

LEAGUE PLAN TO BE IN TREATY OF PEACE

President Wilson Says First Proposal Is Unchanged.

PRELIMINARY PACT LIKELY

Initial Agreement May Not Include League Draft and Senate May Have Nothing to Say on It.

PARIS, March 15.—(By the Associated Press.)—The supreme war council resumed its sessions this afternoon with a distinguished array of military and civilian chiefs, expecting that President Wilson would be present for the final consideration of the military, naval and aerial terms of the German disarmament.

The president did not attend, however, E. M. House taking his place, as the draft of the terms in treaty form had not been completed in time to permit of study before the meeting. The president received the full draft late this afternoon, and went over it tonight, article by article with General Bliss and Admiral Benson.

Treaty to Be Definite.

It was stated at American headquarters that the treaty now being framed would be the definite treaty covering all the main subjects, and would not be a preliminary treaty. It is the treaty which will be submitted to the United States senate for ratification and after its conclusion the remaining details will be largely formalities.

No decision has yet been made concerning the seat of the league of nations, but the minister of foreign affairs of Belgium has written offering one of the historic palaces of Brussels as the home of the league if Brussels is chosen. The prevailing American sentiment continues to be favorable to Geneva.

Leon Bourgeois, French delegate on the league of nations, will hold a conference with Mr. House tomorrow concerning two proposed amendments to the covenant. The amendments deal with investigations by the league of the military status of all the associated countries.

Wilson's Absence Delays.

Frank Hitchcock accompanied M. Bourgeois and the American delegates who attended the league of nations congress at London, but is now back in Paris, taking an active interest in the league.

The official statement regarding the meeting says: "The supreme war council was to have received the final draft of the naval, military and air terms today, but in the absence of President Wilson, who was unable to complete his examination of the proposals, the meeting was adjourned until Monday."

PARIS, March 15.—President Wilson authorized the statement that there has been no change in the original plan for linking together the league of nations and the peace treaty. The plan was announced by the peace conference itself at the first plenary session, and it is added there has been no departure thus far from the order then laid down.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to President Wilson, announced here today that he was in receipt of a cablegram from the president stating that "the plenary council of the league of nations is to be part of the peace treaty."

This cablegram was sent in response to one sent by Mr. Tumulty inquiring whether there was any truth in a certain newspaper story that the league was not to be incorporated in the peace treaty.

Tumulty Tells of Repts. "I cabled direct to the president at Paris, asking if there was any truth in these reports," said Mr. Tumulty, "and I am this morning in receipt of a cablegram from the president stating that the plenary council has positively decided that the league of nations is to be part of the peace treaty."

That there is absolutely no truth in any report to the contrary.

AMSTERDAM, March 14.—The Dutch government has not yet begun discussions with other small nations in reference to the league of nations, the minister of the interior announced in a speech Thursday in the upper chamber of the Dutch parliament at The Hague. The minister added that the government considered it should observe a waiting attitude. Only in the case of extreme necessity he declared, should there be a separate grouping of nations against the league.

PARIS, March 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—Speedy completion of the preliminary peace treaty is understood to be the main endeavor of Premier Lloyd-George when the peace conference resumes full swing. The British premier is said to be firm in the con-

vicition that the finishing of a preliminary pact should be the first consideration of the conference. British conference circles incline to the belief that the document will be ready for signatures within about three weeks.

BEN SCOVELL FEATURED

Late English Actor's Nephew to Entertain at Grace Church.

Ben Scovell, a nephew of the late Sir Henry Irving, the distinguished English actor, and well known as an entertainer at the military camps in France and home cantonnements, will be featured in an entertainment to be given in the parish house of Grace Memorial Epis-

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ALLEGED SWINDLER TAKEN

Los Angeles Man Accused of Defrauding Many Women.

LOS ANGELES, March 15.—E. Swartz was arrested here today on order of Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney, who issued a statement charging that Swartz had collected large sums of money from women operating bath and massage parlors on the representation that payments would insure police "protection." The district attorney said that if the women failed to make payments their licenses to operate were revoked in many instances. He asserted that a number of bath and massage establishments had paid as much as \$100 a year, each to Swartz.

The arrest followed testimony before the county grand jury of numerous proprietors of such establishments. Swartz denied the charges. Swartz said that he was a salesman and had been regularly employed by a Los Angeles firm for some months.

TAX PAYMENTS ARE HUGE

New York Office Receives \$100,000,000 in Single Day.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Approximately \$100,000,000 in federal income tax payments was received today, the last day of grace, by William H. Edwards, internal revenue collector for the second district, according to an estimate made by Mr. Edwards shortly before midnight. He added that, whereas his office had collected \$390,000,000 in tax last year, he expected this year's total would reach \$1,000,000,000.

About 50,000 persons paid their taxes during the day, and in addition 50 sacks of mail flooded the collector's office with checks.

SOLDIERS GET OLD JOBS

North Bend Employers Provide Places for Fighting Men.

NORTH BEND, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—Discharged soldiers from overseas and the various demobilization camps returning here are being accorded a warm welcome by their friends and relatives. Preference by employers is being given returning soldiers and a majority of the men who gave up positions to enter the service are being reinstated in their old places or are being provided with better jobs.

Many positions filled by women and girls during the war have been made available for the returning soldiers.

Pendleton Plans Great Course.

PENDLETON, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—Except for the final details, the Pendleton Golf club has completed the purchase of its course, lying on hills north of the city. Forty acres are in the tract and the club is now planning for one of the best courses in the northwest. Eleven lots adjoining the course were bought last year and a clubhouse erected thereon. With the purchase of the course, the club now will be able to make permanent improvements on the grounds.

Tacoma Pastor Is Called.

CENTRALIA, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—The congregation of the Tenino Presbyterian church at its annual meeting last week extended a call to Rev. D. R. McAnuly of Tacoma to become the permanent pastor of the church. Rev. Mr. McAnuly, who has a pastorate in Tacoma, has been devoting part of his time each week to the Tenino church.

Seattle "Proms" in Balance.

SEATTLE, March 15.—Seattle's school board is undecided about allowing high school senior and junior classes to hold their annual "proms" in the school gymnasium, as they have done in past years. The board has put the ban on the "proms" until Superintendent of Schools F. B. Cooper passes on the question.

Annapolis Midshipmen Win.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 15.—Princeton's gymnasts were outclassed by the Annapolis midshipmen in a dual meet here today by a score of 46 1/2 to 7 1/2. The midshipmen won four of the six events.



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State Officials Gather in Greeting in Governor's Office.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—State officials, including the members of the supreme court, as well as a number of leading citizens, gathered in Governor Olcott's office this morning to meet Colonel John I. May of the 152d regiment.

Colonel May had dropped in to pay his respects to the governor and the executive sent word out to the various offices which brought in practically all of the officials. Colonel May told briefly of some of the experiences of his men while overseas.

Stenographer Is Wanted.

A civil-service examination for a stenographer in the city attorney and municipal court department of the city will be held at city hall on Thursday, April 3, according to an announcement made yesterday by O. C. Bortzmeier, secretary of the civil service board.

Organizer Visits Cottage Grove.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—J. O. Riordan, organizer for the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen, was here during the past week, visiting the lumber camps and mills of this section, reorganizing this organization upon a peace basis. He met with splendid success and believes that the "L. L. L." will solve the problems that heretofore have caused trouble between employees and employers. Headquarters for this section of the state will be in Cottage Grove.

Yakima Orchard Scale-Infested.

YAKIMA, Wash., March 15.—District Horticultural Inspector C. B. Wood has made the discovery, in connection with his annual effort to clean up orchard pests in Yakima and vicinity, that the shrubbery of Tahoma cemetery, which is located in the midst of a large orchard district, is heavily infested with scale.

Cheese Factory to Rise.

CENTRALIA, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Bids have been called by the Cowlitz Valley Cheese association for the erection of a cheese plant in Toledo. It is expected that the new industry will be in operation by May 1.

Oregon in Lead.

R. Lee Page, state director of collections for the United States war work campaign, has received a report on the collections of the war fund subscriptions made last November. The comparative percentage table for the

western department, embracing the states of California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming and Utah, shows that Oregon is well in the lead of her sister states, with 92 per cent of all her pledges paid to date. The next highest percentage

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