

# ENTENTE MAY MAKE PEACE REPLY TODAY

ANSWER TO WILSON NOTE WILL NOT BE MADE PUBLIC FOR FORTY-EIGHT HOURS.

London, Jan. 9.—The reply of the entente nations to President Wilson's note may go forward within twenty-four hours, but its publication is not expected until forty-eight hours after its receipt on account of the plans for simultaneous publication.

The delay in the preparation of the note is taken here to mean that it has undergone considerable changes from the first draft, and the near eastern question is expected to figure more largely in the completed document than had been considered probable.

### Pope Won't Reply to U. S.

Rome, via Paris, Jan. 8.—The Vatican denies a statement which has appeared in the press that the pope is about to answer President Wilson's note in approximately the same terms as Spain. It is pointed out that there are no diplomatic relations between the United States and the Holy See, the pope had no official communication of President Wilson's note, and thus could not answer in any form, although it is stated that he strongly sympathizes with the intentions and aims of the president.

### War Council Satisfactory.

Paris, Jan. 8.—Although no communication has been made public regarding the conference of the entente allies, says a Rome dispatch to the Temps, private conversations with some of the principal figures in the conference leave no doubt that the result is fully satisfactory and that the representatives of the entente powers separated in full accord and full confidence.

The French premier, M. Briand, said to the Temps correspondent:

"Our visit has been most fruitful and was timely. We have eliminated all the little differences that could hinder our united efforts."

### AMUSEMENTS.

#### Gayety Theatre.

One of the greatest movies of the war is entitled "War Brides," and will be presented by Mme. Alla Nazimova, the celebrated Russian actress at the Gayety theatre January 18, 19 and 20.

The New York world under date of November 13, says:

As a motion picture actress Alla Nazimova moved women to tears last night at the Broadway theatre in Herbert Brenon's film production of Marion Craig Wentworth's intensely feminine and appealingly human short play, "War Brides," first acted at the Palace theatre.

In the screen version of "War Brides," elaborated into two parts, Nazimova is vividly tragic. Her remarkable gift of facial expression is especially moving in the second part of the play when Joan, after learning that her husband has been killed shoots herself rather than become the mother of a child that may be sacrificed to war. Heading the women of the town, she intercepts the King as he rolls along a highway in his motor car and ends her life with a bullet while she confronts him. Her body is then raised above the heads of the women who stand as a protest against war.

This change in Mrs. Wentworth's play leads to a dramatic conclusion. Among other scenes devised by Mr. Brenon are a church transformed into a hospital to which the "war brides" flock, and trenches that are changed to tombs by gas bombs. Domestic horrors suggested to Joan's mind by a possible invasion of the enemy are visualized with more realism, perhaps, than direction. As in the original play, a demand is made that women shall have a voice in the councils of a nation.

Mme. Nazimova is lithesome and girlish as the factory worker who romps off to a picnic in the country, but it is not until she expresses the agonies of a woman whose husband has gone to war that she demonstrates her full dramatic power.

This so compelling that the spectator can forgive her for overdoing the job of "making-up" her eyes. As a tragic actress, Nazimova wins a place on the screen that is all her own.

Gertrude Berkeley gives a fine, simple and altogether human performance as the mother who loses four sons.

This Selznick picture of "War Brides," is chiefly notable for its dramatic quality.

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# ALLIES TO TAKE DRASTIC STEPS IN MEETING GREECE

London, Jan. 9.—That the allies, at their war council in Rome, decided upon action of the most drastic kind towards Greece was indicated by dispatches received here today.

The Times understands that an ultimatum was drawn up and forwarded to Athens along with a demand for an immediate reply.

According to the Times this ultimatum calls for the acceptance of all the allies' previous demands forthwith.

Disorders in Greece continue and the economic situation has become perilous. Thousands of persons are starving and there is a scarcity of fuel and clothing.

A press dispatch states that King Constantine has applied for a bread card just like any other citizen of Athens.

### CITY PEOPLE KNOW IT ALL

San Francisco Paper Explains (?) Why They Are Superior to the Simple Farmer.

We city people are a sophisticated lot. That is how we differ from the country people. From our babyhoods we have been accustomed to the sight of things happening. The consequence is that we are wiser and better than any kind of people that ever lived, says the San Francisco Bulletin, in a satirical vein.

We have seen and experienced so much that to the country visitor we must seem curious. We do not stand around and stare at things, as country people would, except when there is a dog fight, or an automobile breaks down, or there is a fire alarm, or a policeman has an argument with a taxi driver, or a socialist with a militarist, or when a political candidate or a brand of soap is advertised by means of a hand on a daisy or when a man walks down the street with old-fashioned whiskers, or pink trousers, or without any hat on, or when a foundation for a building is being excavated, or piles driven, or a street relaid, or at any time when we may behold the remarkable spectacle of hard work of any kind being carried on in public, or when somebody else steps and stares at something and we aren't quite sure what it is, but are certain that we ought not to take the risk of missing it.

But country people—they are always staring at things. This may be the result of their limited spheres of life. All they ever see is things growing, which is a much less spectacular process than things happening. Their work is narrow, being nothing more than producing food, and requiring no great capacity beyond a knowledge of chemistry, physiology, animal psychology and familiarity with a scanty dozen or two of skilled trades.

Hospitality.

Don't let impromptu hospitality die out in your home, housewife. Encourage your husband to bring his friends home for dinner and your daughter to bring her friends to lunch. Keep a stock of canned goods always ready on your shelves and a supply of clean table linen in your linen closet, and then you will not feel any qualms about asking your own callers who stay on into lunch hours to partake of your lunch with you.

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# INDIANS DENIED PROPERTY CLAIM

U. S. SUPREME COURT FAILS TO GIVE POTTAWATOMIES LAKE FRONT LANDS THEY SUED FOR.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—The claim of the Pottawatomie Indians to most of the Chicago lake front and particularly to lands occupied by the Illinois Central and by the city of Chicago was dismissed by the supreme court late yesterday with costs assessed against the Indians.

The case was brought to trial by John Williams, chief of the Pokagon band of the Pottawatomie nation, and by other members of his tribe who are residents of Michigan.

The Indians claim that they were entitled to all lands reclaimed from Lake Michigan since the Greenville treaty of Aug. 3, 1795. This would have included not only much of the lake front, but land that formerly was an island but which is now joined to the mainland.

The value of the lands was many millions of dollars. In dismissing the case the court did not give any reasons other than that there was no foundation for the claims of the plaintiffs.

The supreme court decided yesterday the Lake Shore, the Michigan Central and the Chicago, Indiana and Southern railroads are not entitled to damages for cost of new bridges over the Little Calumet river near Gary, Ind., necessitated by the Calumet drainage project.

An order of the Illinois public utilities commission fixing maximum interstate coal rates, alleged to be a factor in thru interstate commerce, was affirmed by a supreme court ruling in a complaint of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway against Poehlmann Bros., Morton Grove, Ill.

### Marriage Licenses.

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# AMERICAN CREW SAVED AFTER U BOAT ATTACK

London, Jan. 9.—Hoy's shipping agency announces that the Norwegian steamship Hanne (probably listed of 1,113 tons) probably has been sunk. Other losses are:

Norwegian steamship Thapar, 1,407 tons; British schooner Brenda and Russian schooner Semmel.

### American on Torpedoed Ship.

Paris, Jan. 8.—The Norwegian steamer Helgoy, 1,119 tons, was torpedoed Jan. 3.—The crew was saved. One member of the ship's company, Walter Dupress, of Atlanta, Ga., arrived in Paris today.

A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Madrid says the Spanish government has addressed a complaint to the German government on the torpedoing of the steamer San Leandro.

**Didn't Recognize Real Thing.**  
Young Hospital Nurse—"Is he really dead?" Old Hospital Nurse—"Yes—have you only worked in movie studios?"—Puck.

### The Habit of Taking Cold.

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 degrees F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere.

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DAVID L. GALLUP, M. E.  
CONSULTING ENGINEER

Maxwell Motor Co., Inc., Detroit, Michigan.

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SPEED (Miles per hour)	ECONOMY (Miles per gallon)
10	33.7
15	32.7
20	31.2
25	28.9
30	26.1
35	23.0

Respectfully submitted,  
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