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WILSON AND THE JUNKERS.

Major General Sir Frederick Maurice discovers a "ring of sincerity about the last message signed by Dr. Solf which has been lacking in all the earlier proposals from Germany." American public opinion would do well to accept the truth of this statement and to ponder its consequences. Doubtless an infusion of maneuver still pervades the Solf note, but when a government begins to maneuver with the kind of pawns which the German government is now using, its enemies would do well not to treat the operations lightly. The note is a clear and humiliating confession of defeat and incapability to which no government would for a moment consent unless it considers its own life and that of the nation at stake. The German nation has stripped itself of all its pride and in effect prostrated itself on the ground before its conquerors. It has done so because, after the arrogant and predatory nature of its political policy before and during the war, it could not recover its morale unless it confessed in public that it was beaten and that it deserved to be beaten.

The German army can still fight, but it cannot fight unless its leaders can succeed in substituting a defensive morale for its former lust of power and conquest. Its rulers are submitting to these voluntary humiliations in the expectation either of obtaining a tolerable peace or, failing that, of securing an intense and universal popular determination among the German people to fight until the end in order to save their nation from being exterminated. If they can succeed in securing this feeling, their peace offensive will have been successful. They will have perpetuated their own power by proving to the German people that only military leadership persisted in at all costs can protect German national safety and enable it to survive.

It is this new lease of power which President Wilson, hampered though he is by the way in which the American press and many American citizens misunderstand him, is laboring to prevent the junkers from getting.—The New Republic.

DEVASTATION AS A PEACE MEASURE

The flames of Cambrai, sacked and burned by the retreating Germans, are about the only illumination the American people require for

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

an intelligent reading of the German proposals of peace, and Prince Max's speech in the Reichstag as to the remaking of the German soul. The attitude of the Kaiser and his hordes of brigands is morally the same as that of the wretches who shout, "Kamerad!" and then shoot in the back the French and British soldiers to whom they have surrendered. With one arm raised in supplication for peace, Germany continues with the other hand the series of inhuman outrages which have already rendered her infamous for so long as history shall be read.

Apparently the game is one of terrorism. We have the expansion attributed to a high officer in the German army, in this morning's newspapers, that the wanton destruction of towns and cities is necessary because it is the only way to stay the Allies' advance. This is a larger development of the dastardly crime of placing French and Belgian women and non-combatants in front of German troops as a protection against the fire of their own countrymen. But it is only one more proof of the German inability to comprehend the higher type of mind. Of course the Allies will not be stayed by this terrible sacrifice imposed on them. Rather will they see the entire occupied region laid waste than that Germany shall purchase immunity for her past crimes at the price of refraining from new ones.

But, assuredly, the time has come when some steps should be taken to stop this latest access of savagery. To President Wilson's fourteen conditions of peace should be added one providing for penalty and compensation for wanton non-military devastation. The assessment of the material loss upon German cities and towns is a wholly sane and conservative proposition. There will be no wanton destruction of property, but the burden of restoration shall be transferred from the unhappy victims to the brothers and sisters of the perpetrators of the outrages, moral participants in the crime. Let them be stripped at once of all that may be useful to make good the damage now being spread broadcast and let their future and not the future of Frenchmen and Belgians be mortgaged to provide that part of the restitution which can only take the form of money payment.

WHY I LIKE KEITH NEVILLE.

I like Keith Neville because he is human, because, though rich, he does not flaunt his riches.

I like him because his neighbors like him. They say he is a true friend, a loyal citizen.

I like him because he has put aside his own opinions on different questions and tried to do the will of the people.

He was not in favor of prohibition, but pledged himself to the enforcement of prohibition in case he was elected and the people voted for it. He has kept that promise.

I like him because he is neither foppish nor prudish, but a clean cut business man.

I like him because he has shown himself an American in all ways.

I like him best because he had the sense to select as his wife a lady whose beauty is not her greatest charm. Like her husband she has sense.

I admire them both because together they are rearing a family of bright, intelligent children and are plainly proud of them.

Two years ago I did not vote for Keith Neville for governor. I also liked Judge Sutton. He was a republican and was in favor of state wide prohibition. So was I. My support of Judge Sutton did not

keep me from hanging on the walls of my office a picture of the governor and his interesting family, admiration of which I shared with my guests. Since then I have watched his course critically and have come to admire him more.—Stanton Register, Rep.

TIES THAT BIND.

In the S. O. S. as well as at the front, the American soldier is fighting for his country's cause in one way which is apt to be overlooked. He is making friends with men who come from China, Africa, India, Russia and Austria, and the friendships of this chaotic war-time are going to count in the relations between nations when the war has been won.

The doughboy is destroying forever the myth of a blustering, money-grabbing, hypocritical nation that the people of many lands had been told lay to the west of the Atlantic.

In France the Americans are meeting thousands of Chinese, wholly different in features, color and costumes, young men of good physique, some of them highly educated in their own country. Their presence here is a sign of an awakened Asia that is not going back to sleep. Behind the mask of incomprehended language, the Chinese soldier is a shrewd observer, sensitive to impressions.

In some places the Americans are meeting soldiers of India, tall, straightlimbed men of natural dignity who have with them the traditions of a lasting civilization that from all signs is approaching under the empire a new period of greatness.

There are other strangers here, too, who will not be so hard to understand—Australians and New Zealanders, and the Italians, already close to American hearts and ideals through ties of blood.

We are making friends of them all. We want to understand them just as we want to be friends of France and England.—Stars and Stripes, France.

ASSAULTS ON THE PRESIDENT.

The government of the United States, as that of every free government, is one of parties. There is in the legislative body always a majority and a minority, or as it is frequently called, the government and the opposition. In the United States the president is the recognized head of his party. In all the years of the history of this government, no one has ever before denied the right of the president to speak for his party or questioned the propriety of his doing so until now. Every president has done it, either in formal communications or in letters intended for the public. All at once the republican leaders have furiously attacked that right, and it is reported, although the evidence is not very convincing, that some voters, who have heretofore indorsed the conduct of the war by the president, so disapprove of that act that they are going to vote for men who have opposed the president and the war from the beginning.

The president has written various letters denouncing members of his own party for their opposition. The republicans never objected to that, but now that he has said, although fully acknowledging the support some members of the republican party have given the war, that he desires a party majority in congress upon which he could rely, he is denounced with the utmost bitterness. Was there ever a republican president that did not stand by his party and express his desire for a party majority in congress? When it is soberly considered, this outcry will appear to every reasonable man as simply ridiculous.—World-Herald.

W. A. ROBERTSON, Lawyer. East of Riley Hotel. Coates Block. Second Floor.

FROM FRANCE.

From Thursday's Daily. In a letter recently from Sergeant Carl Dalton, he says, "Tell the folks in Plattsmouth who really want to help the fellows in the Front Lines, to help the Salvation Army. Basing the work they do, on the money they solicit, and what they get in their money drives, and comparing their work and the conditions under which they work with that of other organizations, the Salvation Army surpasses any I've seen yet. I'll leave it to any man in the A. E. F. who has been in the Front Line to back me in this statement, that while the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross are good, give the boys a chance at the Salvation Army hut and they'll get better service for less money and without the feeling that they are asking a great big favor.

Holly is with us and keeps track of our deepest dugouts so when we want to find anyone we hunt him. All the Plattsmouth fellows who came over with us are still here and a bunch Plattsmouth can well be proud of."

He tells of going over the top; of taking prisoners, of the souvenirs he has collected, such as belts, pipes, helmets, etc.; and of having the big shells land within 5 feet of him and mentions the 15,000 prisoners Fritz left behind him in his orderly (?) retreat.

Sgt. Dalton has been in France for over 4 months and has spent the greater part of this time in the trenches. It is thought that he is in the Toul sector.

DEPARTED LAST EVENING.

From Thursday's Daily. Fred Dawson left last evening for Maryland and after a furlough of some fifteen days. He will go by the way of Washington, D. C. Fred is engaged in the work of testing the powder. Soon after he entered the service the government recognized his ability as a chemist and as it always tries to do, put him in the place where he could do the most good. While here he made a short address to the High School, before it closed, on the explosives which he has been testing. Where he is stationed they are engaged in the manufacture of pyrocolodene which is a very high powdered explosive. He says that it is one of the strongest in the world but requires for that very reason the most careful watching.

RETURNS FROM THE EAST.

From Friday's Daily. Last evening Attorney D. O. Dwyer returned from the east where he has been for the last week at Detroit, Michigan, called by the death of his mother, which occurred about a week since. Mr. Dwyer's mother was well advanced in years, and had been in ill health for some time. Mr. Dwyer has been to visit with the aged mother some two or three weeks before she was called away, and had a very nice visit with the mother, other than she was in such poor health. The matter of having had an opportunity to visit with the mother is a bright spot with Mr. Dwyer, and he was pleased that he could have had the good visit with her. The remains of the dear one was laid to rest there last Monday, and Mr. Dwyer staying to look after some business of the family there.

About Croup.

If your children are subject to croup, or if you have reason to fear their being attacked by that disease, you should procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and study the directions for use, so that in case of an attack you will know exactly what course to pursue. This is a favorite and very successful remedy for croup, and it is important that you observe the directions carefully.

If you want to help win the war buy a Liberty Bond and do it today

STUFFED UP WITH "A BAD COLD?"

Get busy with a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery at once

Coughs, colds and bronchial attacks—they are all likely to result in dangerous ailments unless checked in time. And how effectively and quickly Dr. King's New Discovery helps to do the checking work! Inflamed, irritated membranes are soothed, the mucous phlegm loosened freely, and quiet, restful sleep follows. All druggists have it. Sold since 1899

Constipation Emission. No more laxy bowels, yellow complexion, sick headache, indigestion, embarrassing breath, when you use as a corrective Dr. King's New Life Pills. They systematize the system and keep the world looking cheerful.

POLARINE POLARINE PUTS "PEP" IN THE GETAWAY. EVEN in zero weather, Polarine will keep your car in the pink of condition. Full power and speed await the throttle, if Polarine is limbering up your motor. Polarine maintains full lubrication in winter—it doesn't congeal in the crank case nor clog up cylinders. A clean-burning, non-carbonizing lubricant, produced at zero temperature for perfect cold weather lubrication. Yet it withstands intense engine heat without running thin or breaking up. The sign tells where. Red Crown Gasoline insures greatest winter mileage and power. Try it. STANDARD OIL COMPANY (NEBRASKA) OMAHA

SPANISH INFLUENZA STRIKES SUDDENLY

PNEUMONIA OFTEN RESULTS—VICTIMS SEIZED WITHOUT WARNING MAKING PRECAUTION DOUBLY NECESSARY.

Much of the difficulty experienced by health authorities in checking the spread of the Spanish Influenza lies in the fact that it strikes its victim without warning. Although State and Federal authorities are taking every possible precaution in their effort to stop the spread of the epidemic, the disease in many sections of the country has gotten entirely beyond control and is claiming its victims by the thousands.

It is universally agreed by all well informed persons that the surest preventative is to get the system in the best possible physical condition in order to be able to throw off the infection. As has been previously stated it is possible to perfect the powers of resistance of the human system so that it can throw off any infection, not excepting Spanish Influenza, which is one of the most contagious diseases known.

Medical authorities agree that people who are weak and run-down are the earliest victims of the Influenza epidemic. If you find yourself weak or losing flesh, or if you are in a generally run-down condition, you are really in great danger if you should come in contact with the Influenza germ.

As a powerful reconstructive tonic and system builder, Tanlac is without equal. This is a statement of facts and is fully supported by recognized authorities. According to all accepted reference works, including the United States Dispensatory, Encyclopedia Britannica and leading text books used in the school of medicine, the principle ingredients of Tanlac possess the most valuable tonic properties known to science. This statement is further proven by the fact that millions of persons who have actually taken Tanlac have testified to its extraordinary merit as a medicine.

Tanlac restores health and strength to the weak and run-down system by enabling every organ of the body to perform its proper function in nature's own way. It creates a healthy appetite for good nourishing food, and is an ideal strengthening tonic for persons who are in a run-down condition and who are suffering from the after-effects of Influenza, Grippe or Bronchial troubles.

Tanlac is sold in Plattsmouth by F. G. Fricke & Co., in Alvo by Alvo Drug Co., in Avoca by O. E. Copes,

in South Bend by E. Sturzenegger, in Greenwood by E. F. Smith, in Weeping Water by Meier Drug Co., in Elmwood by L. A. Tyson, in Murdoch by H. V. McDonald and in Eagle, by F. W. Bloomenkamp."

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants, their Heirs, Legatees, Devisees, Personal Representatives and all Persons Interested in their Estate, or their Successors: To the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of George E. Harding, deceased, William H. Price, Wm. M. Price, Albert Kelley, executors of the last will and testament of George E. Harding, deceased, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of each of them respectively or their successors.

You and each of you are hereby notified that William F. Schlieffert, as plaintiff, on the 21st day of September, 1918, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, wherein you and each of you are defendants, the object and prayer of which petition is that each of you, and all persons claiming by, through or under you, and that the title to said land be forever quieted in the said William F. Schlieffert, as against you and each of you, and that each and all of said defendants, named, and those whose names are unknown and not stated, be forever barred from claiming or asserting any right, interest or estate in and to said real estate, or any part thereof, and for such other relief as the court may seem just and equitable.

You and each of you are further notified you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 2nd day of December, 1918. WILLIAM F. SCHLIEFFERT, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLS, Attorney. 10-14-18.

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT, HIS HEIRS, LEGATEES, DEVISEES, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN HIS ESTATE, OR HIS SUCCESSORS: To E. Heimberger, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in his estate.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 18th day of October, 1918, there was a petition filed in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, by Joseph W. Wurga, as plaintiff, and E. V. Heimberger, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of said Joseph W. Wurga, as defendants, the object and prayer of which petition is to quiet the title in the plaintiff Joseph W. Wurga, to Lots five (5) six (6) seven (7) and eight (8) in Block thirty seven (37) in Young & Hay's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, because said plaintiff has had the actual, open, notorious, exclusive, adverse possession thereof, and every parcel and portion thereof for more than ten years last past prior to the commencement of said action and for equitable relief.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 16th day of December 1918. JOSEPH WURGA, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLS, Attorney. 28-4wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To all Persons Interested in the Estate of Atlanta J. Cable, Insane, now Deceased: You are hereby notified that David J. Pitman, guardian of Atlanta J. Cable during her lifetime, has filed his final report, and petition, asking for the approval of his said report and his discharge as guardian. You are notified that a hearing will be had on said petition and final report on the 12th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., at the office of the County Judge, in the court house, Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska. All objections thereto must be on file before said date. By the Court, ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. 10-21-3w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss. In the Matter of the Estate of William K. Fox, Deceased: To the Creditors of Said Estate: You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in the City of Plattsmouth, in said County, on the 19th day of November, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., and on the 20th day of February, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to receive and examine all claims against said estate with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 19th day of November, A. D. 1918, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of November, 1918. Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, this 18th day of October, 1918. ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. By Florence White, Clerk. 10-23-18

LEGAL NOTICE.

TO RICHARD CONWAY OLDDHAM AND WIFE ELMA OLDDHAM, LAETINA CONNOLLY, JOHN J. OLDDHAM AND WIFE ROSE OLDDHAM, JESSIE D. SNYDER AND HUSBAND HENRY SNYDER, AND MARY L. CRAIG, DEFENDANTS: You will take notice that on the 24th day of October, 1918, Fay Oldham, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, against you and Cruz J. Baker, Pauline Oldham, Ellison L. Oldham and wife Maud Oldham; James W. Oldham and wife Edie Oldham; Vera H. Oldham, Polly Young and husband Homer Young, the object and prayer of which is to partition between plaintiff herself and the above named defendants, the following described real estate to wit:

The West half of the Northwest Quarter of Section thirty (30) in the West half of the Southwest Quarter of Section thirty (30) and Lot two (2) in the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section nineteen (19) all in Township eleven (11) Range fourteen (14) Cass County, Nebraska. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 16th day of December, 1918. FAY OLDDHAM, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLS, Attorney. 28-4wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. In the County Court. In the Matter of the Estate of John Meier, Deceased: On reading and filing the petition of Mary Meier praying that Administration of said Estate may be granted to John M. Meisinger as Administrator. Ordered, That on November 19th, A. D. 1918, at Ten o'clock A. M. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing. Dated this 21st day of October, A. D. 1918. ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) You know you will find a complete line of flags at the Journal office. We have just received a new supply.