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**THE LIGHT IS DAWNING**

The United States has resumed its rightful place in the councils of the allies.

Word has been given to delay the Knox "peace" resolution in congress.

Gradually the light breaks. More and more the truth is being borne in upon the administration that the only possible course for the United States today, as yesterday, is to participate in the peace settlement to which all other nations have agreed. Today there seems to be no alternative. The compelling force of almost irresistible circumstances is driving, and in face of it partisanship and personalities must be forgotten.

How much the administration intends to resist the tide of event, how far to travel with it, only the future can disclose; for, in the face of the kaleidoscopic changes in Europe no man can forecast the details of policy from day to day to the next. But this much is clear: that we are being forced constantly to work more closely with the allies with whom we fought and with whom we wrote the peace.

Months ago advocates of ratification gave solemn warning that if America should elect to delay co-operation in world settlement, such chaos would result that we would be compelled to step in for the salvation of ourselves and of all others.

Today, with further penetration of Germany to force acquiescence just averted, we have the spectacle of revolt in Poland where Germans seek to fight with the allies against insurgents, of Russia menacing on the east. Today, as yesterday, our interests are the interests of our allies, and theirs are ours.

That fact events are making clear, even to those who would not see.

It is quiet enough in Russia to expect something awful.

Tallahassee, Fla., has barred jazz. What could be any more jazzy than Tallahassee?

The soviet might not have so much difficulty in being recognized were it not already recognized for what it is.

The packers who are telling

the public how cheaply they are selling meat seem to have forgotten to tell the restaurants.

Practical knowledge is increasing. A lot of people know more about brewing and distilling than they did two years ago.

"Americans lack imagination," says an English critic, who apparently never saw the cover of an American seed catalogue.

Fortunately, only a limited number of persons accumulate enough money to get their divorce scandals featured in the newspapers.

Germany is in a position just now where she could appreciate the \$40,000,000,000 indemnity she planned to collect from the United States.

Eddison's complaint about the ignorance of college men has its exceptions, as was demonstrated by the Harvard man who knew how to set up a still.

"Fill a hole a day" is the slogan of a Tennessee automobile club. A lot of automobile drivers are doing their share towards filling holes in cemeteries.

When an Iowa man attempted to hang himself, his son cut the rope and the father fell about 50 feet. What this father had to say to his son probably was rather ambiguous.

Ambassador Harvey alluded to the bonds binding England and America in a speech on his arrival abroad. At the rate some bonds are being paid they will be uniting us for a long time.

A member of congress proposes a substitute tax measure that would levy one per cent "on the worth of individuals." For the first time in many moons a man would be willing to have his wife's appraisal of him accepted.

**How is Your Complexion.**

A woman should grow more beautiful as she grows older and she will with due regard to baths, diet and exercise, and by keeping her liver and bowels in good working order. If you are haggard and yellow, your eyes losing their lustre and whites becoming yellowish, your flesh flabby, it may be due to indigestion or to a sluggish liver. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. R. Hood and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shinn returned Friday from a few days' visit in Kansas City.

**GREECE TO HONOR WEBSTER**

Statue of Famous American Will Be Unveiled in Athens Some Time Next Year.

In the preparations for the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the independence of Greece, plans are included for the unveiling of a statue of Daniel Webster in Athens, the capital of Greece. The anniversary will be celebrated next year.

It was on January 1, 1822, that Greece declared its independence of Turkey. Greek independence was recognized by the allied powers on February 3, 1830, and was further recognized by the Turkish government on April 25, of the same year. There is a reason for the proposed erection of a statue in honor of Webster, American statesman and orator, in the ancient capital of the Greeks. According to an officer of the Pan-Epirotic union, it was a speech delivered by Daniel Webster in the house of representatives on January 19, 1824, that brought the recognition of Greece as a free nation by the United States after the Greeks had thrown off the Turkish yoke of 400 years in 1822. Therefore, the strange sight may be seen of the statue of the sturdy New Englander in the midst of those classic and hallowed surroundings.

**BLAME THE CHOOSER**



Father—I was surprised to hear you talk so impertinently to your mother. I'm sure you never heard me talk that way to her.

Kid—Well, you choosed her, I didn't.

**MINERAL IN PHILIPPINES.**

Iron and steel form one-fifth of the imports into the Philippine islands, despite the fact that some 500,000,000 metric tons of iron ore lie beneath the surface there. A few crude plowshares are the only product of the native ore. Nearly all of this ore could be profitably mined, though the initial expense of installing plants and establishing transportation would be large. The difficulties are greater in Mindanao, where the largest fields are located. Smaller fields in Luzon are being worked.

Coal fields on the islands are estimated to contain 62,000,000 metric tons. One copper deposit of 500,000 tons, assaying 2.5 per cent, is being worked. Platinum, tin, mercury and antimony are said to exist but thus far are of no commercial importance.

**SHE KNEW THE TRUTH.**

"Both of dese here gents," said the witness, Mandy Thomas, rather impressed with the importance of being in court, "was standing at the corner conversin' with each other pretty hot an' pointed like."

"Relate the conversation," said the prosecutor.

"Ah don't jest remember, sah," said Mandy, thoughtfully, "cept dat dey was callin' each other what dey is."—Pittsburgh Post.

**CLARENCE'S GUESS.**

"Do you know, Clarence, who it was who slept up in the Catakil mountains for 20 years?" asked the teacher in the private school.

"Rip Van Winkle, was it not, teacher?" replied the little rich boy.

"Yes. Do you know why he stayed up there all that time, Clarence?"

"I suppose his gasoline gave out, ma'am."

**UNFAMILIAR QUANTITIES.**

"What do you think of the idea of turning swords into plowshares?"

"It's great," replied Senator Sorghum. "The only trouble is that most of us politicians don't know any more about the one than we do about the other."

**COW TESTING IN NINE COUNTIES**

Lafayette and Saline Are Latest Counties Organized.

The organization of the Lafayette-Saline Cow Testing Association has just been completed by E. M. Harmon, and M. J. Regan, dairy extension specialists for the College of Agriculture. The association consists of 23 dairymen in Lafayette and Saline Counties. The officers are John F. Bruns, J. W. Klingenberg and E. H. Walkenhorst; all from Concordia. The success of the association is very largely due to the work of these three men. They have employed Berthold Schaefer, a former short course student in the College of Agriculture to take charge of the association and he will begin work June 1.

This makes nine counties in the state which have cow testing associations in operation. They are Pettis, Webster, Marion, Greene, Ralls, St. Louis, St. Charles, Lafayette and Saline. Webster leads with two complete associations while Greene will start a second association about June 1. Lawrence, Newton, Andrew, Lincoln and Pike counties also expect to have associations in operation before the summer is over. These cow testing associations are probably doing more than any other one single factor to increase the production and profit of the Missouri herds.

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The subjects in which changes will be considered and the probable number of books of each kind are as follows:

Name of Subject	Probable No. of Books Required
Readers (1st to 8th grades inclusive)	6,000
Readers (Supplementary, 1st to 8th grades inclusive)	6,000
Arithmetics	4,000
Physiology and Hygiene	4,000
Speller	6,000
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Agriculture (Supplementary)	4,000
Civil Government and History of Missouri	4,000
Writing	6,000

Said bids shall be filed with the President of the County Text-Book Commission, at his office in Lexington, County of Lafayette, State of Missouri, on or before Monday, the 6th day of June, 1921. Said County Text-Book Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. (No public hearing will be given Representatives of Publishers of School Text-Books on Monday June 6th, 1921.)

Done by order of the County Text-Book Commission of Lafayette County, Missouri, this the 17th day of May, 1921.

ELMER H. WHITE, President.  
ALICE C. WULFEKAMER, Secretary.  
D. W. BRANAM, Member.

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