

THE DAWES PACT PLAN IS SIGNED

"INTERNATIONAL BANKER" A MYTH

Ratification by Parliament of Nations Involved Necessary to Make Plan Operative.

Kehl, Germany—The French government in Baden announced the evacuation of Bingen and Andernach by French occupational forces; 1,700 French troops are preparing to move. Returns of the French troops to the two Baden towns is the first troop movement under the French promise made to the Germans at London to withdraw troops from Germany "as quickly as possible." The withdrawal of French occupational forces from Baden has no connection, however, with the French pledge to recall their occupational troops from the Ruhr.

London—The pact of London—marking the successful termination of five years struggle to agree upon means of concluding a war reparations peace—was signed in a plenum session of conference on the Dawes report here.

The last of the signatures had been affixed to the protocols and only remains to be affected by the Dawes program becomes operative, payment of reparations by Germany is placed on a sound and regular basis and the general withdrawal of Franco-Belgian forces from occupied territory in Germany begins.

There have been dramatic meetings in the British foreign office, but particularly now that the representatives of the Allies and the German representatives met to seal the contract which, since the treaty of Versailles, has defied the best efforts of many cabinet ministers.

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BRYAN PLEDGES FARMER AID

Nebaska Governor Praises Democratic Platform in Acceptance.

Lincoln, Neb.—Before a large and friendly gathering of local business leaders and supporters and national and sectional party leaders, Gov. Charles W. Bryan formally accepted the nomination for vice president by the Democratic party. In his acceptance speech he said: "My very existence depends upon the confidence and co-operation of the public and of his fellow-workers—and any banker whose activities would justly create the impression that he was seeking to profit personally more than by American interests would very soon lose that confidence and following."

"The business which he does for his own account in, with, or for Europe, is inconsiderable as compared to the business he does in America. His principal functions in relation to Europe are to provide the required banking facilities for exports and imports for travelers. That part of his functions which consists in financing loans to foreign governments or industries with sporadic exceptions, of relatively immense proportions as compared to the vastness of the volume of his transactions in serving American industry, cannot and cannot be.

Needless to say, foreign credits "In saying this, I do not mean to imply that there is anything that calls for apology in the floating of foreign loans in America and in the loaning of American funds. European creditors such loans are considered sound as to security and are made for legitimate, constructive purposes. Indeed, such loans ought to, and I believe will, be made in increasing measure, when conditions in Europe will become such as to warrant it."

It is important that the promotion of our export trade, inasmuch of course, the export of farm products requires us, under the circumstances as they now are and are likely to remain, to some extent, to aid the purchasing power of other nations by extending them financial facilities to a reasonable extent.

It is the function of the banker to be between the parties in such transactions. In doing so, it is the means of serving a useful national purpose, just as he served a useful, a highly important national purpose, in the same means of protecting and bringing European capital to America in former years when capital was reversed and such capital was needed here but vital to the development of this country and the realization of its opportunities."

ITALIAN OVERTAKES AVIATORS

Locatelli Gives No Hint He Will Try to Reach Continent First

Rovinj, Croatia—Ilievland Lieutenant Locatelli, a famous aviator, following the route of the American armistice flyers, has overtaken the American flyers here after a hop from Thessaloniki. Farce officials. His plane was caught in the mud banks and anched between the planes of Lieutenant Lowell H. Smith and Erik Nelson, the American aviators. He brought with him a letter from the embassy in Rome to Lieutenant Smith. It was 20 days old.

It is still uncertain when Locatelli will leave Rovinj, and where his next destination will be. There is no hint that the Italian aviator has any idea of getting to the American continent ahead of the Americans.



"Listening In"

The electricity on a telephone line is intended to carry a conversation between only two persons at a time. When other receivers on a party line are taken off, the flow of electricity is weakened, making it difficult for the proper persons to hear.

The electric current which carries a conversation between two telephones, may be likened to a stream of water flowing through a pipe under a given pressure. If the pipe springs a leak, the flow at the other end is less.

The effect of "listening in" is particularly noticeable when long distance calls are being made.

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KING FUN TO RULE AT STATE FAIR

Otto H. Kahn Refutes Idea That Foreign Finance Activities Dull Allegiance to America.

BANKING REFLECTS BUSINESS

"International Farmer" and Other Business Men Will Sell to Foreign Markets Create Demand for International Financial Service.

The idea that bankers engaged in financing foreign trade and in handling foreign bond flotations are a particular cult of "international bankers" actuated by motives differing from those of other bankers was refuted recently by Otto H. Kahn of New York, in an address to the Rochester Chamber of Commerce.

"There is no such thing as an 'International Banker' in America, as the meaning of the term is generally understood," Mr. Kahn said. "He exists in the imagination of people all too numerous, but he does not exist in the flesh. You might just as well speak of an 'international farmer' because the farmer sells a certain percentage of his crops to Europe, or of the 'International Manufacturer.'

"The banker maintains, and can maintain, international contact, and conduct international business, only to the extent that American industry, commerce and agriculture are interested in foreign markets, and that within his purview continuously the conditions of affairs and the current of things throughout the world, but so must the exporter and importer, and so must the farmer take into account the prices and tendencies of the market in Liverpool."

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The American home's market is the home market. His success is conditioned upon the capacity and willingness of the American investor to invest in foreign countries. His very existence depends upon the confidence and co-operation of the public and of his fellow-workers—and any banker whose activities would justly create the impression that he was seeking to profit personally more than by American interests would very soon lose that confidence and following."

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Hold the Back Straight

All you have really to do is to keep your back as straight as you can, and not to think about what is on it; above all not to boast of what is on it. The real meaning of virtue is in that straightness of the back.—Ruskin.

Sweetbreads

Sweetbread is the name of the thymus or pancreas of an animal (especially a calf) used for food, the former being the throat sweetbread or neck sweetbread, the latter the stomach sweetbread.

Inspiration to Genius

Shakespeare and Moliero were debited for some of the greatest plays of the great Italian novelist of the sixteenth century, whose "Ten Pleasant Nights" is still a present to writers of the same sweetbread.

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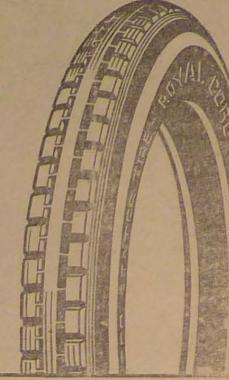
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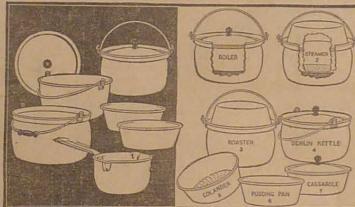
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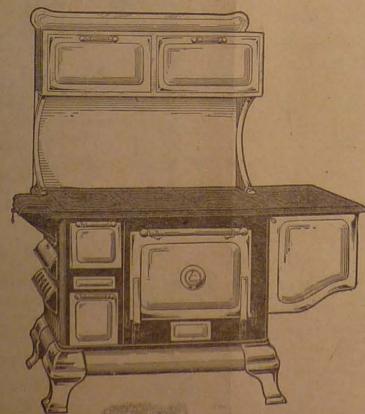
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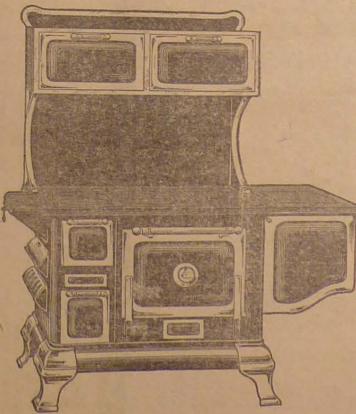
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