

BRIEF BRIGHT BREEZY BITS OF NEWS

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THE WEATHER: Cloudy and colder Thursday, colder in west and north; Friday probably fair.

WILL AMEND LEAGUE PLANS

SOLDIER WOUNDED BY POLICE DETECTIVE

Private Charles Coleman Likely to Die From Shot by G. B. Knudson, Arresting Him for Army Men.

GERMANS PLAN OCEAN FLIGHT IN TAUBE PLANE

Berlin, March 19.—(By Associated Press.)—The Rumpier airplane factory in Bavaria, the plant which produces the noted Taube airplanes, has under construction a giant airplane intended for a transatlantic flight.

TWO COUPLES NABBED FOR BANK ROBBERIES

St. Louis, March 19.—Two men and two women were arrested here this afternoon and are held in connection with a Brooklyn (N. Y.) bank robbery, in which \$13,330 was stolen and two bank attaches killed, and a Cleveland bank robbery in which five armed bandits escaped with \$15,000.

RAINBOW DIVISION SOON TO COME HOME

Washington, March 19.—The 42d (Rainbow) division will sail from Brewster between March 28 and April 19, the War department was informed today by General Pershing.

Women Impaled and Boys Buried Alive in Poland, Writes Mme. Paderewski

Story of Atrocities, Famine and Misery Told in Letter From Wife of Pianist-Premier; 'I Must Hold My Heart With Both My Hands for Fear It Will Burst With Pain,' She Wails.

Chicago, March 19.—In a letter received today by John F. Smulski, president of the national Polish department, Madame Paderewski, wife of the pianist and premier of Poland, described conditions in Poland as 'pitiful,' and said the Polish army was hungry, and was without cloaks in zero weather and lacked arms.

GREEKS DEFEAT BOLSHEVIKI ON BLACK SEA COAST

Saloniki, March 19.—Greek troops have defeated the Russian bolsheviks at Kerkira, northeast of Odessa, and advanced about 12 miles, according to an official announcement made today by Greek headquarters here.

Revolution Planned in Mexico Under Angels and Villa Checked by Work of U. S. Officers.

El Paso, Texas, March 19.—Eighteen Mexicans are confined in the federal section of the county jail here, the government has three truckloads of military supplies and army officers declared tonight the revolution of Gen. Felipe Angeles, which was planned to start in northern Mexico May 1, in conjunction with Francisco Villa's movement, had been checked by the arrest of Angeles' staff.

Every U. S. Soldier Was a Crusader, Says British Army Head

New York, March 19.—Major General Sir Frederick Maurice, director of military operations of the British general staff from 1915 to 1918, arrived here today by train from Halifax where a warrant was issued and taken to Socorro where they were loaded in motor trucks and brought to El Paso today.

Absence of 'Mutton Chops' Causes Doctor's Arrest

Absence of 'mutton chop' whiskers. When Dr. Wilkins approached a telephone booth, the patrolman, knowing of a receipt of a telegram by District Attorney Weeks of Nassau county, signed with Dr. Wilkins' name, announcing his intention to return to the city from Baltimore, slipped into the next booth and overheard a conversation which the doctor was having with some one in Mineola.

SLEEPING SICKNESS CALLS ONE FROM CITY

U. P. Chef Dies at Laramie, Wyo., From Lethargic Encephalitis; Two Other Cases in Local Hospital.

The first Omaha to die of lethargic encephalitis or "sleeping sickness" is John N. Klein, 51 years old, 2706 Jackson street, for many years outfit inspector in the dining car and hotel service for the Union Pacific railroad. Mr. Klein died in Laramie, Wyo., late Wednesday afternoon.

Smelter Watchman Must Serve Sentence for Killing Albert Cassil, Assistant Superintendent.

Guilty of murder in the second degree was the verdict a jury in Judge Redick's court, returned last night against Terrence Casey for killing Albert Cassil.

Archbishop Hayes Installed by Special Papal Dispensation

New York, March 19.—Army and navy officers of high rank, dignitaries of the Catholic church and prominent laymen attended the installation here today of Most Rev. Patrick Joseph Hayes, bishop of the American archdiocese of New York, to succeed the late Cardinal Farley.

Senators Determation to Push Harris Substitute for Burney Measure Causes Storm in Lower House.

Lincoln, March 19.—Members of the lower house of the legislature are in open rebellion over the adoption today by the senate committee on education of the Harris substitute on education of the Harris substitute to House Roll 64, the parochial school bill, passed by the house, and are threatening to slaughter Governor George F. B. Snodgrass' administration code bill in reprisal.

Lodge and Lowell Debate Covenant Drafted at Paris For a Society of Nations

Senator Says He Would Support League Which Would Promote Peace, But Declares Whole Treaty Should Be Redrafted; Harvard President Holds Scheme Sound for Preventing War, But Admits Amendments Are Needed.

Boston, March 19.—"If the league shall be put in such shape that it will promote peace instead of breeding disorder and will work no injustice to the United States, I will support it," said Senator Henry Cabot Lodge in replying to a question of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard, during their debate on the league of nations covenant tonight.

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Much of Railroad Improvement Work Ordered Suspended

Washington, March 19.—Instructions issued today by the Railroad administration will result in the temporary suspension or postponement of \$1,000,000,000 of railroad improvement work, because of the financial predicament caused by failure of congress to pass appropriations for the administration's revolving fund.

Prisoners to Receive Money Due From Germany

Washington, March 19.—General Pershing has informed the War department that receipts held by repatriated American prisoners of war for money due them from the German government would be presented for payment through the armistice commission.

Damage in Berlin Riots Fixed at 512,000,000 Marks

Basle, Switzerland, March 19.—Damage incident to the latest revolt in Berlin will total more than 512,000,000 marks, the Frankfort Nachrichten says. Claims for damages for this amount already have been filed against the city.

ALLIES TO CONSIDER VIEWS OF NEUTRALS

American Delegation Ready to Accept Amendments; Covenant to Go With Peace Treaty.

Paris, March 19.—The American delegation, it is said, plans to accept a limited number of amendments to the league of nations covenant. Secretary of State Lansing will preside over the meeting of delegates of neutral nations Thursday to hear their views on the situation.

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12 C. of C. Men to Argue Before House on Auditorium Bill

Francis A. Brogan, chairman of the executive committee, and H. O. Wilhelm of the Good Fellowship club, which set the Auditorium completion ball-rolling, will head a delegation of 12 members of the Commercial men, who will go to Lincoln Thursday to work for the \$150,000 bond amendment to the charter bill.

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