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MERELY A RIGHT STEP
 Speaking at Columbia University night before last, Secretary Hughes asserted that the tranquility of the world depends upon the existence of a world court, just as tranquility of the United States and its various states has depended and still depends upon the courts. That is probably true, but it must not be forgotten that before a world court can exercise the tranquillizing influence that is exercised by state and national courts it must go through somewhat the same slow process of evolution that has been undergone by the latter.

There is an essential difference between the two that cannot be ignored. State and national courts, for example, are supported by unified and organized public sentiment and have back of them all the police power of the state. They are more than mere arbiters. When a case has been tried before them and a decision rendered, the litigants must of necessity abide by that decision. If they do not, they will be adjudged to be guilty of contempt of court and will be seized and imprisoned. If they resist, their resistance will amount to rebellion and the entire armed force of the nation may be employed against them, if necessary. Back of them is a public opinion that is uncompromising in its demand that the courts be upheld and the laws enforced.

As we approach the institution of a world court, we find an altogether different situation. There is in existence no international police power, nor are the peoples of the world in the mood to set up an international police power by establishing an international army. The decisions of a world court would be therefore not binding, because they would be unsupported by force.

This is not designed as an argument against the proposed world court—far from it. Before there can be any hope of minimizing the possibility of war, there must be an extension to international disputes without recourse to fighting. There is no reason why in time the nations may not settle their differences as peacefully as private misunderstandings are now settled, but before that can come about world opinion must be marshalled as effectively and as unanimously behind a world court as national opinion is now marshalled behind national and state courts.

The proposed world court is merely a step in the right direction. It will not abolish war immediately, or for generations to come. But the idea back of it is fundamentally right, just as the idea back of the first primitive tribunals was right. For that reason we should not refuse to take the first steps that lead toward arbitration of international disputes.

SEE AMERICA ALL THE TIME
 "See America All the Time" is the new slogan with which hotel and transportation interests hope to replace the well-worn motto, "See America First." It is part of a comprehensive plan to stimulate interest in travel in this country.

"It isn't the man who plans to travel anyway, who takes a trip around America and tops off with a European tour, that the experts are after. It is the man who has not formed the travel habit. As a matter of fact, out of America's billion-dollar annual traveling bill, last year only about \$20,000,000 is said to have been expended in Europe. But in spite of the favorable balance which this shows for our side of the water, the surface has only been scratched. It is said that out of 105,000,000 population in the United States, only about 4,000,000 have acquired the tourist bug to any marked degree. It is the great army of stay-at-homes

which the traffic and hotel men hope to stir up.

Considering the steady stream of automobiles pouring along the highways of this country, it seems as if the travel boomers must have underestimated the number of Americans who are seeing America at any and all times. But in any case there still are many who either do not travel at all or who limit their journeys to a small, familiar round. With all of glorious America waiting to be seen, this backward majority needs stirring up.

Governor Al Smith of New York has formally launched his campaign as the white hope of the wets for the Democratic nomination next year. He will find it easier, however, to win the devotion of thirty New Yorkers than to get the necessary two-thirds vote of the convention. Contrary to its own belief, New York is not the tail that wags the dog.

A motorcyclist who averaged 47 miles an hour from Albany to Oakland was arrested, as he should have been. Breaking his own neck would have perhaps been only simple justice, but usually it is the other fellow's neck that is broken.

Cutting the price of street car rides in half in Seattle failed to increase the volume of receipts. So many automobiles are owned these days that there are not enough street car riders left to go around.

The mayor of Shelby, Montana, says there will be plenty of water for the fight fans to drink. And after the fight is over there will be plenty of crow for some of them to eat.

That there are exceptions to every rule is proved by the plaintiff of Mrs. Richard Croker No. 2 that she got less money than wife No. 1. Usually it works the other way.

About the last thing needed to prove Fatty Arbuckle's moral degeneracy is the fact that he has scored a big hit at a Chicago cabaret.

Conditions in Austria are said to be ripe for an American loan. Conditions in Germany, it appears, are too "ripe."

Earlier Days in Eugene
 (From the Morning Register, June 6, 1904.)
 The final discussion of the campaign between the Republican and Democratic candidates for county office closed here yesterday when the candidates spoke at the courthouse.

C. L. Eaton, of Jasper, who has been helping with the Booth-Kelly log drive, sustained a badly smashed finger while at work yesterday.

Trainer W. L. Hayward, of the variety track team will leave this afternoon for his California home. Although the Oregon team has not been successful this year in winning meets it has been no fault of Hayward's. His work has been perfectly satisfactory to the boys in every respect and they think he is the best trainer in the Northwest.

Clint Branstetter, of Junction City, was in Eugene yesterday.

Postmaster J. L. Clark and C. B. Washburne, of Springfield, were in Eugene yesterday.

The early fall of Port Arthur is predicted by war correspondents. It is believed to be only a question of days when the Russian stronghold will succumb.

Yesterday the Socialists held a rally in Eugene. A. Y. Mathews, being the chief speaker in the morning and B. F. Ramp, Socialist candidate for congress spoke in the afternoon.

MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN



"The Boy with a Country"
 A large, clear map of his country hangs in a conspicuous spot in a boy's bedroom. This picture of it, and the relation of the states have become so clearly impressed that geography is more easily unified for him. He can readily tell where places are located.

WHEAT CROP IN U. S. IS REPORTED AS BACKWARD
DROUGHT, RAINS, FLOODS AND BUGS HOLD UP CROP
 Pacific Coast Spared—Condition of Rice and Livestock Good—Labor Shortage Feared

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Some deterioration in winter wheat in all areas except parts of the Southwest and on the Pacific coast is reported by the United States department of agriculture in its semi-monthly crop review issued today. The crop generally is reported as backward.

"Drought in some sections and heavy rains and floods in others have caused injury," the department says. "Cinch bug and Hessian fly are at work in many localities. Harvesting has begun in the Southwest."

"Condition of the rice crop generally is good. The crop is heading quite generally and is ready for harvest in the Southwest. Spring wheat mostly is up to good stands but backward in growth."

"Oats are in fair condition only, needing sunshine and warmer weather. Barley is in excellent condition as a rule, though somewhat damaged by drought in California. Corn planting has been delayed by rains while early planted corn is weedy, and drought and floods have caused injury to the crop in the South and Southwest. Beans are generally good but the crop as a whole is backward."

"Peaches are showing improvement while apples have good promise, though dropping heavily from the orchards. The outlook for fruits generally are good."

"Livestock generally is in good condition, sugar beets promise a large acreage."

"The general shortage of farm labor continues."

POSSE NABS BANDIT AND RECOVERS LOOT
 (Continued from page one)
 and plugged a hole in it. When they saw that they quit.

"I got into the brush just outside the town and hid myself."

"I lay there all day while I could hear the searchers raising a hullabaloo, trying to find my trail. When night came on I set out over the trail."

"I had stopped at the hotel all night and had bought a lot of provisions which I had planted, for I was going prospecting. I got these and set out for Rogue river. Well, they got me. They had the drop on me, that's all."

Says He's Lumberjack
 Larson refused to tell the sheriff his history or where his home was. He just said he was a lumberjack and had worked in the Oregon woods wherever he got a job.

the junction of the creek with the river. The posse men moved up, keeping the posse between them and their captive. When they got close enough, Deputies Braban and Hopkins stepped out, both with the drop on Larson. Larson attempted to draw when challenged, but when he saw both pistols leveled at him threw up his hands and surrendered.

He made no objections when commanded to point out his silver cache today.

MILLION INCOMES FEW
RANKS OF BIG TAXPAYERS RAPIDLY THINNING
 WASHINGTON, June 5.—The ranks of America's millionaire taxpayers continue to grow thinner, according to statistics of income for 1931, made public tonight by the internal revenue bureau, which shows that of the \$483,174 returns and individual filing returns for 1931, only 31 had incomes exceeding \$1,000,000. This represents a decrease of 12 from the number receiving million dollar incomes in 1930 and compared with 109 in 1919, 67 in 1918, 141 in 1917 and with 204 in 1916, the highest since the income tax law became operative.

There was a falling off also in the total number of returns filed for 1931, from the 7,259,944 filed for 1930 but the 1931 total was greater by nearly 1,310,000 than that for 1919. Indications already have been given that final computation of returns for 1932 will show another drop in the total, as compared with the high mark of 1930.

WANT SUGAR TAX LIFTED
WOMEN ASK PRESIDENT TO CALL MEETING
 NEW YORK, June 5.—President Harding was urged to call a public hearing at which American housewives would be given an opportunity to protest against the failure of the federal tariff commission to recommend the removal of the present 50-cent sugar tax at a meeting of executive of women's organizations today.

The organizations, it was said, represent hundreds of thousands of women, many of whom were active in the recent sugar boycott.

A delegation will go to Washington to present the protest to the president in person. It was asserted.

Favorable action was taken on a suggestion from the Women's Fair Price League of Milwaukee, Wis., that a national organization of housewives be formed. The time and place of the conference have not been decided.

MACVEAN PUT ON GRILL
ARMY CLERK 4 DAYS ON STAND IN U. S. FRAUD CASE
 LOS ANGELES, June 5.—More voluminous documents were introduced in evidence in the federal district court here today at the trial of two army officers and six civilians charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with auction sales of army stores at Camp Kearney when the defense attempted to show by the cross-examination of D. M. MacVean clerk in the army quartermaster's department at Fort MacArthur, that the sales were in respect regular.

MacVean, who has been on the witness stand for four days, was questioned at length as to the manner of holding the sales at Camp Kearney and asked to explain in detail the various exhibits. He was still undergoing cross-examination when court adjourned until tomorrow.

MATZENAUER CARE-FREE
WORRY OF MARITAL PROBLEMS OVER SAYS OPERA STAR
 NEW YORK, June 5.—Madame Margaret Matzenauer, Metropolitan opera company, declared that she was care-free and proposed to stay that way when she sailed today on the steamer Bernburg for a visit to her father in Vienna. Her marital experiences with her divorced husband, who had been her chauffeur, had been enough for while, she said.

"Please let's not discuss it further," she declared. "What's the use of warming over a lot of cold food?"

The Office Cat



Civilization is spreading. In Japan a baseball umpire recently got licked. Headline: "Bride and Groom Married on Same Day." Now that's our idea of a coincidence.

The best time to hold one is when you reach the point when the average fellow would quit.

Whoever said, "Hit the wagon to a star," should have finished his statement, "but be sure it is not a shooting star."

At any rate, it is much easier to travel the narrow way when there are no wet spots for your good resolutions to slide on.

Young man says he met a chorus girl who was so wild that she chewed up his bank roll.

Ignorance is bliss when it comes to smoking the pipe of peace by the roadside and letting a fellow who knows how to put on the new tire.

THE GOOD TIME COMING
 An official of the weather bureau says it will soon be possible to foretell the weather for a month, and we have no doubt that the time will come when we can know for a certainty in January whether it will be warm in July or not.

Women never thought of smoking 20 or 30 years ago, which is why they didn't do it.

Many a person sits on friendship's limb and sees the limb off with petty treachery.

THE PARTING
 They met on the crossing at twilight. Never will they meet again. One was a speeding motorist. The other a railway train.

Did you see Trojan's column when you were in Rome?
 No, but I read the Office Cat column every day.

Some women have such a keen sense of humor that they take their husbands as a joke.

You may shake, you may outrun speed cops if you will, but the corner always sticks with us still.

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AT THE THEATRES TODAY
 Rex—First times today, Dorothy Dalton in "Fog Bound," a melodramatic romance of the everglades, with David Powell, Maurice Costello, Martha Mansfield and Jack Richardson; Ruth Roland in "The Timber Queen," a story of colorful settings on the Oregon coast; Last day, Richard Barthelmess and Dorothy Gish in "The Bright Shawl," Joseph Hergenhimer's flaming romance of Spanish life. Special comedy: News Topics of Timely Interest; excellent musical program.

U. S. HELP QUITS RUSSIA
CROP TO CREATE SURPLUS OF FOOD FOR NEXT YEAR
 (By the Associated Press.)
 MOSCOW, June 5.—Colonel William N. Haskell has notified Acting Premier Kameneff that the American relief administration will leave Russia at the time of the coming harvest, marking the end of two years active service.

"Official forecasts by your government of the forthcoming harvest indicate there will be a substantial surplus of food over all the internal needs of Russia," he has written Mr. Kameneff.

Colonel Haskell told the American correspondents that he hoped to have the last relief administration man-out of Russia by August 1, distributing in the meantime sufficient supplies to carry the sufferers throughout July.

The American Quakers and Mennonites are making separate arrangements with the Russian government to carry on their work through the winter and perhaps the Catholic relief organizations and the Y. M. C. A. as well will do likewise.

How Drought Affects Wind
 A curious instance of the effect of the shape of the ground upon the wind blowing over it was noted by a Frenchman experimenting with kites in France. When a north wind from the north the latter kept its balance easily, but when the wind came from the south or southeast the kite pitched and bobbed in a very irregular manner. The explanation was furnished by the character of the surface over which the wind had passed. Coming from the north, it had a plain country to blow over, but coming from the south it sailed over the uneven, broken hills, which set it into irregular puffs and undulations.—Washington Star.

Origin of Navajo Blankets
 The origin of the famous Navajo blanket is picturesque. At the time of the Spanish conquest the Navajo tribe of Indians was too insignificant to be mentioned. It grew, however, rather rapidly, and in 1820, when the Pueblos took many of the latter prisoners. From these (the Pueblos had long been weavers of native cotton) they picked up the textile art, and then stealing sheep from the Spaniards,

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"I wish I'd had your opportunity"
 "If I could only have had your opportunity to learn to play the piano when I was young"—such is the statement of regret so often expressed practically every home, still the same parents keep "putting off" after the musical education of their children as like their own case, it's too late.

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Get the Habit
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