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GERMANS DISCUSS OCCUPATION OF BERLIN BY THE ALLIES

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 7.—An extraordinary meeting of the German cabinet was summoned at Berlin Thursday to discuss the possibility of the allies occupying Berlin owing to Germany's alleged inability to carry out the terms of the armistice, according to London dispatches to the London Express.

WILSON'S HEALTH IMPROVING

By Associated Press.

On Board the United States Steamer Washington, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's third day at sea found him much improved in health, his cold yielding to treatment and his voice restored. The president is much stronger, having cleared the work which has accumulated at his desk. He enjoyed a day of recreation and feet exercise in the afternoon he promenaded the decks, later being joined by his party at the rail watching the Pennsylvania, flagship of Admiral With, roll and fall with the heavy swells.

President Wilson engaged in conversation on timely topics, swapping stories with those on board. He earnestly conferred with the Frenche and Italian ambassadors and had a short talk with Secretary Lansing and Henry White. No formal conferences have been held so far.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Unanimous

the house rules committee decided today to report a rule giving the right of way for action on a resolution calling for investigation of the national security leagues and all its activities in the last campaign including charging members of congress with disloyalty.

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Word has been received here of the death of Haller Dillyhont, one of the Dillyhont boys, whose par-

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leaves, the young man was shipping cattle and expected on the road somewhere, but he put up his horses in Atchison. A telegram was sent to the family, saying the news was expected.

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DUTCH WANT TO INTERN KAISER FOR LIFE -- HOLLAND MAY HAVE TO SETTLE WITH ALLIES FOR HER BREACH OF NEUTRALITY

By Associated Press.

Washington, Dec. 7.—If the allies insist on delivery of the former German emperor and crown prince to an international court, Holland will yield, but before doing so she will urge the allies to content themselves with the undertaking by Holland to intern them for life in one of the Dutch colonies, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the London Express.

Holland, it is understood, has suggested that Herr Hohenzollern and his son be placed on an island, either in the East or West Indies, where they will be guarded by a Dutch fleet. It is also anticipated that Holland will be asked for compensation for the imprisonment of the German emperor by allowing German troops to pass through the province of Limburg on their march from Belgium and receiving German ships from Ant-

Dutch, it is understood, would transport the emperor, if he should be found guilty.

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 7.—British

troops entered Cologne Friday.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The American Peace Conference delegate made his fourth monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Will Purdy the previous Wednesday afternoon beginning at 2:30 with the following program:

Devoionalist.

Bread, "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah."

Talk, "Temperature Conditions in Carlsbad."

Reading, "Origin of the "White Ribbon."

Mrs. Bert Lock.

Duett, Looking This Way, Mendaces Purdy and Clark.

Reading, Reader, the foreign

hounds (long yellow) for Mrs. E. K. Hays.

Solo, Mrs. Moody, selected.

Paper, Mrs. Dillard.

Vocal Trii, As Autumn Lullaby, Mendances Purdy, Bates and Clark.

Piano, "Flowers" (long yellow) for Mrs. E. K. Hays.


Instrumental duet, The Misses Purdy.

Reading, Mrs. F. E. Little.

Closing, "Rise He the Tie That Binds."

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But all he can do, and what he would have to do in any case to stay in business, is to keep down the cost of processing the farmer's stock into meat so that the consumer pays for the meat and by-products only a little more than the farmer gets for his animals.

For example, last year Swift & Company paid for its cattle about 90 per cent of what it got for meat and by-products (such as hides, tallow, oils, etc.).

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Rev. George H. Gravag and wife and a number of their friends will be present.

The service will be held at 8 o'clock, and the parents will be present.

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ALL WILL GET JOBS
To Be No Shrimp in the Demand for Labor.

Devastated Europe Will Look to United States to Help Rebuild.

New York — John for all will be held for the near future in the period of the world's reconversion. There's be no shrimps in the demand for labor.

It has been estimated that no fewer than 10,000,000 men have been killed in Europe. They states, which have lost 10,000,000 men, must make good this huge labor loss.

Devastated Europe will look to the United States for help to rebuild. We must finance this big job and supply the materials and tools.

According to M. Tardieu, French high commissioner, it will take two years to get the French coal mines working order and ten years to put them in proper condition. To reestablish private homes alone will require the work of 10,000,000 men for 20 years.

Prof. Van den Veen of Leiden, now in the United States, says the war houses of Belgium total approximately 4,000,000. Before the war more than 45,000 buildings had been destroyed. Practically all of the important factories have been reunited of their machinery, in many cases, only the walls railed up, the heavy foun-

dations destroyed.

The machine was shipped to Germany. Towns and villages have been wrecked. Farms have been robbed of all live stock. Miles of interruption railroads have been torn up and shipped to Germany.

The problem is first to keep the population released from futility; second, to reconstruct the industrial machine so the people can make a living.

England will also want food, manufactured goods, raw material and mu-

chinery in great quantities. So will the U.S. and the Scandinavian countries.

George E. Roberts of the national City bank maintains that the United States will pass out of the war period with more wealth than she possessed before the conflict began. There has been much scientific development of industry, and agriculture has been stimulated as never before.

There is no obstacle, he thinks, to a continuance of business activity except the difficulty of adjusting business to a peace basis. This obsta-

cle is great but surmountable.

The family of Wm. Hanah is among the latest to get down with the prevailing epidemic of flu. We are all doing as well as could be ex-

pected at this time.

E. S. Weather Forecast.
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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 8
JOSEPH MADE RULER OF EGYPT.

LESSON TEXT.—Genesis 41:32-44.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Sec. 33:40. "Let the water wail on/ Some way or other"—Psalm 107:30.

EDUCATIONAL READINGS—Paul's conversion (Romans 15:20-21) and the death of a minister (2 Timothy 4:6-8).

Thirteen long years have passed since his brethren sold him. They have been years of testing for Joseph, but his faith is triumphant. There is a mighty contrast between Joseph in the pit of Dehah and Joseph as prime minister of Egypt. 1. Joseph Made Prime Minister of Egypt (vv. 39-41). 2. The Occasion (v. 14-32).

It is the interpretation of Pharaoh's dreams. In his dreams, Pharaoh saw seven fat kine coming out of the river, followed by seven thin ones, which devoured the fat ones. This dream was followed by another in which he saw seven ears of corn grow up on one stalk, rank and good, only to be devoured by seven thin ones. These dreams produced uneasiness in Pharaoh's mind. He sent for a wise man from amongst them to interpret to him. Upon their failure to interpret them, the chief butler calls to mind the prisoner who had interpreted his dreams two years before. Pharaoh hastily brings Joseph from prison and places his dreams before him. Joseph discerned wisdom in himself, but confidently asserted his faith in the wisdom of God. God is pleased with those who will turn to him in the cloud of trouble, and will never disappoint them (James 5:14-16). When, therefore, little did Joseph's brethren, the Ishmaelites who deserted him in Egypt, or Potiphar's slave who he became, realize what they were acting upon? Years of suffering and waiting were part of God's plan for his discipline and elevation. It is God's law for those who would reign, that they suffer. "If we suffer, we shall also reign with him" (2 Timothy 2:12).

Joseph's exaltation from the state of humility is a fine illustration of Christ's humiliation and exaltation (Philippians 2:5-10).

II. Joseph's Naturalization (v. 45). As soon as Pharaoh thus exalted him he changed his name to Zaphnath-Paaneas, an Egyptian word meaning varying designation; or "Salvation of the world." "The prince of life of the world." "The revealer of secrets," "The fear of life." etc. No doubt it was Pharaoh's purpose to designate him as the preserver of life in the reversion of secrets, the interpreter of dreams, and the author of the plan by which Egypt was saved from the awful famine. He thus was naturalized, and his civil status rendered compatible with his official rank. Then Aseahet, the daughter of the priest, was given to him in wife. Intermarriage with this was completed his naturalization by elevating him to social position. Joseph's elevation was to save the world from famine. Joseph's elevation was to save the world from spiritual death. All unknown to him, the Jew, Christ is now at the right hand of the Father, the Savior of the world from its famine of death. As Joseph received a Gentle bride in the time of his rejection and exaltation, so Christ is now receiving a Gentle bride (Romans 11:25).

III. Joseph's Wise Administration (vv. 46-54).

He first made a careful survey of the land, then organized his forces and looked after the details of the work. He did not use his power and position for himself, but save others. He did not idle his time away, for he knew that only seven short years remained in which to work.

The Lessons of Life.
It is a solemn truth that every one of us carries about with him a mystical book, and we are always weaving—woven, wove, weave—the rule which we wear, every thought a thread of the warp, every action a thread of the woof. We weave it, and we dry it, and we cut it, and we stretch it, and thus we get it on and wear it; and it sticks to us. Like a small that crawls about your garden patches and makes its shell by a process of accretion from out of its own ascensions, so you and I are making that mysterious solemn thing, we call character, world by moment, our own self modified by our actions. Character is the precipitate from the stream of conduct which, like the Nile Delta, gradually rises solid and firm above the river's level, and becomes its saw.—Alexander Macaulay.

Righeteness and Truth.
How can God sit in his own seat which is already filled by us? First it must be emptied before it may be filled with the tree good of righteousness and truth of holiness and love. 'Of peace and joy'—Howard Pyle.

The Law of Life.
Pleasure, more pleasure, is animal. God gives man to the better man progress in the law of life to the immortal. So God has arranged our life as progress, and the work and sample is evolution.—Henry Drummond.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

WAR HERO OF FRENCH.

Dashing One-Armed Soldier Has Won Immortal Fame by His Feats.

General Couraud, whose greatest work so far in this war has been the holding of the Champagne front, in the German account of July 15 and the important move made in the passage, in conjunction with the Americans, of one of France's war heroes have some unluckily will be buried.

Couraud first came into prominence in a scene in a capture of the blood-soaked Somme—Soltau, May 22. As a colonel Couraud formed order in less than a year in Adrian and Massons, on the borders of the Somme, where trouble had been rampant for years. A few years later he played the Adrian role that had caused to attempt Fetz.

Couraud then in cooperation with General Baumann, he led siege to Toul, the Bethune fortresses which since its erection no enemy had dared to attack. The success of this operation resulted in the establishment of the eastern and western of modern.

In 1914 Couraud went to Gallipoli, from whence he soon returned minus his arm. He had been wounded many times. Ordinary generals would have retired. But not Couraud. As an amputee he never interfered with his indomitable as a leader of men as a military strategist. He was the first to utilize the trench warfare system, the loss of which would not interfere with the main battle position, which had been withdrawn from the advance trenches.

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