opposite, Mr. Fitts said. Stating his desire to give an early decision in the case, Judge Hand arranged for submission of briefs before the end of next week. Former Senator Root announced that, whatever the determination, the issue "should be carried" to the supreme court.

EDITORIALS OF THE PEOPLE

(The Statesman is pleased to print communications upon topics of general interest at any time. There is scarcely any limit to the topics of "general interest." It is asked only that correspondents refrain from personalities and use care that nothing be written of a libelous nature. Letters must have writer's name and address, though not necessarily for publication.—Ed.)

To the Editor: I see by the press that we will have Mr. H. E. Weed of Portland to lecture upon penicillin and landscape gardening, Monday evening, May 5. No doubt Mr. Weed will bring his subject and all the Salem Beautiful run here, should go and hear him. If the people of Salem would work together with the Floral society, in place of doing nothing but criticizing more would be accomplished. At times no more than half a dozen attend a meeting and no difference how faithful those work, they are not enough, and we wish more active members. We want school children, men and women of all ages, with the object in their mind carried out in practice to make

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Salem beautiful. Last year we had some 5000 rose bushes to give away. We wanted Marion street and the Fairground road planted. I think four parties took the trouble to plant their curbs on the Fairground road and perhaps that many on Marion street. But some of the Warion street parties told us, that if the city would take care of the plantings, they would plant them. This does not show much of civic pride and public spirit. When one sees a well taken care of curbing, flanked by the neighbors weeds and trash it is not encouraging to the industrious one, and offers a sad commentary. Our dues are only 25 cents a year and therefore our bank account is small, but we are always willing to help decorate Salem. I also think that the city ordinance should be enforced compelling owners to cut their weeds upon curbs and vacant lots which makes even a nuisance to travelers on a sidewalk. A little energy and enterprise and civic pride and the will to do something will accomplish much. A few years ago the Highland school put out a row of roses around the whole block—go and look at them now. They are a credit to the city. The school district and to the school "sniff" that does our school block. We are proud of our school block and we certainly appreciate our good sniffer who takes such interest in his work. We have also some other plants here fronting Church street. Daffodils and others which look beautiful this spring. Therefore, all you skeptics and scoffers come and see what can be done and try to do likewise in other places and then we can have a real beautiful Salem.

RAILROAD MEN CALL MEETINGS

Series of Conferences Regarding Improvements in Service to Begin

PORTLAND, April 24.—Visiting railroad administration officials will hold a series of conferences tomorrow with local business men in an attempt to outline improvements in rail service and the purchase of supplies, it was announced with the return today of R. H. Ashton, regional director of Oregon-Washington district, United States railroad administration. J. G. Woodworth, traffic assistant of the northwest district; L. S. Carrol, regional purchasing agent, and L. C. Gilman, district director of Oregon-Washington district. The party has been in Astoria and will go to Bend on Saturday.

One of the important conference schedule is that between railroad men and L. S. Carrol, regional purchasing agent, at which the purchase of railroad ties talked of Tuesday while H. B. Spencer, director of the division of purchases, was in Portland, will be continued. The tie men are not altogether satisfied with their interview with Spencer and will endeavor to secure a more thorough understanding with Carrol.

WELCOME GIVEN OVERSEAS MEN

Spokane Extends Glad Hand to Oregon and Washington Veterans

SPOKANE, Wash., April 24.—Spokane was in readiness tonight to extend to the officers and men of the 261st Infantry, Washington and Oregon overseas troops, the official "welcome home" of eastern Washington upon their arrival here tomorrow morning.

The greeting promised to be a noisy one, with three bands besides that with the returning soldiers, and a thousand cheering squads of students, patriotic societies and representatives of local industrial institutions. Banks, stores and offices, as well as many factories were to close to give their employees an opportunity to join in the welcome.

The parade from the railway station to a large hall, where the members of the regiment will be the city's guests at luncheon is to be strictly a military affair, it was announced today, with the regimental band and a guard of honor from the 44th infantry, stationed here, the only persons in line except the returning soldiers. Heading the parade will be a great fir tree float, the official insignia of the 91st division. The parade will be reviewed by Colonel Willis Uline, commanding the 44th infantry, and his staff, and local officials.

VILLA'S TROOPS LOOT VILLAGES

American Mining Men Bring News of Battle South of Chihuahua

JUAREZ, Mexico, April 24.—Francisco Villa fought his way into Francisco Villa's famous mining camp 125 miles southeast of Chihuahua City, Sunday morning after a battle which started at day break Saturday and ended at with Villa's entry at the head of his fifteen hundred troops Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The town was then looted. Three American mining men ar-

AUTOS HANDY IN FORESTRY WORK

Reports at Portland Conference Show Increasing Use of Machines

PORTLAND, Ore., April 24.—The Western Forestry and Conservation association opened a three day conference here today. George H. Cecil, United States district forester, and E. T. Allen, manager of the Western Forestry and Conservation association, both of Portland, officiated as chairman and secretary of the meetings. Forty-one persons interested in forest conservation were registered, representing the federal, state and private forests of Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, California and British Columbia.

Reports were given to show that the use of automobiles in the forest protection work is being increased. Different makes were discussed and it was reported that the running expense of the cars in use varied from 5 to 8 cents and reduces the number of employes necessary.

The extreme hazard to forests of the northwest created by the United States spruce production corporation while obtaining airplane materials was brought out by Forster Cecil. After the signing of the armistice work in the spruce camps stopped and no attempt was made to clear up the slashings from which grave danger is said to exist. Captain John H. Markham of the United States spruce production corporation asserted that it is desired to liquidate affairs of the corporation and to dispose of responsibility for fire hazard created. To do this, he declared, it will be necessary to get clearance from timber owners on the plan made for turning over to the forest service a fund with which to clean up.

SHIP TO RUN ON COAST

PORTLAND, April 24.—The G. M. Standifer Construction corporation built steamer Cokesit is scheduled to be turned over to the Pacific Steamship company tomorrow for operation. The Cokesit is the first launched of the 1,900-ton class at the Vancouver, Washington yard and will also be the first of this type to leave here with a flour cargo to the Atlantic coast.

STRIKERS GIVE IN

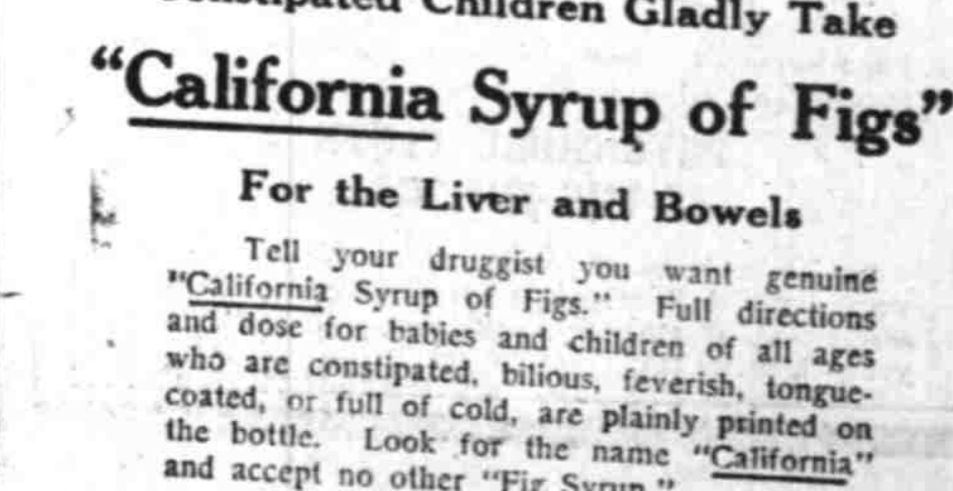
LIMERICK, April 24.—(By The Associated Press)—The strike which has been in progress in Limerick for some time is to be called off tonight, the military authorities having made slight concessions to the strikers at the request of the mayor and the bishop of Limerick.

The nearlyly sentences of 99 years given by some courts martial to soldiers for minor offenses is candidly explained by General Menober as something never meant to be taken seriously. The members of the courts martial expected that the sentences would be mitigated after the war; and they surely will be.

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