

Radicals Gaining Complete Control Over Germany

CLEMENCEAU IS WORSE; FEAR IS FELT FOR LIFE; HAS BAD COUGH

Apprehension Expressed in Official Circles Over Wounded Premier's Condition Despite Doctor's Report of Progress.

TEMPERATURE RISES, DUE TO EXERTIONS, IS BELIEF

Military Authorities Declare Anarchists Planned Deaths of Several Premiers at a Recent Conclave in Lyons.

Paris, Feb. 22.—Some apprehension was expressed in official circles tonight regarding Premier Clemenceau's condition, despite the assurance of his physicians that he is "making satisfactory progress."

HAS TROUBLED SLEEP The increased temperature was believed to have been the result of Clemenceau's exertions yesterday, when he received and conversed with nearly two scores of visitors.

FLYERS LOST IN BLINDING SNOWSTORM OVER LAKE

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 22.—Lost in a blinding snowstorm and with a lankling oil feed threatening stoppage of their engine while 2000 feet above Lake Michigan was the thrilling experience of Ensign Ray P. Applegate and Lieutenant George M. Weichert had today during a scheduled Chicago-Milwaukee air flight.

PLAN QUIET US ON ANY SUFFRAGE OUTBREAKS

Drastic Action by the Police Threatened if Disturbance Started When the President Lands at Boston Pier.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 22.—Prospects of suffragists interfering with President Wilson while he is in Boston Monday were very slight today, despite assurances of suffrage leaders, headed by Miss Alice Paul, of Washington, that they are going to tell the president he should have remained in Washington and demanded that certain Democratic senators vote for the suffrage amendment.

TO SPEAK AT 2:30. Following a two hour conference this afternoon between Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to the president, who arrived from Washington today and Mayor Peters, it was announced that President Wilson's first message to the American people on the league would be delivered at Mechanics Hall at 2:30 p. m. Monday.

The George Washington with President Wilson will not dock here, but the president and Mrs. Wilson, together with the presidential party will be transferred to the revenue cutter Caspary, on which he will be taken to

AMERICA REVEALED IN NEW LIGHT; PURITY OF PURPOSE STARTLES CYNICAL EUROPE

Wait for Curtain to Fall, Said Old World Diplomats, Then Watch Yankees Grab Dollars, but Steadfast Clinging to Idealistic League of Nations Convincing Overseas Cousins that We Entered the War for No Material Gain.

By WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE. (Copyright, 1918, by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.) Paris, Jan. 29.—(By Mail.)—Peace with a league of nations seems impossible before late summer or early autumn. The machinery of peace has no self-starter. For two months, during most of December and through all of January, it was necessary to confine the attempts to start the conference to more or less secret discussions. Of course, in Paris one knew to a moral certainty what was going forward in these secret gatherings. Yet it was all subject to amendment and debate, so that publication for the most part of the news of the palaver between Clemenceau and House, or between President Wilson and Lloyd George, for instance, or between Sonnino and Clemenceau, might be discredited by the events in another conference. Everything had to remain more or less in flux during the first six weeks of the discussion. Little could be settled. The Americans have tried sincerely to get the will to form a league of nations, admitted as one of the first essentials of the conference. They have pushed that ahead of everything. They have made that will to unite the world in a league of nations paramount to everything before the conference. And with all the cunning

12 REPORTED DEAD IN B. AND O. CRASH AT PITTSBURGH, PA.

Nine Bodies Taken From the Wreckage at Midnight; Freight Engines Sideswipe Three Coaches on Passenger.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 22.—Twelve persons were reported killed and 25 persons injured in a collision on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad here tonight. Nine bodies had been taken from the wreckage at midnight and removed to the Allegheny county morgue.

SIDESWIPE COACHES Two freight locomotives, coupled together, backing up to get the Wheeling Express, ran through an open switch, sideswiping three passenger coaches attached to a local train.

ARGENTINE STRIKE SETTLED. Buenos Aires, Feb. 22.—The port strike, which had completely paralyzed Argentine shipping for several weeks, was settled today. The workers agreed to return, if the service was supervised by the government.

TERSE FACTS ON GERMAN REBELLION

Soviet government established in Munich following assassination of Spartacans extending control in Ruhr and Rhine industrial section of Germany in bloody clashes with government troops. Chancellor Scheidemann, confident of crushing new revolution within two weeks, preparing to hurl whole force of government against Spartacans. Government seeking to coordinate anti-radical elements in campaign against Spartacans, alleging latter looking to Russian Bolsheviks for aid. State of siege proclaimed in Budapest, where Hungarian radicals attempted to seize the government.

LEAGUE DRAFT IS BOOKED FOR AMENDMENTS, SOLONS AGREE

Revisions to Meet Objections of Poindexter, Borah and Reed Scheduled Before U. S. Confirmation Obtained.

MENACE TO THE MONROE DOCTRINE CHIEF CONCERN

President's Mouthpiece, Lewis, Says He's Known All Along League Constitution to Be Amended Numerous Ways.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The league of nations constitution will be amended in important particulars before it becomes binding on the United States, in the opinion of senate administration leaders tonight. They expect amendments to meet the objections raised by Senators Poindexter, Borah and Reed in their speeches to the senate. The menace to the Monroe doctrine is the chief of these. Enhancement of British power is another. The question of amending the constitution will be taken up with President Wilson when he meets members of the house and senate foreign relations committee at the white house next Wednesday. Privately, administration senators said today that "there must be amendments" before the country will accept the league.

\$7,000,000,000 NOTE ISSUANCE MEASURE PRESENTED IN HOUSE

Chairman Kitchin to Call Bill Up Tuesday With Hope for Passage Wednesday; New Features Embodied in Act.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The "Victory Liberty Loan Act," authorizing the issuance of \$7,000,000,000 in short term notes in place of bonds, was introduced in the house tonight by Chairman Kitchin of the house ways and means committee.

NOT HELD PERFECT. "Nobody has contended that the league constitution as drawn is a perfect document. European nations doubtless will ask for its amendment in many particulars. The fact that it is by no means a complete pact should be borne in mind."

PACIFIC SHIPPING AT LOW EBB; RATES OFF

Only About 30 Per Cent of Normal Trade; Freight Tariffs From the Orient as Low as \$3 Per Ton.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Pacific shipping is still demoralized—ships in the Pacific service number only about 30 per cent of normal. Robert Dollar told the United Press today.

115 MILES IN 38 MINUTES; 180 MILES PER, AVERAGE

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 22.—A new aerial flight record is claimed here today by Colonel Wallace G. Kilner, who flew here from Riverside, 115 miles, yesterday in 38 minutes, with Major Albert Smith as a passenger. The average rate of speed was 180 miles an hour. The flight was made with a 400 horsepower De Havilland plane. The flight shattered the world's speed record, it is claimed.

FORM AMERICANISM LEAGUE. Spokane, Wash., Feb. 22.—C. C. Moore, former partner and campaign manager for Senator Miles Poindexter, is president of a "League to Preserve Americanism," which has been formed in Spokane to oppose the league of nations plan as outlined in Paris. Several other prominent citizens have joined the movement, and it is announced that former Senator Beveridge and others will be brought here to speak.

PRESIDENTIAL STEAMER MAY DOCK THIS EVENING; 500 MILES FROM COAST

Wilson to Stay Aboard Overnight if Ship Beats Schedule; Keeps Tab on Congress.

By ROBERT J. BENDER. Aboard the U. S. S. George Washington, Feb. 22.—The George Washington probably will reach Boston tomorrow night, it was announced today. In that case the liner would anchor in President's road, and President Wilson would remain aboard until Monday morning.

SPARTACANS SUPREME IN BAVARIA; SOVIET REGIME PROCLAIMED AT MUNICH; BUDAPEST SCENE OF RIOT

REBELS CENTER EFFORTS IN INDUSTRIAL SECTORS, AVOIDING CAPITAL; DESPERATE BATTLES STAGED WITH REDS VICTORS; NINE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SHOT IN SESSION OF BAVARIAN DIET; CITIZENS FLEE CITY.

Copenhagen, Feb. 22.—Deputy Sevelier shot Minister Auer, Councillor Garres and Deputy Osel and a man dressed in a military uniform shot the other ministers in yesterday's affray at Munich, according to a dispatch received here tonight.

London, Feb. 22.—Germany was in the throes of another revolution tonight. The Spartacans, unlike their recent unsuccessful revolt which centered in Berlin, were concentrating their efforts in the industrial regions, particularly the Rhine and Ruhr districts. Sanguinary fighting was reported at several points with the Spartacans apparently winning a majority of the battles.

The Bavarian government has been completely overthrown, according to dispatches from various sources. A soviet government was said to have been proclaimed in Munich by the workmen's and soldiers' executive council. The three Socialist parties formed a coalition to administer the proletariat dictatorship.

The shooting of nine government officials during a session of the Bavarian diet yesterday, which followed the assassination of Premier Eisner, apparently was the signal for the uprising in Munich. A few hours later the city was in the hands of the radicals. Government troops offered only a feeble resistance. Business became paralyzed. Citizens began an exodus from the city. Mobs were reported tonight to be brandishing the streets shouting "death to the bourgeoisie."

LIKE FIRST REVOLT The demonstrations were described as identical with those of the first revolution. The victims of the unidentified assassin in the diet chamber included: Minister of the Interior Auer; Minister of War Rosshaupter; Minister of Justice Timm; Minister of Public Worship Hoffman; Minister of Communications Fraudentorfer; Minister of Social Affairs Unterleuter; Councillor of the War Ministry Garres; Under-Secretary for War Jahreis, and Deputy Osel.

Auer and Osel were killed outright and Timm was said to have been fatally wounded. Rosshaupter was variously reported to have died of his wounds and to have been made prisoner by the Spartacans. The injuries of the others were said to have been less serious.

ASSASSIN DIES OF HURTS Count Arco-Valley, assassin of Eisner, died from bullet wounds inflicted by a guard, according to some dispatches. It was also reported that Deputy Autel, a centrist, who had conducted a bitter campaign against Eisner in the newspapers, was shot by the premier's friends.

The Spartacans were said to be gathering in the streets.

MINERS OF ENGLAND VOTE FOR WALKOUT BY LARGE MAJORITY

Almost Complete Ballot Shows 207,955 for, 51,644 Against Nation-wide Strike; May Wait Government Probe.

London, Feb. 22.—British miners have voted overwhelmingly in favor of a nation-wide strike, according to official figures made public tonight. The ballot, practically complete, showed 207,955 for and 51,644 against the strike. It was apportioned by districts, as follows: Wales, 117,302 for, 38,261 against; Northumberland, 24,315 for, 6,909 against; Lancashire and Cheshire, 60,663 for, 5,219 against; West Yorkshire, 5,674 for, 1,255 against. Yorkshire also returned a majority in favor of the strike, but the actual figures were not announced.

Meantime, the miners were contemplating the advisability of forming an alliance with the railway and transport workers for a simultaneous strike. A decision was to be reached at a meeting of officials of the three unions Tuesday. The Evening Standard said today it had learned that it is probable the miners, at a conference Wednesday, will accept Premier Lloyd George's proposal to investigate conditions looking toward nationalization of the mines and that the strike would be held up until the special parliamentary commission which would conduct this investigation would report, probably March 31.

PARIS CONFEREES TAKE UP PEACE QUESTION WITH ENEMY POWERS SEPARATELY.

By FRED S. FERGUSON. Paris, Feb. 22.—Peace with Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey was taken up separately to enable speedier accomplishment of the various pacts, it was announced today.

THE WEATHER Local forecast for Boise and vicinity—RAIN OR SNOW SUNDAY. Forecast for southwestern Idaho—Sunday, rain or snow. Yesterday's Weather Here. Highest temperature 49. Lowest temperature 29. Mean temperature 39.