

PRESIDENT GETS HOUSE REPORTS

Important News in Connection with Lusitania Case Received by Wilson.

DELIVERED ON SPECIAL TRAIN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Dispatches on the Lusitania situation from Colonel E. M. House, now on a special mission in Europe for President Wilson, are believed to have been delivered to the president today on his special train.

Colonel House discussed the situation with high German officials, informing them of the position of the United States and receiving in return first hand information of their viewpoint. Details are not disclosed in any such dispatches as have been received here, but they reported Colonel House found it unnecessary to remain in Berlin as long as he originally had intended.

Lusitania Discussed Chiefly. It is said Colonel House probably discussed other subjects than the Lusitania case with the German officials, but that the Lusitania situation occupied the major portion of his dispatch to the president.

The semi-official statement of the former officer forwarded to this country, that there was "reasonable" hope that a communication which had been started to Count von Bernstorff would prove satisfactory to the United States, is taken in official and diplomatic quarters to mean that Germany has not accepted the tentative form of proposal exactly as it was submitted. The opinion and hope was expressed by diplomats in a position to be familiar with the status of the negotiations that the cardinal points set forth in the tentative form approved by Secretary Lansing remained.

It was said here that there were certain words which the Berlin officials believe could not be included in the final settlement of the controversy because of concern for German public opinion. It was thought certain that this phase has been explained to Colonel House, and that he in turn has conveyed the explanation to President Wilson.

Is Revised Considerably. It was said tonight that the language in the tentative form of proposal submitted to Secretary Lansing last week in regard to Germany's expressed hope that the United States do everything possible toward securing freedom of the seas had been revised considerably, because it was said that the words used might have conveyed the impression that Germany was making that question a condition of settlement. This it was explained, was in view of the intention of the German government.

The latest communication to Count von Bernstorff had not, it was said, at the embassy, arrived in Washington tonight. It is expected tomorrow.

Wilson Receives Dispatches

ON BOARD PRESIDENT WILSON'S SPECIAL TRAIN, IN WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—President Wilson received from Secretary Lansing today, what members of his party characterized as "very important dispatches," relating to the foreign situation. Their exact contents were not revealed, but it was understood they related to the Lusitania and Appian cases.

The president spent the late afternoon reading the dispatches in his private car and through them getting in touch with developments in the foreign situation since he left Washington. A final settlement of the Lusitania case is expected soon after the president arrives in Washington. He is determined that Germany make full atonement and reparation, and it is understood he will be satisfied with nothing less. That attitude Germany has taken or will take toward the last suggestion sent forward by Count von Bernstorff, could not be learned on the president's special tonight.

COMMISSIONER MANLEY TO CALL ON REDFIELD

From a Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(Special Telegram)—H. H. Manley, commissioner of the Commercial club of Omaha, arrived in Washington today. Mr. Manley will meet Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce, tomorrow, in connection with other secretaries of commercial bodies coming from cities of 150,000 and upward.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Renne, of Ak-Sar-Ben fame, were in Washington yesterday, according to the Register register. The creator of Ak-Sar-Ben contacted himself by looking at the Washington monument and other prominent landmarks.

FIGHTING CREW WILL SAIL ON THE OSCAR II

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The names of the amateur boxers who will go to Denmark to compete for the United States in the international boxing championships there in March were announced today by the Amateur Athletic union. The men are: William Spengler of the Union Settlement, A. C. of New York; John Karpinski of the Cleveland A. C. of Cleveland; John Maloney of St. Rita's Catholic club of Philadelphia.

BRITISH BUY CASTOFF RAILROAD TIES IN U. S.

BOSTON, Feb. 4.—An offer of 5 cents apiece for 50,000 cast-off railroad ties was received today by the Boston A. & Maine railroad from the British government. Formerly the railroad burned all its old ties, but orders were sent throughout the system today directing the ties be saved. It is understood that the British government is negotiating with other railroads in the hope of obtaining 50,000 ties for use in constructing branches in France.

Colombian Envoy Is Much Disappointed By Modified Treaty

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—While the Colombian treaty was being brought into the senate today, Julio Betancourt, the Colombian minister, was issuing a statement expressing his disappointment of the amendments to reduce the indemnity the United States would pay Colombia from \$55,000,000 to \$15,000,000 and to make the expression of regret for the partition of Panama mutual to both nations.

Would Give Coyotes Mange and Scabies

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 4.—The conference of federal and state health officers to consider rabies and other disease conditions in the west closed today after adopting resolutions expressing their suggestions to meet the situation. The Department of Agriculture is asked to investigate the practicability of inoculating coyotes with mange or scabies for their eradication, as now practiced in Montana.

From Our Near Neighbors

Springfield. Mrs. Otto Wrieth is very sick at her home. A. L. Dunn of Bellevue was in town Thursday. O. C. Hishong of Antelope county is here visiting relatives.

Elkhorn. Mrs. J. N. Wyatt went to Omaha on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren moved to the Secfus farm this week. Dr. G. H. Hall was confined to his bed a few days this week with grip.

Papillon. The February term of district court convenes Monday. The young women of Papillon will give a leap year dance at Bell's hall tonight.

Irvington. Mrs. Vital and Mrs. Powell were Omaha visitors Saturday. Matzner Anderson and Emma Sundall were Omaha visitors Saturday.

Valley. Mrs. Lillian Morrow went to Omaha Monday to see Hamlet. Miss Yvonne Clark spent the week-end with her mother in Lincoln.

Weeping Water. Mrs. J. W. Sperry has been called to Summit, Neb., by the serious illness of her father, William McFarland, aged 81.

Senate Action Upon Filipino Bill Held Up

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—New proposals relating to the conditions under which independence would be granted, delayed final senate action on the Philippine bill today, and when a recess was taken until tomorrow some leaders were doubtful whether a vote could be reached this week.

The Clarke amendment adopted yesterday, under which the president would be authorized to grant independence within four years or might delay it after that period if he desired to consult congress, was under fire in the debate today and the senate declined, 42 to 22, to table a proposal by Senator Hitchcock changing these provisions. Under the Hitchcock amendment, which will be discussed further tomorrow, the United States would withdraw from the islands in from two to four years, and would require that the new government's promise to fulfill its obligations to the United States be in the form of a provision in the Philippine constitution rather than a treaty pledge.

Gopher Democrats Declare for Wilson

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 4.—Resolutions approving in general the policies of President Wilson and advocating "his re-nomination as the trusted leader of the general democracy in 1916," were adopted by the Minnesota democratic conference here today. Twenty-four delegates to the national convention at St. Louis, who are to be recommended to the voters in the March 14 primary election, were selected.

METHODISTS PRAISE REVIVALS' RESULTS

They at Least Keep Young People Out of Mischief on Long Winter Evenings. Says Bishop.

FORWARD MOVEMENT MEETING

"If revivals did nothing else they would at least keep young people out of mischief," said Bishop Frank M. Bristol in his talk to a full house of men and women, in the Methodist forward movement rally at the First Methodist church last night. "Revivals would be worth while for that alone, for during the long winter evenings the young people would be there instead of in other gatherings where they should not be. There is no time so fruitful for the works of the devil as during the long winter evenings. That is the time when young people get together. What is the time when, down in the country, they have their dances and their card parties, and the devil makes a rich harvest."

Bishop Bristol made a plea for revivals, but admonished those who seek to lead others to Christ, first to get the power of the Holy Ghost in their own beings.

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Urges Personal Work. Bishop Theodore S. Henderson of Chattanooga, urged personal work by the members of the church, but admonished the ministers to supplement the campaign with their own work on Sundays. He urged the ministers to ask their congregations to write the names of all men of their acquaintance who would be better men if Jesus Christ were in their lives. He told them that then these should be tabulated. "If you have but thirty-five men in the church and you find you have 100 names passed in," he said, "divide them up and give each member three or four of them to see. Let them have definite ones upon which to work, and let them go to them personally and earnestly."

ELKS WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY OF LODGE

Omaha Elks will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of the local lodge next Monday night with an attractive program and souvenirs. Hundreds of charter members and old and new members are expected to turn out to assist in making the occasion a success.

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