

League Council Thanks Wilson For Mediation

President's Offer to Attempt Arbitration Received With Evidence of Liveliest Satisfaction, Report.

Geneva, Dec. 1.—(By The Associated Press.)—A letter to President Wilson accepting his offer to act as mediator in Armenia was being drafted by the council of the league of nations here today. Mr. Wilson's note, which was received this morning, was read to members of the council at 10:30 o'clock and was received with evidence of liveliest satisfaction.

President Wilson's acceptance created a great impression when it was announced today.

"Poor old Europe will feel less abandonment," was a remark made by a member of the French delegation while discussing the matter. The news gave the assembly great relief, as the Armenian question had become the bugbear of the assembly.

Discuss Mediation Form.

There is much speculation as to what form the mediation of Armenia will take. A. J. Balfour, a leader of the British delegation, remarked to the assembly the other day that in order to negotiate it would be necessary to offer Mustapha Kemal, chief of the Turkish nationalists, something, either money or territory, and this remark is recalled in connection with Mr. Wilson's known opposition to the disposition made of some parts of the territory of Turkey by the Sevres treaty.

Prediction is made here that, in the end, the Greeks may pay the price for saving what remains of the Armenian people.

"President Wilson's action is a big step toward a solution of one of the most serious problems before the world," was the way Lord Robert Cecil characterized the American president's acceptance.

Relieves Bad Situation.

"That is wonderful news," he declared when the information was given him. "It brings relief to all of us who are trying to find a way to help the Armenians out of their difficulty. Mr. Wilson's acceptance is commendable and worthy of the best traditions of the United States, which have always been a friend of Armenia and taken the lead in alleviating its sufferings."

The decision of President Wilson is not in any sense political, from my viewpoint, and cannot give encouragement to all those who wish to see the United States in the league. It is simply a natural development of an old humanitarian policy.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, who had been one of the first to become interested in Armenia, and is a member of the committee considering developments in that country, was rather inclined to pessimism yesterday. When he heard the news today, however, he beamed with joy.

"We have found the man," he cried, "and the rest will be easy."

May Have Assistance.

It was announced this afternoon that Spain and Brazil had offered to join President Wilson in his role of Armenian mediator. This offer has been embodied in the reply to Mr. Wilson framed by the council.

The reply to the American president, it was stated, expresses deep appreciation of the president's acceptance. The allied high commissioners at Constantinople, it says, are being consulted as to the best way for Mr. Wilson to proceed.

The council, it is added, believes there will be no great difficulty about the president's mediators, considering with Mustapha Kemal Pasha, the Turkish nationalist leader, who has been making war upon the Armenians.

The offer of Spain and Brazil to join in the mediation comes during this morning's session of the council. That body left it to President Wilson to decide if he desired this cooperation.

After discussion of the note in the council meeting this afternoon it will go forward to Washington in the early evening.

Suspects in Robbery Will Be Extradited

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Positively identified by them as the robbers who secured \$7,000 from the bank in a daring daylight robbery. Archibald McKay, district attorney, and Sheriff M. J. McGuire, of Superior, are also in Omaha to take the trio back to Wisconsin if extradition papers are granted.

Complaint Here Dropped.

Rumors at Central police station that attorneys for the trio planned to defeat extradition on the technicality that papers cannot be granted while a formal complaint stands against them in this state, caused a snappy conference between Chief Van Deusen, Detective Danbaum, Deputy County Attorney Rosenblum and Judge Foster.

Detective Danbaum and Sergeant Summitt rushed in the emergency car to the county jail where they chained the trio to it and raced back to central station.

They were arraigned before Judge Foster on the complaint charging them with conspiracy to commit a felony by breaking and entering the First National bank at Oakland and were discharged.

They are now held for investigation in connection with the Superior bank robbery.

Chief Van Deusen, who assigned a body guard to Cashier Erickson and Miss Nelson, Superior bank witnesses, declared police officials in Lincoln had also assigned special protection to the couple while in the capital city seeking extradition papers.

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Pretty Bride of Four Days Who Disappeared



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Union Pipe Company to Build New Factories

Plattsmouth, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The Keystone Pipe company of Union, manufacturers of a special patented culvert pipe, has just closed a contract for the sale of \$25,000 worth of its product in South Dakota and arranged for the establishment of a second factory, at Pierre, Stock in the Keystone company is owned by Cass and Otis county people, and the plans of the directors include the opening of several additional factories over the middle west during the coming year. From a very small beginning the business has far outgrown the capacity of the plant at Union, as well as made imperative the securing of better shipping facilities than are provided there.

City Mail Delivery Is Sought in Plattsmouth

Plattsmouth, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Citizens and business men are uniting to obtain city mail delivery service in Plattsmouth. A number of years ago a similar movement with failure, partially on account of poor sidewalk facilities in some parts of town and partially because many of the merchants refused to endorse it, believing that on account of the far-fetched scope of residence, it would be good for business interests to compel everyone to come down town daily after their mail. Since then the receipts of the office have grown so far as to clearly entitle it to city delivery service. New sidewalks have been built in even the more remote residence sections.

Minden Community Club Holds Get-Together Meet

Minden, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The Minden Community club held a get-together banquet at the Odd Fellows hall. About 25 members attended. The principal speaker was Mr. Moss of Omaha, who presented the community problems in a forceful manner. Harry S. Dungan, outgoing district judge and defeated candidate for congress, made a speech in which he thanked the members of Kearney county for giving him the only majority of any county in the Sixth district and implied his candidacy for the same office two years hence.

Ordered to Ballroom School.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Capt. Raymond S. Bamberger, U. S. A., retired, will proceed from Ross Field, Arcadia, Cal., to the United States army ballroom school, Ft. Omaha.

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A. F. L. Considers Establishment Of University

Interest of Labor In Educational Facilities Evidenced by Formation of Many 'Trade Union Colleges.'

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Organized labor's interest in educational facilities of its own, illustrated by the authorization of a committee by the American Federation of Labor to study the possibilities of a central labor university, is evidenced in the formation of "trade union colleges" in a number of the large cities of the country and elsewhere in other educational enterprises, according to Charles B. Stillman, president of the American Federation of Teachers.

Among the trade union colleges established are those at Boston, Washington, Philadelphia and Seattle. Mr. Stillman said. In New York City he said the Ladies' Garment Workers' union had secured the co-operation of the Board of Education in providing school rooms and teachers and had supplied a number of lecturers of their own. More recently, he added, various unions there have organized effective systems of credit and of marketing that the farmer can be placed upon a footing of equality with other producers and business men.

Co-Operate With Schools.

In Chicago the schools committee of the Chicago Federation of Labor and the educational committee of the Women's Trade Union league are co-operating with the Board of Education, holding classes once a week at the rooms of the offices of the Women's Trade Union league. The Board of Education supplies the teachers, with the exception of the public speaking teacher, who is a University of Chicago professor and not on the public school payroll.

Besides public speaking, parliamentary law, essentials in English and short stories, constitute the material offered.

"The increasing interest in the establishment of labor colleges is a very hopeful sign in this reconstruction period," Mr. Stillman said. "There is the most urgent need for trained civic and industrial intelligence. Organized labor has always recognized this, as is shown by its vigorous part in the creation and development of our public school system."

Courses Are Varied.

"But hundreds of thousands of workers have been prevented by economic reasons from continuing their education as far as they desired. The night school classes of the public schools partially meet the situation for large numbers, but often the special subjects and character of instruction needed can be provided only by the workers themselves, in co-operation with members of public school, college and university faculties.

Grand Jury Called in Minden To Probe Perjury Charge

Minden, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—District Judge Dungan called a special session of the grand jury here to investigate alleged perjury in the restrict credit agreement, trial of which occupied two days. The jury gave a verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum asked.

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Consider Plans for Giving Farmers Aid

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"Full legal authority for nationwide co-operation of marketing by farmers, through the Capper-Herriman bill.

"Regulation of the packers, in which the producer will be represented with power through the board, to equalize the sale of marketing and to advise and assist in stabilizing prices, that injury to producer or to consumer through ruinous practices or conditions may be avoided.

"Broaden and strengthen the federal farm loan system.

"Tariification to protect American agriculture.

"Protection for wool growers and the public from unfair competition of shoddy goods, through the Capper-French 'truth in fabrics' bill."

In Senator Cummings' opinion, the problem is one that must be met by a combination of their own protection and the aid of the government. "Protection for wool growers and the public from unfair competition of shoddy goods, through the Capper-French 'truth in fabrics' bill."

Senator Cummings has no faith in the ability of the farmers to form a combination of their own protection such as has been suggested by some of the other organizations, even if they were relieved of all the restrictions of the anti-trust laws. Nor does he believe that conditions can be improved by any such course.

The first great need of the farmers, Senator Cummings believes, is a personal credit system, such as that in Belgium, and other European countries. He thinks that possibly this might be provided by an extension of the present farm loan banks, but is inclined to believe that an entirely separate organization would prove more effective.

The farm loan banks lend only upon farm mortgages. If the farmer has mortgaged his land and is still without money, he cannot produce a crop without assistance from some banking institution and assistance in a large measure is withheld.

The farmers are charging the federal reserve board with discrimination against them because the board is trying to reduce inflation and has not directed that the banks lend directly to the farmers. As a fact, the federal reserve board, while it can restrict credit, is without any power to compel the banks to extend credit in any special direction. Consequently the farmer finds that the reserve system operates only to make his own way more difficult, without affording him the slightest prospect of relief.

The farmers are not only selling at less than production costs, but they are compelled to seek credit upon the basis of a falling market, with constantly reducing values in the assets they have to offer as security.

Await Court Decision.

It has suspended business for the past year, pending the outcome of a suit in the supreme court of the United States, in which the Farm Mortgage Bankers of America question the constitutionality of the federal farm loan act. As the funds derived to make farm loans are from the sale of bonds, he explained, they cannot be sold until the constitutionality of the law is decided.

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Farm Finances Are Discussed By C. E. Corey

Registrar of Federal Land Bank Speaks at Weekly Meeting of Rotary Club in Hotel Rome.

Merton L. Corey, registrar of the Federal Land bank of Omaha, delivered the principal address before the weekly meeting of the Rotary club, following their noonday luncheon in the Hotel Rome yesterday. His subject was "Financing the Farmer."

"If the farmer was adequately financed, he could pay his local merchants and retailers and they in turn could take care of their obligations with the wholesalers," Mr. Corey declared.

He pointed out that by September 1 of this year bankers had every reason to believe that with the arrival of the normal liquidation period for farmers, their crops could be sold and there could be a reasonable liquidation all along the line.

Farm Produce Held.

"The farmer, however," he continued, "is generally refusing to market his products. He feels that the loss he is called upon to bear is greater than his share of General Liquidation is dependent upon what the farmer does and it is to be hoped that prices may become such soon as to permit of his liquidating without taking more than his share of the loss. The farmer as well as every other business man in this period of depression is bound to suffer some loss."

"Some system should be devised whereby the loss is fairly apportioned."

Mr. Corey also discussed the federal farm loan system, stating that the Federal Land bank of Omaha has placed loans amounting to \$48,000,000 among farmers in the states of Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota and Wyoming in the three years of its organization.

Yale Rifle Club to Oppose Oxford in Telegraphic Meet

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 1.—A telegraphic match with Oxford university, England, has been arranged with the Yale Rifle club, it was announced today. The schedule includes Oxford, February 9, and Yale, Stanford (tentative), February 24.

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Leaders in Robbery Taken to Des Moines

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greater portion of the investigation into the train robbery is cleaned up, despite the fact that another man and woman are reported to be wanted.

Noah in Command.

Inspector Noah was sent to Omaha the Thursday following the robbery to assume complete charge of secret service and federal operatives involved in the hunt for the robbers and loot.

The quick work in recovering \$47,200 in currency and capturing nine suspects, most of whom are said to have confessed, is conceded to be due largely to the capable handling of the case by Inspector Noah.

Told of Hiding Place.

Collins told the inspectors where he had hidden his share of the loot before they left Kansas City on the return trip from the capture. They dismounted from the train here Monday night, stepped into a taxicab, drove to the hotel where the inspectors left their luggage, and then, after eluding pursuing news cars, headed straight for the Collins home, 1839 Seventh avenue, Council Bluffs.

In a frying pan under the staircase, where Collins told them he had placed it, inspectors found \$23,800 in \$10 bills—this share of the mail pouch loot.

Home Under Guard.

The home had been under guard since orders were sent to the Bluffs from Kansas City when Collins confessed, John Collins, Keith's brother, did not know the money was hidden in the home, he declared.

John declared Keith's confession would break his mother's spirit to such an extent that she will not live long. She is at the home of a half-brother on a farm near Crescent, where she is being watched because of her threats to make other attempts on her own life. She drank poison 10 days ago in one unsuccessful attempt.

John's faith in humanity has been shaken by his brother's trouble, he declared. He now shuns public places because people always point him out as Keith's brother.

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