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## WILL BEND PREPARE?

The frequent recent warnings that we may expect a recurrence of the influenza epidemic, or pandemic, this fall have led the United States public health service to report on extensive investigations made by it in the past months.

The important facts developed by the service in its investigations, which were carried on in every state and important city, and even in foreign countries, are as follows:

"Probably, but by no means certainly, there will be a recurrence of the influenza epidemic this year. "Indications are that, should it occur, it will not be as severe as the pandemic of the previous winter.

"City officials, state and city boards of health, should be prepared in the event of a recurrence.

"The fact that a previous attack brings immunity in a certain percentage of cases should allay fear on the part of those afflicted in the previous epidemic.

"Influenza is spread by direct and indirect contact.

"It is not yet certain that the germ has been isolated, or discovered, and as a consequence there is yet no positive preventive, except the enforcement of rigid rules of sanitation and the avoidance of personal contact.

"A close relation between the influenza pandemic and the constantly increasing pneumonia mortality rate prior to the fall of 1918 is recognized.

"It is now believed that the disease was pretty widely disseminated throughout the country before it was recognized in its epidemic state. This failure to recognize the early cases appears to have largely been due to the fact that every interest was then centered on the war."

No cure or specific for the disease is suggested by the service, but it urges preparedness as the best way to deal with it.

Will Bend prepare?

It is pleasant to observe that the Oregon Journal has not stopped its advocacy of the Mondell bill with a single suggestion that it be supported. In its Sunday issue it said:

"The whole power of the state government of Oregon, all the influence of the public bodies of the state, and the united weight of the Oregon delegation in congress ought to be brought to bear for the passage of the Mondell bill. Not to reclaim the arid areas is treachery to the republic and a crime against the people."

The duck season is open, but remember to watch the clock and not try any shooting in the prohibited hours. Remember, also, that the hours mentioned in the law are the old original time, and not the daylight saved time.

In Boston, apparently, policemen who want to strike may use a club but not a union.

## Big Private Telephone Exchange.

The size of the private telephone exchange grows with the erection of every hotel or office building of any considerable proportions. The largest ever constructed is that of a New York hotel which has been recently opened to the public. It occupies 3,165 square feet of floor space, having an operating room 110 feet long by 15 feet wide, a terminal room 30 feet long and 25 feet wide, a restroom 23 feet by 15 feet and a locker and wash-room 30 feet by 14 feet. The operating force consists of one chief operator, one assistant chief operator, eight supervisors and 110 attendants. The switchboard consists of twenty-three positions. Thirteen positions are equipped with teleautographs used for paging and announcing only. The switchboard has a capacity of 3,340 extensions and 180 trunks. The hotel has telephone service in each of its 2,200 rooms, and there are forty public telephone booths served by four switchboards connected with the main switchboard. The following gives some idea of a few of the items which make up part of the telephone system: 630 fuses, 1,170 condensers, 2,400 relays, 5,350 lamps, 38,500 jacks, 750,000 soldered connections, 7,225,000 feet of wire.

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# MODIFY TREATY AND YOU KILL IT.

MINORITY IN FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE THUS CHALLENGES REPORT OF LODGE MAJORITY

## WORLD PEACE IN BALANCE

Until Treaty Becomes Effective Ferment in Industrial and Financial World Will Continue.

Washington (Special)—The minority members of the senate committee on foreign relations made their report Thursday to the senate on the peace treaty and league of nations covenant. The report was signed by Senators Hitchcock, Williams, Swanson, Pomerene, Smith and Pittman. The report is a direct challenge to the majority report of the committee made to the senate Wednesday, which recommended a number of amendments and reservations to the treaty and covenant. The minority report declares that the adoption by the senate of these amendments or reservations would kill the present treaty and necessitate the reopening of negotiations with the allies and Germany.

The report is a plea to the senate and the country for ratification of the treaty without amendment or reservation, to the end that industrial conditions be stabilized on the basis of world peace, guaranteed by the nations of the world organized in a league of nations.

### World is in Ferment.

"The industrial world is in ferment," says the report. "The financial world is in doubt and commerce halts while this great delay in the peace settlement has been caused by the majority of a committee known to be out of harmony with the majority of the senate and the majority of the people. This is government by obstruction as well as by a minority.

"Our export trade already shows the undeniable effects of delay and doubt in treaty ratification and peace settlement. For the first seven months following the armistice our exports averaged almost seven hundred millions per month, but in July they fell to \$570,000,000. Europe undoubtedly wants our products but can only take them in full quantity if our financial institutions provide the credit to bridge over the period necessary to restore European industry to productivity. This private credit cannot and will not be furnished as long as the peace settlement is in doubt.

"Delay Prevents Trade Revival. "Public credit has heretofore carried this great balance of trade. Our government, however, has about reached the end of its authority given by Congress and will advance but little more. From now on if we are to keep up our commerce with Europe private enterprise must furnish the credit to cover the trade balance till European industries get started and are able to pay us with their goods. Peace settlement delays and doubts paralyze this revival. If uncertainty continues depression is inevitable.

"Referring to the action of the majority of the committee, we unite in opposing and condemning the recommendations both as to textual amendments and as to proposed reservations. In our opinion the amendments have no merit, but whether they be good, bad or indifferent their adoption by the senate can have no possible effect except to defeat the participation of the United States in the treaty. None of them could by any possibility be accepted even by the great nations associated with the United States in the war and none of them could by any possibility be dictated to Germany. To adopt any one of them, therefore, is equivalent to rejecting the treaty.

### Sacrifice German Peace Concessions.

"To adopt an amendment or to reject the treaty means that the United States will sacrifice all of the concessions secured from Germany by a dictated peace. Among the concessions which the United States would sacrifice by the adoption of any amendment or the rejection of the treaty may be included the following:

"First, Germany's acknowledgment of responsibility for the war and her promise to make restitution for damages resulting from it.

"Second, Germany's promise to us in the treaty that she will not impose lighter or other customs duties or charges on our goods than those charged to the most favored nation and will not prohibit or restrict, or discriminate against, imports directly or indirectly from our country.

"Third, Germany's promise to us in the treaty that she will make no discrimination in German ports on shipping bearing our flag and that our shipping in German ports will be given as favorable treatment as German ships receive.

"Fourth, that for six months after the treaty goes into effect no customs duty will be levied against imports from the United States except the lowest duties that were in force for the first six months of 1914.

"Fifth, Germany's agreement with us that the United States shall have the privilege of reviving such of the treaties with Germany as were in existence prior to the war as we may alone desire.

### Promise to Restore Property Lost.

"Sixth, Germany's promise to us to restore the property of our citizens seized in Germany, or to compensate

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"Seventh, Germany's very important agreement validating all acts by the United States and by the alien property custodian by which we seized and proceeded to liquidate \$800,000,000 worth of property in the United States belonging to German citizens.

"Eighth, Germany's agreement that the proceeds of the sale of these properties may be used to compensate our citizens in Germany, if Germany fails to do so, or to pay debts which German or Germans owe to American citizens, or to pay American pre-war claims against Germany for property destroyed and lives taken similar to the losses because of the destruction of the Lusitania.

"Ninth, Germany's agreement that she will compensate her own citizens for property, patents, and other things belonging to them in the United States seized during the war by our government.

"Tenth, Germany's agreement that no claim can be made against the United States in respect to the use or sale during the war by our government, or by persons acting for our government, of any rights in industrial, literary or artistic property, including patents.

### Shipping Agreement Affected.

"Eleventh, Germany's agreement that the United States shall retain over 500,000 tons of German shipping seized in American ports which much more than compensates us for shipping lost during the war.

"Twelfth, we would lose our membership on the reparations commission which will be the most powerful international body ever created and which will have enormous control over the trade and commerce of Germany with the rest of the world for years to come. It not only supervises the use of German economic resources and the payment of reparations, but it can restrict or expand Germany's imports and distributes much of her desirable exports, including dyes. In no way can the United States assure itself against discrimination in German imports and financial policies unless we have a member upon this great reparations commission.

"We are therefore, without any qualification, against amendments.

"The reservations proposed by the majority of this committee are of such a character as at once betray their authorship. They are the work of senators organized for the purpose of destroying the league and possibly defeating this treaty. Their phraseology is such as make this purpose plain. They are in no sense interpretative reservations to be used to make clear language in the treaty that might be considered doubtful, but they are so framed as to receive the support of senators who desire the defeat of the treaty.

### Reservations Held Alterations.

"While masquerading in the guise of reservations they are in fact alterations of the treaty. They have all the vices of amendments and the additional vice of pretending to be what they are not. Presented as parts of the resolution to ratify the treaty they would in fact, if adopted, result in its defeat. All of them apply to the league of nations section of the treaty. Those who oppose the league

of nations realize that it is inevitable in a square fight and they hope to destroy it by this indirection.

"The league of nations has stood the test of world-wide criticism and unlimited attacks. It stands today as the only hope for world peace. After all the assaults of many months its purposes and provisions stand out clearly defined, unaffected by criticism and unyielding to attack.

"The league of nations proposes to organize the nations of the world for peace, whereas they have always heretofore been organized for war. It proposes to establish the rule of international justice in place of force. It proposes to make a war of conquest impossible by uniting all nations against the offender.

"It is the first international arrangement ever made by which small and weak nations are given the organized strength of the world for protection.

"It is a working plan for the gradual reduction of armament by all members simultaneously in proper proportion and by agreement.

### Provides For Arbitration.

"It sets up arbitration as a friendly method of adjusting disputes and inquiry when arbitration is not agreed to. In both cases it provides a cooling off period of nine months during which the differences will be adjusted.

"It preserves the territorial integrity and political independence of each member and leaves to each the exercise of its sovereign rights as a nation.

"It will save the world from wars and preparations for wars. It will reduce armies and navies and taxes.

"It is the only plan proposed to redeem the world from war, pestilence and famine, the only one by which a stricken world can be redeemed from the disasters of the late war and the dangers of impending international chaos. Those who daily and delay as they seek with microscopes to find some petty flaw in its structure have nothing themselves to propose. They have appealed to every prejudice and resorted to every desperate method of attack to destroy this great international effort to establish peace but they suggest nothing in its place.

"We renew our recommendation that the work of the peace conference be confirmed, the will of the people fulfilled and the peace of the world advanced by the ratification of this treaty—the best hope of the world—even if, like all human instrumentalities, it be not divinely perfect in every detail."

### Keep Doorknobs Tight.

Doorknob screws often work out and let the knob come off. This may be prevented by removing loose screws, covering them with glue and screwing them back into place.

### In His Line.

Lady of the House (to the doctor)—I'm so glad you came along, doctor. Some unexpected guests have arrived and the butcher hasn't turned up. Would you mind killing a couple of chickens for me?—Pearson's Weekly.

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Of Bend, Oregon,

At the Close of Business September 12, 1919

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$334,169.01
Bonds and warrants.....	39,661.75
Furniture and Fixtures.....	4,000.00
Cash and Exchange.....	134,724.91
Other Resources .....	1,500.00

Total ..... \$514,055.67

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	10,736.50
Deposits .....	478,319.17

Total ..... \$514,055.67

### Husbands Are Hoping.

Recently an Irvington woman invited a few of her friends to play cards during the afternoon. There was a strong intimation that the highest score would be rewarded with a prize. That stimulated interest to a degree.

The women had visions of the ordinary prizes given for card proficiency. One of them thought of a nicely heaped towel, another saw visions of a cut-glass tumbler, and still another dreamed of something else. There was but one table and as the hostess was barred the contest was wholly between the remaining three. Finally the games were over and the scores tabulated. Then the hostess came in with a big glass of currant jelly and presented it as the prize of the afternoon. She picked the currants in her own garden and had made the jelly herself.

There is hope in the hearts of some Irvington husbands that the fad of giving real food as prizes will grow. Then, if their wives are good enough bridge players there may be something to eat when husbands come home in the evening.—Indianapolis News.

### No Jugo-Slav Race.

There is in strictness no such thing as a Jugo-Slav. There are Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, all of whom speak the same language, with variations, and are now of the same nationality. There is a religious question among Jugo-Slavs, which has, on occasion, been stressed by the intriguing imperialist politicians on the borders who have been anxious to prevent national unity, the Serbs being of the Greek, or Orthodox church, and the Croats and Slovenes of the Roman church. There are no more than 12,000,000 of them altogether, but the territory of the new nation is larger than that of Great Britain.

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