

PLANS OF AMERICA TO GROW IN FUTURE AS THE CLIMAX NEARS

INCREASE IN PRESSURE AGAINST JAP SCHEMES TO ALTER NAVAL RATIO

Other Policies Popular
America's Four Points Regarding China Win Support—Not Hurrying Association.
CHINA WINS CONCESSIONS
Resolutions Adopted Look To Abandonment of Foreign Courts in China—Delegates Then Press For Other Points.

Washington, Nov. 29.—As the arms conference approaches the season of its momentous decisions there are indications of constantly growing support for the principles suggested at the outset by the American government.

Behind the "5-5-3" ratio of naval strength the American delegates are mustering increasing pressure with every confidence of success despite the effort of Japan to secure a modification in her favor.

Similarly, in the far eastern negotiations, the American "four points" are becoming more and more a reality. The American determination to stand solidly behind the "5-5-3" naval ratio was reiterated with even greater emphasis today as a reflex from the statement of Vice-Admiral Kato that Japan must have a larger proportionate strength, if her national needs are to be adequately served.

On the side of actual progress the day's developments were confined to the far eastern negotiations, the representatives of the nine participating nations agreeing to a modification of the status of their extraterritorial rights in China. The acceptance of this principle through application of the American "four points" was regarded generally as a long step toward the liberation of China from foreign domination, although the exact date of withdrawal is to be determined by each of the nations for itself after an international commission has investigated the facilities of the Chinese judicial system.

HARDING WANTS AGREEMENT FOR CONFERENCES IN FUTURE
Washington, Nov. 29.—Adoption of a definite agreement for future meetings to discuss world problems is hoped for by President Harding before the arms conference ends.

It was revealed today that, although the President does not propose to introduce formally to the conference the negotiations here until the naval and far eastern discussions have reached a decision, he does expect that before the delegates separate they will agree upon a plan by which similar discussions will take place in the future.

CHINA MAKING HEADWAY IN SECURING PART OF DEMANDS
Washington, Nov. 29.—China won further concessions today in the conference of the nine powers on questions affecting the Pacific and the far east.

Roof Collapses and 7 People Are Killed

New York, Nov. 29.—Collapse today of the steel girded roof and one brick wall of a theater under construction in Brooklyn killed at least seven workmen and injured more than a score.

The north wall of the building, falling away from the theater crashed down over one story building where two men and a woman were at lunch. All three were killed and two were injured.

FOREIGNERS ARE FULL OF DOUBTS AS TO THE VALUE OF CONFERENCE
They Expected America, In Some Way, to Aid Europe.

LITTLE INTERESTED NOW
French Gone, Italians Going and British Journalists Betray Britain's Disappointment.

FIGHTING, NOT PEACEFUL
Anglo-French Explosion Served As Warning To America to Stay Out

Europe feels two things quite manifestly: First, that a new effort to bring about a settlement in its situation has failed, not only as the Paris conference failed ultimately, but in the present case that the American refusal has been prompt and unconditional.

OVER HUNDRED DROWN IN GREAT TIDAL WAVE
Two Towns in the Philippine Islands Submerged, Houses Being Swept Out To Sea.

Manila, Nov. 29.—The entire town of Ibalay in the province of Cebu was inundated by a tidal wave Sunday and many houses with their occupants swept out to sea, according to dispatches to the postmaster of Ibalay.

AMERICAN DELEGATES STANDING PAT FOR THE PROPOSED 5-5-3 RATIO

Facts Disclosed As to Existing Naval Strength.
DECISION DRAWING NEAR
If Is No Secret That American Delegation Expects Japan to Accept Ratio.

JAPAN IS A BIT HOGGISH
Wants To Be Allowed To Construct Tonnage Adding 17 Per Cent To Her Navy After Other Powers Have Stopped Building

Washington, Nov. 29.—The purpose of the American delegation to the arms conference is to secure a "5-5-3" ratio of naval strength as a fundamental basis of any limitation agreement was authoritatively reiterated today. The statement was backed up by disclosure of the facts as to existing naval strength.

This showed Japan to have less than the 60 per cent status to which the "5-5-3" plan would entitle her, no matter what the percentage reduction was applied. It showed also that the American delegates had been over the whole field before offering the plan and that their figures were correct.

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ROCKY MOUNT HOST TO CLUB WOMEN'S COUNCIL

Speeches, Music and Brilliant Reception Part of First Day's Doings.
Brooks Is Chief Speaker.

Rocky Mount, Nov. 29.—In the opening address by Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper, president of the state federation of women's clubs of Henderson, in which she sounded community service as the keynote of the women's club activity over the state for the coming year, and an appeal by Dr. E. C. Brooks, state superintendent of public instruction, for a well rounded and thoroughly developed type of citizenship through the best possible educational system, marked the initial session of the autumn meeting of the state council of federated clubs which opened a two days' session in the First Baptist church here tonight.

The copper, during the course of her address to the council members which also served to introduce Dr. Brooks to the large gathering which attended the public session, pledged support of the federation to Mrs. Clarence Johnson, state welfare officer, in her work and urged the club women of the state to encourage the investigation and carrying out of municipal markets in every town in the state, thus helping the farmers and the agriculturist industry as well as the club members themselves.

The formal public session was called to order by Mrs. L. D. Bulluck, president of the Rocky Mount Women's Club. She opened the prayer by Rev. Willard Conger, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Following several vocal selections by Mrs. L. W. Korneagy, the visiting members of the council were showered with welcomes and greetings from the city and various local organizations.

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EUROPEANS LONG FOR ECONOMIC PARLEY AND THEY MAY GET DESIRE

They At Least Expect Financial Conference of Nations.
ON THEIR GOOD BEHAVIOR
If Armament Conference Goes Well America May Jump Into International Pond.

HARD TO MAKE PLUNGE
Isolationists Ready to Fight Any Attempt to Get Into Mir of Europe and Help Get Her Out—Biggest Problem Introduced.

The truth is that the greater European nations are on their good behavior. They are like the little boy who has been told or has been led to conclude that if he is good he will have cake. That is one great reason why the present conference is running so smoothly and prosperously.

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FRENCH STICK TO TALE OF NET STAR'S ILLNESS

Accept Resignation of De Jannin and Refer To Doctor's Certificate That Mlle. Lengien Was Ill.

Paris, Nov. 29.—(By Associated Press.)—The French Lawn Tennis Federation today accepted the resignation of Captain De Jannin as manager for Mademoiselle Suzanne Lengien, French women's tennis champion, on her day America last summer, was tendered last Sunday in protest against the federation's condemnation of the United States Lawn Tennis association for unjustified commentaries upon the sporting spirit of Mademoiselle Lengien.

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FARM LOAN BANK NOT LENDING PROPERLY TO NORTH CAROLINA MEN

Kick Raised Over Conduct of Columbia, S. C., Branch.
RABBI'S PEOPLE HELD UP
Stedman Doing His Best to Get Winston-Salem Rabbi's Relatives Admitted.

TAR HEEL BOY DISAPPEARS
L. M. Roberts, of Straits, Is Missing In Panama and His Mother Asks Congressman Hinson To Help Find Him.

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