



ACCUSES WILSON OF CRIBBING HIS LAST PEACE TALK

British Writer Shows Peculiar Parallel Between It and Civil War Summons

Unpublished Document to Lincoln Shows, a Big Resemblance

London, Jan. 26. — A hitherto unpublished summons to peace, addressed to President Lincoln during the Civil War by Emperor Pedro, of Brazil, and closely paralleling President Wilson's speech before the Senate is published in the Morning Post by Frederic Harrison, founder of the Positivist Society.

After demanding "to have a voice determining the conditions on which such a peace shall be made permanent," because the peace which did not include Brazil could not prevent renewal of the war the emperor continued, "there must be peace, I say, without victors and vanquished."

After defending slave-holding, the emperor concluded: "I speak for the friends of humanity in every nation. My voice is that of true liberty throughout the world. These are Brazilian principles, Brazilian policies and they are the sacred principles of mankind."

Mr. Harrison adds that President Lincoln did not reply to the emperor and is reported to have said to his secretary: "Make no notice of this hypocritical swarmer. The devil might as well preach a sermon that the only goodly peace to give men and nations free play to break the dead decalogue."

Walks Miles Barefooted on Ice to See Mother

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 26. — Determined to be with his mother, if only for a few minutes, John Lally, aged 14, escaped from his home, the county home for boys, and without hat, coat or shoes, started over the ice and snow to see his mother on a 14-mile jaunt to his home here.

BOLD BAD MEN FULL OF WHISKEY SHOOT THINGS UP

Fishing Creek Youths Injure C. E. Hoover of Rockville, After Pegging Lights

Too much bad whisky and a resulting desire for theatrical gunplay furnished much excitement for the suburbanites at Rockville. Almost proved serious for one of them, also.

Two young men from Fishing Creek Valley, Frank Eckman and Edward Hoover, both under 21, obtained too much liquor for their capacity and then started the big time. They had no candles to shoot out, as all bad men do in movies so proceeded to put out the electric glimmers in the vicinity of Rockville bridge.

Expect American Capital to Invest in Plan to Build Hotel Chain in War Areas

New York, Jan. 26. — In anticipation that after the war ends there will be an enormous influx of tourists to France to visit the invaded districts and scenic points, beside those who go there as representatives of foreign industrial and commercial houses, plans are being made to spend \$100,000,000 in the construction and enlargement of hotels.

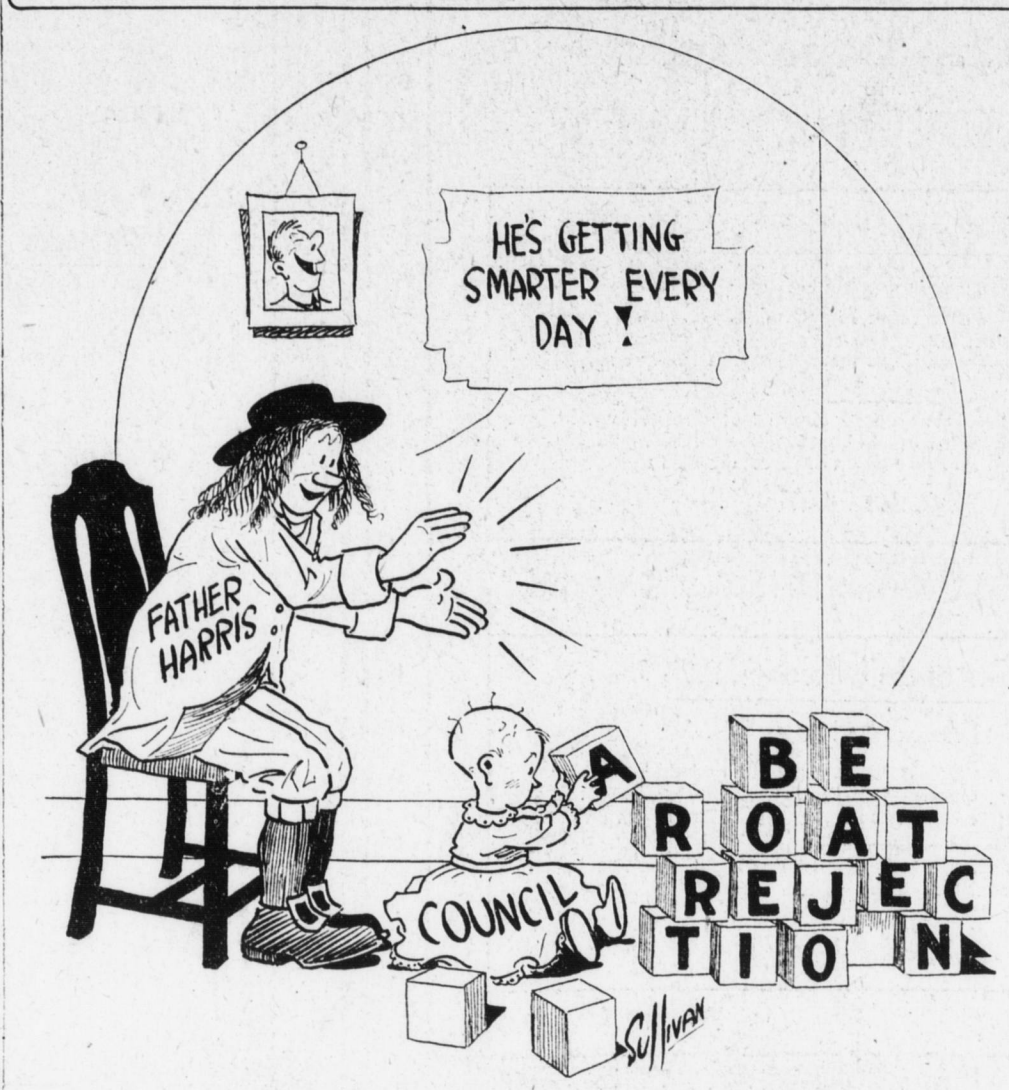
Alas! Prisoner Breaks "Pen" Guards' Slumber With His Ventrioloquist

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 26. — A ventrioloquist among the convicts of the Federal prisoners here, who apparently has his command of the tricks of the profession, is causing the guards to spend much time trying to evolve a plan for his detection and capture.

1,149 Merchantmen of 2,082,683 Tonnage Are Sunk in Last Year

Washington, Jan. 26. — Loss to the world's merchant shipping in 1916 through war causes exceeded the total tonnage constructed, according to estimates prepared to-day by the Federal Bureau of Navigation.

COUNCIL'S LEARNING ITS A-B-C'S



Washington, D. C., Jan. 26. — It is the official sentiment of Washington that a great spring offensive will prove to be the turning point in international peace maneuvers.

Senate Votes \$25,000 For Inauguration After Hotels Are Scored For High Rates

Taft Indorses Wilson Speech as Epoch in History

Wilson's Peace Plans Are Approved at Labor Meeting

Girl Dies at Home of Grandmother While Aged Woman Is in Hospital

Factory Owner Sent to Sing Sing For Deaths in Fire

R. R. STRIKES ARE NOT FORBIDDEN IN NEW MEASURE

Bill to Supplement Adamson Law Would Fine Pickets in Time of Trouble

Washington, Jan. 26. — Railroad strikes and lockouts are not forbidden by the terms of a bill to supplement the Adamson law which the Senate Interstate Commerce committee virtually had completed to-day.

545 Civilians Are Killed 652 Wounded by 60,000 Bombs Dropped on Rheims

New York, Jan. 26. — Sixty thousand bombs have fallen on Rheims, France, since the beginning of the war, 446 civilians have been killed and 652 wounded, according to a statement prepared by Whitney Warren, the architect.

Ten Murder Cases on Trial Week of Feb. 5

Widow of Sitting Bull Dies From Burns Received When She Rescues Shaw

Military Training Will Not Make For Militarism

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Probate Dewey's Will

GERMANS ENTER FRENCH TRENCHES BEFORE VERDUN

Make Four Attacks Over Front of Mile and Capture 500 Prisoners

Teutons Striking Steadily Northward; Russians Offering Strong Resistance

In what appears to have been the most important offensive movement undertaken on the Franco-Belgian front in several weeks French trenches on a front of approximately a mile in the region of Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, were stormed by German troops yesterday.

Country Papers Say They Will Soon Advance Prices

Confesses to Murder

Mexicans Release Bishop

Widow of Sitting Bull Dies From Burns Received When She Rescues Shaw

El Paso, Jan. 26. — Forces of Francisco Villa have occupied El Valle, Chihuahua, abandoned by General Pershing's outposts, according to apparently reliable information received in army circles.

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