two big parties MUST SERVE ENDS PRECEDING TREATY

Conclusion Reached by Lawrence That Two Thirds of Senators Will Agree Upon Reservations.

COMPROMISE IS IN SIGHT

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Washington, Nov. 18 .- The senate of the United States is going to rattions that are attached are going to be accepted not only by President Wilson, but by the foreign governments associated with us in the war. That doesn't mean that the Lodge resolution now pending before the senate with its series of reservations is going to be adopted, or that Senator Hitchcock's resolution to ratify with a few reservations that do not meet the flaws that have been pointed out in the treaty during the senate debate is to be finally approved. but that a new ratifying resolution, a compromise, will be adopted

TWO THIRDS SEE DANGER

The foregoing prediction is based partly on a knowledge of what the parliamentary tactics of both sides contem-

plate and partly on a viewpoint that sparring and fighting in the senate. And senate. there are at least 65 senators, Repub- one only has to examine the congreslicans and Democrats-more than the sional record of last Saturday alone to ocrats to defeat the Lodge resolution necessary two thirds-who honestly do see that the two sides were not voting not wish to see the treaty of peace on the merits of the numerous reserva- LODGE MAKES THREAT killed and new negotiations opened with tions which they disposed of so rapidly

All sorts of fears and apprehensions and then a Democrat or Republican have been running up and down the would go from one side to the other but of supporters of the treaty and the bulk of each party stood pat and the League of Nations that unless the didn't give an inch. pending Lodge resolutions were given PARTIES ARE STILL BLIND two thirds vote, the pact itself would be dead as a door nail and that the responsibility for killing it would be on 43 Democrats who failed to vote for Lodge's reservations to the treaty. FOREIGN OPINION NEEDED

Both sides are doing a considerable fered by Republicans. Such is party gov-Republicans may be divided into two polltical parties in the senate haven't ruled.

ber of reservations that are virtually opinion of one senator as against an-other as to what constitutes the death They change the text of amendments. the treaty and would require also that foreign governments accept them. One of any piece of legislation when parliamentary maneuvers galore are in existreservation alone furnishes an example ence to enable the senate to ressurect of why Great Britain and France and nything that is killed? Only the statement of foreign gov-Italy cannot accept the Lodge resolution of ratification. ernments that they would not accept

ing that specific point.

her friends here say is unthinkablethe senate might as well give up the

idea that England and France would

accept the Lodge resolution of ratifica-

The Lodge resolution contains a num-

the Lodge reservations would convince AMEBICA HAS NO SAY of the Republicans that to It is the Shantung provision, which is

truction of the pact. The Democrats dif- fore, in the immediate future, is this:

insist on these reservations means the something outside the League of Nacomplete defeat of the treaty of Vertions entirely. The Lodge resolution sailles. Possibly the president himself would formally withhold America's conmight make a statement declaring that sent from the Shantung settlement. That the Lodge resolution if adopted by the senate constitutes a rejection of the in itself might not be objectionable to Europe, but Great Britain and France treaty. That would carry conviction and Italy are asked to approve that withdrawal of America from a section with many senators of the mild reservationist type but it would not be as of the treaty, and to give such approval effective as a statement from the foris to offend Japan, with whom Great eign governments. Britain and France have treaties cover-

ITALY DISAPPROVES CHANGES

fer with the latter class, but what is the

Great Britain and France and Italy have demonstrated through their inspired press that they disapprove of the European Governments Expected Lodge reservations and cannot accept them. It is doubtful, however, whether to Accept Changes Written the president will subject them to the embarrassment of rejecting the Lodge Into Text by U. S. Senate. reservations for the simple reason that the president himself can exercise his

constitutional discretion to say whether a treaty has in fact been ratified, rejected or amended.

tion at all. And rejection by one foreign government knocks out the whole The situation may seem a bit tangled and confused to the outsiders, but it is series of reservations, for in the pre-the essence of simplicity in the light of amble offered by Senator Lodge and ify the peace treaty and the reserva- senatorial custom and habit as one observes it over a period of years. Sen- itself, foreign governments must agree in advance to accept all the reserva ators say extreme things, picture all tions sorts of dire consequences if their point of view is not accepted and then turn WILSON MAY DECIDE around and agree to "a compromise Two courses might follow. Foreign which is in some cases nothing more

than the viewpoint of their opponents with a different phraseology.

CHANGES HELD HELPFUL But the compromise on the peace reaty will not be of that character, as the debate has disclosed some unanswerable arguments and the Democrats have shown an inclination to vote a statement, saying he would not subfor such reservations as clearly safe- mit the reservation to foreign governguard the United States in certain par- ments because the Lodge reservations

and foreign governments, too, would could take it upon himself to state catehave been grateful for the acts of re- gorically that the senate by its reservation has not ratified the treaty at all vision contributed by the senate. But thus far there has been only and thus keep the matter before th

> But there appears to be enough Demof ratification.

Lodge said in the senate Saturday but were simply voting as parties. Now that such action would end consideration of the treaty. Vice President Marshall announced that he intended to rule that after the Lodge resolution is dis-

posed of, other resolutions of ratification may come before the senate. An Again and again the Democrats, who appeal from his ruling could be taken were on the defensive, offered reserva- and a majority vote at once is needed tions covering exactly the points made by to overrule him, but Senator Oscar the Republican opponents, but they were Underwood of Alabama, who is a keen the way the Democratic majority used to observer and an expert on legislative

vote down amendments to legislation of- tangles, told a group of correspondents at the White House that he did not amount of jockeying for position. The ernment in domestic affairs and the two believe the vice president would be over

Underwood laughingly remarked that slasses-those who avowedly want the drawn any line at the seacoasts either, treaty killed and those who say they but have extended their practices now in- he would bet money that there were at want it ratified, but insist that their to the consideration of foreign affairs. least nine Republicans who would join ratifying resolutions do not mean des- The way things will work out, there- the 40 Democrats to sustain the vice

might be worked out in the interest of ultimate ratification. BATIFICATION AT LAST But even if the vice president were

president and keep the treaty before the senate so that some compromise

verruled, there is nothing under the senate rules to prevent the Democrats from moving to reconsider their own action on the treaty and thus bring the question into debate again with the opportunity of offering compromise reser-vations. The country may wonder who is responsible for the delay, and it

might make up its mind as to why the two political parties have not been able to come to an agreement on such a vital question as a peace treaty that affects the whole world, but just now each party is blaming the other, serenely confident that party prestige and oride of opinion are paramount.

This sort of business will last through out the voting process until the Lodge esolution and the Hitchcock resolution Unless England would want to enhave both been defeated and the senate danger her relations with Japan, espeis left squarely with the job of working cially at a moment when the Angloout a compromise resolution. And then Japanese agreement is about to be reas has happened so often before in the newed, and would care to disapprove closing hours of the session, a comprothe Shantung settlement merely to sat-isfy the American senate—a course that mise will be reached and the treaty ratified.

Hoyle Loses Out; 4 Beats Q All the Time in This Game

Bend, Nov. 18 .- The four of diamonds beat the queen of hearts, and the four and the queen, so it is said, held the winning hands without letting anyone else know much about it.

governments could disapprove and the Here is how the stars handled the senate be obliged to go through the whole process of drafting other reserbig hands

vations, or time could be saved by un-derstanding in advance that foreign gov-Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Brooks had a ouncing the marriage of their party, ann The cards were cut as to The daughter. ernments contemplate such action. who should be the bridegroom. William president himself, being conversant with the viewpoint of the allies, could make Pettibone held the four of diamonds, the lowest card of three drawn.

Announcement of the engagement of Pettibone and Miss Marguerite Fairof the announcement celebration to won-

> Soviet Ambassador **Faces Deportation**

New York Nov. 18 .- (I. N. S.)-Ludvig Martens, Russian soviet ambassador the United States, may be deported as a result of sensational admissions he made upon the witness stand before the Lusk legislative committee. Officials today declared that Martens' testimony revealed sufficient grounds for deporta-tion. He confessed that he had been

Instrumental in distributing Lenin's propaganda and admitted that he was a subject of Germany when he came to the United States, but had failed to register as an alien enemy

Silverton Has Joint Debate With Rival Union Men Speakers

Silverton, Nov. 18 .- A debate between W. D. Smith of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen and Philip Holden of the International Union of Timber Workers, staged at the W. O. W. hall, drew a packed house. Advantages and disadvantages of each organization were told. Fifty-five of the audience voted for the legion and 13 for the unio

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forced to remove their hat hold up a their right hands and take oaths of al-I. W. W. Forced to legiance to the United States. Doff Their Hats Marshal Accused of And Take 'Oaths'

Walla Walla, Wash., Nov. 17 .- (U. P.) Headed by Sheriff Yates and deputies,

Marshfield, Nov. 18 .- Members of the large posse of ex-service men Sunday American Legion have taken up the case of Fred Jarvis of Myrtle Point, visited four construction camps, rounded up every alleged I. W. W. and returned to Walla Walla with four captives. who, they assert, has been mistreated Men in two camps were lined up, by City Marshal Brown. They presented



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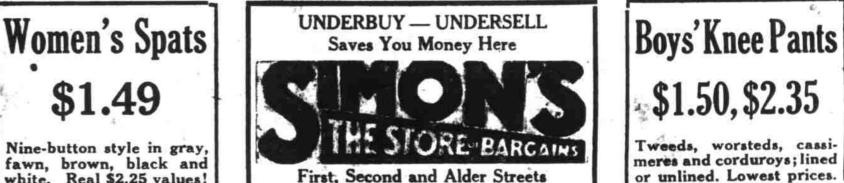
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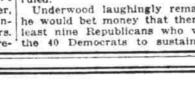
resignation be called for. A warrant was sworn out by Cecil Carter, alleging he met the officer's demand for the that Jarvis, a returned soldier, stole payment of \$35. **Mistreating Soldier**

a complaint to the city council of his dog. Jarvis said he thought the Myrtle Point, demanding that Brown's animal a stray and took it to his homestead and that he was never arrested but allowed to go his way when



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ticulars which the persons who drew change the text of the treaty and he lamb of New York city, who is house the original treaty must have over- would rather negotiate a new treaty. guest of the Brooks', is causing guests Such an expression might be approved of conciliation in the senate, these points in the foreign press, or the president der if they were not parties to a would have been ironed out long ago without involving foreign governments "framed" deal.

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