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"HE KEPT US OUT OF PEACE"

WHY did the President kill the Treaty and with it the League of Nations which he had designed to appear in history as his everlasting monument? That is the question which transcends by far in importance to the country any other, if not indeed all others, because in it is involved the state of mind of the most powerful Executive in the world. For the reasons set forth in this journal last week it seemed to us inconceivable that he would crucify the embodiment of his own imagining. For the same reasons we find it no less difficult now to realize that he has done so.

Of the fact there can be no doubt in any honest mind. It is indeed responsibility for the outcome rests wholly upon the President. The merest hint to his servile followers in the Senate that they need consider themselves no longer bound to obey his orders issued four months ago would have been not only heeded but welcomed even at the last moment.

NOTHING makes some folks madder than to have Wilson change his mind—except to have him refuse to change his mind.

THE inefficiency, all-sufficiency and self-suffiency of our self-named only negotiator created a bedevilment whose waves never could be quieted.

THE Senate has saved America and America will sustain the Senate. It is a great victory, a victory for straight Americanism at home and abroad.

WHATEVER he in coyness may intimate to the country, William G. McAdoo is a candidate for President of the United States. In that capacity he from time to time addresses the people through the public prints.

EUROPE has suffered much from what has appeared to be the callousness of the United States. For the satisfaction of President Wilson the negotiations were dangerously protracted and the terms materially altered. But the very high-handedness which produced these effects in Europe has estranged his compatriots and converted an international issue into a domestic quarrel.

AT last the Maryland General Assembly has come to the conclusion that they had done the Good Women of the State of Maryland a very great wrong in not granting them the right to franchise, and many of them have called a halt. On our local page will be found a double-column article from them in which they eulogize the Salvation Army for their oyaltyy in the late war. Truly "Conscience makes cowards of us all."

PRESS COMMENT

Woodrow Wilson is directly responsible for the refusal of the Senate to approve the treaty of peace. His stubborness caused havoc. — Phila. Inquirer.

Washington is said to be thinning out a little, but just in time to keep upthe crowd somebody has suggested a reunion of Wilson ex-cabinet members. — Boston Evening Transcript.

As matters stand the treaty is where the president brought it.—There was nothing in the reservation that would have frustrated the ends sought by the League of Nations. —Baltimore American.

We can only congratulate the Americans—with a wry face—for having wiser men in the Senate than we have in our government—London (England) Morning Post.

The rout of President Wilson is for the time being complete.—The London (England) Times.

At the most troubled moment in history America has a sick President, an amateur Secretary of State. A President in the clouds and a Secretary of State in the bushes.—The Paris (France) La Matin.

The responsibility for this bad situation falls in greater part on Wilson. He did not know enough to assure himself of the Senate's cooperation during the peace conference. —Paris (France) Journal des Debats.

It was obvious before President Wilson left Paris that he had overstepped his mandate and that his megalomania had placed him in a position antagonistic to public opinion in the United States.—London (England) Evening Telegram.

The treaty has the Wilson mark all over it—a mark which is not so bad with American ratification, but very damaging to France's interests without it. The representatives of France would have done well to protect us against this influence of President Wilson.—The Paris (France) Figaro.

There are two ways of describing what the Senate has done. One is that the peace treaty has failed of ratification. That is how the American people will understand it. The other is that the peace treaty has been rejected. That is how Europe will interpret it.—Boston Globe.

With the democrats in the Senate practically evenly divided for and against the treaty and the republicans more than 2 to 1 for ratification with reservations the issue may not seem so promising as may have once appeared at the White House. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

The treaty is spoken of as dead. Strictly this is not true. It is merely returned to the president unratified. He can send it back to the Senate at any time. Then it would become alive again.—New York Tribune.

The more Admiral Sims reveals, the more apparent it becomes that the navy had a hard time educating the navy department in the fine art of letting good men alone.—Indianapolis News.

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