

THE WEATHER
Mostly cloudy and colder tonight...

CLEMENCEAU WARNS U. S. PART IN WAR IS NOT OVER UNTIL TREATY IS FULFILLED AS PHILA. GIVES HIM CORDIAL WELCOME

Hint of Another Conflict Follows Chide to Nation

SPEECH IS CLIMAX OF STIRRING VISIT

Great Statesman Is Given Rousing Greeting on Way to Independence Hall

SEES FAMOUS SHRINE AND MEETS DISTINGUISHED MEN

Crowds on Street Cheer as 'Old Tiger' Is Whisked From Place to Place in Auto

Clemenceau Has Busy if Brief Stay in Phila.

5 A. M.—Arrived in Philadelphia. 8:45 A. M.—Greeted by official Reception Committee at Broad Street Station.

Georges Clemenceau, "Tiger of France," told Philadelphia today, through the medium of a huge assemblage that jammed the Academy of Music, that America, latecomer in the war, had dictated the terms of peace, yet had not remained to see their enforcement.

The venerable War Premier, eighty-two years old, yet strong of voice, keen of eye, vigorous of soul and body, declared that he was here to say as a private person the things which France could not say officially; to beg America to let the world know that she would insist upon the fulfillment of the Peace Treaty terms.

It was a wonderful occasion, replete with enthusiasm, instinct with the love that America has borne of old for France.

Is Stirring, Colorful Scene

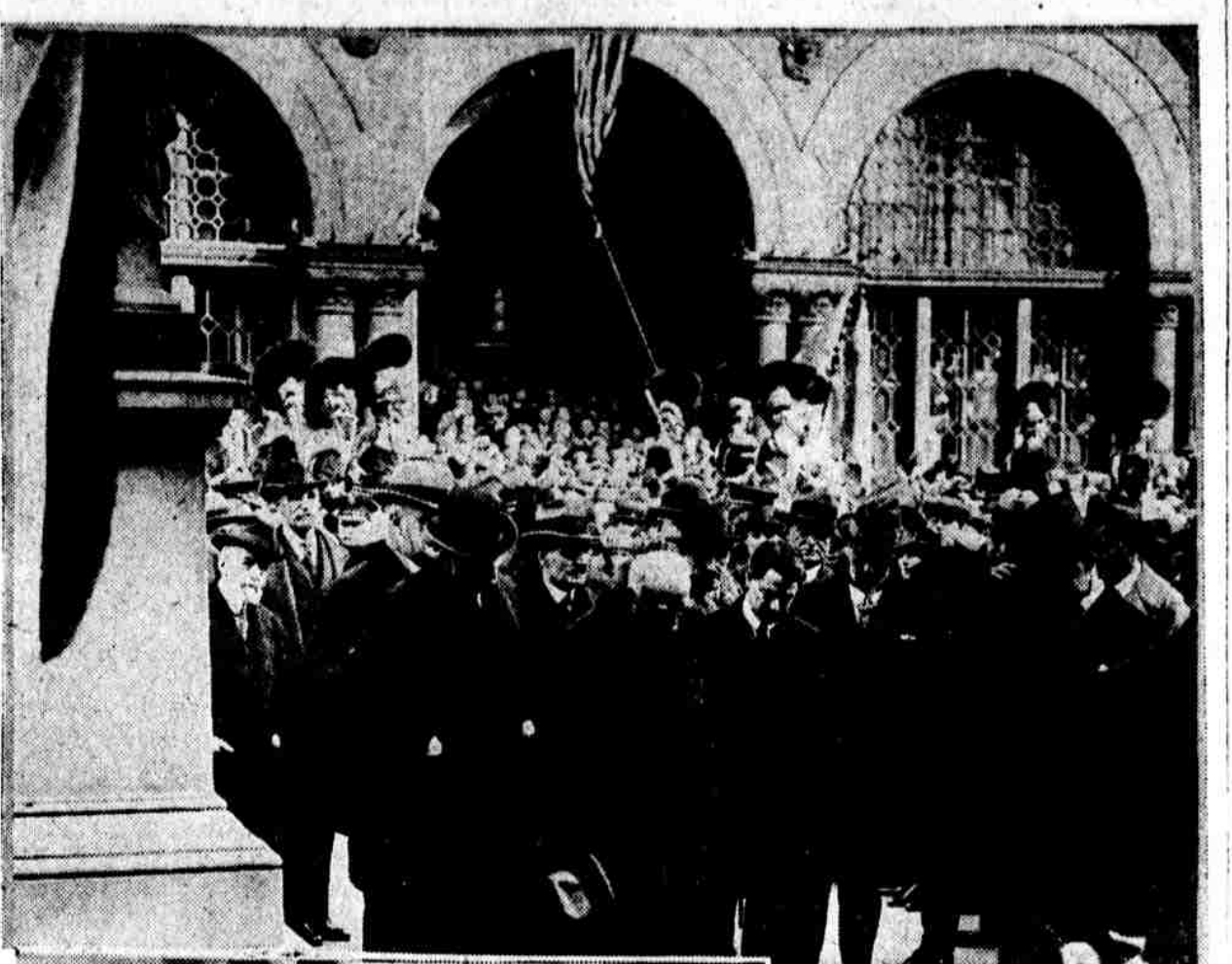
It was a colorful episode, even in the history of the old Academy of Music, which has been the theatre of some of the most stirring scenes in American history.

Clemenceau, idol of France, exponent of liberty, paid his silent homage to the shrine of liberty at Independence Hall before he attended the Academy meeting.

In a triumphant progress through the city, with crowds shouting hurrahs for "The Tiger," escorted by the First City Troop in all their brilliant trappings, Clemenceau was escorted from Broad Street Station over Chestnut street to Independence Hall, where he presently touched the Liberty Bell.

Notables Pay Their Respects

The Academy of Music began to fill early with the city's most distinguished citizens, men and women. The great building was hung on every available space with red, white and blue bunting and shields of French and American colors.



Clemenceau at the historic Liberty Bell in Independence Hall today as he paid tribute to America's noted relic of revolutionary days

Clemenceau Pays Silent Tribute at Liberty Bell

French Statesman Views Independence Hall and Is Touched by Historic Scenes at Noted Shrine

Cheers of Crowd Outside Add Zest to His Brief Visit to Famous Building as a Part of Trip Here

Georges Clemenceau paid a reverent visit this morning to Independence Hall and the Liberty Bell. A crowd in which children from the S. Weir Mitchell Public School predominated sang the Marseillaise and the Star Spangled Banner as the Tiger alighted from his automobile and stood at attention before the statue of Washington at the entrance to Independence Hall.

At the same room in which the Declaration of Independence was signed the venerable statesman was handed a pen that has performed similar service for Diaz, Forth, Joffre and Admiral Beatty and with it, signed the visitor's register while his Reception Committee, headed by Mayor Moore and Governor Shoup, stood silently at respectful attention.

There was no music, the space overtaken by the orchestra having been flooded over and equipped with movable seats.

There were few chairs vacant, either in the house, when the general public was admitted. Even so, there was a noticeable rush which the gatekeepers could not control, and there was some complaint by spectators that people

TWO DEATHS FROM GAS BELIEVED ACCIDENTAL

Young Woman Found Dead by Mother in Room Filled With Fumes

Two persons were found dead from gas poisoning today. Elma Halner, twenty-four years old, 2435 Tulip street, was found dead in bed, her head covered with a towel, when her mother, Mrs. Angeline Miele, went to the room to call her for breakfast. A hose from the gas jet to a stove had become accidentally disconnected filling the room with the gas.

300 PASSENGERS ARE MAROONED ON STRANDED FERRY

Long Beach, Unable to Make Her Wilmington Dock in Dense Fog, Sticks in Mud

With more than 300 men and women aboard, the ferryboat Long Beach, of the Wilson Line, was stranded by the dense fog for seven hours last night in the Delaware River at the mouth of Christiana River near Wilmington.

STORE MAN'S DEATH PROBED BY POLICE

Victim Helpless From Wounds He Was Unable to Account For

Mysterious circumstances surrounding the death this morning of Jesse Millner, forty years old, manager of a chain grocery store at Twenty-first and Montross streets, are being investigated by police.

GREEK PRINCE DENIES HE DISOBEYED ORDERS

King George in No Real Danger, Andrew Says

Paris, Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—Prince Andrew of Greece is quoted by The Paris Herald as saying that the charges of disobedience of orders preferred against him in his recent trial are unfounded.

TOOK AUTO VICTIM 3 MILES FOR AID

Truck Driver in Serious Condition After Long Ride to Hospital

While James E. Rich, a truck driver for the Atlantic Refining Company, was between his truck and a trailer, examining the coupling, early this morning, an automobile crashed into the trailer and crushed him.

EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR IN PENNA. POWDER MILL

Blast Near du Pont Is Felt Twenty-five Miles Away

Seranton, Pa., Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—Four persons are known to be dead and several were injured today in an explosion which destroyed the glazing mill of the Black Diamond Powder Company at Seranton, Pa., about eight miles south of Scranton.

FARMERS BEG FOR HELP TO FIGHT BARN FIREBOYS

Offer State Police at West Chester Pay for Protection

West Chester headquarters of Major C. M. Wilhelm, of the State Police, who is investigating barn burnings in Delaware, Chester and Accompany Counties, are being besieged by delegations of farmers begging for protection of their property and offering to pay for it.

BANDITS STEAL WHISKY WORTH OVER \$50,000

St. Louis Police Hunt for Band of Robbers

St. Louis, Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—Police today sought clues in the parking lot of whisky valued at between \$50,000 and \$100,000 by a dozen bandits who attempted to rob a watchman post at a government bonded distillery, Daniel Distilling Company here last night.

"INDIAN" IS STABBED

Seven-Year-Old Boy Victim of Accident at Play

Seven-year-old Leonard Fish, 185 1/2 North 11th street, is in the Memorial Hospital with a stab wound in the neck, the result of "playing Indians" with his playmate, Robert Carbaugh, seven.

GIRL DIES FROM BURNS

Race to Hospital to Save Victim of Matches Futile

Conchietta De Marco, five years old, who was burned while playing with matches in her home at 1221 Wilder street on November 21, died late last night in St. Agnes' Hospital.

SEARCH DESERT FOR FLIERS

Eight Planes Used in Effort to Find Lost Aviators

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—Through search of the deserts of Arizona for the two missing army officers from Rockwell Field, San Diego, who are believed to have made a forced landing, was under way today.

J. O. ANDERSON WINS AUSTRALIAN TITLE

Patterson Defeated in Final, 6-0, 3-6, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 9.—J. O. Anderson won the Australian lawn tennis championship today, defeating Gerald L. Patterson in a five-set match in the finals, 6-0, 3-6, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

'DOUG' LOSES IN COURT

Fairbanks' Plea Against Revamping Films Denied

New York, Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—The plea of Douglas Fairbanks to restrain Hyman Wink and others from revamping films in which Fairbanks appeared several years ago was denied by Supreme Court Justice Wagner today.

SUES RAILROAD BECAUSE OF HER INCREASED WEIGHT

Woman Gained 200 Pounds After Accident, Claims \$50,000

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9.—(By A. P.)—A Federal Court jury will be asked to determine whether an injury Mrs. Loren Caldwell, twenty-two, asphyxiated suffered in a Chicago and Alton Railroad crash, is responsible for the 375 pounds she says she weighs.

INSPECTORS' ORDER FINAL, J. WILLIS MARTIN SAYS

Moderate Smoking Advocated, as Long as Discipline Is Preserved

Common Pleas Court Judges favor doing away with the solitary confinement practice enforced in the county prison in Holmesburg.

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Risberg won the degree on the grounds that her husband was cruel and neglected her. She was given custody of their two children, but her plea for \$100 monthly alimony was denied on technical grounds, Risberg being out of the jurisdiction of the court.

LAST-MINUTE NEWS

SOCCER SCORES

Table with soccer scores: Westchesterland 3-6, Whitehall 0-0, Penn. Jr. Varsity 0-0, Haverford 2-0, Hisey 1-0-1, Kensington 0-1-1.

SETS ROUTE FOR ROUND-THE-WORLD AIR TRIP

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Sir Keith Smith, famous British aviator, has arrived here to prepare for a round-the-world flight he proposes to make in the spring of 1923.

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