

DEMOCRAT HAS PART IN ATTACK UPON LEAGUE

Project Means Abdication of Sovereignty, Says Reed; Senators Clash Over Taft's Utterances.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The senate will debate the proposed league of nations almost continuously until final adjournment March 4.

Senators began announcing their intention to speak immediately after Senator Reed of Missouri, denouncing, had concluded a two-hour address today in which he attacked the league's constitution, declaring it meant abdication of American sovereignty, violated the federal constitution, and would involve the United States in foreign entanglements.

Senator Lewis of Illinois, the democratic whip, will reply Monday to Senators Poindexter and Borah with a defense of President Wilson's stand on the league, and it was indicated other senators, not members of the foreign relations committee, would express their views in advance of the White House conference Wednesday night.

Lodge and Knox To Speak.

Senator Lodge, the republican leader, and Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, both members of the foreign relations committee, gave notice that they would speak after they had heard the president, Senator Lodge on Friday and Senator Knox Saturday.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma, democratic, announced that he would speak Wednesday, while Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, chairman of the foreign relations committee, will defer his address until the end of the week.

On the anniversary of Washington's birth, Senator Reed took the first president's admonition against "entangling European alliances" as the main theme of his address. When Washington's farewell address was read in the house, republican members and a number of democrats joined in applauding references to America's foreign policy.

Sherman Attacks Taft.

Before Senator Reed spoke statements of former President Taft in support of the league caused a lively clash, in which Mr. Taft was criticized by Senators Ashurst of Arizona, McKellar of Tennessee and Thomas of Colorado, democrats. Mr. Sherman declared Mr. Taft's activities were "not only undignified, but grossly partisan and unfair."

The democratic senators charged Mr. Sherman with having reflected upon the former president, whom they highly praised, Senator Thomas declared, however, that he did not agree with Mr. Taft's position on the league.

"Free American government, Senator Reed asserted, would through the league be largely displaced by a government controlled by "European monarchs and Asiatic despots." He supported the charge of Senator

Elected District Governor Rotarians at Recent Convention



CHARLES STRADER, Lincoln.

Borah of Idaho that the league would abrogate the Monroe doctrine, involve America in all world conflicts and compel submission of vital American questions to a foreign tribunal.

Major Martin B. Dunbar is Ordered to Fort Omaha

Washington, D. C., Feb. 22.—Major Martin B. Dunbar, quartermaster's corps, Washington, D. C., has been relieved from his present duties in the office of the director of finance, and will proceed to Fort Omaha, Neb.

Postoffice established at Gard, Cherry County, Neb., with Dewitt C. Konkel as postmaster, and Maj. Frank G. Ringland, cavalry is relieved from duty at Camp Dodge, and will proceed to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; First Lt. George F. Cooper, medical corps, now at general hospital No. 26, Fort Des Moines, will proceed to Fort Riley, Kan. The Security National Bank of Sisseton, S. D., has filed applications for charter to do business with a capital of \$50,000. Charter has been granted to the Webster County National bank, Fort Dodge, Ia., to operate with a capital of \$250,000.

Labor Leaders Indorse "No Beer No Work" Strike

New York, Feb. 22.—Edward Hannah, president of the New York Central Federated union, announced tonight that he had received telegrams from labor leaders in cities throughout the country, approving the action of nearly 200,000 New York union workers in voting strikes, effective July 1, to enforce the "no beer-no work" slogan, and pledging similar action in the near future.

Some of the cities, Mr. Hannah said, were Los Angeles, Cincinnati, Seattle, San Francisco, Chicago, Dayton, St. Louis, Kansas City and Milwaukee.

Mr. Hannah added that about 150,000 more union men in New York City would vote on the "no beer-no work" movement next week.

YOUTH, WHO SHOT CLEMENCEAU, IS FEEBLE MINDED

Head Was Turned by Reading of Too Much Anarchist Literature; Relatives Died in Asylums.

BY NABOTH HEDIN Staff Correspondent of Universal Service.

(Special Cable Dispatch.) Paris, Feb. 22.—Who is Emile Cottin, the youthful anarchist, who shot Georges Clemenceau, premier of France?

Universal Service is enabled tonight to give some details of his personality and life. He is a weak minded laborer whose head was turned by too much reading of anarchist literature. His mother affirms that his great grandfather and cousin died in asylums for the insane.

Drafted in 1916, Cottin's father himself, it is learned, was afflicted with labor unions at Compiegne, where his family lived until the city was bombed last spring. However, it is not at home that the young radical appears to have imbibed his extremist views.

When the war started young Emile, though only 18, tried to enlist but his constitution was found too feeble. He remained with his family at Compiegne until he was drafted with the regular class of 1916.

During the aerial bombardment of Compiegne in August, 1915, young Cottin rescued a woman neighbor named Madame Lardier, whose leg had been cut off by a splinter from an aerial torpedo.

Discharged From Army.

When drafted he spent three months with the Ninth regiment of engineers near Augers and while there he jumped into the Loire one day to rescue a drowning comrade, but failed. He was discharged from the army because of heart disease. He returned to Compiegne, where the continued German bombardments induced his mother to send him to Lyons, center of a considerable anarchist propaganda. There he worked in an aviation factory until 1917. He neither drank nor smoked. But he spent almost all his leisure time reading, often all night long. After that he took up the carpenter trade in a shop on the Rue Antoine, the center of the Parisian furniture industry.

Doctor Praises Eczema Remedy

The cure of skin diseases (eczema) and diseases of the scalp is known to be difficult. However there is one remedy that is entirely dependable in this distressing and troublesome disease; that is D. D. D. prescription.

M. L. RANDOLPH, M. D., Oklahoma, Texas.

Come in and we will tell you something about what D. D. D. Prescription has accomplished in your own neighborhood. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. 50c, 60c and \$1.00.

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THE Lotion for Skin Disease
Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

American Casualty List

Total number of casualties today including those reported below: Killed in action, including 381 at sea, 31,554; died of wounds, 13,139; died of disease, 19,722; died from accident and other causes, 2,929; wounded in action (over 85 per cent returned to duty), 187,296; missing in action (not including prisoners released and returned), 6,917; total to date, 261,557. The following Nebraska men are named in the casualty list sent out by the government for Sunday morning, February 23:

DIED OF DISEASE.
Private—Merren C. Hays, Table Rock, Neb. Frank Pallas, Thurston, Neb.

Admiral Sims to Return to United States in March

Washington, Feb. 22.—Vice Admiral Sims, commanding American naval forces in "European waters, has been authorized by Secretary Daniels to return to the United States in the latter part of March, provided nothing develops in the international situation which requires the officer's continued presence in Europe.

Mr. Daniels said today that Admiral Sims, who has been assigned as president of the naval war college at Newport, R. I., had recommended that the college open May 1.

The secretary added that he believed Admiral Sims, in selecting for himself the assignment to the naval war college, had elected this as his life work.

Boy Is Injured by Flying Pieces as Machine Breaks

Dale Parrish, 16, 5505 North Sixty-sixth street, was seriously injured Saturday, when the shuttle of a macaroni cutting machine at the Skinner Macaroni company, where he is employed, gave way. A flying fragment struck him in the forehead, causing a deep gash, several inches long. He was taken to the Lord Lister hospital, where attending physicians pronounced his condition serious.

CONVENTION OF IRISH ASK FOR CELT FREEDOM

Right of Liberty Emphasized by Very Rev. Peter Magennis in Convention at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—The right of the Irish to liberty was emphasized by the Very Rev. Peter E. Magennis of New York, president of the Friends of Irish Freedom, in an address at the opening today of the convention of the Irish race.

The purpose of the convention is to demand for Ireland the right of self-determination, such as has been given to Poland, Czechoslovakia and other small nations. It will adjourn tomorrow.

Dr. Magennis, who is assistant general of the Carmelite order, said: "The work before the convention of the Irish race is of supreme importance. Every day, every hour, nay, every moment, must be offered upon the altar of that country's freedom. Outside Ireland itself the solution of the problem that is so near to our hearts lies in America."

Work Before Convention.

"The all-important work of this convention is to ascertain—did America turn away from her prosperous career and direct her steps to blood-stained fields of Europe to the end that nations should be free and that the world shall be safe for democracy? Did the voice of our great president ring true, or did it ring with doubtful tone, when he told the listening world the principles that have made America the great and prosperous land she undoubtedly is?"

"We have wept enough for Ireland, now our duty is to work for Ireland, and to work in such a way that the world shall understand that our work is the work of men who could die for Ireland."

Wheat Guarantee is Passed by the House by Vote of 277 to 15

Washington, Feb. 22.—The wheat guarantee bill, authorizing the president to use existing agencies or create new ones to buy wheat of the 1918 and 1919 crops at the government guaranteed price and dispose of it at market prices was passed today by the house by a vote of 277 to 15.

The measure, which carries an appropriation of a billion dollars, was passed with only two important amendments, one changing the date when the act shall cease to be effective, from October 15, 1920, to June 1, 1920, and the other giving the president greater authority in restricting importations of wheat to protect the government from undue loss.

The president is given blanket authority to provide all the machinery for handling the wheat from the time it is purchased from the farmer until sold to the consumer, with control over millers, wholesalers, jobbers and bakers, importers, manufacturers and exchanges.

Bill to Censor Motion Pictures Is Defeated

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The South Dakota state legislature today defeated the motion picture censorship bill by a vote of 27 to 4. This bill was drafted after the instrument now pending before the Nebraska legislature and which is bitterly fought by prominent societies throughout Nebraska. As in Nebraska, the motion picture producers threatened to boycott the state of South Dakota entirely if the bill was passed.

Says Just Peace Must Give Irish Some Consideration

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—Speaking before the convention of the Irish race, which opened here today, Justice Daniel F. Cobalan, of the New York supreme court, said that unless the doctrine of self-determination is applied to Ireland, there can be no just and permanent peace coming out of the work of the peace conference.

GILLETT LIKELY TO BE ELECTED NEXT SPEAKER

Withdrawal of Representative Fess Simplifies Matters; Backers of Mann Will Not Concede Defeat.

By a Staff Correspondent. Washington, D. C., Feb. 22.—The withdrawal of Representative Fess as a candidate for speaker in the 66th congress practically insures the selection of Representative Gillett of Massachusetts although the supporters of Congressman Mann do not concede the defeat of their candidate by any means.

Representative Madden of Illinois, who is looked upon as the leader of the Mann forces, said today that Mr. Mann would not withdraw as has been rumored in the corridors of the house today, but on the contrary would be presented to the conference of republicans on Thursday next, as a candidate for the highest office in the gift of the house.

The program of procedure as presented by the Mann people to the Gillett leaders would be adopted with reference to the office of the house and the committee chairmanship. While Mann supporters refused to admit that he is licked the way representatives have been

climbing on to the Gillett band wagon since Fess withdrew from the race would indicate that the speaker fight is settled beyond the peradventure of a doubt.

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Pyramid Pile Treatment gives quick relief, stops itching, bleeding or protruding piles, hemorrhoids and such rectal troubles, in the privacy of your home 60 cents a box at all drug stores. Take no substitutes. A single box often relieves. Free sample for trial mailed in plain wrapper, if you send coupon below.

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Estes Mfg. Co., Omaha, Neb. I have used "Easy Excel" Laundry Tablets and have found them to be excellent. The washing is very much easier when these tablets are used and the clothes come out a good color. They do not injure the fabric. (Signed) Mrs. T. J. Mackay. For sale at all groceries and drug stores.

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These suits consist of the new box jackets, Russian Blouse effects, tailored effects, belted models, etc., in tricelines, silvertones, men's wear serge, poret twill, etc.

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Showing the New Spring Capes **\$24.50 \$34.50**

Presenting hosts of beautiful new **SPRING DRESSES** Featured at **\$14.50 \$19.50 \$24.50**

NEW dresses, beautiful in their fresh effectiveness, now make entree into the showing at Pred's. You'll concede again that we are showing far and away the greatest values in Omaha. The materials are taffetas, crepe de chines, serges, georgette and satin combinations, etc., in a complete range of sizes and in all the new and wanted colors.

These new dresses feature the new cord girdles, silk braiding, Dutch pockets, embroidery, etc. There are many simple, practical models for street and business wear, which so many women are seeking for.

Brandeis Stores

The Charm of a Good Figure
THE fashionable charm of your outer apparel depends so much upon the graceful poise and erect carriage of the figure, while the figure depends entirely upon the corset.

Corsets Should Be Chosen With the Utmost Care
It is true corset economy to buy the Nemo Corset, designed for your particular needs, whatever your type, tall or short, slender or stout, or of an average size. There is a Corset hygienically designed for you. We ask you to have your Corsets fitted here, our fitters understand corsets and figures.

Nemo Corsets
For Slender Figures, 3.50-\$4
Self Reducing Corsets, \$4 to \$6
Wonderlift Corsets, \$6 to \$12
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ASK to see the Nemo Jussup Brasier, it improves the figures above the corset—1.00, 1.50 and 2.00

—THIRD FLOOR—

Dress Goods for Spring
THOSE who did not avail themselves of the opportunities presented in the Dress Goods Sale last Monday will do particularly well to attend this most unusual selling which in part is a repetition of the sale which caused much enthusiasm and appreciation just one week ago tomorrow.

\$2 Quality Fine All Wool French Serge At 119 Monday
Finest quality, 40 inches wide, splendid soft finish. Fine Twill in Navy Blue only, lengths from 6 to 20 yards, we cut any length.

\$2 Quality All Wool French Twill Serge At 149 Monday
42-Inch Wool French Twill Serges that are going to be quite popular during the coming season, an assemblage of beautiful shades.

—MAIN FLOOR—

Spring Boots
Very New Styles at 9.85
Of a distinctive nature that meets every requirement of the critical woman. Aristocratically designed—individually styled—graceful in appearance, and pleasing, indeed, to those who demand the best in footwear.

There are black and dark brown kid, lace style, with leather walking heels; all have hand welted soles and an arch that fits supremely well; sizes, 2 1/2 to 8; width, AA to C.

—MAIN FLOOR—

A Sale of Enamelware at 1/2 Price
Fine First Quality Blue and White Mottled Ware

Enamelware of a quality similar to that in this sale has been retailing at from 1.19 to 1.98, according to size. Some dark brown mottled white ware included.

The Assortment Comprises
6, 8, 10 and 12-qt. Convex Kettles with Covers
16-qt. Preserving Kettles
2 and 3-qt. Double Boilers
1 1/2 and 2-qt. Tea Pots
2 and 3-qt. Coffee Pots
6-qt. Tea Kettles
10, 12 and 14-qt. Water Pails
4, 8, 10, 12-qt. Convex Sauce Pots with Covers
Choice **79c**

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At Lower Prices Than Ever

WE have made a large special purchase of Laundry Soaps, which enables us to make prices considerably less than usual prices. Buy a supply of soap now. Buy it by the box. Mail orders, accompanied by money order will be filled in order received, as long as the stock lasts.

PEARL WHITE SOAP
Pearl White Soap, a very well-known white soap; special in this sale, 10 bars for **42c**
Per Case of 100 bars, 4.20

Diamond "C" SOAP
Diamond "C" Soap; this very well-known and popular brand of yellow soap, 10 bars **35c**
Per Case of 100 bars, 3.50

White Borax NAPHTHA SOAP
White Borax Naphtha, a very fine white soap, containing both borax and naphtha, a good hard water soap, 10 bars **42c**
Per Case of 100 bars, 4.20

Ivory Soap, special, 10 bars, 57c. Per case of 100 bars, 5.70