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BREEZY WASHINGTON LETTER

(By Gen. I. R. Sherwood.) Washington, D. C., April 11.—Notwithstanding the copy righted effort of ex-President Taft, and the publicly expressed opinion of other "best minds" of the party in power, that taxation be first considered, it is now announced officially, that the first business of the new congress will be a protective tariff law. But the "best laid plans of mice and men gang aft aglee," and the railroad question is now so critical that it may force the right of way. The railroad workers are represented here, but not in such force as the railroad chiefs. I have done considerable leg work, and some long distance listening, in order to get the gist of the controversy. Last week a hot telegram came to the White House, from the workers of Chicago, appealing to the president to be heard. Some of the railroad workers now in Washington, claim that, while the railroad chiefs have had the constant ear of the president, only two of the representatives of the workers have been given an audience. The Chicago telegram asked the president to give the sixteen unions a hearing, and they state if this request is granted, they will start for Washington on the first fast train. They accept as the standard figures of the department of labor, and they welcome investigation to show that the lower grades of labor, which they believe are aimed at by the railroad managers at present, are able to live. The railroad workers, now here, deny that it is necessary to cut wages in order to allow the roads to prosper. As I was told by a representative worker at Congress Hall Hotel, the figures claiming a loss of \$1,167,890 of 202 railroads for January, 1921, are misleading and incorrect. While it is conceded that the railroads have lost business, because of increased rates, the railroad chiefs have discharged workers, just in proportion to their loss of business; some 20,000 men having been discharged by the Pennsylvania system alone. Hence while the railroad chiefs have given a very fair estimate of the losses, they have figured the expense of operation of the roads without deducting the reduced cost caused by the discharge of so many thousands of workers. It is openly charged by workers that the whole scheme of the chiefs is to cut wages below a decent living standard. This controversy interests the general public more than any pending question. Prof. Frederick A. Cleveland is known as an expert student of economics. He is non-partisan and fair. He says that sixty per cent of all the wealth is in the hands of two per cent of the people. Only thirty-five per cent of the people have a reasonable share in the wealth. Sixty-five million people in the world are within a few days of the bread line. This is a startlingly deplorable and outrageous, in a Republic like ours supposed to be pledged to the idea of equality of opportunity for all our citizens.

Do not forget that the question of coal is involved in this railroad controversy. Coal is the heat and light and power. Coal today at the mines costs two and a half times as much as it did before the war. Who is responsible for this? The mine owners. They have only given the miners work for 20 hours a week. The railroads consume from 25 to 28 per cent of the soft coal output. The coal question is indisputably linked with the railroad crisis. It is stated by good authority that the transportation of coal on all the roads east of Chicago and north of the Ohio river constitutes 40 per cent of the entire freight and that it is the most profitable part of the railroad traffic. Hence it is inevitable that the coal question must be adjusted and settled along with the railroad problem. Even the best minds, no experts in either coal or railroads must see this situation. The 125 job sailing senators and congressmen, who went to the Panama to breathe the untainted air of two oceans and look through the canal, have returned to Washington in vigorous health and good cheer. On the return trip, the best of the British owned island of Jamaica, in the big Caribbean Sea, where these dry representatives laid in a supply of bracing tonics, far from the suspicious scrutiny of any inquisitive prohibition agents. And when the boat carrying this imposing array landed at Newport News, Va., in the presence of the monitor which the Confederate cruiser Merrimack during the great civil war, the prohibition agents on the docks passed the baggage as duly privileged. President Harding has appointed Mrs. Mary T. R. Morioli, grand-daughter of the author of the Star Spangled Banner (Francis Scott Key), a clerk in the department of labor. This is a meritorious appointment. Now if he will appoint Maud Howe Elliott, the daughter of Julia Ward Howe, to a bureau office in the pension department, he will have done another patriotic deed. The Star Spangled Banner and the Battle Hymn of the Republic, both will live in the lyrics of patriotism as long as this Republic shall live.

National Prohibition Commissioner Kramer is initiating the example of ex-President Taft and has taken to essay writing. He prints an elaborate essay in the April number of the American Legion Magazine in explanation of his failure to enforce prohibition. I quote a significant paragraph: "It is my firm belief that the American people in adopting the principle of prohibition took upon themselves the greatest and hardest piece of work ever undertaken by any nation since history began. There never was a governmental principle adopted which was so radical as was prohibition of the liquor traffic for beverage purposes or which touched so many people."

In another paragraph he apologizes for violation of the prohibition law on the theory that all reforms move slowly. He refers to Moses and the Ten Commandments, and intimates that it will be many years yet before

Washingtonville

Miss Carrie Woods spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balandine in Leetonia. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Weikart and Mrs. O. B. Bossert called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fenstemaker in Palestine, Sunday. Mrs. Viola Kennedy spent Sunday in Salem with relatives. Mrs. Viola Baker is having a new porch built to her home. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Belling of Leetonia were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Faust. Mrs. Ella Martin of Leetonia spent Tuesday here with her sisters, Misses Anna and Beryl Brady. Mrs. George Sheppard of Millville spent Tuesday with Mrs. Louise Vignon. Paul Vignon, who visited in Youngstown the past week, returned home. Ralph Unger of Youngstown is spending a week here in the home of Mrs. Louise Vignon. Word was received here of the birth of a daughter last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Storck of Wellsville. Before her marriage Mrs. Storck was Miss Julia Simpson, formerly of this place. The baby has been named Natalie. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Archibald, Mrs. Wm. E. Holt and Mrs. J. E. Simpson were in Youngstown, Sunday, where they were guests in the home of Mrs. Emma Culler of Sebring is here among her children. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Crawford of West Point were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Waggle. Clarence Tate and Clyde Hawn spent the week-end with Mr. Hawn's father in Berlin Center. While there they spent most of the time fishing. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roller of Youngstown were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roller last Friday. C. E. Holt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holt and son Charles, Mrs. Geo. McAndrews had a pleasant Sunday visit in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Platt and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wylam at Youngstown. Wm. Smith and family and O. E. Bertoletto spent Sunday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Esterly near Columbiana. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chappell, Jr., of Salem are the proud parents of a son, born Friday. The new arrival has been named George Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roller visited on Sunday at the home of Joseph Roller and family in Canton. Mr. Henry Bisker of Youngstown was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Athan Croft, Monday. O. P. Moore was in Lisbon, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gabriel of Salem were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson. Mrs. Wm. Simpson is spending this week at the home of her son Bert and family in Mineral Ridge. Harry Hartzell motored in from home Tuesday evening with a seemingly new machine. It was necessary for Harry to explain. Clean-up day was with them last week and one of the things was to get the auto, which was a good job. Geo. W. Allen has installed a water system in his property on Main street, now occupied by Lawrence Ackerman. Miss Eliza Tate, after visiting relatives, has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. James Neudham. Joe Tourdot, son Eugene and daughter Helen were Youngstown callers, Tuesday. Mrs. J. E. Gilbert was in Salem on Monday. Howard Stouffer and wife began housekeeping in the former summer home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stouffer. Good news was brought here Monday evening announcing Contractor E. B. Morgan had secured the contract to pave the gap in the Cox highway through here. We know of Mr. Morgan and his good work in this line and feel the work will be well and speedily done. Won't it be a grand and glorious feeling when this road is completed. Wm. Weikart has been employed at the country home of his son Harry in Damascus the past week. A. L. Taylor of Greenford spent Tuesday evening among friends here. Dr. Huber of Lakewood will administer holy communion at the Lutheran church next Sunday evening. All members are requested to be present. Miss Esther Calvin of Locust Grove was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson, Friday.

BOYER April 20.—Theron Sauerwein of Canfield is spending a few days with Walter Johnston at home. Mr. Smith of California is spending a few days with Sara Kurtz and family. Penrose Schaeffer and family were in Columbiana, Thursday. The literary contest held in Boyer schoolhouse Wednesday evening was well attended and the program much enjoyed. Mrs. Sarah Kurtz and Mrs. Noah Bixler spent Sunday with H. H. Lesher and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith spent Sunday with P. H. Schaeffer and family. Miss Sara Schaeffer and Dan Forney were Sunday guests of E. E. Forney and family. Miss Ruby Blosser spent Saturday and Sunday in Youngstown. Miss Nora Boyer was a week-end guest of Frank Geiger and family in New Springfield. The Triangle Club met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Kurtz and spent the evening in playing games and presenting a program. Homer Schaeffer spent Sunday with E. J. Swope and family. Miss Elizabeth Burkholder called, Sunday, at the home of R. P. Blosser and family. John Cook of Alliance is spending a few days with his wife. H. A. Schaeffer returned Friday evening from Maxataway, Pa. Farmers are beginning to hustle in getting out spring crops.

LOCUST GROVE April 20.—Rev. H. B. Hazen and children and Lucille Court at their Sunday dinner with J. W. Calvin and family. S. L. Weston and wife were Sunday visitors at Ray Calvin's in Greenford. Miss Prudy Fressle, Lois Roller, Leibel Hovis were in Youngstown on Saturday. Oscar Calvin and wife of Youngstown spent Sunday with relatives here. Allen Culp of Columbiana called on F. W. Calvin, Monday. Mrs. Mary Roller and Mrs. Nettie Feicht called on Mrs. Will Barnes of Mill Grove, Monday afternoon. Mabel Coy had recovered sufficiently from her recent illness in the Sharon hospital to return home, Saturday. Mrs. Elvie Calvin and daughter Helen called on Mrs. Barnes of Maple Grove, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Roller were in Youngstown, Tuesday. Clark McClune of West Middlesex, Pa., called on Martin Dressel and family the other day.

GEEBURG April 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and son Cloy spent Saturday evening with H. H. McKenzie and family. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams spent Sunday with Arlie Miller and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Ennis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gault. Urias Yeager and H. H. McKenzie called in Youngstown, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Mont Jacobs spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Harrow in Canfield. Miss Inez Gretainger and Miss Tennessee Ramsay called in Canfield on Friday. Miss Dorothy Burkey spent Sunday with her parents. The Geesburg school will give a program, April 29, in the afternoon. Everyone invited. Peach crop looks like a failure.

ISLAND

April 20.—Samuel Burkholder and family, Daniel and Viva Sumner and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Detrow were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lesher. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoke and daughter Gladys of Lisbon spent Sunday with Alvin Detrow and family. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman and daughter Edith spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Showalter. Mrs. G. D. Rowe is ill with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Culp and son Edward and Allen Culp of Columbiana, Edward Calvin and daughter Lucy and Owen Dively of Greenford and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Yoder of Locust Grove called on Sunday at H. H. Calvin's. Mrs. Saloma Weaver and daughters Agnes and Ida were Sunday guests of R. D. C. Witmer and family. Elzie Feicht and family of Washingtonville called at Ben Weaver's, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Sarah Kurtz and sons Elmer and Earl entertained members of the Triangle Club and other friends at their home, Saturday evening. Miss Bertha Fecheay of Alliance, Edward Zeller of Sebring and Miss Mollie Lehman were Sunday evening supper guests of Fred Bruderly and family. Ezra Knopp and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver. Lester and Wilbur Love and Arthur Horst called on Norman Lehman, Sunday. Harvey Good had a valuable horse die, Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Alex McFee and son Donald of Cornersburg were Sunday guests of James McFee and family. Misses Lillian and Pearl Calvin and Anna Wenger, pupils at Oakdale school and their teacher, Miss Mary Burkholder, headed the county spelling contest held at Rayen high school, Youngstown, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Good were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zurger. About twenty members of the Loyal Sons and Daughters' Sunday school class of the Greenford Christian church spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Calvin and son Mark. Mr. and Mrs. John Witmer and daughter Nettie, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weaver, and Jonas Knopp and daughter Lizzie were entertained on Sunday by Rev. Harvey Horst and family. Miss Agnes Weaver is assisting her sister, Mrs. Harry Showalter, this week. Arthur Geil of Rockingham county, Va., is the guest of his cousin, Adam Wenger, and family. Mrs. Susan Lehman is spending some time with her son, D. R. Lehman, and family. Mr. Sam Blosser and two children had a narrow escape from death Friday evening about five o'clock when their Oakland auto was struck by a fast west-bound freight train in Leetonia. They were crossing the Pennsylvania railroad tracks when the engine of their auto stalled. Mr. and Mrs. Blosser, realizing they could not get across, each took a child and jumped just before the train struck the auto, completely demolishing it.

NORTH LIMA April 20.—Dublin grange of Canfield will be guests of North Lima grange Wednesday evening, May 4, and favor with a literary program. A number from this place attended the literary contest held last week in the Boyer school house. Mrs. Lucinda Hasness received the ladies of the Missionary Society of Mount Olivet Reformed church in her home Wednesday afternoon for the April meeting. A report of the sessions of the convention of E. O. Classis Society held last week in Brownlee Woods was given by Mrs. L. J. Robinson. A number of the ladies attended the convention. Mrs. Wallace Sprinkell is confined to her bed by illness. J. E. Dilworth and family spent Sunday with relatives in East Palestine. Mrs. Harriet Grove is visiting for a few weeks with her son, Arthur, and family in Chicago. Mr. W. L. Kreps and family leave this week for California to join Mr. Kreps, who has been in the west for some time. The Young People's Alliance of the Evangelical church held their monthly social and business meeting Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller at Rukensburgh Stop. Lovers of music are looking forward with pleasant anticipation to a musical treat with the appearance of the Girls' Glee Club of Thiel College at this place Friday evening. Tickets are being sold by members of the Good Hope Luther League. The program will consist of vocal choruses, trios, solos, readings and a playlet by the club. Pupils of the school have worked hard to beautify the school lawn and surroundings, and have greatly improved its appearance. Shrubby and trees have been planted and new walks made. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Crouse expect to celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on May 4. A number of relatives and near friends have been invited to spend the day with them at their home in this place. Our school was represented in each grade and the high school in the county spelling contest held Saturday in Youngstown. Mrs. Charles Feicoster is recovering from a serious illness. Mrs. J. H. Graf entertained thirty lady friends in her home Tuesday evening at a rag sewing. Luncheon was served, the hostess being assisted by members of the Lutheran Missionary Society. The epidemic of measles has about died out and school attendance is once more normal. No new cases of scarlet fever have appeared for several weeks. An ancient law exempting homes of the working class and public employes from taxation has been revived in Rio de Janeiro in an effort to relieve the housing shortage.

CALLA April 20.—Anna Coy and Ruth Steib attended the county spelling contest in Youngstown last Saturday. The Calla A. C. ball club defeated the fast Peersless A. C. team on the latter's grounds last Sunday. Score 6 to 4. The community entertainment will be held Saturday night, April 23, instead of Friday, on account of other entertainments in April 22. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Holben were in Youngstown, Monday. Harry Mercer and family were in Salem last Saturday. Mrs. L. A. Coy of North Lima is staying with G. C. McIntyre and children while Mrs. McIntyre is in Salem hospital recovering from an operation. A new blackboard was delivered to our school last Saturday. A. M. Sigle of Youngstown spent Sunday here with his family. Mrs. Chas. Cochel and children were in Youngstown last Saturday. Will Houts called on Coy brothers one evening last week. Don't forget to attend the entertainment Saturday night, April 23. An heir was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wenzel. Mrs. Louis Steib was in Youngstown last week to see her daughter, Mrs. Grace Welmer of Girard, who recently underwent a serious operation in the city hospital.

ROSEMONT April 20.—Mrs. Schriener of Youngstown visited here over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Williams. Curtis Greenawalt and family spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Middleton in Milton. Mr. and Mrs. John Negrotto and son were over Sunday visitors at J. M. Arnold's. G. W. Powers and wife were recent visitors at the home of her father in Milton. Ellis Pipher, wife and daughter Lucille of Youngstown were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Fronia Rose. Glenn Burkley of Berlin spent Sunday here at the home of Wade Ulrich. Laura Geisler of North Jackson recently spent a few days here with Betty Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cesena and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cesena and daughter Wilda of Hickory visited at Jos. Cesena's, Friday evening. Mrs. Ohl of Austintown visited here at the home of her father, Freeman Hollabaugh, last Friday. Mrs. Barringer and daughter Hudson returned to their home here Sunday after spending several days in Berlin. The annual county convention of the Christian Endeavor societies will be held in Warren and Niles on May 10 and 11, giving a day in each city.

GREENFORD

April 20.—J. B. Calvin, mail carrier, moved into his apartment in Greenford last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. William Regal and grandson, Robert Regal, of Salem, spent several days last week with Walter Callahan, returning home Saturday evening. James Rhodes of this place and Miss Clara Mone of Cleveland were married at her home last Thursday. His sister, Mrs. Nora Crist, and daughter Helen of Alliance were among the guests to attend the wedding. The bride and groom arrived at his parents' home Sunday evening. Best wishes to both. Miss Florence Lemmon of Steubenville spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Alice Lemmon. Mrs. J. B. Rhodes spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Viola Rhodes and family at Peach Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Royal Clay, son and daughter of Salem spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hively. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Weston of pumping station were Sunday guests of W. R. Calvin and family. Quite a number of Greenford school pupils attended the Youngstown spelling contest held at Youngstown last Saturday. Mrs. Lydia Salsgriver and son Lawrence of Youngstown spent Sunday here with relatives. The last number of our lecture course was given Saturday by the Lyceum Singers and enjoyed by all. Mr. Fred McEwen of Massillon is spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Huffman. Mrs. C. F. Bush of Youngstown spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rezin Charlton. A car coming from the west ran into a car coming north at the crossroads Sunday evening, turning it around and breaking the steering gear. Jonas Knopp and J. U. Walter were Canfield callers, Monday. Raymond Yeager of Salem on Monday brought his car to Bush brothers' for repairs. The boys gave Mr. and Mrs. James Rhodes an old-fashioned bell, Monday night. The Lutharian Ladies' Aid Society will hold a bake sale Saturday afternoon and evening, April 30, at Dively's store. Edith and Ruth Roller spent the week-end with friends in North Lima. Mrs. J. H. Weikart and son Warren were in Youngstown, Monday. Several more households in the village have signed up for gas in their homes for heating, cooking and lighting. Services at Greenford Christian church, Sunday, April 24. Sunday school at 10 a. m., A. G. Coburn, superintendent. The Bible class taught by M. G. Huffman and the Young People's class by the minister. Be on time and bring a new member. Church services at 11 a. m., subject of sermon: "The Place of Personality and Self in Christianity." Evening service at 7:30, subject: "The Master and the Servant." At the evening service the church will be favored by a visit of several auto loads of our people from the Christian church of Salem. They are coming over to inspire us in our missionary work and to tell us of the value of society and union work.—H. T. O. Blue, Minister.

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GOOD RATIORS FOR FEEDING YOUNG PIGS What feed should brood sows and pigs have during the spring months? Tests at the Ohio experiment station show that a number of rations are satisfactory. For sows with pigs that have access to pasture, corn, 11 parts, middlings, three parts and tankage, one part, by weight, is a standard ration. When the pigs are old enough to be fed, a ration of corn seven, middlings two, and tankage one part is used before and after weaning. Where skim-milk is available, two or three parts by weight of skim-milk to one of corn, makes an efficient ration for young pigs. Another combination is corn nine, linseed oilmeal two, and tankage one part. This is fed when the pigs are four to four weeks old and continued until the pigs weigh about 50 pounds. —Youngstown has bugs, and plenty of 'em, according to daily reports.

OHIOAN INDORSES COLUMBIAN TREATY

Senator Pomerene Pays Tribute to Harding's Attitude Toward Republic Washington, April 14.—"Our president, under the solemn obligation of his oath of office, has seen fit to rise above personal and party controversy, think only of his duty to our country and the world, and urge the ratification of the pending treaty, thereby doing tardy justice to the republic of Colombia. I congratulate him and the American people with all my heart." In those words Senator Pomerene of Ohio today paid tribute to President Warren G. Harding, a republican, for his advocacy of the treaty which would result in the payment of \$25,000,000 by the United States to Colombia as damages sustained when Panama seceded and signed over to the United States rights and maintenance of a canal across the isthmus. Copies of many naval orders, sending American war vessels to the isthmus shortly before the Panama revolution broke, were incorporated by Senator Pomerene to show that the United States government aided in preventing the landing of Colombian troops to suppress the insurrection on the isthmus immediately thereafter the United States recognized the Panamanian government. "In my judgment," said Mr. Pomerene, after reviewing the circumstances leading up to the building of the canal, "if the people of the United States had been consulted neither the people nor the congress would have approved the course which was taken by our government, and there would have been no occasion to arbitrate. "Individuals ordinarily do not secure their contracts at the point of a gun, and nations cannot with honor to themselves tie the hands of a sovereign nation while she is despoiled of her possessions. These share in those spoils with the new possessor, and go into court with clean hands. "Now, senators, let us examine the question from the viewpoint of Colombia herself. We cannot doubt but that her people believe they were radically wronged. "Whether rightly or wrongly, she has lost 31,600 square miles of this valuable territory and 300,000 of her people with her revisionary interests in the Panama canal and the railroad, whatever may be their value. Senators, all this can be settled for all time to come by the ratification of this treaty, the payment of \$25,000,000 and giving to Colombia the right to use the canal. More than all this, we will have proved to the world that we can be just, even to the least of the nations of the world. "I know that the claims which Colombia has been making since 1904 have been referred to as 'blackmail.' Hard language, that. If it is blackmail, I have no objection. The point where I have a little confidence in the integrity of the world that I would not be willing to submit a blackmailing proposition to arbitration if it were necessary to get a proper adjustment. "Let us not forget in dealing with this subject, that whether right or wrong, the fact is that what we did in November and December, 1903, has so discredited the United States in the minds of the republics south of the Rio Grande that they look with suspicion upon every move we make, and our delay in making settlement confirms that suspicion. "I am glad of the opportunity to vote for the ratification of this treaty, whose terms we are advised will be acceptable to Colombia. But I shall always have one regret connected with this affair. It is this: While we have conferred upon the world a great boon by the construction of the canal for which the world gives and continues to give great credit, I regret it is not within my power to blot out of the memory of man and for all time, the methods we pursued in securing title to the Canal Zone. "Now and forever hereafter let our shibboleth be: Our country can only work out her great destiny by doing unto other nations, great and small, as we would have them do unto us."