

# GEN. BUTLER SAYS NAT'L LAWS ARE TO BE OBSERVED

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—(United News)—Brigadier General Smedley D. Butler, agitator of the latest United States naval scandal, left here Thursday night to return to his duties as commander of the marine post at San Diego.

Before departing, the dry marine chief told the United News that while he "was not proselyting prohibition, it has become obvious that military and naval men should be more respectful of the constitution and its amendments."

"The prohibition question does not enter into the present investigation at San Diego," he said, "but military and naval officers should be more strict observers of national laws than ordinary citizens, and that is what I am concerned about."

### Courtmartials Host.

General Butler has recommended to naval authorities in Washington that his predecessor and host at a welcoming party, Colonel Alexander Williams, be court-martialed on charges of drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman.

The accusations are based on Colonel Williams' conduct at a Coronado hotel party, following a banquet he gave in honor of General Butler, which is said to have included the "traditional cocktails."

Several naval officers in Southern California sympathetic to Colonel Williams, an overseas veteran, declared Thursday night they had made affidavits refuting Butler's allegations. They asserted also that the general had failed to include an affidavit, testifying to Colonel Williams' condition, which is necessary under service regulations to compel a court-martial for intoxication.

General Butler said that a court-martial would be held within two or three weeks if his superiors in Washington upheld his charges against Colonel Williams.

"The question of a court-martial rests entirely with officials in Washington," he said. "I have made my report and that is all I will have to do with the affair at this time."

CHICAGO, March 12.—(United News)—"The laws of hospitality were established before the Volstead law was ever dreamed of," said Mrs. Lawrence Whiting, one of Chicago's best known hostesses, in commenting on Brigadier General Smedley D. Butler's action in having his host arrested for serving cocktails.

"In filing charges against Colonel Williams for conduct unbecoming a gentleman, General Butler was guilty of the same fault himself. His, too, was conduct unbecoming a superior."

"General Butler must have been suffering from a grouch or else he had too many cocktails himself. His act would be considered unpardonable in any good society."

"It is a fortunate thing that General Butler was not a guest at a dinner in Washington. At almost any table there you'll find a cocktail."

### DISCORD BLOCKS TEUTON ENTRANCE

(Continued from Page One) member of the League of Nations and the council, her delegates were prepared to join a commission entrusted with considering—presumably favorably—the granting of a temporary seat to Poland, September 3.

Chamberlain told Luther he was hopeful that Spain would abandon her threat to quit the league and that Brazil would not veto Germany's admission to the council, provided Germany would accept the proposal of Friday morning. Luther and Stresemann refused to be moved by these assurances.

### WASH. NEW PROHI THEATRE OF WAR

(Continued from Page One) This makes both the full committee and its sub-committee too dry to make any beer hearings probable.

Drys are much exercised over the wet majorities shown in newspaper polls and are seeking offensive measures. The executive committee of the Anti-saloon league will call on President Coolidge Saturday. This probably will furnish the occasion for a statement from the Anti-Saloon league regarding the present situation.

### Marshall to Hear Fate in Few Days

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—(United News)—David L. Marshall, chiropractor on trial for his life here, was thoroughly calm when he was confronted with the dismembered body of his sweetheart, Anna May Dietrich, in a Delaware county morgue on the early morning of January 25, District Attorney William Taylor told the jury in the case Friday.

But Marshall was anything but cool and collected while the official recounted on the stand how he had confessed to dismembering the body of the milliner. His hands shook violently and several times he fell from his chair as if to contradict the witness, but was restrained by Abraham Wernick, his counsel.

District Attorney Fox, who is handling the prosecution, indicated Friday that the case would be in the jury's hands within three days.

### HERE'S HOW, JUDGE.

TUSCUMBIA, Ala., March 12.—A toast to the judge cost Mrs. Dawson Vinson \$14 and 24 hours in jail. The fine and cash were added to \$166 imposts on the woman and her husband after Mrs. Vinson seized a jug of evidence and drank the judge's health.

Easter is April 4th. Order your suit now for Easter and get the latest fashions from N. B. Drow, "Men's Togs." M11-12

### Charmer Planning To Pay \$200,000

NEW YORK, March 12.—Mrs. Eugene V. Brewster, the millionaire publisher's wife, is to be paid the \$200,000 which she was awarded in her alienation suit against Collins Palmer, by proceeds of the same charms which caused the suit.

Miss Carlson, a former Mason, 22, cigar stand girl, stole Brewster's love by her beauty and "the same ways, according to the verdict. By the same attributes she hopes to attain fame in the movies and it is a share of her motion picture salary which will satisfy the judgment against her, if the plans of Charles H. Tuttle, Mrs. Brewster's lawyer, are successful.

### FREAK TAX LAW MAKE AUTO GOAT

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of wisdom in the regulation of motorists. And a decrease in the number of laws down to the fundamentals is sought.

The caravan left here for Eugene, next week it will go to Astoria, and thence on into Eastern Oregon. Simmons is traveling with the caravan throughout. Dealers in the territory covered are picked up and those farther away from home allowed to return. In that way a perpetual chain of dealers is carried along with Simmons and Montgomery.

For results, see News Class Ads.

### Count Salm Sings Final Swan Song

NEW YORK, March 12.—(United News)—Unlimbering a few crackling remarks at his own funeral-in-law, Count Ludwig Salm made what he termed his farewell speech to America, and announced he was sailing for Vienna, perhaps never to return.

"I didn't come to this country to make money through marriage," the count said. "And I didn't get any money from the Rogers family. All I got was abuse."

"I regret that it was necessary to fight so hard for my natural right to see my son and have him baptized in the faith of my family, but I am pleased with the protection that I received from the American courts."

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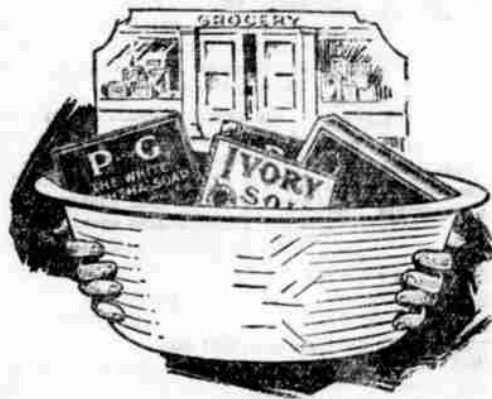
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