

WILSON STANDS READY TO ORDER AMERICAN ARMY IN ACTION AGAINST GERMANY

Yankee President Declares Resumption of Hostilities Grave. Eventuality; Teutons Must Obey Armistice

CHIEF EXECUTIVE ANNOUNCES HIS READINESS TO AGAIN PLACE U. S. TROOPS IN CONFLICT

Paris, Feb. 13.—In a written reply to a delegation of the French Association of the Society of Nations which recently called upon him, President Wilson makes known formally for the first time his intention to return to France after going to Washington for the closing session of the American Congress.

In his reply the President says that he accepts the suggestion that after his return to Paris a great public meeting be arranged in celebration of the conclusion of work of the Peace Conference. The arrangements have been completed for President Wilson's prospective departure from Paris on Friday night and his embarkation from Brest on Saturday.

During the brief period of the renewed armistice, a special commission will definitely draft the conditions of an armistice which the Supreme War Council is reported to have approved in a rough form yesterday afternoon, have in view, it is said, the demobilization of the German army and the disarmament of the enemy under the supervision of the Allies.

Marshal Foch, who leaves for Treves to-day, will interview Premier Clemenceau this morning and will begin drafting the armistice provisions which the Supreme War Council will probably examine this afternoon.

It is reported that M. Clemenceau made an impressive speech at yesterday's sitting of the council, showing the necessity of taking all desirable precautions against Germany.

President Wilson, according to the report, is understood to have declared in conversation that a resumption of hostilities was a grave matter and that he would not take any of the most absolutely central considerations and not for any secondary motive.

Hamburg Declared in State of Siege; Patrols Demand People Disarmed

Basle, Switz., Feb. 13.—A state of siege has been declared at Hamburg, Germany, until the people of that city have surrendered all arms in their possession.

WOULD CREATE NEW STATE Albany, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The third bill to create a new state to be introduced in the New York Legislature since the state ratified the federal prohibition amendment made its appearance to-day.

ERZBERGER TO DEMAND Recognition of Berlin Government at Treves

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 13.—With the arrest of J. F. Swartz, cashier, charged with embezzling \$250,000 of its funds, the Park Bank, one of the leading financial institutions of the east end, was closed this morning.

SWARTZ ATTEMPTS SUICIDE According to the police, Swartz attempted to commit suicide shortly before officers arrived at his home in a fashionable residence section of the city.

WELSH RABBIT AND MINCE PIE WITHOUT BOOZE? CERTAINMENT

Monsieur Henri Fontan Is Not Dismayed or Discouraged Over Prospects of a 'Dry' Kitchen After July 1

"Que voulez-vous?" "It was the dulcet Gallic of the chef of the Penn-Harris, Monsieur Henri Fontan, pronounced, 'Onree,' si'l vous plait, and a common or garden newspaper sleuth must have the character of the days to get any news from the most important man in an up-to-date hotel like the Penn-Harris.

THE WEATHER For Harrisburg and vicinity: Rain and warmer to-night and Friday; lowest temperature to-night about 35 degrees.

Depositors Gather at Doors Several hundred depositors gathered at the bank's doors at 10 o'clock this morning after a notice had been posted announcing that only persons indebted to the bank would be admitted. Police reserves were called, but up to noon the steadily increasing crowd had caused no disorder.

Ready For Saint Valentine



With wealth I'd bring you something fine For a Valentine, you'd see, But I spent all I had to buy this. Would you accept just me?

Propaganda is a word of many meanings, and many agencies can employ it to further their own ends. Long before any one ever heard of a German Wilhelmstrasse, one St. Valentine was using it, and Dan Cupid has employed it assiduously for many, many years.

This is propaganda time, and the stores are full of brightly colored bits of propaganda which Dan and his friends are going to disseminate all through the city before next Friday. You've guessed it. Next Friday is Valentine Day, and we're talking about valentines.

Cupid has his own little campaign coming off Friday and the stores selling gew-gaws and paper trinkets are with him, heart and purse. Uncle Sam with his mail facilities is aiding the little conspirator, and the insidious gold darts will find their way into many an out of the way corner.

GOVERNOR HAS CAPITOL PLANS; TO ACT AT ONCE

Intends to Complete Details Within the Coming Week; Shreiner Ready

Governor William C. Sproul will take up the details of the Capitol Park construction program within a week, he informed members of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings to-day, and will then have a consultation with Attorney General Schaffer about what legislation is needed. Aside from appropriation items it is not thought that much is required. Agreements will be made with the city of Harrisburg regarding its share in the changes on boundary streets and the construction of the building.

Nine-Year-Old Boys Are Charged With Theft of Hospital Donation Boxes

Two nine-year-old Italian boys were arrested to-day by police on the charge of stealing from hospital donation boxes and of theft in the H. A. Gable hardware store Sunday night. It is said the boys confessed their guilt. The names of the two boys have not been divulged by police. Officer Anderson made the arrest.

REVENUE MEN GET READY TO COLLECT TAX

Income Returns to Be Tabulated Much Same as Last Year

Officials of the Internal Revenue Department who will have charge of receiving statements filed in accordance with the income tax laws this year, have not received instructions or forms from Washington, and therefore are not prepared to go ahead with the work of receiving statements. It was announced this morning that when the forms are received, which likely will be within a week or ten days, proper notice will be given and forms can be secured at the office of the internal revenue collector.

Berlin Police Arrest Radek, Russian Rebel

Basle, Switzerland, Feb. 13.—Karl Radek, the Russian Bolshevik emissary, who has been accused by the German authorities of being an instigator of numerous radical outbreaks in German territory, has been discovered and arrested by the Berlin police, according to a Berlin dispatch to-day. His whereabouts had been a mystery for some time.

SHARP SWINDLER TRICKS VICTIMS WITH NEW TRICK

Buncoman Plays on Credulity of Businessmen For Substantial Sums

Police are on the watch for a buncoman who is said to be pulling a new game and fleecing his victims by a trick which has never been practiced around Harrisburg before. According to the stories of victims, the youth enters a business place in his shirt sleeves and, presenting a number of one-dollar bills, says: "My employer wants to send \$20 by mail. Give me a \$20 bill for these twenty one-dollar bills."

NO GENERAL REMONSTRANCES TO BE FILED AGAINST BARS

Saturday will be the last day to file any remonstrances against petitions for liquor licenses in the city or county. The applications will be presented to the court next Wednesday for approval. It was said to-day that objections probably will not be filed to any of the applications and temperance workers believe all bars and saloons will close July 1.

STORM HITS WIDE WIRE SERVICE

Chicago—Heavy snow, accompanied by extremely high winds, have demoralized telegraph and telephone communication from Chicago to the Pacific coast. The heaviest snow reported was from Nebraska, where business in some towns was at a complete standstill.

CORN PRICES JUMP

Chicago—Big upward jumps in the price of corn to-day carried the market more than 8 cents a bushel in some cases above Tuesday's close. Uneasiness over diplomatic developments, together with unfavorable domestic crop conditions had much to do with the advance.

CROWDER RENOMINATED BY PRESIDENT

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MAGNELL'S CHARGE AGAINST POLICE IS CLOSELY GUARDED

City Council Hears Mayor Keister's Case Against Suspended Patrolmen and Withholds Its Judgment

SOLICITOR FOX STEERS SAFE COURSE AROUND CITY SCANDAL

No decision was given by Council on the charges preferred against Theodore A. Magnell and Edward E. Schmehl, suspended by Mayor Daniel L. Keister because it is alleged they accepted thirty cents each as a reward for returning a stolen horse, after hearing all the evidence at a special session this morning. The charge against Victor H. Bihl was heard also, but the case was continued until 11 o'clock next Tuesday morning when more witnesses will be called for the defense.

It is believed that the Commissioners will hold a conference before making any decision and some officials anticipate no action will be taken by Council to dismiss any of the men until the Bihl case is closed also.

Magnell Steers Clear Magnell and Schmehl, through their counsel, presented a defense that they accepted the money only after repeatedly refusing to do so, and then only when the owner of the horse said they should use it for cigars or coffee.

Magnell at the hearing made no charges against any other officers on the police force. City Solicitor Fox carefully kept clear of Magnell's former graft charges, and the City Commissioners evidenced no desire to hear what the man had to say.

Bihl, who is charged with misconduct at police headquarters in removing his overcoat and inviting Schmehl to fight out their differences, admitted that he had done so. A large crowd filled the rear of the council room, indicating the interest in the outcome of the case. He will sail on the Aquitania.

GEORGE W. REILY VICE-PRESIDENT

Harrisburg—George W. Reily was to-day elected vice-president of the Harrisburg National Bank and Howard A. Rutherford cashier, to succeed the late W. L. Gargas. Mr. Reily is president of the Harrisburg Trust Company.

RAIL STOCK BREAKS THREE POINTS

New York—Stock of the New York, New Haven and Hartford broke three points to-day upon announcement in Wall street that application had been made for a limited receivership.

BRITISH WANT CAR COST PAID

London—The British delegates at the peace conference have been definitely instructed to claim an indemnity which will include the cost of the war as well as the damage actually caused, it was announced in the House of Commons to-day by Andrew Bonar Law, government leader in the Commons.

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