

BILL TO RAISE RATE OF SCHOOL TAX MOVE TOWARDS SETTLEMENT

Representative Matthews, Schools' Champion, Presents Measure

MAXIMUM RATE WOULD BE SET AT 39 CENTS

Multitude of Disputes To Be Settled If Bill Is Adopted

By BROCK BARKLEY

RALEIGH, Dec. 10.—The house made a move today settling the school tax controversy...

After the counties have levied the maximum rate as provided, the nominal share in the equalization fund of the state department of education...

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No Opposition Seen

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Watson Has List of Hundred Ex-Service Men to Testify to Illegal Hangings in Army as Total Jumps to 600, According to One Veteran's Word

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The names of more than one hundred former service men were presented today to the senate committee by Senator Watson...

There was no intimation as to how many on the list would be summoned, the committee explaining that it would sift through the names next week...

POSSE FINDS BODY OF COMMITTEE APPROVES NOTORIOUS BAD MAN FOREIGN DEBT PLAN

Tom Slaughter, Arkansas Outlaw Killed by Escaped Prisoner in Woods

LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 10. (By Associated Press).—Finding of the body of Tom Slaughter, notorious bandit and outlaw...

Howard said the seven men, two whites and five negroes, kept together and escaped poses which trailed them several times...

Howard said he watched his chance and got the promise of Jim Wells and Clifton Taylor...

Thousands crowded into the little town of Benton to view Slaughter's body. The crowd was so dense and so insistent...

STATE TROOPS AGAIN ACTIVE IN KENTUCKY

Soldiers Busy After Attack on Lost Creek Jail

JACKSON, Ky., Dec. 10.—State troops again are on the march in Kentucky. A detachment of national guardsmen from Whitesburg and Hazard arrived here late tonight...

NO NEW DEVELOPMENT IN IRISH PEACE IS EXPECTED FOR TIME

Supporters of Anglo-Irish Treaty Confident Pact Will Be Ratified

ULSTER IS PLEASED BY SINN FEIN BREAK

LONDON, Dec. 10. (By Associated Press).—No striking developments in Irish affairs are expected before the middle of next week...

The most significant news of the day was the convening of a meeting of the Catholic hierarchy in Dublin on Tuesday...

There was much unofficial discussion of the situation among the members of the Dail Eireann in Dublin today...

Interest on the new obligations would be paid semi-annually and the minimum rate which would be percentage under the bill five per cent...

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Attacks on Great Britain and the peace she has offered Ireland, voiced by speakers at the convention of Friends of Irish Freedom today were cheered to the echo...

John P. Grace, of Charleston, S. C., was elected a vice-president.

RICH LIQUOR SUPPLY IS FOUND ON YACHT

PENSACOLA, Fla., Dec. 10.—Between \$50,000 and \$80,000 of contraband liquor was found today when the yacht Glendower, burned and sunk in the bay near St. Andrews last Saturday morning...

WINS TRACT MEET

DURHAM, Dec. 10.—The University of North Carolina won the cross country race with Trinity and Duke colleges, held at Chapel Hill this afternoon...

FOUR-POWER TREATY TO KEEP PEACE IN PACIFIC ANNOUNCED TO WORLD AT PLENARY SESSION

DETERMINED OPPOSITION TO PACIFIC TREATY ALREADY GROWING IN SENATE

Senator Reed Denounces Four-power Agreement as "Damnable and Treasonable"—Borah, Irreconcilable, Shuts Himself in Office and Refuses To Make Statement

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—(By Associated Press).—Indications of opposition in the United States senate to ratification of the four-power Pacific treaty developed today within a few hours after the new pact was announced to the world at a plenary session...

Not to Consent

Republicans Generally Pleas

Democratic senators in a number of instances said they did not attach the importance to the document as a peace measure that was claimed in Republican circles...

Senator Harrison, of Mississippi, one of the Democratic spokesmen in the senate, in his comment said in this connection:

One of the principal effects of the treaty, both Republicans and Democrats agreed, would be its termination of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

DECLARES ARBITRATOR CANNOT SETTLE STRIKE

Armour Official Says No Differences Exist Now

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—(By Associated Press).—The strike of packing house employees throughout the country cannot be settled by arbitration, Arthur Meeker, vice-president of Armour and company, declared tonight in a statement outlining the present situation in the country's stockyards.

NEW AGREEMENT TAKES PLACE OF WORRISOME ANGLLO-JAP ALLIANCE

Great Britain, United States, Japan and France Included in New Pact

AGREEMENT PLANNED TO LAST TEN YEARS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—(By Associated Press).—A new quadruple agreement to preserve peace in the waters of the Pacific was announced to the world today by the United States, Japan, Great Britain and France.

Provisions Have to Do With Regions of Pacific Ocean Only

Announcement of the treaty terms was made at a plenary session of the arms conference by senator Lodge, of the American delegation...

The treaty agreement is expected in itself to hasten a decision not only on the naval ratio, but on all the other issues before the arms conference.

Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, praised the treaty as "a great achievement which will be very effective in making for peace in the Pacific."

PROGRESS IS NOTED IN CHINO-JAP PARLEY

Considering Control of Railway in Shantung

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—(By Associated Press).—Considerable progress was made by the Chinese and Japanese delegates when they took up today consideration of control of the Kiaochow-Tsinan-Fu railway in Shantung, according to an official statement.

Senator Lodge's address of presentation (Continued on Page Two).

Tomorrow!

"Camille Westbrook, Butterfly," is the title of the opening chapter of "The Better Man," the newest serial by May Christie...