

BOOTLEGGER SLAYING INVOLVES OFFICIALS

ENGLAND'S JAP LEANINGS MOVED HARDING TO CALL PARLEY, SAYS LAWRENCE

Inside Story Shows That Unrest of Britain's Own Dominions Over Far East Aggression Hastened Action.

AMERICA WANTS TO KNOW JUST WHERE DOWNING ST. IS ALIGNED

In this, the second of a series of dispatches, David Lawrence, famous Washington correspondent, tells the inside story of the Great Britain and the United States how each came to the big conference of armament negotiators.

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Washington, Nov. 1.—Great Britain and the United States face a "showdown."
Do the two English speaking peoples really stand together through their respective governments, or is all the talk about kindred races and "hands across the seas" only so much poppycock and dinner drive!

This, in a nutshell, is the first fundamental which will be settled by the conference on armament limitation and Far Eastern problems, which brings to Washington the representatives of all the major powers in the most important gathering since the peace conference that ended the European war.

To understand the many fine points of the coming conference, to read between the lines of its formal statements and diplomatically toned speeches, the average American who doesn't follow the intricacies of diplomacy will do well to bear in mind certain facts which have been developing slowly in recent months, but which, when removed entirely the veil of mystery from the proceedings which we are soon to witness here.

In the first place, without detracting in the least from the lofty spirit which actuated President Harding in summoning the conference of powers, it is important to discern just how the meeting happened to be called. Events forced the issue—events, indeed, over which the United States did not have complete control. Here is the inside story:

President Harding told the American people last week that he took office that he wanted to put America's house in order first before tackling questions of foreign policy. He honestly believed it could be done. Mr. Wilson, as President, had given first consideration to foreign policy, had gone overseas himself to help settle it, while taxation and after-the-war economic issues developed intense irritation at home.

Process is Reversed.
Mr. Harding thought he would reverse the process. But when he began getting conflicting messages from his trusted ambassador in Great Britain, George Harvey, telling him what was happening in Europe, Mr. Harding took counsel with Secretary Hughes and he realized that the situation was developing faster than he had imagined. He had believed that with the settlement of domestic questions, there would be time later to enter the realm of international conference. When Senator Borah of Idaho, in a speech clamored for a conference on disarmament, Mr. Harding felt that while the object was a good one, his hand ought not be forced. He believed such things could wait until our government was ready to give the whole-hearted attention to the matter.

11 FISHERMEN MAY BE DEAD IN JERSEY STORM

Upsetting of Boat Is Discovered When Bodies Are Washed Ashore.
Angeles, N. J., Nov. 1.—Eleven fishermen are believed to have been drowned, possibly more, by the upsetting of a small open motor boat in the southeast storm that prevailed along the New Jersey coast. One fishing boat is missing. The sea trawler was not discovered until two bodies were washed ashore near the Cold Spring coast guard station and the findings early today of an overturned boat. The two fishing boats left Angelees yesterday in the teeth of the rising storm for the fish pounds, about 10 miles off shore.

Nine-Pound Mushroom.
Paris, Nov. 1.—Henri Toopin, a farmer of Chateau-sur-Loire, a mushroom grower, was killed today when the head was more than three and a half feet in diameter.

Lady Laurier Is Dead.
Ottawa, Nov. 1.—Lady Laurier, widow of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, formerly prime minister of Canada, died at her home today after a short illness.

Daniel Moran's Empire Market.
Wednesday Specials—Meat and Spices.
Delicious fresh cream butter, 10c.
Shoulder cuts, 10c.
Corned beef, 10c.
Crisp, 10c.
Crisp, 10c.
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WHO WON WAR? FOCH! DECLARES GEN. PERSHING

Allied Generalissimo Gets Credit From A.E.F. Chief for Victory.

LEGION HOST PARADES Speeches From Distinguished Visitors Feature Day's Sessions.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 1.—Delegates to the American legion's national convention today extended an official greeting to their "buddies," Foch and Pershing.

This afternoon the big parade took place. Officials sandwiched some convention routine into the morning proceedings, after which the gathering proceeded to the legion station plaza, where the memorial Kansas City is to erect in honor of its war dead was dedicated.

During the dedication Kansas City sent to President Harding at Washington, and to the nation as a whole a message of peace. The message was prepared by R. A. Linn, president of the Liberty Memorial association, in the name of Kansas City and will be carried by a dove, emblem of peace and good will.

Enthusiasm Greets Foch.
General Jacques of Belgium, Gen. John J. Lejeune, commandant of the United States Marine corps, and General Diaz of Italy and his party, all were greeted with enthusiasm as they entered Convention hall.

It was not until the Frenchman walked down the stage, with General Pershing, however, that all of the great crowd caught sight of Marshal Foch. Their appearance was the signal for the widest enthusiasm.

The two stood side by side in the center of the platform and were cheered.

Grey Leading Liberals Drives Lloyd George to Tory Camp, House Shows

Former President Wilson's Confidant Contrasts Characters of Great Statesman and Ambitious Politician.

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Philadelphia, Nov. 1.—But little notice was taken of the cable announcement of a recent speech made by Viscount Grey of Fallodon at Berwick in Northumberland, and yet it was an incident of more than passing importance.

For several months there has been an unusual stir in liberal circles in Great Britain toward perfecting an organization in preparation for a general election which may now come at any time and which cannot in any event be delayed longer than 1923.

The Grey speech is significant not alone for what he says, but also because it marks his return to active politics and indicates his assumption of party leadership. It has been believed for some time that Mr. Asquith was willing to relinquish, into Grey's hands the place he has so long and ably held. The entire movement indicates a purpose to leave Lloyd George outside the party councils, thus forcing him to assume the leadership of the conservative party.

The Grey speech is what we would term in this country a keynote speech and may be taken as the basis of the line of attack which is to be made against Lloyd George and the coalition government as now constituted.

SHOWS LOYD GEORGE ALWAYS PLAYS TO WIN

If Lloyd George and Grey are pitted against each other in the forthcoming election, the conservative and liberal parties will have as leaders of their respective forces two men who are the direct antitheses of one another. Grey is much the abler and more capable politician. He seldom thinks ahead or formulates policy to be worked out consistently and consecutively. His motto has ever seemed to be "sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." He

ANTI-SOVIET SOLDIERS OFFERED AMNESTY

Berlin, Nov. 1.—A general amnesty proclamation inviting the return to Russia of all common soldiers of the former counter-revolutionary armies of Admiral Kolchak, General Denikin, General Wrangel and General Semenov, signed by Lenin and Trotsky, will be the main features of the celebration November 7 on the fourth anniversary of the Russian revolution.

R. A. DAY APPOINTED NEW YORK DRY CHIEF

Washington, Nov. 1.—Appointment of Ralph A. Day of New York as federal prohibition director for the state of New York, succeeding Harold L. Hart, who recently resigned, was announced today by Commissioner Blair.

Burchon Trial Today as Sayer of Kennedy; Woman is Co-Defendant



Divorced Husband of Oberchain Revealed as a Calahad.

RUSHED TO HER A
Billy Sunday Appears in
as Friend of Alleged
Murderer.

Special to the Herald.
Log Angeles, Calif., Nov. 1.—Archie Burch of Evanston, Ill., columnist of Madalynne Oberchain, judged the most beautiful girl Northwestern university, went on today charged, jointly with Mrs. Oberchain, with the murder here August 12 of her fiancé, J. Belton Kennedy, prominent broker.

To Mrs. Oberchain's aid her divorcee husband, Ralph Oberchain, a Chicago attorney, has rushed, gaining for himself the title of "the modern Calahad" and emphasizing the lasting power of her charms.

Burch, according to the state's theory, murdered Kennedy after being in wait for him following his refusal to marry her. Mrs. Oberchain is charged with having enticed the broker to his secluded Beverly Glen cabin in order that he might be killed.

Many and Tangled Loves.
Burch's motive, according to the prosecution, was to remove a rival from his path and to open the way to winning the love of Madalynne. She harbored the same theory, was actuated by the desire to test out a writer's devotion and in so doing to avenge herself for the growing indifference of the others. At the time of the killing of Kennedy, Burch had a wife, the daughter of Bishop Quayle of the Methodist church, and a son, 13 years old.

Mrs. Oberchain admits that she was infatuated with Kennedy and came

ICE CUTS OFF WORK OF RELIEF IN RUSSIA

Volga River Is Closed for the Winter owing to ice and low water. This will block steps to take relief to starving villages far from railway or wagon roads that are passable.

MEAT CUTTERS' STRIKE FAVORED BY 10 TO 1

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Leaders of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America are said to be preparing for a ballot here November 15, following a ballot last night which showed 35,354 men employed in Chicago plants were for a strike compared with 3,490 against.

BUFFALO STOCK YARD IS TAKEN FROM LIST

Washington, Nov. 1.—A supplementary list of stock yards which have been determined to come within the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture under the packers and stock yards act was made public by Secretary Wallace today. Thirteen yards are added to the initial list published October 20 and one yard, that of the Cranford Horse company of Buffalo, N. Y., which was in the first group, was not included in the revised list issued today.

N. Y. MILKLESS WHEN DRIVERS GO ON STRIKE

8,000,000 in Metropolitan Area Drink Black Coffee Today.

HOSPITALS SUPPLIED Homes Which Shelter Sick or Babies Are Also Cared For.

New York, Nov. 1.—Approximately 8,000,000 people in New York and surrounding cities found milk and cream supplies missing when they looked out their doors this morning. The cause was a strike of the milk wagon drivers union, voted last night when negotiations for a new working agreement failed.

The milk distributing corporations immediately began posting notices of their determination to put the "open shop" policy into effect in their business and advertised for men to take the strikers' place.

In the meantime, milk and cream by the millions of quarts was being pumped at railroad terminals in the affected area with distributors and city health authorities working hard to keep supplies moving to hospitals, nurseries, invalid homes and homes which have babies.

The remainder of the population, with the exception of a relatively small number of families served by independent dairies, was notified that it would have to step around the corner to the nearest grocery or distribution center for a supply. Police and fire trucks were moving milk and cream to these points. Plans were being worked out to open distribution centers in public schools and other public places in the event the strike continued for a long time.

Over 10,000 on Strike

The area affected, in addition to Greater New York, included Newark, Jersey City, Hoboken and other New Jersey cities; the greater part of the state of Connecticut; most of the Long Island shipping and a large area of Westchester county, New York. The normal consumption of the affected area exceeds 2,000,000 quarts a day.

More than 10,000 union men were present in Madison Square Garden when the strike was taken amid scenes of wild enthusiasm.

The drivers had waited in the big hall for nearly seven hours while their leaders conducted futile last minute negotiations with the milk conference board, representing the distributors. After balloting a vast preponderance of strike sentiment, the vote was made unanimous with a whoop.

Union leaders held out in the negotiations for \$5 weekly increase, with two weeks annual vacation on full pay. The employers countered with a demand for a decrease in wages of 10 to 15 per cent, but eventually withdrew this demand and offered to sign an agreement similar to the existing one without any reduction. This the union spokesmen declined to accept.

AMERICAN CONSULATE AT LISBON IS BOMBED

Grenade Explodes in Hallway; Was Protest in Sacco-Vanzetti Case.

Lisbon, Nov. 1.—A bomb exploded today on the staircase at the American consulate here. No damage was done, but the photograph which apparently was some form of grenade, had been placed before the door of the quarters of the American consul.

BREWERS SOON TO LEARN EXACT STATUS

Washington, Nov. 1.—All questions of law and regulation involving the immediate distribution of beer for the sick under the new excise rules were said today to have been settled finally by Internal Revenue Commissioner Blair and Prohibition Commissioner Haynes. The prohibition unit's policy under the new rules will be made known to brewers now being drafted.

DECLINES TO ENJOIN SERVING OF COAL MEN

Washington, Nov. 1.—Justice Hitz of the District of Columbia Supreme court, declined today to enjoin Attorney General Daugherty, United States Marshal Spain and others from serving subpoenas or other legal process on the National coal association and John D. A. Morrow, its vice president, to answer an indictment returned against the plaintiffs and 23 others in Indianapolis for alleged conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust law.

AMERICANS RAMSONED FROM MEXICAN BANDIT

Washington, Nov. 1.—State department advices from Chihuahua, Mexico, received today reported the capture yesterday of four Americans by Mexican bandits. Payment of \$5,000 pesos was demanded for their release, which was finally brought about by payment of \$5,000.

Liberty Market, 484 South Salina. High grade creamery butter, lb. 45c. Fancy selected eggs, doz. 45c. Fresh pure cut beef, 2 lbs. 18c. Round steak, 1 lb. 12c. S. L. chops, 1 lb. 10c. Veal chops, 1 lb. 10c. S. L. shoulder, 1 lb. 10c. Veal roast, 1 lb. 10c. Grapfruit, 1 lb. 10c. Oranges, 1 lb. 10c.

\$1,000 BAIT HELD OUT; RUM-RUNNER IS KILLED AS POSSE TRAPS HIM

Bruno Nitisco Is Shot Near City Line Following Complaint of Informer Who Said He Had Been Swindled.

AUTHORITIES IN AT THE DEATH BY CAREFUL PRE-ARRANGEMENT

The killing of a bootlegger last night in the Cleoro road threatened today to shake government and city police organizations with investigations of dry enforcement operations.

"Framed for a crooked deal," Bruno Nitisco or Nestico, 23, was shot dead at Fack's old place on the Plank road just north of the city line, at 7 o'clock last night in an ambush by prohibition enforcement agents, city police and informing accomplices.

District Attorney Malpass, in closed quarters today, questioned James A. Stapleton and Arthur Van Tassel, dry agents assigned to the Syracuse district; William F. Hannon, 810 Bellevue avenue, a former dry agent; John Kulis and Louis Snow, Syracuse motorcycle police; Harry Beam, alias Harry Yates, 205 Burnett avenue, the victim of Nitisco's operations; John Timmins or Timinski, a friend of Beam, and others.

U. S. SOLDIERS IN FRANCE HANGED, SENATE CHARGE

Investigation Ordered After Statement Is Made by Watson.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Investigation by a special committee into charges by Senator Watson, Democrat of Georgia, of Westchester county, New York, that American soldiers in France were hanged without court-martial or other trial was ordered today by the Senate by unanimous vote. The committee will be appointed by the president.

Senator Watson had produced a small photograph of an alleged hanged man and insisted his charges were true. Senator Borah said he had examined the photograph and had been told by two former service men that the charges were true, but that he was "unwilling to proceed on such evidence."

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RESERVE BOARD TELLS REASON OF PAY BOOST

Washington, Nov. 1.—Defending its action in increasing the salaries of employees of the New York Federal Reserve bank, the Federal Reserve board, replying today to a Senate resolution of inquiry, declared the advances were made in order to retain the services of officers who are constantly being tempted with outside offers at high salaries.

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