

UNPUBLISHED WAR INSTRUCTIONS OUT

What President Wilson Said in Person on August 11, 1917, to Officers of Atlantic Fleet Told by Daniels.

"THROW TRADITION TO THE WINDS"

"Do the Thing That is Audacious to the Utmost Point of Risk and Daring," Said the President.

Washington, May 11.—President Wilson's hitherto unpublished war instructions to the officers of the Atlantic Fleet, given in person on the quarter deck of the flagship Pennsylvania on August 11, 1917, and bidding them "throw tradition to the wind," strike the word prudent from their vocabularies, and "do the thing that is audacious to the utmost point of risk and daring," were made public here today by Secretary Daniels.

The President spoke as commander-in-chief of the Navy and at a time when the German submarine menace was unheeded. In laying the text of his remarks before the Senate naval investigating committee Secretary Daniels said they showed the "bold and vigorous policy the President had outlined for the Navy."

"Do not stop to think what is prudent for a moment," the President said, "You will win by audacity of method when you cannot win by circumspection and prudence."

"I think that there are willing ears to hear this in the American navy and the American army, because that is the kind of folk we are."

"There will have to come a new tradition into a service which does not do new and audacious and successful things."

The President also expressed his dissatisfaction with progress then being made toward eradicating the submarine campaign.

"We are hunting Hornets all over the farm and letting the nest alone," he said, "I am willing for my part and I know that you are willing because I know the stuff you are made of—I am willing to sacrifice my life for the navy Great Britain and we together have to crush that nest, because if we crush it the war is won."

The British admiralty had met American suggestions with what amounted to statements that "it never has been done," the President said, adding:

"I feel like saying 'Well, nothing was ever done so systematically as nothing is being done now.'"

Second Part of Secretary Daniels' Charge.

Washington, May 11.—A counter charge that establishment of the North Sea mine barrage was delayed 4 months because of the opposition of Rear Admiral Sims and the British admiralty was made before the Senate naval investigating committee today by Secretary Daniels in presenting the second part of his reply to the officer's charge that the Navy Department had unnecessarily prolonged the war by its failure to cooperate fully at first with the allied naval forces.

Mr. Daniels added, was the most effective measure that could have been taken to check the submarine and was wholly an American idea.

The Secretary also charged that Mr. Sims had attempted in his testimony to rob the Navy of the credit for this project and give it to the British.

FAYETTEVILLE MAYOR RESIGNS

Had Served Only 24 Hours.—Deprived of Responsibility.

Fayetteville, May 11.—After serving the city for a brief term of 24 hours, Mayor Chas. Rankin handed in his resignation this morning. Mr. Rankin gives as his reason that the board of aldermen have deprived him of responsibility in declining to allow him to name committees.

Mr. Rankin charged that the board of aldermen had named as mayor pro tem, chairman of the finance committee, city tax collector and the city treasurer; employees of a local bank which he stated would make the financial department of the city nothing but a department of that bank, and refusing to allow me to make my term of office of any service to the city."

Mr. Rankin was named a candidate at a monster mass meeting held Friday, April 30th, and was elected mayor on Monday, May 3, to succeed former Mayor John Underwood, who resigned following a report of a special auditor into the financial condition of the municipal court. Rankin took the oath of office yesterday morning.

COLER ADMITS PROHIBITION IS NON-EXISTANT IN NEW YORK

Merely Matter of Price, Says Welfare Commissioner, Revealing Spread of Delirium Tremens.

New York, May 9.—Bird S. Coler, Commissioner of Public Welfare, gave today statistics showing why he announced on Saturday that "unless there is a marked improvement in prohibition enforcement within the next 30 days, I will send out my inspectors to find out why there is not."

Coler's figures show that over the week-end of Saturday, February 7, last, six men and one woman were admitted to the alcoholic ward of Bellevue Hospital. On the week-end of Saturday, May 1, 18 men and three women were taken to the alcoholic ward of the same hospital.

"And those were delirium tremens cases—the very worst we have," said Coler. "Every day there are thousands of men and women made ill by the poisonous liquor now sold. They, fortunately, do not need to go to the hospitals for treatment, but they frequently are laid up for days in their homes."

"You can make this just as strong as you like; there is absolutely no prohibition in New York today. It is simply a question of price. It is impossible to fully appreciate the seriousness of the condition until one takes into account the dangerous nature of the alcoholic cases. Doctors tell me that only three drinks of the stuff does anything to many, and some are needed to knock a man out completely."

Let Him Go.

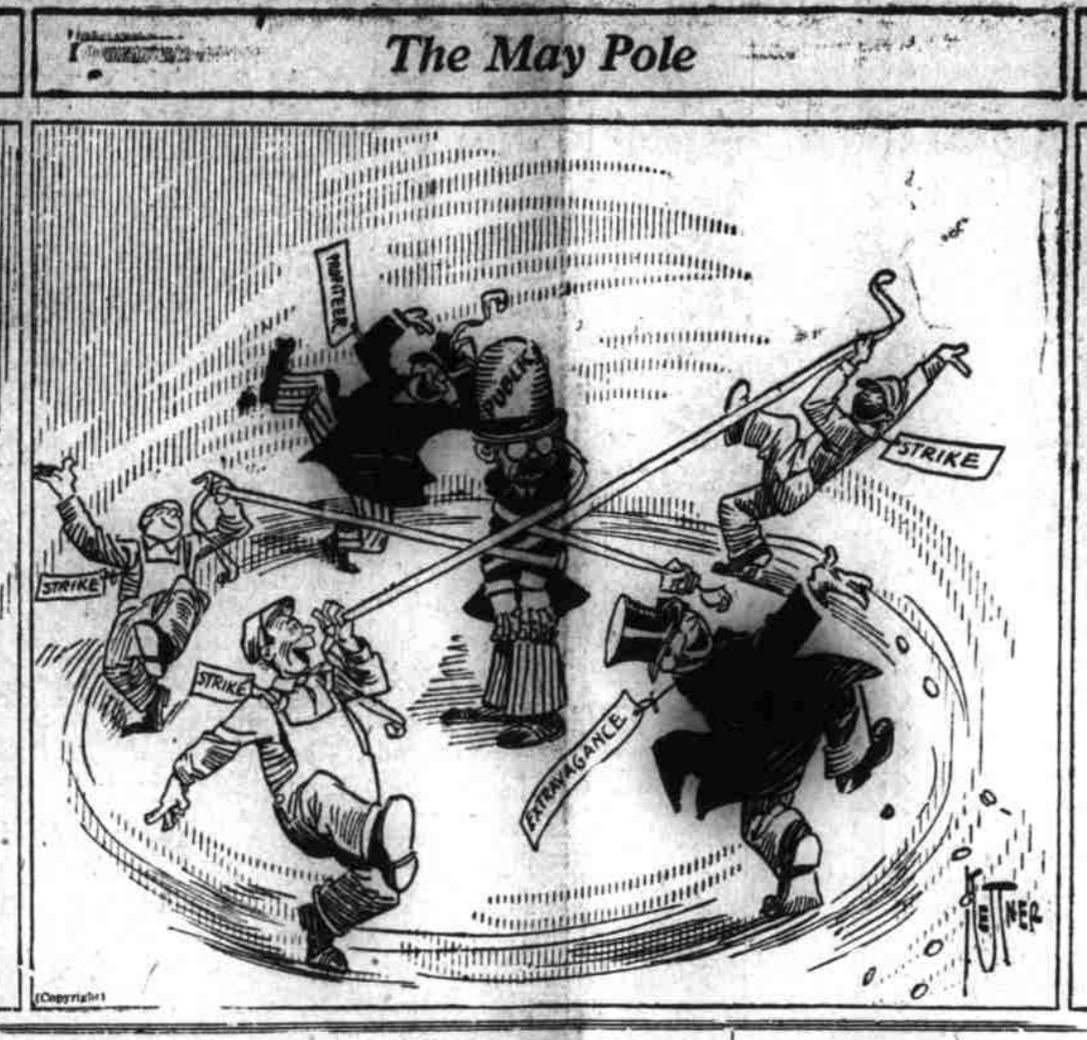
New York, May 11.—"I believe I am as good an American as lives," said A. L. Audrain today. "I had hoped to end my business career and my days in this country. But I am so disgusted with constitutional prohibition that I have sold my stock of goods and I am going to France to live."

Audrain senior member of A. L. Audrain & Co., art dealers, added emphatically:

"I am not going abroad simply because I cannot get a drink when I want it. Never have I drank more than a glass of wine at dinner. It agreed with me and I liked it. It but now I cannot get it unless I am willing to be sent to a criminal, and that I will not do, if I never have a glass of wine until Gabriel blows his trumpet. It is the principle involved, and not the thing prohibited, that disgusts me."

Audrain will sail for France as soon as he can book his passage overseas and get a passport.

Lutheran Synod at China Grove.



CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE LAURA SUNDERLAND SCHOOL

Held Monday Night and Witnessed by a Large Crowd of Interested People.

The closing exercises of the Laura Sunderland Memorial School were held Monday night at eight o'clock, and as usual, on the occasions, a large crowd of interested people was present. Seats had been provided on the lawn and the program was rendered from the front porch of the building.

The program was opened with a piano duet by Misses Edna Kendall and May Upright. The program had been well arranged and was most excellently rendered by the music pupils, under the very able direction of Miss Lord.

At the close of the musical program a farce-comedy in two acts, "Sumbonnet" was given. The characters had been well selected for their special fitness and well did they interpret the characters represented.

The address of the evening was made by Prof. J. B. Robertson, county superintendent of schools, who also presented the certificates to the young ladies composing the graduating class. His speech was attentively listened to and his advice good.

A feature of the occasion was the trombone solo by Mr. Lawrence and flute solo by Mr. Kay Patterson, each being accompanied by Miss Nell Herring at the piano.

After the exercises the large audience present was invited into the building where the work of the students was on exhibition. This consisted of the work being done in the industrial department as well as that of the literary course of the school, and it was very gratifying to those who availed themselves of the opportunity to see the good work being done by Miss Montgomery, principal of the school, and her able assistants.

Especially should mention be made of the students of the Bible, books being shown which consisted of the work done in this department, as especial attention is given here to the study of the Bible.

The school is badly handicapped on account of the need of room, an auditorium being needed in which to hold public exercises such as last night, and before the opening of the next session this need will be supplied, building operations having already begun on the new building, and if those who have subscribed to this fund could have been present last night and witnessed the good work being done only their attention being called to this need would suffice for a larger subscription and prompt payment for enlarging the capacity of this school.

Price of Gasoline is Again Advanced.

New York, May 10.—Motorists to-day became the latest victims of advancing prices.

The Standard Oil company of New York announced that the price of gasoline to garages would be raised to 30 cents a gallon, an increase of one and one-half cents, while independents were reported to be quoting "gas" as high as 32 cents. This, it was said, would mean that the retail prices would be at least 34 cents. Today's advance brings advances since January 1 to 22 per cent.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE SCOTIA WOMEN'S COLLEGE

Senior Class Exercises Will Be Held Wednesday, May 19th.

Handsomely engraved invitations have been received to the 1920 Senior Class exercises of Scotia Women's College, which will take place May 19. The following will be the program.

Marche Hongroise de Concert—Kowalski.

Invention. The Klitka March—Marchion—Higher Course Class.

Essay, Theodore Roosevelt—Lille Jaxon.

Seminary Class: Piano Solo, Ballade No. 7—Chopin.

Tablita Williamson. Salutatory—Challenge of the Unconquered—Emma Tontley.

Essay, Self Education—Ethel Dockery.

Quartette—My Southland Home—Collins.

Essay—Forestry—Geneva Barringer.

Essay—Health in America—Virginia Faison.

Chorus—When the World is New—Hosmer.

Essay—Our Debt to the Pilgrim Fathers—Edith Wilson.

Valdatory—Christianity and Civilization—Elizabeth Henderson.

WAR RESOLUTION IS CALLED UP TODAY

Lodge Says He Will Keep It Before Senate Until a Vote is Taken.

Washington, May 11.—The Republican resolution to declare war with Germany and Austria at an end was called up in the senate today by senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, who announced he would keep the measure continuously before the senate until a vote was taken.

Opening the fight against the resolution of Congress, Senator McCumber of North Dakota, a Republican member of the senate foreign relations committee declared in the senate today that such a step would bring his honor upon the nation as it would involve American desertion of her associates.

THE TURKISH TREATY.

Small International Force at Constantinople is Provided for.

Washington, May 11.—Permanent occupation of Constantinople, which is left under the sovereignty of the Sultan, by a small international force of allied troops is provided for in the treaty which was handed today to the Turkish representatives at Paris. Official summary of the treaty has been received in Washington.

A similar international guard is provided for garrisoning of the straits as a guarantee of free passage through the Dardanelles and the Sea of Marmora to ships of all nations.

Activities of Carranza Forces Around Tampico.

El Paso, May 11.—Activities of the Carranza forces in the region about Tampico, which it itself in rebel hands, are causing the United States considerable concern, according to a dispatch from agents of the Mexican revolutionists to agents of the movement here, received today. No details were contained in the message.

Fire at Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, May 11.—Fire in the business section of Rocky Mount early today caused damage to the stock in the G. F. Harrell and the United Wollen Mills stores of about \$15,000, only partially covered by insurance. The loss on the buildings was about \$5,000, fully covered by insurance.

President Signs Deportation Bill.

Washington, May 11.—President Wilson today signed the bill amending the deportation law, so as to make possible deportation of Germans and other aliens who were interned during the war.

Wanted—Carrier For Brown Mill route. Apply at Tribune office.

EXPECTED DEVELOPMENTS

Official Interest Shifts from the Military to the Political Phase.

Washington, May 11.—With practically all Mexico dominated by the revolution and Carranza reported as a prisoner, official interest shifts today from the military phases to the expected political developments. Agents of the de facto rulers professed to believe steps will be taken immediately toward establishment of a post facto government to be succeeded by a constitutional regime. Reports received through official channels as well as those sent to the revolutionary agents continued to indicate the absence of serious disorders although the dispatch of a battleship and additional destroyers to the Southern waters suggested the determination of this government to afford foreigners protection in event of serious trouble at any of the port towns.

While officials here consider the revolutionary movement as too untried for judgment, the impression was manifested that for a time, at least, it would not have to face the usual counter-revolution.

WOOD SAYS THERE IS NO "DANGEROUS UNREST"

Is in Washington Today in Hurried Conference With Senator Lodge.

Washington, May 11.—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, here today for a hurried conference with Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, and other Republican leaders, declared that in his trips over the country he had found no evidence of dangerous unrest.

"The unrest we find today," he said, "is the unrest growing out of the industrial situation, with the high cost of living and the realization that high wages do not give all that is needed in the face of high prices. Present conditions are due more to our own indifference."

General Wood declined to comment on President Wilson's letter to Oregon Democrats concerning the league of nations.

CONFEDERATE GENERALS ON ARLINGTON MEMORIAL

Measure Introduced in the House by a Union Veteran of Ohio.

Washington, May 11.—Names of some of the great Confederate generals, including Lee and Jackson, would be included in inscriptions on the Arlington Memorial amphitheatre with the discretion of the amphitheatre committee under a joint resolution pending in Congress.

The measure was introduced in the House by Representative Sherwood of Ohio, one of the few Veterans of the Civil War remaining in Congress, and was offered in the senate by Senator Overman of North Carolina.

Southern To Have New Bridge Over the Ohio.

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 10.—Construction of a modern double track steel bridge across the Ohio river at Cincinnati for the Southern Railway system will be begun immediately, contract for the fabrication and erection of the steel superstructure having been let to the American Bridge company. The new bridge will take the place of the present single track structure and will be of more than sufficient strength to support the heaviest locomotive. This bridge, carrying the line of the Southern Railway system over the Ohio river between Cincinnati and Ludlow, Ky., is an important unit of the Cincinnati gateway and over it passes an immense traffic between the central west and the south including limited passenger trains connecting Cincinnati with Chattanooga, Knoxville, Asheville, Spartanburg, Columbia, Charleston, and intermediate points.

Republicans of Rowan Agree On County Ticket.

Salisbury, May 8.—Rowan republicans, in mass meeting at the courthouse this afternoon, decided on part of the ticket for county officers. These named include D. W. Goodson, for sheriff; J. H. Kirby, register of deeds; J. M. Wagoner, county judge; D. A. Randleman, county solicitor; R. E. Ennis, auditor; A. E. Myers, treasurer. He to be displaced if a woman can be found to make the race for treasurer. Commissioners named are L. S. Bradshaw, Charles Beaver, W. J. Corbett, G. H. Ratledge, Orin Cruse.

There was a spirited discussion on the proposition to indorse the legislative ticket submitted by labor and also to embody the labor former questionnaire in the platform of the party. Opponents of these two propositions defeated them by carrying a motion to adjourn. Selection of a legislative ticket was left to a committee.

Order American Marines For Duty at Key West.

Washington, May 8.—A force of approximately 1,200 marines was today ordered to proceed on the transport Henderson from League Island to Key West, Fla., to be held for possible service in Mexico.

Secretary Daniels, in announcing that the marines had been ordered to Key West, explained that it was a precautionary measure for protection of Americans, and that they would not be sent into Mexican territory unless the actual necessity arose. Colonel P. M. Bacon will command the force.

REPORTS OF MEXICAN SITUATION CONFLICT

Doubt Is Expressed as to Authenticity of the Reports That Carranza Has Been Made a Prisoner.

HIS SITUATION IS PRECARIOUS ANYWAY

Situation at Mexico City Is Reported as Quiet With the Obregon Troops in Full Possession.

While the advices coming from Mexico on the revolutionary situation are fragmentary and conflicting they cause considerable doubt of the reports that President Carranza has been made a prisoner.

Vera Cruz dispatches from the newspaper El Dictamen, a member of the Associated Press, bearing Monday's date, declared the fugitive President of the republic, who was making effort to reach Vera Cruz, had broken through the revolutionary lines, and was standing at bay with 4,000 men at San Marcos.

On the other hand, the revolutionary leaders along the border are still claiming that Carranza has been made a captive. These reports however, gave few details except to declare the entire convoy had been taken with the President, that three Generals, who were with him, had been executed and another General wounded.

It was added that General Carranza had been ordered to return to Mexico City with all consideration and that none of his party was to be killed or mistreated.

It would appear, however, even presupposing the accuracy of the report, that Carranza is still at liberty, that the situation he finds himself in, according to Vera Cruz advices, is precarious. It is announced that government troops in Vera Cruz have deserted to the revolutionary forces, making that state no longer a safe refuge for the fugitive President.

Mexico City dispatches report the situation there quiet, with troops of General Obregon in full possession. All Mexico, in fact, with the exception of a few localities, is declared to be in the hands of the revolutionists.

The overturn has been effected with little blood shed, all advices indicate.

FIFTEEN REGIMENTS OF SMITHS IN THE ARMY.

Eleven Regiments of Johnsons, Eight of Browns and Seven Each of Williams, Jones and Millers.

Washington, May 11.—Smiths made up 15 regiments of the American army, Johnsons made up 11 more; Browns, eight; and Williams, Jones and Millers made up more than seven each.

Records at the bureau of War risk insurance where the names of 4,622,433 former service men are indeed also show the Anderson and Davis families were represented in sufficient numbers to compose more than 5 regiments each, and the Wilsons, Moores and Taylors 4 each.

Revolutionists to Ask for Immediate Recognition.

Washington, May 11.—The revolutionary government in Mexico will ask for immediate recognition by the American government.

A movement to this end already has been inaugurated by the revolutionary regime and its headquarters in the state of Sonora, where the revolution first was launched.

All Quiet at Tampico.

Washington, May 11.—Capt. Long, commanding the destroyer division in Mexican waters, reported from the destroyer Putnam at Tampico today that all was quiet there. He said "no American or foreigner was threatened or in danger, and immediate prospects in Tampico area are peaceful."

Proceedings Against the Federation of Labor.

Paris, May 11.—The French cabinet at a meeting today instructed the minister of justice to open proceedings against the general federation of labor with a view to the dissolution of the organization which has been supporting the strike of the French railway men calling the other strikes.

Resolution Unanimously Reported.

Washington, May 11.—A resolution requesting President Wilson to send an American warship and marines to Batavia on the Black Sea to protect American lives and property at that port and allow the railroad to Batavia was reported unanimously today by the senate foreign relations committee.

William Dean Howells Dead.

LAST CALL!

Our subscribers are again reminded that The Tribune is now strictly on the cash in advance system. Papers are discontinued when the time expires without further notice. If you live in the city of Concord the carrier has your bill. If for any reason he does not come to see you, pay at the Tribune office. Our rule is to take off all names when the subscription is not paid by the 10th. If you do not get your paper tomorrow you will know the reason why.

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