

PEACE MEETING WILL SUBMIT TO WILSON'S TERMS

Senators Say Threatened Break Impossible as United States Now "Holds Purse Strings."

By JAMES R. NOURSE, By Universal Service. Washington, April 10.—Disquieting rumors from abroad to the effect that the peace conference may break up in a disagreement are given little credence by senators here.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, republican leader in the senate, believes that when the president comes home he will bring the peace treaty and the league of nations covenant with him. He is laying out the work of the foreign relations committee, of which he will be chairman, upon the firm belief that the first thing the committee will have to do when congress meets will be to study the text of the treaty.

Senator Hiram Johnson of California today expressed the opinion that there is small likelihood of President Wilson withdrawing from the conference until the treaty and the league constitution have been fully agreed upon.

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Visions of "Gravy" Gone for "Almost Married" Man

Dream of Houses and Lots, Collecting Rent and a Wife to Do the Cooking Fades for Restaurant Cook When Bride-to-be Changes Mind.

Will Giles' dream of wealth—and love—is over. Only a few hours elapsed between the time he secured a license to wed at the county judge's office and the time he came back and asked to have it cancelled. Will is a negro, a cook in a restaurant. He came into the marriage license office late Wednesday afternoon. He was all dressed up and the big insignia of the Order of Ethiopia's Noble Sons dangled from his watch chain.

"What's the matter? Why can't you use it?" asked Mr. Steubendorf. "Lady wouldn't marry me, that's why. Wouldn't marry me nohow."

"Well, that's too bad. Sorry." "An' Ah can't even get mah \$2?" "No."

"Well, could Ah come in an have the license changed in 'bout a week? Ah've got another gal an' maybe she'll have me."

Mr. Steubendorf said that he thought he could accommodate him to that extent. Mr. Giles went sadly back to his cooking, the dream of wealth and influence and landlordism dispelled.

The license was duly issued to Mr. Giles, who gave his age as 47 and that of his prospective bride, Ella Jackson, as 46. He said they would begin housekeeping at 2122 North Twenty-fourth street. He departed in the highest of spirits.

Yesterday morning he came in again. He handed the license to Mr. Steubendorf. "Reckon Ah ain't got no use for this paper," he said. "Kin Ah get mah \$2 back?"

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MAGDEBURG IS AGAIN IN HANDS OF THE GERMANS

Motor Boats Armed With Machine Guns Patrol Elbe; Members Strike Committee Arrested in Essen.

Berlin, April 10.—Magdeburg, the capital of Prussian Saxony, where serious disorders occurred early in the week, again is in control of the German government forces. Gustav Noske, minister of defense, declared in an interview today in the Tageblatt. After asserting that the authorities were prepared for all possibilities, Herr Noske reviewed the situation as follows:

"Magdeburg is completely in our hands. Motor boats armed with machine guns are patrolling the Elbe to protect vessels carrying relief foodstuffs. Conditions in Bavaria are such that if Premier Hoffmann holds out a short time we will be able to solidify opinion in favor of a legitimate government."

Must Hit With Energy. "If no other way is possible, Munich will be compelled by arms to return to order as in the case of Bremen and Dusseldorf."

"We must hit with all our energy rather than to allow the country to be precipitated into an abyss. It blood is spilled it will be on the heads of communist maniacs. The situation in the Ruhr district is much better than the sensational press pretends."

Strike General. The strike which began several days ago today was almost general. All the large factories were closed and the street cars were forced to stop running. It is believed certain, however, that a majority of the workers are against the strike and were coerced into it by the independent socialist and communist forces. A secret vote taken by the

men who quit work is said to have been overwhelmingly in favor of returning to work. Looters and robbers continue their depredations. They have ransacked the American Red Cross depot and other storehouses and the food problem here is becoming critical.

Essen Leaders Taken. Copenhagen, April 10.—The members of the strike committee in Essen were arrested today by government troops under instructions from Berlin, a dispatch from Essen reports. Civilians then attacked the troops, but after considerable firing, the civilians were dispersed.

The arrests of the strike leaders were made after the committee had declined an invitation to negotiate with a representative of the government.

Naval Recruiting for Week Shows Slight Increase. Washington, April 10.—Recruiting for the navy during the week ending April 3, showed a slight increase over the week before, the total enrollments being 1,245. The eastern division again led with 667 and the central division was second with 245. Enrollments in the southern division were 244 and in the western division 89.

General Scott Returns To Army Retired List. Washington, April 10.—Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, former chief-of-staff, was relieved today of command of Camp Dix, New Jersey, effective upon the arrival there of Brig. Gen. Harry C. Hale, his successor. He was ordered to proceed to his home for return to the retired list of the army, from which he was recalled for war service.

Bandits Rob St. Louis Bank of Large Sum and Escape. St. Louis, April 10.—Eight men held up the Baden bank, in the northern section of the city, this morning and escaped with \$50,000. After threatening five employees of the bank, the men ran to a waiting automobile and made their escape.

Sheriff Declares War On Auto "Spooning Parties"

Residents of Fairacres and West Dodge Road Declare Slumbers Are Broken at All Hours of Night by Crooning, Spooning Lovers.

"Sheriff Clark is going after the 'spooners' who have been staging 'parties' on roads leading out of the city, principally on Saturday and Sunday nights. He and his deputies will pay particular attention to the Fairacres and West Dodge road districts. This will be done at the special request of residents of Fairacres."

"I have received several complaints from prominent residents of Fairacres," the sheriff said. "They complain that especially on Saturday and Sunday nights the roads and byroads out there are just full of automobiles filled with men and girls and that the spooning and crooning go on until morning."

"I have promised that I will give this my attention and we are going to try to clean them out of the residence districts of the suburbs."

"If there are girls and fellows of the automobile spooning type, they will have to go somewhere else to carry on their activities. We expect to find some 'booze' also in these raids, as 'booze' often accompanies that kind of a 'party.'"

Deputy Sheriff Christensen says he has routed out many a party on the West Dodge road on Saturday nights and Sunday nights. "The woods are full of them some times," he said. "Out on the West Dodge road the other night we walked into the yard of a school house and the spooners jumped up all around us. It reminded me of toads, there were so many of them."

The residents of Fairacres declare that their slumbers are broken at all hours of the night by the shouts and conversation of the automobile lovers. Sheriff Clark has promised them that he will put a stop to it promptly.

Says Liberty Bonds Being Gathered Up By Capitalists of U. S. San Francisco, April 10.—"Liberty bonds are gradually being gathered up by the capitalists and in a few years will be out of the hands of the people at large, although the government made every effort to distribute them as widely as possible."

Governor James K. Lynch of the San Francisco Federal Reserve bank, said this statement in explaining that prices quoted here for Liberty bonds are no larger than those in New York and bond dealers in the east would not profit by sending bonds here to be sold. The reason the quotations here seem larger is that they cover detached coupons. Many persons here have sold their bonds without detaching the interest certificates. Where the certificates have been taken off the price is the same as in New York. "Bonds are steadily going up," Governor Lynch said, and every holder of bonds should realize that he is making money by holding what he has.

Omaha Girl to Wed. Rockford, Ill., April 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Grover C. Resch of this city secured a license to marry Lucille Lane, giving her address as Omaha.

Food Ships Forced to Return From Germany, in Ballast. Berlin, April 10.—The first entente food ships that reached Germany had to leave in ballast on their return trips, because in all Germany there could not be collected enough freight to load them, it is announced in semi-official quarters. Neither was it possible to recall the steamers completely.

Ten American Army Nurses Given French War Medals. Washington, April 10.—Ten American army nurses have been awarded the Medaille D'Honneur Des Epidemies by the French government, American Red Cross headquarters here was advised today.

Honor Student Soldiers. London, April 10.—The British branch of the American University union in Europe entertained at dinner 400 of 2,000 American university students who formed a part of the United States army and who have been detached to study at British universities and institutions.

Mid-Month List of Columbia Records. "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles". A song of imaginative sentiment with a rarely beautiful melody. Coupled with "The Beautiful Ohio" as a canoe song, with fascinating words set to the same rippling music that made this waltz the season's biggest dance hit. A-2701—85c

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