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PATRIOTIC DISPLAY MARKS INAUGURAL; CAPITAL DRENCHED

WILSON WILL NOT ABANDON RIGHT TO ARM

President Stands Firm For Armed Neutrality Policy and Indicates That Nation May Be Drawn by Circumstances Into a More Active Assertion of American Rights on High Seas.

NOTHING WILL ALTER COUNTRY'S THOUGHT OR PURPOSE, CHIEF EXECUTIVE DECLARES

Rights too Clear to Be Obscured and too Deeply Rooted in Principles of National Life to Be Altered, Mr. Wilson Says in Inaugural Address Following Formal Ceremonies.

Washington, March 5.—President Wilson took the oath of office in public at 12.45 o'clock this afternoon and delivered his inaugural address before a great crowd which packed the plaza at the east front of the Capitol.

Vice-President Marshall had been inaugurated in the Senate chamber at 12.03 p. m.

With a new consecration to the nation's service the President, touching on the international crisis, declared there could now be no turning back from the tragic events of the last thirty months which have brought upon Americans a new responsibility as citizens of the world.

Sounding a solemn warning to the nation against any faction or intrigue to break the harmony or embarrass the spirit of the American people, the president called for an America "united in feeling, in purpose and in its vision of duty, of opportunity and of service."

At the conclusion of his address the President led the inaugural procession back to the White House where it passed in review before him.

COLD RAW WIND WHIPS CROWD IN GREAT PAGEANT

Troops Used to Guard Line of March For First Time Since 1861

Washington, March 5.—Inauguration day began under leaden clouds that threatened to spill rain or snow at any moment. A cold raw wind whipped the rain-soaked decorations of the capital and swept the water-logged grandstands which have stood under drenching downpours for nearly a week.

Hours before the time for the ceremonies at the capitol the city was astir making the final preparations for the show. Pennsylvania avenue was covered with a thick coating of fine sand to dry the route of the procession. Troops assigned to the President's guard or to the procession were moving through the city to their places; platoons of Boy Scouts assigned to assist in preserving order were marching to their posts. Thousands of spectators who had no places on the reviewing stands were beginning to pack the avenue behind the lines of stout steel cables strung from the White House to the capitol to keep the avenue absolutely clear of every thing.

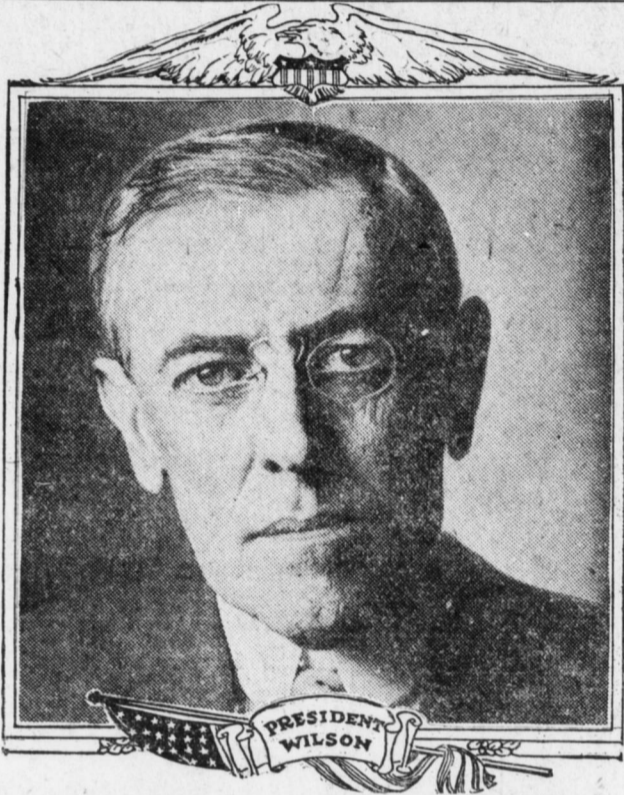
No Morning Engagements President Wilson was up at 8 o'clock and took breakfast before nine with members of his family and his house guests. He had no engagements before the time of his departure for the capitol at 11 o'clock. His inaugural address which was sent to the public printer late last night was returned to the White House early this morning and finally gone over by the President.

The President had a touch of cold yesterday but was better this morning and although worried over the international situation was said by his physician to be in good condition for the inaugural ceremonies. The wind switched about and stirred up the rainy looking clouds and some blue patches appeared in the sky. Then the sun broke through and flooded the soaking streets and stands with its warm rays for a few moments, only to disappear again. It began to look as if it might clear up enough to avoid rain or snow at any rate.

Marshal's Staff in Line At 10 o'clock Major General Scott.

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES



SENATE LEADERS CALL A CAUCUS TO CHANGE RULE

Washington, March 5.—A Democratic Senate caucus has been called for to-morrow morning, at which will be discussed a cloture rule to prevent filibusters such as killed the armed neutrality bill.

Responsive to the President's appeal to the Senate to change its rules so that "a little group of wilful men" might not continue to make the country "helpless and contemptible" before the world in the submarine crisis, the cloture movement was initiated today by the Democratic leaders.

WILSON FLAYS SMALL BAND WHICH KNIFED NATION'S INTERESTS

Washington, March 5.—President Wilson believes the killing of the armed neutrality bill by the Senate filibuster before adjournment yesterday may effectively prevent him from exercising executive prerogative to arm merchant ships, and advocates immediate reform of rules by the Senate at the session called for to-day, to prevent a small minority from holding up legislation in the future.

LITTLE GROUP OF WILFUL MEN RENDERS AMERICA HELPLESS

The President's statement in full follows:—"The termination of the last session of the Sixty-fourth Congress, by constitutional limitation, discloses a situation unparalleled in the history of the country, perhaps unparalleled in the history of any modern Government. In the immediate presence of a crisis fraught with more subtle and far-reaching possibilities of national danger than any other the Government has known within the whole history of its international relations, the Congress has been unable to act either to safeguard the country or to vindicate the elementary rights of its citizens. More than five hundred of the five hundred and thirty-one members of the two Houses were ready and anxious to act; the House of Representatives had acted, by an over-

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ELEVEN DROWN IN ATTEMPT TO SAVE STANDARD TANKER

Boats Launched by Coast Guard Cutter Capsize in Heavy Seas

TUGS SENT TO HELP Crew on Wrecked Vessel Can Be Seen Moving About on Decks

Philadelphia, March 5.—Eleven seamen from the United States coast guard cutter Yamacraw, battling with tremendous seas to render assistance to the steamer Louisiana, stranded off Ocean City, Md., lost their lives last night when two lifeboats were capsized. A third lifeboat sent out by the Yamacraw to search for the other two safely rode the breakers and reported the loss of eleven men to the life savers on shore, according to a telephone message from the coast guard station at Ocean City.

Russ Brothers Repurchase Their Ice Cream Plant

Russ Brothers have repurchased the ice cream business which they sold about a year ago to George Hall. The plant is located at Sixteenth and Walnut streets. The transaction was completed last week. Russ Brothers are now manufacturing ice cream at their old stand.

LEBANON LAWYER MET WITH FOUL PLAY, DR. SAYS

Impossible For Shirk to Have Sent Two Bullets Into His Own Brain

Lebanon, Pa., March 5.—Dr. Hiesler Bucher, of Reading, who was summoned to Lebanon to assist in performing an autopsy upon the remains of Edward C. Shirk, the lawyer who was so mysteriously shot, declared today that his investigation leaves no doubt that the man met with foul play. According to Dr. Bucher it would have been impossible for him to send two bullets into his brain, as the first caused death. Dr. Bucher stated that the dead man had a severe bruise on the head and that it drew blood from the scalp, leading to the belief that he was knocked down with a heavy blow.

Not His Pistol The theory that robbery was the motive of the crime is scouted by Dr. Bucher. There was nothing to indicate, he said, it is said that a clue to the supposed murderer of Mr. Shirk has been furnished to the Lebanon county authorities by the widow of the murdered bank president and leader of the Lebanon county bar. Mrs. Shirk

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair and colder to-night, with lowest temperature about 10 degrees; Tuesday fair, continued cold. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Cloudy to-night, probably snow in north portion; much colder; Tuesday fair, continued cold; strong northwest winds to-night diminishing Tuesday.

General Conditions The sluggish storm that was central near New Orleans, Saturday morning, has moved slowly northward with increasing strength and has now central over New Jersey. It has caused snow, rain and sleet over practically all the eastern half of the country during the last twenty-four hours. The weather has cleared in the Southwest and over most of the Mississippi Valley, including the western part of the Lake Region. A disturbance central over Saskatchewan has caused a decided rise in temperature and some rain in the Northwest. There has been a general fall of 2 to 36 degrees in temperature from the Plains States eastward since last night.

Temperature: 8 a. m.: 30 degrees above zero. Sun: Rises, 6:32 a. m. Moon: Full moon, March 5, 5:02 p. m. River Stage: 11.4 feet above low-water mark. Yesterday's Weather: Highest temperature, 34. Lowest temperature, 31. Mean temperature, 32. Normal temperature, 33.

WANTS RECRUITS AND NOT SO MUCH WAVING OF FLAGS

Col. Finney Favors Public Drill of All City's Guardsmen in Market Square

Desires Young Men to Quit Shouting and Enroll in Local Companies

"Recruits and not so much flag waving is what we want," said Colonel Maurice E. Finney, of the Eighth regiment, this morning when a reporter for the Telegraph broached the idea of a public drill of all Harrisburg Guardsmen in Market Square. "I am heartily in favor of a public drill by the National Guardsmen, but not at the present time," said Colonel Finney. "There is too much work to be done, with the spring inspection coming on and the impassible condition of the streets. As soon as the weather conditions are favorable and the work, now commanding the attention of the guardsmen is completed I am in favor of the drill and will do all I can to aid the project."

2 NEW CHURCHES TO BE ERECTED IN CITY'S OUTSKIRTS

Harris Street U. E. to Establish New Congregation Near Riverside

RECEIVING BIDS FOR PORTABLE ISLAND BLEACHERS

Bids are being received by City Commissioner E. Z. Gross for portable bleachers to be erected on Island Park during the coming track and field meet.

U. E. CHURCH GROWS York, Pa., March 5.—Of the bulk of committee reports disposed of to-day in the rush to bring the twenty-third annual Central Pennsylvania conference of the United Evangelical Church to a close to-night at East Prospect, that of the statistical committee was received with interest. It revealed an encouraging growth of the church in the conference. It is expected that the conference appointments will be announced late to-night.

ARREST ALLEGED THIEF IN PHILA.

Harrisburg.—Peter Muntz, wanted in this city for the theft of \$38.50 from the boardinghouse of Peter Schlitt, 1408 Wallace Street on Feb. 23, was arrested to-day in Philadelphia by the police of that city.

PLOTTED TO BLOW UP PRESIDENT

HOBOKEN, N. J., MARCH 5.—A MAN WHO GAVE HIS NAME AS FRITZ KOLB WAS ARRESTED HERE TO-DAY AND CONFESSED, ACCORDING TO THE POLICE, OF A PLOT TO BLOW UP PRESIDENT WILSON.

BIG PASSENGER STEAMER SUNK

New York, March 5.—Advices received here from Rio Janeiro and London indicate that the Royal Mail Steam packet lined, Drina, of 11,483 tons, with passengers and cargo from the former place, has been sunk between Liverpool and London.

PROMINENT WOMEN TO OPEN EXHIBIT

Harrisburg.—Addresses by Mrs. Charles Frazier, wife of the President of the State Board of Charities and Mrs. Edward W. Biddle, President of the Philadelphia Civic Club, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock will open an exhibit on Feeble Mindness at 206 Walnut Street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bruce Earl Dearlord and Ada May Crane, New Cumberland. John Lawrence Hair, Millersburg, and Essie Rebecca Amis, Liverpool. Jacob E. Rothbarrel and Edna I. Troutfoot, Millersburg. Leonard Thomas Neely and Elizabeth Mary Ryan, Harrisburg. Nicola Sgrignovoli and Tetersa Rosa Amicone, Harrisburg. George Dewey Bostdorf, Harrisburg, and Ruth Katharine Reed, Penbrook.