

LEGISLATIVE DEBATE  
La Follette Condemns Pact as British-Japanese Scheme to Aid Exploitation

Underwood Says Senate Will Ratify Pacific Pact  
Washington, March 22.—(By A. P.)—Confidence that the Four-Power Treaty would be ratified by the Senate was expressed today by Senator Underwood, Democratic leader, on leaving the White House after a conference with President Harding. He said, however, that the vote might be close. He expressed the opinion that the reservation to the treaty as reported by the Foreign Relations Committee would be adopted.

POLITICAL PRISONER AND HIS WIFE



Samuel E. Stokes, former Philadelphian and now a missionary in India, who was arrested as a follower of Gandhi, the Nationalist leader. His wife, who visited Philadelphia with him in 1914, is an Indian girl of high caste.

**MACHINE TOOL MERGER**  
Plans for Consolidation of Leading Concerns Announced in Wilmington  
Plans for merging the leading machine tool manufacturing companies of the country, including the Newton Machine Tool Works, Inc., Twenty-third and Vine streets, which have been under consideration several weeks, were announced today in Wilmington by the proposed merger of the Lodge & Shipley Machine Tool Company, Cincinnati; the Carlton Machine Tool Company; the Philadelphia Machine Tool Company, N. Y.; the Colburn Machine Tool Company, Cleveland; the Modern Tool Company, Erie, Pa.; and the Dale Machine Company.

**MOSCOW TRIAL PUBLIC**  
Soviet Denies Socialist Revolutionaries Will Be Secretly Judged  
London, March 22.—(By A. P.)—The members of the Russian Socialist Revolutionary party, imprisoned in Moscow, will be given a public trial before a revolutionary tribunal and not judged secretly, as was charged last week by members of the party living outside of Russia, says a message from Moscow today to the soviet trade delegation here.

**PHILA. MOTTOES TRAVEL**  
One Laid to City Statistician Wines Comment in Memphis  
Concerning indications that Philadelphia mottoes are attracting attention, it was found today by City Statistician Cattell, when he read the Memphis Commercial Appeal of March 21.

**GIRL TAKES THEFT ONUS**  
Says She and Companion Took Coats From Dance Hall  
Lillian Farrell, an attractive twenty-three-year-old girl, today shouldered the blame for the robbery of three coats from a dance hall in New York City.

**LADY ASTOR LANDS APRIL 19**  
Miss Mary Hay Tells of Reception Plan for That Day  
New York, March 22.—(By A. P.)—Lady Astor, former Virginia girl who has been claiming headlines ever since she got into the British House of Parliament, will arrive in New York April 19.

**MAYOR INSPECTS STREETS**  
Tours Frankfort to Look Over Improvements Planned  
Mayor Moore, Assistant Mayor and Councilman Horn today made a trip of inspection to Frankfort, where the extension of several streets is contemplated.

ISSUE STRIKE CALL TO 600,000 MINERS

First Time Hard and Soft Coal Men Have Been Ordered Out Together  
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**ARREST OF GANDHI CALLED "GREAT TACTICAL ERROR"**  
Feeling Against British Bitter in India, Says Carter H. Harrison  
Manila, March 22.—(By A. P.)—The arrest of Mahatma Gandhi by the British was a great tactical error, said Carter H. Harrison, former Mayor of Chicago, today.

**NEW WITNESS TO TESTIFY AT TRIAL OF ARBUCKLE**  
Had Room Next to Comedian's Suite on Night of Party  
San Francisco, March 22.—(By A. P.)—Completion of the cross-examination of Dr. William Ophuls, first witness for the prosecution, was before the Court today in the second session of testimony in the Roscoe Arbuckle trial.

**Aliens Leaving Hard Coal Fields**  
Mahogany City, Pa., March 22.—A great exodus of Lithuanians and Poles from the coal regions occurred today, hundreds returning to their native lands. Some are on a visit to relatives. The first time since before the war that a large number of aliens are leaving the coal fields.

**SEE DENBY ON NAVY YARD**  
Philadelphia Committee and Vard Get Interview Saturday  
Washington, March 22.—(By A. P.)—The Navy Department today by Representative William S. Vare, of Philadelphia, for the Citizens' Committee on the Construction of Work at the Philadelphia Navy Yard to confer with Secretary of the Navy Denby Saturday.

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**Prof. Henry R. Monteth**  
Storrs, Conn., March 22.—Prof. Henry R. Monteth, seventy-four years old, teacher of English and history at Connecticut Agricultural College for twenty-two years, died suddenly in Storrs, Conn., after a long illness.

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PARTY LINES TO GO BY BOARD ON BONUS

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**BRUNEN MURDER CASE STILL DEEP MYSTERY**  
Police Fail to Hear Anything of Value After Questioning P. E. Prell  
The third of the supposedly important witnesses in the Brunen murder mystery was eliminated today from knowing of the manner in which "Honest John" Brunen, circus owner, was murdered in his home at Riverside on the night of March 10.

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**EXPERIENCED BUSINESS EXECUTIVE WANTS CONNECTION WITH MANUFACTURER**  
Experienced general business executive and sales manager wishes to make permanent connection in executive capacity with manufacturer needing a capable man to help him in the carrying on or building up of his business.

**GIRL MET RICKARD AFTER HIS ARREST**  
Sarah Schoenfeld Says He Asked Her to Blame Another Man  
New York, March 22.—(By A. P.)—Presuming her testimony today before a Supreme Court jury trying Tex Rickard, fifteen-year-old Sarah Schoenfeld declared that three days after his arrest the sports promoter took her and Nellie Gasko, a school chum for an automobile ride through Central Park and told them to say "another man did it" if they got caught.

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