

WILSON PROCLAIMS BIRD DAY

Formally Announces Thanksgiving for Thursday, November 26.

YEAR OF GREAT BLESSINGS

White House of Europe is in Conflict Commerce and Peace in the United States Have Gone Satisfactorily Forward.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—President Wilson today issued a proclamation designating Thursday, November 26, as Thanksgiving day. The president's proclamation, which refers to the fact that the United States is at peace, while the rest of the world is at war, follows: "By the President of the United States of America:

"A proclamation: "It has long been the honored custom of our people to turn in the fruitful autumn of the year in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his many blessings and mercies to us as a nation. The year that is now drawing to a close since we last observed our day of national thanksgiving has been, while a year of discipline because of the mighty forces of war and of changes which have disturbed the world, also a year of special blessing for us.

"It has been vouchsafed to us to remain at peace, with honor, and in some part to succor the suffering and supply the needs of those who are in want. We have been privileged by our own peace and self-control in some degree to steady the counsels and shape the hopes and purposes of a day of fear and distress. Our people have looked upon their own life as a nation with deeper comprehension, a fuller realization of their responsibilities, as well as of their blessings and a keener sense of the moral and practical significance of what their part among the nations of the world may come to be.

War Brings Co-Operation.

"The hurtful effects of foreign war in their own industrial and commercial affairs have made them feel the more fully and see the more clearly the mutual interdependence upon one another, and has stirred them to a helpful co-operation such as they have seldom practiced before. They have been quickened by a great moral stimulation. Their unmistakable ardor for peace, their earnest pity and disinterested sympathy for those who are suffering, their readiness to help and to think of the needs of others, has revealed to them to themselves as well as to the world.

"Our crops will feed all who need food; the self-possession of our people amidst the most serious anxieties and difficulties and the steadiness and resourcefulness of our business men will serve other nations as well as our own.

Changes Commerce Channels.

"The business of the country has been supplied with instrumentalities and the commerce of the world with new channels of trade and intercourse. The Panama canal has been opened to the commerce of the nations. The two continents of America have been bound in closer ties of friendship. New instrumentalities of international trade have been created, which will be also new instrumentalities of acquaintance, intercourse and mutual service. Never before have the people of the United States been so situated for their own advantage or the advantage of their neighbors or so equipped to serve themselves and mankind.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, the 26th of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and invite the people throughout the land to cease from their wonted occupations and in their several homes and places of worship render thanks to Almighty God.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. "Done at the city of Washington, the 28th day of October, in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the One Hundred and Thirty-ninth.

WOODROW WILSON, "By the President:

ROBERT LANSING, "Acting Secretary of State."

Rose Seeks Ships to Carry Cotton Abroad

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Robert F. Rose, foreign trade adviser of the State department, held conferences with owners of American steamships in an effort to obtain ships for the carrying of cotton to Holland and Germany.

Germany, Mr. Rose said, is in urgent need of 50,000 bales of cotton and Austria needs 25,000 bales. In his opinion, Mr. Rose said, Germany will need 20,000 bales and Austria 25,000 bales a month. The British government has assured the State department that cotton, not being contraband, would be allowed to go to Germany and Austria in neutral ships. American ships are desired to carry these shipments, which will materially reduce the congestion of cotton in the south, so that they can bring back dye stuffs, cyanide, chemicals, medicines, sugar beet seed and potash, all of which are ready for shipment to this country.

Harvey Makes Second Call Upon Wilson

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Colonel George Harvey called upon President Wilson at the White house today for the second time within a month. With Fred Lynch, democratic national committee man from Minnesota, he discussed the political situation and told the president that in his opinion the outlook for democratic victory was excellent.

Colonel Harvey revealed after leaving the White house that while he never agreed with the president's policy of not recognizing Huerta in Mexico, he thought subsequent events had made the president's program work out very well.

Colonel Harvey has talked with Henry Watterson since the latter's call on the president recently and it was said that all the pre-election unpleasantness had been ironed out.

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United States Coast Is Well Protected Says Mr. Sherley

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 28.—"The United States is so well fortified, with the exception of two points where work now is in progress, that an attack from the sea probably never will be made on any of these fortifications," said Representative Swager Sherley in an authorized statement here today.

Mr. Sherley is chairman of the House committee on fortifications and is campaigning in the Fifth Kentucky district seeking re-election to the house.

"The theory upon which the fortifications have been constructed," said Mr. Sherley, who led up to the subject with a discussion of the seventeen-inch guns used by the Germans in Belgium, the existence of which he said he doubted, "is to protect important harbors from a direct attack by a hostile fleet. This has been done, except at San Pedro, Cal., where emplacements for guns are being built, and at the mouth of the Chesapeake, where land has been acquired and estimates shortly will be submitted for placing sixteen-inch guns, along with other armament, that should protect that entrance.

"Our guns are of the most modern pattern," he continued, "and are capable of destroying the most modern superdreadnought. Whether it may be thought advisable in the future to prepare certain minor defenses in the rear of our coast fortifications is a matter about which there is some difference of opinion, and which likely will continue to receive consideration at the hands of the war college and the general staff."

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DR. REED DISCOVERS CURE FOR EPILEPSY

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 28.—That a cure for epilepsy through a surgical operation on the intestines has been demonstrated in many cases, was announced at the meeting of the Mississippi Valley Medical association here today by Dr. Charles A. L. Reed of this city, who first described his alleged cure several months ago.

Dr. Reed held that the majority of cases of epilepsy are caused by poisonous substances absorbed by the human system from the intestines. All previous surgical practice has been to operate on the brain.

Controls and Fires Torpedoes Several Miles Off Shore

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—As far as the eye can see with the aid of a telescope the movements of a small boat off shore it is now possible to control such a craft laden with a heavy charge of dynamite, by the use of the radio system, in the opinion of Brigadier General Weaver, chief of the coast artillery. Experiments which the army is watching are now in progress with the object of spotting the system of control to a submerged torpedo and it is believed that the problem already has been solved so that an operator on shore can direct such a torpedo with surety against an enemy's battleship lying several miles out at sea.

MRS. CARMAN'S HOME BANKED WITH FLOWERS

FREEMONT, N. Y., Oct. 28.—Mrs. Florence Carman, who on Monday was released on \$25,000 bail, following the disagreement of the jury at her trial for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, today left her home here for her husband's farm at Raven Rock, N. J. Dr. Carman and her daughter, Elizabeth, accompanied her. Since Mrs. Carman returned home from jail she has been showered with gifts of flowers. Every room in the house was banked with flowers today. Her attorney said today that it had not been decided as yet whether a second trial would be demanded for his client.

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