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MUST MAKE GERMANY ATONE FOR OUTRAGES

ALLIES WILL STAND FOR A FINISH FIGHT, SAYS FORMER FRENCH PREMIER

NO SEPARATE PEACE

Alliance of Germany's Enemies Never More Compact Than Now, Are Steadily Gaining Strength in Both Arms and Men.

(By United Press) Petrograd, May 19.—The Allies will stand for a finish fight. They intend to break Germany's heaviest sword. They owe this to unborn generations.

This was the answer to Berlin peace talk that was made to the United Press today by Rene Viviani, former French premier, now minister of justice. He is in Petrograd on a secret mission.

"Our alliance is more compact now than at any time since the war began," he continued. "We are continuing to grow stronger in both arms and men. We are steadily forcing Germany's chastisement and we will force her to make full reparation for what she has done. There will be no separate peace after the war. The world will find the allies equally united."

BAPTISTS TRY TO RAISE DEBT

Stirring Scenes at Asheville Convention Today. Women Tear Rings from Fingers.

(By United Press) Asheville, May 19.—The most important work at the Southern Baptist convention here today was the attempt to raise \$252,000 joint debt now shouldered by the home and foreign missions boards.

\$84,000 was voted early this morning. Many women tore jewels from their fingers and breasts, offering to sell them. Special committees from all the States of the Women's Missionary Union, in session here, joined in the attempt. The convention has adopted the recommendation of the committee, comprising Lansing Burroughs and Oliver Gregory, of Baltimore, and Hight Moore, of North Carolina. They will take no part in the world's conference on faith because the Baptists insist upon absolute separation of the Church and State. Committees were ordered retained for the ensuing year.

SUNDRY CIVIL BILL REPORTED TO HOUSE

(By United Press) Washington, May 19.—The Sundry Civil Bill, carrying \$127,337,321 has been reported to the House. It carries great increases for Panama fortifications, armories, arsenals, barracks and the Hawaiian Islands, \$4,500,000 has been set aside for canal fortifications, against the \$8,000,000 that was asked.

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Girl To Rule As Queen Of Small Island

Bridgeport Girl Will Reign Over 100 Inhabitants on Pacific Island.

New Haven, Conn., May 19.—Miss Emily McCoy, now living in Bridgeport, will leave within a few days for Pitcairn Island, in the Paumotu Archipelago in the Pacific, where she will be crowned queen of her people.

This tiny kingdom, self-governed and owing allegiance to no nation, has only 100 subjects. Miss McCoy's father, Matthew McCoy, is king. He is aided in the government by a parliament of seven members. Equal suffrage prevails and every person over seventeen years old has a vote. There is a church and a school, but no money. The island produces everything the inhabitants need, and the government is conducted on the co-operative plan.

The island was settled 129 years ago by mutinous sailors from a British ship; several of whom were accompanied by their wives. Since that time the McCoy family has ruled continuously. Miss McCoy has no brothers, and is heir to the throne.

Fifteen years ago she left her home to fit herself for her future life. There are no doctors among her people, and she took up the study of medicine, dentistry and nursing. For several years she studied in the Samoa Islands. Then she came to the United States, and has been here since.

CLAUDE KITCHIN RENOUNCES FIGHT

Carolina Representative Now Favors the Five Battle Cruiser Program.

(By United Press) Washington, May 19.—Democratic Leader Claude Kitchin, who months ago vigorously opposed President Wilson's preparedness program, has renounced the fight. He favors the five battle-cruiser program, he stated. He declares himself satisfied with the defeat of the five-year building program.

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AURORA TRIMS WASHINGTON FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON

The Aurora Tigers sank their claws deep into the Washington Wanderers yesterday and took a 5-3 victory home with them. They pounced upon the local aggregation in the seventh inning and made all of their tallies in that stanza. Friend Rivers, who attempted to bring them to earth, was poor in his aim. He walked three men in succession, filling the bases. Manning then tapped out a little single, scoring Hardy Thompson and J. Hooker. Litchfield flew out to Webster, who made a dandy running catch. Richardson walked. Eugene Hooker was safe at first when an unsuccessful attempt was made to get Rowe on third. The latter scored on a passed ball. R. S. Thompson hammered out a two-bagger, bringing in Manning and Richardson. R. A. Thompson walked. Hardy got to first safely when they threw Eugene Hooker out at the plate. J. Hooker flew out to Haynesworth for the final out, which ended the session.

Washington scored their two runs in the fifth. Minton opening up with a hit. Rivers following suit and Haynesworth bringing them both in with another single. The batters on both teams have evidently not yet trained their sights right. Only three hits were scored by Aurora, while the local players secured but four. It wasn't until the last half of the fourth inning that the first hit of the game was made. Phelps breaking into the hit column with a scratch bingle through Hardy Thompson.

Washington had several new men in their line-up. Gray made a good showing at short although the rough ground bothered him considerably. Pickett on third looks like a ball player and plays like one. Minton on first, who was with us last season, is well known here and the fans are glad to have him back again. Haynesworth in right field comes from South Carolina. Considering the fact that the Washington boys have not practiced any, yesterday's defeat should not be counted too heavily against them.

Aurora played well together and there is no question but that they have a strong team. They appeared yesterday in their new uniforms and presented a neat appearance on the field.

The summary of the game is as follows:

Table with 5 columns: Name, AB, R, E. Rows include Aurora and Washington players like Litchfield, Richardson, Hooker, etc.

Umpire, John W. Smith.

YALE GRADUATE DECORATED



Second Lieutenant Arnold Whitridge, member of the class of 1914 at Yale, and one of a group of young American college men who have been with the British artillery since early in the war, has received the Military Cross in a recent presentation of decorations by the division general. Lieutenant Whitridge is a son of F. W. Whitridge of New York.

ANNOUNCE PRIZE WINNERS

Bell Had Best Decorated Store; Leach Best Decorated Home; Dumay, Automobile.

The prize-winners for the best decorations during the Elks convention today and are as follows:

Best decorated store—First prize, Wm. Bell; second prize, S. R. Fowler & Son. Best decorated home—First prize, Geo. T. Leach; second prize, E. K. Willis. Best decorated auto—A. M. Dumay.

SUNDAY TRAIN TO BELHAVEN

The new Sunday service on the Norfolk Southern, between Washington and Belhaven, will begin next Sunday. The train from Belhaven will arrive here at 10:30 a. m., making connections with the train bound for Norfolk. It will remain here until after the train for Raleigh has passed through in the afternoon and will leave for Belhaven at 4:40.

CONVENTION CONCLUDED LAST NIGHT

ELKS THOROUGHLY APPRECIATE HOSPITALITY AND COURTESY SHOWN THEM.

VISITORS HAVE LEFT

Most of the Delegates Left the City Yesterday Evening. Others Remained Over Until Last Night and Left Early This Morning.

The big convention is a thing of the past. The visitors have left for their respective homes, the decorations are fast being taken down from homes and business houses and Washington is again preparing to pursue her normal course of life.

Most of the delegates left here yesterday afternoon, but a few remained over until the early morning train left. These enjoyed a most pleasant social session at the Elks home last night.

Officers' Reports Read.

On board the steamer yesterday morning, a brief business session was held during which President Joseph F. Taylor read his annual report. The report showed the progress and growth that had been made by the lodge during his incumbency and was supplemented by facts and figures embodied in the report of Secretary Kehoe.

The cup for the largest delegation in the parade was presented to New Bern lodge and the cup, which was donated by the Washington lodge for the best general appearance in the parade, was presented to the Raleigh lodge. Presentation speeches were made by E. L. Stewart. Acceptance, on behalf of New Bern, was made by Captain T. S. Daniels and on behalf of Raleigh by Hon. Charles U. Harris.

The new officers were then escorted to the chair and President Forrell called on delegates from the various lodges for expressions regarding the convention. Without a single exception, all of those called upon stated that the courtesy and hospitality extended them far exceeded anything ever shown at any other convention they had ever attended. E. L. Stewart was called upon by Captain Geo. T. Leach to voice the sentiment of Washington lodge as to its appreciation of the manner in which this courtesy and hospitality had been accepted. He did so in a most able manner. After the serving of lunch, the steamer returned to Washington.

Famous Elks in Attendance.

The Daily News Wednesday published a partial list of the delegates who were present. Some prominent names were left out, however, among them being three members of the Elizabeth City Lodge, who are known all over the State. One of these was Rabbi Louis Selig, one of the staunchest prohibitionists in the State, and who made several stirring speeches yesterday. Another was Mayor Sawyer, who is also exalted ruler of the Elizabeth City lodge. The third was J. M. Harney, or, as he is better known, "The Man of Unlimited Capacity."

MAKE CHANGES AT DAILY NEWS OFFICE

Considerable improvement and changes are being made at the Daily News office. The vacant store alongside of the present offices and plant has been rented and will be used as the new offices and stock room. Connection, by a doorway, which is being cut through the wall, will be made to the press room. All of the present room occupied by the Daily News will be made into one large press room.

Several new presses have recently been purchased by the paper and are now being installed. One of these is an automatic job press, the only one of its kind in this section of the State. A large quantity of new type and other equipment has also been purchased.

When completed, the job plant will be able to attend promptly to all the work that is brought in and turn it out in better shape than many plants in the larger cities and. The new arrangement will be a great improvement all around.

First Open Rumor Of Peace To Pass By Censor

By CARL ACKERMAN, United Press Staff Correspondent.

Berlin, May 19.—There is a strong feeling here that if some powerful nation, such as the United States, undertook negotiations of peace, it might succeed. Diplomatic circles regard the recent statements of President Poincare of France and Sir Edward Grey of England as opening guns for an informal discussion of peace, although the expressions of the allied leaders, as compared with the German Chancellor's recent Reichstag speech, do not appear altogether conciliatory. (Note that this is probably the most frank discussion of peace rumors yet passed by the censorship.)

MILITIA FINDS OVER HALF A MILLION IN LIQUOR IN ALABAMA

(By United Press) Mobile, Ala., May 19.—Attorney General Martin has instituted impeachment proceedings against Sheriff Girard of Russell county, where over half a million dollars worth of liquor was seized by the militia. Fifty thousand dollars worth was found in the rear of a bank. The proceedings are expected to produce considerable sensation. Clashes are threatened between the citizens and militia officers.

YAQUIS REPORTED ON WAY TO CRUSH SIBLEY

San Antonio, Tex., May 19.—S. F. Seifer, an American, who arrived at Eagle Pass today from Torreon, was credited as saying that eight hundred Yaqui troops started north three days ago with the avowed intention of "wiping out Colonel Frederick Sibley's command." General Funston said he assumed that the movement of the eight hundred troops is a part of Obregon's plan to police the district south of Boquillas.

ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE FOR OPERATION OF BARGE LINE

Representative Of M. H. Tracy & Co. Instructed To Take Sounding Of Channels Near Elizabeth City.

Reports from Elizabeth City, relative to the Baltimore-New Bern barge line, state that this line is now practically a certainty and that it will not be many months before barges are running regularly between Baltimore and New Bern, touching at Norfolk, Elizabeth City, Edenton, Washington and other North Carolina points.

C. J. Hardison of Elizabeth City, who is connected with the firm of M. N. Tracy & Co., the New York corporation who are figuring on operating the line. Wednesday received the following telegram of instructions: Dated, New York, May 16, 1916. C. J. Hardison, Elizabeth City, N. C. Suggest you get gasoline launch and go to Newbegun Creek and ascertain width of channel at entrance to creek, also depth of water under normal tide across the bar not using dredged channel. Then proceed up creek obtaining rest of information period continue on down to Powell's Point as far up as Coinjock. You had better ascertain width of draw at that point as necessary to have thirty feet clear for our requirements. Steamers will take 150 tons on three feet and 225 tons on four feet. The ships will cost us \$40,000 each to construct. Try to arrange to be in New York Saturday morning. Suggest you state to Mr. Pugh, business manager Chamber of Commerce, your mission. Signed, M. H. TRACY & CO., Inc.

POSTERS TELL THE POOR NOT TO HIRE SERVANTS

(By United Press) London, May 19.—Government bill posters, who have plastered London with enormous signs urging the people to economize, have no respect for localities. In one of the most squalid and poverty stricken districts of London the following advice appears in letters five feet high: "Don't use a motor car for pleasure. Don't buy superfluous clothing. Don't employ more servants than you need." In fashionable West End districts the posters are conspicuous for their absence. Trafalgar Square, near the heart of the official district however, is liberally splashed with the warnings.

U.S. TROOPS KILLED 16 VILLISTAS IN BATTLE

FIGHT OCCURRED THIS MORNING BETWEEN TEXAS COWBOYS AND OUTLAWS.

A NUMBER ARE CAPTURED

Running Fight Ensued Between the Americans in Which the Raiders Were Put to Route. No Americans Reported Injured.

(By United Press) Pershing's Headquarters, Mexico, May 19.—Sixteen Villistas were killed and a number were captured when twenty-five cowboys surprised the bandits forty miles south of Madero today.

The Mexicans put up a running fight but their aim was poor and none of the Americans are reported to have been wounded. The outlaws finally made their escape in the hills. Those who have been captured are being brought up to the border.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT W. C. INSTITUTE

An interesting program was carried out at the Washington College Institute last night at the opening of the commencement exercises. The following program was carried out:

- Invocation. Welcome Song, Girls Glee Club. Piano Duet, Gwendolyn Warren, Juanita Warren. Piano, Evelyn Eubank. Vocal Solo, Gertrude Norton. Piano Duet, Julia Respass, Song, Glee Club. Piano, Agatha Warren. Piano Duet, Evelyn Eubank, Gertrude Norton. Song, Glee Club. Recitations. 1. Evelyn Eubank, "The Rider of the Black Horse." 2. Octavia Bell, "On the Other Train." 3. Annie Chaney, "My Daughter Nancy." 4. Madeline Eubank, "Breaking Up a 'Sittin' Hen." 5. Alice Spear, "A Girl's Conversation on a Telephone." 6. Gwendolyn Wilkinson, "The Face on the Floor." 7. Madie Bell, "Mr. Rabbit and Mr. Coon." Piano Duet, Blanche Ross, Song, Glee Club. Decision of Judges. The declamation content was held this afternoon. Tonight the commencement play, "The Mountain Girl," a drama in four acts, will be presented. The public is cordially invited to attend the play tonight. No admission price is charged.

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