

BERNSTORFF SEES COUNSELOR LANSING

German Envoy Is Expected to Deny Embassy Practiced Deception Upon U. S.

(Continued from First Page.) retary Lansing, and who told him he knows both Dr. Meyer-Gerhard and Dr. Meyer, and that he saw Meyer-Gerhard take the boat but did not see Meyer, is understood to be Herman Ridder.

England Expected to Deny Order in Council Hurts American Trade

England hopes to "beat the United States" in her reply to the American protest against the order in council. With the admission that a reply is being prepared to the American protest of March 30, comes the intimation that England hopes to attack any suggestion that the trade of the United States has suffered by citing some of the figures of Secretary of Commerce Redfield.

Belgium Aided by Pope, Says Cardinal Mercier

ROME, Italy (via Paris), June 18.—A pastoral letter just issued by Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Malines, Belgium, has been published by the Corriere d'Italia. In it the cardinal says, in part: "Since the commencement of the war designing persons have persistently spread the report that Pius X and P. edict XV favored our enemies financially and morally, and had, by their weakness, failed to recognize the right of the Belgians to peace."

Hated Rival Arrests Eloping Sweetheart

WINCHESTER, Va., June 18.—When Miss Mazie Allison refused to marry Robert Simpms and eloped with Walter A. Johnson the disappointed suitor tried to prevent the marriage. He chased the couple to from Fauquier county, and representing himself as a constable arrested them. The girl was sent to a hotel and Johnson was placed in jail.

Democrats in Iowa Are Behind the President

A significant political development is the receipt here of a copy of resolutions adopted at a State-wide conference of Iowa Democrats strongly endorsing President Wilson.

Income Tax Expected To Yield \$83,000,000

Nearly \$83,000,000 will be collected in returns from the personal and corporate income tax, according to the latest estimate of returns by officials of the Internal Revenue Bureau of the Treasury.

Army and Navy

First Lieutenant URSULA M. DILLEH, Third Infantry, placed upon list of officers detached, to take effect September 30, and First Lieutenant LOUIS A. KUNZIG, Infantry, removed therefrom, to take effect September 29.

Board of officers to consist of the commanding general, Pacific Coast Artillery District, Major ROBERT H. RAYMOND, Corps of Engineers, and Captain WALTER K. WILSON, Coast Artillery Corps, appointed to meet at Fort MacArthur, Cal., on July 15, to consider the installation of a fire control and search light project for the guns and mortars to be installed at that place.

First Lieutenant RALPH W. KINGMAN, Sixteenth Infantry, detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn., to take effect July 14.

First Lieutenant WILLIAM T. MACMILLAN, Sixth Field Artillery, detailed for duty at the Army War College, to take effect July 14.

Leave for two months, to take effect July 14, granted Major EDMUND TITENMYER, Infantry, military attaché.

Leave for two months granted Captain ERNEST E. HASKELL, Infantry, to take effect July 14.

Captain JOHN E. MUNROE, Coast Artillery Corps, will report July 1, to the commanding general, Philippine department, for duty.

The following officers in the Ordnance Department will report as indicated: First Lieutenant EARL McFARLAND, Coast Artillery Corps, to Washington, D. C., to the chief of Ordnance for duty.

First Lieutenant CHARLES T. HARRIS, Jr., Coast Artillery Corps, to the Sandy Hook proving ground, N. J., for duty.

First Lieutenant HARRY K. RUTHERFORD, Coast Artillery Corps, to the Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, for duty.

First Lieutenant JAMES H. BARNES, Fourth Field Artillery, to the Peabody Arsenal, Dover, N. J., for duty.

First Lieutenant JAMES L. O'NEILL, Coast Artillery Corps, to the Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Mass., for duty.

First Lieutenant FRED H. COLEMAN, Fourth Cavalry, to the Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill., for duty.

Second Lieutenant FRANK A. DONAT, Fifteenth Infantry, to the Watertown Arsenal, Mass., for duty.

Second Lieutenant C. DAVIES, Jr., Coast Artillery Corps, to the Benicia Arsenal, California, for duty.

Second Lieutenant ROBERT E. KIMBALL, Coast Artillery Corps, to the Sandy Hook proving ground, New Jersey, for duty.

Second Lieutenant CARL A. WALDMANN, Coast Artillery Corps, to the Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill., for duty.

Second Lieutenant HARRY R. KUTZ, Springfield Army, Springfield, Mass., twenty-second Infantry, to the Second Cavalry, for duty.

Second Lieutenant MELFENG, Coast Artillery Corps, to the Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill., for duty.

Captain CHARLES G. METTLER, Ordnance Department, relieved from duty in office of Chief of Ordnance, to San Francisco, Cal., and will report July 6, to Hawaii, for duty.

First Lieutenant JOHN T. KENNEDY, Sixth Cavalry, detailed to the United Mounted Service School, Fort Riley, Kan.

Second Lieutenant SIDNEY V. BINGHAM, Ninth Cavalry, will proceed to West Point, N. Y., for duty.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, each of the following officers is detailed for duty in the Signal Section of the Signal Corps, with rank first lieutenant:

Second Lieutenant REDONDO B. SUTTER, Coast Artillery Corps, June 16.

Second Lieutenant WALTER G. KILNER, Infantry, June 17.

Second Lieutenant SHEPLER W. FITZGERALD, Coast Artillery Corps, June 18.

The following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Ordnance Department are ordered: Captain MORGAN L. BRETT is relieved at the Sandy Hook proving ground, N. J., and will proceed to Washington, D. C.

First Lieutenant FRANCIS H. MILES, T. J., is relieved from duty at the Benicia Arsenal, California, and will proceed to Sandy Hook proving ground, N. J., for duty.

WILL PUSH BILL TO ABOLISH JOB TRADING

Sims Would Authorize Postmaster General to Appoint All Postmasters.

Congressman Sims of Tennessee, one of the Democratic leaders of the House, will urge at the next session a bill to give the Postmaster General authority to appoint all postmasters.

There are said to be any senators and Congressmen who do little while in Washington but haunt the White House and the departments looking for jobs for their political friends.

It is declared to be a case on the one hand of the world who have not said return for jobs for their holders, and on the other hand of the Administration being urged by the Senate and House by disposing of offices.

Judge Sims holds that if the system were abolished, the postoffice would be a political machine, and that there is no reason why the Postmaster General should not name them.

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This, it is claimed, would remove a great burden from the White House and also from a large number of members of Congress, who would be relieved of the task of making postoffice recommendations.

It is also true that there is a large number of Senators and House members who would abolish a system that prevents them from giving their best efforts purely to legislation.

COURT STOPS STORY ATTACKING WOMAN

Warns Youthful Witness Confession Would Lead to Prosecution.

LONG ISLAND CITY, June 18.—A woman's reputation was indignantly defended by Justice Blackmar in the supreme court here, when Mrs. Ferguson, nineteen, named as co-respondent by Frank H. Handy, a cabaret singer, started to confess he had been over-familiar with Mrs. Handy.

"Stop!" ordered the justice. "Do you know you can be prosecuted? You don't have to answer, and if you give any testimony of an incriminating nature I'll send you to the district attorney."

Ferguson became confused and finally left the stand.

Handy and his wife are widely known. In her counter-suit asking for a separation and alimony of \$20 a week and \$2000 counsel fees she charges her husband with improper conduct with Mrs. Lola Cronins, who is separated from her husband.

Mrs. Cronins took the stand and denied Mrs. Handy's charges. She said she left her husband because he drank and abused her. Mrs. Annie Burns testified that Handy and Cronins rented an apartment from her and lived together there.

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DEFENSE OF BILLY OFFERED BY "MA"

Wife of Baseball Evangelist Declares He Is No Plagiarist.

HOOD RIVER, Ore., June 18.—"My husband is no plagiarist, and the Billy Sunday organization is far from being disrupted and will open its summer fight for food and right in San Francisco at the fair on Billy Sunday Day, July 29," emphatically declared Mrs. Billy Sunday, speaking for her husband, the baseball evangelist, at their Hood River ranch.

Mr. Ackley, who is in Philadelphia, had declared that Sunday was a plagiarist, stealing his sermons from such preachers as Talmage, Moody and others, and that he had not paid Ackley for the songs which Ackley had written and which Sunday had been using for the past six or seven years in meetings.

"No; we do not plan any action against Ackley, unless he goes too far," continued Mrs. Sunday. "We have no quarrel with Ackley. We will stay here until Billy Sunday Day at the fair in San Francisco; then in September we will go to Omaha, then to Syracuse, then to Trenton, and thence to Baltimore, where we bring us up to March or April."

Mr. Ackley's charges are foolish. Did any one ever hear a preacher who preached everything new? Is there any preacher of many years' standing who has not written what such great men as Talmage, Moody and others said? Then, too, Mr. Ackley prevaricates when he says Mr. Sunday promised to pay him for his songs.

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BOYS' SHOP BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

If there's a boy in the family he's needing just what we're offering tomorrow at less than the usual price. It's an exceptional assemblage of specials—because it meets every feature of the wardrobe—with Saks qualities—and at big savings.

\$3 Boys' Blue Serge Suits—guaranteed all-wool and fast color. Norfolk jackets and full-lined Knickerbocker pants. Sizes 7 to 17 years. \$3.98

\$5 Boys' Palm Beach Suits; thoroughly shrunken, carefully made. Single-breasted jackets with plaited back, and back belt. Sizes 7 to 14 years. French models. \$5.95

\$1.50 "Tommy Tucker" Suits; effectively trimmed with light or dark blue, red or tan combinations. Exceptionally well made suits. Sizes 3 to 10 years. 95c

75c Boys' Wash Suits; cute little Dutch models, of excellent material, and carefully cut and made. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7 years. 59c

50c Boys' Khaki Knickerbockers—all seams reinforced; full and large. Sizes 7 to 15 years. 35c

75c Boys' Sport Shirts and Blouses; something new for youngsters; and full of good style and good value. All sizes. 50c

35c Boys' Nainsook Shirts and Drawers; fine and sheer; cool and comfortable—athletically cut. Sizes 24 to 34. 25c

50c Boys' Houses and Shirts—"Bell Brand" which is most perfect fitting of them all. Neat patterns; with or without collars and soft cuffs. 39c

THREE FOR \$1.10. Young Men's \$20 Suits for \$13.75. Plain Blue, Light and Dark Gray, and a half dozen Fancy Novelty patterns—cut with the soft roll; patch pockets; athletic vests; snug trousers—practically skeleton lined with silk yoking and silk sleeve lining. All sizes, from 33 to 36. Second Floor. \$3.50 Young Men's Flannel and Serge Outing Trousers; new cut; stripes and cut in the new model; with cuff bottoms and belt loops. All waists and in- \$2.98

DANTE'S "INFERNO" PEACE IN CONTRAST

"Din of Battle" Is Dead—It's Blatter and Crash, Spit and Screech.

LONDON, May 26 by mail to New York.—That old expression, "the din of battle" is dead.

"It's a blatter and crash, a spit and screech, and 'hell let loose' doesn't half describe the noise of combined rifle, machine gun shell fire and bombs in this day and age," said a soldier back from the battlefield of northern France today.

"If any one could properly describe a modern battle Dante's picture of inferno would represent peace in contrast," he added, explaining the sounds that the modern soldier's ear has come to recognize.

"German fire sounds different from the British and there are a thousand different individual sounds to break the stillness. Distant individual fire represents the rattling of clay with a spade; distant rapid reminds one of the purring of a powerful motor car."

"The German bullet 'cracks' and the British sounds like the burbling of a soft paper bag. Sometimes a German bullet ricocheting in the sand 'bores,' sometimes its lightning light sounds like a man half whistling, half hissing through his teeth. Glancing off metal, it 'plings' then 'screeches' until it stops."

FEARING SENTENCE, HE INSPECTS JAIL

In Arrears of Alimony, Husband Plans to Make His Own Defense.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Ernest B. Parsons, once secretary to Frederick Townsend Martin, will appear before Supreme Court Justice Shearn today to tell why he thinks he should not pay alimony.

Parsons is being sued by Mrs. Leone Parsons for separation and is in arrears of alimony. He intends to act as his own attorney and exhibited a twelve-page speech he had prepared.

Incidentally, Parsons inspected the Ludlow street jail's accommodations. He is successful in his plea to the court he will have to join the jail's army club.

The prospective guest said he thought the accommodations satisfactory, but hoped he could take his typewriter along, as he intends to write a book.

Woman Rescued From Harbor by Her Escort

Miss Florence Hardy, of 725 Seventh street northwest fell from a small boat into the harbor late yesterday and was rescued by her escort, Edwin Eberts, of 340 N street northwest. The two were climbing from the Potomac Park wall into the boat when the craft tipped and threw the young woman in the water, which is about four feet deep at that point. She was taken to the Harbor police station, where dry clothes were obtained for her.

Pennsylvania Avenue Seventh Street Saks & Company Specialties in Apparel for Men, Boys and Children 700 More of the New Palm Beach Suits—Exactly Like the Others at \$5.00 We have never experienced anything like the response you made to the announcement of Monday—we had 400 of these suits—and by noon there was not a "baker's dozen" left. They are genuine Palm Beach—each suit bears the registered label. Plun—stripes—checks—in regular Sacks and Norfolks. Every yard thoroughly shrunken before being cut—Every stitch carefully taken—every size of true proportion. You can readily believe that the regular price would be \$8.50 for the Sacks and \$10 for the Norfolks. But this is a special—that we have exerted ourselves to arrange for those who came too late on Tuesday. Men's Self and Pencil Striped Flannel Outing Trousers —with cuff bottom, belt loops and cut in the new shapes. \$5 grade. Special for Saturday. \$3.95 Boys' Shop Bargains For Saturday Black-Label Manhattan Shirts \$2 to \$3.50 Grades. You Know the Usual Prices \$1.45 Every shirt has that identifying label—but without it you'd know they were Manhattans from the patterns—soft plaits—soft cuffs—in many staple and novelty effects exclusive to Manhattan Shirts—and in Manhattan quality, and fit. Sizes 14 to 17. C. & K. Sample Straw Hats \$4 and \$5 Grades The Finest Straws Made \$1.35 Tomorrow will finish this Sample Sale. There are just enough of these Hats left to meet the big call the quality and the price is certain to create. Splits, Sennets, Mackinaw, Milan, and Fancy Braids—with plain and fancy bands—C. & K. exclusive shapes—both staple and varieties—in all the varying proportions—and sizes. Young Men's \$20 Suits for \$13.75

