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END OF THE WAR

The United States is the only great power still in the world war.

All the other big nations once arrayed against Germany today exchanged ratifications of the peace treaty with their one-time enemy and for them—Germans, too—the world war has ended.

But not for the United States of America! For weeks and months now the United States senate has mulled over the peace treaty. It has talked. It has debated. It has played politics. It has done everything but tackle the peace treaty in real earnest, with an honest desire to serve the best interests of the American people and their neighbors throughout the world.

Other nations. Great Britain, France, Japan, Italy, Belgium, today embark upon the path of peace. They resume diplomatic and business relations with Germany. Their peoples know where they stand, and business in those countries can go ahead without any misgivings, without any fear that their governments will kick a hole in their carefully laid plans of commercial intercourse with each other and with Germany.

Our senate handicaps American business, and when it handicaps business in this way it halts the progress of American labor, too. It slows up national advance when it blocks international trade. It tells the manufacturer, the exporter, the financier, the workman to sit down and wait while it putters over reservations mild and reservations not so mild and more particularly while the "bitter enders" wrangle to the bitter end. In the meanwhile British, French and Japanese business has an open door to the storehouse of international trade.

THE PLODDERS

Pointing to a neighbor the other day, a fellow said: "I don't see why Carter and his wife work so hard. They've been plodding along just as they do today for years." It did seem odd, for a moment.

"Why do you work so hard, Carter? You ought to let up a bit. You are not so young as you once were. Why do you folks do it?"

"For two reasons," Carter quickly answered. "There they are," and he pointed to a boy and a girl, probably 10 and 12 years old.

That's why fathers and mothers in ordinary circumstances strive so hard and labor so long—just children. There's something deep-seated in the nature of a father and mother. They want their children to "get along." They want them to "rise in the world." They want to see them among the leaders. They want to be able to supply the cash to put their kids up among other people's kids. They hope some day to move off "the street" and onto "the avenue." They feel that the children will have a better chance there.

That's why they work, and they scrape, and they plod, plod to their dying days, some of them—for the children's sakes. Do all the children appreciate that sacrifice?

WORDS

Forty-one years ago the French Academy began revising the French dictionary. Its members have now reached the letter F, and at that rate of speed it is estimated the revision will not be finished before the year 2020.

Coining of new words during the war will necessitate additions and corrections in the work already done.

Probably the dictionary will be obsolete when complete—if it ever is completed. Certainly it would be in the case of the English language.

It is interesting for any man to think over this word system of ours and to try to call to mind words now in common use which he never heard a few years ago, and words which he heard as a boy and which have been practically forgotten now.

The late war was probably the most prolific source of new words in this nation's history. It is an easy matter to think of a long list of such new words as camouflage, ace and the like. And it brought into common use many words which had been seldom heard, such as salient, attrition, autonomous, plebeisite and many others.

This was a great help to the language. Words originating from the war have force and push.

Still, the larger we build our navy, the fewer typewriters our state department will need.

FAIRNESS TO ALL

In presenting a resume today of the controversy over the water rates in Bismarck, The Tribune desires to impress upon its readers that only fairness should govern in an investigation of this kind.

Much extraneous matter has been introduced and the issues more or less clouded by personal feeling and local politics. With the Tribune is not concerned. It is not interested in the factional strife that has too often come to the surface, but it is vitally interested that justice be done to all parties.

The Tribune has secured these figures, not from the Bismarck Water Supply Co. nor from the citizens' committee, it has taken them from the records of the state railroad commission.

It is just as well now that the matter is about ready to be submitted to the state commission for decision to put aside bias and political feeling, to eliminate cheap invective and personalities and permit fair consideration an inning.

BASEBALL

There are certain signs on the sporting pages of the newspapers that portend a certain day in April. Somebody is holding out for a mammoth bonus. Some outfit has decided on Marlin Springs or Hot Springs for a training camp. The "Young Adenoids" are looking for a good pitcher not over fifteen who does not have to work on Saturday afternoons. We know what these things mean. They are the signs inevitable. Baseball is in the offing though winter is not yet over the hill. Professionals and amateurs are beginning to get ready to hit their strides.

The outlook for America's great game for 1920 is especially good. It cannot come too soon, that raucous cry of our much-abused friend Mr. Umps, announcing to the "ladies and gentlemen" the batteries for the afternoon's game.

But once since 1909 has the small boy's ideal, Tyros Cobb, failed in leading his league in batting. Will he lead it again this year? Will Ruth beat his home run record? Will Sisler steal 45 bases? In these things the fans are interested. But it is the game itself that they are "bugs" about. They are quite ready for Mr. Umps to command "Play ball." And that goes for big league territory and for the sandlots, where the natural ball players come from.

It's just as well that Maynard quit the air service. If he didn't tell the truth about the use of booze by flyers, the service is too good for him; and if he did, tell the truth, the service is no place for a parson.

WITH THE EDITORS

DEFENDING FREE LOVE

Yes, the Townleyized press of the state is trying to defend Ellen Key and her free love books. They claim her books do not teach free love, or anything approaching free love. Even so, how many mothers of this state want their children to be reading trash written by such women as Ellen Key? When the Townley press tries to bolster up such a notorious character as Ellen Key, and then in order to do it abuse the bishop of the Catholic church, or any other clergyman, it is getting pretty rotten. Wake up, Townley, and call your wolves off. They are really doing no harm except to make fools of themselves.—Devils Lake World.

DECAYED FRUIT

"By their fruits ye shall know them." And by this same token we may judge the power behind the state administration by the utterances of its hirlings.

So, when you learn that Senator Cahill of Grant county insists that a "man can be as good an American citizen following the red flag as any other flag," we are justified in the conviction that Cahill echoes the sentiments of those controlling state affairs.

In two sessions of the legislature efforts have been made to enact a law prohibiting the display of the red flag, but the power of Townley has killed the measures, although many of those voting under orders would, if left to their own good sense, have made a majority for the passage of such a law.

Where does Senator George Hunt stand on this issue?—Beach Advance.

HIGHER-UPS CRACK WHIP

The Traill County News—the Townley mouth-piece of this county—is again back in line at the crack of Big Chief Townley's lash, after indulging in several weeks of spasmodic independence, in which Totten, Stangeland and Macdonald were placarded in their true light.

The News got real naughty during its short spell of free thinking and independence, but, as predicted by many, it was of short life. The higher-ups immediately set their machinery in motion and as a consequence, Editor Tovaas got his walking papers, a new man sent to take his place, and the usual bunk favorable to "free love," socialism and red radicalism appeared in last week's issue under the new editorship.

We understand everything is not lovely with the directorate of the paper and that one member of the board tendered his resignation, evidently becoming convinced that there was little honor or self respect in being a director of an institution in which he has nothing to say further than to see that Townley's orders were obeyed.—Hillsboro Banner.

"PLEASE MOVE"



NOVEMBER THE ELEVENTH

By Napoleon Hill

As the setting sun begins to cast its shadows over the western horizon let us turn our thoughts to those heroes who are sleeping silently in the somber hills of France.

Did they die in vain? Or, do they still live in the hearts of civilized humanity, pointing the way to that small still voice which guides us in our intercourse with one another?

Have we needlessly crucified those brave American boys on the German cross of selfish ambition, or will their sacrifice serve to teach us that RIGHT makes MIGHT, and that the eternal law of compensation is always and everywhere in operation, bringing back to us exactly that which we create in our thoughts and deeds!

Let us set aside this day as a day of sober reflection; let us turn philosopher and analyst on this one day each year, earnestly examining the fruits of our own experience to see if it does not offer ample proof that "Whatever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

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NOTICE: This is number one of a series of fifteen editorials by Napoleon Hill. Clip each of them out, paste them in a book, and after you read the last one please let us know if you wish the series to continue throughout the year. If you do we will continue to publish them.—EDITOR.

NORTH DAKOTA'S LAW WORSE THAN THE BOLSHEVIKI

Chicago, Jan. 15.—America has been asleep to the extraordinary crimes made by the socialist party in North Dakota in the last eight years, according to Dr. E. Lee Howard, president of Fargo college, Fargo, N. D., who addressed a meeting of Congregational ministers late yesterday.

"Eight years ago the Nonpartisan league was formed and since has captured every political organization in the state," he continued. "In reality they are a group of socialists whose principles, if known, would make your hair stand on the end.

"At the last meeting of the legislature, a law was passed making it possible for the governor to appoint a committee that could go through the records of any organization or society in the state to look for evidence on which to prosecute them for opposing the league. Nothing like this law was

ever passed in the palmiest days of the Russian revolution."

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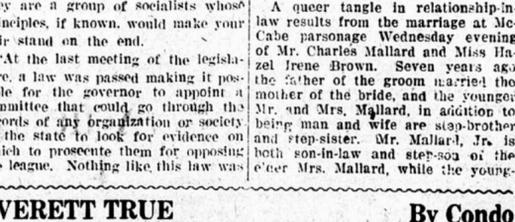
STEP-BROTHER AND STEP-SISTER MARRY

A queer tangle in relationship-in-law results from the marriage at McCabe parsonage Wednesday evening of Mr. Charles Mallard and Miss Hazel Irene Brown. Seven years ago the father of the groom married the mother of the bride, and the younger Mr. and Mrs. Mallard, in addition to being man and wife are step-brother and step-sister. Mr. Mallard, Jr. is both son-in-law and step-son of the elder Mrs. Mallard, while the young-

ever passed in the palmiest days of the Russian revolution."

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or Mrs. Mallard is step daughter and daughter-in-law to the elder Mallard.

The younger Mrs. Mallard becomes her own mother's step-daughter-in-law and the younger Mr. Mallard attains the same relationship-in-law to his father.

Mr. Roy Hartley and Miss Helen Little attended the bride and groom, who will make their home on the Mallard farm near Stewartdale.

WEATHER FORECAST

For twenty-four hours ending at noon Jan. 15.

Temperature at 7 A. M. 8 Temperature at noon 15 Highest yesterday 28 Lowest yesterday 11 Lowest last night 2 Precipitation Trace Highest wind velocity 18-NW

Forecast

For North Dakota: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday; probably snow; colder Friday west portion.

Lowest Temperatures

Fargo 4 Williston 6 St. Paul 4 Winnipeg 10 Helena 42 Chicago 16 Swift Current 12 Kansas City 32

ORRIS W. ROBERTS, Meteorologist.

GIRLS! DRAW A MOIST CLOTH THROUGH HAIR

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