

Irish Truce Arranged For Monday

De Valera Accepts Invitation Of Premier Lloyd George To Participate in Conference at London.

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The principal events of this important day, however, occurred not in London, but in Dublin, and consisted in the appearance of Mr. De Valera, the Irish republican leader, at the conference of premiers at Chequers, and his subsequent interview with the prime minister.

Another matter that has been widely discussed today arising out of the visit of the secretary of War Sir Lansing Worthington Evans to the king yesterday, was the possibility that the military evacuation of Ireland is under consideration.

West Point Chautauqua. West Point, Neb., July 8.—(Special.)—The West Point chautauqua will open August 1 and continue seven days. Forty citizens have bought the seven-day program for \$2.50.

His Name Is Arbutuckle But Not 'Fatty' Of Moving Picture Fame

Chicago Tribune—Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, July 8.—For several days it has been rumored that Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle would descend upon our city to take pictures in the stock yards and along the lake front. Today, however, Arbuckle registered at the LaSalle hotel. A reporter called him.

Premier Meighen Asks Abrogation Of Anglo-Jap Pact

This Action Will Be Taken Despite Chancellor's Announcement That Treaty In Force For Year

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France Indignant At Trial Verdicts

Acquittals of Germans for War Crimes Cause Protest.

Paris, July 8.—(By The Associated Press.)—The French government has informed its allies that it has withdrawn the French mission appointed to follow the trials in Leipzig of Germans accused of violating the rules of civilized warfare.

Nebraska Is Urged to Join Kansas in Fight For Lower Rail Rates

Lincoln, July 8.—(Special.)—Whether the Nebraska state railway commission will join the Kansas public utilities commission in appearing before the Interstate Commerce commission in an endeavor to get that body to reduce rates on grain is an undecided question here today.

Belated Celebration Held by DuBois Citizens

Table Rock, Neb., July 8.—(Special.)—A belated Fourth of July celebration was held at DuBois owing to the heavy rains of that vicinity.

Chicago Aviator Returns After Being Stuck in Mud

Fremont, Neb., July 8.—(Special.)—The six-passenger plane used to relay fight pictures to the coast and forced down north of Fremont last Sunday, hopped off on its return trip to Chicago. The two-ton ship made a good landing, but following rains made it impossible for Pilot Ralph C. Higgins to taxi for a start.

Democrats Scored On Tariff Bill

Chairman Fordney Presents Republican Argument at Opening of Debate on Measure in House.

Defends His Committee

Washington, July 8.—The house got under way today in its consideration of the Fordney tariff bill. Following reading of the bill, Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee, in a speech of nearly two hours, developed the first phase of the republican position.

The last election influenced the republicans in the house to launch into tariff legislation, according to Mr. Fordney. He said he believed the people knew, or did not want, and that the overwhelming majority last fall was witness that the people were strongly for protection.

Women Must Not Shop in Bathing Suits, Is Policewoman's Edict

Muskegon, Mich., July 8.—Mrs. Sarah McVeigh, police matron, has asked Muskegon women to discontinue wearing of bathing suits while shopping. Women recently have appeared on the streets and also in some of the downtown stores here clad in bathing costumes.

The Omaha Bee Represented on Waterways Tour

Men From 16 States and Five Newspapers to Learn Details of Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Project.

Nebraska is to be one of 16 states and The Omaha Bee one of five newspapers represented on a tour of inspection of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterways project, beginning at Buffalo, N. Y., Monday and ending at Montreal, Can., Friday of next week.

Extent of the interest manifested is indicated by the fact that each state representative is paying his own expenses and each newspaper that of its representative, although the project is of interest to the entire western country.

The waterways project, when completed, will permit products of middle western states, intended for export, to be shipped direct from Great Lakes ports to Europe without breaking cargo. It will eliminate all railroad hauls from Duluth, Chicago or other lake ports to New York.

Six Bank Bandits Escape Officers In Motor Launch

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Ashtabula, O., July 8.—Tugboats, fast cruisers and launches manned by Ashtabula and Cleveland police today are scouring Lake Erie in search of a power boat on which six bandits who at noon yesterday held up six clerks and robbed the Marine National bank here of approximately \$6,000 are believed to have escaped.

Omahan Arrested At Houston, Tex.

One of Four Men Indicted for Fraud Located After Search.

William A. McWhorter, wanted in Omaha on a charge of using the mails to defraud, was arrested yesterday at Houston, Tex., in a downtown office, by J. R. Price, deputy United States marshal. The arrest was made on a federal indictment returned in Omaha, charging use of the mails to defraud and conspiracy to violate a federal statute in connection with sale of stock.

Insurgent Delegates of W.O.W. Off for Home

New York, July 8.—Unsuccessful in their efforts to obtain seats in the national convention of the Woodmen of the World, 30 so-called insurgent delegates, representing camps in Texas, Missouri and Nebraska, left for home today.

Howell Confers on Plan of Radio Service to Farmers

Lincoln, July 8.—(Special.)—R. B. chairman of the National Radio service, was in Lincoln today in conference with H. D. Lute, secretary of the Nebraska Farm Bureau federation. Lute stated that the bureau planned to co-operate with Mr. Howell in getting the service under way in Nebraska.

Infirmary for I. O. O. F. Home at York Is Planned

York, Neb., July 8.—At a meeting of the board of control of the I. O. O. F. state home definite steps were taken to erect a 35-room annex to the home building to be used as an infirmary. Final sanction and the letting of the contract for the building is expected at the coming session of the grand lodge.

Another Historic Occasion for July

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U. S. Awaits Allied Move For Peace

Harding in No Hurry to Conclude Program on Question of American Rights And Interests.

Many Issues Involved

By ARTHUR SEARS HENNING, Chicago Tribune—Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Washington, July 8.—Character of the next moves by the United States to carry out the Harding peace program depends upon the attitude of Great Britain and the other allies on pending questions involving American rights and interests.

Whether we shall settle war accounts with Germany by ratifying the Versailles treaty with reservations, undertaking thereby to participate in the enforcement of those treaty terms we approve, we shall settle with Germany in a separate treaty independently of the allies, has not been determined by President Harding and it may be some time before he reaches a conclusion.

Question of Mandates. Whether Great Britain continues its alliance with Japan and if so, whether the character of the alliance is detrimental to the interest of the United States.

Mandates: Whether the allies recognize American rights derived from the fifth share of the United States in territories ceded by the central powers, rescind the action of locating the Island of Yap to Japan and accord America the commercial open door in the former enemy possessions.

Cables: Whether the allies are disposed to divide the former German cables on a basis restoring American communication directly with Western Europe and assuring the United States increase in cable and radio facilities in the Pacific.

The attitude of the administration toward the question of ratifying the Versailles treaty or making a separate settlement with Germany while these other issues are undetermined was thus stated by a high official: "Why should we lay all our cards on the table when no one else is doing it now?"

The clear inference from various authoritative administration utterances today is that the allies take a position prejudicial to the interests of the United States in the international negotiations now in progress, the president might deem unjustifiable a ratification of the Versailles treaty, even with radical reservations. If, however, the outcome of these negotiations should be favorable to the interests of the United States, he would continue to consider acceptance of a considerably revised Versailles treaty as one of the feasible methods of making the peace settlement.

It was stated officially that there have been some informal conversations between Great Britain and the United States regarding the proposed renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, but no British inquiry to which Prime Minister Lloyd George possibly could be expected as a formal reply from the United States. The prime minister may mean that he is awaiting a reply from British Ambassador Geddes, who presumably has sounded Secretary of State Hughes.

No Suggestions Made. That the administration has made no suggestion, even informally, concerning the renewal of the alliance also was asserted, though England, it was pointed out, is aware of American sentiments toward the question. Administration officials are usually expressing an opinion as to the character of the prevailing sentiment, but indications are not wanting that a continuation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance is viewed with no less anxiety by the American people than by the British overseas dominions.

If the allies should refuse to recognize the rights contended for by the United States in the mandate controversy, they would make it more difficult for the administration to recommend ratification of the Versailles treaty, which not only would not operate to restore the rights claimed in the Yap dispute, but would bring the United States into association with a group of nations that had already ignored and were persisting in ignoring America's just share in the victory over Germany.

Dreadnaught Maryland To Be Delivered July 20

Newport News, Va., July 8.—The superdreadnaught Maryland, the first battleship in the world to be equipped with 16-inch rifles, will be delivered to the Navy department July 20, it was stated today, by its builders. Captain Preston, a Maryland man, will command it and it will be assigned to the Pacific fleet.

Rainfall Checks Forest Fires Raging at Toronto

Toronto, July 8.—Forest fires in northern Ontario, which had menaced several small settlements in their path, were checked last night by a heavy rainfall. Recent reports from the north indicating that millions of dollars worth of pulp wood had been consumed are exaggerated.

Probe of West Virginia Mine Trouble Starts July 14

Washington, July 8.—Chairman Kenyon of the senate education and labor committee announced today that investigation of West Virginia-Kentucky disorders would begin here July 14.

State Attempts To Show Murder Of Kaber Planned

One Witness Says Wife Offered Him \$3,000 to Run Slain Man Down With Auto.

Cleveland, July 8.—Through a number of witnesses today, the state introduced testimony tending to show that Mrs. Eva Catherine Kaber willfully planned the murder of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber, for which she is being tried on a first degree murder charge.

Urbanio Di Carpo testified that Mrs. Kaber had offered him \$3,000 to murder her husband. He declined the offer but was to have received \$500 as a reward for his services.

When the indictment was returned in May, McWhorter could not be located at Houston, where he was said to have been engaged in the oil business. Reports indicated that he had gone into Mexico, ostensibly to investigate his oil holdings there.

Miners' Union Officials Arrested in West Virginia

Williamson, W. Va., July 8.—David S. Robb, international finance agent of the United Mine Workers of America and 11 other union leaders were arrested here today for Maj. Tom Davis, governor Morgan's personal representative in the coal strike region, on a charge of unlawful assemblage.

The Weather

Forecast table with columns for date, time, and weather conditions.

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The small amount of money obtained by the bandits was due principally to the heroism of a girl clerk, who, with a revolver pointed at her face, pressed a burglar alarm with her foot, which frightened the robbers away. Almost \$15,000 was left untouched in one of the cages.

The bandits, after making good their escape from the city, abandoned an automobile, believed to have been stolen in Cleveland, at Nineveh beach, five miles west of here. They are thought to have boarded the "Merry G," owned by Howard Staley, vice commodore of the Cleveland Yacht club, which was stolen Wednesday night from its moorings in Rocky river, near Cleveland.

Late last evening the bandit boat was said to have been sighted near Geneva, according to reports to local police.

The Merry G, according to Staley, had sufficient fuel aboard for a 300-mile cruise and subsistence for the four men for four days.

In making their escape one of the bandits fired on Policeman Patrick Shannon and a group of citizens. The officer was slightly wounded by a charge of buckshot.

Sheriff R. C. Elder, with deputies and local police, pursued the bandits, first in an automobile and later aboard a tug.

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For the Whole Family

The Bee for next Sunday will be chock full of a variety of entertaining features that assure interesting Sunday reading for every member of the family.

The Best—The Sunday Bee