### PEACE MEETING WILL SUBMIT TO **WILSON'S TERMS**

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

By JAMES R. NOURSE.

Washington, April 10 .- Disquieting rumors from abroad to the effect noon. He was all dressed up and this paper," he said. that the peace conference may break the big insignia of the Order of mah \$2 back?" up in a disagreement are given little credence by senators here. Despite the persistence with which these in- said. timations appear in the cable dispatches there is a strong feeling Marr dorf. among officials generally that there the work of the peace conference.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, home he will bring the peace treaty tomobile. 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. The senator believes that the European nations now represented at the conference will not permit the president to quit he offers as a reason for this the terse suggestion that the president "holds the purse strings and they cannot let him quit," he said.

"Wilson Holds Purse Strings."

be forced to accede to him on every point in dispute. We hold the purse; they have to come to us for their food, for their material and for everything else. They cannot do without us and so whatever may be

"I look to see the treaty adopted and the league of nations in some this my attention and we are going torm agreed to by the conference because these are the things President Wilson wants. He has the power to compel the others to give him what he wants, and I do not see how they can very well avoid

Protests Secrecy.

Senator Johnson emphasized again panies that kind of a 'party.' his protest against the lack of Deputy Sheriff Christensen says specific information as to what the he has routed out many a party on clared it to be "a monstrous thing" nights and Sunday nights. that the people of the United States is being done. He coninued: "It is part of the pec

the peculiar to what is being done at the peace conference in the settlement of questions concerning their own country. The people seem to have gotten used to this sort of thing; they have been cowed so much that they no longer appear to care what is going on. To me it is a terrible thing that not even the American press is permitted to know what is going on behind the scenes."

#### Food Ships Forced to Return

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 quaters. Neither was it possible to recoal the steamers completely.

## Ten American Army Nurses

Washington, April 10 .- Ten American army nurses have been awarded the interest certificates. Where the the Medaille D'Honneur Des Epi- certificates have been taken off the demics by the French government, price is the same as in New York. American Red Cross headquarters here was advised today.

#### Honor Student Soldiers

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

### 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.

elapsed between the time he secured a license to wed at the county a license to wed at the county Twenty-fourth street. He departed Will is a negro, a cook in a restaurant. He came into the marriage license office late Wednesday afternoon. He was all dragged with the license to make the license th

Ethiope's Noble Sons dangled from ais watch chain. "Ah wants a ma'iage license," he

"Going to get married, eh?" said Marriage License Clerk Steuben-

will be no serious interruption of An' the's gravy in it fo' me. Gravy. republican leader in the senate, be- me goin' round collectin' de rents lieves that when the president comes home he will bring the peace treaty and the league of nations covenant on'y been here 'bout a month. Say, Mr. Giles we

The license was duly issued to Mr. fluence and landlordism dispelled.

Will Giles' dream of wealth-and | Giles, who gave his age as 47 and

"What's the matter? Why can' you use it?" asked Mr. Steubendorf. "Lady wouldn't marry me, tha's why. Wouldn't marry me nohow. "Well, that's too bad. Sorry "An' Ah can't even get mah \$2?"

"Well, could Ah come in an have the license changed in bout a week? Lady Ah'm goin' to marry has fo' Ah've got another gal an' maybe houses an' fo' lots all her own. See she'll have me." Mr. Steubendorf said that he

> Mr. Giles went sadly back to his cooking, the dream of wealth and in-

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### 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 that their slumbers are broken at spooners" who have been staging all hours of the night by the shouts parties" on roads leading out of the and conversation of the automobile city, principally on Saturday and Sunday nights. He and his deputies lovers. will pay particular attention to the Fairacres and West Dodge road that he will put a stop to it "It seems perfectly obvious to me Fairacres and West Dodge road that the powers of the president bedistricts. This will be done at the ing so great, the other nations will special request of residents of Fair-

"I have received several complaints from prominent residents of Fairacres," the sheriff said. complain that especially on Saturday and Sunday nights the roads said, there is very small chance that and byroads out there are just full the conference will end in a dis- of automobiles filled with men and agreement between any of the other girls and that the spooning and nations and the United States. "I have promised that I will give

> 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 ex-pect to find some 'booze' also in these raids, as 'booze' often accom-

peace conference is doing. He de- the West Dodge road on Saturday

"The woods are full of them some are not permitted to know all that times." he said. "Out on the West Dodge road the other night we walked into the vard of a school psychology of war. I presume, that house and the spooners jumped up the American people have been kept all around us. It reminded me of from knowing anything whatever as toads, there were so many of them. The residents of Fairacres declare

### Says Liberty Bonds Being Gathered Up By Capitalists of U.S.

By Universal Service. San Francisco, April 10 .- "Liberty

bonds are gradually being gathered up by the capitalists and in a few From Germany, in Ballast years will be out of the hands of the people at large, although the govtribute them as widely as possible." Liberty

"Bonds are steadily going up." Governor Lynch said, "and every holder of bonds should realize that

#### Omaha Girl to Wed

Rockford, Ill., April 10 .- (Special Telegram.)--Grover C. Resch of this city secured a license to marry Omaha

# **AGAIN IN HANDS** OF THE GERMANS

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

MAGDEBURG IS

serious disorders occurred early in ment. the week, again is in control of the German government forces, Gustav Noske, minister of defense, declared n an interview today in the Tageblatt. After asserting that the authorities were prepared for all possibilities, Herr Noske reviewed the situation as follows:

"Madgeburg is completely in our 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 thought he could accommodate him 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. much better than the sensational

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

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pendent socialist and

Looters and robbers continue their depredations. They have ran-sacked the American Red Cross depot and other storehouses and the ood problem here is becoming crit-

Essen Leaders Taken.

Copenhagen, April 10 .- The memers of the strike committee in Essen were arrested today by gowernment troops under instructions from Berlin, a dispatch from Essen reports. Civilians then attacked the troops, but after considerable firing, he civilians were dispersed.

The arrests of the strike leaders were made after the committee had Berlin, April 10.-Magdeburg, the declined an invitation to negotiate capital of Prussian Saxony, where with a representative of the govern-

#### Naval Recruiting for Week Shows Slight Increase

Washington, April 10 .- Recruiting or 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 di vision 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 blood is spilled it will be on the was ordered to proceed to his home heads of communist maniacs. The for return to the retired list of the situation in the Ruhr district is army, from which he was recalled for war service.

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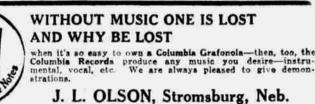
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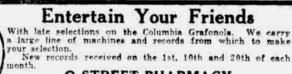
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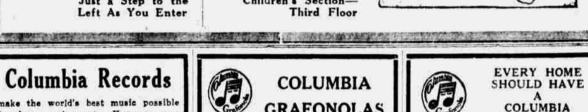


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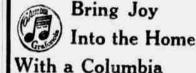


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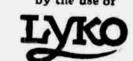
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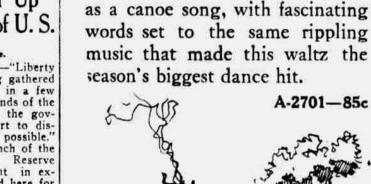
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