

GOMPERS BACKS LABOR ARTICLES OF PEACE PACT

Urges Ratification of Treaty; Minnesota Senator Flays Knox for Inviting Attack on France.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a statement to the League to Enforce Peace, takes issue with the opposition to the labor articles of the peace treaty...

Nelson Scores Knox's Plan. Senator Nelson of Minnesota, a republican, gave out the following statement through the Washington bureau of the League to Enforce Peace:

"The reputation of the pending treaty of peace as advocated by Senator Knox of Pennsylvania in the senate Friday is an open invitation to Germany to attack France in a great and bloody war...

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COHAN PREDICTS ACTORS' VICTORY WITHIN 10 DAYS

Says Producing Managers Have Offered Contract That Concedes Nearly All Demands.

New York, Aug. 30.—Settlement of the actors' strike within 10 days on terms which appeared on their face to be victory for the Actor's Equity association was predicted by George M. Cohan at a meeting of the recently organized Actor's Fidelity association.

Mr. Cohan announced the Producing Manager's association had offered a contract with an arbitration clause providing that in cases of dispute the actor "may be represented before the board by any association."...

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Chief of Carranza Staff Denies Troops Helped U. S.

Mexico City, Aug. 30.—Denial that Mexican troops co-operated with the American punitive expeditions on the Texas border in the pursuit of outlaws was made today by General Juan Barragan, chief of the presidential staff.

The Pirates of '19

The creeping barrage of verbal criticism is being followed at this hour by the belated infantry attack of concerted government action against the entrenched profiteers.

Yet the outlook for his ultimate sharp defeat is bright. America has set its face at last to the job of extirpating the most vicious brood that Mars was sire to.

Apartment Tenants Look To District Court for Relief

close their records have been excused from doing so, despite the fact that the city council asserted the council has authority to force access to the books of property owners.

Urges Grand Jury. "It may be necessary for a special grand jury to make the investigation," asserted one of the attorneys.

In honor of Labor day the regular initiation and musical show will not be held Monday evening at the Ak-Sar-Ben den.

Increases Damage Suit Against Girl's Parents to \$15,000

William Erath filed an amended suit yesterday in district court against Lewis Raber and Catherine Raber, 1418 North Seventeenth streets, parents of Emily Raber, upon whom William was calling the evening of January 17, 1919.

In his first suit, filed two months ago, he asked only \$10,000 damages. He says, when the parents entered the room and found him with Emily in the second-floor apartment where they live, Mr. Raber attacked him.

Kentucky Judge is Shot By Lawyer Whom He is Questioning

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 30.—Judge Harry W. Robinson, of the circuit court, was shot in the shoulder in open court here today by Frank Douglas, an attorney, while the judge was quizzing the lawyer about the ethics of retaining a sum which the attorney claimed as a fee.

Director of Vocational Training for Army Quits

Washington, Aug. 30.—Dr. C. A. Prosser, director of federal board for vocational education, has resigned and plans to return to Dundy Institute, Minnesota, it was said today at the board's headquarters here.

Colonel Hoffman Named Instructor at Creighton

Lt. Col. Corbit S. Hoffman, infantry, by order of the president, has been assigned as instructor in military science and tactics at Creighton university. He is ordered to proceed to the local post and assume charge immediately.

Bay Man Optimistic

Ed Palmer, manager of the Omaha office of Dyer Co., believes that in spite of the usual conditions in the hay trade they will do a larger volume of business than any previous record.

Retail Grocer is Pictured as Merchant Who Serves Humanity Without Hope of Reward

J. J. Cameron, Secretary of Retail Grocers' Association and Their Counselor and Guide, Describes the Life of a Member of the Trade as That of a Philanthropist—“They're Losing Money,” He Says.



Any aspirant for a place in the commercial world who would enter the retail grocery business should be given a mental test, if the statement of J. J. Cameron, testifying before the state food investigators last week, may be accepted at their face value.

No Thought of Profits? Analyzing Mr. Cameron's resume of the profitless life of the average retail grocer, it would appear that this merchant is merely serving his fellow men and women, without reward in this life or assurances of any better net profits in the life to come.

What Mr. Cameron Contends. In the usual well-regulated business there are generally accepted principles which require the application of an overhead per cent of expense deducted from the gross profits to determine the net profits.

Urges Competition is Keen. "Competition is so strong among the grocers that they are afraid that if one raises a price five cents, another store around the corner will get the business.

Carrying the analysis further, Mr. Cameron added that if the average Omaha grocer would include in his expense account an adequate salary for himself and other members of his family who may have helped in the store, he would have a debit balance at the end of the year.

KING AK'S DEN TO REMAIN CLOSED ON LABOR DAY

Liveliest Session of Year Sept. 8, When 1,000 Visiting Merchants Will Be in Omaha.

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American Irishmen Attack Peace Treaty

be useless to press their requests further since their utterances while in Ireland had offended British statesmen.

Work will be started September 5 on the carnival grounds at Fifteenth street and Capitol avenue, where the Con T. Kennedy shows will be shown September 24 to October 4.

Friendship Club to Open Fall Season With Dance

The Friendship club of Omaha will inaugurate its fall and winter season with a dance at Metropolitan hall, Twenty-third and Harney streets, next Thursday evening.

Deaf Mutes Want Oral Teaching Law Repealed

The Nebraska State association for the deaf passed a resolution at its annual convention held in Omaha that every effort possible be made to have the oral law, compelling the use of the oral method of teaching, repealed.

Soviet Leader in Munich Is Held to Be Incapable

Berlin, Aug. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Dr. Lipp, who participated in the soviet government at Munich and issued orders which were considered amazing, has been declared incapable of standing trial because of his mental condition.

German Naval Officer Destroys Zeppelin Fleet

Notwithstanding Provisions of Peace Treaty Lieutenant Emulates Example of Admiral Von Reuter at Scapa Flow and Destroys Big Airships in Their Sheds.

By KARL V. VON WIEGAND. (Universal Service Staff Correspondent) Berlin, Aug. 30.—Germany's Zeppelin fleet will not swell the allied air forces. It has been destroyed.

Determined that the victorious allies should not have Germany's great aerial fleet, notwithstanding the provisions of the peace treaty, a young naval officer, according to what seems a reliable report, emulated the example of Admiral Von Reuter at Scapa Flow by causing the greater number of Zeppelins, which were to be turned over to the allies, to be "sabotaged" in their sheds.

About 16 Zeppelins are left of the 90 built during the war. The peace treaty provides for the coming into force of the pact delivery shall be made by Germany to the principal allied and associated powers of all dirigibles able to take the air being manufactured, repaired or assembled.

One Still Intact. One, the L-72, which is incomplete, is still intact at the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen. The other 15 are in various air harbors, chiefly in northern Germany, in the vicinity of the North Sea and Baltic coasts.

Acting, it is alleged, upon his own initiative and responsibility, the young naval officer, whose name is not yet revealed, is said to have ordered the cables by which the huge Zeppelins are suspended in their sheds, to be cut, causing the airships to crash to the ground, crushing the gondolas and engines and twisting the framework so that they can be considered "sunk."

There is reason to believe that the plan to prevent the allies from getting the Zeppelins has been in contemplation in certain circles for some time. But indications are that the government had no knowledge of the plan and that it was carried out without its knowledge.

Republican Speakers to Follow Wilson on Tour Across U. S.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Republican senate leaders Saturday discussed plans for sending speakers to various air harbors, chiefly in northern Germany, in the vicinity of the North Sea and Baltic coasts.

Delta Tau Delta Fraternity 1921 Meet to Be in Omaha

The Delta Tau Delta fraternity will hold its next national convention in Omaha in 1921, according to word received Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce from Boston, where this year's convention is being held.

Omaha May Have New Hotel to Cost Millions

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97 Per Cent Overseas Forces Are Demobilized

Washington, Aug. 30.—Ninety-seven per cent of the overseas forces and 79 per cent of those in the United States on the day the armistice was signed have been demobilized, the weekly War department reports today showed.

On Monday, Labor Day, the store will close at 1 P. M., but, beginning Tuesday, September 2d, will remain open every day until 6 P. M. Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

The Style Tendencies ...of the Moment...

Have Been Faithfully Followed

Skilled designers fashioned these suits, creating new materials and new shades to satisfy a woman's demand for something different, and adding furs and rich embroideries to enhance her charms.

And to leave the brilliant colors, there are two very lovely navy blue suits with fur collars and deep bands of fur on either side at the hem of the coat, one suit Hudson seal and the other nutria trimmed and embroidered as well.

Another peach bloom suit is in Morocco, has a warm brown, and has a collar of kolinsky; the coat is long with a very becoming bloused effect at the waistline.



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