

U. S. "PACIFISTS" PREACH WAR

No Difference Between Worthy War and Verile Peace They Say.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Do- tween a worthy war patriotism and a virile peace patriotism there is no essential difference.

These words of Assistant Secretary of Labor Louis F. Post are put at the head of the latest publication of the Committee on Public Information, entitled, "The War for Peace." With these are joined the statement of Dr. David Starr Jordan that, "Now that we are in the war the shortest way out is forward."

The compiler of the publication is Arthur D. Call, editor of "The Peace Advocate," and secretary of the American Peace Society, the oldest peace organization in the United States.

Mr. Call's own position is shown by his statement that, "The supreme and chief duty of every man, woman, and child in America today is to avoid, banish and hatred of persons, to remember the ghastly offenses of a night-work- shipping aggressor and bend every possible effort to win and end this war."

What Taft Says.

In thirteen sections from as many separate societies or groups are set forth utterances of American friends of peace who support our Govern- ment in its righteous war.

"He who proposes peace now either does not see the state for which the Allies are fighting or wishes the Ger- man military autocracy still to con- trol the destinies of all of us as to peace or war."

This is from an address by ex- President William H. Taft, now pres- ident of the League to Enforce Peace.

Bryan's Attitude.

"No one should be permitted to cloak attacks upon his Government or aid to the enemy under the claim that he is exercising freedom of speech. Guilty throughout the nation is imperatively necessary during the war—dissension would be disastrous, we must win—and division among us would but prolong the war and in- crease its cost."

So writes William Jennings Bryan, former secretary of State.

DRUGS USED TO QUIET HUNGER OF GERMANS

Suffering People Enabled to "Hold Out Until Next Meal Time."

AMSTERDAM, May 11.—The bear hunger without at the same time suffer- ing from headache or any other indisposition is very difficult for most people," reads the opening sen- tence of a significant advertisement inserted in Sunday's Tagliche Rund- schau of Berlin by a Berlin chemical firm, praising a newly invented drug, which, "though not forming a substi- tute for minimum daily sustenance, is an excellent preparation for stilling premature hunger and enables one to hold out until the next meal time."

German Food Situation Critical.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Further information revealing how critical the food situation in Germany has be- come reached the state department today in semi-official dispatches.

The nutritious committee of the reichstag and landing have been hold- ing daily sittings. The question of reducing the present rations has not been decided. It is indicated there is small hope of relief from the Ukraine where the large cities are suffer- ing from insufficient food. Even if Ukraine supplies are obtained it would not give an increase in the food ration.

An official report made public in Germany on May 2 said there were 12,000 carloads of grain ready in Rus- siana for shipment to Germany, but, even if it is transported, it will do no more than to prevent reduction in food allotments.

First Grade Pupil Is 68.

TOKIO, May 11.—At 68 years of age Mrs. Mine Masumoto, mother of a prominent Tokio exporting mer- chant does not believe that she is too old to study. She has entered the first grade of the Otsuma Crafts school, Tokio, and intends to study the English language and foreign music. Mrs. Masumoto enjoys un- usually good health and declares she will live as long as Marquis Okuma, Japan's former premier and grand old man who has set 125 years as his goal.

Put in your coal this summer and you can laugh at the fuel crises next winter.



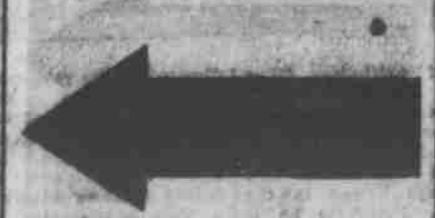
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