

JAMES KAISER FOR MIXUP IN POLICIES

Democratic Leader in Assembly Calls Ex-Ruler an Amateur in Foreign Affairs.

DECLARES BAN ON REDS

Resumption of Relations With Russia Opposed While Bolsheviks Are Active.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Oct. 25.—"William II. was notorious as an amateur, which is the reason why Germany's foreign policies were never clearly defined," Conrad

Hausmann, Vice-President of the National Assembly, informed the Deputies yesterday afternoon in the course of a significant speech in the debate on the Foreign Office budget. The Democratic leader declared that the former Emperor was responsible for the failure to renew the Russian reciprocal treaty, and charged him with completely dominating Caprivi (who succeeded Bismarck) three days after the second Chancellor took office. Herr Hausmann asserted that the premature death of Emperor Frederick was a national calamity, as he had directed the country's policies in peaceable channels. He charged that the creation of the Kingdom of Poland was due to the initiative of Ludendorff, who hoped to enlist 400,000 Poles against Russia. Herr Mueller, Minister of Foreign Affairs, started the assembly by the statement that the Foreign Office archives contained no definite information of the Polish venture. He said it was wholly instituted by the military authorities, who needed recruits. In replying to Deputy Cohn, Independent, who charged the Government with dilatory policy with respect to Soviet Russia, the Minister declared that so long as the Bolsheviks were meddling in Germany's internal affairs and

preaching world revolution resumption of relations was impossible. The prevailing disorganization in Russia, he added, also precluded the possibility of renewing economic intercourse. The return of Russian prisoners, the Minister said, had been delayed because both Poland and Lithuania refused to permit them to traverse their territories. Germany would decline to release them until assured they would be returned to their native provinces and not impressed into the Soviet army. Philipp Scheideman, Socialist, declared that Carl Kautsky, who has been investigating the causes of the war, was strongly opposed to resumption of relations with Russia when he was attached to the Foreign Office during the administration of the People's Commissioners. The first German Soviet Congress also was opposed to it. **Flying Boat to Go to Havana.** A flying boat piloted by C. J. Zimmerman, test pilot of the Aeromarine Plane and Motor Corporation, will leave Keyport, N. J., tomorrow morning on a 1,325 mile trip to Havana, where a daily flying service to Key West is to be established. Two other "ships" have been sent by rail to Florida.

VISCOUNTESS ASTOR WOULD ACCEPT SEAT Family Popularity May Land Her in Commons.

LONDON, Friday, Oct. 24.—Political and social circles are decidedly interested in the prospect that Viscountess Astor may be the first woman to sit in the House of Commons, particularly in view of her American birth. Friends believe the Viscountess is disposed to accept the nomination as a family affair. So far as the Conservative party is concerned, if she declines to be a candidate, Capt. John Jacob Astor will be nominated. While the constituency for many years was strongly Conservative, the recent reaction against the coalition Government may affect the result, but, on the other hand, the popularity of the Astor family in Plymouth, and the part Viscountess Astor has taken in former campaigns which have made her well known to voters, must be reckoned with. The question of how far the newly enfranchised females of the constituency

will vote along sex lines also enters into the problem. Even should Viscountess Astor be successful, she would not be the first woman elected to the House of Commons. Countess Georgina Markievicz has that honor, but, with her fellow Sinn Feiners, she refused to recognize the British Parliament and, moreover, has spent most of the time since her election in Irish prisons. All London newspapers comment on the probable candidacy of Viscountess Astor, the belief being general that she will accept the nomination and that she will be a popular candidate. "Her ladyship," says the Daily Mail, "is reputed to hold advanced views on some subjects, especially prohibition. The labor element probably will want to know her ideas on this subject before deciding upon its attitude in the campaign." **Dedication for Highest Bidder.** Special Correspondence to THE SUN. LONDON, Oct. 15.—In the agony column of a newspaper appears the following: "Well known writer will dedicate his book, shortly appearing and sure of a large circulation in England and America, to highest bidder. Hard up. Offers in confidence."

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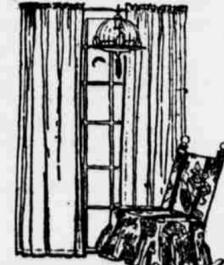
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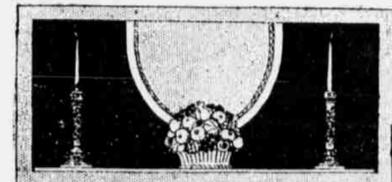
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