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THE STRONGEST BOND

"One nation, indivisible," says the child standing at salute before the American flag. Yet where do we stand with regard to the strongest bond of all the many bonds that go to make a nation indivisible—a common speech?

Ten per cent of our adult population is unable to read the language of our country or understand it unless it is translated into some foreign tongue. Of the "coming citizens" of this country 18 per cent do not go to school at all.

Out of the first 2,000,000 men summoned by the draft 200,000 could not read their orders nor understand them, nor read the letters they received from their friends after they got to camp. For these men it was necessary to maintain a school at each army camp, to teach them English before they could be inducted any further into army life.

If the principles which mean America are to continue, education must increase. The man who cannot understand the plea addressed to him explaining the advantage of these principles, and who can understand the enemy propagandist or agitator who addresses him in his own language, is going to follow alien ideals.

Says Mr. Lane: "There can be neither national unity in ideals nor in purpose unless there is some common method of communication through which may be conveyed the thought of the nation."

"There is no such one thing so supremely essential to a government

sact as ours, where decisions of such importance must be made by public opinion as that every man, woman and child shall know one tongue, and all may speak to the other, and all may be informed."

While the teaching of the English language is only a part of the business of Americanization, it is the fundamental without which the rest of the structure must be insecure. We have been negligent too long about this great factor of our progress; it is time that men who speak with authority were heeded.

MEXICO NEXT?

With the German war pretty well cleaned up, the United States is beginning to turn its attention once more to Mexico. The situation there appears increasingly bad. German propaganda went on unreheated and unrestrained, until the recent recall of the infamous German minister, Baron von Eckhardt, at the request of our government. Carranza has continued his old policy of flouting the United States, disregarding the rights of Americans and their property and fanning the flames of popular prejudice against all things American.

This time there may be no fooling. It is announced at Washington from official sources that Uncle Sam is ready to deal with any eventuality. Cavalry regiments are strung along the border. There are thousands of marines at Galveston and Guantanamo. There are large forces of infantry in the Texas cantonments. Seasoned troops are returning from France all the time, and by no means all of them are being demobilized. The general staff has long had complete plans prepared for the advance of an American army across the Mexican frontier. There is an ample fleet of warships and transports ready for service.

It behooves old Carranza and his gang to walk warily. Having failed to

learn from experience, however, they can hardly be expected to show any sudden access of wisdom at this late stage of the game.

A new revolution is said to be imminent in Mexico, holding out hope of better conditions. Either the launching of such a revolution or the commission of further unfriendly acts by Carranza or his people might result in American intervention and a general cleaning up of political, economic and hygienic conditions in Mexico.

Most Americans would welcome such a conclusion, if it proves to be really necessary. The job could presumably be done now without having our motives misconstrued by Latin-America. There is no desire to work any injustice on the Mexican people, to deprive them of any of their rights or territory or wealth. But there is a strong desire to get rid of a troublesome situation of long standing. It is intolerable that a great nation that brought the German Empire to its knees should continue having its rights ignored and its self-respect flouted by so backward and negligible a country as Mexico.



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