

WOULD NOT TRUST LEAGUE DOUBTERS

Ex-President Taft Says He is Glad Wilson Went to Europe

San Francisco, Feb. 20.—"The gentlemen in the Senate who are setting out to defeat this league of nations are those I would not trust overnight," said President William H. Taft said yesterday at a luncheon given in his honor.

"They are citing the constitution as an argument against it," continued Mr. Taft. "I revere and worship that great instrument, and it is a new story to me if the constitution prevents the people from playing their part in bringing peace and order and happiness to ourselves and the other peoples of the world."

"This is not a political question, God forbid. I am glad President Wilson went to Europe, because he went bearing a promise of a league of nations."

The application at this time of the doctrine of avoiding entangling alliances is reactionary to the extent of delaying world peace one hundred years. The question at this time is whether the whole great plan of the league of nations is to be defeated because we can't get two-thirds majority of our Senate for its ratification.

FEARS CRITICIZES LEAGUE Washington, Feb. 20.—Criticism of the constitution of the league of nations was opened in the House late yesterday with an address by Representative Pease, of Ohio, Republican, who declared the league plan was "monstrous" and filled with "vicious possibilities."

"Just as soon as the American people shall grasp the vicious possibilities herein included," said Mr. Pease, "there will be such a revolution of sentiment aroused that any man who will subscribe to this petulant surrender of this republic's power to a vote of foreign nations will be, as he should be, repudiated as an enemy to the spirit and genius of American institutions."

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HEALTH OF SERBS GOOD, IS REPORT

Few Cases of Typhus or Even Influenza—Red Cross Active

Nish, Serbia, Feb. 20.—The health of the population of Serbia is surprisingly good. There have been few cases of the dreaded typhus or even of influenza. In both the military and civil hospitals the work of Serbian doctors, whose number since the war began has been reduced by more than half is being supplemented by British, French and American physicians.

The American Red Cross has hospitals at Uskub and Monastir and will establish others in Northern Serbia if required. There are Red Cross doctors and dentists at Nish, Belgrade and other points. In the Monastir district there is a special Red Cross mission for the purpose of training Serbian peasants in American farming methods and encouraging them to use modern agricultural machinery.

The weather is extremely cold and fuel is very scarce. The Austrians and Bulgarians deliberately wrecked entire buildings in order to make firewood for the flooring and window frames. There is scarcely any petrol in the country and ordinary kerosene is selling at \$5 a quart. The country's coal mines cannot be worked because most of the miners are still in the army.

Railroads and highways are in a lamentable condition and present many obstacles to the task of getting relief supplies to the interior.

To Educate Disabled Soldiers and Pay Them While Being Trained

Washington, Feb. 20.—A call is being sent out by the Federal Board of Vocational Education at Washington, to patriotic individuals all over the country asking assistance in getting the Board in touch with returned soldiers who have been disabled, but who are making an attempt to work at some occupation, and are not succeeding well.

The Federal Board offers to these men the choice of over 400 trades, occupations and callings from which to select one, and in which the Board will make the student proficient. He will be allowed \$65 a month support while in training. If he is married and has children there will be allowed \$30 a month for his wife and \$10 a month for each additional child up to three. All expenses incident to the course of training are paid by the Federal Board. When he has finished and is pronounced competent, there will have been found for him a position in the line for which he has been re-educated, and preferably in or near his former home.

France Is Building Fleet of Cement Ships; Launches First One

Paris, Feb. 20.—The Comafran I, which has just been launched on the Seine, is the first of what is expected to be a large fleet of cement ships to be in France this spring, mainly to carry coal from England. The ships are of a standard type of about 1,000 tons displacement and the French are proud of the fact that all the material used in the construction of this first unit of their new cement fleet was produced in France. The Comafran I is French built throughout down to the smallest detail. The steel used in the construction framework was scrap metal from the battlefields.

The vessel was launched stem first, said to be the first time this has been accomplished with a cement ship of this tonnage. Many French shipbuilding experts had expressed fears of mishaps, but nothing untoward occurred.

Physical Education Being Required as Result of World War

Washington, Feb. 20.—A quickened appreciation in all nations of the value of physical education has resulted from the war, according to Dr. P. P. Claxton, Commissioner of the Bureau of Education, and has been evidenced in this country by the enactment of laws in eight states requiring physical training in the public schools.

Illinois was the first of the American states to require physical training by statute, passing the law in June, 1915. Since that time New York, New Jersey, Nevada, Rhode Island, California, Maryland and Delaware have enacted similar laws and six other states, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Nebraska, Ohio and Colorado, have given legislative attention to the subject but have not acted.

Agree on Jamison For Congress in the Twenty-second District

Pittsburgh, Feb. 20.—James M. Jamison, of Greensburg, Pa., former state senator and coal operator, is the Republican candidate for Congress in the Twenty-second district. According to reports Tuesday night, the Butler and Westmoreland county conferees, who met here to name the candidate, adjourned after failing to break a deadlock, Butler claiming that a district rule gave it the nomination, while Westmoreland refused to adhere, saying a state committee rule should prevail.

It developed yesterday that, after the newspaper men left the conference hall, the representatives got together, smoothed out the differences, and nominated Mr. Jamison.

Small Packers Form Export Corporation to Hold Their Trade

England Has Own Servant Problem as Direct Result of War

London, Feb. 20.—Time was when Americans, harassed by the servant problem, came to England

to live. Here they could keep house in peace and sing the virtues of English domestics, making comparisons based on experience in the United States with servants of every race and color. They declared that from housekeeper and cook-general to nurse and between-maid the English serving women had no peers—they worked harder, better,

longer hours, and with more willingness and for less pay than servants in any other part of the world. Now many of these Americans are returning home. They have not modified their notions about English servants, but they simply cannot hire them any more. England,

as a result of the war, is having her own servant problem. The trouble began when the servant girls flocked into war work. Householders were greatly inconvenienced and large numbers closed up their dwellings and moved into hotels. Use McNeil's Pain Exterminator—Ad

Pittsburgh Man Home; Shot Down Two Planes

New York, Feb. 20.—Three aviators among the passengers returning yesterday on the transport Ortega were Lieutenants Clay Stark-

ey, Roanoke, Va.; Frank Dixon, of Pittsburgh, and H. Whitcomb Nicolson, East Orange, N. J. Dixon shot down two planes while a member of the 17th British aero squadron. Nicolson was connected with the first pursuit troop of the 27th aero squadron and had downed one plane.

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A few odds of soiled underwear; such as Boudoir caps, chemise, dressing sacques, drawers and white aprons. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 39c

Aprons Made of a flowered and white lawn with a pretty lace edge trimming. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 19c

Pajamas Made of crepe with a blue stitching. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 98c

Flannelette Gowns and Pajamas Flannelette Pajamas in blue and white striped with braid and frog trimming. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$1.75, \$2.15, \$2.35

Nightgowns in white, pink and white, blue and white striped. High necks and long sleeves; also a pretty pink and blue trimming. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$1.35, \$1.55, \$1.75

Ladies' Union Suits The last day of our B. B. B. Sale brings out a wonderful value in union suits. A nice snug fitting garment. Short sleeves, with a soft and light fleecy lining. B. B. B. Friday Bargain, \$1.19

Stockings The last of the B. B. B. in our hosiery department brings out a ladies' black cotton stocking of good weight with garter top and double toe and heel. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 23c

Suspenders A big assortment of men's suspenders. Lisle elastic webbing. Neat fancy patterns and plain colors with leather ends. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 19c

Nest of Mixing Bowls Nest of 6 yellow mixing bowls. Each of a different size, but each size useful in kitchen. B. B. B. and Friday Bargain, 98c

Knife Sharpener One of the best knife sharpeners made. Blade sharpens by drawing through 2 hardened steel wheels. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 25c

Gas Heater Gas heater that can be placed on gas jet, giving light and heat at the same time. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 69c

China Cups and Saucers Genuine thin transparent China cups and saucers. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 23c

Tomorrow Is The Final Day of B B B Sale Combined with the Weekly Thrift Event Friday Bargains And then here is the February Sale Fifth Floor For Fine Furniture Clearance of Cold Weather Wearables See Page 3

Silks All silk specials that prevail through the B. B. B. Sale will be designated by special yellow signs. They are many in number. Remnants of silks and voiles. Plain and printed. 2 to 8 yards; enough for waist or dress. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., 75c

Tray Black Japanned; 13 1/2 x 17 1/2 inches. Suitable for Cafeterias, boarding houses and homes. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, each, 50c

Washing Machine The well known Richmond high speed. B. B. B. and Friday Bargain, \$15.00

Dish Mop Made of heavy cotton with long handle. B. B. B. and Friday Bargain, 8c

Middies and Smocks In plain white Galatea, assorted colored cuffs and collars; including plaid ginghams and chambray. Slip on and regular coat middies. Sizes from 16 to 22. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$1.79

Waists Line of voile waists. Some in colors and stripes with organdie collars and cuffs. Also dainty tucks and lace trimmed. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$1.00

Coats Final clearance of a lot of 27 coats. Wool velour, Kersey and burella cloth. Some are full lined. B. B. B. Friday Bargain, \$9.95

Cooking Pot Enameled—8 qt. capacity with side handles. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 75c

Tin Dish Pan 14-qt. capacity. Round in shape. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, each, 50c

Shoes Women's gray kid laced boots; French heels. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$7.00

Shoes Women's tan calf laced boots with French heels. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$8.50

Shoes Women's patent and black calf button shoes. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$2.49

Shoes Women's black patent button shoes with cloth tops. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, \$1.49

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White Goods Hemmed crochet bedspreads, size 68x80. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, each, \$1.00

White Goods Colored Reversible bedspreads in pink and blue effects; full size. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, each, \$2.50

White Goods Mercerized Damask napkins. Hemmed and ready for use. Size 18x18. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, per doz., \$1.00

White Goods Lullaby diaper cloth, 20 inches wide; 10 yds. to a piece. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, per piece, \$1.25

White Goods Heavy bleached cotton Crash, 18 inches wide. An excellent toweling for hard wear. B. B. B. and Friday Bargain, per yd., 15c

White Goods Fancy white voiles in short lengths. Fine quality. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., 19c

White Goods Turkish towels. Bleached and hemmed. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, each, 17c, 21c and 25c

White Goods All linen Table Damask. Silver Bleach, 70 inches wide. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., \$1.59

White Goods Smocks for girls 6 to 14 yrs. white trimmed in rose, Copenhagen, green and striped. Slightly soiled. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 75c

White Goods Girls' Middy Blouses 6 to 14 yrs. White with collar and trimmings of assorted colors. Slightly soiled. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, 75c

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Art silk soutache braid. B. B. B. Friday Bargains bolt, 8c

Comfort kits. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, each, 10c

Odds and ends of notions. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 1c

Shoe laces. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 5c

Remnants of elastic and belting. Front stays for corsets. B. B. B. Friday Bargain, 5c

Narrow binding. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, yd., 1c

Hair nets. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 6 for 25c

Buttonhole braid. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, yd., 1c

Sanitary aprons. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 39c

Patent hook and eyes. B. B. B. Friday Bargain, pkg., 1c

Art Linens Dresses made of white lawn and stamped for embroidery, in infants' 6 months and 1 year. B. B. B. Friday Bargain, 39c

Ladies' stamped night gowns. B. B. B. Friday Bargains, 89c

Dress Goods 54-inch fine twill. All wool dress or suit serges mostly navy and black. Some colors in lengths of 2 1/2 to 6 yards remnants from our best selling numbers. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., \$1.95

32-inch mohair suiting checked and plain. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., 50c

Rubber Stair Treads Made of 1/2-inch full government standard rubber. Fancy moulded patterns—6x18 inches, 10c 7x18 inches, 15c 9x18 inches, 17c 9x18 inches, with nosings, 20c

Inlaid Linoleums Short lengths of tile mosaic patterns. Two yard wide. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, sq yd., 49c

Hall and Stair Carpet Printed Jute tapestry, carpets, 27 inches wide, in tan, blue or green patterns. B. B. B. and Friday Bargains, yd., 69c