

CURRENT EVENTS

The negotiations at Spa with the Germans, on the shipping question are temporarily broken off, the allied terms being regarded as hard.

The constitutional committee of the Austrian national assembly is reported to have adopted a proposition declaring German Austria a democracy and an integral part of the German republic.

The United States Senate committee on Bolshevist and other anti-government propaganda, continues its sessions, hearing conflicting testimony about conditions in Russia.

Ambassador D. R. Francis, who went to Russia in 1916, testifies that in his opinion, should the Bolsheviks continue to rule Russia, Germany will exploit that country and be stronger than when the war began. He charges that Raymond Robins is an emissary of the Bolsheviks.

The supreme war council at Paris arranges for a resumption of negotiations with the Germans for merchant ships in exchange for food.

A joint debate on the League of Nations is arranged between Senator Lodge and President Lowell of Harvard, the debate to be held at Boston.

An estimate by General March puts the total of battle casualties of the American army in France at 240,197, including killed, wounded, prisoners and missing.

Claims filed by American citizens against Germany and Austria-Hungary for damages to life and property now aggregate \$750,000,000.

Reports from the Peace Congress indicate that great progress has been made in agreeing on the boundaries of the new Germany, the effort in all cases being not to rob Germany, but to restrain her and prevent another ruthless attack upon her neighbors. When the terms of German peace have been fixed, those of peace with Austria will be considered.

Plans for the resumption of the negotiations, broken off at Spa, are completed, Brussels being the meeting place.

Solicitor Lamar lays before the Senate committee investigating propaganda information that there is an amalgamation of radical forces having for its object the overthrow of the American Government.

The Spartacan revolt in Berlin, in which the number of killed and wounded is now estimated at 1,000, is said to have been definitely put down.

The supreme war council of the allies at Paris adopts military terms of German disarmament. An army of 100,000 is provided for.

It is estimated that the German delegates may be called into the peace conference about March 20.

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Society

SOCIAL CALENDAR

- March 21—  
Phi Gamma Delta formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Alpha Tau Omega formal—Governor's Mansion.  
Delta Chi—Rosewilde.  
Pi Kappa Phi—House party.  
Phi Gamma Delta formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Alpha Tau Omega formal—Lincoln hotel.  
Delta Chi—Rosewilde.
- March 22.  
Delta Gamma banquet—Lincoln Hotel.  
Kappa Alpha Theta formal—Lincoln hotel.  
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- March 28—  
Delta Tau Delta formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- March 29—  
Gamma Phi Beta formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 2—  
Junior Prom—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 11—  
Phi Kappa Psi formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 12—  
Alpha Sigma Phi formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Phi Kappa Psi banquet—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 19—  
Delta Delta Delta formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Viking formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Alpha Phi banquet—Lincoln Hotel.  
Sigma Nu banquet—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 25—  
Delta Upsilon formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- April 26—  
Alpha Delta Pi formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Sigma Chi formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- May 2—  
Pi Beta Phi formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Alpha Chi Omega banquet—Lincoln Hotel.
- May 3—  
Alpha Chi Omega formal—Lincoln Hotel.  
Pi Beta Phi banquet—Lincoln Hotel.
- May 9—  
Xi Psi Phi formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- May 10—  
Sigma Phi Epsilon formal—Lincoln Hotel.
- May 16—  
Delta Zeta formal—Lincoln Hotel.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Le Roy Thompson of West Point visited Helen Thompson, '21, at the Delta Delta Delta house Saturday and Sunday.

Rhea Hendee, '19, spent the week-end at her home in Omaha.

Farm House announces the pledging of Kenneth A. Clark, '22, of Craig; Asa Hepperly, '23, of Norfolk; Robert W. Rice, '22, of Norfolk; Loys F. Smith, '21, of Stella; E. A. Frerichs, '21, of Talmage.

Marian Brown, ex-'19, of Papillon, died of pneumonia last Saturday at the Ward-Belmont School, Nashville, Tenn. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Karl Brown, '19, arrived there several days before her death.

Eunice Pike, '21, spent the week-end at her home in Omaha.

Guests at the Kappa Sigma house over the week-end were: Leonard Swanson, '20, and Fred Cotter, '18, of Omaha; Walter Gibbons, ex-'19, of Comstock; Norman Newberry, ex-'22, of Alliance, and Leslie Orr, ex-'19, of Clay Center.

Helen Houston, ex-'19, of Tekamah, is visiting at the Kappa Alpha Theta house this week.

Florence Lewis, '21, went to her home in Fairfield for Saturday and Sunday.

Mabel Roberts of Alma has been a guest at the Chi Omega house for several days.

Ruth Welch, '19, went to her home in Omaha last week-end.

Russel Bailey, '21, spent last week at his home in Carleton, where he was called by the death of his brother.



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CLOTHED OR UNCLOTHED

Deans of twenty-one universities, meeting in connection with the gathering of national educators in Chicago this week, solemnly declared that girls ought to wear more clothing. Their present dress, the deans declared, is all too scanty.

And recently the Federation of Women's Clubs of New York took decided action in favor of a saner—and decenter—form of dress for girls—and, it is to be hoped, for women, too.

It isn't a subject that we should have been brave enough to approach on our own initiative, but these resolutions give us courage to say a word.

It was high time somebody took such action. Is modesty obsolete? Girls who under-dress are doing womanhood no good. And that girls do under-dress, most conspicuously, nobody not blind can miss seeing these days.

Many of the costumes worn by young girls seem to have been devised to come as close to indecency as they could without subjecting the wearers to arrest.

And there are some costumes, seen on the streets of every city, that have wandered well over that border-line.

It is not alone that women's wearing apparel tends to shrivel rapidly toward a meeting place near the waist. There are transparencies, gauziness, that leave little concealed. Indeed, in many cases the object seems to be to see how little can be left unconcealed.

It isn't pretty. It isn't increasing respect for womanhood. It is putting everybody in the blasé opinion of the London busman.

Is it too puritanical and mid-Victorian to take a stand that women ought to clothe themselves decently as well as prettily? Whether it is that or not, we shall risk it, and go on record accordingly.—Duluth Herald.

ROAD INSTITUTE MADE PERMANENT BY MEMBERS

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tenance of a highway system in the state of Nebraska. The enactment of these bills will mean the construction and maintenance of hundreds of miles of roads in all parts of the state. A copy of the resolutions were sent to these committees and also to the speaker of the house of representatives.

The resolutions were drawn up and revised by Capt. R. L. Cochran, chairman of the resolutions committee.

The total attendance at the institute the past week was 205. Professor Mickey stated that he expected next year's registration to triple that figure. Scores of men were unable to attend the Omaha automobile show.

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