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(Continued from Third Page.) HELD UP BY WARSHIP.

BERLIN, July 6. The American Consular agent at Swinemude, Prussia, reports that the American steamer Platuria from New York with a cargo of petroleum, consigned to a Swedish port, was held up by a German warship and brought into Swinemude. The Platuria was one of the Standard Oil Co.'s fleet. She sailed from New York, laden with petroleum, on June 3, for Sweden. She was intercepted by British war vessels, taken into Kirkwall, held there two weeks, and released from Kirkwall on July 1st. The representative of the Standard Oil Co., said they had received no word from the vessel since she left Kirkwall. It was the first time, he said, since the war begun, that any of their vesseis been held up by a German war-

REPLY TO AMERICAN NOTE. WASHINGTON, July 6.

Germany has submitted informally to the States, through Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, a tentative draft of its reply to the note of June 9th, which asked for assurances that American rights on the high seas would not be further violated by German submarine commanders. After care-ful examination of the contents of the proposed note, as outlined by Ambassador Gerard, which coincides with the Berlin press despatches of the last few days, high officials are practically agreed that the States cannot, without sacrificing important neutral rights, express its approval of the German proposals in their present form. A draft was shown to Ambassador Gerard with the idea of eliciting from him an expression of opinion. He promptly asked for in-structions from Washington, as to whether the United States could make concessions. President Wilson was advised of the situation, and several long messages were sent to his sum-mer residence at Cornish, Newhampshire. The impression obtained to-night from reliable quarters was that the States Government very probably would instruct its Ambassador withi a day or two to decline to express any view until after the formal reply has been delivered to him.

From Berlin despatches and authoritative sources here, it is learned, that the note, as drafted by the German Foreign Office, with Emperor Wilhelm's subsequent approval, would give assurances that Americal with the source of the subsequent of the subsequent approval, cans might travel with safety on the high seas, subject to certain condi-tions imposed by Germany, such as marking belligerent vessels carrying Americans, notification by the United States to Germany of the date of desels, and inspection insuring their non-carriage of munitions of war.

President Wilson has before him the views of several cabinet officers, some of whom believe it is essential to have Ambassador Gerard make clear to the German Foreign Office that the United States can make no concessions from its position, as based on accepted rules of International Law and the Naval Prize Codes of civilized nations. Whether the President does or does not finally decide to have Ambersador Gerard tell the to have Ambassador Gerard tell the German Goyernment informally the views of the United States on the rough draft submitted, it was clearly apparent to-day that important changes would be necessary in Germany's attitude before it could be reasonably hoped that the formal reply would remove from negotiations the critical aspect they have assumed.

EXCHANGED CODE MESSAGES. CORNISH, N.H., July 6.

President Wilson to-day exchanged code messages with Secretary Lans-ing, in connection with a statement transmitted here by the State Department as to Germany's informal outline of her position regarding submarine warfare. While absolute semarine warfare. While absolute secrecy regarding the situation is maintained at Wilson's summer home, it is understood that the President is reluctant to enter into any arrangement with Germany which could be interpreted as a surrender by the States of its stand for the freedom of the seas. The views of Germany of the seas. The views of Germany received by the President indicated a desire on the part of that Govern-ment to reach an agreement with the ment to reach an agreement with the States, but there was no indication here that Germany was ready materially to modify her use of submarines against the merchant ships of enemies. Lansing stated that there had been no exchange of views as yet, and that no negotiations had been entered into by the American Government Government.

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Sir Cecil Spring Rice had a long conference with Secretary Lansing to-day over international developments during the Ambassador's absence from Washington the past two weeks. It was his first call at the State Department since Lansing's appointment, and he extended congratulations. It is understood that the shipping situation in the war zone, and the reports of British recruiting in the States were among the subjects discussed. The Ambassador explained to the officials that the Emplained to the officials that the En bassy had no connection with any a bassy had no connection with any efforts to secure men in the States for the British military service. Secretary Lansing indicated to-day the every American minor taken into the service about whom representation had been made, has been prompt released by the British Governmen During his call, Sir Cecil found tinto give Mr. Lansing a first hand a count of the shooting of J. P. Mogan by Frank Holt. The Ambassad was a guest at the Morgan hon when the affair happened, and aid in disarming Holf after his attack.



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