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WHILE the world is studying the control of the air, some one should arrange for control of hot air.

SENATORS who indulge in abuse of America's allies are trying to make the world unsafe for democracy.

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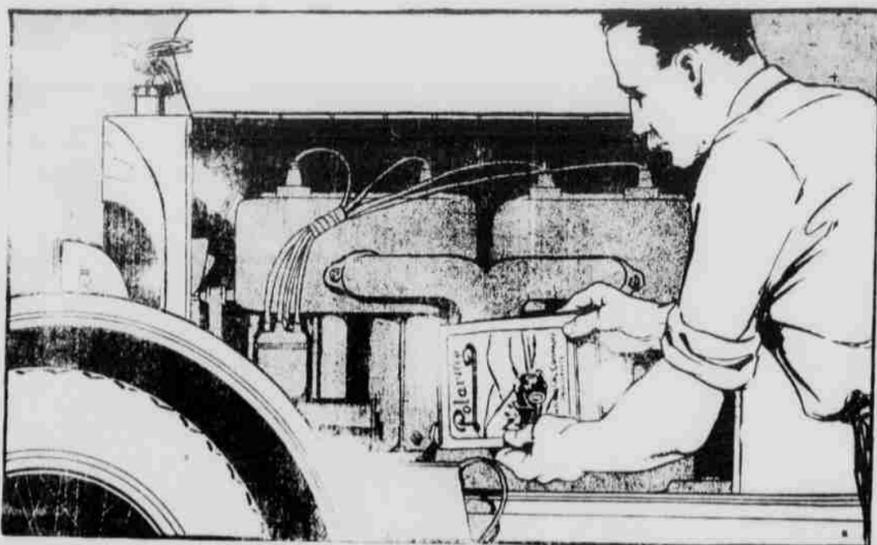
CAPITAL and labor each needs to learn that the other is not necessarily wrong-headed and stubborn and that reasonableness always pays.

THE Peace treaty and the cost of living are linked, says President Wilson. They must go down together. Swallow hard, gentlemen of the Senate, swallow hard!

NOW the coal operators are accused of a "famine plot" in sky the price. We have no sure proof of this, but we all know that coal mining is a dark underground business.

HAVANA is said to be preparing itself to become a great resort for thirsty Americans. It does look as if the Cuban metropolis across the channel has the chance of a lifetime.

MR. LODGE may triumph in the galleries and conquer in the Foreign Relations Committee, but he is sure to lose in the Senate. Thus Mr. Lodge and Mr. Penrose have not succeeded in packing the Senate.



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All Druggists

EVIDENTLY the railroad brotherhoods have been reading up on strikes.

REPUBLICAN Senators who are opposing the League of Nations are looking so far into the future to discover trouble that they are overlooking a lot right in front of them.

KEEPING wages where they are and lowering prices is one remedy the President suggests for the high cost of living. It is the surplus over expenses that measures the value of income.

EVEN the world war ended sooner than many persons expected, the race riots are over, many of the temperamental strikers are returning to work and food prices are coming down. Maybe the world is on the way back to sanity.

SENATOR FALL is endeavoring by his amendments to the treaty to qualify for membership in the Senatorial "Calamity Clan"—along with Senators Lodge, Knox, Borah, Sherman and Johnson. But some day New Mexico will take a Fall out of this organization.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CHAIRMAN FORDNEY, of the House Ways and Means Committee, suggests as a measure of economy the discharge of clerks in the Government departments in Washington. By way of amendment it might be proposed to discharge the Republican "investigators" and their retinues who are traveling thousands of miles at the public expense to hold post-mortems on dead issues.

MR. TAFT charges Mr. Lodge with inconsistency. Mr. Lodge can answer with a showing that he has consistently opposed everything President Wilson has advocated.

SANITARY ORDINANCE.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Mayor of Weldon, N. C. 1. It shall be unlawful to use or maintain any residence or other building in the city of Weldon which is located on a lot abutting on the city sewer line, said residence or building being not more than two hundred feet from the same, unless one or more cesspools (five or six cubic feet) are provided with each building connected with said sewer, provided water is available from the city mains within two hundred feet from said cesspool or building.

2. That all properties in the city of Weldon, not included by section 1, shall be governed by the requirements of the State Board of Health, Chapter 71, Public Laws of 1919.

3. It has been determined by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen that the Box and Can type of privy is best suited to the needs and conditions of the premises in the city of Weldon, exceptions to this ordinance may be permitted only by special authority from the city government.

4. The city offers to assist the property owners in the installation of the box and can type of privy by purchasing from the manufacturer the equipment necessary to meet the requirements of this ordinance, said equipment consisting of equipment to be set in place by the property owners, with the necessary plumbing to be done by the City.

5. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances previously enacted which are in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

6. That this ordinance shall be in force from the date of its passage.

7. Violations of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of five dollars for the first day, and one dollar for each additional day the violation is continued, dating from the time specified in official notice from the city.

Passed and adopted this 6th day of September, 1919. W. W. WIGGINS, Mayor. E. L. HAYWARD, Clerk.

OBEY THE LAW.

Read And Be Governed Accordingly.

Only a short time remains for the people of Weldon to comply with the sanitation law enacted by the last Legislature and avoid the penalties provided under the law. Every home that is not connected with a water sewerage system is affected.

Discussing the new law and its enforcement Mayor W. W. Wiggins says:

"It is the duty of every good citizen to heartily join in the efforts being made to rid the community of typhoid fever and similar diseases. The health authorities have pointed out the sources of these diseases, and have shown the method of controlling them. With such knowledge available there is no excuse for the presence of a case of typhoid fever, and it is the plain duty of every resident to see that he and his family are protected by having his own home sanitized.

The health authorities have demonstrated that typhoid fever, 'summer complaint' among the babies, and similar diseases are excrement borne diseases. There is no guess work about this; it has been conclusively proven. It therefore follows, as the health authorities point out, that the proper disposal of human excrement means the removal of the source of these diseases. In the face of these admitted facts I do not believe that there is a man in this town who will deliberately endanger the lives of his own loved ones and the lives of his neighbors by failing to take the means provided and advised for safety.

"Unfortunately every home can not be connected with the water sewerage system. But every home can, and must, have a sanitary privy. Self-preservation is the first law of nature. In providing a sanitary privy this natural law, as well as the State law, will be fulfilled.

"Full information of the various types of the sanitary privies that will be approved by the State Board of Health, which is charged with the duty of enforcing this act of the Legislature, may be obtained from my office, or a special bulletin will be mailed direct to the interested person upon application to the State Board of Health, Raleigh. Sanitary inspectors representing the State Board of Health will begin their duties the first of October and it is time for those of our people who have not already taken action to get busy.

"The necessity for full compliance with the law is a double one. Both a moral and legal duty rests upon the head of each home. I believe that all our citizens will see the matter in this light, and will act accordingly. It will be a splendid record to have this town rated as 100 per cent. sanitary by the State Board of Health, and it is a record that we may easily attain."

EVERY once in a while we receive a new proof of the wisdom of the authors of the Federal Constitution. Suppose the treaty of peace and the covenant of the League of Nations had to be approved by both branches of the present Republican Congress!

Read What U. S. Department of Agriculture Says About what Two Rats Can Do.

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All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This the 2nd day of September, 1919. W. H. JOHNSTON, H. E. MURPHEY, Administrators of the estate of Eugene Johnston, deceased. W. E. DANIEL, Weldon, N. C. JOS. P. PIPPER, Littleton, N. C. 9 11 61

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