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'ARMY HOLIDAY' FOR EUROPE TO BE SUGGESTED BY PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE AT THE GENOA CONFERENCE, IT IS REPORTED

SOVIET-JAPANESE WAR PROBABLE; TROOPS ADVANCE

Jap Forces Driving Chita Troops Back; They Are Now 47 Miles From Iman.

SIBERIAN ARMY RETREATS WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT

War Will be Declared When Nipponese Hosts Pass Iman, Amur District of Siberia.

TOKIO, April 12.—(I. N. S.)—Unverified reports reached here that Russian reds blew up a Japanese armored train north of Spasska. No details as to the casualties have been received, due to delays of a strictly-enforced censorship.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—(I. N. S.)—Formal declaration of war against Japan by the far eastern republic will inevitably be drawn up and promulgated on the day the Japanese army, now engaged in driving back troops of the Chita republic, penetrate the Amur district of Siberia beyond the village of Iman, envoys of the far eastern republic informed the International News Service.

The Japanese army is now 47 miles from Iman. The Siberian army is retreating before the Nipponese hosts "without firing a shot," according to cable advices Chita representatives received here. They declared the Japanese government is spreading "misinformation calculated to poison the world's public opinion, issuing statements that "Chita soldiers have fired on the Japanese. This is untrue."

LONDON FASHION HINTS LONDON, April 12.—The trained skirt has come into favor again and promises to out the ankle-length evening gown now being worn.

Fancy hose in black and white design, with a peculiar striped effect, is becoming the vogue. Emerald green is to be the new spring color, says Duffe Fashion.

Blue and white is rumored to be the color of the new complexion. This blue-blood effect is achieved by a preparation of liquid chalk and glycerine and the smearing of lips and eyebrows with blue green paint.

WHEAT POOL WILL BE FORMED IN MID-WEST

FARGO, N. D., April 12.—(U. P.)—A large wheat pool will be formed this year by a group of farm organizations in the northwest as a result of decisions reached during the last two days. The Equity Cooperative Exchange, North Dakota branches of the National Wheat Growers and United States Grain Growers, Inc., and Northwestern Wheat Growers joined in endorsing the program calling for a 100 percent wheat pool in this producing section.

RAIL ROAD EMPLOYEES WILL FIGHT REDUCTIONS

CHICAGO, April 12.—(U. P.)—Frank P. Welsh, attorney representing the railroad maintenance way employees, continued to fight against wage reductions today. Several men and women, appeared to plea that the laborers were unable to support families on the present wages. Maintenance way employees are fighting the decrease by a demand for a 10 percent increase.

WON RACE WITH STORK GRASS VALLEY, Cal., April 12.—(U. P.)—Edgar E. Parker, Nevada mining man and internationally known engineer, has won a 2000 mile race with the stork. He reached here from Fern 24 hours ahead of the bird which brought his first daughter.

LEGION MEN TO MEET FRIDAY EVENING TO FORM BIG COUNCIL

The definite organization of a county council representing the various posts of the American Legion in the county will be undertaken Friday evening when a meeting will be held in the office of the Pendleton Commercial Association.

PRINCE OF WALES IS GIVEN BIG WELCOME BY JAPANESE TODAY

Special Train Constructed for the Event; Crowds Lined Route of Train to Tokio.

TOKIO, April 12.—(U. P.)—Shore guns and boat whistles roared a deafening welcome today as the warship Renown nosed into Tokio harbor bringing the Prince of Wales on an official visit to Japan.

JUMPS SAVED HIM LONDON, April 12.—(U. P.)—Corporal Charles McCausland, of the Royal Air Force, has escaped for the fourth time from airplane crashes by jumping as the crippled plane neared the ground. In each case the pilot has been killed.

LIEUALLEN FILES FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE

J. T. Lieuallen, well known Adams wheat grower, has filed for the democratic nomination for joint representative from Umatilla and Morrow counties. His petition was forwarded to Salem last evening.

Mr. Lieuallen's platform is as follows: "Have been a resident of Umatilla County for 58 years. If nominated and elected, I promise the people of the County and State that I will apply the same business principles to the public that I apply in my own private affairs. I favor strict economy in County and State affairs. I favor the free school system with efficiency and economy. I favor a just and equitable taxation of all wealth in County and State. I believe that each dollar should bear its share of burden of taxation. I favor good market roads and highways but am opposed to bonding state for building same. I favor the principle of paying as we go."

ADS IN POST OFFICE LONDON, April 12.—(U. P.)—The postmaster general announced in a speech that the postoffice, in an effort to make money, has requested bids for advertisements in postoffices throughout the country and also on the backs of postage stamps, under the title.

TRUCKS ALLOWED TO MAKE WALLA WALLA RUN

OLYMPIA, April 12.—(A. P.)—The department of public works overruled protests of the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation and the Walla Walla Railway and granted a certificate to George Simpson and V. E. Barry to operate freight trucks between Walla Walla and Pendleton.

CENTRAL FIGURE IN OKLAHOMA SHOOTING



Mrs. Jean P. Day whose husband, a former Oklahoma supreme court justice, killed Lieut. Col. Paul W. Beck, commander of Post Field.

NELSON'S FLAGSHIP TO BE TROD BY CURIOUS

LONDON, April 12.—(I. N. S.)—H. M. S. Victory, Nelson's flagship at Trafalgar, has made its last voyage.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. HOUSER IS TOMORROW

The funeral of the late Mrs. E. Houser will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. from the Polson chapel, with Rev. Powell, of the Methodist Church, officiating.

TITLE CONFERRED

LONDON, April 12.—(U. P.)—King George conferred an earldom upon Sir Arthur James Balfour, it was officially announced.

ALLIED DEBT REFUNDING COMMISSION IS COMING

WASHINGTON, April 12.—(U. P.)—Great Britain has informed the state department that a commission will arrive within a month to begin negotiations regarding the refunding of \$11,000,000,000 allied debts to the United States.

WHEAT PRICES REMAIN STEADY DURING DAY

Wheat prices today are practically the same as those of yesterday. May grain closing at \$1.21 3/4 and July at \$1.20 1/4. Yesterday's closing prices were May \$1.21 3/4 and July \$1.20 1/4.

SEATTLE DOCTOR HELD FOR ILLEGAL OPERATION

SEATTLE, April 12.—(U. P.)—Dr. L. C. Neville is at liberty on bail today following the coroner's jury verdict holding him responsible for the death of Miss Jane Firebach as a result of an alleged illegal operation performed by Neville. The girl was seventeen years old. Her mother is pushing the charges.

PEACE CONFERENCE IN IRELAND WILL OPEN IN DUBLIN

Truce Has Been Declared Between Ulster Constables and Free State Troops.

DEVALERA SUPPORTERS NOT BOUND BY PACT

Irish Factions Rested on Their Arms as Collins Prepares to Sign Pact.

BELFAST, April 12.—(A. P.)—A peace conference between the leaders of opposition parties of Southern Ireland will open in Dublin tomorrow.

DUBLIN, April 12.—(U. P.)—Warring Irish factions rested on their arms today as Collins prepared to sign the De Valera pact, this time with the De Valerites. De Valera and Collins meet Friday in a peace conference with the Lord Mayor of Dublin.

ASSOCIATION WILL FINANCE BUILDING OF NEW DWELLINGS

Plans Under Way Whereby 3 Houses Will be Erected Here Soon as Trial Offering.

The ambition to see more houses built in Pendleton as dwelling places for Pendletonians who are at present compelled to live in rented houses on account of the house shortage is soon to be realized by the Pendleton Commercial Association as a result of plans which have recently been drawn up by the housing committee.

Under the arrangements entered into, the association will assist men whose applications are accepted in financing the building of homes. Several necessary requirements have been laid down as necessary before the financing will be done by the association.

An applicant must have some capital himself before he can expect assistance. He should have his lot and some funds, but no definite restrictions in this respect have been laid down yet because the character of the applicant borrower will have a vital bearing on the terms that may be made.

14,000 ACRES OF LAND FLOODED IN SOUTH

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 12.—(U. P.)—Approximately 14,000 acres of land is under six to eight feet of water today as a result of the levee break a short distance from Snow Lake, Ark. Five hundred families are living in boxcars.

THREE KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK IN NEW ENGLAND

NEWBURY, N. H., April 12.—(U. P.)—The engineer, fireman and brakeman were killed, according to reports here, when the Maine Express plunged into Lake Squapee.

The train went into a washout, according to dispatches, turned over and rolled into the lake. The dead are C. W. Lawood, engineer; Ralph Ching, fireman, and E. J. Kelly, head brakeman.

One hundred and sixty moving picture companies operate at Los Angeles. The largest oatmeal mill on earth is at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

As Many Marks As He Wants For \$20 Gold Piece

CHICAGO, April 12.—(U. P.)—James Hamilton Lewis, touring the continent, wrote this to a friend: "In Berlin I gave a walter a twenty dollar gold piece. He asked the proprietor how many marks I should have in change. 'Give him as many as he wants,' was the reply."

JAPS MAY CONTROL VOTE OF HAWAII IN 17 YEARS

HONOLULU, T. H., April 12.—(I. N. S.)—American citizens of Japanese ancestry will within seventeen years be in position to outvote all other nationalities in Hawaii, according to Shunzo Sakamaki, a Japanese resident of Hilo.

There now are almost 29,000 Japanese children in Hawaii who by virtue of their birth on American soil are full-fledged American citizens and eligible to vote when of age. Sakamaki declared. This number he estimated to be increasing at the rate of about 5,000 yearly, which would put voters of Japanese percentage in the majority within the specified seventeen years.

BILL INTRODUCED TO HAVE COURTS DIRECT OPERATION OF MINES

WASHINGTON, April 12.—(U. P.)—Representative Huddleston, Democrat of Alabama, introduced a bill today providing for the keeping of coal mines open by the district court appointing receivers to operate the mines upon application by the department of justice.

FARMERS GAIN BILLION AS PRICES ADVANCE

CHICAGO, April 12.—Stockmen and farmers are worth \$1,046,000,000 more than they were ninety days ago as a result of the upturn in market values. This was the cheering statistic of President E. C. Brown, of the National Live Stock Exchange. He has just returned from a trip into Iowa and Nebraska, where he said a new feeling of confidence prevails.

An advance of \$4.50 per hundred pounds in the hog market since the last week in December, an uptick of \$1 on cattle during the same period and the addition of \$2.25 in ninety days to the value of sheep have increased the value of live stock in farmers' hands by \$601,000,000. Another \$485,000,000 was added to their wealth through an advance of forty cents on wheat, twenty-five cents on corn, and twenty cents on oats, it was stated.

BIG FATHER AND SON BANQUET TO BE GIVEN

A Father and Son banquet under the joint auspices of the Rotary Club and the Progressive Business Club will be held on Tuesday evening May 2. This was arranged for today when the Rotary Club accepted an invitation from the Progressive Club to join in such a move.

The Rotarians today also voted to purchase a baseball outfit for the Boy Scouts and referred to the boys committee the proposition of donating \$100 for playground equipment.

At the Rotary luncheon today talks regarding the Vansover convention were made by President S. R. Thompson, Fred Benson, Jan Tallman, William Bond, E. J. Murphy and others.

Dr. L. van H. Gardline of Macon, Missouri, instructor in osteopathy was another speaker today, the doctor being a guest of Dr. Holt of this city. Dr. Gardline talked chiefly of psychoanalysis. Dr. J. L. Inale of La Grande, president of the State osteopathic association was also a guest.

BACK BROKEN, HAS CHILD

LONDON, April 12.—(U. P.)—A woman has died in the Lambeth district after living for three years with a broken spine. She was paralyzed from the waist down. Seven months after the accident in which her spine was broken the woman gave birth, painlessly, to a child, which is still living in excellent health.

POSTAL AGREEMENT MADE WITH BRITISH

WASHINGTON, April 12.—(A. P.)—The postoffice department has entered a agreement with the British postal authorities for delivery of regular mail matter and parcel post packages to various points in Russia.

PACT TO PROVIDE THAT NO NATION ATTACK ANOTHER

American Financier Observing Meet Said That Reparations Should be Discussed.

LLOYD GEORGE HOLDS FIRM LEADERSHIP

Readmission of Russia to the European Family Expected To be Part of Program.

GENOA, April 12.—(A. P.)—Lloyd George contemplates suggesting an agreement for limitation of land armaments in Europe for a definite period, according to an unverified report, before the adjournment of the present economic conference. An "army holiday" it is thought will be patterned after the naval holiday completed at the Washington conference.

Peace Pact Expected. GENOA, April 12.—(A. P.)—Lloyd George is expected to propose at the earliest opportunity, probably at tomorrow's sitting of commission number one of the economic conference, a pact of understanding that no nation shall attack another, thus abolishing possibility of war for the duration of the pact. Reuters correspondent today says he has seen the pact.

American Observing Meet. GENOA, April 12.—(U. P.)—Frank Vanderlip, American financier, has observed the economic conference, declared today that the conference cannot succeed completely unless they discuss German reparations, which he believes are at the bottom of many of Europe's ills.

Premier Holds Leadership. GENOA, April 12.—(U. P.)—"Tower of Babel" disputes, savoring of the old world diplomacy, have been straightened out under Lloyd George's firm leadership. The following results are already apparent of decision: Readmission of Russia to the family of nations; agreement among the European powers providing for non-aggression, economic, financial and transportation agreements among the leading power representatives.

DEMOCRAT IN PORTLAND PORTLAND, April 12.—(A. P.)—Correll Hull, democratic national chairman, guest of Oregon democrats, was here today. The program included a luncheon and conference. He leaves tonight for Spokane. Hull spoke optimistically of democratic prospects.

REPUBLICAN TICKET AT CHICAGO IS SPLIT

CHICAGO, April 12.—(U. P.)—Mayor William Hale Thompson's political ticket seemed swamped, according to early returns in Cook county primaries today. The regular democratic slate endorsed by William T. Brennan was nominated, while the republican anti-Thompson faction landed several important posts.

Wisconsin produces two-thirds of the cheese made in the United States.

THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer. Maximum 52. Minimum 28. Barometer 29.65. Fair weather predicted.

TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight and Thursday occasional rain or snow.