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PRESIDENT TELLS U. S. WAR AIMS

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pendence and territorial integrity to large and small states alike. Russians sincere, Wilson says. A notable feature of the address was the sympathetic attitude of the president toward the Russian representatives who dealt with the Germans at the peace conference—the Bolsheviks, often execrated for their defection from the entente and for permitting themselves to be drawn

into the Teutonic peace trap. The Russians, he said, presenting a perfectly clear statement of the principles upon which they would be willing to conclude peace, were sincere and in earnest, and when they found that the actual German terms of settlement came from the military leaders who had not thought but to keep what they had taken, the negotiations were broken off. Upon the question of whether the Russians and the world are to listen to the military and imperialistic minority which so far has dominated the Teutonic policy or to the liberal

leaders and parties who speak the spirit and intentions of the resolutions adopted by the German reichstag last July, the president declared, must depend the peace of the world. This was in line with his previous declaration that the word of the present rulers of Germany could not be taken for anything worth while, but he took care to disclaim any intention to suggest a change in German institutions. American Views Expressed. Everywhere in Washington it was agreed that the president had made a great address and had given ex-

pression to the views of the American people as a whole. The difference of opinion was as to whether it was a peace or a war speech. Some members of both houses of congress professed to believe that the Germans might find the terms laid down acceptable as a basis for negotiation and to hope that a bonafide offer might result. In most quarters, however, there was no such optimism and the speech was looked upon as a great war document—clearing the atmosphere for the government and peoples fighting Germany, heartening the disorganized Russians and furnishing a light for the German people themselves when they want to see it. In response to the universal query as to the reasons which impelled the chief executive to make his appearance so unexpectedly before congress again to enunciate the aims of the United States and its co-belligerents, it was stated authoritatively that in the opinion of President Wilson the psychological moment had arrived when it was absolutely necessary to make a strong effort to counteract the evil effects of German duplicity and double dealing upon the Russians who had been charged to meet the trained German negotiators. It is felt that no efforts should be spared to prevent a resumption of the Brest-Litovsk negotiations by the Russians, without earnest but kindly admonition by the allies and America of the terrible dangers to which she is exposed.

New Hon Offer Anticipated. The president assumed in his message to congress that these negotiations have been broken off. Yet it is felt in official circles here that alarmed at the irritating effect upon their own people of the sudden withdrawal of the longed for peace with their eastern neighbor from whom they had confidently expected to draw vast supplies of food and raw material with which to relieve their sufferings, the Germans will make a supreme effort to entice the Russians to resume the conference by abating their first extreme demands or by presenting them in fresh and specious language calculated to cover their real meaning.

Another reason for today's address is found in the necessity of making some reply to the request of Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, that America and the entente allies join in the peace conference, Germany having made it a condition of any peace agreement that Russia should bring her co-belligerents into the negotiations. Not having recognized the Bolshevik regime as the Russian government, the only feasible way of communicating with it appeared to be through a public enunciation of America's war aims, following the example of Lloyd George. It will be necessary to the success of this purpose that circulation of President Wilson's address shall be effected in Russia, to which end the full text of the speech was sent by cable and wireless to all the principal capitals of the world for telegraphic distribution. Probably, in spite of the drastic

German censorship rules, designed to keep the German people in ignorance of the real truth, the substance of the address will also leak across the German frontiers from neutral neighboring states, and thus strengthen the hands of the German Socialistic party in its struggle with the Pan-Germans and the military party. There are indications, though no official admission, that President Wilson and the British premier spoke with a full understanding as to what was to be said and that the president, who said today "there is no confusion of counsel among the advisors of the central powers" made his address supplementary to that of the British premier.

Lloyd George's speech was prepared before the abrupt termination of the Brest-Litovsk negotiations, and he took a rather hopeless view of Russia's future, declaring that "if Russia acts independently, we cannot help the catastrophe."

President Is Optimistic. President Wilson is much more optimistic and hopeful of the awakening of the Russians to the dangers of the pitfall to which Germany has dug for them.

Some slight differences in the statement of the aims of Germany's enemies today as compared with preceding utterances of President Wilson and even of the recent declarations of Lloyd George are noted, but it is stated that these are unimportant and not designed in any way to affect or weaken the general principles laid down as the basis for any peace that might be considered. One instance is the use of the term "evacuation and restoration" by President Wilson in regard to Belgium instead of "restoration and reparation." This "restoration" the president is said to hold, must be at the expense of Germany and not of all warring states as proposed by the Russians, so the difference in phrasing is not regarded as substantial.

The third article in the president's program, declaring against economic warfare, is regarded here in line with the better reasoned conclusions of the entente ministers at present. Though on its face it is in conflict with the declaration of the Paris conference.

Italian Rights Recognized. The demand for the re-adjustment of Italy's frontiers along national lines, is expected to be welcomed by the Italians as full recognition of their Italia irredentia aspirations, something not heretofore forthcoming from America.

In his article providing for an independent Polish state, the president is said to mean that freedom shall be given not only to Russian Poland, but to the Poles in Austria and Germany. It is also stated that the demand for "free and secure access to the sea" for the new Polish state does not mean that Poland should extend her sovereignty over Eastern Prussia to the Baltic sea, but simply that she should be given the right in free communication with North sea ports, a privilege similar to that enjoyed by Germany in traversing Holland's territorial waters at the mouth of the Scheldt.

WHOLE WORLD GETS MESSAGE. New York, Jan. 8.—President Wilson's message to congress today was distributed to every news center in the civilized world through essentially the same publicity machinery which was utilized in sending broadcast the president's address at the opening of congress December 4. The



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committee on public information and the various governmental and commercial news agencies operating in North and South America, Europe, Africa, Australia and the Far East cooperated in publishing the address. So well laid were the plans for heralding the president's words around the world that in one hour and forty-five minutes after he began speaking, word was received at the press censor's office here that the entire address had been delivered to all centers in South America. Similar advice were received at intervals of a few minutes after this hour telling of receipt of the address in other foreign capitals and news centers.

Walter S. Rogers, director of the division of foreign press service of the committee on public information, will cost the government approximately \$7000.

Governor's Fairness Is Appreciated By Officers

Governor Withycombe as commander-in-chief of the Oregon National guard has received a costly solid silver cup from 101 Oregon officers, formerly members of the state national guard, but who are

now in the federal service in France, the cup being in recognition of the governor's fairness in the matter of promotions in the guard, and his elimination of politics from consideration in all cases of promotion. The governor has made promotions strictly according to merit.

The report from the Western front that Hindenburg and Ludendorff look cheerfully upon the prospective offensive indicates that they do not expect to go in with the poor devils who are not expected to come back. —Dallas News.

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