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I pledge allegiance to my flag and the Republic for which it stands, one Nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

SENATOR JOHNSON.

The slush which Senator Johnson of California is peddling out in his attempt to defeat the league of nations will be condemned by most unprejudiced thinking men. In fact it will drive all such men who may have wavered in endorsement of the league to firm support of it.

Senator Johnson is not a fool by any manner of means. He certainly has a fair understanding of the meaning of the English language, yet in his speeches he willfully misrepresents the text of the covenant and he must know that he is doing so. When he states that the British empire has six votes to one for the United States, implying that the United States will have but one-sixth of the influence of Great Britain in the administration of the league, he knows that he is not stating facts.

In the highest authoritative administration of the league England, or Great Britain, has but one delegate and one vote, just the same as the United States. More than that, any decision made by this council must be by unanimous vote. One dissenting vote is sufficient to defeat a measure. Senator Johnson knows this fact and he knows he falsifies when he states to the contrary; yet he is doing so in every speech he makes against the league. Why?

Senator Johnson was recalled from his speaking tour to Washington, D. C., the first of this week. Why? Not because his vote was needed in the senate, for the confirmation of the league and treaty will not be reached for many days.

Undoubtedly his recall was due to the fact that his bald statements of the text of the league covenant were false, and instead of destroying President Wilson's explanations of the covenant he was confirming what the president said; for he forced the people to read and study the text of the covenant and they found

of course the league covenant is not just what President Wilson wanted nor just what any other nation wanted. It is a compromise of ideas and is the best which could be obtained. Every nation, through its delegates had to concede something, but they wisely provided that the covenant might be amended in the future when it developed that an amendment was necessary.

The opposition to the league is destined to fail. It will be ratified

by the senate when the wrangling is over. True the senate may append the United States' understanding of certain articles to which there can be no objections.

Senator Johnson and his co-objectors are simply fighting against destiny which can but result in injury to their party. The American people believe they are wrong in their opposition and they are wrong if Senator Lodge was right a few years ago, for he then favored a league.

OPPOSITION WEAKENING.

There is no doubt but what President Wilson's tour is breeding consternation in the camp of the antis. The president is developing several facts which are not pleasing to the Lodge-Borah-Johnson crowd.

The fact that is developing is that the I. W. W., the bolsheviks, the Germans, and the anarchist in general, are all opposed to the league and that it places the antis in the same crowd, is showing the Lodge crowd where they are at. They did not know it until the president's tour developed the fact.

Again, Senator Johnson's wilful mistatement of the text and meaning of the covenant is causing men to read the covenant carefully, and they find that President Wilson has stated facts and they are flocking to the support of the league.

It must be humiliating that Senator Johnson's own state, California, is rallying to the support of the league. Thousands of his political friends seem as enthusiastic in greeting the president as 'are the president's political friends.

The unfair and dishonest opposition to the league by the antis is resulting in good. It is arousing the people to investigate the provisions of the league covenant as nothing else could. It is showing the danger to civilization that defeat of the league means, and to know that the Lodge-Borah-Johnson crowd is opposing the league to secure political advantage does not suit the people. No wonder Johnson was recalled from his speaking tour and the opposition to the league in the senate is mellowing. The antis are beginning to read the handwriting on the wall.

This week discussion of the league covent before the open senate begins. With the tremendously enthusiastic greeting of the president everywhere showing how overwhelmingly the people favor the league just as it is, and the arguments of the friends of the league will advance in its favor, the wavering senators will come out boldly in support of the league.

The Lodge crowd is beginning to see that to defeat the league is dangerous both to the peace and security of the world as well as to the stabilizing of business in the immediate future. They see that they are playing into the hands of Germany and classing themselves with the enemies of civilization. They also see that the defeat of the league means the renomination of Wilson; for the people will demand that President Wilson shall remain at the helm of the ship of state until this thing is settled and settled in the interest of humanity.

When the league is finally adopted, which it will be, and the Tribune believes just as it is, then business will resume something like a normal condition. Congress will then have time to enact drastic laws against profiteering and bring the cost of living within reasonable bounds.

But until the league covenant is ratified we will have the present unsettled conditions, labor strikes, etc. Surely the people will retire a lot of these senators that are proving themselves enemies to humanity and the American people.

"EAT MUSH."

Champ Clark's common sense suggestion to reduce the high cost of living by eating more mush naturally excites the hilarity of the professional gleemakers. All the same, as is likely to be the case with whatever the distinguished ex-speaker says, the return to our ancestral practice of eating mush is a most effective cure for the complaint.

A magnificent body of American men and women grow up with mush as a large staple in their daily dietary. Very few of the grandfathers and grandmothers of the present generation escaped having mush at least once a day and they thrived on it. The main objection to mush is that it is cheap and easily obtainable. It is not a delicatessen.

Otherwise it has the highest qualities as a staple food.

Mush and milk is a ration so scientifically balanced that even Dr. Wiley could not criticize it or find any addition to it. The cornmeal has fats and starch in liberal proportion while the milk adds protein and other nitrogenous elements to make it an ideal food.

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Boys who had mush and milk at least once a day fought through the greatest war that the world ever saw and fought it with a stamina and resolution that is still the admiration of the world.

Girls whose supper was almost invariably mush and milk grew up to be the finest sweethearts, wives and mothers to these same boys and displayed virtues which illuminate American history.

No man, after a supper of mush and milk, beats his wife or abuses his children.

No man, after a supper of the wholesome compound of well-cooked mush and fresh, pure milk, ever went onto a soap box and tried to stir up his hearers to treason, murder, or anarchy.

In short, a diet of mush and milk has more historic claim to virtuous results in manhood, womanhood and citizenship than any other dietary that can be placed in competition.

Let us all take to mush and milk as a regular thing seven days in a week.—National Tribune.

The packers insist that their net profit, all things included, is less than two per cent on their turnover and have submitted proofs that have not yet been refuted by any one. Certainly it would be a fine thing for the public if it were possible to bring lines of business down to a two per cent margin. If the country could do that it would solve the problem of the high cost of living.

Senator Fernald speaking in the senate, opposed the bills for governmental supervision and direction of the packing industry. He said: "These measures are examples of stifling and throttling legislation, an extension of the policy which had failed in the railroad and wire communication industries. The public would suffer from higher costs and poorer service should these bills be enacted."

Between the labor unions and the taxpayers the politician has a hard time; but generally labor unions win because the taxpayers are not organized.

The Scio Tribune \$1.50 the year.

The county rock crusher at Sanderson bridge is about ready for business.

Jim Bilyeu went to Portland to see the president. He was not fortunate enough to draw an admission ticket but said he was going anyway.

Public Auction.

I will offer for sale at public auction, at the Borovicka farm, six miles southeast of Scio, near the Richardson Gap cheese factory, commencing at 10:00 A. M., on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27, the following personal property:

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn. Jennie McRae, Plaintiff, vs. Maude E. Small and Harry Sloper, Defendants. To Maude E. Small and Harry Sloper, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court now on file with the clerk of said court on or before the 18th day of October, 1919, being the date prescribed in the order made by the court for the publication of this summons upon you, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint on file in said cause, to-wit: For a decree correcting the deed made on the 4th day of January, 1902, by Thomas C. Sloper and Lucinda Sloper, his wife, to John A. McRae, to the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 21 Tp. 9, S. R. 2, east of the Willamette meridian, Linn county, Oregon; thence west 8 chains; thence south 14 chains; thence east 14 chains; thence north 16 chains and 85 links; thence east 3 chains; thence north 17 chains and 78 links; thence west 9 chains; thence south to the place of beginning, containing 48 acres, more or less; so as to read as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of section 21, township 9 S., R. 2 East of the Willamette meridian, Oregon; running thence west 8 chains; thence south 14 chains; thence east 14 chains; thence north 16 degrees 45 minutes east 16.85 chains; thence east 3 chains; thence north 17.78 chains to the south line of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of said section 21; thence east 13.46 chains to the west line of the southeast quarter of said section 21; thence south to the place of beginning, containing 48 acres, more or less, and declaring the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of said lands last described, and for such other and further order as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable W. R. Bilyeu, judge of the county court of Linn county, State of Oregon, duly made in open court and entered of record on the 29th day of August, 1919.

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