

CAN'T PUT TRUST IN GERMANY'S WORD

INTERNATIONAL ARMY SOUGHT,
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BUT TO PRESERVE PEACE.

TAKES WORD FOR NOTHING

Lust for Power and Dominion Will
Return to Huns as Soon as Strength
Has Been Recovered.

Paris.—There has never been any disagreement on the fundamental principles of a league of nations between the French delegates or other "powers," said Professor Ferdinand Larnadue, dean of the Paris law faculty and one of the French delegates on the league of nations commission.

"We do not seek an international army for the purpose of making war, but for the purpose of preventing it.

"Further disturbances of the world's peace will come from Germany alone, German's unsatisfied greedy appetite, her lust for power and domination, will return as soon as she feels strong enough to renew her aggressions. Inasmuch as Germany one day will be admitted to the league of nations, what Mr. Bourgeois and myself objected to was the necessity of being placed in the position of taking Germany's word for anything. The German people have not progressed along the lines of sincerity."

INTER-ALLIED FINANCIAL ALLIANCE IS ADVOCATED

Paris.—An inter-allied financial alliance is strongly advocated by Edmund Therry, the French economist, in *The Figaro*. It should take the form of a special organization, he says, to receive for joint account all sums paid by Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey, which it would transform into liquidation bonds "to be distributed among the allies."

Mr. Therry points out that after the signing of peace the richest entente nations will seek to improve their monetary situation and consolidate their financial situation as rapidly as possible on a gold basis. Such consolidation would augment the difficulties of the less favored allies in converting to gold, sterling dollars or francs, the claims they recover from the enemy, on which they count to pay the debts they have contracted, either with the wealthier allies or with neutrals.

MANY MORE TROOPS RETURN, GENERAL DAVIS COMMANDING

New York.—The United States cruiser *Huntington* and the transports *Matsonia* and *Louisville* have docked here debarking 7,101 officers and enlisted men of the American expeditionary force. The steamers *Dante Alighieri* with 1,88 officers and men aboard and the *Sixola* with 47, reported off the coast by wireless.

WAR-TIME REGULATIONS OF COAL WILL CEASE MARCH 1

Washington.—The last of the war time coal regulations of the fuel administration still in force will be suspended March 1, if the present comparatively mild weather continues, said an announcement by Fuel Administrator Garfield. These prohibit the shipment of coal for reconignment and require all shippers of coal moving to tidewater at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Hampton Roads to consign such shipments to the Tidewater coal exchange.

FEDERAL AID FOR ROADS IN NORTH CAROLINA, \$374,000

Washington.—Under the federal aid act, 32 good road projects have been approved by the Washington government for North Carolina. The total mileage is 437.66 and the estimated cost \$1,112,580.96. The federal aid is to be \$374,000. One of these projects has been completed. The mileage completed amounts to but 8.01.

FOUNDATION OF LEAGUE PLEASES ITALIAN PRESS

Rome.—The whole Italian press greets with joy and satisfaction the announcement of the foundation of the league of nations, and praises President Wilson for the evidence he has shown in settling a concrete basis for the league before leaving America. All declare that the war has not been in vain if there arises from it a society which will forever prevent a recurrence of such a conflict.

HUGH C. WALLACE NAMED AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE

On Board the U. S. S. *George Washington*.—President Wilson has nominated Hugh C. Wallace, of Tacoma, ambassador to France to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of William Graves Sharp.

This was the first official act of the President on his homeward journey. The President also despatched telegrams ranging for brief ceremonies in connection with the speech which he expects to make at Boston Feb. 24.

SOCIETY NEWS.

The Mothers' Club held an interesting meeting on Thursday, when they met with Mrs. John Little. The topic for discussion was "Drama". Mrs. John Spratt read a splendid paper on the subject and an interesting discussion followed in which Mrs. A. C. Daniel, Mrs. A. V. Martin and Mrs. L. B. Dillard took part. After the program the hostess served a delicious salad course with ice tea.

The following members were present, Mesdames A. C. Daniel, John Spratt, A. V. Martin, Parks Adair, Frank Adair, Loyd McCrary, Crawford Clapp, Cyrus Bailey, R. E. Jones, John Warren Finney, W. A. Galloway, P. S. Bailey and L. B. Dillard and the guests were Mesdames Emma Little, Giles, J. K. Hatton and E. E. Stanton.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Owens, Jr.; were at home to a few of their friends. The evening was a most pleasant one. A delicious supper was served to the following guests: Mrs. James Sprunt, of Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Chandler, Dr. and Mrs. James R. Copeland and Miss Dorcas Mason.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Chandler were hosts when they entertained at dinner the following guests: Mrs. Jennie Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Hipp, Misses Lila Dillard, Jette Dillard, Dorcas Mason and Messrs. El Briggs and Gus Mason. A delicious course dinner was served and the whole evening enjoyed.

Mrs. C. M. Bailey delightfully entertained on Friday evening at her home on the edge of town in honor of her daughter, Miss Corinne Bailey and her visitors, Misses Elene Spivey of Conway, Margaret Russel of Society Hill, and Louise Ferguson of Savannah, Ga., all of whom are now students at Chicora College.

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The evening was thoroughly enjoyed and not until a late hour did the party break up. The hostess served a delicious salad course to about thirty-five guests.

Miss Leila Edwards was hostess to the young ladies club on Saturday evening when she entertained at a course supper. The guests all found their places at small tables by cunning little booklets in which were written verses describing the various flowers of spring which were guessed by the club members.

The tables were lovely with their spring decorations and the evening was a most enjoyable one. The club members who were present with Miss Edwards were: Misses Edna Chayton, Caroline Caldwell, Julia Neville, Marjorie Spencer, and Mrs. M. J. McFadden. The guests were: Mrs. G. A. Copeland and Miss Connie Martin. A delicious course supper was served by Misses Ethel and Ellen Copeland.

Saturday evening Mrs. Joseph A. Bailey was at home to her friends when she entertained at a turkey dinner. Soon after the guests arrived they were ushered into the dining room. The table was lovely with its centre-piece of handsome daffodils and places laid for fourteen. The guests found their places by original verses describing

cash guest.

The evening was thoroughly enjoyed. Mrs. Bailey's guests were Mesdames Arthur Copeland, George M. Wright, A. M. Copeland, R. Z. Wright, A. E. Spencer, F. D. Jones, Julia Griffin, P. S. Bailey, Will Leake, W. S. Bean, R. E. Jones, Butler Boyd and Miss Connie Bailey.

President and Mrs. D. M. Douglas delightfully entertained on Saturday evening the students of the Presbyterian College and a few friends at a reception. In spite of the cloudburst the guests thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

The house was prettily decorated in yellow and white, daffodils and jonquils being used in profusion. The guests were met at the door by Dr. Kennedy and Prof. A. V. Martin and shown the way up stairs by little Misses Margaret Douglas and Betty Woodworth, where wraps were removed.

The receiving line consisted of Dr. and Mrs. Douglas, Misses Elizabeth Douglas, Hester Seabrook, of Edisto Island, Corinne Bailey, Margaret Russell of Society Hill, Elene Spivey of Conway and Louise Ferguson of Savannah.

The guests were invited into the dining room by Mrs. John Spratt. Here Mrs. C. M. Bailey and Mrs. J. I. Copeland presided at the table where cream, cake and mints were

served, assisted by Misses Carolina Caldwell, Marjorie Spencer and Julia Neville. As the guests left the dining room they were marked by little Misses Margaret Douglas and Betty Woodworth, with the college colors of garnet and blue.

Saturday afternoon Miss Nell Copeland entertained a few friends in honor of the out-of-town guests who were here this week. The guests had a jolly good time in spite of the rainy afternoon.

Miss Nancy Owens delightfully entertained the Knitting Club and a few friends at a luncheon on Saturday. Those who partook of this hospitality were: Mesdames Jodie Chandler, James Sprunt of Dillon, Kenneth Burdette, J. F. Jacobs, Jr., Cyrus Bailey, J. T. Young, W. B. Owens, Jr., Tom Robertson, T. P. Carson of Greenville, and Misses Jette Dillard, Dorcas Mason and Evie Shands.

A pleasant evening was spent on Monday, when Mrs. Jennie Briggs entertained a few of her friends at a delicious course dinner. The guests were Mrs. James Sprunt, Mrs. M. A. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Owens, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. James R. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Chandler, Miss Evie Lewis and Dr. S. C. Hays.

A wedding of much surprise to friends in Clinton was that solemnized on Thursday, February the twenty-eighth by the Rev. Mr. Woods of Calvary church, when he united in marriage Miss Nellie Louise Riddle and Mr. Arthur Howard, both of this place.

Miss Riddle is the attractive daughter of Mrs. W. H. Riddle. Mr. Howard has a position at the Clinton Mill.

Their many friends wish them much happiness and are glad to know they will make their home here.

Another announcement of interest to friends in Clinton is that of the marriage of Miss Blanche Riddle to Seaman Sam Kern, of the United States navy. The ceremony was performed several weeks ago by Rev. Edward Long, and their marriage kept a secret except with a few intimate friends.

Miss Riddle is the oldest daughter of Mrs. W. H. Riddle and has a large circle of friends, who love and admire her. Miss Riddle for some time has been connected with Simpson Grocery Company as bookkeeper. Mr. Kern is the oldest son of Mrs. Kern of this city, and is now on the U. S. S. Minnesota.

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