

TROOP WITHDRAWAL IS NOT CONSIDERED

President Sticks to Policy to Keep Men in Mexico Until Brigandage Ends.

DISCUSSION IS REFUSED

Supplementary Note Sent to Generals at Border—Oregon's Request for Vacation of Territory Likely to Be Ignored.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—President Wilson has not altered his purpose to keep American troops in the border region of Mexico until brigandage has come to an end.

It is believed the American conferees sought additional instructions because General Obregon, due to the view of the de facto government that the American expedition should be withdrawn at once.

Discussion Is Refused. Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican Ambassador designate, called on Secretary Lansing during the day to renew his argument in favor of early withdrawal.

Later Mr. Arredondo indicated the feeling of his government that the American expedition has already accomplished its real purpose.

The dispatch sent to General Scott tonight was supplemented by Secretary Baker after a brief conference with the President.

Request May Be Ignored. The reports of the conference are signed jointly by Generals Scott and Funston.

MEXICAN OFFICIALS GLOOMY

WASHINGTON'S REFUSAL TO CONSIDER WITHDRAWAL REGARDED AS GRAVE

EL PASO, Tex., May 1.—Information from Washington that Secretary Baker had instructed General Scott and General Funston to make it plain to General Obregon that any agreement reached at their conference here must not be based on any plan of immediate withdrawal was received with gravity in Juarez tonight.

General Obregon is reported to have said he would await developments at his next conference with the Americans.

Among other officials, gloom was openly expressed. It was pointed out that General Obregon had come to the border confident that he could persuade General Scott and Funston that the American expeditionary forces should be withdrawn at once.

SILVERTON KILLS BONDS

Voters Overwhelmingly Defeat Municipal Lighting Plant Issue.

SILVERTON, Or., May 1.—(Special.)—Silvertown decided today by a vote of 288 to 47 not to establish a municipal lighting plant.

T. W. Potter was elected Mayor. He is a Republican. The following were elected Councilmen: G. R. Barr, M. Sigerson and R. Allen.

On May 13 the city will hold an election to vote on bonds for a municipal water system.

ISLANDS NOT TO BE FREE

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The first vote taken after eight hours in committee of the whole, showed 123 to 121 votes against the Senate provision.

Larger Control Is Given. Then came the substitution of the Jones bill. Without further debate on other sections of the Senate bill, Mr. Jones offered his measure as a substitute for the remainder of the Senate bill and it was adopted immediately.

There is nothing in the body of the Jones bill promising independence to the Philippines nor anything in any part of it setting a definite time for a declaration of their independence.

has been the intention of the United States Government to grant to the islands their freedom, and in order that they may be better prepared for it a larger degree of control over their domestic affairs is placed in their hands.

Japan Is Not Feared. "This ends my work in Congress," he said. "I am not coming back. What is the use? The action of the House tonight makes the fight for independence harder. I notice that not a single Republican voted for the Clarke amendment. They had it all figured out in advance."

Mr. Quezon had advocated the Senate bill in an earnest speech during the afternoon. He told the House that Japan would not seize the islands if they were freed, and moreover that Japan would keep off any European nation that might turn hungry eyes that way.

"Japan is not going to antagonize the European nations and the United States," he said. "Japan knows that the Philippine people would be happy under the Japanese flag, and that it would mean that Japan would have a war with some other nation."

"Lincoln Wouldn't Know Republicans." "Have you confidence in the world nations to believe that you will be left alone after you are free and independent without a standing army and navy?" demanded Representative O'Shaunessy.

"I have no more confidence in the world nations than the small nation of the Philippines," he said. "I would be happy under the Japanese flag, and that it would mean that Japan would have a war with some other nation."

He said he was satisfied, however, that the bill would go back to the Senate, going into conference, there to die. "If Abraham Lincoln were here today," he added, "he would be bewildered by the people who are introduced to you on the Republican side."

IRISH FAIR IS OPENED

ARCHBISHOP CHRISTIE IS LOUD IN PRAISE OF HIBERNIANS.

Programme Is Given at Benefit to Lift Burden of Debt on Hall on Russell Street.

"The Hibernians stand for American citizenship and all that it means," said Archbishop Christie in his address at the opening of the Irish Fair last night in Hibernian Hall on Russell street.

Archbishop Alexander Christie spoke of the Hibernian order as a champion of pure religion and education. The fair, he said, is to lighten the financial burdens of the members and as such it deserved the highest success.

The hall is beautifully decorated with evergreen and green streamers. Along the sides are the booths filled with useful articles.

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harder to reach a decision, and the nation would then be whether advantage for the moment or consideration for the future should govern.

And if our statesmen, in reaching a decision in the light of their information on all the conditions involved, believe that they must do so in the face of the uncertainty as to what the purposes of the other party are, they will have to take into consideration the question whether in such cases it is not wiser to take the lead themselves rather than be forced to play to the lead of the other player."

Compromise Considered Possible. Herr Wolff's article refers again to the hopes of Germany's enemies of a rupture between the United States and Germany and to the dissenting voice of Gustave Hervé the French anti-military agitator, whom he quotes as saying that France's only hope is Germany's thickheadedness.

Herr Wolff declares that the war will last a long time "unless some illumination the darkened minds of those who still do not want peace."

The Tagliche Rundschau still believes that it will not be possible to find a compromise between President Wilson's vital interests, since President Wilson seems to desire a breach, and in 14 days new cases would follow the Sussex case if that should have been adjusted.

The paper declares that a breach of the present more than faulty and remarkable diplomatic relations would give back to Germany her freedom of action and would not necessarily be followed by war, as it understands that two-thirds of the Congressmen advocate peace.

AMERICA WAKENED, PRESIDENT AVERS

Warning Not to Tamper With Honor Voiced by Wilson, Who Scouts Hyphen Talk.

WAR POSSIBILITY THEME

Declaration Made That World Will Be Thrilled by Rally to Standards of Liberty if Conflict Is Necessary.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—America reawakened in National spirit through lessons of the war in Europe was the theme of an address by President Wilson today at the opening of the National service school military encampment for young women. In concluding the President voiced a warning that the honor and integrity of the United States cannot be tampered with.

He prayed that the country should not be drawn into war, but declared that if it should be "in the great voice of National enthusiasm which would be raised, all the world would stand once more thrilled to hear the voice of the new world asserting the standards of justice and liberty."

The President expressed confidence that in time of trouble the great mass of foreign-born citizens of the United States would be loyal.

Rally to Flag Predicted. "I never had the slightest doubt of what would happen when America called upon those of her citizens born in other countries to come to the support of the flag," he said.

"It is with unfeigned pleasure that I come to greet you as you have assembled for the interesting things you are going to do. I have always felt that there was much more inspiration in things that were voluntarily done than in things that were done under official direction and by official summons. You have volunteered to come together without official suggestion in order to study some things, which while they are characteristic of the sort of comfort and assistance which women have been accustomed to offer, are nevertheless in this instance associated with a very great National conception and duty."

Great Danger Made Clear. "We, of course, are living in the presence of conditions which we cannot yet assess, because they are undetermined. The world never witnessed such a war as is now convulsing almost every part of the world except this part, which is particularly loved and very fondly to safeguard, and the very foundations of the ordinary life of nations have been disturbed, so deeply disturbed that it is difficult to predict what the final settlement will be. And if this war has done nothing else, it has at least done this: It has made America aware of dangers which most of us had deemed unreal and has made us aware that the danger of our own time is nothing less than the annihilation of the foundations of civilization. Civilization does not rest upon war. It rests upon peace. It rests upon those things which make for peace and operation and mutual interest in one another. It does not flourish in the soil of hostility and antagonism, and a world war is a war in the presence of which civilization holds its breath and wonders if it will itself survive. As we see these great issues joined, we on this side of the water are done this service: We are reminded of our spiritual relation not only to this great struggle, but particularly to this great Nation of which we constitute parts, and our spiritual relation to the rest of the world as determined by our spiritual relation to America."

Individual Only Unit in Nation. "The Government was established in order that justice and liberty might be done to every man whom our institutions could touch, and not only that justice and liberty should belong to America, but that so far as America was concerned, they should be extended to mankind everywhere. So the inspiration of serving America is a very profound inspiration. "Have you not thought what might be the outcome of this great struggle, so far as the nations already engaged are concerned? Can you not imagine the great awakenings that has come to a country like France, for example; how much more intensely every Frenchman and every German feels the national compulsion than he ever felt before? How much more he feels himself, not an individual, but a fraction of the great whole? How much more his blood springs to the challenge of patriotic suggestion? He is not fighting for his own life. He is sacrificing his own life, or willing to sacrifice it, in order that a greater life than his might persist, the life of his nation. So in America we are getting already the indirect benefit of that suggestion. We are beginning to realize how a nation is a unit and that any individual of it who does not feel the impulse of the whole does not belong to it."

"You have heard a great deal about divided allegiance in this country, but before we discuss divided allegiance in its political aspect we ought to let our thoughts be directed to what we perhaps our divided allegiances in respect to our relations to each other. America had been brought to such a point of diversification of interest, of occupation, of objects sought, that she was in danger of losing the consciousness of her singleness and solidarity. We have been reminded with an emphasis for which I for one thank God, that we are first of all Americans, and only after that at liberty to seek our individual interest. And those of our fellow citizens who may for a little while be tempted to think rather of the lands of their origin than of the land of their present allegiance, have been reminded that there is, politically speaking, only one allegiance conceivable and possible."

"You have heard a great deal about the hyphen. I for one have never been deceived. The number of persons of really divided allegiance in this country is very small and had I been in some other country I would huff one respect the representations which have been made by those who were not the spokesmen of those for whom they pretended to speak in suggesting a divided allegiance. I have never had the slightest doubt of what would happen when America called upon those of her citizens born in other countries to come to the support of the flag. Why, they will come with cheers, they will come with a momentum which will make us realize that America has once more been cried awake out of every sort of dumber and dream and distraction, and that any man who dares tamper with the spirit of America will be cast out of the confidence of a great Nation upon the instant."

Voice of Liberty Not Stilled. "I believe that a certain spiritual regeneration is going to come out of this thing. We have been thinking too much about our individual selves and too little about the country of which we constitute a part. "God forbid that we should be drawn into war, but if we should be, America would seem once more to shake herself out of a dream to say 'Did any man dream that we were asleep? Did any man deem that we had forgotten the traditions of America? Did any man deem that he could tamper with the honor and integrity of the United States?' And in the great voice of enthusiasm which would be raised all the world would stand once more thrilled to hear the voice of the new world asserting the standards of justice and liberty."

The President spoke before several hundred young women dressed in khaki and drawn up in military order. They entered an encampment today at which they will be taught first aid to the wounded, bandage making, telegraphy and other war-time arts. The encampment is being held under the auspices of the women's section of the Navy League. Secretaries Baker and Daniels and a large group of Government officials and Army and Navy officers were included in the audience. The President's speech followed the formal raising of the American flag over the encampment.

J. L. Wiley Appointed Register. WASHINGTON, May 1.—President Wilson today nominated John L. Wiley, of Spokane, as register of the Land Office at Spokane.

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\$1.50 Windsor Crepe Gowns for \$1.00
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\$3.50 Pure Silk Taffeta Parasols for \$1.75
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