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"BIG FIVE" TO RULE THE WORLD PRESIDENT PLANS IN HIS DRAFT OF PROPOSED LEAGUE OF NATIONS

U. S., Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan Selected as "Big Five" COUNCIL WOULD MEET ANNUALLY Other Nations Must Agree to Keep All World Covenants

Text of President Wilson's Proposed Plan to Organize Nations Against Future Wars

Paris, Feb. 14.—At the plenary session of the preliminary peace conference this afternoon at 3.30 p. m., at the Quai d'Orsay, President Wilson as chairman of the commission on the League of Nations, will read and explain the following report:

COVENANT "Preamble—In order to promote international co-operation and to secure international peace and security by the acceptance of obligations not to resort to war, by the prescription of open, just and honorable relations between nations, by the firm establishment of the understandings of international law as the actual rule of conduct among governments, and by the maintenance of justice and a scrupulous respect for all treaty obligations in the dealings of organized people with one another, the powers signatory to this covenant adopt this constitution of the League of Nations:

Article I "The action of the high contracting parties under the terms of this covenant shall be effected through the instrumentality of a meeting of a body of delegates representing the high contracting parties, of meetings at more frequent intervals of an executive council, and of a permanent international secretariat to be established at the seat of the league.

Article II "Meetings of the body of delegates shall be held at stated intervals and from time to time as occasion may require for the purpose of dealing with matters within the sphere of action of the league, and of the high contracting parties. Each of the high contracting parties has one vote, but may have more than three representatives.

Article III "The executive council shall consist of representatives of the United States of America, the British Empire, France, Italy and Japan, together with representatives of four other states, members of the league. The selection of these four states shall be made by the body of delegates on such principles and in such manner as they think fit. Pending the appointment of these representatives of

WILSONS LEAVE PARIS TONIGHT FOR TRIP HOME

Party Will Include Ambassador Francis, White House Staff and Troops LANSING MEN TO STAY

PLenary Session of Peace Conference Meets in Famous Room

HEARINGS GRANTED ALL Congress of Paris to End About June 1, Authority Declares

Paris, Feb. 14.—Preparations have been completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which will leave Paris tonight for Brest on a special train and sail tomorrow on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party will be reduced, the large staff of state department employees and numerous experts who came over with Mr. Wilson remaining in Paris.

The party will comprise President and Mrs. Wilson; David R. Francis, ambassador to Russia; White House employees, secret service men, the three hundred soldiers who have formed the guard around the Marat residence; Congressman George White, of Ohio, and P. D. Norton, of North Dakota, and representatives of three news associations. It will number 319 persons.

Troops Coming Too Not only will every cabin and stateroom be occupied, but the vast hotel will be filled with several thousand American soldiers who have been sent home to demobilization camps.

The agreement on the constitution of the League of Nations, the commission which has been framing the plan was effected on President Wilson's lucky day—the thirteenth—and there are just twice thirteen articles in the document.

MARKET SQUARE CHURCH CLOSES ITS 125TH YEAR

Special Services to Mark Century and Quarter of Active Life

Market Square Presbyterian Church will celebrate its 125th anniversary with special services Sunday morning. It is planned to have the services as nearly similar to those held at the time of the 100th anniversary as possible. The same hymns will be sung and the sermon will be preached by the pastor, Dr. G. E. Hawes, from the same text used by Dr. T. H. Robinson twenty-five years ago at the centennial service.

RADEK PLANNED SOVIET UPRISING

Copenhagen, Feb. 14.—Papers and letters found in the home of Karl Radek, the Russian Bolshevik emissary, whose arrest by the Berlin police was announced yesterday, indicated that he was planning a Spartan uprising in March, not only in Berlin, but the entire country, according to Berlin dispatches received here.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Unsettled this afternoon; probably rain to-night and Saturday warmer to-night, with lowest temperature about 45 degrees. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Probably rain to-night and Saturday warmer to-night in west portion; moderate, shifting winds, probably increasing Saturday.

KREIN, CAVELL PLOTTER, TAKEN BY FRENCHMEN

Paris, Feb. 14.—French military authorities now hold, on a charge of dealing with the enemy, a man named Krein, who is alleged to have played a leading role in the tragedy which cost Miss Edith Cavell her life.

ALL ROOMS OF PENN-HARRIS ARE NEARLY READY

Interior Decorators Have Big Task About Finished; Stores to Open "Penn-Harris Coffee Room" will be the identification of the Third street restaurant of the big hotel, which is now in process of being completed, with prospects that it will be ready for the public within two weeks. The last ten days have been almost as much activity in the huge hotel as when the forces were being all records to have the hotel ready for the public on the day assigned.

POLICE CASES ARE RIGIDLY PROBED, SOLICITOR SAYS

All Evidence in His Hands Gone Into Fully; Public Looks to Mayor City Solicitor John E. Fox to-day emphatically denied the report that he had "steered a safe course around the city scandal" at the police hearings before Council yesterday of officers Theodore A. Magnelli and Edward E. Schmebl, suspended by Mayor Keister because it is alleged they accepted graft to the extent of 20 cents, and Victor H. Bibb, for misconduct in trying to stir up a fight at the police station.

HI! HO! DAN CUPID DONS KHAKI PANTS FOR CHANGE

The Old Bow and Arrow Is Dropped For the Gun at Old St. Valentine's Suggestion What struck America on this Valentine Day? Hardly a sign of the familiar and grotesque cartoons which were wont to shock, enrage and embitter the recipient, no matter how keen his sense of humor.

VICTORY LOAN TO FIND CITY WELL PREPARED

Six Millions Likely to Be Harrisburg's Quota in Next Campaign Optimism is the sentiment of the officials of the Harrisburg district Liberty Loan organization, as they contemplate the prospects of floating the Fifth Liberty Loan, scheduled for March 1.

HEIR APPARENT TO MILLIONS IS ON MISSING LIST

Sailor Boy Who Claims Loan Shark's Millions Has Merry Chase The course of new-found heirs rarely runs smooth. Take the case of Daniel H. Tolman, 18, a \$30 a month "gob" at the Great Lakes navy training station who, two weeks ago, learned that he may be the missing heir to the \$5,000,000 fortune left by a grandfather, Daniel H. Tolman, known in Harrisburg and a score of other towns as the "king of loan sharks."

GERMANY PREPARES TO RAISE LOAN IN U. S. WHEN PEACE IS SIGNED

Geneva, Feb. 14.—The Lausanne Gazette says Germany is preparing to raise a large loan in the United States as soon as peace is signed. The dispatch adds that the money is to be used to pay for expected raw materials from allied countries.

LONG TIME LOANS SUGGESTED AS AID TO HOMEBUILDERS

Problems of Labor Men Are Cited as Important

Recommending the establishment of a Federal fund, to be enhanced by state appropriations, to enable workers to borrow at long-time rates enough to provide homes for themselves and thereby raise the standards of citizenship, Joseph G. Leland, 3rd, vice-president of the United States Housing Corporation, declared at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon in the Penn-Harris to-day that a housing board should be established at Washington to foster a universal housing plan.

He declared the Housing Corporation is designed to meet the present conditions and remedy them, was discussed. A plan which met with favor included the establishment of a state bureau of housing to supervise the cities, boroughs and townships which methods be made so that the establishment of the Federal fund can be made possible at the next session of Congress.

Of Local Interest Mr. Leland was introduced by Horace J. McFarland, chairman of the newly-organized housing committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. McFarland has been holding an important position in the housing committee at Washington.

When he went to Washington, he said, production was behind and full production was not scheduled to come until April of this year. Manufacturers guaranteed to increase production if the labor could be secured and kept on the job, however, for there was no place to put them.

"It was one problem, therefore, to stabilize conditions by securing housing," said Mr. Leland, who proceeded to tell how money was secured from Congress to carry on the work. Their first plan when hearing that housing was needed, was to open a registration bureau and to get residents of the localities to throw open their homes to boarders.

EBERT OUTLINES POLICIES OF NEW HUN GOVERNMENT

Commission Already Working on Problem of Disarmament For Germany TO HAVE DEFENSE ARMY Large Part of Teuton Gold Has Gone to Entente Countries FOOD PROBLEM LOOMS Von Bernstorff Not to Go to Paris as a Peace Delegate

Weimar, Feb. 14.—Count von Bernstorff will not go to the Peace Conference as a German delegate. Germany plans, for the time being, at least, a people's army on the basis of general conscription. Germany will announce within a few days her intention to carry out complete disarmament and demobilization. A commission made up of the Center, Democratic and Socialist parties now is discussing details of the new government program.

These points were made by Friedrich Ebert, the new President of Germany, in an informal talk with foreign newspapermen yesterday. Working on Disarmament The question of disarmament was first raised, since reports from the Peace Conference in Paris indicate that it is occupying a large place in discussions there. President Ebert astonished his hearers by declaring that a commission was already working on the problem.

SENATE ACTION MUST AWAIT PEACE

Paris—The plan for the creation of the League of Nations which President Wilson will take with him to the United States will not be in condition to permit action by the United States Senate until the treaty of peace is confirmed.

SHIPPING BOARD PAYMASTERS ROBBED

New York—Two assistant paymasters of the United States Shipping Board were held up and robbed of \$12,000 in the heart of Brooklyn to-day, according to a report received at police headquarters.

MAY CALL BIG SYMPATHY STRIKE

New York—The executive council of the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor meets here to-morrow to take action on calling off strike of thirty crafts it represents in sympathy with the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, which announced last night its members on Monday would resume their strike against the Building Trades Employers' Association.

WELFARE WORK

High spots in to-day's session of the Pennsylvania Conference on Social Welfare included: Discussion of legislation to remedy present housing conditions in the cities.

SLUM AREAS TO HAVE NO PLACE IN HOUSING CODE

Noted Speakers Address Social Welfare Conference on Civic Problems Prevention of duplication of present slum areas in the future development of the cities was the theme of the housing session of the Pennsylvania Conference on Social Welfare, held in the Penn-Harris hotel this afternoon.

Mr. Leland began his address by declaring that 1,000 years have passed, except for time, since the war began. A new world is taking shape, and those who do not adjust themselves to the new world will be left behind.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Allen Saunders, Steetson, and Eyn Wells, Harrisburg.