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## PAID UP PLAN FOR SOLDIERS' RELIEF

FOUR ADDITIONAL PLANS ARE PREPARED FOR SUBMISSION TO THE CONGRESS.

### OPTION ALLOWED ON EITHER

Insurance Option Offered is Said to be One of the Most Attractive of the Several Suggested.

Washington.—Republican members of the house ways and means committee virtually decided to include in their soldier relief program a plan of paid-up insurance, its value to increase annually by compounded interest, and on which loans could be obtained from any postoffice.

With this addition ex-service men might elect any one of the five following plans, included in the republican program.

A cash bonus of \$1.25 a day for each day of service; aid in buying farm land to be reclaimed by the government; aid in buying city homes; aid in their education; or the insurance. To popularize the last four plans, the republicans propose to allow \$1.75 a day for each day service instead of \$1.25 cash bonus as the basis for computing farm and home aid loans and the amount of financial aid each man might receive in the form of educational training.

Memphis, Tennessee, Has Elected a Woman Judge of Juvenile Court.

Memphis.—Mrs. T. F. Kelley was elected judge of juvenile court here by the city commission, the first woman ever selected in Tennessee as judge.

4,000 Southern Troops Expected to Join the Insurrectionists in Sonora.

Agua Prieta, Sonora.—Approximately 4,000 Carranza troops at Paranal and Jimenez, Chihuahua, have revolted, according to information given out here by General Calles.

General Advance of Polish Forces into the Ukraine is Announced.

Warsaw.—A general advance by Polish forces along a 100-mile front into the Ukraine was announced in a communique by the Polish general staff. The movement, it is set forth, is for the expulsion of the "foreign invaders" (Russian bolsheviks).

Election on Power Plant

Greensboro.—Petition by the Southern Power company for a franchise permitting it to establish and operate an electrical system in Greensboro was presented to the city commissioners by attorneys for the petitioner.

It seems probable that a special election giving the voters a chance to pass on the question of granting the franchise will be ordered, as the city fathers are without authority to grant the franchise until ordered to do so by the people at the polls.

## Moon Eclipse Was Observed from Hydro-Airplane Three Miles in Air.

New York.—The eclipse of the moon was observed here by Lieut. J. H. Tilton and W. H. Cushing of the Rockaway Beach naval air station at a height of nearly three and one-half miles. The two lieutenants ascended in a naval hydro-airplane, remaining in the air one and one-half hours. The observations were made at the direction of the navy department.

Failure of Government to Buy Cuban Sugar Fault of Congress.

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Jewish Convention Announces a Bit of Very Interesting News.

Washington.—A telegram from the American and Canadian Union of Orthodox Jewish Rabbis asking that American diplomatic influence be used to "help restore Palestine to her children" was made public at the white house. It was addressed to President Wilson by the convention held by the union at Lakewood, N. J.

City of Vladivostok is as Quiet as a Deserted Village is Report.

Seattle, Wash.—Vladivostok, in former years one of the most important shipping centers in the far east, is as quiet as a deserted village, according to advice received by the Pacific Steamship Company from its Vladivostok agent. All steamship companies have withdrawn their vessels, he said, and only a line of Japanese tramp coasters now stop here.

Federation of Women's Clubs is Up in Arms Against Certain Movies.

Charlotte.—That 80 per cent of the moving picture films shown in North Carolina are vicious and harmful to the youth of the state was the theme of a resolution adopted by the Federation of Women's Clubs, in a paper read by her and applauded by members of the federation.

## AN UPWARD SWING TO PRICES SHOWS

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD HAS REPORTED IN SUMMARY OF APRIL CONDITIONS.

### SKYROCKETING TO SLOW DOWN

"Anxiety" Concerning an Overstrained Condition Because of High Prices and Wages is Hopeful Sign.

Washington.—Reports from federal reserve agents throughout the country showed a marked tendency of prices to resume their upward movement, the federal reserve board reported in its summary of business conditions for April.

But the board noted the hopeful sign, from the consumer's viewpoint, of "anxiety concerning the overstrained situation resulting from excessively high prices and wages" which it believed forecast a slowing down in the skyrocketing of prices.

"Pennyfoot" Insurance Granted at a Fairly Reasonable Premium.

London.—"Pennyfoot" insurance is the term which has been applied to a rate of ten shillings per one hundred pounds sterling, now being offered in the London market to cover the risk of the passing of an act of parliament within 12 months providing the sale of stocks, bonds, etc.

Washington.—American officers in Japan and Sacramento were reported to have reached their respective destinations at Manila and Tampico, where they were ordered in response to the request of American representatives in those cities that protection be afforded American life and property.

Sugar in Chicago Reaches a New High Level Price of 32¢ a Pound.

Chicago.—Sugar reached the highest price on record in Chicago, according to commission men, when a 1,000-pound lot sold for 32 cents a pound wholesale. Buyers attempted to obtain more by offering 33 cents.

Lutheran Minister Says Divorces Promote a Higher Moral Standard.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Divorces cause tend to a higher standard of morals and there is really no need to look with horror on their increasing number, according to Rev. Arnold Keller, of New Haven, who read a paper at divorces at the final session of the Connecticut conference of Lutheran Churches here.

## INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT CHASE

THIRTY COLLEGE PRESIDENTS INTERESTED WITNESSES TO BRILLIANT CEREMONIAL

### GOVERNOR BICKETT PRESIDED

President's Address Was an Analysis of How a State University Could Aid in Upholding New South.

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Another Effort Made by Striking Railroad Men to Obtain Hearing.

Washington.—Another effort to gain a hearing before the railroad labor board was made by representatives of the non-recognized associations of railroad men who have quit their jobs. In a letter to Chairman Barton, officials of the new organizations said the recognized unions had misrepresented the strikers and they urged that the new associations of yardmen and engineers be permitted to present wage demands.

British to Support Sultan in a Move Against Nationalist Turks.

Constantinople.—British troops, it is believed, plan to support the sultan's forces in the movement against Turkish nationalists in Asia Minor, and even join in an aggressive offensive against Mustafa Kemal. Lieutenant General Sir Miles, commander of British forces here, has a line to limit on an inspection tour and elaborate preparations are being made by the British along the Anatolian coast of the sea of Marmora.

Hickory.—Hickory people accepted the census figures without batting an eye. They had not expected a great showing because most of the new industries in the past ten years have gone outside the incorporated limits and as a result Hickory, Bradford, Lenoire and West Hatteras, all incorporated towns have almost escaped city status.

## Georgia Fruit Exchange Has Made Arrangements for Big Peach Crop

Atlanta.—A "bumper" peach crop for Georgia, estimated at from nine to ten thousand cars, was the forecast made at a meeting of the members of the Georgia Fruit Exchange and railroad representatives who made arrangements for getting the fruit to market.

### New York Going into Municipal Operation of Street Car Lines

New York.—New York City will try its hand at municipal operation of street cars within a few weeks if the board of estimates provides funds for the carrying out an ordinance adopted by the board of aldermen. The aldermen voted 40 to 15 for municipal operation of cars on the Williamsburg bridge line. The city already owns the tracks.

### Want Officers as Clearing Houses for Information on Foreign Trade

Chapel Hill, N. C.—Resolutions requesting the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce to establish district offices in Atlanta and co-operate offices in North Carolina, South Carolina and Florida and preferably at the state universities, all four offices to serve as clearing houses for information on foreign trade for the four states were adopted by the educational committee of the South Atlantic states association meeting.

### Entire World Must Tighten Belt if There is to be Food for All.

New York.—The entire world must tighten its belt if there is to be enough for all and that belt is a strict control of bank credit without which the world will continue to gorge itself and inflame, declared Paul M. Warburg, banker, discussing inflation, its causes and remedies, before the Academy of Political Science here.

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## JOINT RESOLUTION TO DECLARE PEACE

SUBSTITUTE FOR RESOLUTION RECENTLY PASSED BY THE LOWER HOUSE.

### TO BE WEEKS OF DISCUSSION

Virtually Solid Democratic Opposition to the Measure is Predicted by Leaders of That Party.

Washington.—A joint resolution proposing repeal of resolutions by Congress declaring a state of war with Germany and Austria-Hungary has been reported out by the senate foreign relations committee by a strict party vote.

Introduced by Senator Knox, republican, of Pennsylvania, as a substitute for the republican resolution recently passed by the house, the measure was formally presented to the senate late in the day by Senator Lodge, the republican leader.

Leaders of both parties predicted several weeks of discussion, with little prospect of action until near the time set for a recess for the national conventions.

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