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LONDON, May 12.—One of the bands of militant suffragettes assigned to interfere with the pastimes of the men of the British Isles celebrated Whitmonday, which is a general holiday here, by burning down the headquarters of the Nottingham Boat Club on the banks of River Trent. The structure, which contained many valuable race and other skiffs, was destroyed, the loss being \$10,000.

Officials of the Midland Railway received an anonymous letter today saying: "It is my duty to inform you that a desperate act will be attempted in a few days to wreck a main line express."

The railway authorities think the letter may be a hoax, but they are taking precautions.

A bomb operated by clock work was discovered today under the veranda of the pavillion of the Limpsfield Tennis Club in Surrey. Suffragette literature found nearby indicated that an explosion had been planned by the militants.

Contending that it is illegal to suppress newspapers in advance, James Ramsay MacDonald and James Kler Hardie, both members of Parliament, announced tonight their readiness to undertake the responsibility of printing the Suffragette, for the absolute suppression of which the government is striving. Mr. MacDonald is opposed to militancy, but is fighting for free speech.

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FREE ENTRY OF PAPER.

Customs Court Decides That Euro-
pean Nations May Benefit.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The customs court today decided that European nations are entitled to the free entry of wood pulp and paper under the "most favored nations clause" of their commercial treaties with the United States, because the free entry privilege is granted to Canada under the only operative clause of the Canadian reciprocity agreement.

The court also held that the Treasury Department had placed a correct interpretation upon the Canadian reciprocity act by immediately adding wood pulp and paper free without reciprocal action by Canada. Dissenting opinions were delivered.

Norway, Russia, Austria-Hungary and Germany claimed the right of free entry of wood pulp and paper from their respective countries. Former President Taft declined to grant the request and referred the question to the courts.

It cannot be stated whether the Treasury Department or the Department of Justice will appeal the case to the supreme court. It has been the attitude of the government to oppose all appeals from the customs court, because the act creating the court says the decision of the customs court shall be final. The fact that the question involves the interpretation of treaties may cause the government to appeal.

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One Killed by Unmanageable Brook-

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ALL DISPUTES CAN BE SETTLED, SAYS BRYAN

Secretary Talks to International Peace Delegates.

THEY CALL ON PRESIDENT

Lessons of Treaty's Peace Emphases—Bryant, Deane and Others Speak—Delegates Ask the Right of Capital.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—"We are here to substitute the spirit of peace for the spirit of war. The idea of peace is greater than the idea of war. It is the duty of every citizen to support it."

Senator Root Presides

In his introductory remarks Senator Root, who presided, said that the world has never known a more peaceful time than this. He said that the world is now in a state of peace and that it is the duty of every citizen to support it.

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"Votes for Women"

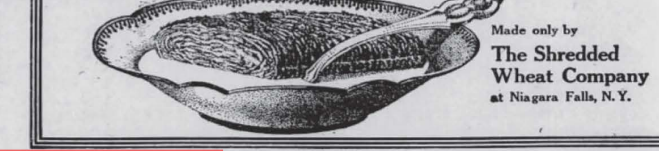
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INEXPERIENCED DIPLOMAT.

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PROTEST SPECIAL LICENSE.

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WASHINGTON, May 12.—The District Commissioners have issued an order protesting against the special license for the sale of alcohol.

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LONDON, May 12.—Miss Lillian Steel, suffragette, has written a letter to the British Peace Mission, in which she says that she would annex America.

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NEW YORK, May 12.—A young boy was killed and another boy was injured by a Tennessee automobile breaker.

WILL PROTECT CANAL.

Col. Goethals Plans a Breakwater at East Entrance.

PANAMA, May 12.—Col. George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama Canal, has announced that he will build a breakwater at the east entrance of the canal.

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INITIAL CARRIER LIABLE.

Attempt to Amend the Carmack Amendment.

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URGES A BIG NAVY.

Senator-Kieft Demands Don't Forget Trouble With Japan.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Senator Kieft, Democrat of Louisiana, has urged a big navy to protect the United States against Japan.

SHOT BY SHERWMAN.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 12.—While standing in front of a saloon, a man was shot by a sheriff's deputy.

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