

### 30 Nations Join With Americans In Celebration

#### Irish Issue Injected Into Address by Ambassador Harvey At Annual Independence Day Dinner.

By The Associated Press.  
London, July 5.—Diplomatic representatives of more than 30 foreign governments were guests last night at the annual Independence day dinner of the American Society of London. Ambassador Harvey was the guest of honor.

Lord Lee of Fareham, first lord of the admiralty, toasting the guest, referred to Mr. Harvey as "a foreign envoy to whom the muzzle of diplomacy had not been obtrusive." He said Britain and America could expect from him "open and frank comment upon Anglo-American relations."

Referring, in his reply, to the revolt of the American colonies, Ambassador Harvey declared:

"Whether the territory comprising the United States could have been retained, is wholly speculative. But one fact is certain—if George the Third had issued a proclamation even approximating in eloquent sincerity and appealing force that uttered the other day by George V., in his faithful endeavor to reconcile a nation, there would have been no ringing of bells in Philadelphia 145 years ago this night nor for many years thereafter."

#### Barrier to Helpfulness.

Ambassador Harvey declared the mutual helpfulness, which all desired, could not be realized until two grave misapprehensions had been removed, one of which pervaded Europe respecting the United States and the other which permeated the United States as to Europe.

"The two combined appear to constitute the chief barrier to full play of co-operation based upon confidence," he said. "I find in Europe the common impression that the United States alone among the nations of the world, is today a land of milk and honey, whose people not only are universally prosperous though recalcitrantly discontented, but are rich beyond the traditional dreams of avarice. You have only to supplement the fancy with a suspicion which I find not wholly lacking, that all this opulence and this happiness are direct results of the great war, to account for the wholly natural sense of resentment."

"What are the facts? Did the United States really profit from the war to such a degree as to make the lives she sacrificed seem to the cynical and sordid mind relatively insignificant?"

#### Cost to America

"In dollars, the cost to America of her participation in the war, when finally computed, will fall not so very short of the entire indemnity upon Germany. I make no comparisons. There has been too much of that already. Surely no good can come now, when we all are striving to get together in common purpose for the common weal, from disputing over the relative sizes of the contributions to the great cause."

"The two men swerving down the Niagara river did not profit by dropping their paddles to quarrel over the distance to the falls—they succeeded only in making their fate certain. Let us not, in a position hardly less thrilling, emulate their idiotic example."

The ambassador said the staggering present cost and the great price must be paid by the next generation from those countries which had been so pitilessly denuded of the flower of their youth, who were relied upon to carry on.

"Nothing could be further from my thought or more repellent to the instinct of any American than to measure money against men," he went on. "My sole purpose is to win fair consideration from any who may have overlooked the fact that the United States, along with Europe, has her full share of material burdens to bear for scores of years, in addition to her grief at the incalculably greater loss of those who perished in the service of their country."

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### Women to Puff Fags For Congressmen to Show Harmlessness

Washington, July 5.—Women will puff cigars, and even smoke pipes if they want to, before members of congress when the anti-smoking bill comes up for consideration.

Since Representative Paul B. Johnson of Mississippi introduced his bill prohibiting women from smoking in public in the District of Columbia, the house committee, which was given charge of the measure, has been besieged by supporters and opponents of the right of women to smoke.

So Chairman Focht has issued a general invitation to the many groups and organizations of women, who are protesting against Mr. Johnson's proposed discrimination, to appear before the committee and show members of congress how it is done.

Virtually all of the reform organizations that maintain headquarters and lobbies in Washington are behind the bill and are deluging members of congress with demands for its passage.

#### Federated Press Head Dies

Chicago, July 5.—H. G. Gilmore, head of the Federated Press, widely known as an author and humorist, died here yesterday. He was 35 years old and is survived by his widow.

### British Stand On Jap Question Is Promulgated

#### Conference of Prime Ministers Favors Disarmament Meeting With Japan and United States.

London, July 5.—So much confusion has resulted from conflicting statements as to what has really taken place in connection with the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance that a statement of the precise position, defined by authoritative sources, was promulgated here today.

The situation was outlined as follows:

Last July the British government informed the league of nations that the treaty with Japan would be adapted to the terms of the league. That declaration appears to have been accepted by the dominions and indeed by the British foreign office, as a denunciation of the alliance. It was with this understanding that Arthur Meighen, premier of Canada, entered the conference and made his case against renewal of the treaty. He was under the impression that

unless that alliance was renewed it would lapse on July 13.

Lord Curzon and A. J. Balfour, who preceded the Canadian premier in statements on the subject, were under similar impressions. Mr. Meighen interrogated the British secretary for foreign affairs, but Lord Curzon assured him that the note to the league of nations constituted a denunciation, and that it was wholly a question of letting the alliance lapse or entering into a new one.

On this assumption, therefore, argument for and against the new alliance proceeded and it was not until Friday last, after the question had been under debate for a week, that Lord Birkenhead, lord high chancellor, appeared before the conference and gave information that the note to the league did not constitute denunciation, and that, therefore, the present treaty remained in force another year.

The old alliance entered into in 1911 remains in force. It will remain in force until 12 months after such time as the British government may serve notice that it desires to terminate it. Whether this notice will be given, and when, depends largely upon one development, namely, the possibility of a successful conference of three powers—the British empire, United States and Japan—upon the Pacific and disarmament problems.

The conference of prime ministers has shown that it is in favor of such a conference being held. Agreement on the part of all the powers concerned, is necessary also.

### \$5,000,000 Fund For Palestine Plan of Zionists

#### Development by Mutual Aid Societies Program Outlined—Large Sum Is Subscribed.

Pittsburgh, July 5.—Resolutions affecting the development of Palestine and involving an expenditure of \$5,000,000 were adopted by the Palestine development league at its closing sessions here today. The league's membership is composed of the minority group of the Zionist organization of America. The development program called for a wholesale co-operative corporation, building and loan associations, industrial corporations, a farm loan fund and construction corporations.

Half of the amount needed to finance the program was subscribed today when Julian W. Mack, of Chicago announced that the sum would have to be raised within 30 days.

The closing address of the league was made by Judge Brandeis. He stressed the role which individual members will have to play to make the league a success.

### King and Queen of Belgium Pay State Visit To England

London, July 5.—Albert, king of the Belgians, and Queen Elizabeth arrived in London today for their first visit of state to England. The royal couple were attended by a numerous suite, including Premier H. Carton de Wiart. They were met at Dover by the Prince of Wales and at the Victoria station here by King George, Queen Mary, the Duke of York and Princess Mary. Escorted by the household cavalry, the royal party drove through the cheering crowds to Buckingham palace, where a banquet will be given tonight.

This afternoon's program included the placing by the royal visitors of wreaths on the cenotaph in Whitehall and the grave of an unknown soldier in Westminster Abbey. Tomorrow they will be guests of the city at Guildhall.

### Decided Improvement Noted In Col. Jewell's Condition

A decided improvement in the condition of Col. B. W. Jewell, who has been ill at Ford hospital for two weeks, was reported this morning by hospital attendants.

### Comptroller Issues Call For Condition of U. S. Banks

Washington, July 5.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Thursday, June 30.

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