

WILSON'S NEXT MOVE DEPENDS ON TEUTONS

Information on Terms Germany Will Accept to Decide His Action.

PEACE IS UNLIKELY

Struggle for Constantinople May Be Final Argument of the Conflict.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Wilson's next move in the international peace game depends on what confidential information he has from Germany as to terms upon which it will consider peace at this time. In the absence of what is thought to be accurate information on the terms acceptable to the Allies, President Wilson realized that practically no loophole is left for a continuance of peace negotiations.

Germany must furnish Wilson's grounds for the next move. Should the President have in his hands what he considers a legitimate peace plan to offer and if it squares to an encouraging degree with what Germany may be willing to consider, another effort may be made by this Government in the near future.

It is understood that Germany will agree to the following concessions: evacuation of Belgium, and the paying of indemnities; evacuation of Serbia and Rumania. Germany will demand the return of its colonial possessions and that neither it nor its allies be deprived of any territory.

In view of the fact that Russia wants Constantinople and because of the desire among the Allies to oust Turkey from Europe for good, Constantinople may prove to be the final bone of contention.

Wilson Expects Another Peace Move.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Wilson believes the first move toward peace, however, has been successfully completed. He believes this move will soon be followed by another which will constitute a longer step than the first. This belief, which constituted the basis for the positive theory that the peace door is still open, was strengthened in official circles today when Government men were shown United States dispatches from London containing this phrase:

"The Allies might have blocked this movement (peace discussion) altogether, but instead they gave it a push forward by inviting Germany by inference to bargain on peace."

FARMERS' YEARBOOK IS PRINTED

1916 State Board of Agriculture Report Contains 590 Pages.

The Missouri Yearbook of Agriculture for 1916 has been printed and will be ready for distribution as soon as the pasteboard cartons used in shipping are received at the office of Jewel Mayes, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture.

The book is the Forty-eighth report and contains 590 pages, profusely illustrated. A review of the work of 1915, details of Farmers' Week, in 1916 association meetings, farm statistics and other information relating to agriculture and allied industries are included in the book.

The information was compiled by Mr. Mayes and W. L. Nelson, assistant secretary of the board, with the co-operation of other officials.

NEW BOILER INSURES COMFORT

University Heating Plant Promises Warm Classrooms.

A new 355 horse-power Erie boiler has just been installed at the University heating plant. This will increase the steam output of the plant, and Prof. A. L. Westcott believes that there will be no fear of cold classrooms now.

The University has a good supply of coal on hand.

Committee to Start Church Campaign

A committee, composed of members of the Commercial Club and the Broadway Methodist Church, will meet at 7 o'clock tonight in the Commercial Club rooms to consider means of starting the campaign for the new Methodist church. James W. Schwabe is chairman of the committee.

Ames-Missouri Game Early Saturday.

The Ames-Missouri basketball game Saturday night will begin at 7:15 o'clock to enable the Ames quintet to catch a train.

THE CALENDAR

- Jan. 1-31.—Ankeney Picture Exhibit, New Library Building.
- Jan. 12.—Basketball: Missouri vs Ames.
- Jan. 14.—Gounod's Messe Solennelle by combined University chorus and Columbia choral society in University Auditorium, 8 p. m.; Direction of Prof. W. H. Pommer.
- Jan. 17.—Play Reading Club Meeting, Faculty Union, 7:30 P. M. Men and Women.
- Jan. 19.—Columbia U. D. C. Memorial Program in honor of Robert E. Lee.
- Jan. 22.—Maud Powell University Auditorium.
- Feb. 2-4.—State convention of the Missouri Student Counter Union.
- Feb. 1.—Annual Military Ball, Rothwell Gymnasium.
- Feb. 3.—John Spargo, Socialist Speaker, Physics Building.
- Feb. 3.—Grand Opera, Faust, Cavalieria Rusticana, I Pagliacci.
- Feb. 27.—Glee Club opening concert, University Auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

MAYOR VICTIM OF BOOK FRAUD

Buy New (?) Government Atlas From Enterprising Agent.

The book agent story has many variations. A matter of data figures prominently in Columbia's latest one. An enterprising young man came into the office of Mayor J. M. Batterton last Tuesday and started in to explain a new atlas that was being prepared. The gist of his story was that the United States Government was collecting data at the present time to bring the atlas up to delivery just to get an idea of the demand. Mr. Batterton was interested; the idea of an atlas that was brought up to date struck him just right at that particular time. He subscribed.

On Wednesday afternoon the young salesman came into the Mayor's office with an atlas. Mr. Batterton asked him if he was not a little previous. The agent mumbled something about the work being finished and accepted the check for \$3.90. The explanation of how the book was published so quickly came when it was found to be dated 1910. Mr. Batterton arrived at the bank too late to stop the payment of the check.

How many other lawyers, professional men, and city and country officers bought an atlas is not known, but it is known that many others were canvassed and the agent had a long list of persons whom he said had subscribed.

BIBLE STUDENTS HAVE BANQUET

Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. Members and College Faculty Hear Speeches.

With fifty Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. officers and workers including Columbia pastors, and the faculty of the Missouri Bible College present, the first joint Y. M. C. A.-Bible College banquet was held last night at the Virginia Grill.

Earl Gordon, office secretary at the Y. M. C. A., was toastmaster of the evening and before announcing the speakers, explained that the purpose of the meeting was to discuss bible study in a general way, but especially to consider the standing and facilities of the Missouri Bible College which is located here.

Those who spoke were: G. D. Edwards, dean of the Bible College, on the history and policy of the college; Dr. A. W. Taylor, of the faculty of the Bible College, on the general interest in Bible study; Prof. W. C. Gibbs, also of the faculty of the college, on the dangers and benefits of doubting; Dr. C. A. Ellwood, of the department of sociology, on the teaching of religion in educational institutions; Rev. C. C. Grimes and Rev. T. W. Young, short talks.

MAY ASK REGIMENT'S RETURN

Senator Glick Expected to Bring Resolution Before Legislature.

A resolution requesting that the Fourth Missouri Regiment, which contains about twenty University students and Columbia people, be ordered back from the Rio Grande border, may be submitted to the War Department tomorrow. It was prepared by Senator George W. Glick, who expected to present it to the Legislature today. The Fourth Regiment is now the only unit of the State troops in service.

A Son for Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Green of Poplar Bluff announce the birth of a son, James Blair. Both Mr. and Mrs. Green were former students in the University. Mrs. Green was Miss Clementina Dorsey of Columbia, and a member of the Pi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Green was graduated from the University in 1909, and was a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity.

Negro Fined \$300 for Bootlegging.

Leonard Pearson, a negro was \$300 in police court this morning for selling liquor without license. He did not pay his fine.

TALK TONIGHT WILL END POULTRY SHOW

Prof. H. L. Kempster of the University Will Give an Illustrated Lecture.

EXPECT A BIG SEASON

Officers Declare Interest Is Increasing—More Prizes Are Awarded.

The annual Boone County Poultry Show will close tonight with an illustrated lecture by Prof. H. L. Kempster of the poultry husbandry department of the University. The attendance this year has been greater than ever before, according to officers of the association. While the exhibit of other years has been larger, the quality of the birds this year is exceptionally good, the officers say.

That the next session will be the best in the history of the poultry business is the opinion of those who have seen the interest taken in the show this week. Many poultry raisers from neighboring towns have visited the exhibits.

Mrs. James S. Arnold of Columbia won two of the special prizes, the Goetz & Lindsey Sweepstakes Cup for the best pen, to be awarded to a Boone County exhibitor, and the \$2.50 prize for the best solid-colored pen. The \$2.50 prize for the best parti-colored pen was won by Mrs. Stant Brown of Windsor, and the Missouri State Poultry Association Cup for the best display was won by Mrs. Hugh Baker.

Miss Elizabeth Hodge received first prize for the best display of brown eggs, and Mrs. James Arnold, second. Mrs. F. W. Spicer of Marshall took first prize for white eggs.

In the children's department the following awards were made: Barred Rocks: Merle Berrie, first cockerel, second and fourth pullets; Edwin Moss Williams, second cockerel, first cock, first and third pullet.

Single Comb Reds: Henry Taylor, first cock, third pullet; Norman Trenholme, second cockerel; Pearl Nichols, second pullet; John McMullan, first and fourth pullets.

White Leghorns: Sylvester Cassidy, second pullet; Phil Prather, second cockerel and fifth pullet; Earl Nichols, first cockerel, first pullet.

Light Brahmans: George Clark, first cockerel, first pullet.

Rose Comb Reds: William Moody, first pullet, first cockerel, third pullet; Raymond Engelage, second pullet; Vernon Troutbridge, fourth pullet.

Buff Orpingtons: J. L. Johnson, first cockerel, first pullet.

White Wyandottes: Helen Clark, first cockerel, second pullet; Isabelle Pierce, second cockerel, first pullet.

Brown Leghorns: Lewis Hume, first and second hen.

Best pair: Helen Clark, White Wyandottes, second best pair; Isabelle Pierce, White Wyandottes; third best pair: J. L. Johnson, Buff Orpingtons.

DECLARES BREWER MAY LEAVE

Michigan Dispatch Says Athletic Director Considers Offer.

The following dispatch from East Lansing, Mich., was published yesterday and this morning in the Kansas City and St. Louis newspapers: "It was learned today that Director Chester L. Brewer of the University of Missouri is favorably considering an offer to again take charge of athletics at the Michigan Agricultural College. The M. A. C. officials have been looking for a favorable coach and general director of athletics since Frank Sommer resigned at the close of the football season.

"Mr. Brewer, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, went to Missouri after he made a remarkable record here."

Mr. Brewer said he had not seen the dispatch until it was shown to him today.

"I know of no statement that I can make about it now," he said.

PRESIDENT NOMINATES TWO

William Phillips and Breckenridge Long Named for State Department.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Wilson today nominated William Phillips of Massachusetts for assistant Secretary of State to succeed J. E. Osborne, who has resigned. He also nominated Breckenridge Long of Missouri for third Secretary of State succeeding Phillips.

FREIGHT CARS STILL A PROBLEM

Middle West Interstate Shippers Protest Lack of Transportation.

STUDENTS TELL HOW THEY'D PICK MATES

Matrimonial Statistics in Sociology Class Reveal Some New Facts.

MORALITY BATS HIGH

Women Put It First—Men Want Both Looks and Reputation Good.

What the Young Women Would Require of Their Future Husbands:

1. Good moral habits.
2. Good income.
3. Social position and good family connections.
4. Congeniality and good treatment.
5. Education and intellectual ability.

What the Young Men Would Require of Their Future Wives:

1. Reputation for a good name.
2. Physical attraction.
3. Social graces.
4. Youth.
5. Training for the home.

The old theory that the handsome ne'er-do-well wins the hand of the richest and most charming young woman received a hard jolt when a list of requirements for a model husband were compiled in a sociology course in the University recently. But according to the written assertions turned in by the young men in the same class the butterfly type of women has the best chance of leading the most eligible young man down the aisle to the altar.

In this class, forty-one of whom are girls and twenty-seven men, all of whom hid behind unsigned lists of characteristics demanded of their future wives and husbands, some startling revelations were made. One young woman stated that one of her requirements was that the man should be a good spender; one young man said that his wife must be economical. So there you are.

The consensus of the women's opinion overturned the theory of the cynic that the first requirement would be: good income, and that good moral habits would come last. But the requirements of the list are theoretical, and the cynic may be right when applied in the general matrimonial shuffle.

Good Morals Lead the List.

Good moral habits lead the list with nineteen out of forty making it the first requirement. Six placed it second, eight third, six fourth, one fifth, and one didn't think enough of the virtue to make it a requirement.

Money was the second requirement. Five placed it first, seventeen second, ten third, three fourth, one fifth, two sixth, and three made no mention of it.

Social position and good family connections won third place, seven giving it first, four second, eight third, twelve fourth and ten fifth. None failed to mention this requirement. While women gave this a great deal of interest, the man put other characteristics, such as the social graces, ahead of it. The opinion was expressed that the women must abide in the social station of her husband.

Congeniality and good treatment ran fourth, three making it the first requirement and five failing to mention it. Education and intellectual ability were the fifth requirement.

And These Points Also Ran.

There were any number of other requirements which received scattering votes. Quite a few said that their husbands would have to be young, but not too young, and one preferred a middle-aged man. One girl said that the first requirement for her husband was handsomeness. Two wanted their husbands to be religious and two men wanted their wives to be religious. One romantic girl said there should be a mutual infatuation. Social graces also ranked high in the list of requirements, but was of major importance to only a few.

The young men were not so strong for intellectuality, money and social position as the young women were. A good name for the woman was the first requirement of twenty of the twenty-seven, none failing to put the requirement some place in his list.

Physical attraction ranked second, with five giving it first place, fifteen second, five third and one fourth. One man pinned no faith in physical attractions, failing to place it on his list.

Social graces, ranking second, received a great deal of interest from the young men, although they received but little from the women. Only one put this requirement first, however.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and Vicinity: Snow this afternoon, tonight and probably Saturday; colder tonight, much colder Saturday—cold wave; probably snow temperatures by Sunday morning.

For Missouri: Snow tonight and Saturday; colder west and central portion; much colder Saturday, cold wave west and central portions. Winds becoming strong northwest.

Weather Conditions. The cold wave that crossed the Mississippi Valley during the previous twenty-four hours, has swept eastward to the Atlantic Coast, causing freezing temperatures into northern Florida and frost as far south as Tampa.

A low pressure condition has developed over Texas and Oklahoma, and has resulted in increased cloudiness with threatening rain and snow conditions. As the depression moves eastward it will likely cause snow in the Central Plains, and Middle Mississippi Valley during the next twenty-four hours, with a cold wave swiftly following.

In Columbia quite severe winter weather may be expected to prevail during the next two or three days.

Local Data. The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 28, and the lowest last night was 20; precipitation, 0.00; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 65 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 37, and the lowest 28; precipitation, 1.17.

The Almanac. Sun rose today, 7:28 a. m. Sun sets, 5:07 p. m.

Moon rises 9:39 p. m.

The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.	26	11 a. m.	32
8 a. m.	25	12 m.	32
9 a. m.	28	1 p. m.	35
10 a. m.	30	2 p. m.	36

MRS. N. M. TRENHOLME DIES

Wife of History Professor Succumbs to Blood Poisoning in Hospital.

Mrs. Ethel Trenholme, wife of Dr. Norman M. Trenholme of the history department of the University, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning at Parker Memorial Hospital. Blood poisoning was the cause of death. Mrs. Trenholme was admitted into the hospital Sunday and from early yesterday morning her condition had been critical.

Mrs. Trenholme was 41 years old. She is survived by her husband and nine children, the youngest of whom was born Tuesday morning. She was born in Montreal, Canada, where her mother, Mrs. Sarah Hurst, and a sister, Isabelle, now live. She is also survived by a brother, William, who is at the front with the Canadian troops. Doctor and Mrs. Trenholme came to Columbia in 1902.

Mrs. Trenholme was graduated from McGill University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1896. While in this university, she won exceptional recognition by receiving first rank honors in English and history.

Funeral arrangements have not as yet been made but the funeral probably will be Sunday.

SCHOOL BOARD CALLS IN BONDS

\$7,500 Worth, Issued in 1909 at 4 Per Cent to Be Retired.

The board of education of the Columbia school district, at its last meeting, held Monday night in the office of the secretary, John L. Henry, called for \$7,500 worth of school bonds which it wished to retire. The bonds were of \$500 and \$1,000 denominations and were issued March 1, 1909, to run until 1929 at 4 per cent. A provision was made whereby they could be retired sooner if the board desired. These bonds are payable at the office of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company, St. Louis. For the \$500 series, the numbers were 6, 7, 8, 9, 10; and for the \$1,000 series, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15. The school board has money on hand to take up more outstanding bonds but none can be had until 1919.

At this meeting the teachers received their warrants. Miss Mabel Mahan resigned as teacher in the Grant School, effective January 19 and Miss Alice Johnson was appointed to take her place for the remaining school year.

CHORUS TO GIVE PERFORMANCE

Prof. W. H. Pommer Asks Columbians to Give Class "Public Quiz."

The Columbia Choral Society will give Gounod's "Messe Solennelle" at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the University Auditorium. The chorus, composed of about ninety members, has been trained by Prof. W. H. Pommer of the music department, and he asks that Columbians give the class a "public quiz."

The soloists for the performance are Mrs. Eidon R. James, soprano, Tudor Lanus, tenor and Arthur Langmaire, bass. Miss Fannie Mae Ross will serve as accompanist.

600 MEN PERISH ON REINA

Italian Battleship Is Destroyed by Mine Near Valone.

By United Press
BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Six hundred sailors aboard the Italian battleship Reina perished, when that ship was destroyed off Valone by a mine or torpedo, the Press Bureau announced tonight.

FIST FIGHT, THRILLS GOVERNOR'S VISITORS

Senator Cook and Prison Official Stage Row in the Reception Room.

CALLS MURPHY LIAR

Argument Follows Charge of Alleged Coal Buying of Penitentiary.

By United Press

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 12.—Visitors to Governor Gardner's office were given a thrill shortly after noon today when Senator Sam Cook of Jefferson City and J. Patrick Murphy, an assistant at the state penitentiary office, came to blows and tried to oust one another from the governor's reception room. Cook was on the way to see Governor Gardner when he met Murphy and took him to task for the charge he had made that a trust company of which Cook is an officer, has purchased coal through the penitentiary.

"I will swear under oath that the trust company purchased coal from the penitentiary while I was there," said Murphy.

"Then you will swear to a dirty lie," shouted Cook, and struck at Murphy, hitting him a glancing blow on the head. Senators and representatives in near-by lobbies rushed to the scene of action and restored order.

Professors to Advocate Good Roads.

An invitation to address the State Legislature on the subject of good roads has been extended to Dean E. J. McCaustland, Prof. F. P. Spalding and H. A. LaRue, all of the faculty of the School of Engineering. A bill now pending in the general assembly provides for the improvements of Missouri roads so that the state may share in the federal road fund.

Besides the three University men, a number of other prominent citizens of the state and representatives of the larger newspapers will speak before the legislature in behalf of better roads. Dean McCaustland, who is a staunch advocate of the movement, says the talks of the engineering teachers will be concerning the best construction of permanent roads.

Postpone Prison Action.

By United Press

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 12.—Republican and Democratic leaders in the House today headed off the introduction of a resolution that had been drawn to call for the investigation of the penitentiary cleanup to Governor the penitentiary cleanup to Governor Gardner. Democratic Floor Leader Farris advised that action be postponed until the expiration of Warden McClung's term next Monday to give Governor Gardner a chance to take action.

Hackmann Home to Face Charges.

By United Press

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 12.—Declaring his innocence of any wrongdoing while clerk of Warren County, George E. Hackmann, state auditor, departed today for Warrenton to answer any charges that might be preferred against him. "I think the indictments returned against me last night," said Hackmann, "are nothing more than the concoctions of several of my political enemies in Warren County. It looks like some of their work."

Mr. Hackmann was the only victorious Republican candidate for state office in the recent election.

Last year the affairs of Warren County were audited by State Auditor Gordon. The indictments do not charge embezzlement, but are based upon what the clerk should or should not retain. Nine hundred dollars was in the hands of the auditor last year when Gordon made the audit, but practically all the counties in the state were following the same ruling with reference to the withholding of funds. The indictment returned at Warrenton last night was based upon the four quarterly and the annual reports of the county clerk from November 1, 1915, to November 1, 1916. The one indictment contains five perjury charges; the other indictment charges fraud.

Short Course Graduate to New York.

Frank B. Astroth, who was graduated from the short course in Agriculture in 1915 and who has been employed as a tester of cows in the dairy department for the last year, will go to New York soon to become a state inspector of cattle.

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