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GERMAN SPEAKING SOCIETIES PROTEST TO THE PRESIDENT

While commending President Wilson upon the spirit of neutrality displayed in his message to the people of August 1, 1914, the Salem German-Speaking society of this city, in regular session yesterday afternoon, adopted resolutions declaring that the United States is the only neutral country which has not placed an embargo upon the shipment of arms and munitions to the belligerent countries of Europe...

The German-speaking society of Salem, at its regular monthly meeting, May 20th, adopted following petition and ordered same to be sent to President Wilson and senators and congressmen from Oregon. We the undersigned citizens of the United States, men and women, unite in earnest protest against the exportation from this country of arms and munitions for the use of nations engaged in the present conflict...

designated are led by wish to be of assistance to you in indicating what the people of America want, namely, in your own words: "We must put the curb on every transaction which might give a preference to one party in the struggle over another." Our further reasons for this petition are, (1) Woolsey's book on international law says: "If the neutral, instead of whet, should send powder or balls, cannon or rifles, this would be a direct encouragement of war and so a departure from the neutral position..."

Barrier of Fire and Steel Is Brushing Life From Austria

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trains, crushing them and driving them completely out of Serbia. At Kragevat, Nish, and half a dozen other towns hundreds of men are still working today, putting into shape for future use the cannon and ammunition captured from the Austrians. General Pataik's military genius is all the more astounding because it is purely of home development. He never went to Russia, Germany and France, as have most of the alban generals, to study military science. He began his career as a major in the war against Bulgaria in 1885 and rose gradually until the victories he won in 1896 when he made him a field marshal...

Commercial Club To Hold "Clean-Up" Meeting

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It is harder for some men to slip upstairs at 2 a. m. than it is for them to slip down after they get half way up. The Commercial club committee is expecting practically all the members of the membership committee which did such effective work in the three days' campaign last week, to assemble at the club tomorrow morning at 9:45 to make what they term a "clean-up"...

Diplomatic Relations With Germany May Be Severed By President

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including American ships in the scope of her submarine warfare. A big task would confront the United States in case of a break with Germany in financing the allies. Russia and France are badly in need of cash. The United States was never in better shape financially, with a billion dollar trade balance and a comparatively small national debt. If a war would be popular, it is believed, and there are many who now have idle money. Therefore, with the government sanctioning foreign loans, instead of financing them as at present, this would be a decided advance in the loan market.

Reply Is "Evasive." London, May 31.—Evening papers here today were unanimous in predicting that the United States would "eviscerate" the German reply to President Wilson's protest regarding the Lusitania. The Pall Mall Gazette ridiculed the charge that the Lusitania was armed and was actually a troop ship.

Full Text of Note. The text of the note is as follows: "The undersigned has the honor to submit to Ambassador Gerard the following message to the communication of May 25, regarding the injury to American interests through German submarine warfare: "The imperial government has subjected the communication of the American government to a thorough investigation. It entertains also a keen wish to cooperate in a frank and friendly way to clear up a possible misunderstanding which may have arisen in the relations between the two governments through the events mentioned by the American government."

Appeal to The Hague Suggested. "The German government, in all cases in which it has been shown by its investigations that a neutral ship, German submarine or aviator, has expressed regret over the unfortunate accident and, if justified by conditions, has offered indemnification. "The case of the Cushing and the Gullight will be treated on the same principles. An investigation of both ships is in progress, the result of which will be communicated to the embassy. The investigation case, if national call on the international commission of inquiry, as provided by article II of The Hague agreement of October 18, 1907.

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Vessels Not "Un defended." The imperial government, in view of these facts indubitably known to it, is unable to regard their merchantmen as the sea. The admiralty staff of the German navy as "un defended." German commanders consequently are no longer able to observe the customary regulations of the prize law, which they before always followed.

Quic's Binking Laid to Ammunition. "There can be no doubt, according to the definite report of the submarine commander, which is further confirmed by all other information, that the quick sinking of the Lusitania is primarily attributable to the explosion of the ammunition shipment caused by a torpedo. The Lusitania's passengers would have been saved, in all human probability, had she been saved.

The president is determined not to enter a prolonged argument, it was stated in official circles today. He was decided not to modify the demands which were made upon Germany follow

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CITY HALL NEWS

Louis Yee, Jim Chund, Ah Sing and Ah Lang were arrested at 7:30 last night as a result of a raid by Officers Stubbs and Varney, and booked at the police station on a charge of gambling. The officers reported that they walked in upon the Chinese at 157 South High street and found them seated around a table upon which was piled over \$40 in silver. The Chinese were brought to the station, where they put up \$100 cash bail to insure their appearance in police court at 9 o'clock Tuesday, when the matter will be given a hearing.

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SALEM HEIGHTS HAPPENINGS.

Miss Ruth Speaker, of Roseburg, is home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Speaker. Miss Any Frank, of Webster City, Iowa, is visiting her uncle, Mr. W. L. Pray, in Salem Heights and at the Frank Sterns home in Salem. Mrs. W. S. Powell and daughter were week-end guests at the Geo. Wilson home. Mrs. Powell is in Brownsville, Ore. When mother finally decides that for once her son has told something that isn't true she knows in an instant which side of the house is responsible.

Which? —for Easier Cooking Kerosene vs. Wood and Coal Heat concentrated on the cooking, not spread through the room. Heating up the kitchen when it's already go in the shade. Ready, like gas—full heat in a minute. Bothersome—waiting for the fire to burn. Adjustable heat—a slow fire or a hot one. Difficulty in getting the right heat. Heat only as long as you need it. Waste of fuel before and after actual cooking. A clean, cheap fuel—easy to handle. Wood and coal to lug—dirty and ashes.

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