

CLEMENCEAU SAILS FOR FRENCH HOME

16 Addresses Delivered in Course of Stay.

CROWDS CHEER TIGER

Farewell Messages Sent to Wilson and Otto Kahn, American Banker.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—His speaking mission ended, Georges Clemenceau, war-time premier of France, sailed for home on the steamship Paris today, declaring he would return again, "but only as a ghost."

Just before the Paris cast off the Tiger kissed Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson on both cheeks, laughingly enjoining her not to "dare to tell her husband." Mr. and Mrs. Gibson were Clemenceau's hosts during his stay here last month.

Others at the pier to see him off included Jules J. Jusserand, the French ambassador to America, and Mrs. Jusserand; Gaston Liebert, the French consul here; and E. M. House, who arranged the Tiger's American speaking tour, and Bernard M. Baruch.

Stay Busy One.

The 81-year-old statesman arrived in the United States on November 18 for his extraordinary speaking tour. During his stay of a little more than three weeks he traveled 5000 miles in a private car, visited nearly a dozen cities and towns in the east and middle west, and delivered 16 addresses, and short, in an effort to convince the nation that it ought to resume an active participation in European affairs.

Clemenceau was cheered by crowds on the pier and on the ship as the Paris slid out from her pier with her band playing the Star Spangled Banner. Standing on the deck he waved his old gray hat in response.

The Tiger's farewell message to America was given out in the form of two telegrams—one to Woodrow Wilson and one to Otto Kahn, banker, in answer to farewell messages, which it was said were typical of thousands received at the last minute.

Wilson Sends Farewell.

The messages exchanged between ex-President Wilson and Clemenceau follow:

Georges Clemenceau:

"Allow me to bid you an affectionate farewell and to congratulate you on the admiration you have won from our people. All good fortune attend you."

WOODROW WILSON:

Clemenceau replied:

"I cannot but be most grateful for the kind message you were good enough to send me. Your feelings are mine. All your efforts for the last year did not spare in my country. Those are the principles of the French people and may be summed up in these words: 'Justice and peace to all.' They are France's principles as well as those of America."

My best wishes for your health and welfare and my kindest regards to Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Kahn thanked.

In response to a long message of congratulation from Mr. Kahn, the Tiger telegraphed:

"I cannot but thank you and express all my gratitude for all you have done toward the great work of peace. That is the quest of France as well as America. I know you have done your best for the cause, so allow me to congratulate you and your friends for all you will continue to do."

CASE DECLARED WEAKEST

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That he had not known of the introduction of the Keller resolution in the house until he had read about it in the newspaper.

"Does Mr. Ralston (Jackson P. Ralston, appearing as counsel for Mr. Keller) represent the American Federation of Labor?" asked Paul Howland, personal counsel for Mr. Daugherty.

"He does," was the reply.

"When was he first employed?"

"The executive council met here beginning November 14—last month—and during our week's session, the question of the impeachment resolution was discussed, particularly in two phases."

"I don't care about the phases. I want the time," interrupted Mr. Howland.

"I am trying to fix the date as best I can," retorted Mr. Gompers.

"By direction of the executive committee I communicated with Mr. Ralston and asked him to represent the American Federation of Labor in two phases."

Burns' Selection Protested.

At the outset of his testimony, Mr. Gompers, called as a witness for the prosecution, told of his visit to Mr. Daugherty in July, 1921, at the latter's invitation, at which the appointment of W. J. Burns as chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice was discussed.

The witness said he had shown Mr. Daugherty a copy of the report made in 1919 by the general Wickersham to President Taft on Burns' alleged activity in the drawing of the list of names of men intended for the jury box which were in the possession of the clerk or the jury commissioner before the jury box was filled and agents were sent out to obtain information about the men named on those lists. I am still certain of this, that the clerk and the jury commissioner accepted no such information and needed no advance from any source."

Judge Gilbert's Letter Read.

Mr. Howland read into the record the letter from Judge Gilbert, who presided at the Jones' trial, relating to the drawing of the jury. Judge Gilbert said that he knew that "no men were sent out to ascertain the views or inclinations of any of the men so selected for the jury."

After the jury list was obtained by the regular court officers, he continued that the jury commissioner "came to Portland and he and the clerk went over the lists and revised them and placed the selected names in the box."

In a subsequent letter he wrote that "if from some sources or by some methods unknown to me, Mr. Burns or his agents obtained copies of the list of names of men intended for the jury box which were in the possession of the clerk or the jury commissioner before the jury box was filled and agents were sent out to obtain information about the men named on those lists, I am still certain of this, that the clerk and the jury commissioner accepted no such information and needed no advance from any source."

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GEARY AT TAYLOR

DARING HOLD-UP "MAN" PROVING TO BE MERELY BOY OF 15 YEARS, IS CAPTURED BY POLICE INSPECTORS SHORTLY BEFORE HOUR AT WHICH HE HAD PLANNED ROBBERY.



Herbert West, known as "The Yokel," alias Sloan, who admits he was a boy of 15 years old.

YOKEL, 15, IS CAPTURED

YOUTH CONFESSES HOLDUP OF THREE STORES.

Arrest Made While Lad Is on Way to Meet Pal; Fourth Robbery Is Averted.

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ing of a jury in the Oregon land fraud cases in 1905 and that Mr. Daugherty had compared it with one brought to him by a departmental clerk.

"I told Mr. Daugherty," Mr. Gompers testified, "that it was the public scandal and bring discredit to the department and the United States if any such man was appointed to so important a position as was proposed for Burns and that as a man and a citizen I protested against it."

Mr. Howland wanted to know why Mr. Gompers had published the Wickersham report in the American Federationist, the official organ of the American Federation of Labor and the labor leader replied that it was "to expose a man who had been guilty of so great a wrong."

When asked if Burns had been active in the prosecution of the McNamara cases the witness replied: "In the affirmative. Mr. Gompers explained that he had been interested in the defense of the McNamaras because he believed them innocent. 'What did you believe after they confessed?' asked Mr. Howland.

"When they confessed I believed them then, too," was the reply.

The labor leader denied that he had suggested to President Harding that Mr. Daugherty ought not to be appointed attorney-general.

Politics in Pardon Denied.

George W. Wickersham, attorney-general under President Taft, who followed Mr. Gompers, denied that politics had entered into the pardoning of Willard N. Jones, convicted in the Oregon land fraud cases. Some members of the committee had suggested that Jones be granted six or seven years after conviction in the lower court and at the time of the Taft-Roosevelt political fight.

The ex-attorney-general said the "rejected" any suggestion that President Taft was moved by political considerations.

As to his own recommendations that Jones be pardoned, the witness said it was based solely on the official reports and the fact that proper activities by Mr. Burns in connection with the drawing of the trial jury."

Wickersham Invites Inquiry.

Mr. Wickersham said he had personally examined the reports, as he had found it difficult to believe that there had been such a condition as he had held up his report to President Taft for several days hoping to hear from Mr. Burns and to submit the report to him. Mr. Burns did call at the department one day in his absence, he said, but did not return.

Replying to questions, Mr. Wickersham said that when information came to him that Mr. Daugherty intended to appoint Mr. Burns to a place in the justice department he had written to the attorney-general suggesting that he examine the files in the Jones case before making the appointment. He never received an acknowledgment of the letter, he said.

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WHAT WILSON WILL DO NEXT PROBLEM

Dissolution of Law Partnership Significant.

OBSERVERS ARE PUZZLED

With Health Improved, Some Think, ex-President Is About to Plunge Into Politics.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—No recent event has caused more discussion, comment and surprise in Washington than the announcement in New York yesterday by Bainbridge Colby, ex-secretary of state, that his law partnership with Woodrow Wilson would be dissolved December 31.

Mr. Colby's statement (that the ex-president "is turning his energies once more to subjects which have long invited him" attracted most attention and has led to considerable speculation, with many political observers construing it as notice that Mr. Wilson is about to resume an active part in national political affairs, with, perhaps, his eye on the democratic nomination for president of the United States.

From the best information obtainable these surmises have no substantial foundation other than that Mr. Wilson's health has shown marked improvement and he is in better physical condition than at any time since his illness, which began more than three years ago, to become a leading figure in public affairs.

The dissolution of the partnership of Mr. Wilson and Mr. Colby, however, is believed here to be due to other causes than improved physical condition. Many legal cases, especially those requiring Washington representation, have to do with affairs of the Washington and other governments. Participation in such cases, even as a practicing attorney by a former president of the United States means contacts with governmental affairs about which an ex-president has some familiarity through the fact that he had been president.

Mr. Wilson's idea of the dignity which always attaches to the person of a former president and his public relations of political principles which must actuate a former president in his personal and professional activities, particularly when they have any connection with the federal government, may be taken, according to the Washington bureau, as a strong indication of his intention to retire from his law partnership.

Lectures for Veterans Planned.

A series of 10 lectures on "A Better America" will be given for ex-service men and their wives, under the auspices of the local United States Veterans' bureau, in co-operation with the Oregon Institute of Technology. The first will be delivered next Monday night by Circuit Judge Morrow. Thereafter the lectures will be given Wednesday nights each week, beginning December 27. All will be illustrated. They will be based on a new production by Newell Dwight Hillis. Announcement of the series was made by Kenneth Cooper, social manager of the veterans' bureau.

Parole Violator Extradited.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Leroy Johnson, who some time ago violated a parole granted to him by the Oregon State Prison, has been arrested in Tillamook county and will be returned to California to serve out his unexpired term. He was arrested by a California officer left here tonight for Tillamook in quest of the prisoner.

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WOULD-BE ROBBER SHOT

WATCHMAN OF GATES STORE WOUNDS ONE BROTHER.

Exhaustion of Victim Results in Capture of Two and Confession of Other Affairs.

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The men attempted to enter the store through a window in the front door with the result that Graves, who was sleeping in the rear of the establishment, was aroused. He grabbed his gun and fired through the window.

The prowlers then fled over the hills into Linn county. After traveling a mile and a half the wounded man fell to the ground exhausted, and it was necessary for his brother to summon aid. Sam Sims later was hurried to hospital at Mill City, where both men were arrested.

As soon as news of the attempted robbery was received in Salem,

Jack rabbits of the high desert in Deschutes county will be started within the next few days under the direction of an expert sent out by the United States biological survey in order that the stores of hay saved for winter feeding of cattle may not be devoured by the voracious rodent herds.

Peacock Rock Springs coal. Diamond Coal Co. Bldg. 3027—Adv.

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2. "Water of Venice," waltz... A. von Tilzer

3. "The Only Girl" selection... Victor Herbert

4. "A Rose, a Kiss and You" song... Arthur

5. "Serenade"... R. Dreigo

6. "Lovable Eyes," fox trot... Atteridge and Schwartz

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