

U. S. LAST GREAT NATION TO RATIFY

Senate Delay Will Make Peace Effective Without American Action

DEMOCRATS MARK TIME

Washington, Oct. 7.—The United States will be the last of the great nations that made war on Germany to ratify the peace treaty...

Japan, the fifth great nation to war against Germany, is apparently waiting to see what the United States will do about her claims to the rich Shantung province...

Under the terms of the Versailles peace treaty it becomes effective whenever three of the principal nations ratify it...

Conceded by President Wilson

President Wilson denied this for several weeks after his return from France and held that the whole would still be at war until the United States Senate ratified the treaty...

England ratified the treaty some time ago. The French Chamber of Deputies ratified it last Thursday by a vote of 372 to 53...

Senate in No Hurry

The United States Senate is showing no inclination to hurry ratification ahead of France in order to be one of the three principal powers upon whose approval peace depends...

A week ago the Democrats seemed in a hurry to bring matters to a vote and to a conclusion...

The main reason for this is the wish to wait until some of the Democratic senators can hold a conference with the President to ascertain what sort of reservations he will accept...

No Chance for Amendment

The turn of events in the Senate during the last week demonstrated beyond all question that it will be impossible for the opponents of the league of nations to amend it...

The rejection of the Fall amendments last Thursday by a vote of 58 to 30 indicates clearly that the opponents of the league have not the votes to amend it...

Thirty votes in favor of amendments, however, out of eighty-eight shows there are enough opponents of the league to prevent its ratification as it now stands...

The present week will in all probability bring about a show of strength in the Senate on the Shantung amendments...

not sufficient to carry, which takes a majority. The Johnson amendment, which will rally more votes than any of the others...

VICTOR EMMANUEL RATIFIES TREATIES

German and Austrian Pacts Are Approved in Italy by Royal Decree

PARLIAMENT MUST AGREE

By the Associated Press Paris, Oct. 7.—King Victor Emmanuel of Italy signed a royal decree ratifying the German and Austrian treaties yesterday...

The French Senate began consideration of the treaty with Germany at a meeting this afternoon. Leon Bourgeois, chairman of the Senate's peace commission...

It states that the question at issue is not to compare advantages which other allied nations receive from the treaty...

The Shantung Problem

The Shantung amendment provides that the United States disapproves of the despoiling of China and declares her complete disavowal to Japan of her rights under the secret treaty...

The four Lodge reservations provide for (1) reserving to the United States the right to withdraw from the league...

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Roma, 6 ottobre.—Il giornale "Il Popolo Romano" dichiara che la questione di Fiume è entrata in una nuova fase...

Parigi, 6 ottobre.—Re Vittorio Emanuele d'Italia ratificherà il trattato di pace con la Germania mediante un decreto reale che sarà presentato oggi alla sua firma...

12 ottobre. L'Inghilterra e' pronta di ratificare il trattato Anglo-franco-americano. Il Senato ed il presidente della repubblica francese probabilmente daranno la loro approvazione al trattato durante la corrente settimana.

Roma, 7 ottobre.—Il Generale Peppino Garibaldi, in una lettera scritta al giornale "Il Tempo", rifiuta la sua candidatura nelle prossime elezioni...

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