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## RIVERSIDE GOLF CLUB'S NEW PLANS

Modern Clubhouse This Summer if Things Go Right—Members Enthusiastic

Play on the Riverside Golf and Country Club links at Riverside, successor to the links on the Millidge property within city bounds, has already been commenced by enthusiasts of the Scotch universal pastime. While the season is yet in its infancy the grounds are in remarkably good shape and if long stretches of bad weather do not intervene they should be in very good condition indeed before mid-summer.

A visitor from New York recently walked over the links and while he realized they were not expected to be so finely conditioned as those upon which he was accustomed to play at Mount Vernon, he considered them as cleverly difficult and tricky as any he had ever used, enhancing their value from the sporting viewpoint.

"If we had links like that near New York," he chuckled, "some of those much talked about near-champions would probably take a tumble off their high horses."

The Riverside Golf and Country Club has several hundred members and is in a flourishing condition. There are more than 100 playing members. It is the intention to proceed with the erection of an up-to-date clubhouse this summer if present plans do not unexpectedly miscarry. This house will embrace all the comfortable features and social appliances of the prominent country club buildings in large centres and will add

greatly to the social possibilities of the community. When the new clubhouse is finished it will have grill, dining room, etc., for the serving of meals. Golfers from the city will thus be greatly accommodated and afternoon tea, etc., will add to the enjoyment of the sport. Visiting friends from outside points may thus be pleasantly entertained as well. In fact the proposal to erect a modern clubhouse is being received by the members with great enthusiasm.

## WILSON AND ORLANDO

Eerie Incident at Council of Four Meeting—Fearful Condition of Armenian Refugees

Premier Venizelos was invited to attend a recent meeting of the Council of Four at which the subject of Smyrna was under consideration because of the Greek interest in Smyrna, near which an Italian landing was made. When Premier Orlando entered the council chamber President Wilson, putting aside the usual diplomatic formality, addressed him directly, asking what the answer was to the note inquiring as to the landing of Italian forces in Turkey.

Greek Premier Leaves.

The Italian premier, with apparent feelings replied that he was prepared to explain to the Council of Four, but not with Premier Venizelos present. Premier Venizelos at once offered to withdraw, but President Wilson is said to have insisted upon his remaining. Premier Orlando declined to proceed, however, until Premier Venizelos withdrew.

The members of the council later expressed their regret to the Greek premier for the incident. The sending of the note and the incident which grew out of it were not known outside the immediate circles of the council, where they created the liveliest interest. It is thought they may have contributed to the decision of Premier Orlando to go to the Franco-Italian frontier yesterday for a conference with some of his ministers. The Italian premier returned to Paris from the conference today.

Starvation and Misery.

Constantinople, May 20—Starvation and misery prevail among Armenian refugees in the Caucasus region, according to Howard Heinz, American food

commissioner for the near east, who is in this city after a trip of inspection in the Caucasus. He says reports that some of the refugees, driven frantic by hunger and suffering, have resorted to cannibalism, are true, in his opinion. He adds that food for 500,000 in that territory will have to be provided by outside sources for another year.

"The lack of food is so serious," says Mr. Heinz, "that the women are forced to go into the fields and obtain grass roots which they cook into a kind of broth and serve as boiled greens, occasionally getting a bit of rice to mix with it. This constitutes the principal diet of many. The little children, naturally, get the worst of this situation because they cannot eat such material, and it is among the children that the death rate is the highest."

Prisoners of War.

Paris, May 22—The council of four has delivered its reply to the German note on prisoners of war. The reply indicates that the Allies differentiate between ordinary prisoners and those guilty of crime, and that the latter will be held and punished.

Responsible. Coblenz, May 20—(By the Associated Press)—Because of increased indications of frictions between German civilians and soldiers throughout the American area of occupation, officers today warned the burgomasters and other German officials that they would be held responsible for any violence or any attempts at destruction of army property.

SINN FEIN LEADERS WANT RECOGNITION

Paris, May 22—Premier Clemenceau, president of the peace congress, has received a letter from Edward De Valera, Count Plunkett and Arthur Griffiths, Irish Sinn Fein leaders, in which they declare that Ireland will not be bound by the action of the British delegates on the question of peace. They ask recognition on behalf of Ireland.

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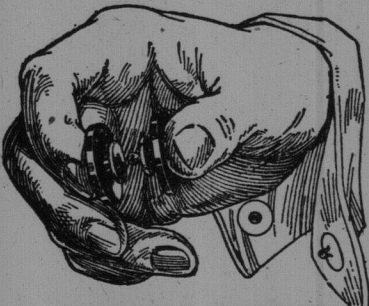


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