

HARDING PLAN FOR SEPARATE PEACE SCORED

Indiana Democratic Club Raps
Proposal as Presented
by President.

YOUNG MEN IN CHARGE

Branding it as a "disgraceful proposal" the Indiana Democratic Club, at a meeting last night commemorating the birthday of Thomas Jefferson, adopted a resolution denouncing President Harding's recommendation of a separate peace with Germany. A telegram is taken to Woodrow Wilson, who, in charge of the Americanization meeting in the Gipsy Smith tabernacle two weeks ago were scored for their "fun-American" failure to include any Democratic speaker in the program or to mention the name of Woodrow Wilson once.

The younger members of the club were in charge of last night's meeting. Mark Archer, a speaker, and Walter Myers, Albert Stump, Russell Ryan, Evans Woollen, Jr. and George A. Butler being the younger speakers. Others who talked were Woodburn Masson and Frank Baker, president of the club.

RESOLUTION ON HARDING PROPOSAL.

The resolution upon President Harding's proposal is as follows:

"Whereas, Our country under the leadership of the greatest of all Americans, Woodrow Wilson, entered the World War with his countrymen in the cause of untold sacrifices, giving of her resources, her wealth, her blood and her thousands of lives, therefore be it

Resolved, by the Indiana Democratic Club, That we denounce the proposal of President Harding of a separate peace with Germany as a betrayal of those who fought their lives in their country's defense."

"Resolved, That we call upon all patriotic citizens to speak out against this disgraceful proposal and that we call upon our Senators to oppose it.

The telegram to Mr. Wilson also expressed the hope that world peace will be established through a League of Nations as planned by Mr. Wilson.

RAPS DISPLAY OF PARTISANSHIP.

Mr. Archer in opening spoke of the record of the Indiana Democratic Club.

"This is a Jeffersonian meeting, which in itself makes it an Americanization meeting," he said. "However, it is not like the one held two weeks ago tonight, when this meeting was to have been held, but was postponed to make way for it. That was a meeting so Republican and so narrow that not even a Democrat could be found on the program and the speakers were not even those they could not even mention the name of Woodrow Wilson, the man for whom they once all shouted. An Americanization meeting without mentioning the name of Woodrow Wilson in connection with the great world war is like a Gipsy Smith meeting without the name of God being mentioned."

The younger speakers were introduced as having been recruited in the world war and members of the American Legion. Each has chosen the Democratic party, he said, because it fights in peace for the same principles for which they strove in war.

COMPARES WILSON AND JEFFERSON.

Wilson's vision of the union of nations was based on the same principles as was Jefferson's dream of a union of states, declared Walter Myers in comparing the two great Democrats.

He said, "The common people deserved what they wanted, and confidence in the people to do the right thing and the Democratic party was founded with this in mind, he said.

There was no red tape about Jefferson's idea of government. It was a simple one which every one could understand," said Russell Ryan.

"He knew that he could trust the people to do the right thing and that was why he was willing to leave the government in their hands," he said.

"Young men should select the Democratic party because in it the people come first and party interests last."

He praised Jefferson for his far-sightedness.

Albert Stump urged Democrats to come to life and get into the present campaign with the vigor which beokens in him in what one is doing.

'MUST EMULATE JEFFERSON—BRYAN

MIAMI, Fla., April 13.—William Jennings Bryan, three times candidate for the presidency, declared here today that a return to the principles of Thomas Jefferson is the Democratic party's only hope of restoration to power. The statement was issued in commemoration of Jefferson's birthday.

"Jefferson," said Mr. Bryan's statement, "believed in a government which shall restrain men from injuring one another and shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement." The two parts of this sentence balance one another. Some have put emphasis on the words 'leave them otherwise free' and ignored the first part of the sentence.

"The words 'otherwise free' are not intended to suspend or to prohibit the demand that the government shall restrain men from injuring one another. It is necessary to restrain big corporations—man-made giants—from injuring God-made men, and there is no occasion to discuss 'otherwise free' until this restraint is made effective. Prohibition is intended to restrain men from injuring one another and no one has a right to quote Jefferson in support of a policy which would leave liquor dealers free to injure their fellows."

Jefferson believed in economy in public expenditures and in equal and exact justice to all. Democracy must believe in the same today if it is to live up to its name and be worthy of confidence.

Jefferson believed in peace with commerce and honest friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none. We need his spirit today.

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NOT GALLANT, BUT HE SAID IT ABOUT SHIMMY DANCER

Maurice Mouvet, Correspondent, Wishes Prettier Girl Than 'Peggy' Hopkins.

PARIS, April 13.—It wasn't very gallant, but it's what Maurice Mouvet, world-famed dancer, said when informed that he is named as a co-responsible by D. Stanley Joyce's suit for divorce from "Peggy" Hopkins.

When I pick a girl, I'll pick a better one," Maurice said, his divorced wife, Florence Walter, his former dancing partner, flatly denies all allegations by Joyce.

He said: "I danced with Peggy in Paris and Dusville, but I never met

Judge Refuses to Hold Ouija Guilty in a Slander Suit

JOLIET, Ill., April 13.—The ouija board can say anything it likes about you and you have no legal "come-back."

This is the effect of a decision of Justice De Selm in the Circuit Court here, who ruled that the ouija has no standing in law.

Mrs. Frank Walters sued Mrs. Albert Yost for \$10,000, claiming that Mrs. Yost's ouija had slandered her by accusing her of robbing the Yost pantry of various edibles. Judge De Selm ruled that Mrs. Yost could not be held responsible for what her ouija said.

Word outside the ballroom. In fact, once in De Selm, I learned that in the case of Joyce when she insisted on dancing with a man whom Joyce disliked. Really, I can't understand why he should name me in his divorce suit."

Peggy Hopkins was frequently seen at various dancing clubs in company with Letellier, a young man who is a co-respondent. Generally there are two or three younger male dancers with them, Letellier buying wine for the "bunch" at \$15 per bottle.

Peggy, who created sensation after separation with her daring gowns, usually of the super-decollete type, was often called the best slimy dancer in Paris. At the Clover Club one night she attracted the attention of a man who was dancing with her, refusing to dance with an Englishman introduced to her by the editor, she exclaimed:

"I loathe Englishmen; I only admire Americans and Frenchmen."

Until she returned from Bari, she wore a \$15,000 necklace. After that it was not seen again.

PUSSYFOOT SAYS BOOZE QUESTION BACK OF STRIKE

Johnson Leaves for England With Prediction of a 'Dry' World.

WESTERVILLE, Ohio, April 13.—They spent all their money for booze, and now they are hollering for something to eat."

William "Pussyfoot" Johnson, American prohibition advocate, gave this explanation today to the cause of the general labor strike called in England.

"The first question is how to get another campaign to dry up England. He will charge.

"With but few exceptions leaders of British labor are dry, while spots in the rank and file are wet and beyond control of their officers."

Johnson, whose vision was impaired in a London plot a year ago, is going to use his other eye. Undaunted by his physical suffering and the hostile demonstration in Windsor, England, night before last, he is here today for another campaign to dry up England. He will call from New York Saturday on the first leg of an eight months' world tour.

"I'm not going to die until the whole world is dry," said Johnson with a good-natured smile, as he forecast prohibition's success during the coming year in England, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand and India. He also expressed pleasure with prohibition conditions in the United States, although admitting bootlegging is a thriving business.

The coming general elections in England will give the drys a telling victory, he said.

"The drys will go after the individual members of Parliament in the coming elections and the chances are favorable for pretty dry Parliament that will give the people the right to vote on the question," he concluded.

3-Cent Chinese Stamp Saves Life for a Day

Life saving stamp to aid China's starving millions has been issued in Indianapolis, state headquarters of the joint appeal for Armenian and Chinese relief, 408 City Trust building, having received 50,000 of these stamps.

The little 3-cent stickers printed in yellow are to be used on envelopes and packages and sold everywhere in sheets of fifty. Three cents will save a life for a day in China, a day when a load of industrial clubs or the Y. W. C. A. obtained the first stamp, taking \$30 worth. This organization of girls has obliged itself to save fifteen lives in stricken China.

In Girlhood, Maidenhood, Motherhood

A prescription which Dr. Pierce used fifty years ago—is still the best tonic for weak women. Every druggist in the land sells Dr. Pierce's Favorites Prescription in tablets or liquid.

South Bend, Ind.—"In my young girlhood I became frail and delicate. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription regulated me and strengthened me as well as proving excellent as a nervine. I will always praise this medicine for I know it benefited me at a very critical period and I recommend it to all girls who are ailing."

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HARDING SEEKS VIEWS OF HIS 'PEACE FEELER'

Will Make Decision on Sentiment Toward Versailles Treaty, Sans Covenant.

WON'T OPPOSE SENATE

WASHINGTON, April 13.—President Harding is watching today for the reaction of the Senate to his message to Congress before deciding whether to seek ratification of the Versailles treaty minus the League of Nations covenant.

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