

PEACE APART OFF, SAYS HINDENBURG

Field Marshal Says Germany's Enemies Must Be Whipped Some More Yet.

DOES NOT WANT A "TRIUMPH"

VIENNA (Via London), Dec. 7.—The Neue Freie Presse publishes an interview with the German field marshal, Von Hindenburg, at his quarters, which are described as being "in one of the most important points on the Russian-German front."

Not Whipped Enough. "At present the enemy won't make peace. They are not yet whipped enough. We must therefore keep it up further."

Field Marshal von Hindenburg criticizes the French demands, particularly that relating to Alsace-Lorraine. "If they want it," he said, "they should come and get it."

"The British," he continued, "appear also to have decided to continue the war. It is true that reports come from India that ought to dampen the British lust for war somewhat, but one must wait and see whether these reports are corroborated."

He asserted that the Russian human material was much poorer than the first year of the war; that Russia could fill the gaps with the reserves now mustered, but could not form new armies.

He said he did not expect another Russian offensive, but was ready for one. The extent of warfare all over Europe was a danger for Napoleon and the result of his fall, said the German commander, but it played no role in the present conflict because of modern railroad facilities. He concluded by saying: "I should be especially pleased at the destructive end of the Italians. This war must not end without the three principal sinner, Great Britain, Serbia and Italy receiving just punishment."

LANSING ANSWERS BERNSTORFF NOTE

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der diplomatic usage existing between nations, it is unnecessary for one government to do more than intimate to another that the presence of a diplomatic officer is distasteful.

Over-night advice from Berlin indicated that the German government would withdraw the officers as requested, although it might press for a bill of particulars. The position of the state department is that it will not discuss the facts in the case or reveal the sources of its information which have led to the decision that the activities of the two German attaches make their presence in this country no longer desirable.

Secretary Lansing also sent a reply to Germany through Ambassador Gerard at Berlin.

Attempts to Violate Neutrality. While there is no indication today that the text of Secretary Lansing's communication would be made public, it can be said authoritatively that the American government's action was caused by the military and naval activities of the attaches, coupled with circumstances of an accumulative nature which are deemed sufficient for Secretary Lansing's action.

The Archibald incident, it was said, was mentioned in connection with the case of Captain von Papen and the trial of the Hamburg-American conspirators was mentioned in connection with the case of Captain Boy-Ed.

Secretary Lansing is understood to have conferred with President Wilson before dispatching the reply. It was understood the secretary thought that under the circumstances the state department might well inform the German government of the principal causes of its action without, of course, going into a discussion of the facts or divulging the sources of its information.

In reply to Germany's intimation that it would contest the withdrawal if it was asked on anything beyond the Hamburg-American trial and the Archibald incident, Secretary Lansing's reply is understood to strongly intimate that other things than those did enter into the case.

As to diplomatic precedent for the request of Germany, it is said, Secretary Lansing's communication does not admit the right of the Berlin foreign office to inquire into facts and their sources. Consequently no specific details of any kind were furnished.

The German embassy apparently did not know just what the next step might be, but it was said that the embassy wished it understood that it had not been officially advised of the views which might be held by the Berlin foreign office and that no official statement upon the subject had been made for publication.

NO LONGER NEED TO FEED THE BELGIANS

For the Time Being Americans Will Not Be Called Upon for Further Food Supplies.

STATEMENT FROM COMMITTEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Announcement that for the time being there is no urgent need for application of American charity for feeding Belgium is made in a statement given out here tonight, which also announces that London W. Bates, the American civil engineer who has been directing the work of the American committee for more than a year, has resigned.

The statement, which was given out by A. J. Hemphill, chairman of the New York committee for relief in Belgium, is as follows:

"The following resolution has been adopted by the committee which was recently requested by President Wilson to cooperate in the United States with the work of the Commission for Relief in Belgium:

"The recent action of the president of the United States in asking this committee to share in the work of the Commission for Relief in Belgium in the United States, was prompted by a desire, so far as might be, to co-ordinate and centralize the endeavor, out of it necessarily carry some changes in the plan of operations.

For the time being, there is no urgent need for application of American charity for food to the distressed country, that department of the work having been, for the time being, otherwise provided.

Under the modified condition, Mr. Lindon W. Bates, who for more than a year has given of his time and energy without compensation, has resigned his official connection and taken a well earned leave of the great undertaking.

The committee called into being by the president's invitation, cannot permit this retirement without placing on record its sincere appreciation of the great work which Mr. Bates and his volunteer associates have done in carrying out his undertaking, entered upon when everything in the world was in a state of chaos.

It is changed condition also there comes a dissolution of the woman's section and the committee takes this opportunity to voice its warmest appreciation of the services rendered by Mrs. Lindon W. Bates, and the members of the woman's executive—Miss Anne Morgan, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Edward Hewitt, Miss Mary Groom, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt and Miss Maude Wetmore.

It expresses its indebtedness to all those in the woman's section who efficiently and self-sacrificingly have devoted themselves to the work of averting starvation in Belgium.

The committee desires to add its heartfelt thanks for the generous offer of continued individual co-operation and assistance extended by the executive of the woman's section.

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WILSON LASHES DISLOYAL; ASKS THEY BE CURBED

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Development and the undisturbed government of our own lives upon our own principles of right and liberty," he declared. "We resent from whatever quarter it may come the aggression we ourselves will not practice. We insist upon security in prosecuting our self-chosen lines of national development. We do more than that. We demand it also for others. From the first we have made common cause with all partisans of liberty on this side the sea and have deemed it as important that our neighbors should be free from all outside domination as that we ourselves should be; have set America aside as a whole for the uses of independent nations and political freedom."

From that point the president emphasized the need of a national training school, in harmony with American ideals and institutions, and then referred briefly to the plans outlined for the army and navy, which he urged congress to sanction and put into effect "as soon as they can be properly scrutinized and approved."

Frequent demonstrations of approval greeted the president's declaration of the manifold duty of America to remain "studiously neutral" toward the warring nations abroad, his assertion of friendship for Mexico, his urgent recommendations for an increased merchant marine, the suggestions of legislation for furthering the interests of the people of the Philippines and Porto Rico, and his recommendations.

Department Orders. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Civil service examination will be held January 8 for rural letter carriers.

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medications for increasing government revenue. But chief attention centered about the delineation of the plans for national defense, the proclamation of pan-Americanism, and the virility of the president's attack upon Americans who, he said, had brought the good name of the government into contempt. His delivery of his denunciation in crisp phrases, and congress seemed to hang on every word.

"There are citizens of this United States, I blush to admit," he declared, "born under our flags, but welcomed under our generous naturalization laws to the full freedom and opportunity of America, who have poured the poison of disloyalty into the very arteries of our national life; who have sought to bring the authority and good name of our government into contempt; to destroy our industries wherever they thought it effective for their vindictive purposes to strike at them and to debase our politics to the use of foreign intrigue. No federal laws exist to meet this situation because such a thing would have seemed incredible in the past. Such creatures of passion, disloyalty and anarchy must be crushed out. They are not many, but they are infinitely malignant, and the hand of our power should close over them at once."

Keen interest in the president's address was shown by the foreign representatives in the diplomatic galleries, where every embassy and legation was represented. All appeared pleased with the message and the Latin-Americans expressed special gratification over the references to Pan-Americanism.

"It was the clearest definition ever made of this country's Pan-American policy," said Eduardo Suarez Mujica, ambassador from Chile.

No Longer in Doubt. "Definitions of this policy and of the Monroe doctrine have been made before, but they have not been clear, but in fact a bit vague. Now the position of this country is made so clear that none need be in doubt."

Dr. Eusebio A. Morales, minister of Panama, said: "The statements of President Wilson in reference to Pan-Americanism and the true meaning will find an enthusiastic response in the whole continent and will make stronger the ties of brotherhood which now unite the nations of America."

In the executive gallery as the president spoke was his fiancée, Mrs. Norman Galt, whose first appearance at the capital since announcement of the president's engagement attracted marked attention from the crowd.

The address was practically the only business of the day in both houses. Each adjourned until Friday to give time for complete discussion of the working committee. In the brief time the senate was in session more than 150 bills and resolutions were offered. Measures dealing with preparedness, prohibition, suffrage and prevention of sale of war munitions to belligerent nations predominated.

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Ponca Man Given Twenty Years for Attack on Woman

PONCA, Neb., Dec. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Roy Watson of this place was sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary for assault by Judge Graves in district court this morning. The crime was committed on the person of Mrs. John Kniff, wife of a prominent farmer near New Castle November 8. Mrs. Kniff shot Watson with a rifle, but he was fully recovered from a dangerous wound in the forehead. Sheriff Maekell will take his prisoner to Lincoln tomorrow.

STATE VETERINARIANS CONFER AT LINCOLN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Over fifty veterinarians are in attendance at the annual gathering of the Nebraska State Veterinarians' association at the Lindell hotel.

In his address this afternoon President J. W. McGinnis of Grand Island spoke highly of the new law which permits a veterinarian to practice after ten years' work in the state. Dr. Hans Jensen of Kansas City was the principal speaker and congratulated the board on its efforts to keep contagious diseases out of the state.

Tomorrow the session will close with demonstrations at the state farm.

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