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## URGES ITALIANS TO UNITE IN SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT

**Must Show the World that the Peace Delegation Represents the Will of the People—Parliament Summoned to Meet Today—Premier Orlando and Baron Sonnino Have Not Definitely Withdrawn from the Conference.**

ROME, April 28.—Speaking today concerning the controversy over the demands of the Italians, Baron Sonnino said: "All Italians must unite in their support of the government, which represents a country which is united and which will win."

Former Foreign Minister Tittoni also discussed the situation, saying: "The negotiations at Paris were interrupted and the Italian parliament has been convoked only because President Wilson expressed before the world doubt that the Italian delegation did not represent the will of our people. Parliament must answer this, eliminating such doubt in a most clear, categorical and exclusive manner."

**ROME NEWSPAPER SAYS ITALIANS MUST GET**

**FIUME BY DIRECTION OF PEACE CONFERENCE**

These two statements seem fairly to give a keynote to the situation of today in Rome. Parliament is to meet Tuesday to vote on a motion for an expression of complete confidence in the cabinet, and the delegation which represented Italy at the Peace Conference, without pledging the government to any precise action.

Dealing with the situation today the Messenger says: "Premier Orlando and Baron Sonnino have not definitely withdrawn from the conference, but have simply suspended their participation in its work. After the vote of the Italian Parliament they may return to France to continue with new strength and better hope the interrupted diplomatic battle. Therefore, let us not talk of getting the annexation of Fiume through act of parliament. We must get Fiume by direction of the Peace Conference."

**PRESIDENT OF JUGO-SLAV PARTY ORGANIZED AN**

**ANTI-ITALIAN DEMONSTRATION IN DALMATIA**

A telegram from Sebenico, in Dalmatia, seventy miles to the southeast of Trieste, published in the Epoch, states that Dr. Anton Korosco, President of the Jugo-Slav party, has arrived at Spalato, a seaport in Dalmatia, accompanied by Serbian officers, and has organized an anti-Italian demonstration there.

The telegram adds: "The Italians at Spalato blame the weak attitude of the American authorities for permitting public anti-Italian manifestations, notwithstanding the orders of the Inter-Allied council of admirals."

## BODY OF THE MANAGER FOUND IN THE RUINS OF HOTEL AT SYDNEY

Sydney, N. S., April 29.—The charred bod a human being, presumed to be the remains of John I. Robinson, manager, were found in the ruins of the Sydney Hotel, destroyed by fire this morning. Robinson has been missing since 11 o'clock last night, when he was last seen rushing up stairs to warn employees and guests to leave the burning hotel. He was 50 years of age and a son of Thomas Robinson, Digby, who died last April. Manager Robinson was in his early days a telegraph operator for the C. P. R. at St. John. He was later in the insurance business there. In 1900 he came to Sydney in partnership with C. B. Wetmore, also in the insurance business. Nine years ago he was appointed manager of the Sydney Hotel, a position which he has filled ever since. He was extremely well known to the travelling public.

## TO STAMP OUT DRUNKENNESS IN THE ARMY

Vladivostok, April 26.—Severest penalties have been prescribed by the Russian Military command on the Ekaterinburg front for drunkenness among officers and men of the new army.

An order recently promulgated by General Caide, commanding the Siberian army, states that drunkenness is on the increase, and that officers and functionaries are frequently met on the streets and in public places in drunken condition, and declares that "this practice must cease forthwith."

Drunken officers and functionaries are to be arrested and court martialled at once. Soldiers guilty of drunkenness and violence may be shot. All punishments are to be announced in the newspapers.

## CHARGES THAT EVIDENCE WAS WITHHELD

Toronto, April 28.—The taking of evidence in the investigation before Sir William Meredith as the commissioner into the charges made against the Ontario license department in the Legislature by H. H. Dewart, was concluded today.

Just before adjournment Peter W. White, K. C., counsel for the government in the probe, sprang a mild sensation. "There is a rumor about," said Mr. White "that certain evidence has been withheld from the commission. Considering what the investigation has cost it would be a pity if any one were not satisfied that all has been made clear." "To what do you refer," asked Sir William.

"I have never failed to do my duty," responded Robert McKay, counsel representing Mr. Dewart.

The matter was left there.

## DRIVING CONDITIONS FAIRLY GOOD

**EXCELLENT PROGRESS ON NASHWAAK DRIVES**

**Prices for Bank-Logs Remain Steady at Springhill—Good Run Expected During Balance of Week.**

The river conditions for driving are about the same as last week although authorities state that the water in the St. John fell several inches overnight. The various driving operations are being carried along successfully.

**Bank Log Prices**

The Fraser Companies Ltd. operations are doing well and bank logs are coming in quite fast at Springhill. There the water is in good condition. About one million feet of bank logs brought down for sale by the farmers have come in up to date and a heavy run is expected through the week. The prices bid for the large logs are about \$20 for spruce and \$15 and \$16 for hemlock and hardwood. Competition in bidding is not very keen as buyers are none too plentiful. The farthest up-river point that the bank logs have come from is Northampton.

**On the Nashwaak**

Operations of the Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Company are coming along well. The water in the Nashwaak is too high yet at the mouth for rafting on account of the backwater from the main river. A drive of between thirteen and fourteen million feet of lumber is being brought out for this company.

## CHALLENGE TO THE PRESIDENT

Rome, April 28.—President Wilson is challenged by the Giornale D'Italia to "appeal to his own parliament as Premier Orlando has done, and to show the world that his policy has not unanimous support like that given the Italian premier, but that of simply a majority of congress."

**Miss Ethel Maud Day**

Miss Ethel Maud Day, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Day passed away at her home on Charlotte Street yesterday afternoon, after a lingering illness brought on by lung trouble. She was a bright and lovable girl of seventeen summers and had a large circle of friends who will sincerely mourn her untimely death. For some time prior to her illness she was a valued member of the Methodist Church choir. Besides her parents the deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Georgina Kenney of Bangor, Me., and Mrs. John Blair of this city, and three brothers, Harry, John and Percy all of this city. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock with services by Rev. J. J. Colter. Interment will be made in the Rural Cemetery.

## LEAGUE OF NATIONS COVENANT DOES NOT ENTHUSE PARIS PRESS

**One Paper Declares That the Pact Has Caused a Certain Amount of Disappointment—Nationalist Writer Says League of Nations was Dead Before Its Birth.**

Paris, April 29.—The covenant of the League of Nations arouses little enthusiasm in the press of this city. Indeed, many of the principal newspapers abstain from comment altogether. L'Oeuvres, which has always been a champion of the League, says: "Speaking generally, we are bound to say the pact of the League of Nations causes a certain amount of disappointment. Its twenty-six articles constitute really the statutes of the league of governments to safeguard their territorial sovereignty and are not a new charter of the law of nations, which had been hoped for."

The newspaper thinks that the resignation shown by Belgium, Japan and France must be due to promises or special guarantees which will be known perhaps "when diplomacy is no longer secret."

Writing in the Echo de Paris, "Pertinax," spokesman for the Nationalists, declares outright: "The League of Nations is dead before its birth." He also refers to rumors of treaties being made between the Allied powers, remarking: "To reassure us, Premier Clemenceau and Foreign Minister Pichon allege they hold favorable alliances in their portfolios. These assurances must be dutiful, complete and eloquent to justify such docility on the part of the French ministers."

## German Peace Delegates to Reach Versailles To-night

**CLAIMS SHE WAS WITH ITALIAN RED CROSS**

**Indian Woman Whose Uniform Attracted Much Attention, Held Here for Vagrancy.**

An Indian woman who came before Police Magistrate Limerick last Thursday charged with vagrancy was remanded until this afternoon for judgment. She caused some comment when seen on the street because of her novel uniform which is of blue and bears several large red crosses. She was found wandering on Queen Street between one and two o'clock in the morning evidently hunting for a lodging. She was taken in by the police and locked up over night charged with vagrancy.

When she appeared before Magistrate Limerick she said in explanation of her uniform that it was a recognized uniform and that she had served for three years with the Italian Red Cross in the present war. It was reported that this woman was attempting to purchase lemon extract through the aid of some youths playing around the C. N. R. station.

## UNDESIRABLE ALIENS WILL BE DEPORTED

Toronto, April 29.—Lieb Samson Avitch, who with two others, has been arrested here charged with revolutionary activities, and who will probably be deported, was a student at Columbia University for over three years. He was expelled from that institution for seditious utterances during a "preparedness" speech delivered by Major General Wood of the United States army to the students. He tried to gain admission to Yale and Harvard but his record was against him so he came to Buffalo and crossed the border in an auto without registering his entry into Canada. He tried to enter a college at St. John, N. B., but was turned down. He was also refused admittance to Toronto University.

On January 19 and February 26 he addressed socialistic gatherings in Toronto, advocating bloody war, and later he addressed a foreign unemployed assembly in front of the city hall. Quite an armament of revolvers and munitions were found in the headquarters of the trio when arrested.

Sackville Tribune: The many Sackville friends of Mr. H. F. S. Paisley, managing editor of the Sydney Record, will regret to learn that he is ill with pneumonia.

Miss E. V. Steeves of this city was in St. John yesterday.

**Advance Guard, Including Stenographers and Typists, Has Already Arrived—The Present Week to be One of Great Events—Head of the Japanese Delegation Confers With President Wilson in Regard to Kiao Chou—The Belgian Committee Heard.**

VERSAILLES, April 28.—The second instalment of Germans who are to attend the Peace Congress arrived here at 10 o'clock tonight. The party included a large number of women stenographers and typists.

The leading members of the German Peace Conference delegation are expected to arrive here at nine o'clock this evening.

**VALIDITY OF TREATIES ENTERED INTO BY THE HUNS DURING THE WAR TO BE CONSIDERED**

Paris, April 29.—Before the meeting of the Council of Three this morning, Baron Makino, head of the Japanese Mission, and Viscount Chind, his colleague, conferred with President Wilson. The conference lasted nearly an hour. Presumably the question of Kiao Chau was under discussion.

The Council of Three, at the beginning of its session, received a committee from the Belgian cabinet and gave it a hearing regarding the question of indemnities.

One of the eleventh hour questions for decision at the Peace Conference is the validity of treaties concluded by Germany during the war. A clause which has been approved for insertion in the treaty provides that Germany shall renounce all advantages from the treaties of Brest-Litovsk and Bucharest, and an additional clause is still before the Council of Three, which provides for a similar renunciation of "all treaties concluded by Germany since Aug. 1st, 1914, including those with Poland and Finland and the Baltic provinces."

**RAILWAY EMPLOYEES IN BERLIN DISTRICT**

**THREATEN TO BRING ON A GENERAL STRIKE**

This would operate to terminate various telegraphic and other conventions negotiated with neutrals during the war.

Renewed agitation in almost all parts of Germany is reported in German advices received here. The railway employees in the Berlin district are threatening to bring on a general strike on May 7 if their claims are not satisfied, while in the Ruhr industrial district the Spartacans are again displaying great activity and endeavoring to organize a general strike in this region.

Already there have been outbreaks in which casualties have occurred, the advices show. Electric railway employees in Silesia generally are reported to have struck.

## THOUSANDS HOMELESS IN YOKOHAMA

Yokohama, April 29.—The monetary loss in yesterday's great fire is estimated at approximately \$7,470,000. Thousands of people are homeless. The loss of life was two killed and thirty were injured. Sixty blocks in the Japanese quarter were burned including public buildings and business houses. It was the most disastrous conflagration in the history of Yokohama.

Foreigners living in the Bluff section of the city witnessed an awe-inspiring spectacle, five fires raging simultaneously and spreading confusion and terror among the people who vainly struggled to save their belongings.

## RACE ACROSS THE SEA MAY START TODAY

St. Johns, Nfld., April 29.—A trans-Atlantic airplane race is expected to start from St. Johns some time this afternoon. Reports received here this morning were that weather conditions over the ocean were favorable, and Captain Frederick P. Raynham, British aviator, and Harry Hawker, his Australian rival, each had his belongings packed and the wings of his machine greased this morning for flight toward Europe.

## HARRY LAUDER IS KNIGHTED

London, April 28.—The premier list of honors for public services during the war contains the following awards. Viscounts—Barons Burnham and Rothermere.

Baronettes—Sir S. J. Roberts, Sir R. T. Herman-Hodge, Sir T. D. Wart and Hon. T. H. Cochrane.

The many Knighthoods include Harry Lauder. William Earthwaerts is also given a Baronetcy, for public services in developing relations between Canada and France and in inaugurating a great line of shipping between these countries, also special war services to the admiralty.

## NEW LAW ON BANKRUPTCY

Ottawa, April 28.—It is authoritatively stated that the bill to amend the bankruptcy Act recently introduced by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, solicitor-General will be passed by the parliament at the present session. The bill which provides a general bankruptcy law for the Dominion, has the support of the Boards of Trade and business men generally.

## HUN OFFICERS WERE CHEEKY

Buenos Aires, April 28.—The prefect of the port of Bosario met with the resistance by the German officers today as he attempted to board the German steamers Luenburg and Santactara, which are to be delivered over to the United States. The prefect was able to go on board the ships only after he had threatened to use force against the Germans. An inspection of the vessels showed the machinery had been wrecked and that extensive repairs will be necessary before the vessels can put to sea.

## GOMPERS HAD RESTFUL NIGHT

New York, April 29.—The physicians attending Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who was injured here Sunday when a street car collided with a taxi-cab in which he was riding, said he passed another restful night, and that his condition today was considered satisfactory.