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**EARLY CABLES.**

**DE VALERA SEEKS PEACE.**  
DUBLIN, April 27.  
Suspension of hostilities by Irish Republicans and an offer to negotiate peace with the Free State on certain conditions was proclaimed to-night by Eamon De Valera and his Chief-of-Staff E. F. Aiken. De Valera's Proclamation sets forth the general political principles of the Republicans and asserts that the ultimate court of appeal for deciding disputed questions is a majority vote of the people of Ireland; that resistance by violence should be excluded but that adequate facilities should be afforded the people for the proper presentation of the issues involved. The proclamation adds that nobody holding Republican principles should be excluded from Parliament and the Council of Nations. It says the military forces are servants of the nation and amendable to a freely elected National Assembly. De Valera expresses the belief that this declaration will afford a basis for peace, and adds "We hope this advance will be met in the spirit in which we make it and that it will be supported by all who love our country and desire a speedy and just ending to the present national trouble. As evidence of our own goodwill the army command is issuing herewith an order to suspend aggressive action to take effect as soon as may be, but not later than noon on Monday." The effect of this proclamation is still doubtful. De Valera all along has declared his willingness to abide by the will of the people but says still that to maintain that position the British Government must not interfere in Ireland if the people decide in favor of a Republic. Chief-of-Staff Aiken, in his order for a cessation of operations, tells the Republican troops to remain on defence and protect themselves and munitions.

**AUSTRALIA ASSISTS FREE STATE AUTHORITIES.**  
SYDNEY, Australia, April 27.  
The Commonwealth Government has intimated that immediate action will be taken if Irish Republican envoys re-attempt either publicly or privately, to raise money or obtain other support in Australia for rebels in arms against the Irish Free State.

**ANGLICAN LAITY APPROVE REVISION.**  
LONDON, April 27.  
The House of Laity for the National Assembly of the Church of England, has decided to give general approval of the revision to the Anglican prayer book.

**LONGSHOREMEN'S AGREEMENT.**  
BOSTON, April 27.  
A new wage agreement between the three Boston locals of the International Longshoremen's Association and the various steamship lines out of this port, as well as contracting stevedores, has been agreed upon; to be signed to-day. Under the agreement, longshoremen will receive 70 cents an hour with \$1.07 for overtime, and double time if compelled to work during supper hour from 5 to 7 in the evening.

**HEALTH SEA TRIP FOR BONAL LAW.**  
LONDON, April 27.  
Premier Bonal Law is going on a short sea voyage with the approval of King George for the benefit of his health. His doctors believe that his throat trouble will yield to this treatment.

**A WISE DECISION.**  
DUBLIN, April 27.  
The Chief-of-Staff of the "Irish Republican Army," has ordered cessation of hostilities at noon on Monday with a view to negotiations of peace.

**BOMB EXPLOSIONS ON RUHR RAILROADS.**  
DUSSELDORF, April 27.  
Five separate bomb explosions on Ruhr railroads cut railway, telegraph and telephone connections and temporarily disorganized traffic during the night. This is said to have been the most serious damage since the beginning of operations. During the subsequent confusions the Germans made a determined effort to run the customs barrier with goods, but were circumvented by the French and large quantities of goods were confiscated.

**U.S. ASKS BRITISH CO-OPERATION.**  
WASHINGTON, April 27.  
News representations on the subject of rum smuggling have been made by the United States Department which is requested in friendly terms to co-operate in preventing vessels flying the British flag, from engaging in liquor traffic between the United States and foreign ports. Among the subjects taken up is that of cancelling British registry of rum vessels found to be actually controlled by United States interests. The British Ambassador is asked to use his good offices with Canadian authorities to prevent the issuance of clearance papers to vessels with liquor designated for United States ports.

**WEYGAND FOR SYRIA.**  
LAUSANNE, April 27.  
General Maxime Weygand will ar-

rive here on May 1st from Paris en route to Syria, to assume the post of French High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief to Syria. Turkish circles seem deeply impressed over General Weygand's appointment considering it an indication of the determination of the French to strengthen Syrian defenses.

**LESS UNEMPLOYMENT IN BRITAIN.**  
LONDON, April 27.  
The number of unemployed has fallen to 1,239,500 from the two million mark reached in June 1921. There was a reduction of 45,000 in the last fortnight.

**N. S. SYNOD AND MISSIONS.**  
HALIFAX, April 27.  
At the closing session yesterday, the Anglican Synod, Diocese of Nova Scotia, passed a resolution empowering the appointment of a financial commissioner in connection with missionary and other funds.

**TRANS-EUROPEAN AIR SERVICE.**  
LONDON, April 27.  
Final arrangements for inauguration of the London-Berlin-Moscow passenger air service have been completed and the first airplane will leave here on April 30. Fare from London to Berlin will be thirty dollars.

**CONSULATES CLOSING IN VLADIVOSTOCK.**  
HARBIN, Manchuria, April 27.  
S. P. Tuck, United States Consul at Vladivostock, has announced that he is leaving the Soviet far eastern capital with his staff on May 1st, and has advised all United States citizen in this country to do likewise, according to advices reaching here yesterday. It was also stated that Vice Consul Edward B. Thomas, stationed at Gaita, is leaving on the same date. It is also reported that the British Consulate at Vladivostock is being closed in accordance with the recently adopted British policy toward the Soviet administration.

**CYMRIC QUEEN ASHORE.**  
HALIFAX, April 27.  
The British steamer Cymric Queen, 2,400 tons, is ashore in packed ice about five miles from St. Esprit, according to a wireless message received at the dockyard this morning. It is stated that she is in no immediate danger. The Government steamer now in Bras D'or Lakes blocked in by drift ice is unable to go to the Queen's assistance.

**SILLOAM'S CREW IN CUSTODY.**  
VANCOUVER, April 27.  
Captain Courage of Seattle and his three men who escaped from the Canadian fisheries patrol steamer Malaspina on Tuesday, when his schooner Silloom was captured and one of his crew, J. M. York, fatally shot is in custody at Kyugot Hr. according to advices here. They were landed there by the United States coast guard Schoonish which, it is thought, got them from the Seattle fish carrier Jennie.

**STEAMER A TOTAL WRECK.**  
MARSHFIELD, Oregon, April 27.  
The steamer Brush is a total wreck. She went ashore near the entrance to Coos Bay, but the forty-two members of her crew were taken off by rescuing vessels.

**WHY THEIR FLIGHT?**  
SEATTLE, April 27.  
Denial that the American fishing schooner Silloom was poaching when fired upon by the Canadian patrol boat Malaspina off the British Columbian Coast on Tuesday, was made to-day by Captain John Courage, master of the schooner.



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