

PRESIDENT DELAYS RAILROAD MESSAGE

Awaits Conference on Pending Bills Between Hines and Committee Chairmen

LEGISLATION TO BE RUSHED

By the Associated Press Washington, Dec. 3.—President Wilson will not begin preparation of his special message to Congress on the railroad situation until Director General Hines has conferred with Senator Cummins and Representative Esch, chairman of the Senate and House interstate commerce committees, on the pending railroad bills, it was said today at the White House.

It was intimated that the status of the legislation might be such that the President would not regard it necessary to address Congress on the subject. Leaders in Congress are determined to press the bills, but they have expressed doubt that their enactment could be completed before the Christmas holidays.

May Await Action by Congress

Each of the measures provides for the return of the roads to private operation within a specified time but they are different in other respects. They are to be met in the order of their priority and the order of dealing with strikes and lockouts and these differences will have to be composed in conference.

Cummins Explains Bill

The Senate received consideration of the railroad bill today, with Chairman Cummins, of the interstate commerce committee, continuing his explanation of the measure. The government has a legal as well as a moral obligation to return the roads in as good a condition as when taken over, Senator Cummins said, and it also must pay promptly money owing the roads.

Cumberland River Packet Sinks

Paducah, Kas., Dec. 3.—River packet C. C. Bowers, owned by Captain Decker, Dyessburg, Tenn., bound from that city to Paducah, hit a submerged stump and sank in the Cumberland river this morning. The crew made port safely. The loss is \$10,000.

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SENATE TO PROBE TRADE COMMISSION

Bolshevism Charge and Attitude Toward Business Subjects of Inquiry

Washington, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—General investigation of the Federal Trade Commission was ordered today by the Senate. Resolves inquiry into charges of Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, that the commission is a hot-bed of socialism and bolshevism. The investigators will take up the commission's attitude toward business interests and its general value as a federal agency.

HOUSE REQUEST NEEDLESS

Baker Says Army Plans Are Not Altered by Resolution Washington, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—The House today passed a resolution that the resolution adopted by the House at the last session, requesting that all surplus motor vehicles of the army be sold at auction immediately, would not cause the department to alter its plans for disposing of this equipment.

VARE AIDS ARSENAL FORCE

Assured Uniform Makers at Schuylkill Plant Will Have Square Deal Washington, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—Vare conferred with the quartermaster general today to obtain continuous employment for the 1000 or more men in the uniform factory in the Schuylkill Arsenal in Philadelphia.

The congressman had received a letter from the employees in which they voiced their fears that their employment would be curtailed. The congressman said he was assured that the Philadelphia plant would get a square deal from the quartermaster general's department.

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COAST GUARD PLAN OPPOSED

Commandant Doesn't Favor Extension to Watch Inland Boundaries Washington, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—Extension of the coast guard service to patrol all coastal and inland boundaries against the entry of undesirable aliens is not practicable, Captain W. E. Reynolds, commandant, said today at a hearing before the House immigration committee.

PLAN INDUSTRY PEACE GUIDE

Members of Conference at Work on Statement of Principles Washington, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—After two days of preliminary discussion, the second industrial conference today began the formation of a tentative statement of principles which will be put forward as a guide for relations between capital and labor.

Fielder Now Vice Chancellor

Trenton, Dec. 3.—Out of office as vice chancellor was administered to James E. Fielder, of Jersey City, by Chancellor Wallace yesterday. The ceremony took place in one of the branches of the Court of Chancery in the presence of a number of state officials and friends of the former governor.

When Captain Kidd was off ye Capes



Imagine the consternation of early Philadelphians in the days when Captain Kidd and Blackbeard were familiar figures along the Delaware. Think of the excitement and anxiety with which they hurried to bury the family valuables in some safe place.

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TURKISH HEIR ASKS FOR A JUST PEACE

Son of Abdul Hamid Hopes U. S. Will Ratify Treaty

PORTE FORCED INTO WAR

By the Associated Press Constantinople, Nov. 27 (delayed).—Abdul Mejid Effendi, son of former Sultan Abdul Aziz and heir presumptive of the Ottoman throne, in an interview given the Associated Press today, expressed the hope that the United States would ratify the treaty of Versailles and make an appeal in behalf of his own people.

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eternal peace for all the world. Let the United States, whose honor is pledged in behalf of humbler peoples, continue fighting until a real victory peace is achieved.

O'MALLEY IN; DAY OUT

New York Market Commissioner Replaced by Man He Removed New York, Dec. 3.—(By A. P.)—Edwin J. O'Malley was appointed commissioner of public markets by Mayor Hylan today to succeed the Rev. Jonathan C. Day, who was removed from office yesterday by the mayor. Mr. Day recently caused the resignation of O'Malley as a deputy commissioner.

POINCARÉ WON'T RETIRE

Will Serve While Able, Declares French President, Closing Term Paris, Dec. 3.—President Raymond Poincaré does not intend to retire from public life upon the conclusion of his term.

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presidential term in February, according to an article published today in the Journal.

Elkton Marriage Licenses

Elkton, Md., Dec. 3.—The following marriage licenses were issued here today: Leo A. Crabtree and Hilda Sherbon and Roy W. Speechley and Helen L. Strunk, Philadelphia; William Beckett, Chester, Pa., and Emily Rhoadenough, Philadelphia; Oliver R. O'Neil, Erie, and Beatrice M. Baker, Philadelphia; George White, Philadelphia, and Mary Hessel, Montgomeryville, Pa.; Herbert M. Baker and Edith H. Cole, West Grove, N. J.; Walter E. Heiney and Helen V. George, Aquashicola, Pa.; William D. Tarbert, Delta, Pa., and Erna Worth, Baltimore; Frank B. Evans and Mabel G. Burt, Atlantic City; James Day and Edith Shore, Camden; and Robert M. Coleman and Virginia Lucarda, Vineland, N. J.

CHINA THANKS U. S. SENATE

Oriental Pleas With Reservation to Shantung Clause Peking, Nov. 23, (delayed).—By A. P.—At the request of the Chinese minister in Rome, the Chinese House of Representatives has sent a cablegram to the United States Senate expressing the

nation's gratitude for the valuable service rendered by the Senate in adopting a reservation to the Versailles treaty which reserved to America full liberty of action relative to the Shantung controversy. Twenty-five thousand students conducted a demonstration here yesterday as a protest against the landing of Japanese marines at Fuchow.

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