

ONLY SIGNATURE IS NEEDED TO PUT SEAL OF JAPAN ON PACTS

(By Associated Press)
TOKIO, July 1.—Approval by the privy council of the treaties adopted by the powers at the Washington arms conference today had left the Prince regent's signature the only formality remaining to place Japan's final seal upon the decisions aimed at world peace.

While there has been some talk of the sovereign authorities of all the subscribing nations signing the treaties simultaneously, Japan is unlikely to await this. The regent is expected to sign the treaties before his departure on July 6 for Hokkaido. He presided at the privy council meetings where the treaties were approved and naturally will follow the decommendation of his advisors whom he entertained at luncheon after the final session.

Secretary Taketomi of the foreign office will take the treaties to Washington as soon as they are signed. The re-sifications will be exchanged.

MARION BRUSHES UP TO WELCOME HARDING

(By United Press)
MARION, Ohio, July 1.—Marion, and by the same token, all Ohio brushed up today in anticipation of the return for a few days of its first citizen, President Harding.

The president will arrive in Marion for the centennial celebration Monday morning. He will deliver a short address and then retire to his famous "Front Porch" for a few days spent in visiting with the "home folks."

President Harding will leave Washington tomorrow by automobile. He will stop in Gettysburg, Pa., the first night and then continue his trip to Ohio. This visit was the first the president has paid to his home town since he left to take up his executive duties in Washington, a year and a half ago.

OLES CHANGES MIND, BUT JOB IS LOST

(By Associated Press)
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, July 1.—George L. Oles, who resigned as mayor of Youngstown last night, today made a futile effort to reconsider and resume the office which he declared "the most thankless job in the world." But the city solicitor ruled that Oles' resignation which was to be effective July 1, became valid at midnight last night—and Oles is out for good.

Traffic Rules, Taxicab Ordinance, Daylight Time Before Council Monday

Second reading of the traffic ordinance will be given at the next meeting of the city council, Monday evening. The council will also decide whether or not Richmond is to go by daylight savings time.

Decision on daylight savings comes up in the form of a resolution to repeal the ordinance. The resolution was introduced at a special meeting a few days after daylight savings was adopted, early in June and since that time has been given a reading at each council meeting.

Parking space for taxicabs in front of railroad stations of the city is provided for in an ordinance which comes up for second reading Monday. Some taxicab companies of the city charge that this ordinance creates a monopoly in that it gives the transportation companies the right to designate which line of taxi shall use the space set aside.

Appropriation of \$1,700 to be placed in the police miscellaneous fund, for payment of bills incurred by the department, will be up for discussion at this meeting. The ordinance was given its first reading at last meeting.

Board to Protect Army, Navy Men From Disease Goes Out of Existence

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 1.—The inter-departmental social hygiene board, created four years ago to conduct a campaign for the suppression of vice and the protection of army and navy personnel from social diseases, went out of existence today and its entire field force was disbanded, due to the exhaustion of funds with the close of the fiscal year. An eleventh hour attempt to secure a six months appropriation to continue the board failed when the item reached congress too late for inclusion in the general deficiency bill passed last Thursday.

The board previously had not submitted a budget estimate for appropriations for the new fiscal year because of the belief that the proposed new department of public welfare in which its activities were to be included, would be created before then. When it became evident several months ago that legislation proposing the new department would not be passed by congress, bills were introduced in the senate and house to transfer the board's activities to the department of justice. Neither of these came up for passage, however, in the crowded final days of the fiscal year.

During its four years of existence, the board is credited with the suppression of 83 vice districts, and the number of social diseases in the army at one time reached a low record.

Japanese Council Favors China Pacts

(By Associated Press)
TOKIO, July 1.—The privy council today recommended to the Prince regent ratification of the treaties relating to China adopted at the Washington arms conference.

Viscount Ito reporting for the committee to which the privy council had referred the matter said the resolution proposing discontinuance of foreign postoffices in China within a year had caused a heated discussion among members of the committee. Some committee members held that this provision involved considerable disadvantage to Japan desired to add reservations. He explained, however, that the committee wished to respect the spirit of the Washington conference and recommended unreserved ratification.

FAIRWORLD TRAVELER.



The intrepid Miss Gertrude Emerson, who has traveled over 50,000 miles in the midst of the guerilla warfare of India, the head hunter country of the Philippines and in the Orient in collecting material for a series of magazine articles she is about to write.

Dog Given Reprieve After Sentence Because Master Is Unnaturalized

(By Associated Press)
LANSDALE, Pa., July 1.—"Dick," a handsome dog of St. Bernard and mastiff parentage who was condemned to death because his master was unnaturalized, has a new lease on life today, having received an eleventh hour reprieve from Magistrate Boorse.

Recently some one made a complaint against "Dick" citing the state law against the ownership of dogs by aliens and he was ordered shot.

Dog lovers from near and far protested and at the hearing before Magistrate Boorse of the country side crowded the courtroom to plead for Dick's life. At the conclusion of the hearing tears were in many eyes, particularly those of the two little daughters of Jacob Silverman, Dick's owner.

The Magistrate ruled that the dog be given into the custody of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals which agreed to care for him. Silverman was fined \$25 for having the dog in his possession.

"Spook Light" Is Causing Nightly Watch Parties

(By United Press)
OAK HARBOR, O., July 1.—The "spook light" on what is known as the Lindsey road, five miles southwest of Oak Harbor, again is receiving much attention and is the cause of nightly watch parties.

The light is visible on almost any clear night, especially during the early hours. It appears first over the center of a small creek bridge, where it wavers a moment, then travels to the west side of the road to disappear near an abandoned house which the superstitious persons claim to be haunted.

According to these persons the light is the spirit of an old man reported to have committed suicide many years ago. Thousands of persons visited the scene six years ago. When interest in the strange light was sufficient to attract the attention of a famous scientist, he declared it was the result of phosphorus present in the bed of the creek.

Frillman to Introduce Ohio Bonus Proposal

(By United Press)
COLUMBUS, July 1.—Rep. Henry Frillman, 80, Columbus, oldest member of the legislature, may introduce the supplementary bonus proposal at the special session of the assembly Monday.

Frillman's name was mentioned prominently in this regard today. He is a veteran of the Civil war.

Would Expel Members Of Royalty From Bavaria

(By Associated Press)
MUNICH, July 1.—Independent members of the Landtag have introduced a motion demanding legislation to expel from Germany all male members of the reigning and princely families. The measure provides specifically for the immediate expulsion from Bavaria of all male members of the Whittelsbach family. Habsburg to imprisonment of from three months to five years if found in the country after the law took effect.

U. S. TROOPS RUSHED TO AID COMPANIES

(By United Press)
TAMPICO, Mex., July 1.—Federal troops were rushed into the Tampico oil field today to head off "General" Gorosave, who has threatened to return tomorrow to levy tribute upon American oil companies.

Three hundred and fifty cavalry men arrived from the south. A detachment of 150 infantrymen was sent from Tampico. It is reported 1,000 additional soldiers landed after being transported by boat from Vera Cruz.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Will Heckman, Center township girl; Mr. and Mrs. Crozier B. Thornburg, Hagerstown, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adkins, Centerville, boy; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lyons, Milton, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waltz, Economy, boy; Mr. and Mrs. John William Beach, Richmond rural route, D. boy.

STEWART, EX-MINISTER, STILL HELD IN JAIL

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 1.—Donald B. Stewart, former clergyman and vice-crusader, will be held in the county jail here until authorities from Boston obtain a fugitive warrant growing out of complaints against him in that city for bigamy, grand larceny and conspiracy. This information came yesterday when Stewart attempted to gain his freedom on a writ of habeas corpus, in the Los Angeles superior court.

Short News of City

75 Dog Tags Issued—Seventy-five dog tags have been issued this year according to the statement of Webster Parry, city controller.

Collection of Fees—Fees collected by the sheriff in the past month total \$49,95, according to a report turned in by him to the county auditor. Of this money \$173.65 was for fees from sales; \$329.30 from the clerks and \$2 fees on deeds.

LEGION OFFICERS QUIT
BEAUFORT CITY, Ind., July 1.—Commander M. A. Emswiler and the other officers of the American Legion at Montpelier, have resigned in order that the post may undergo complete reorganization, with a view to increasing its activities.

WOMEN GET EARLY START ON LAST LAP OF CHEST CAMPAIGN

The women's committee of the Community Chest campaign was on the streets at an early hour Saturday in an effort to put the drive over before nightfall.

Saturday was the final clean-up day of the campaign and the work was given over to the women's committee at a banquet-meeting of both the women's and men's committees Friday night in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A., where about 300 workers assembled. The returns of the men workers for the day were received and the prizes awarded to the winning teams and to the winning generals, as had been done at the previous meetings.

General Jesse Wiechman's division of the southwest territory was given the pennant awarded to the division with the highest amount of subscriptions raised during the campaign. His division secured 284 subscriptions to the total amount of \$6,425.

Dr. Ross Speaks

Dr. L. F. Ross, who was instrumental in the organization of the Welfare league and who is the present head of that organization, spoke to those present at the meeting, explaining the purposes and advantages of the league. He brought out the fact that the Welfare league was a distinct economic necessity to the community, in that the purpose of six campaigns was thus accomplished at the cost of one. The duplication of effort made necessary by a large number of individual campaigns is eliminated by the organization of the Welfare league, said Dr. Ross.

The number of contributors to the chest up to the time of the reports Friday night was 1,001 and the grand total of subscriptions received was \$31,132.50. The amount raised by the men's committee Friday was \$10,655. Can't Estimate Work

"There is no way to forecast the result of the women's house to house canvass for subscriptions today," said Director Hass when he was asked Saturday what the probable outcome of the women's drive would be.

"You see, this thing has never been done here before and it is hard to say what the day will bring forth. However, the campaign committee feel optimistic. It feels that the women will put the chest fund over the top."

The women workers will report their returns to their captains, these will in turn be reported to the generals this evening, and the final returns of the drive will be in the hands of the director some time Saturday night.

BLACK WHEAT RUST CAMPAIGN TO START

A campaign against black rust in wheat is expected to start early this month under direction of state officials in both Randolph and Wayne counties. The elimination of all common barley bushes, which are necessary as a host to the rust fungus during one period of the life cycle will be the most important measure.

While black rust is not so prevalent as the red or leaf rust, it still is gaining a strong foothold in this region, county agents point out. Ralph Test of Henry county has issued a special call to his clients to combat the rust.

In Wayne county the fungus has been found in various parts of the county, and one sample of badly rusted wheat is to be found on the bulletin board in the county agent's office.

TO EXAMINE LIGHTS ON AUTOS TONIGHT

Motorists of this community who wish to have headlights on their cars examined will be afforded the opportunity if they will visit the police station Saturday evening. First action toward checking the headlights and insuring the proper focus will be taken at that time.

Motorists will be referred to any checking station in the city, if their headlights are not properly adjusted, it was stated. Frank Pim, headlight engineer, representing the Hoosier Motor Club in an educational campaign to set forth the requirements of the state law will be present at the city hall to instruct motorists.

Those owners of cars on which the headlights comply with the state law will be given a certificate showing that their headlights have been properly adjusted.

"Submarine chasers and speedy motor boats have been added to the equipment, also an airplane service."

Deaths and Funerals

NATHAN P. WILSON
Friday evening at 7 o'clock at his home, 110 North West Fifth street. He was born in Whiteside county, Ill., Dec. 9, 1856 and had been a resident of Richmond for about 30 years. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frances Porterfield and Miss E. Annie Wilson; two sons, Charles E. and Edward K. Wilson; one brother, J. S. Wilson, of Bismarck, S. D. and six grandchildren. Mr. Wilson was a member of the North A street Friends church.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home. Burial will be in Earham cemetery. Friends may call any time.

CLARENCE GAGEN

Military funeral services for Clarence Gagen, who died in El Paso, Tex., will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church. Rev. Cronin will have charge. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery. Friends may call any time at the parlors of Pohlmeier, Downing, Stegall and company.

First Display of Force In Strike Is Reported

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., July 1.—The first display of force in the nationwide walk out of the railroad shopmen, occurred here this morning. Four hundred and fifty men of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, who laid down their tools at 10 o'clock, returned in force shortly afterwards and to couple up cars. Dense crowds of people trying to get out of town for the week end jammed the Grand Central station.

Yellow has been for generations the favorite color of the high officials of China.

IRISH LEADERS OF OPPOSING FACTIONS.



RORY O'CONNOR.



MICHAEL COLLINS.

Dublin is seething in a civil war. The Free State troops under the leadership of Michael Collins and the insurgents under Rory O'Connor have clashed at Four Courts, and the situation looks grave. Efforts to declare an armistice have failed.

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