

British Earl Raps Idealism Urges America to Seek Self-Interest in Dealing With Other Nations.

Williamstown, Mass., Aug. 25.—In an appeal to America to join the allies in winning the peace, the earl of Birkenhead, former lord chancellor of Great Britain, emphasized in the final lecture of the Institute of Politics last night his self-interest as a nation should determine this country's course. He asserted the world was not yet ready for the idealism of Woodrow Wilson.

Lord Birkenhead declared the world probably would not survive if idealism were given a completely free rein. A nation in democratic conditions ever would become the knight errant of the world.

He said Mr. Wilson's judgment of his countrymen was wrong and through this error he became the agent of all President development from which altruistic minds would have recoiled.

He insisted that Germany should be made to pay, as a warning to others, declaring that a dozen unscrupulous but powerful men, deliberating privately in Berlin, had decided upon the world war.

"It is no use abusing the treaty of Versailles," he said. "That treaty was the creature of the victorious mood of the victorious allies."

"I am bold enough to doubt it. For the real truth is that while the whole world requires the encouragement and light of idealism, the whole world would probably not have survived if idealism were given a completely free rein."

Y Secretaries to Meet at Sheldon Three-Day Conference of Employed Officers—Boys' Work to Be Discussed.

Columbus, Neb., Aug. 25.—Officers, workers and executives of the Young Men's Christian association of Nebraska will hold their annual three days employed officers' conference at Camp Sheldon, September 7, 8 and 9.

The opening address of the meeting Friday evening, September 7, will be delivered by J. Dean Ringer of Omaha and will be preceded by a chicken dinner which will be followed by songs and devotional services in charge of E. R. Hirdge, Grand Master, Y. M. C. A. secretary, and by Charles A. Muselman, Omaha state secretary.

The second day's program in camp begins at 8 Saturday morning. Mr. Birge and Thomas Wilson, Beatrice workers, will preside over the round table discussions of the day's work.

Dr. J. E. Krueger, Fremont, will preach the conference sermon at 9:30 Sunday morning, practically concluding the sessions.

KATO FUNERAL TO BE THURSDAY

Tokio, Aug. 25.—The funeral of Japan's late premier, Baron Tomosaburo Kato, who died yesterday, will take place next Tuesday, August 28, according to announcement made today. The late statesman will receive all the naval honors due an admiral of the fleet. Baron Kato formerly was commander of the first squadron and minister of the navy.

Real Estate Transfers.

Agnes C. Murray and husband to Louise V. Johnson, \$4,000. Dunder DeWitt to Sarah Leffler, \$1,000. Jackson, Western ave., 355 ft. w. w. 1/2 ft. to Mrs. Frank W. Johnson, \$1,000.

Coolidge-Capper May Head Ticket Kansas Publisher Picked as Vice Presidential Possibility.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Coolidge and Capper as the republican ticket in 1924, was the prediction here Friday of Philip Campbell, former representative from Kansas and chairman of the house rules committee in the last congress. He said: "Coolidge will be the nominee of the republican convention, in my opinion. His running mate will be Senator Capper of Kansas. Conditions are such that in that direction, Capper is identified with the farming interests to a larger extent, perhaps, than any other man in public life."

"The farmers are being recognized as a political factor more than ever before. It is not unnatural to suppose that a man of ability, not wild with crazy schemes, who does not make intemperate exaggerated statements, might be chosen."

"Both parties will pay more attention to the selection of vice presidential candidates than they have for many years in the past."

"The real farmer isn't saying half as much as demagogues and politicians would have you believe. He has a hard time, but not half as hard as these men would make you think he has. He is paying his debts, has good crops, is diversifying and getting on his feet."

Campbell picked former Supreme Court Justice Clarke of Ohio as the democratic presidential nominee, and said the only candidate with whom the democrats would have a chance of electing would be Senator Underwood of Alabama, "who cannot get the democratic nomination." He added:

"When the time comes for the democratic convention to make a selection, the 'silent man' of 8 street (Woodrow Wilson) will send down the word that Clarke is the man and he will be named."

COOLIDGE STANDS BACK OF WOOD LAYING OF NEW CABLE IS BEGUN

Washington, Aug. 25.—The Washington government will stand squarely behind Governor General Leonard Wood in his administration of affairs in the Philippine islands. In making this announcement Friday a spokesman for President Coolidge said the administration would continue to support General Wood as its authorized representative in the Philippines and should it be found advisable would go so far as to help him in the adjustment of difficulties that have arisen.

It is not to be assumed, it was added, that any controversy would arise to invoke Washington action or that the Philippine islands would be a source of that would be injurious to the Philippines or be found lacking in fairness to them.

PRIME MINISTER MAY VISIT U. S.

Melbourne, Aug. 25.—Stanley M. Bruce, prime minister of the Australian commonwealth, announced today he had received an invitation from the American government to visit the United States and probably would accept.

STRIKE SHADOW HITS SECURITIES

New York, Aug. 25.—Alternate periods of weakness and strength characterized this week's securities markets, with the news of the strike in the oil industry expected to show a further increase in the price of oil. The market was moderately optimistic at the close of the week, but the oil strike shadow was felt in the market.

Omaha Grain

Omaha, August 25.—The Omaha spot wheat market showed a good advance, selling up to 1c to 1 1/2c, with the market showing a strong upward tendency. The dark winter wheat is to 1 1/2c premium over the ordinary.

The active short covering of yesterday was continued here today, but the market during the early part of today's session. It was induced largely by the fact that the market for outside prices. It showed, however, a slight net gain for the day. The highest point today was made at the opening. Profit-taking came in and when wheat weakened the market promptly, closing fractionally lower than it did yesterday. The following are the Omaha spot sales were reported:

No. 3 dark hard, car, smutty, \$1.12 1/2. No. 2 hard, car, \$1.12 1/2. No. 1 hard, car, \$1.13 1/2. No. 3 yellow, car, \$1.08 1/2. No. 2 yellow, car, \$1.09 1/2. No. 1 yellow, car, \$1.10 1/2. No. 4 hard, car, \$1.01 1/2. No. 3 hard, car, \$1.02 1/2. No. 2 hard, car, \$1.03 1/2. No. 1 hard, car, \$1.04 1/2. No. 3 yellow, car, \$1.05 1/2. No. 2 yellow, car, \$1.06 1/2. No. 1 yellow, car, \$1.07 1/2.

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New York Quotations

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CURB MARKET IS IRREGULAR

New York, Aug. 25.—Definite price trends in the curb market were observed in the last week, with steady gains in the average of the week's trading. The market was moderately optimistic at the close of the week, but the oil strike shadow was felt in the market.

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Omaha Produce

Omaha, Aug. 25. Butter—Local, 10c; Creamery, 10c. Eggs—Local, 10c; Creamery, 10c. Poultry—Local, 10c; Creamery, 10c. Cattle—Local, 10c; Creamery, 10c.

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