

WIRE CONTROL BEFORE SENATE

Resolution Giving President Authority to Seize Lines Called Up

GIVEN RIGHT OF WAY Prohibition and Wheat Price Advocates Not Disposed to Object

Washington, July 11 (By I. N. S.) The joint resolution conferring authority on the President to take over the telephone and telegraph lines of the country was called in the Senate at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The resolution was reported to the Senate yesterday, but went over on objection, as unanimous consent was necessary for its consideration on the day it was reported.

Prohibitionists, apparently content for the time being with the victory they scored yesterday, were not disposed seriously to object to giving the wire control resolution right of way.

In addition, it is learned that some of the Senate advocates of \$25 wheat, anticipating a presidential veto message on the compromise price of \$24.40 agreed upon by the House and Senate in the regular agriculture appropriation bill, are willing to have a decision on the prohibition amendment delayed so that a veto on the wheat price bill will be in a position to add a wheat price-fixing amendment to the food production bill.

There was even revival of rumors of a recess, and that final action on the food production bill might go over until after the recess, if one could be agreed upon. However, Senator Gore, chairman of the Agricultural Committee, said his present intention was to press the bill to a vote, which he thought could be reached in a matter of days.

JAMAICA HAS FLOUR GLUT

Will Ship Surplus to Cuba, Panama and Martinique

Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger Copyright, 1918, by New York Times Co. Kingston, Jamaica, July 11.—A surplus of flour is being accumulated here for shipment to Cuba, Panama and Martinique, orders having been received from these places.

FAMILY AGAINST O'LEARY

Relatives Say John Couldn't Have Helped Jeremiah New York, July 11.—Relatives and character witnesses testified in Federal court in behalf of John J. O'Leary, on trial on a charge of having conspired to aid in the flight of his brother, Jeremiah A. O'Leary, on the eve of the latter's trial for publishing sensational articles in Bull, an anti-British periodical.

SUSPENDS POLICE HEADS

Wilkes-Barre Mayor Acts as Result of Complaint Wilkes-Barre, Pa., July 11.—Adam Hergert, chief detective, and Patrick Nolan, police clerk, have been suspended by Mayor Kosel, following charges brought by the Chamber of Commerce in its crusade against graft.

SEEK ONE-LEGGED MEN

Two Baltimore Concerns Would Employ Them to Run Machinery Baltimore, Md., July 11.—(By I. N. S.) The United States Labor Bureau has been asked by two local manufacturing concerns to furnish one-legged men to run machinery who have the use of one leg and also a number who can use either one.

LOSES NEPHEWS IN WAR

Two of Columbia Woman's Relatives Dead, Two Wounded Columbia, Pa., July 11.—Mrs. William B. Denton, 292 South Fourth street, has received word from her brother, Samuel R. Pratt, residing in England, informing her that two of her nephews have been killed in action and two others have been wounded.

PLANS EXHIBITION FLIGHT

Georges Flachaire, French Ace, to Fly From Detroit to Chicago Chicago, July 11.—Lieutenant Georges Flachaire, a French ace with a record of twelve German planes brought down, announced today that he would go to Detroit and fly from there to Chicago next Sunday in his Spad, a late type of French fighting machine. The lieutenant said he expected to make the flight in less than four hours.

Youth Held as Hammer Bleeber Woodbury, N. J., July 11.—John Bleeber, the young man alleged to have struck George Stuart in the head with a hammer on the Fourth of July, was held when officers arrived to stop a fight near National Park, has been arrested in Philadelphia. Sergeant Samuel H. Magistrate Gray held him to await the result of the injuries to Stuart, who is in Cooper Hospital. Camden has been released; other young men have been released under heavy bail.

MOSCOW BATTLE STILL ON; REVOLT SWEEPS UKRAINIANS

Continued from Page One and resume her place on the Allied side is giving the grand headquarters considerable pause. In resumption of the German drive on the eastern front is attributed by many here to discomfiture over the Russian possibilities and ignorance of the Allied purposes.

SEES GOOD CHANCE FOR ALLIED ACTION

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Treaty Ignores People The Chronicle points out that there has never been anything to show that the Brest-Litovsk treaty carried the consent of the Russian people and that the treaty is a gross violation of a great majority of the constituent assembly. "The only duly elected democratic organ of the population in Russia," it says, "has only very recently reaffirmed their refusal to recognize the treaty of Brest-Litovsk and their determination to restore Russia as a remaining in a state of war with Germany."

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BOLSHEVIKI DRIVEN FROM IRKUTSK

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The defeat of the Bolsheviks in western Siberia is established, it is stated, when the Bolsheviks have evacuated Irkutsk.

By the Associated Press London, July 11.—The objects of the new Siberian Government include repudiation of the Brest-Litovsk treaty and the establishment of a Russian republic with an autonomous Siberia, according to the declaration made by a member of the new government to the Vladivostok correspondent of the Nichi Nichi Shinbun, says a Tokio dispatch to the Daily Express.

By the Associated Press Washington, July 11.—The remarkable success of the Czech-Slovak legions in re-establishing law and order in Siberia and in overcoming armed opposition from German and Austrian prisoners of war has had the effect of suspending the preparations of the Entente Powers and the United States for the organization of an international military force of a campaign in Siberia.

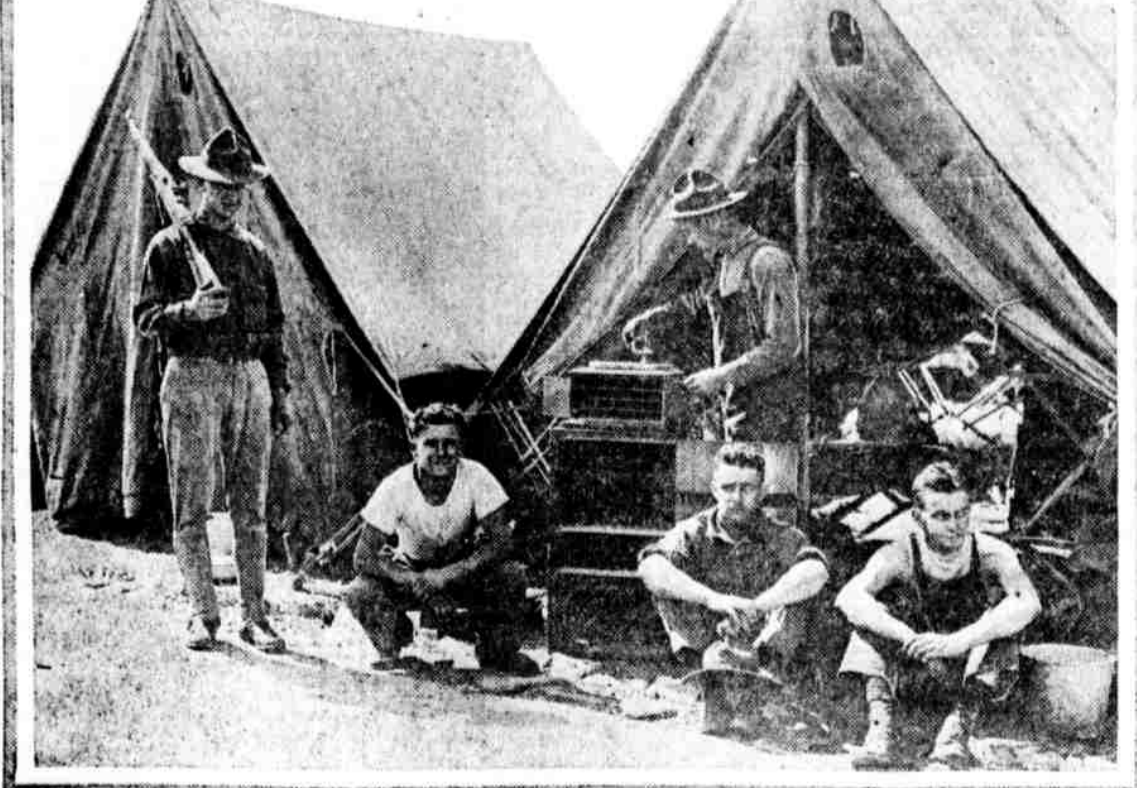
It was stated authoritatively today, however, that none of the projects considered had met with objection from the United States Government on the ground that they involved a weakening of the western front in Europe. There has been a reluctance on the part of the Administration to depart from its policy of noninterference in the internal affairs of a friendly country, although it was admitted that an exception might be made in the case of Siberia, if it were clearly established that the native population was forcibly dominated by Austro-German soldiers and influence.

By the Associated Press Washington, July 11.—The train crew of the express that was captured by the bandits at Bay in Wood, was reported yesterday by the Chicago Post. The train crew was captured by the bandits at Bay in Wood, and the locomotive was reported yesterday by the Chicago Post. The train crew was captured by the bandits at Bay in Wood, and the locomotive was reported yesterday by the Chicago Post.

By the Associated Press Amsterdam, July 11.—Since the Germans have entered Finland, 12,000 workmen there have been arrested and many of them have been executed, declared Hugo Haase, leader of the minority Socialists, in a recent speech in the Reichstag, according to a verbal report published by the Havoivolk. The deputy also criticized German rule in Livonia and Estonia.

By the Associated Press Woodbury, N. J., July 11.—Entertainment for the girls employed at the bag loading plant have become so popular that plans are being prepared for the institution of an amusement auditorium and dance hall. The event Tuesday night crowded one of the dormitories to the point of being a moving picture show, a vaudeville act and ending with a dance. Ten minutes was allotted to a boxing exhibition.

IDE MOMENTS AT THE MARINES' PAOLI CAMP



A soldier's life is not all work, for there are frequent opportunities for rest and recreation. This holds true at the summer encampment of the signal battalion of the marine corps out on the Main Line.

NEW SOLDIERS' CLUB OPENS AT CAMP DIX

Soldiers Forbidden to Enter Wrightstown Restaurant, Reported Insanitary

Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J., July 11.—A new soldiers' club at the main corner in Wrightstown was opened last evening with a reception and dance which was attended by hundreds of soldiers and their women friends. A concert and music for the dance was furnished by the 312th Engineers' Band.

REDS PREPARED TO FIGHT IN NORTH

By the United Press Stockholm, July 11.—The Bolshevik commissariat of the northern region of Russia, following the landing of Allied troops on the Murmansk coast, has issued the following statement: "We are prepared to fight to the death against the invaders."

Junkers Secure Complete Control

Continued from Page One stomach such a choice. His tenure of office will probably not be a long one."

Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger Copyright, 1918, by New York Times Co. The Hague, July 11.—According to Stein, the Berlin correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung, Admiral von Hintze has already been appointed successor to Dr. von Kuehlmann.

There is no question of adjourning the Reichstag, Hintze's nomination is a pan-German victory and it is somewhat doubtful whether Count von Hertling will remain in office.

By the Associated Press Geneva, July 11.—Admiral von Hintze, the successor of Dr. von Kuehlmann as Foreign Secretary, is the Krupp's candidate, according to the Gazette of Lausanne, which adds:

Breweries Here Face Knockout

Continued from Page One until the prospect of a greater coal supply is assured.

See 5,100,000-Ton Saving Yearly A saving of 3,100,000 tons of coal annually will result, according to estimates based on the brewers' requirements under normal conditions.

With the brewers as the first example of the per cent curtailment, Doctor Garfield also announced that the heads of the Government war agencies had recommended appointment of a new curtailment committee, which will work in conjunction with the priorities board to ascertain what further reductions are to be made and to take such action as may be deemed necessary to put the food situation on a war basis.

Washington, July 11.—The dry forces won a signal victory in the Senate that presaged adoption of the wartime "bond" prohibition amendment when they overruled a decision of the preceding conference and forced immediate consideration of the measure by a vote of 36 to 28.

ESTHONIA PROTESTS GERMAN OPPRESSION

Baltic Province Declares Country Has Been Plundered and People Abused

By the Associated Press Stockholm, July 11.—Representatives met in Copenhagen of the Estonian Diet and Government have sent a strong protest to Germany against German's occupation policy and oppression in that Baltic province. Mr. Morris, the American Minister to Sweden, has sent to President Wilson a copy of the protest which declares:

STAR BRITISH AIRMAN KILLED

Major McCudden, With Record of 54 Victories, Dies in Accident

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L'Austria Rifuta Von Below Come Comandante in Capo

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35 MARINES DECORATED

Lieut. Col. Folan Cited for Brave Exploit on Marne With the American Army on the Marne Front, July 11.—(By I. N. S.)—General (name deleted) decorated thirty-five marines with distinguished service medals today for gallantry in the Bourdeaux and Belleau fighting.

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