League Members Devote All Day to Committee Work

Distinct Lines of Cleavage Seem to Be Making Appearance as Small Countries Line Up.

Geneva, Nov. 25.—(By The Associated Press.)—No meeting of the assembly of the league of nations was held today in order to give the members full time for committee work, and it is possible there will be no session tomorrow. While some of the committees are reported to be progressing with unexpected speed, their decisions are thus far mostly for sure and slow solutions.

Committee meetings, however, again featured today's session of the assembly of the league of nations. Several of these bodies, charged with examination of projects laid before the assembly and the preparation of reports, are believed to have nearly completed work, it is expected that debate on their conclusions may begin in a few days.

Lines Are Drawn.

Distinct lines of cleavage seem to be making their appearance at the meeting of the assembly, delegates from the smaller nations insisting that the countries they represent should play an influential role in the work of the assembly and the council of the league.

Scandinavian and South American representatives are prominent in the conversations occurring at sessions of the assembly and it is expected their leaders are planning to take part in the debates which will begin soon.

Demand Four Places.

Honorio Puyrredon, foreign minister of Argentina, and one of that nation's representatives, is one of the leaders in demanding that smaller nations should elect four members of the council of the league, and he seems to have the support of a number of influential delegations. Sweden, Norway and Denmark evidently purpose to take to the floor of the assembly and fight for amendments to the covenant of the league. In addition, several nations have taken decided views regarding the economic blockade, the international court and mandates. The proceedings of the assembly, which are at present really being carried on by the committees, may be considered as merely preliminary to its real work, which will begin when these committees submit reports and debate begins.

President Attacks British Oil Policy

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league. The president is now placed in the position of objecting to the narrowness of the provisions of the covenant he champions.

Under the covenant provision the United States, if not a member of the league, might be deprived of equal treatment, even in the North Pacific islands, which Mr. Wilson surrendered to a Japanese mandate in the face of the navy general board's warning of the folly of such a course from the viewpoint of national defense.

Objects to Terms.

Mr. Colby also objects to the British contention that the terms of mandate can properly be discussed only in the league council by the signatories of the covenant. The United States being outside the league, thus would have no vote in determining the governmental status of inventories taken from the central powers in a war, to the success of which America largely contributed.

The secretary of state argues that mandate powers accrue not from membership in the league, but from participation in the war on the central empires and asserts that the United States cannot concede the exclusion of itself or any other associated nation from discussion of the mandate terms.

It happens, however, that the Wilson covenant itself provides that "the degree of authority, control or administration to be exercised by the mandatory shall, if not previously agreed upon by the members of the league, be explicitly defined in each case by the council." The British government is unable to perceive how any nation outside of the league gets a voice in the matter under the terms of this provision. England stands pat on the Wilson covenant, while Mr. Wilson is compelled to appeal from the covenant to safeguard the rights of the United States.

Church Members Unite In Thanksgiving Services

Members of Council Bluffs churches united in Thanksgiving services yesterday. They were held at the Broadway Methodist church, First street and Broadway, and Rev. R. B. Shepard, Rev. James P. Linn, Rev. J. Frederic Catlin, Rev. C. J. Ringer and Rev. A. J. Mathews participated in the program.

Young people of the city attended union services at the First Congregational church, Sixth street and First avenue, at 10 a. m. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Council Bluffs Christian Endeavor union and William H. Green of the Second Presbyterian church presided.

Schools to Inaugurate Special Banking System

School children of Council Bluffs will be encouraged to start savings deposits in various banks by a special system of banking to be inaugurated January 1, according to Supt. Theodore Saam. Members of the school board and representatives of the seven banks of the city will cooperate in establishing the system.

Printed forms or deposit blanks will be given each teacher and the children may deposit their savings in the school room. Parents of the individual student may select the bank in which his money is to be placed. The plan not only will encourage thrift, but will familiarize the students with banking practices and customs.

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1839 SEVENTH AVE., COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA. (Present address, giving number and street or rural route, town or city, and State)
S A M E (Name and address to which medal is to be sent; if same as above, so state)
* Application forwarded to the Depot Officer, Philadelphia, Pa. (date) 7/22/20 and discharge certificate or papers submitted in lieu thereof returned to applicant same date.
Approved for Victory Medal with * bronze star as follows:
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Remarks
* Strike out words not applicable. CHO (If necessary, continue remarks on back.)
Form No. 768-7, A. G. O. April 5, 1918. RECORD CARD OF APPLICATION FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

Here's why the army officials have joined postoffice and secret service operatives in the nation-wide search for Keith Collins, 1739 Seventh avenue, Council Bluffs.

In his expensive photographs Keith is shown wearing captain's bars and pilot's wings.

On his record card of application for victory medal at the office of Col. W. A. Cavenaugh, Omaha recruiting officer, Keith is numbered—like any other buck private—and is listed as a private with the headquarters of the First provost squadron at Carlstrom field, Florida. Keith's army serial number was 500136.

There's nothing on the card to indicate his promotion to captain or his qualification as a flyer for Uncle Sam.

The postoffice officials want him as the accused driver of the "loot car" in the daring $3,500,000 Burlington mail train robbery in Council Bluffs November 13.

Below is the photograph government authorities are using in their search for him.

No Revolutionary Trend in Italy, Declares Premier

Neither Is Country On Verge of Military Dictatorship, Avers Giolitti—Working Classes Acquiring Rights.

London, Nov. 25.—There is neither a swerving toward military dictatorship nor a swing toward revolution in Italy, the Italian premier, Signor Giolitti, declares in an interview with a correspondent of the Manchester Guardian.

There is a widespread confidence among the people of Italy, the writer declares, that Giolitti is succeeding and will continue to succeed in his efforts at bringing the country safely through to recovery.

"I read that Italy is on the verge of a military dictatorship," the premier is quoted as saying. "You can be sure that such a danger is absurd. In 1898 Italy made her brief and disastrous experience in military dictatorship, which served to strengthen and rejuvenate the liberal policy to which I consecrated my life and work in five cabinets. I am faithful to Parliamentary prerogatives, and during 20 years' leadership I think I have demonstrated that the development of the country is only possible through civil liberty.

"Some violent remains of war psychology are scattered over Europe, and will not disappear very soon. But Italy, even less than other countries, believes in any militarist policy, the desire for which is only in the dreams of a solitary literary man.

"The country and the government can rely on the absolute discipline of the army.

"Your paper, discussing our recent troubles among the metal workers, has seen clearly that there is no revolution. Our working classes are gradually securing their economic rights. I do not fear them. I support them, and the policy of the present cabinet remains my former one, without the least reactionary tendency."

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France to Urge Return to First Policy in Turkey

Premier Leygues to Make Suggestions for Settlement of Trouble During Conference With British.

By MAURICE LECLERC.

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London, Nov. 25.—I have learned from a most reliable source that suggestionsw hich French Premier Leygues will submit to the British government on the Greek and Turkish questions during the conversations, which will probably begin Sunday.

Greece, being no longer trusted with the custody of allied interests in the eastern Mediterranean, France will suggest the return to the old France-British policy of the Crimean war through direct collaboration with restored Turkey, Mustapha Kemal Pasha being the new Turkish leader.

Without official cancellation of the Turkish treaty, Kemal would be approached at once under some pretext and probably by the league of nations on the Armenian question. He would be told that, subject to his repudiation of his pan-Islamic aims and co-operation with the bolsevists, and subject to his promise to re-establish the old Turkish form of government with France-British financial advisors, the entente—or at least France—would not object to his taking control of Constantinople and reconquoring certain parts of prewar Turkey, as Smyrna and Adrinople, which was handed over to Greece by the treaty of Secres.

No help would be given to Greece to retain these occupations and neither would the occupation of Constantinople by the Kemalists be approved immediately, but recognition of the new de facto government would come later.

The Armenian-Cilician question could be reached on the following basis: Armenia would keep its self government with Franco-British advisers, its military neutrality being guaranteed by Turkey, France would evacuate Cilicia, compensation for this being an extensive French protectorate over all Christians in Asia Minor.

A boxlike shield has been patented to protect the faces of locomotive engineers obliged to lean out of their cab windows in stormy weather.

Germans Denounce Occupation Army In the Rhineland

Member of People's Party in Reichstag Declares Germany's Financial Situation Now Is Almost Hopeless.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—Bitterness marked a debate in the Reichstag yesterday relative to the voting of appropriations to carry out provisions of the Versailles treaty. Members of the chamber denounced the action of the allies in keeping such a large force of men along the Rhine, and, in particular, assailed France for sending negro troops into Germany.

Dr. Zapf, a member of the German people's party, said Germany's financial situation seemed hopeless. He pointed out that interest charges on the budget alone amounted to 12,500,000,000 marks and declared the conduct of French officers and their families in the Rhineland was provoking a growing irritation.

Rudolph Dreitscheid, a leader of the moderate independent league, said the nation's burdens were not a result of the "infamous conduct of her enemies," but the sequel of Germany's pre-war policies.

"Germany's collapse," he continued, "was not due to the pacificists, but to the men who praised war as the fountain of youth and the bath of steel. I predict the time will come when the present treaty will be replaced by an instrument dictated by true justice. This will be when the workers of France and Germany become sufficiently powerful to put the Versailles treaty out of commission."

Rev. Adolf Korell, a member of the democratic party, charged the entente nations with "unloading troops indefinitely in the Rhineland, asserting these soldiers were not controlled either from Washington, from London or Paris.

"One should not refer to President Wilson's 14 points in scorn and mockery," he said. "Even in the face of disappointment, we still have faith in the ultimate victory of love."

Negro Held on Charge of Intent to Commite Murder

Tesle Coller, negro, was arrested Wednesday night by Council Bluffs police upon the charge of assault with intent to commit murder. Coller has been a fugitive from justice since September, when it is alleged he stabbed Henry Turner, another negro, during an argument.

The negro is held at the city jail pending preliminary hearing this morning in police court. He disappeared immediately after the stabbing and police have been searching for him for two months.

Nebraska Pioneer Dies.

Shubert, Neb., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Mrs. Cornelia King, one of the pioneers of Richardson county, died at her home here Wednesday. She moved on a homestead near the present site of this city 60 years ago from Wisconsin. During her first year o nthe farm she taught an Indian half-breed school and received in pay timber with which her husband their land.

French Premier to Meet Lloyd George

Conference at London Will Discuss Questions Arising From Greek Elections.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Premier George Leygues left for London this morning at 9:45 o'clock. While in that city he will confer with Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain relative to questions arising from the recent Greek election, the Russian situation and problems relative to the near east.

There are indications that the meeting of the French and British premiers may assume a more important aspect than was contemplated by their original plans. Former Premier Venizelos of Greece is said by the Matin to be planning to hurry his trip northward from Italy to participate in the conversations in London and the same newspaper declares Premier Giolitti of Italy will also take part.

An Athens dispatch states that Premier Rhallis has declared that if allied premiers hold a meeting a representative of the Greek government would attend to explain the real significance of recent events in that country.

Thanksgiving Observed Throughout Washington

Washington, Nov. 25.—Practical suspension of the nation's business marked the observance of Thanksgiving day in Washington today. The closing of all public offices and most of the private institutions and places of business gave the capital a holiday aspect, but there were no public functions. Most of the cabinet officers followed the example of President Wilson—and spent the day quietly at home after attending church services.

President Wilson planned to spend the morning on the south portico of the White House with a possible short drive in the afternoon. In the evening, with Mrs. Wilson, he will be the host to a few relatives at a turkey dinner. Mrs. Wilson arranged to attend religious services in the morning at St. Johns Episcopal church.

Thirty Y. M. C. A. Members To Attend State Conference

Thirty members of the Council Bluffs Y. M. C. A., accompanied by two secretaries and other older men, will leave this morning for Des Moines to attend the state conference of the association this afternoon, tomorrow and Sunday. Sessions will be held in the East Des Moines High school building.

R. B. Wallace of Council Bluffs will be toastmaster at the banquet to be held in the coliseum Saturday evening. More than 2,000 are expected to attend. Many excellent speakers have been engaged for the conference.

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