

Borah Wins Victory On Naval Bill

Leaders Agree to Support Amendment Requesting President to Call Disarmament Conference.

Change Causes Surprise

Washington, May 17.—Senator Borah of Idaho, and those associated with him in the senate on questions of naval policy, virtually won their fight today for incorporation in the \$500,000,000 naval appropriation bill of the Borah amendment requesting the president to call a naval disarmament conference of the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

To Vote for Amendment

Both in senate debate and in a statement to the press, Senator Poindexter announced his intention to vote for the Borah amendment and also to withhold a parliamentary point of order against it, which would have required a two-thirds vote for its adoption.

Cost Estimates Too High

Senator Poindexter, acting chairman of the naval committee, said opponents of the bill were "using figures recklessly," in estimating naval costs.

Einstein Theory Bobs Up in Congress Debate

Washington, May 17.—The Einstein theory bobbed up in the house yesterday when Representative Kindred, democrat, New York, asked unanimous consent to extend his remarks in the Congressional Record on the "nonpolitical subject of relativity."

Lieutenant Colonel Held For Assault on Stable Boy

Washington, May 17.—Lieut. Col. J. E. Shelley, army quartermaster corps, was held in arrest by military authorities today following the shooting and serious wounding of Richard Christmas, a negro hostler at the War department stables.

Eastman Kodak Company Made \$18,566,210 in 1920

Rochester, N. Y., May 19.—The annual report of the Eastman Kodak company of New Jersey and subsidiary companies, issued today, shows net profits for 1920 of \$18,566,210, the largest in the company's history.

President Harding Opens California Orange Show

Washington, May 17.—From his desk in the White House, President Harding today opened by telephone the first annual California orange grove show at Anaheim, Cal.

Forty Killed in Riots During Italian Election

Rome, May 17.—According to figures published by the newspaper Il Paese, 40 persons were killed in conflicts between factions on election day, last Sunday.

Comedian Covers "Inauguration" Cressy Invades Council Meeting

Editor's Note: Will M. Cressy, headliner at the Orpheum this week, was that next to being an actor, he would rather be a newspaper reporter. He attended the organization of the new city council yesterday morning and wrote his impressions for The Bee, thinking that someday, perhaps, he may get into the newspaper game.

By WILL CRESSY.

One's out again. One's in again. One's just plain Ed. Smith again. I was a little bit uneasy there one while. As we were walking up to the city hall I asked what all that new stonework around the doors and windows on the court house opposite meant.

Say It With Flowers.

But then they explained to me that the county jail was on the upper story of the building. I think that is a fine idea. Also a fine alibi. Upon arrival at the city hall I thought I had made another mistake and got into a flower store.

The Chain Gang.

Just a little back of him stood two enormous horseshoes, probably intended as luck tokens; although I don't see just what he needs of luck now. He has already had it.

Commission to Pass on Sanity of Young Heiress

New York, May 17.—The appointment of a commission yesterday to pass on the sanity of Miss Anna Wright, daughter of the Countess Lea Del Sera of Florence, Italy, revealed facts increasing the wealth and mental condition of the young woman who has become an international figure.

Mob Ready to Storm House

The dispatches to various American newspapers stated that the Italian mob had stormed the villa and were ready to rush the house of the Count Del Sera and carry off the young woman, when a government official appeared there by obtaining permission from the family for a deputazione to visit the young woman and inspect her quarters.

Plan Demonstration

Socialists have planned a demonstration upon the arrival from Morelia of the body of Isaac Arriaga, a radical leader, who was killed during the rioting there last Thursday.

Two Shoe Manufacturers Consolidate Announcement

Boston, May 17.—The merger of the International Shoe company of St. Louis, and the W. H. McElwain company of this city, shoe manufacturers, was announced today. It brings together companies whose combined sales aggregated \$139,000,000 last year.

Retail Prices Lower

Washington, May 17.—A decline of 27 cent in retail food costs of the average family for April, as compared with March, was reported by the Labor department. The price of 43 articles from 51 cities, 31 showed a drop, 10 an increase and two no change.

Slayer Asks Pardon For Third Time

Murderer of Minature Editor Appears Before Parole Board; Kettleman and Neal Slated for Release.

Bankers Plead for Green

Lincoln, May 17.—(Special Telegram.)—For the third time Ernest Kennison, 53, appeared today before a Nebraska governor asking for either a pardon or parole, following his self-confessed murder of Sam Cox, a Minature (Neb.) newspaper man, in the early days.

Forged Two Checks

The deadly German gas forced Earl D. Edwards of Arlington, Neb., into the open air to save his health. He turned to selling farm papers, found it a poor job and forged two checks at Nebraska City which he didn't cash.

Another Continuance Of Trial of Prison Guard Slayer Granted

Lincoln, May 17.—(Special.)—The Lancaster county district court granted another continuance today in the trial of James King, negro, who murdered W. L. Taylor, guard, last week. The trial under the new schedule will be held May 31.

Hold Secret Caucus

Early yesterday afternoon the liberal-constitutionalists held a secret caucus at which they discussed the program to be followed. They gave particular attention to a letter they purpose to send to President Obregon asking his support in their efforts to impeach Philip E. Carrillo, Antonio Diaz Sciota Gama, radical deputies, charged with leading last week's invasion of the chamber by bolsheviks.

President to Confer on Peace Plan Next Thursday

Washington, May 17.—President Harding will confer at the White House Thursday with Chairman Porter of the house foreign affairs committee on the peace resolution situation in the house. Mr. Porter said no action would be taken by his committee until after the conference.

Steamer Breaks Record

San Francisco, May 17.—The shipping board freight and passenger steamer, Golden State, which arrived today, broke the record for the run from Yokohama to Honolulu by making the trip in eight days, nine hours and 36 minutes.

Kansas Students Charged With Vanilla Extract Jags

Kan. City, May 17.—Charges that a group of Kansas university students at the Y. M. C. A. in Lawrence, Kan., are in the habit of going "vanilla extract drunk" and that last Saturday night they stole liquor, were contained in a letter received by L. S. Harvey, assistant United States attorney in Kansas City, Kan., from J. H. White of Lawrence.

How a Striker Must Feel When He Discovers He Has Been Betrayed By His Leader



Revolt May Follow If United States Frees Filipinos

Many Tribes Still in Primitive State—Woods-Forbes Mission Finds Little Progress in Education.

Miners To Join In New Wage Plans

Anthracite Workers to Co-Operate With Soft Coal Employes in Negotiations.

War Department Is Surprised at List Criticism

Official Statement Says "It Would Have Been Warranted in Naming Everyone Who Failed to Answer."

Rowboat of Missing Tug Found Off Lower California

San Diego, Cal., May 17.—News of the finding adrift of a rowboat belonging to the missing navy tug Conestoga was wireless here by Captain Sohst of the steamship Senator of the Admiral line.

Sun Spots Will Continue For Three Years Is Report

Washington, May 17.—Sun spots do not control terrestrial weather, but are more or less related to auroras, earth currents and terrestrial magnetism, according to the United States weather bureau.

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Rail Board Decides Cut Justified

National Wage Commission Says Claims for Downward Readjustment Is Borne Out by Evidence.

Final Decision on June 1

Chicago, May 17.—The United States railroad labor board announced late today it had decided "prevailing conditions justify to some extent, yet to be determined, a readjustment downward of the wages of the employes of the carriers which are parties to the disputes already heard by the board."

Board's Announcement

The board's announcement follows: "Whereas, Under date of April 6, 1921, the railroad labor board adopted a resolution which recited, among other things, that, in the judgment of the board, it is desirable to hear at one time and decide in one decision, so far as may be possible, the question as to what may constitute just and reasonable wages for all classes of employes of carriers parties to decision No. 2, as to whose wages there may be disputes; and

Polish Revolt Tension Said to Have Passed

Paris, May 17.—President Millerand conferred on the upper Silesia question with King Albert of Belgium and members of the French and Belgian ministries yesterday says the Matin. The attitude Belgium and France would take in case Germany would send troops into upper Silesia without authorization from the allies was discussed, and a complete agreement was reached.

Aged Woman Faces Murder Charge After Abduction

Detroit, May 17.—Mrs. Elizabeth Lewen, 58, held at the Women's Detention home since Saturday on a charge of abducting Max Ernest, 6 years old, faced a charge of murder today following the finding last night of the boy's body. The lad had been strangled and the body thrown into a marsh on the east side, where two boys found it while picking dandelions.

Price Cuts Are Announced By Oil Purchasing Agencies

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 17.—Prices of some grades of crude oil were reduced from 15 to 25 cents a barrel, the principal oil purchasing agencies announced today.

Slav Candidates Fail to Secure Seats in Chamber

Rome, May 17.—Newspaper dispatches declare that Slav candidates for the Italian Chamber of Deputies were defeated at Trieste, where three nationalists and one communist were elected on Sunday. The nationalists have won a majority of the seats from Turin, it is stated in advices received here.

Czecho-Slovak Lefts Vote To Join Internationale

Prague, May 17.—The congress of the Czecho-Slovakia social democrats of the left has voted to join the third international of Moscow. The ballot standing 562 to 72. The decision was reached without reservation and the wing of the party will adopt the title of communists. It claims to have 350,000 adherents.

The Weather

Forecast. Probably showers Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Hourly Temperatures table with columns for time and temperature.

Will Break Precedents

Havana, Cuba, May 17.—Dr. Alfred Zayas will break several precedents when he takes the oath as president of Cuba on Friday.

Mutilated Body of Bride Found by Searching Party

Florence, Ala., May 17.—The mutilated body of Mrs. Myrtle Williams Sey, a bride, aged 20, was found by a searching party last night on a hillside at Stewarts Springs, near here.

Senate Is Asked to Free Charitable Trust Funds

Washington, May 17.—The senate finance committee was asked today by James R. Garfield of Cleveland to exempt from federal taxation incomes from scientific, charitable, religious and educational trust funds.

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