

KAISER'S NOTE IS BEFORE CABINET

Belief Expressed that There is Little Danger of Further Friction with Teutons.

WILSON STANDS BY SEA LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Germany's latest formal note declaring that assurances regarding submarine warfare given in the Lusitania case have not been modified by its announced intention to treat armed enemy merchant ships as auxiliary cruisers after midnight tonight, was before President Wilson and his cabinet for consideration today.

The State department was understood to feel that possibility of difficulties arising in the near future as a result of the new German and Austrian policy is more or less remote.

Secretary Lansing took with him to the White House a pouch understood to contain the German memorandum and other papers relative to the case.

It was indicated in well informed quarters that the president would insist on a strict interpretation of the rules of international law as applying to Germany's new submarine warfare.

Information forwarded from Berlin purporting to contain proof that the British admiral had instructed captains of armed merchantmen to attack submarines had not arrived, Mr. Lansing said. The delay was believed to be due to conditions resulting from the war.

Secretary Lansing today issued the following formal statement:

"In view of the publication this morning of what purports to be the view of the State department on the communication received yesterday from the German ambassador, I wish to say that the contents of the communication have not been made public by me, and that any statement as to the views of the State department on the communication are absolutely unauthorized.

"I have made no comment and expressed no opinion in regard to the matter."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Administration leaders in congress are ready to bring the question of warning Americans off armed ships of the European belligerents to a vote at once, confident that they can defeat all such proposals. They feel that until the question is disposed of the president is hampered in the submarine negotiations with the central powers.

Germany's latest communication on submarine warfare was discussed in detail at today's cabinet meeting and at a separate conference between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, but no conclusion was reached. It was decided to await data on the way from Berlin regarding instructions alleged to have been issued by the British admiral to merchant captains for attacks on submarines.

Cabinet members carefully avoided questions of whether Germany's position as outlined by Count Von Bernstorff in a note to Secretary Lansing yesterday was acceptable to the American government. It was said that merely the facts were laid before the cabinet without any effort being made to arrive at a decision.

Seven Burned to Death in House at Taloga, Okl.

TALOGA, Okl., Feb. 29.—The bodies of seven persons were found early this morning in the ruins of a farmhouse which burned some time during last night six miles northwest of here. The dead have been identified as M. Creed, the occupant of the house, his wife, three children and his two brothers.

Britain Answers Protest Against Mail Interference

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Great Britain has replied to the American protest against interference with mails and the document is on its way by post. Secretary Lansing was advised of its coming today, but did not announce any indication of the nature of the British reply.

CENTRAL IOWA LUMBERMEN AT WATERLOO CONVENTION

WATERLOO, Ia., Feb. 29.—(Special Telegram)—Four hundred lumbermen of the Central Iowa Lumbermen's association are in convention here today.

Stephen D. Brown of Sioux City is president, William Scholesfeld, Eldorado, vice president; O. T. Barry, Cedar Rapids, secretary-treasurer, and the following are directors: D. E. Baker, Treas.; G. D. Rose, Dubuque; L. Ellis, Vinton; F. H. Henry, Belleplaine; F. J. Ward, Clinton; A. H. Mottler, Reinbeck; G. J. Kleveland, Jewell; J. P. Johnson, Cedar Falls; and A. J. Jaffrey, Cedar Rapids.

F. N. Snell of New Orleans and W. H. Bell of Chicago were two prominent speakers.

SHIELDS DENIES WATER POWER TRUST BACKS BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Senator Shields, author of the water power bill now before the senate, today challenged its opponents to substantiate charges of a powerful water power lobby behind the measure and assailed Gifford Pinchot, head of the conservationist organization here, for his opposition to the measure.

OMAHA YOUNG MAN LEADS BELOIT DEBATING TEAM

BELOIT, Wis., Feb. 29.—(Special)—A former Omaha High school orator and debating star, Andrew C. Scott, has been picked to lead the Beloit college freshmen team which will debate Carroll college, arguing for state minimum wage laws for factories and department store employees, here on March 7.

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ONE OF THE ENTERTAINERS FOR MARKET WEEK



GALATEA.

CHURCH SEEKS TO END PACKER STRIKE

Bishop Garrigan of Sioux City Diocese Urges Workers to Accept Bosses' Offer.

ADDRESSES LETTER TO MEN

SIoux CITY, Ia., Feb. 29.—Outside influence was brought into the strike of employes of the Cudahy and Armour plants today in an effort to settle the wage dispute.

Bishop F. J. Garrigan of the Sioux City Catholic diocese entered the strike this afternoon in the role of peace maker.

Rev. M. Cybulski of St. Cassimir's church, Lithuanian, in whose parish a great number of the strikers reside, appeared in the strike zone with a letter from the bishop addressed to the men.

Bishop Garrigan urged the strikers to return to work at the scale offered by the packers, which was a minimum of 25 cents an hour for laborers. He urged also the acceptance of the packers' offer, particularly as they had made a guarantee of eight hours work every two weeks.

Archib. Sinclair, secretary of the local Industrial Workers of the World organization, this afternoon addressed a meeting of strikers, in which he urged the men to be vigilant in peaceful picketing, but to refrain from violence.

He declared peace was the best policy for the strikers to pursue to gain their ends. Pickets should be at the gates of the packing plants morning, afternoon and evening, he asserted.

Suff Asks Divorce; Disdains Alimony

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Mrs. Crystal Eastman Benedict, suffragist, pacifist, business woman, wife of Wallace Benedict, electrical engineer, is suing for divorce. She cites actions of Benedict and an unborn woman as cause for the suit. No alimony is sought, as Mrs. Benedict asserts that a real feminist does not think of alimony and does not have to be supported by men.

HYMENEAL.

Beasley-Bassett. SYRACUSE, Feb. 29.—(Special)—Thomas G. Beasley and Miss Eva Beasley were married at the Methodist parsonage last evening by Rev. W. H. Wright. Both are popular residents of Syracuse and grew to maturity in this community. They will go to housekeeping at once in the fine new home just completed by the groom on his property in Syracuse.

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KNIGHT PLEADS FOR BIGGER SEA POWER

President of Sea War College Asserts Great Navy Only Way to Keep Peace.

BELIEVES NATION MENACED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The United States is maintaining more policies irritating to other countries than any other nation in the world. Rear Admiral Knight, president of the navy war college, told the house naval committee today, in support of his recommendation, that no time be lost in building the strongest navy in the world. To defend the Monroe doctrine and control the Panama canal, maintain an open door in China and enforce Asiatic exclusion, he said the fleet should be equal to or greater than Great Britain's.

Other world events, the admiral declared, made it seem probable that at the close of the European war various foreign powers believing that these American policies conflict with their interests might declare they would no longer accept them.

Admiral Knight's statements were drawn out by Representative Callaway, who insisted he could see no danger to justify a race for naval supremacy.

"Are we in any way menaced?" he demanded.

"In my opinion we are," said Admiral Knight.

"How?"

"I wish to be excused from answering this question."

"I would like to find somebody who would answer it," said Representative Callaway. "In the date of 1935, set for completing this great fleet, the date when this thing will break?"

"I don't believe it will break at all if we prepare now," said the admiral.

To equal the British fleet by 1935 Admiral Knight said twenty dreadnaughts, fifteen battle cruisers, twenty scout cruisers, seventy-five submarines and seventy-five destroyers would have to be added to the present fleet. He thought Great Britain would not regard an American building program as directed against it.

Woman Buys Farm With Butter Money

KNOXVILLE, Ia., Feb. 29.—Within twenty-four years Mrs. David Hughes, wife of a farmer living west of here, has made a clear profit of nearly \$2,000 by selling more than 60,000 pounds of butter. Mrs. Hughes has marketed a weekly average of sixty-six pounds of butter, and some weeks has sold as high as eighty pounds. Profits from her sales have been used in buying valuable farm land.

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Hog Values Are Higher Despite Record Receipts

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—A jump of 10 cents in the price of hogs today sent the market to \$2.90 a hundred pounds, the highest in sixteen months. According to veterans at the local stock yards the "whole country is going into hog-raising and more pork and bacon is being eaten today than ever before."

From the first of the year until yesterday 2,155,000 hogs were received at the Chicago yards, according to figures compiled today. This is an increase of more than half a million head over the similar period of 1915. For the eleven principal markets of the country the total hog shipments from January 1, 1916, to date is more than 7,500,000 as against 5,700,000 for the same period in 1915. This, it is pointed out, is in spite of the fact that the German land market is closed.

The extreme demand for pork created by the war, the spreading of the knowledge of the profits of hog-raising and the failure of last year's corn crop are the causes to which the unusually heavy hog shipments are attributed.

Department Orders.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—(Special Telegram)—Howard Linnville, rural carrier at Virginia, has been transferred to Odell, Neb., and William K. Tabor has been appointed carrier at Stapleton, Neb. Stanley D. Adolph has been appointed postmaster at Cowles, Webster county, Nebraska, vice Mrs. D. Johnson, resigned. The postoffice department has accepted the proposal of the First National bank of Minden to lease quarters for the postoffice at Minden for the term of ten years.

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An idea is a possessive when it has achieved success and the Paris milliner is never slow to follow it up, devising new methods to obtain the required effect. All shades of Blue from Ceil to Carbeau are decidedly a la mode. As to color combinations, one is struck by the various fetching ways in which Copenhagen Blue is united with black. Copenhagen ribbon trimmings are a creation of charm, the underbrims of the hats faced with black or Cobalt Blue.

It is, in fact, a captivating assembly of hats in the accepted fashions for spring—a medley of styles reflecting the prevailing mode in its most pleasing form.

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That is one good reason why advertised stores are more popular than those that do not advertise. People know that there is service, quality and reliability behind them. They look upon advertised stores as the standard trading places of the community. This is especially true if these stores have been advertised in the daily newspapers.

The standard of advertising is more exacting today than ever before. Advertisers are more careful of their promises and more interesting in their text and illustrations. They are more careful with the preparation of their copy and they arrange for its frequent appearance because they know it is repetition that makes an impression.

A clock without hands would create no interest and draw no crowds because while it might be running no one would know it. Just so with a store that has no advertising to tell the public what is going on inside. The successful merchants of Omaha "Point the Way" with their advertising which is continuously appearing in

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