PEACE IS TONE OF PRESIDENT'S TALK

No Direct Reference Is Made to Lusitania.

RIGHT IS PLACED ABOVE WAR

Mr. Wilson Indicates America Will Avoid Conflict.

AUDIENCE APPLAUDS

Nation So Right It Does Not Need to Convince Others by Fighting, He Says-Appeal Made to Naturalized Citizens to Be Loyal.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10 .- President Wilson gave to a gathering of 4000 first intimation of what course the United States Government will pursue in the situation resulting from the loss of more than a hundred American lives on the British liner Lusitania.

He spoke by implication, but his hearers interpreted his remarks as meaning that while the United States will remain at peace it would seek to convince Germany of the injustice to mankind of the tragedy of last Friday.

Example of Peace Mentioned. 'America," said the President, "must have the consciousness that on all sides it touches elbows and touches heart with all nations of mankind. The example of America must be a special example and must be an example not merely of peace because it will not fight, but because peace is a healing and elevating influence of the world, and strife is not.

"There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

No Reference Made to Tragedy,

These remarks precipitated a tumult of applause and patriotic enthusiasm emphasized by waving of small Amer-

Introduced by Mayor Blankenburg, who spoke in distinctly German accent, case brought by one member of the a welcome and an appeal for a simple "Log Cabin Club" of Nome against the allegiance to the United States, the officers of the club. President carried forward the idea of makeup of America by pointing out the holding that such clubs cannot be retry of one's birth, but to the land of torial laws of Alaska,

Other Countries Left Behind.

"While you bring," he said, "all SINKING DIVIDES CLERGY countries with you, you come with a purpose of leaving all other countries behind you-bringing what is best of their spirit, but not looking over your shoulder and seeking to pereptuate wha not certainly be one who would suggest that a man cease to love the place of his origin. It is one thing to love the place where you were born and another thing to dedicate yourself to the place where you go. You can't be an American if you think of yourself in groups. America does not consist of A man who considers himself as belonging to a national group is not yet an American. .

'My advice to you is to think first not only of America, but to think first of humanity, and you do not love humanity if you seek to divide humanity

Great Audience Spellbound.

rupted by spontaneous outbursts of He spoke clearly and so quiet was his audience of 15,000 that he could be heard distinctly in all parts of the great hall. Everywhere Red, White and Blue flag and bunting were displayed and a band duving the evening played patriotic Some of the passages in his speech which the crowd applauded most loudly were these:

'I am sorry' for the man who seeks passions of his fellow man. He has of Pioche, Nev., that made it difficult lost the touch and ideal of America, for him to obtain food. for America was created to unite mankind by the passions that lift and unite and not by the passions that

separate and debase mankind. "The man who seeks to divide man from man, group from group, interest from interest, in the United States is striking at its very heart.

"I was born in America, You dreamed of what America was to be, and I hope you have brought those dreams with you. No man who does not seek visions will ever realize any high hopes or undertake any great enter-

Many Precantions Taken.

In his percration, the President that he had felt that he ought not to coming he found that the gathering renewed his "spirit as an American." "In Washington," he said, "men tell you so many things every day that are not so, and I like to come and stand in the presence of my follow citizens and drink out of the common fountain with them feeling the sense of their sup-

There was a tremendous evation as the President finished his speech. Afterward he returned to the station and entered his private car. He is due to the boats. The men were picked up by a patrol boat and landed at (Concluded on Page 12, Column 1)

NATION INFLAMED, **DECLARES SPEAKER**

SITUATION GRAVE, SAYS MASSA-CHESETTS LEGISLATOR.

Indignation Over Lusitania Affair Unequaled Since Firing on Fort Sumter, Is View.

BOSTON, May 10 .- The sinking of the Lusitania and the situation which President Wilson faces as the result was peaker Channing H. Cox in the House

of Representatives today, "Not since Fort Sumter was fired or has public sentiment in this country been so inflamed as it is today," he

"The United States stands face to face with a grave situation, more grave, perhaps, than we realize. It is the hour when men of all faiths and beliefs should stand as one man behind President Wilson and testify to our confidence in him and to our belief that he will cause an official inquire to be made as to the responsibility for the slaughter of innocent Americans on the Threats Against Cunarder Known, high seas and that he will perform his entire duty.

"But as men having influence in this old commonwealth, may I urge you to impress on all your fellow men danger that may arise from unbridled speech and for the substitution of passion for reason."

naturalized Americans tonight the GERMAN MEMBERS OUSTED

Britons at London Stock Exchange Hustle Away Kaiser's Subjects.

forcibly if necessary, the entry of any Germans who might be brave enough to attempt to make their way into the house in disregard of the warning is sued by the Stock Exchange committee advising them to remain away.

Excitement ran high around the exchange and a huge crowd collected in civilized nations. the vicinity in the expectation of disorders. Only a handful of naturalized enter the exchange. They were hustled away and warned not to return,

ALASKA CLUB-BARS LOSE

Court of Appeals Holds That License Fees Must Be Paid.

edy, but the audience did not hesitate States, according to a decision handed been more deadly because it wen of appeals here today.

The suit decided was a friendly test

Judge Erskine Ross, of the Circuit the welding of foreign blood in the Court, rendered a dissenting opinion, true goal of right American citizen- quired to pay license fees for the conship to be a loyalty not to the coun- duct of private bars under the terri-

Pro-German Ministers Bolt Meeting Denouncing Attack on Liner.

CHICAGO, May 10.-Clergymen pro-German sympathics bolted the weekly meeting of the Methodist Episcopal ministers of Chicago today when their colleagues refused to postpone discussion of a resolution condemning "in unsparing words the inhuman torpedoing and un-Christian sinking of the steel steamship Lusitania," Half a dozen pastors left the room after fighting in vain to have the resolution The resolution was adopted. The declaration also expressed "perfect confidence" in the "sane leader-

BISHOP SCANLAN IS DEAD

ship of President Wilson.

The President was constantly inter- Catholic Prelate, Pioneer Missionary of West, Passes at Salt Lake.

> SALT LAKE CITY, May 7 .-Laurence Scanlan, bishop of the Salt Lake diocese of the Roman Catholic Church and a pioneer missionary of

the West, died here this afternoon.

He had been ill for a long time. Bishop Scanlan was born in Tipperary, Ireland, September 29, 1843. He was at one time the object of a relito make personal capital out of the glous boycott by the lawless elements

DUTCH GET PAY FOR SHIP

Germany Expresses Regret for Sinking of Katwyk.

THE HAGUE via London, May 10 .-It is officially announced that the Ger. man government has expressed sincere regret for the sinking of the Dutch steamer Katwyk, which was blown up off North Hinder lightship on April 24 by a German submarine,

Germany explains that the act was in no wise intentional and undertakes to make compensation.

be away from Washington and after SUBMARINE GIVES WARNING

German Craft Sinks British Ship After Letting Crew Escape.

LONDON, May 10 .- The British steamer Queen Wilhelma of Hartpool was torpedoed and sunk by a German sub-

Time was allowed the crew to take

KAISER AND CREW

Jury Fixes Blame for Lusitania Loss.

the subject of a formal address by LINER UNARMED, SAYS MASTER

Vessel Not Under Convoy of Warships When Attacked.

SHIP BULKHEADS BLOWN IN

but Orders Were to Sail, Which Captain Would Repeat-Sympathy Given United States.

KINSALE, Ireland, May 10 .- The verlict rendered by the Coroner's jury which investigated the deaths resulting from the torpedoing of the Lusi- Floods in South suspend traffic over South ern Pacific. Page 1.

"We find that the deceased met death from prolonged immersion and exhaus-LONDON, May 10 .- Between 200 and tion in the sea eight miles southing of the Lusitania by torpedoes fired by a German submarine.

Kniser Accused of Murder. "We find that this appalling crime

was committed contrary to international law and the conventions of all

"We also charge the officers of said submarine and the Emperor and gov-Germans appeared in the neighborhood, ernment of Germany, under whose arhowever, and they did not attempt to ders they acted, with the crime of wholesale murder before the trivinal of the civilized world.

"We desire to express sincere condolenees and sympathy with the relatives of the deceased, the Cunard Company and the United States, many of whose citizens perished in this pourderous attack on an unarmed liner."

Coroner Horgan said that the first torpedo fired by the German submarine SAN FRANCISCO, May 10 .- Alaska did serious damage to the Lusitania, but social clubs maintaining private bars that, not satisfied with this, the Ger emphasized by waving of small American flags. The President made no dispensing alcoholic drinks must pay mans had discharged another torpedo. The second torpedo, he said, must have to read the application of his state- down by the United States Circuit Court right through the ship, hastening the work of destruction.

All Officers at Post,

The characteristic courage of the Irish and British people was manifested at

whole people who collaborated in such loss. the terrible crime.

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ROME EXPECTS RUPTURE

Midnight of May 10 Said to Be Latest Italy Will Await Answer.

PARIS, May 10 .- "The government of Italy today awaits the final report of signed at the last meeting of the Cabinet, has been withheld.

unless the Austrian answer arrives before midnight tonight or if the reply is uninvorable, Italy vill consider the negotiations terminated."

MAIL LOST WITH LUSITANIA

Case First on Record Where United States Suffers Thus by War.

WASHINGTON, May 16 the time of this terrible disaster, the 82 bags of mail on the Lusitania is coroner continued, and there was no said by the Postoffice Department to He charges that the responsibility United States as the result of war-"lay on the German Government and Records for the last 100 years show no

Postoffice officials declined to discuss "I propose to ask the jury," he con- to what extent, if any, the loss of the to return the only verdict wall may enter into the international (Concluded on Page 2, Column 3.) ing of the ship, (Concluded on Page 2, Column 1.) \$25; H. A. Knight, \$30; C. C. Saylor,

BERLIN EXPRESSES DEEPEST SYMPATHY

Blame for Loss of Life Placed on Britain.

PRESIDENT'S WORD AWAITED

Dutch Minister Says His Nation Has Same Problem.

WILSON STILL UNDECIDED

Relations Considered - Objection Is Humanitarian Work in War Zone Would Suffer.

cial Washington waited today for the word from President Wilson as to what is to be the policy of the United States in the crisis resulting from the sinking of the Lusitania, Count Bernstorff,

"The German Ambassador called at the State Department and expressed his deep regret that the events of the war had led to the loss of so many

Berlin Expresses Sympathy.

Austria," says a Rome dispatch to La announced that the foreign office had the Baltic provinces the Russians have Liberte. "In the interim" the publica- cabled to the Embassy a note to be succeeded in inflicting losses on their tion of important decrees, which were presented to the State Department, loss of lives on board the Lusitania, "I learn from an excellent source that British government's "plan of starving the civilian population of Germany." for a statement of the German govern-

> had been looked for in official cir-Britain and France Sympathize,

the day to express to Mr. Bryan their were as follows: "horror and sympathy" over the de-

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Monday's War Moves

THE sinking of the Cunard line steamer Lusitania by a German ubmarine and the situation which has arisen by reason of this act continue

the chief subjects of the war in the interests of America ON Services of the Germany has the cased regret to the Germany has essed regret to the United Store for the loss of American has a the disaster, but it is de-"starvation" practices against the German civilian population and because her merchantmen are armed and carry contraband of war is responsible for the sending of the liner to the bottom

A Coroner's inquest at Kinsale has rendered a verdict finding that the de struction of the liner was contrary to international law and the conventions of all the civilized nations and charging all officers of the submarine and the Emperor and government of Germany, under whose orders they acted with the crime of wholesale murde "before the tribunal of the civilized

The Washington Government, so far as is known, has not yet decided upor the specific representations it wil Possibility of Severing Diplomatic make to Germany concerning the loss of American lives in the disaster, President Wilson, by inference, in a speech at Philadelphia, told a gathering o naturalized Americans that, while the United States would remain at peace an endeavor would be made to show Germany, from the American view point, that her action was wrong.

In the land campaign in France and Belgium there are intimations of a strong movement of the allies against the Germans with heavy reinforcements. The French War Office reports the German Ambassador, called at the the capture of many prisoners and State Department and expressed to guns during the last two days, and Secretary Bryan his "deep regret that German headquarters admit that in the 300 British members of the Stock Exchange have mobilized to prevent.

Friday May 7, 1915, owing to the sinkforcibly if necessary, the entry of any

Instantant Page 15.

Export trade cheeks downward movement in the events of the war had led to the helphorhood of Carency the allies of so many lives."

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the losses on both sides are heavy, The British line, notwithstanding trenuous week, remains the same to the east of Ypres as It was on the night of May 3-4, when the British troops were obliged to draw back a little.

In the Carpathians the Germans are eported to be making preparations for a further movement against the Russians in their new positions, while in adversaries near Mitau

While advices indicate that Italy is ready to take decisive action, and that center of this afternoon's storm. The the time limit fixed for Austria's reply to the Italian demands has just about through the depot at Keswick. expired, no word has come of a break between the Austrian and Italian governments. The final movements of traffic between Portland and San Franment's attitude, had not reached the both countries are being carried out cisco tomorrow. Mails are being routed Embassy tonight, and it was said it in secrecy.

13 FINED FOR SPEEDING

Municipal Judge Stevenson fined 13 The British and French Ambassadors and Sunday by Motorcycle Patroimen were at the State Department late in Ervin, Coulter and Bales. The fines Equipment Here Goes South to

H. Hochuli, \$20; W. H. Wallingford struction of the Lusitania with its load \$20; J. Macklin; \$20; Joe Victor, \$30; \$25; H. A. Knight, \$30; C. C. Saylor, \$35; H. J. Anderson, \$30; Martin Shoes miler, \$25; J. Garley, \$25; C. H. Kruse, \$25, and S. Snell, \$25, When it was shown by official test that his speedometer was running slow, the fine

TEXAS RESOLUTIONS ARE IN

One Proposes Severing of Diplomatic Relations With Germany.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 16 .- Six resolutions today were introduced in the Francisco via Huntington, Ogden and Texas Legislature on the Lusitania, one Sacramento. Senate resolution suggesting the sever ance of diplomatic relations with Germany. The others simply express con-

fidence in President Wilson. The Senate, in which five resetutions were introduced, including that for diplomatic severance, compromised by adopting a resolution pledging support to President Wilson "in any course he sees fit to take to uphold the dignity and honor of the United States,"

FALSE RUMORS STIR PIT

Report of President's Assassination

Followed by Break in Prices.

CHICAGO, May 10 .- President C. H. Canby, of the Chicago Board of Trade, posted a notice today saying the of-ficers of the Board would "hold to

strict accountability any member found guilty of originating or disseminating false rumors." The notice was inspired by rumors first spread among brokers, that Presdent Wilson had been assassinated. The rumor, while promptly denied, ac celerated a decline in the wheat mar-

AMERICANS QUIT GERMANY

Business Men Go to Switzerland to Await Developments. GENEVA, Switzerland, May 15,-A

news dispatch received here from Basel says many American citizens, mostly husiness men, are arriving there from Germany. They will await developments in the

and Germany.

Frohman's Body to Be Sent Home. United States by the steamship New York, which sails from Liverpool Sat-

FLOODS STOP RAIL TRAFFIC IN SOUTH

Second Storm Sweeps Away More Track.

SACRAMENTO IS RISING FAST

Southern Pacific Trains Are Now at Standstill.

UPPER STORIES AWASH

Communication Between Portland and San Francisco Cannot Be Restored Today, Officials Find on Inspection.

REDDING, Cal, May 10 .- A second term swept down upon the Upper Sacramento Valley this afternoon and added to the devastation caused by the cloudburst of last night. The Sacramento Elver is reported to be rising at the rate of a foot an hour at Kennett, where it was 22 feet early tonight.

Part of the town of Kennett is flooded and the water has reached the second floor of some of the residences Their occupants are said to have left for places of safety. The flood is reported to have reached a menacing stage at Keswick and Coram, Citizens of Kennett and Coram are reported to be without a supply of drinking water, as the flood swept away the flumes

A total of 8.64 inches of rain has fallen at Kennett in the last 24 hours, and it is still raining there tonight. Many washouts on the Southern Pacific between Kennett and Moition were reported. in one place It was reported the track was shoved off the mountain in stretches

of 100 feet nearly to the water's edge. Keswick and Coram also were in the water is reported to be running Railroad officials reported tonight there is no hope of opening through

by way of Ogden. It is said it will be several days before repairs are made Reports of additional damage caused by washouts as a result of yesterday's cloudburst were received today. at the Embassy without comment. It One Penalty Remitted When Speed- Southern Pacific tunnel a mile north of

tion is out. The Kennet smelter was closed, speeders, who were arrested Saturday TRAINS TO PORTLAND DETOUR

Assist in Repair Work. Train service on the Southern Pacific between Portland and San Francisco will be suspended while crews are repairing damage to the tracks resulting from a cloudburst near Coram, Cal., 50 miles south of Dunsmuir, Sunday night-Company officials said trackage had been washed out for 12 miles.

West of Portland, debris 20 feet deep

overed the O.-W. R. & N. tracks when

powder crew yesterday discharged iynamite wells to loosen a crag at Mitchell Point, near Hood Hiver, Pansengers were transferred around the debris while the track is being cleared. Passenger trains are being detoured Short Line between Portland and San

Although the entire coast between Portland and Northern California was visited by a severe storm Sunday night serious damage to the tracks seems to have been entirely local in character No part of the line other than that at Coram. Kennet and Motion was af-

fected At Motion, Cal., a piece of track 50 feet long and 20 feet deep was washed away. A big culvert near Coram wan washed away. At Kennet the track to overed with mird from one to two feet deep. A toolhouse at the same place has been washed away. A freight train standing on the track at Kennet was locked in its place by a wealth of earth and other debris washed down from a

neighboring hilliside. A deep cut one mile east of Coram was filled to a depth of five or alk feet with earth deposited there by a slide. At another point east of Coram a section of track 200 feet long was washed out to a depth of 20 feet. alide

All the equipment on the Portland division has been sent south to aid in the repair work. A large force of men also has been pressed into service, J. W. Metcalf, superintendent of the Shasta division, has charge of the Through freight traffic is at a stand-

All through passenger services will be handled through Ogden. Produce ship-ments and other perishable commodi-ties as well as express and mail also are being carried over that route.

BLAST COVERS RAILS 20 FEET

Charge for Crag on Highway Blows Earth on Track, Stops Trains.

HOOD RIVER, Or., May 10 .- (Spe-

cial.)—When a powder crow of the Standifer-Clarkson Company exploded heavy charges of dynamite to blow away an overhanging orag at Mitchell Point, west of the city, where a tunnel for the Columbia Highway is being relations between the United States bored the tracks of the O.-W. R. & N. LONDON, May 16.—The body of precipies, were nuried beneath 20 rect plants. Fromman will be taken to the United States by the steamship New at noon, just after the Oregon-Washington Limited of the O.-W. R. & N.

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- While offi-

his visit, but Secretary Bryan, saying and counter-attacks are continuous and only that he understood the expression to have come from Count Bernstorff personally, gave out the following by agreement:

Hves.

Later press dispatches from Berlin expressing "deepest sympathy with the This note, which probably is in re-sponse to Ambassador Gerard's request

might be delayed for days, as nothing is being received by wireless. Dis-patches giving the text of the note were heard by Secretary Bryan and of the German position is just what

WHAT OF THE NIGHT?

