

SENATORS SCORE WILSON'S STAND OVER ADRIATIC

Hitchcock of Nebraska Only Senator to Go to President's Support — Attacks Mild Reservation Members.

Washington, Feb. 28.—While President Wilson was considering today the latest note of the allied premiers on the Adriatic controversy, sharp criticism of his course in the negotiations broke out in the midst of the peace treaty debate in the senate.

Not only the irreconcilable opponents of the treaty, but one of the mild reservation republicans, Senator Kellogg of Minnesota, joined in the senate attack, which occupied a good part of the day's session. A general defense of the president was made by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the administration leader.

It was indicated that Mr. Wilson would not long delay his reply to the allied note, which was said to have invited the United States to join in attempting a settlement acceptable to both Jugo-Slavia and Italy. The reply was expected to go forward early next week, but officials were guarded in their discussion of its probable contents.

President Criticized.

The senate discussion revolved around assertions that the disagreement demonstrated concretely the foreign complications which would follow America's entrance to the league of nations and that the president was seeking to interfere in the affairs of other nations without making any effort to learn whether the people of this country were behind him.

Senator Thomas, democrat, Colorado, one of the treaty irreconcilables, went so far as to suggest that the only way out now seems to be a war in which the United States either must participate or else be forced in the position of refusing to back up the positive stand taken on behalf of the nation by the president.

Situation "Discouraging."

The whole situation was characterized by Senator Kellogg as "rather discouraging" to friends of the treaty. He declared the Adriatic controversy was "none of our business" and that the president's attempt to "dictate" a decision was without justification.

and Brandegee, republican, Connecticut, also assailed the position taken by the executive, the latter saying that although Mr. Wilson was promising to speak "with a minimum of assurances" as to what the United States would or would not do, there was no one who really knew how even the senate would vote on the proposition involved.

Enemies Thrown Together.

As one result of the situation the administration forces and the irreconcilables, who have been arch enemies throughout the long treaty controversy, have been thrown together in interest and through their leaders are understood to have agreed to keep in close touch during next week's maneuvering. They did so today, Senator Hitchcock and Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, a leader among the irreconcilable group, holding frequent consultations.

In the same way the break between Senator Hitchcock and the mild reservation republicans, with whom he has worked for many weeks for a compromise, was brought to an open breach during the day's session. In sharp clashes with Senators Kellogg, Minnesota, and Zenroot, Wisconsin, both of the mild reservation group, the democratic leader declared that while they had posed as friends of the treaty they had in fact worked "conspicuously" to line up the republicans for destroying reservations.

Hitchcock Makes Charges.

Senator Hitchcock also charged that Senator Kellogg had conspired to "help" pack the foreign relations committee with enemies of the treaty, an assertion which drew a heated denial from the Minnesota senator. He said he had wanted ratification from the first and added that while he "congratulated" Senators Hitchcock and Borah on "their new alliance," he could not wish them success.

The exchange between Senators Hitchcock and Kellogg recalled the fact that the Minnesota senator had himself been unsuccessfully urged for a place on the foreign relations committee by his friends in the senate. Senator Kellogg made no reference to this on the floor, however.

Belgium Seeks 50,000 Tons of U. S. Steel Iron

New York, Feb. 28.—Belgium is seeking 50,000 tons of American steel-making iron, it was learned here today, but American iron makers are paying little attention to this and similar inquiries from Europe because of the inability to meet domestic demands. Merchants declare that if the iron were available for export the price under the existing rate of exchange and freight rates probably would prove prohibitive.

OMAHA NOW IS REAL HOME OF UNION PACIFIC

Headquarters Here to Stay—Lincoln's Dream of Trans-continental Line Comes True at Last.

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Harriman, at that time a Wall street broker, bought, at auction, a junk pile called the Union Pacific.

One day in 1897 the United States court put the Union Pacific up to be sold to the highest bidder. It had been in the hands of the court as receiver. Judge W. D. Cornish stood at the west door of the Union Pacific freight house at Ninth and Jones street and read a list of the property.

It took him five hours to read the list.

A cold drizzling rain was falling the whole time.

When he finished and asked for bids, a typewritten slip was handed him, a typewritten slip was handed him, a typewritten slip was handed him.

Who the Hell's Harriman?

"Harriman, Harriman, who the hell's Harriman?" railroaders in the crowd asked each other.

Harriman was at that time an unknown broker. He had bought a couple of streaks of rust reaching from the Missouri river to the eastern edge of a desert. The locomotives were wheezy old things that could scarcely crawl up the heavy grades. The cars and coaches were relics of the time of the original builders. There were no "first class" connections east and west had been segregated and were throwing their business to the Rio Grande. It was the "lemon" from which two fortunes had been squeezed and which twice had been thrown aside as worthless.

Harriman made it into what it is today—the Union Pacific. It was the only road to make money for the government during the time of government ownership. All other roads lost money.

After half a century a railroad with its system officers in Omaha has reached the Pacific ocean. At midnight tonight a portion of the dream of Lincoln and Dodge will have become a reality.

Will Request Trial of 46 War Criminals As Good Faith Test

Paris, Feb. 28.—The war criminals commission has decided to send to Germany the names of 46 men for trial before the German courts. This, it is announced, will be the test of good faith upon which the allies have agreed.

The list, with a covering note of considerable length, has been drawn up and will be submitted to the supreme council. It is expected it will be forwarded to Berlin within the week.

The British selected the names of seven, accused mostly for submarine atrocities; France selected 12, Belgium 15 and Italy, Poland and Rumania four each.

It is probable that the original list will be drastically reduced if the Germans loyally carry out the proposed trials.

An allied representative will attend the courts and watch the proceedings. The cases selected will be deemed conclusive if properly presented.

Paymaster Kills Bold Highwayman

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Frank and fell on the floor gasping for breath. He died an instant later in the arms of George Snell, 4619 Cumming street, a customer in the store.

The bandit was traced from the scene of the hold-up to the grocery store by splashes of blood. At one place, it is clearly indicated that he climbed over a stack of boards that were in his path.

White was taken to Central police station and booked for investigation pending the verdict of a coroner's jury at the inquest to be held Monday. He was released on bond shortly after.

When notified of their son's death, the parents of young Stawasz were unable to realize it.

Parents Are Amazed.

"Dead? Edward dead? No, not our Edward," the father cried. "I can't believe it." Not until after they had visited the mortuary were the members of the family told the cause of his death.

"No, Eddie wouldn't try to hold up anyone," the mother cried. "He wouldn't hurt a kitten. My boy gone. I can't believe it."

Young Stawasz is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Stawasz, two brothers, Adam and Thomas, and four sisters, Mary, Clare and Amelia Stawasz, and Mrs. Anna Bednarz, Twenty-second and M streets.

Live on Farm.

The family has been living on a small farm on the outskirts of South Omaha.

Edward had been working at odd jobs at the packing plants, his father said. He was drafted into the army the day before the armistice was signed, and was released next day. Funeral services will be held from St. Stanislaus Polish church, Thirty-third and M streets, Tuesday.

Shipping Board Will Honor Buffalo Bill by Naming Ship for Him

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New York, Feb. 28.—The name of the late Col. William F. Cody, (Buffalo Bill), last of the great scouts and plainsmen, will be borne by a huge freight vessel now being built for the United States shipping board at Hog Island, despite a policy of the board to name no ships after persons.

Technically the vessel will be named in honor of the town of Cody, Wyo., which was named in honor of Buffalo Bill. Representative Mondell, republican, Wyoming, persuaded the board to choose that name.

Plumb to Stump Ohio in Labor's Election Campaign

Washington, Feb. 28.—The first open development in organized labor's campaign to oppose congressmen who voted for the railroad bill came today when it was announced at the Plumb Plan league that Glen E. Plumb, general counsel for the railroad brotherhoods would tour Ohio next month to speak in support of the brotherhoods plan for a tripartite control of the railroads, and against congressmen who voted for the bill.

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