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MAY HAVE MET

Australian Probably Lost in

Vain Attempt to Cross

Atlantic

MESSAGE AFTER START

SENT NO RADIO FAREWELL

Wireless Queries Sweep Air, but

Bring No News of Missing-

Aviators

REPLIES ARE NEGATIVE

Stormy Weather Off Ireland

Making Search

PRESIDENT WOULD DROP BEER BAN; RETURN ROADS; HAWKER FELL SOON AFTER HOP-OFF, BRITISH BELIEF; NC-4 REACHES PONTA DELGADA IN 150-MILE FLIGHT

READJUST LAW ON PEACE BASE SAYS MESSAGE

Proposes Federal Agency to Consider Disputes of Labor and Capital

COMMUNITY OF INTEREST IN FIELD OF COMMERCE

Watchful Waiting Tariff Policy, With Protection for Dye Industry

SUFFRAGE CAUSE PLEADED

Land-for-Soldiers Bill and Repeal of Luxury Tax Urged

Chief Suggestions Made by President

Repeal of wartime prohibition as far as beer and wines are concerned.

Return of railroads. Return of telegraph and tele-

phone lines. Suffrage amendment. Land for soldiers. Repeal of luxury tax. Watchful waiting tariff policy. Protection for dye industry. Aid for American foreign trade Federal agency for facilitating

olution of industrial problems. Relief of production resources from heavy tax burden.

By the Associated Press

Washington, May 20. - Presiden Wilson in his message to Congress today recommended repeal of the war- Harmony in Party Expected So \$14,000 Worth Goods Recovtime prohibition law-so far as it aps to wine and beer only : announce definitely that the railroad systems and telegraph and telephone lines would be returned to private ownership; urged a MAJORITY'S HEAVY BURDEN DOG LEADS TO EXPOSE revision of war taxes particularly to abolish the manufacturers' and retail program respecting labor.

These were the "high spots" of the President's message cabled from Paris. Besides that, he again urged enactment of the woman suffrage constitutional amendment recommended that the tariff laws be supplied with teeth to protect American industry against foreign attack; spoke for legislation to facilitate American enterprise through Secretary Lane's program for land for

the league of nations the President merely said it would be premature to discuss them or express a judgment. He also avoided discussion of domestic legislation at length because of his long absence from Washington.

Congress heard an unique document; the only one of its kind ever transmitted across the ocean from a President on a foreign shore. For the first time in six years it heard a presidential message read by a reading clerk instead of assembling to hear the President de-liver an address in person.

No Demonstration in Senate

President Wilson formerly appeared in person to deliver his message, Copies the text cabled from Paris were distributed among the senators and representatives as they took their seats and some of them scanned the printed pages without listening to the reading.

Generally, however, members of both gave close attention. There was no onstration in the Senate, but members on both sides smiled at the President's mention of the return of the telegraph and telephone properties to private control. The reading was com-Senate immediately took up routine

Rose, began the reading promptly at Orphaned railroads, orphaned wire and Snyder avenue, shortly after noon story window in the Elwood public selected for the places by the Progressoon, but there was a delay of half an exstems will wail at their doors. But today. hour in the House while members discussed priority of some of the hundreds of bills which were dropped into the

applause from the Democratic side. This ernment. was the only demonstration except scattering applause from the Republicans which greeted the President's declaraon that he hoped soon to be back in

Text of the President's Message to 66th Congress

By the Associated Press Washington, May 20, President Wilson's message to the Sixty-sixth Congress, called from Eu ope, was read in both houses today. The message follows:

> before they are brought to their complete formulation by the agree-

ments which are now being sought at the table of the conference. I

shall hope to lay them before you in

I hesitate to venture any opinion

regard to domestic legislation while

absent from the United States and

out of daily touches with intimate

sources of information and counsel

am conscious that I need, after sa

long an absence from Washington, to

seek the advice of those who have

remained in constant contact with domestic problems and who have

known them close at hand from day

soon be possible for me to do su.

ing for consideration to which I feel

that I may, and indeed must, even

now direct your attention if only in

general terms. In speaking of them I

shall, I dare say, be doing little more than speak your own thoughts. I hope that I shall speak your own

The question which stands at the

judgment also.

to day, and I trust that it will very

But there are several questions pres

or press any recommendation with

their many aspects so soon as ar

Yangements have been reached.

Gentlemen of the Congress: I deeply regret my inability to be present at the opening of the extraordinary session of the Congress. It still seems to be my duty to take part in the councils of the peace con ference and contribute what I can to the solution of the innumerable questions to whose settlement it has had to address itself; for they are questions which affect the peace of the whole world, and from them, therefore, the United States cannot stand apart. I deemed it my duty to call the Congress together at this time because it was not wise to postpone longer the provisions which must be made for the support of the govern-Many of the appropriations which are absolutely necessary for the maintenance of the government

and the fulfillment of its varied obligations for the fiscal year 1919-1920 have not yet been made; the end of the present fiscal year is at hand, and action upon these appropriations can no longer be prudently delayed. It is necessary, therefore, that I should mmediately call your attention to this critical need. It is hardly necessary for me to urge that it may receive

front of all others in every country amidst the present great awakening is the question of labor; and per-Defers Discussion of Peace I shall take the liberty of addresshaps I can speak of it with as great ing you on my return on the subadvantage while engrossed in the conjects which have most engrossed our attention and the attention of the sideration of interests which affect all countries alike as I could at home world during these last anxious and amidst the interests which naturmonths, since the armistice of last ally most affect my thought, because November was sigued—the internathey are the interests of our own tional settlements which must form

the subject matter of the present Justice in Sphere of Labor treaties of peace and of our national action in the immediate future. It By the question of labor I do not mean the question of efficient induswould be premature to discuss them or to express a judgment about them Continued on Page Eight, Column Two

1 SHOT, 6 SEIZED

lems May Be Solved

By BART HALEY

That Reconstruction Prob-

cernible between the lines of President Wilson's extraordinary message to prolonged war upon Penrose and no wife and two step-sons under arrest. o'clock.

ruining of morale through adventurous experiments in uncertain progressivism, automobile, the rest of it in the house.

Part of the cloth was found in the city Solicitor Connelly, and Councilly Finance Chairman Gaffney.

With John C. Winston, chairman of the expansion of shipping, and backed it. All of a sudden the unanswered questions of the war, the wilderness of new issues, the full weight of responsibility in the greatest crisis of American history are shifted to the Repub-

A divided majority will collapse and fail under the burden.

mere perversity. Bornh and his assothis is little better than a misfortune. and they ran up.
With his message today the President
In Tucker street below Sepviva the With his message today the President formally put upon his opponents obligations that will grow heavier. The Democrats have slipped into the easy, every-day-of-the-session roles of ob- lowed. The patrolman fired after him

servers and critics. The Republican leaders have reason in his to feel a little like Germany under the patrolman in the darkness. Didelbaum to the Governor's left. weight of indemnities, a little as Hawker must have felt when he was soaring in the sky at night with no choice between glory and a grave in the sea. They have no guiding precedents and they must find land. They must medi- Proprietor Grabs Revolver and Fires ate finally between vast, sensitive and powreful groups whose interests have systems will wall at their doors. But today.

ered in Battle With Suspects

sales excises, and outlined generally, a Staff Correspondent of the Empine Public believed to have been stolen were seized dred comfortably. Washington, May 20.—Clearly dis- by patrolmen of the Trenton avenue and But the size of the crowds which gath- not arrive for some hours. by patrolmen of the Trenton avenue and Dauphin street station after they had shot one man, who escaped, and arrested shot one man, who escaped, and arrested shot one man, who escaped, and arrested shot one man, who escaped at 1:30 o'clock Speaker Spangler construction of the country and Dauphin street station after they had shot one man, who escaped, and arrested shot one man, who escaped at 1:30 o'clock Speaker Spangler country and Dauphin street station after they had country after the part of the country and the part Congress are the reasons why there a stolen army automobile. The patrolwill be no long-standing split upon men entered a house on Sepviva street the Depublican side in the Senate no the Republican side in the Senate, no near Tucker, where they put a husband, gether at the capital shortly before I permitted the flight.

> The police are working on the theory the Philadelphia charter committee A message to the Navy Department mills and warehouses in this city. In group of fellow revisionists. has been stolen in Philadelphia.

Bark Leads to Arrest

all under the burden.

The barking of a dog led indirectly senator Lodge's attempt to abduct to the arrests. Street Sergeaut Mur-Mr. Borah yesterday was not due to dock and Patrolman Dideibaum were standing at Harold and Tulip streets the attorney general entered the House at 4:30 o'clock this morning when they ciates will be wooed again. They are heard a dog. They decided to investibeing wooed now. Mr. Lodge knows gate. They saw a man's head peerbetter than any one that to any party ing out of an alleyway. It was witha majority in Congress at a time like drawn when he observed the patrolmen

patrolmen saw an automobile with two men in it. The sergeant made them surrender at the point of his revolver. The third man ran and Didelbaum foland he clapped his hand to a wound shoulder, but ran on, losing the been stolen from Major Herbert K

Continued on Page Twenty, Column Seven CHASES SALOON BANDIT

After Fleeing Would-be Robber

Quickness and courage on the part of been dislocated by the war. They must John J. Rome frustrated an attempted In the Senate the clerk, Henry M. define the rights and dues of workers, hold-up of his saloon, Twelfth street

when Clerk South Trimble completdustry. They are asked to embody their
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a revolver from his pocket and leveled
vided for the purpose, and when the
big window went up, he lest his balance
of two of the most powerful standing

Lodge and His Burden

It is not surprising that Senator
Lodge and those who advise him want

The principal, Miss E. B. Pendlebury, was notified by children who saw the accident and she telephoned to the police of the Branchtown station. The boy Lodge and those who advise him want a revolver which was kept there. The of the Branchtown station. The boy to knit their forces together for the would-be robber then fied into the street, Rome firing at him several times, after an examination the physicians cent a vote of thanks to the Italian asserted he was suffering from concusts of the shots took offect. The man estation. The boy was taken to the Jewish Hospital where a vote of thanks to the Italian asserted he was suffering from concusts of the shots took offect. The man estation are remination. The boy was taken to the Jewish Hospital where sent a vote of thanks to the Italian asserted he was suffering from concusts.

FIRST FIRE IN ON CONTRACTS

Revision Committee Recommends That City Do Own Cleaning of Streets

SCHAFFER OPENS DEBATE: MONEY WASTE, SAYS SCOTT

Chairman White Says Revision- Giant American Seaplane in ists Oppose Private Awards Unless It Is Unavoidable

Opposing Forces Well Represented-Hearing in House Chamber—200 Attend

By a Staff Correspondent

Harrisburg, May 20.—The contract ctions of the charter revision bills were naval scaplane NC-4, completing an other leg of its flight from Troppessy. the hearing here before the House com Woodward measures.

Thomas Raeburn White, chief spokes- Washington time, man for the charter revision committee, after sketching minor changes pro-posed for the bills, swung to the subject of city contracts.

own street cleaning and garbage re- forty-four minutes, or at the rate moval. As a matter of great emergency. it is proposed to permit private contracts

if they were sanctioned by a three-fourths voto of rise council.

Attorney General Schaffer first inter-rupted Mr. White's remarks and John R. K. Scott, a member of the house Mr. Scott endeavored to show that time. All O. K." the charter revision committee wanted

Although he had no official standing at the hearing, Senator Vare directed several queries to Mr. White regarding the proposed method of electing Coun

Hearing Changed to House

The hearing originally was scheduled Rolls of cloths valued at \$14,000 and seating about fifty and holding two hun forenoon hours watching for a favor-

City Controller Walton was

that all of it was stolen from cloth were Mr. White, Powell Evans and a carly today from Admiral Jackson said the last six months cloth to a total value Mr. Walton walked up the hill to the near the Azeres had definitely put her of nearly a quarter of a million dollars Capitol. Attorney General Schaffer, out of the race. The hull was leaking. bound in the opposite direction, passed the group. All smiled and nodded greet-

ings. Governor Arrived at 2:06 At 2:06 p. m. Governor Sproul and

chamber. Senator Vare was but a foot The Governor, the attorney general and Senator Vare took the seats usually

Vare to the right. A foot to the right of Scnator Vare William F. Stadtlander, chairman of the house committee on municipal

The charter revisionists were grouped together in the front of the chamber The possibility that Senate Republicans reopen the greater portion of it, re-

FALLS FROM WINDOW

Oak Lane Boy Seriously Injured not accept places on Republican Leader While Raising Sash at School Lodge's committee on committees. David Glickman, thirteen years old, 6510 North Fairbill street, was badly Republican leader, but they declined

injured today when he fell from a second because Kenyou and Jones had been school, Thirteenth street and Oak Lane, sives. Senator Lodge, however, refused The place was deserted at the time while raising the sash for his teacher. of relationships in the world of in-

at the proprietor.

"Throw up your hands!" he deand fell to the ground.

The principal, Miss E. B. Pendiebury, ecommittees.

U. S. SEAFLIER ENUS ANOTHER LEG OF VOYAGE

Miles an Hour in Trip From Horta

WILL RESUME EUROPEAN

Good Condition After New Test

SEN. VARE ASKS QUESTIONS NC-3 OUT OF OVERSEA RACE

Towers's Craft Damaged by Waves—Commander Reports Thrilling Experience

By the Associated Press

Washington, May 20.—The American other leg of its flight from Trepassey Delgada from Horta at 10:24 n. m.

The official report to the Navy Department from Rear Admiral Jackson at Ponta Delgada, showed that the big "The committee," he said, "adheres plane covered the distance of 150 miles to its plan of having the city do its neross the Azores in one hour and nearly eighty-seven miles an hour.

Machine Undamaged Admiral Jackson's disputell, filed at 10:25 a. m., Washington time, said "NC-4 arrived Ponta Delgada 14:24 G. M. T. (10:24 a. m. Washington

The plane will stop overnight at the city to do its own street cleaning least at Ponta Delgada and be over-"That is the right way, irrespective of cost," replied Mr. White. Read intends to complete his scheduled trip to Plymouth. The start for Lisbon A dispatch from Horta describing the

hop-off there today, says the wind was favorable and the weather clear when the NC-4 took the air. The crew went on board the NC-4 at

able opportunity to hop off, which did threatened to delay the departure of the

NC-3 Out of Race

The naval scaplane NC-3 will not be the damage resulting from the buffeting Mr. Gaffney, Mr. Connelly and she received when forced to land while

PROGRESSIVES BALK **OVER SELECTION OF**

signments-Against Penrose for Finance Chairman

of the Progressive wing may take no The hearing was opened at 2:16 part in the selection of Senate commitacres of the enclosure. Continued on Page Nine, Column Two Kenyon, of Iowa, and Jones, of Washtees developed today when Senators rival of two widely-known moderates ington, followed the grample of Senators Borah, of Idaho, and Johnson, of General Count Max Montgelas and Prof. California, and announced they would Hans Deibrueck.

denipotentiaries.

Brazil Thanks Italy Rio Janeiro, May 20 .- (By A. P.) TODAY'S BASEBALL SCOREBOARD

St. Louis... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1-792 Phillies...O O O 1 O 1 O 0 6-8142 Athletics.... 1 0 0 0

100 Dartmouth 7 0 0 0 1 1 1 -Penn..... 6 0 0 0 0 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati O 1 0 0 0 0 - -New York .. O' 3 3 1 0 0

Pittsburgh 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 352 Boston.... O O O 2 O O O O 0 —2102

Chicago... O O O 2 O I O O -Brooklyn. O O O O O O O O O

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston 0 6 0 mittee on municipal corporation on the N. F., to Europe, arrived at Ponta New York. R A II. N Cleveland.

OTHER MAJOR LEAGUE GAMES POSTPONED

PERSHING AT RHINE THREE RUNS FOR

gle and Hornsby's Homer

Cause Trouble

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger

on Way to G. A. R. Meeting

died instantly. Mr. Erwin was one of

General Defers Visit to London. Shotton's Double, Stock's Sin-German Reply to Terms Due

on Thursday

ALLIES HEAR FOCH'S PLANS WOODWARD VS. GOODWIN of Ireland were unable to fly.

By the Associated Press London, May 20.-The proposed visit to England of General Pershing, the indefinitely postponed. It is inferred today, hoping to nanex another victory here that this postponement is due to from the falling Cards. the official view that it would be inad-

Paris, May 20 .- (Be A. P.) .- Marshal Foch yesterday laid before the council of four his plan for military operations that are to be put into effect

in case the German plenipotentiaries decline to sign the peace treaty. After the conference between Marshal Foch and the council of four President Wilson had a talk with General Per-

allied and associated powers tomorrow, noen today when he attempted to cross which have reached Cape Race from The contents of the reply, the Berlin the railroad tracks near his home in Continued on Page Twenty, Column One Tageblatt says, will adhere closely to Somerton. German version of President Wil- Mr. Erwin was busy this morning son's fourteen points. The fifteen days making plans for the Memorial Day sighted and repetition of its call letters given the Germans to make their reply celebration in Somerton and crossed the "D. K. A." went unanswered. will expire Thursday. The general im- track on his way to a committee meet envoys will ultimately sign

SENATE COMMITTEES Berlin this morning, reported that he was active in the affairs of the G. A. R. had lost a diplomatic pouch. The of the state, courier thought the loss had occurred occupied by the reading clerks of the House, Mr. Sproul in the middle; Mr. Kenyon and Jones Refuse Asnouch, however, was found shortly afterward on the train which had brought the messenger.

Because of protests against the nonadmission of the public to the Trianon Washington, May 20,-(By A. P.)- Park, the authorities have decided to stricting the German mission to sixty The German delegation's numbers

> A reply by the allied and associated A reply by the allied and associated governments to the German note protesting against the economic terms of the peace treaty as being calculated to cause the industrial ruin of Germany has been delivered to the German peace of the peace treaty as being calculated to cause the industrial ruin of Germany peace of the peace treaty as being calculated to the German peace of the peace treaty as the peace tr

Germany Must Bear Part The reply is under eleven bends and answers each German contention. It answers each German contention. declares the allied and associated governments in framing the economic terms "had no intention to destroy Germany's

On the contrary, the report points ut that in the reconstruction of the of two of the most powerful standing out that in the reconstruction of the committees.

Con the contrary, the report points out that in the reconstruction of the world's affairs Germany will have her part in the progressive development, but also will share with the rest of the world in the economic losses and dis-advantages inevitably resulting from

> The reply deciares the German note fails to take into consideration the fact that the disarmament of Germany Continued on Page Twenty, Column Two

Prevents Planes From

By the Associated Press London, May 20.-No definite news

dane carrying Harry Hawker and Lieuing been received, it was believed in admiralty circles this afternoon that the daring aviators had come to grief soon after they left the shores of Newfoundland, Sunday, on their transatlantic flight for Ireland.

According to all reports no messages came from the biplane's wireless since the machine hopped off—not even a note of farewell and it is believed that Hawker woold have sent some me before getting out of radio range unless he met with an accident soon after the start. The opinion prevails that the

No Further Rumors

Off the Irish coast the weather is bad today and there are no further rumthat the Sopwith machine fell into the sea within sight of the River Shanuon. All communication centers here are si-

lent concerning the missing airmen. Owing to the weather conditions airplanes ordered by the air ministry to search for Hawker and his southeast winds.

British Government Criticized Phillies' Ball Park, May 20,-De In the House of Commons last night spite the inclement weather, Manager Josiah C. Wedgwood and other mem-American commander-in-chief, has been Jack Coombs decided to play the game bers severely criticized the government for omitting to provide means for as sisting Hawker in his flight across the

He was met with a big disappoint- Atlantic. and Hornsby's drive into the left field the life of a gallant gentleman."

St. John's, N. F., May 20 .- (By A. Goodwin was on the mound for St. P.) - Ships at sea from the American const to the British isles swept the air CIVIL WAR VETERAN KILLED in all directions through the night and today with wireless queries regarding Struck by Locomotive at Somerton the fate of Harry G. Hawker and Commender Mackensie Grieve, unheard from since they set off from St. John's James Erwin, eighty-nine years old. in their Sopwith plane on Sunday after and a veteran of the Civil War, was noon on their unprecedented transatwill be handed to representatives of the killed by a shifting engine shortly after lantle air journey, but all radiograms

The Sopwith plane had not been

Believe Hawker Lost Hawker's associates here, disap-A German courier, who arrived from the oldest of Civil War veterans, and pointed over the British Admiralty's announcement that the reports were inconfirmed that the Sopwith had descended when forty miles short of the BERLIN WOULD RECIPROCATE goal at the Irish coast line, expressed grave fears today regarding the missing aviators. They questioned whether the Americans May Investigate in Ger- life preserving aids carried by the two many if U. S. Gives Same Right men would

Berlin, May 20 .- (By A. P.) -It is stormy conditions. anounced officially that Germany is As an indication of the weather servready to permit an American commis- ice accorded the airmen, the admiralty ion to enter Germany for the purpose radio station here picked up last night of obtaining information concerning a wireless message addressed to Hawke American property here, provided Ger- warning him of storm conditions off representatives be allowed to go the Irish coast. Hawker's friends are to the United States on a similar mis- prepared to believe that this storm of the two aviators. The center of the disturbance was said here to be approximately 300 miles from the spot where

the Sonwith was reported to be on the

Wireless Completely Stilled There is no record of any acknowledgment by "D. R. A."

supervision over the competitive flight Spring a Fickle Maid

And no mere man may rule her, Roin tonight and cooler, But Wednesday will be fair.

sion under a guarantee of complete may prove to have caused the de

Jamaica, L. I., May 20,-Jockey Sande, riding the favorite Housemaid, snw Masda, an outsider, speed past to warning, or of any other mossages a victory in the opening five and onehalf furlong event here this afternoon. saddle, was third.

First RACE, for three-year-olds and up, laiming, purss 4600, 3½ furlongs; lasda 99, Wessler. 7 to 1 2 to 1 4 to 5 louesmaid, 107 Sande 8 to 5 1 to 4 cut pple Jack, II. (imp), 15 to 1 6 to 1 and 100. Witchet, 114, 10 to 1 3 to 1 6 to 5

alf furlong event here this afternoon, since Hawker began his eastward flight.

Apple Jack, 2d, with Carroll in the Hawker's associates are perplexed by The Royal Aero Club, which has