SAVE THE WORLD

Hinges on Action They

Take on Treaty.

-Denies That Treaty Is a War

Pact-Says Congress the Only

War Maker.

secrecy, presidential and senatorial

Urges Speedy Ratification.

cuss troubles with the Indians.

the act of ratification.

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flattle flags of British regiments being carried in Lond - s great peace parade,

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS' PEACE MEETING IN BUFFALO



The Knights of Columbus have been holding their great peace convention at Buffalo, N. Y., many prominent personages attending as delegates. The photograph shows delegates marching to the convention hall.

DURING THE COSTA RICAN REVOLUTION



YOUNGEST OF OUR SOLDIERS

itself." Must Get U. S. Consent. The much-discussed article ten, the president told the senators, was not of doubtful interpretation when read in connection with the whole covenant. The council, he said, could only "advise," and as its action must be unanimous, the affirmative vote of the United States would be necessary for any question affecting it.

Article sixteen, the president said, provided that where there is a dispute found to be solely within the jurisdicnational law, the league council shal so report and make no recommendation for its settlement. Immigration, tariffs and the like, the president said. clearly came under that provision. The plan for the league, finally submitted in Paris, the president said, had been built up first from a plan drawn by a British committee headed by a Mr. Phillimore and later included ideas from a plan drawn by General Smuts. From these and other discussions, coupled with the president's own ideas. the league plan was made.

to China) to be made?" asked Senater Johnson.

"That was left undecided, but we were assured at the time that it would be as soon as possible."

"Did not the Japanese decline to fix any date?"

"They did at that time, yes; but 1 think it is fair to them to say they could not at that time say when it would be."

Senator New-Mr. President, does not this indefinite promise of Japan's suggest the somewhat analogous case of England's occupation of Malta? She has occupied Malta for something like a century, I believe, under a very similar promise.

Declines to Answer.

The President-I hope you will pardon me if I do not answer that question.

Senator Fall asked who would defend the mandate territories against Washington, Aug. 20 .- In a conferexternal aggression under the league, ence at the White House unprecedentand the president replied that primared in American history, President Wilily the duty would rest with the manson discussed the peace treaty with datory power.

the senate foreign relations commit-Only through action by congress tee, answered questions put by sennshall the United States lend any milltors and gave out a stenographic tary assistance to other members of transcript of the proceedings to the the League of Nations. This was stated emphatically by the president. Some of the inside details of the The United States is only under peace conference, how the League of woral obligations to the other nations, the president said, declaring that the Nations covenant was drawn, and other historic happenings were hunded out lengue covenant does not in any way verbatim for the world to read, in condetract from the power of the contrast to the time-honored procedure of gress.

Asks About Other Treatles.

After the president had delivered his intement, Senator Lodge said:

Nothing approaching the conference "Mr. President, so far as I am perin that respect is recalled since George Washington went to the senate to disonally concerned-and I think I represent perhaps the majority of the committee in that respect-we have no thought of entering upon arguments Making a plea for ratification of the as to interpretations or points of that treaty that the world might be turned character; but the committee was very wholly back to a pence basis, the presdesirous of getting information on cerldent said he saw no reasonable obti in points which seem not clear and jection to the senate expressing its inon which they thought information terpretation of the League of Nations would be of value to have in considcovenant so long as those interpretaeration of the treaty which they, I tions did not actually become part of think I may say for myself and others,

desire to hasten in every possible way. If interpretations were part of the "Your reference to the necessity of formal ratification, the president conaction leads me to ask one question. tended, long delays would follow, as If we have to restore peace to the other governments would have to "acworld, it is necessary, I assume, that cept in effect the language of the senthere should be treaties with Austria, ate as the language of the treaty be-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria. Those fore statification would be complete." treaties are all more or less connected Most of the interpretations, the presiwith the treaty with Germany. The dent said, seemed to him to suggest question I should like to ask is, what the "plain meaning of the instrument the prospect is of receiving those treaties for action?"

Senate Cause of Delay.

The President-I think it is very good, sir, and so far as I can judge from the contents of the dispatches from my colleagues on the other side of the water, the chief delay is due to the uncertainty as to what is going to happen to this treaty. This treaty is a model of the others. I saw enough of the others before I left Paris to

know that they are being framed on the same set of principles and the treaty with Germany is the model. I tion of one of the parties, under inter- think that is the chief element of de-

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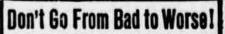
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He-All very fine. But what about those cigars I gave your father and those quarters I gave your little brother?-Boston Evening Transcript.

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A Kansas Case



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Citizens of San Jose, Costa Rica, fleeing before the troops of President Tinoco, who are clearing the streets with bayonet and bullet. Not much has been learned of the Costa Rican revolution because of the strict censorship maintained by Tinoco's government.

BOMB-RUINED HOME OF OSCAR LAWLER



Ruins of home of Oscar Lawler, Los Angeles, Cal., which was blown up by a dynamite bomb and fired with two tanks of gasoline. Mr. Lawler was assistant United States attorney general for the interior department. Charles H. McGuire was accused of setting the bomb in revenge for the breaking of a will by Attorney Lawler. He committed sulcide.

The Co-Ed Helped.

Gravely and laboriously the freshmen of the Montana States School of cently the officer of the day was mak-Mines carried 5,000 gallons of water ing the rounds of the post. It was and 300 pounds of lime up the moun- after challenging time. He seated tainside the other day to keep their himself on the corner post of a fence annual custom of painting a white M and waited for the sentry. The senon Big Butte, says an exchange. This try, a recruit from the woods of vision of the seniors. The letter is waiting in silence for a few moments 100 feet square, made of closely packed | the officer asked : rocks. The freshmen do the hauling, the sophomores and juniors apply

Sitting Game. At a cavalry post on the border re-

"Well, what are you going to say?" "Durned if I know what to say," the lime, and the seniors arrange for drawled the recruit. "If you were the tools. This year the solitary co-ed walking I'd say 'Halt !' "-Private M. at the school of mines helped gallantly. E. Russell in Judge.



Michel Bourdain, fourteen ; ears old. youngest soldier in the United States army. He lived at Maine-et-Loire on a farm with his parents. When the Fifty-second ammunition train billeted there, Michel picked up English and soon became so proficient that he was made a civilian employee, given a uniform, and received 250 francs a month. He kept five, gave his parents the rest and they opened a store in Bordeaux. He was attached to the Fifty-fourth coast artillery, where he made many friends, one of whom, E. H. Murphy, a New York business man, formally adopted him and brought him to the United States, Sergeant Murphy promised his parents that he would have the boy write once a week. The youngster's official work as interpreter with the A. E. F. has censed and he is now on half pay.

Providing Heat for Airmen.

A German account of flexible electric heaters made for war purposes states that airmen's clothing was at first heated by alternating currents from the wireless equipment, but as this interfered with the perception of sound signals, direct current from dynames of 200 watts at 50 volts was substituted. Heaters of 30 watts each were used for keeping pliable the rubis a landmark of collegiate industry Maine, rode slowly up and stopped ber of camera shutters, warming filmraised every spring under the super- only a few feet from the O. D. After driving clockwork, keeping in working order vital parts of machine guns, and ensuring the action of airplane control levers. The heaters for airmen's clothing consisted of asbestos cores wound with spirals of resistance wire, and special heaters were provided for the finger tips of gloves.

Own Redraft Not Submitted. His own private redraft of the Phililmore plan, the president said, was not submitted to the American peace mission. He had seen Secretary Lansing's proposals only informally.

The president said the United States would have "complete freedom of choice as to the application of force" in carrying out article ten of the league covenant.

The president told the committee the league council would have "nothing whatever" to do with deciding whether the United States had fulfilled its obligations in case of withdrawal from the league.

The conference was not held in the blue room, as had been planned, the president taking his visitors into the east room, where they were seated assuming that t he commission, or around a big table. Senator Lodge sat next to the president.

Japan Won't Rule Shantung.

To a query as to what sovereignty Japan retained in Shantung President Wilson said: "She has not retained sovereignty over anything. I mean she has promised not to. Senator Borah has asked whether this understanding was oral or otherwise. I do not like to describe the operation exactly if it is not perfectly discreet. As a matter of fact. this was technically oral, but literally written and formulated and the form-

ulation agreed upon." President Wilson said he disagreed with the opinion given the committee by Secretary Lansing that Japan would have signed the treaty regardless of whether it contained the Shantung provision.

"When is the return (of Shantung plicitly acquiescing or not."

One Common Tongue.

"There was one word," wrote an American Red Cross nurse serving in French army hospital, "that we was the word that came most often to the lips of sick dr wounded soldiers when suffering or delirium wrung utterance from them. It is Mutter, mere, moeder, madre and mother."

Bird Rebuked. Marguerite was accustomed to being English actor, served as a surgeon in told by her mother to keep still when the American Civil war.

Senator Lodge-They are not regarded as essential to the consideration of this treaty?

The President-They are not regarded as such, no sir; they follow this treaty.

Senator Lodge-I do not know about the other treaties, but the treaty with Poland, for example, has been completed.

Treaty With Poland Signed.

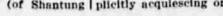
The President-Yes and signed; but it is dependent upon this treaty. My thought was to submit it upon the action on this treaty.

Senator Lodge then asked whether the pesident could show the committee the tentative League of Nations drafts submitted by Great Britain, France and Italy.

The President-I would have sent them to the committee with pleasure, senator, if I had found that I had them. I took it for granted that I had them; but the papers that remain in my hands remain there in a haphazard way. 1 can tell you the character of the other drafts. The British draft was the only one as I remember that was in the form of a definite constitution of a league. The French and Italian drafts were in the form of a series of propositions laying down general rules and whatever body made the final formulations would build upon those principles if they were adopted. They were principles quite consistent with the

final action. In reply to Senator McCumber the president repeated that he felt it would be a mistake to embody interpretations in the resolution of ratification, saying: "We can interpret only a moral obligation. The legal obligation can be enforced by such machinery as there is to enforce it. We are therefore at liberty to interpret the sense in which we undertake a moral obligation."

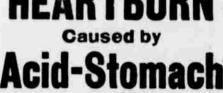
The president said if reservations were embodied in the ratification "there would have to be either explicit acquiescence or the elapsing of a long enough time for us to know whether they (the other governments) were im-



any grown-up person present was speaking. One day her mother was telling something interesting when a canary in the room commenced singquickly learned in five languages. It ing at its loudest. Marguerite climbed upon a chair to the cage and shaking her finger at the bird said in a commanding tone, "You keep still! Don't you hear my mamma talking?"

> English Surgeon in Civil War. Sir Charles Wyndham, the famous







Perfect contentment kills all ambition. No small boy licking an ice cream cone would change paces wit the president of the United States during that glad few minutes.

The average woman would rather be married than happy.

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