

PEACE CONFERENCE SOON IMPROBABLE

PARIS, Nov. 17.—Several circumstances have combined to diminish the possibility of the Versailles conference reconvening at once to consider the preliminaries of peace.

There is an enormous mass of details to be worked out before the allied diplomats can undertake more formal sessions. Another factor tending toward delay is the carry out of the armistice provisions, which will require at least three more weeks. Then, too, the British elections make it uncertain who will represent Great Britain at the peace table.

An idea of the stupendous task before the delegates can be gleaned from the fact that the peace negotiations will mean complete readjustment of the map of central Europe; establishment of Czecho-Slovak and Jugoslav and Polish nations; settlement of the Balkan tangle; re-territorializing of Austria-Hungary; attaching German Austria to Germany; and straightening out of the Russian situation as far as possible.

In the meantime, Colonel House and his party are keeping in close touch with allied leaders. Some members of the party will visit the Chateau-Cherry region tomorrow, possibly to inspect the American zone during the week.

French officials and civilians anxiously are awaiting definite word regarding President Wilson's proposed trip to this country.

ADMIT FOE FLEET REFUSED TO FIGHT

Estimate diplomatic cables today verified recent unofficial advice that battle orders to the German high seas fleet precipitated the German naval mutinies and the sudden overthrow of the Kaiser.

Welf Agency dispatches from Berlin to Switzerland admit that the German command had decided, at the demand of the pan-German element at Berlin, to sacrifice the entire German fleet in a spectacular sea attack against the English coast.

The agency's account of the revolution points out that the high seas fleet received orders to prepare for the great rally on October 28. It is declared that the German sailors already knew of the pan-German plans through the interception of wireless letters written home by officers.

Sailors' committees were in existence on the various vessels and the revolutionary movement proceeded with comparative ease despite the incarceration of thousands of officers at Wilhelmshaven.

DRAFT MEN UNDER CANVAS OUT FIRST

The first cantonments to be abandoned are those now under canvas. Secretary of War Baker announced yesterday afternoon. The war department is not ready to say which of these will be the first to go, but a formal announcement will be made in the near future.

Members of the Student Army Training Corps probably will be allowed to apply for discharge immediately, or to continue as long as their units stay at the colleges to which they are attached. This matter is now being studied by a commission especially appointed for the purpose.

GERMANY TO PAY FOR RELIEF WORK

Germany will ultimately have to pay for any food she obtains from the United States or the allies. This assurance was given authoritatively this afternoon after it had been suggested to this Government that the impression was growing that free relief was contemplated.

BRITISH TO ENTER BUCHAREST TODAY

LONDON, Nov. 17.—British troops have entered Constantina, a Roumanian port on the Black sea, and are expected to enter Bucharest, the Roubal of the war as it rolled down a change Telegraph dispatch from Paris.

TO ENTERTAIN FRENCH MISSION OF SCHOLARS

Prof. Emanuel de Martonne, of the University of Paris, now in Washington with six colleagues as members of the mission of French scholars to the United States, will be given an informal reception tomorrow night at 9 o'clock by members of the Cosmos Club.

Prof. de Martonne was exchange professor at Columbia in 1916 and is one of the most widely known of French geographers. He will be accompanied at the reception by Dr. Theodore Reinach, Prof. Ferand Baldensperger, Prof. Charles Cazamian, Dr. Etienne Burnet, Charles Koehlin, and Seymour de Ricci.

TO FIND SOLDIERS JOBS. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Knights of Columbus plan to establish an employment bureau in each of its 1,800 councils throughout the country to aid returning soldiers in obtaining

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Lace Curtain Stretchers, with center brace, 6x12-foot size; \$1.49

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Oak Finished Bathing Seats with rubber-covered ends; will fit any size tub; \$0.75c

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Rapid-firing Cannon, with wood ammunition; good size; \$1.00

Daisy 500 Shot Air Rifles; full size; \$1.50

Stick Horses, with wheels, painted bright colors; \$1.00

Child's Toy Auto Car, like illustration; \$2.98

Child's Tricycles, steel tires; \$5.98 & \$6.98

Target Game Sets, complete with gun and ammunition; \$2.9c

White or mahogany finished Doll Beds, complete with mattress and pillows, for \$1.49

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