

SUBMARINE WARFARE SHALL BE STOPPED IMMEDIATELY OR AMERICA WILL REGARD GERMAN NATION AS UNWORTHY OF TRUST

Kaiser Must Bend or Relations Will Be Snapped—Wilson Intimates That Germany Has Lied—Submarine Disasters "Singularly Tragical, Unjustifiable and Constituting Terrible Example of Inhumanity of Warfare Which Commanders of German Vessels Have Conducted," Says President in Quarter-Hour Address to Congress—His "Duty to Inform Germany Policy Must Change or United States Must Break Off Relations"

(By ROBERT J. BENDER, United Press Staff Correspondent)
Washington, April 19.—"Unless the Imperial German government should immediately declare and effect the abandonment of the present methods of warfare against passenger and freight carrying vessels, this government will have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations with the government of the German Empire altogether," the President told Congress this afternoon. The conclusion of a fifteen-minute address.

"This decision has been arrived at with the keenest regret. The possibility of the action contemplated I am sure, thoughtful Americans will look forward to with unaffected reluctance."

This was the President's ultimatum to Germany. It is considered as final.

Mr. Wilson cited the German announcement of February 15, declaring its intention to destroy enemy shipping, the American protests which charged Germany with "ruthless disregard of assurances and wanton, unjustified wholesale sacrifice of lives of non-combatants, both passengers and crews," of the Sussex, Climax, Lusitania, and Arabic, among the ships attacked were unarmed.

"No limit of any kind has been set on the indiscriminate pursuit of the destruction of merchantmen of all kinds and nationalities," said the President. "The roll of Americans who lost their lives in ships thus attacked and destroyed has grown until the ominous toll mounts to hundreds. The latest and most shocking instance, the destruction of the Sussex stands for this, like the Lusitania case: singularly tragical, the unjustifiable, and constituting a terrible example of the inhumanity of the submarine warfare which commanders of German vessels have conducted. I had hoped against hope that the German government would prove its assurance in good faith. The facts are now susceptible of but one interpretation. It is painfully evident that the use of the submarines to destroy enemy property is incompatible with the principles of humanity, long established, and the incontrovertible rights of neutrals, sacred immunities of non-combatants. My duty is to inform the German government that if its policy continues the United States must break off diplomatic relations."

Responsibility Confronting President.

Washington, April 19.—America's place in the history of the world war was likely to be determined when the President appeared before Congress this afternoon. What he would say only Mr. Wilson knew beforehand. He gave no one advance information. The galleries were crowded.

There is little hope that Germany will meet the demands. Ambassador Von Bernstorff is still hopeful of a peaceful settlement, however. There is some belief still that he will give Germany another chance.

The Mexican situation also is acute. The President and Secretary Baker were informed in an official report from Funston today that the Carranzistas had failed to aid in the Villa hunt.

The disagreement of the House and Senate over the Army and Sugar bills also is up to President Wilson. He has his hands full. The Senate Army bill's passage is considered an indication that Congress and the country are ready to back the President whatever is undertaken. Ranking members of the foreign relations committees conferred with Mr. Wilson this morning. A serious calm prevailed throughout Washington. It was considered improbable that the President would break off relations without an ultimatum first.

Note Virtually An Ultimatum.

Washington, April 19.—President Wilson's note to Germany, serving notice upon the Imperial Government that it must stop the submarine campaign immediately or diplomatic relations will be broken off, was sent as an ultimatum.

ENGLISH AND FRENCH REPLIES TO BLOCKADE PROTEST ARE ON WAY

London, Apr. 19.—The British reply to the American blockade protest is en route to Washington. It is officially announced. Also going forward is a supplementary French note.

MAN KILLED WHEN CAR CAPSIZED; ONE HURT

Petersen, N. J., April 19.—Harold Smith, 26, was killed and Albert Reese injured when an automobile overturned here today.

TEN KILLED, SCORES INJURED, BY TORNADO IN KANSAS-MISSOURI

(Daily Free Press, April 20)
Kansas City, April 20.—Ten are reported killed and 100 injured by a tornado which swept Kansas and Missouri. The property damage was enormous. The storm swept over the southeastern parts of Kansas and southwestern and central Missouri. An unconfirmed report says Rhinehardt, Mo., was wiped out, with thirty injured. Heavy damage was done at Lowry City and Rockville.

HAD THE PARTELLO GIRL PLANNED KILL STEIN OR WED HIM?

Witnesses Relate Conversation With Victim to Recorder and Coroner—Woman Gives Bond—Trial to Be Held Next Month

(Daily Free Press, April 20)
The coroner's jury in the inquest into the death of Harry Stein Wednesday night declared that Stein came to his death from a gun shot wound, inflicted by Margaret Partello.

Late in the afternoon Recorder Wooten in City Court admitted the woman to bail in the sum of \$1,500. She will be tried in Superior Court next month.

Witnesses examined at the hearing in court were Dr. J. M. Parrott, Policeman Hamilton and a delicatessen proprietor named Goodkowitz, and Coroner Wood and his jury, sitting in City Hall, heard statements by Dr. Parrott and J. S. May. Hamilton told of a conversation with the woman in which she stated that Stein had beaten and kicked her and had threatened to kill her. Goodkowitz gave an account of a statement by Stein to him. Dr. Parrott, who attended the victim from the time of the shooting on March 29 until his death Tuesday, stated that death was caused by infection of the peritonium from the wound in Stein's abdomen. May's statement at the coroner's inquest was a little stronger than that of Goodkowitz to the Recorder. Stein told him at the Parrott Memorial Hospital, he said, that the woman insisted that he marry her, that he tried to explain to her that he was not in position to take a wife, and that she shot him as he was leaving the house.

The State may assert in the prosecution of the case before Superior Court that Margaret Partello sent for Stein with the intention of securing his promise to marry her or killing him, and that she held the fatal revolver in her hand when the man entered her house in South Kinston.

(Daily Free Press, April 19)
The preliminary hearing in the case against Margaret Partello, now charged with the shooting of Harry Stein, who died in Parrott Memorial Hospital early Tuesday, was postponed from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. today.

The inquest is expected to be held tonight at 8 o'clock. It is not believed that new evidence will be secured to offset the woman's self-defense story, in effect that Stein had kicked and beaten and advanced on her with a drawn knife before she shot him, on the night of March 29. She may secure bail by habeas corpus.

The funeral of Stein was held this morning shortly before 11 o'clock, interment being in the Jewish cemetery. Stein was a member of the local Masonic and Woodmen of the World lodges, and the Fire Department, and members of those organizations attended the funeral. Gentle friends sat up with the remains during the night.

According to Aaron Adler, who will administer upon Stein's estate, the young man was not very well off. Mr. Adler believes that aside from a \$1,000 insurance policy most of the personal property, about \$2,000 and considerable of it in collectible accounts, will go to creditors. The insurance money, he states, will go to a sister, Miss Rosa Stein, in Russia. Stein has an uncle in New York, but the relative was not here for the funeral.

Stein made no statement before death which could be used for evidence against the Partello girl, it is said.

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SHAW HASN'T GIVEN UP HOPE BRINGING LYNCHERS TO TRIAL

Subpoenas Issued for Another Hearing Here On Saturday

STATE MEANS BUSINESS

"Will Accomplish Something" Before He Quits, Declares Solicitor—Eight or Nine Greene County Persons Are Summoned

(Daily Free Press, April 19)
Solicitor Henry E. Shaw today admitted that subpoenas had been issued for eight or nine persons in Greene county, requiring them to appear at a second hearing into the lynching of Joseph Black, to be held here Saturday. The witnesses are members of the coroner's jury who viewed the remains of the negro, taken from the jail here several weeks ago, and shot to death somewhere between Kinston and Maury, and "others."

"Persons are ridiculing my attempt to bring to trial members of that mob," Colonel Shaw said. "Without stopping to consider that the law makes the investigation and further action if possible, my bounden duty."

"I have not given up the effort, and shall not until I accomplish something," he declared. He would not say that he had secured any "likely" evidence.

MILITIA TO GUARD WILL BLACK AT THE TRIAL DURING JUNE

Judge Whedbee, Who Will Try Negro Rapist for His Life, Will Risk Nothing. Greene County Men Say There's Danger Lynching

(Daily Free Press, April 20)
Will Black, assailant of little Mattie Tyson in Greene county, will have ample protection when he is carried back to Snow Hill in June for trial, according to Judge H. W. Whedbee of Greenville, who will preside over the trial.

Judge Whedbee has been in Snow Hill investigating the sentiment at that place, and was informed by many persons, it is said, that there is a probability that Black will be lynched, as was his father week before last for incendiary remarks, if he is sent from the State prison without a military guard. Troops will be sent on a special train from Kinston, it is supposed. If necessary, two companies from Goldsboro will be ordered to the Greene county seat. The three companies, comprising a small battalion of nearly 200 men, would be ample to preserve order, it is believed.

WAR EXTRA! NEW BERN LIKELY BE BESIEGED

"That German spies have recently visited New Bern and surrounding section, looked over the situation, made maps of the waterfronts and secured all the information that they desire, was the statement made today by one of this city's well-known residents," says the New Bern Sun-Journal.

The spies, the citizen said, had quizzed him about the coast guard cutter Pamlico, etc.

LOYD-GEORGE WINS; BRITISH CABINET IS SAVED FROM SPLIT-UP

London, April 20.—Minister of Munitions Lloyd-George won the cabinet fight today. General conscription is expected within two months. The threatened cabinet break was prevented.

DEPARTM'T JUSTICE CLAIMS ARREST IGEL FULLY WARRANTED

German Was Not Connected With Embassy Until 1915, Says—Welland Plot In Previous Year—Would Have Been Immune, Said

(By the United Press)
Washington, April 19.—Ambassador Von Bernstorff conferred this afternoon with Secretary Lansing. Mr. Lansing ordered the return of papers seized from Wolf Von Igel, at New York. The embassy requested the release of Igel. Von Bernstorff considers the case equal in importance to the Sussex affair.

New York, April 19.—The arrest of Wolf Von Igel, former secretary to Captain Von Pappen, and seizure of papers alleged to reveal the Welland Canal dynamiting plot, have assumed the nature of international complications. If Igel was attached to the German embassy when the alleged crime was committed he is immune.

The Justice Department today alleged that the crime was committed in 1914, while Igel was not attached to the embassy until 1915.

WIDOW'S BODY FOUND; POLICE SEEK A BLACK

(By the United Press)
Philadelphia, Apr. 19.—Mrs. Nellie Sweeney, a widow was found dead today. The body was mutilated. The police are seeking a negro tenant.

DON'T GO TO BED WITH COLD FEET.

Says: "Often Brings on Attacks of Acute Rheumatism"
An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and people who are subject to attacks of rheumatism should never go to bed with cold feet. A whole lot is being said about taking salts and effervescent tablets for rheumatism and sciatica, but those who suffer sharp twinges and painful swollen joints need something powerful to overcome their pious suffering.
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