BLOCKADE IS NOT ACCEPTED BY U.S.

Bryan Issues Statement America Has Not Recognized Order as Im. plied by British Note.

MISTAKE SAYS SPRING-RICE

WASHINGTON, May 21 .-- Prestdent Wilson and his cabinet met today for the first time since they gathered ten days ago and approved the note, which the United States subsequently sent to Germany as a protest against the sinking of the Lusitania with the loss of more than 100 American lives.

In the absence of any definite news from Berlin, there was no discussion, it was understood, of the probable contents of a reply which Germany is preparing.

Not Recognition. When the cabinet met there had been published here a memoratidum given out in London by the British foreign office. saying the arrangements being made by Great Britain with American cotton interests for dispostion of their cargo were understood to be acceptable to the United States. Later Secretary Bryan gave out a statement declaring that whatever had been done by representatives of the State department to assist the cotton interests had been of an unofficial and informal character, and was not "to be construed as a recognition of the order-in-council, insued by Great Britain.

Tonight Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador issued a statement explaining that this was also his understanding and suggesting that there had been some mistake in telegraphic transmission or erroneous impressions had been given British officials in London by representatives of the American cotton interests.

No Reply Received.

The United States has never received a reply to its note of March 30, in which the British order-in-council proclaiming an embarge on all neutral commerce directly or indirectly with Germany always declared to be a violation of international law.

In view of the continued detentions of American cargoes under the order-incouncil a note was prepared a week before the Lusitania disaster occurred, which was to be sent to the allies as soon as further data on interference with American shipping could be secured. In some quarters there has been a disposition to urge the dispatch of the note to Great Britain at this time, because of the conviction it might convey to the German government of the purpose of the United States to obtain an adherence to international law on the part of the allies.

Discussion Brief. There was but brief discussion of the guestion today among cabinet officials, as President Wilson had previously re- Business and Yards Men Enthusisolved that the situation with Germany ought not to be complicated with any new correspondence with Great Britain. He took the position that the questions raised over the sinking of the Lusitanta had been settled on their merits trrespective of other controversies, which the United States might have with other belligerents, holding moreover that the German government should naturally have every confidence in the intention of the United States to bring about an

PARTIES COALESCE IN ENGLISH CABINET TO PRESS WAR-The picture shows Premier Asquith, who still remains head of the British government; Bonar Law, unionist, slated as chanceller of the exchequer; Sir Erward Carson, reported lord priby seal; Winston Churchill, who leaves the admiralty to become secretary for India, and David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer.



AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA astic Over Plans for Greater Omaha Election.

WARD ORGANIZATION FORMED

mous vote of all present.

For One Big City.

of Chicago

WARD ORGANIZATION FORMED Thirty-seven South Omaha business men met at the business place of N. E Carter last night and formed a citizens' organization to adopt the best means of bringing out a majority affirmative an-nexation yote June 1. Because Charles 5. Duke, porter in the will be served. The women of the First Christian thurch will serve an election dinner the dorean hall, Twenty-fourth the soloon last night and out a long gash in his scalp with a pocket hall at Twenty-third and N streets. The done. done. nexation vote June 1. One "Big Omaha," with one set of of-ficials "big enough" to govern Greater Omaha, and a steady, consistent pull against legalizing by popular vote bonds 10,000 Park board improvement bonds nexation vote June 1. the numerous speakers present. Folities was unanimously voted to the rear and the meeting resolved itself wholly into one insistent shout for annexation and the dist of the period hord itself. W. EL Reed, manager of the Clay-Robin-the dist of the period hord itself. the defeat of the park bond issue. son firm, was appointed manager of the Joe Koutsky, recognized leader of local campaign at the yards and exchange business men, opened the meeting and building. controvert further the right of Great N. E. Carter was elected chairman with J. J. Breen, chairman; H. G. Pike Britain to enforce virtually a blockade Ed Roggen as secretary. Park Board printer, and Attorney A. H. Murdock Member Ben Sanger spoke briefly were appointed committee on arrangeexplaining the evident intention of the ments for the coming campaign. Ward consigned to neutral ports irrespective Fark board to buy up more and should captains were appointed as follows: of destination, was the intimation con- the bond issue receive the popular ap- Charlle Winters, First ward; Joe Dlask, proval and urged the men present to work Second ward; J. P. Krause, Third ward; for the defeat of the measure on June 1. P. J. Trainer, Fourth ward; Tom Kozial, He was seconded by an effective speech Fifth ward; Sam Schrigley, Sixth ward, Notwithstanding the misunderstandings from J. J. Breen and the latter introduced and Jay Trapp, Seventh ward. The meet-

South Omaha, Dundes and Omaha with meetings in preparation for the "Billy Sunday campaign. Everybody is invited. Other services at the usual hours. all separate municipalities. Could we strike a decent blow with such high taxes Magie City Goastp.

and unknown individuality? No, certainly not. We must be united."

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plained that the bill would in no way change the school systems of South Omaha other than to subordinate the superintendent of schools and the chief

CAN HARDLY HOLD

ITALIAN SOLDIERS

Officers Have Difficulty to Bestrain Men from Crossing the

Frontier.

HUGE MILITARY ENCAMPMENT stage and put through its mechanical

UDINE, Italy (via Chiasso to Paris), May 22 .- From the Alps down to the sea, the whole vast reg- that those of the crews, who do not apion has been transformed into a rear then, will disappear altogether from huge military encampment. Every- the roster

where are tents, gun carriages and flags and the intense activity which it a place of beauty. Pleasant scenes, marks a military camp.

ruins of Aquileia, a second Rome

C. The Italian army officers have erties as well," said Renze. great difficulty in restraining the soldiers from crossing the frontier is within three or four of the desired here, the men being anxious to con- number, which is fifty. quer Friuli from which came Beren-

"No Passage Here."

being no admittance through here."

the king.

Decisive Action Difficult.

and Serbla resume their offensive.

the valley of the Isonso river in eastern Italians it is said, may advance with three main bodies from San Giorgio, Pulmanova and Cormans, proceeding one, having as their ultimate object Trieste.

TWO MEN IN QUARREL

Because Charles S. Duke, porter in

crew of each "boat" as it was brought into the "garden" just in front of the urprises. It was the last ordinary working crew

night. Next Monday there will be a dress rehearsal and Mr. Renze served notice

palms and Cupids appear up around the

garius, the first king of Italy.

The troops most anxious to fight are the Alpine soldlers, who are of the same type as the French Alpine chasseurs These men number 30,000 and they have seen chosen from among the strongest and bravest of the mountaineers. They are commanded by a selected set of officers, who know all the secrets of the snow capped boundaries The Alpine troops occupy all the passes, their motto

Four of the heat known Italian generals are here working day and night with their staffs. These men are Gen-erals Frugones, who distinguished himself in Liba; Lauccari, who is much admired by the troops; Nays, well known for his energy, and Brusati, a brother of General Ugo Brusati, aide-de-camp to

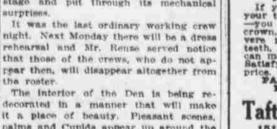
were sunk. This order, it is added, was issued to the commanders of all German submarines.

The general opinion is that it would be almost impossible for decisivo action through the well fortified Alpine region of the province of Trent, where an attack would have as its only object the keeping there of a large contingent of hostile troops. For the same reason, a landing of Italian troops might occur on the Dalmatian coast, it is said, or some contingent might go to help Montenegro

The conflict may find its solution in Friuli, according to military critics. The towards Gorits, Gradisca and Monfal-

The Boo Want Ads Are Best Business Boosters.

OVER AID IN SICKNESS



In the extended plains of Friuli, edges of the cellings. The walls are stretching along the sea, Italian sen- covered with painted scenes and with tinets near the frantier can see the lattice work, over which roses will

"It not only makes it much more atfounded by the Romans in 181 B. tractive, but improves the acoustic prop-

> Germany to Respect U.S. Flag Upon Ships

GENEVA, May 22-(Via Paris.)-A dis-patch received in Basel from Berlin tohight states, that the German governmay procure full size packages from may procure rull size backages from your druggist. Following are the remedies: Each for a purpose.
1—Warner's Safe Remedy for the Ridneys and Liver Soc and \$1.00
S—Warner's Safe Rheumatic Remedy \$1.25 ment, before discussing the * American note concerning the sinking of the Lusttania, promised Washington to respect the American flag on ships. Germany also agreed, it is stated, that if ships belonging to the allies were to be torpedoed, notice would be given to the passengers and crews before the vessels

3-Warner's Safe Diabetes Remedy 4-Warner's Safe Nervine 500 and 81 5-Warner's Safe Arthma Remedy 750 6-Warner's Safe Arthma Remedy 750 250 Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 352, Rochester, N, Y.

\$1.25



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ning next month. Be sure and visit our Talking Ma-chine Department on the main floor before you purchase. We have the larg-est and most complete stock of Vic-

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Victrola and Grafonola Headquarters

Working Crews Of the King Are Coached for Stunts The working crows of Ak-Sar-Ben were taught their duties last evening at the Den by Gus Renze, who coached the





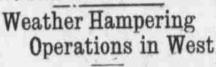
ce to intern its rights were violated.

It is certains therefore, that the note to Great Britain, which has been prepared for some time, will not be sent until after the German reply is received. When asked concerning the proposed note. Secretary Bryan said:

No New Representations. "We have the subject under consideration. No new representations have been made to Great Britain."

That the United States is prepared to against neutral countries detaining cargoes of non-contraband-such shipments veyed by Secretary Bryan in a statement regarding the British foreign office memorandum.

and conflicting statements with reference a motion urging the defeat of the bond ing adjourned until Wednesday evening, to the arrangements between the cotton issue "deal," which received the unani- May 26, the evening after which the aninterests and the British government, the memorandum issued by the British foreign office attracted much attention. United States on various detentions of Omaha," said the business men's leader, a week from this evenyes, a vaudeville is preparing to protest.



LONDON, May 22 .- "Since my last Sir John French, the British commanderin-chief, in an official communication made public tonight, "the operations have been hampered by the weather.

"But in spits of this our troops have made appreciable progress near Neuve open arms and then they will give us a Chapelle. The main characteristics of square deal." these operations have been numerous local fights for strong points behind the enemy's original line. In capturing several of these points our infantry has again displayed great gallantry.

On the remainder of the front there is engagements.

"Last night we brought down a German aeroplane in the neighborhood of Tpres."

London Hears Very

LONDON. May 22 - The Petrograd correspondent of the Morning Post. in a that every year the city of South Omaha dispatch dealing with the hostilities in the southcastern theater of war, says: News from the great battle raging over

"News from the great battle raging over a 250-mile front remains exceedingly grave. The Russians are making prog-ress on both flanks, but this is unim-portspit, as the German main onset is at a center from the confluence of the San and Vistula rivers to Przemysi, a dis-

nexation court proceedings goes into Annexation Slated Affirmatively. court. Carl Beal Benefit. Koutsky took the annexation matter to It was generally regarded as having been a rousing welcome by discussing the mat- - The Carl Beal benefit entertainment has put out to anticipate complaint by the ter from the laborer's standpoint. "In taken a definite form. Saturday evening,

American cargoes. It did not, officials "the Commercial Club, in co-operation entertainment will be presented by sevnoted, refer to the legal principles un- with the improvement clubs of the city, eral local alumni. Over 1,000 tickets have der which the American cargoes are be- is making an organized effort to make been printed free of charge by the Stocking detained and purchased by the pro- the vote there, so large as to make it man Press and will be sold at 25 and 50 visions of the order-in-council. It is this impossible for us to defeat the measure cents to the public. Posters with the against which the American government should we be so inclined. But the fact of picture of the young athlete on the cover the matter is, the majority of the people will be run off this afternoon and a comof South Omaha are for annexation of mittee under the direction of Principal necessity. Today we are in vital need of S. W. Moore will bill the town.

more manufacturers of the small town Alumni took the matter in hand imvariety who can offer our laboring men mediately after all hope of raising the Operations in West from eight to ten hours' day labor. In money through the Board of Education the packing houses at present the aver- had been given up, and it is expected are man laborer gets from three to seven that \$300 or more will be raised by the hours per day with hundreds constantly entertainment. To raise the remainder

communication of the seventeenth," says out of work. The forceful power of the of the \$200 deemed necessary by the at-Consha Commercial club to bring new manufacturers here will not be won by any attempt on the part of the people of South Omaha to oppose this bull. We south Constant to the people of dances, if local dance hall owners will must meet the people of Omaha with donate their floors for the occasion.

"Father's Day" Celebrated. "Father's day" will be celebrated at

the First Presbyterian church tomorrow. big" city with one set of officials "big Rev. Robert L. Wheeler, pastor of the Attorney A. H. Murdock argued for one enough" to govern a Greater Omaha. The church, has arranged a special program for the celebration and will preach a facilities here in the way of trackage and other valuable natural sites mark nothing to report except minor artillery the south ride of a Greater Omaha as Sunday school hour, at 9:45 a. m., will having wonderful possibilities & the peo- also be taken up with the special prople residing here would cut out person- gram. All the fathers in the congregaalities and banish the imaginary line, as tion are extended a special invitation by argued. Colonel Fitz-Roberts corroba- the pastor and are urged to attend.

rated his statements by declaring that South Omaha was situated in the finest Base Ball Games Postponed. The South Omaha-Counch Bluffs base corn raising telt in the country with a ball game scheduled to be played yes-Grave News of Russ capacity to handle more live stock than terday atternoon at Merchants' park in any other market in the world outside Council Bluffs, was postponed until next capacity to handle more live stock than terday afternoon at Merchants' park in Tuesday afternoon because of the wet

Judge J. J. Breen and Ed Roggen stated grounds. Church Notes.

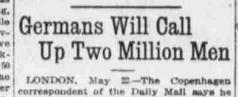
was compelled to send east from 49 to 45 was compelled to send east from 40 to 45 per cent interest on the outstanding 13,-000,000 debt in issued bonds. Breen stated that for a sentence of the rest of sermon, "Pentcost." that from 85 to 99 per cent of the prop-

German Publishes Budget of Belgium

LONDON. May 22-A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam says:

"General von Bissing, the German governor general in Belgium, has published the Belgian budget for 1915. It gives the revenue for the year as \$35,001,096 and the expenditures at \$39,631,096. The statement says that means for providing for the deficit of \$4,600,000 will have to be found

later.



has learned from an authoritative Berlin source that Germany is about to call up 2,000,000 men. Berlin official circles, he states, believe that an army of 560,000 will be aufficient to cope with Italy.



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they stretch as nature requires without the strain and pain on cords and ligaments. This influence extends through the myriad of nerves to deeper sur-faces, the internal organs. And thus a poriod of repose must reflect itself not only in the mind of the mother, but upon the

in the mind of the mother, but upon the balas to come. A point upon which all experienced people agree is the accepted fact that whatever an expectant mother may do for herself that is tafe and harmlens is bound to encourage confidence in herself. And as she applies "Mother's Friend" with her own hand when-ever required and just where needed, she soon learns to forget those apprehensions so often imaginative.

Young mothers who have used "Mother's Friend" have written to say how rejoiced they were at the absence of morning sickness a center from the confluence of the San and Vistuiz rivers to Przemysi, a dis-tance of sixty miles, every yard of which has been the scene of desperate fishting for days. It is here that a decision must be reached, and so far the Germans con-tinue to have the better of the struggle."



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