

Industry Revival Seen by Lamont in U.S. Exports

Opinion Thought to Be Based on Belief That Foreign Currencies Will Continue Rising.

By HOLLAND. Although Thomas W. Lamont gave no reasons for his prediction that before this year ends, probably soon after midsummer, the evidences of a return of industrial and commercial activity will be plentiful, nevertheless, his forecast, based on facts similar to those which have led the Department of Commerce at Washington to predict that in the present year considerably in excess of \$3,000,000,000 worth of American goods, both manufactured and raw material, will have been sold and exported.

Other Countries Recovering. Mr. Lamont's prediction is based on the belief that foreign currencies will continue to rise and that this will result in a more rapid recovery of the world's business. In other words, the foreign nations are expected to recover more rapidly than the United States.

Results and Deposit Shops. Reports which come from many parts of the country not only from the largest cities but from the smallest towns, all indicate a general revival of business. The results of the New York Stock exchange, Mr. Lamont has recently revealed, show that the market is recovering from its recent depression.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings for the week ending February 17, reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, show a steady increase over the corresponding week of the previous year.

Farm Products Higher. Headstart's Food Index number, based on the price of 21 articles used for food, is 11.11, compared with 10.95 last week and 10.81 the week ending February 13, 1921.

THE GUMPS



Omaha Grain. Omaha, February 18. Strong foreign cables and reports of continued dry weather in the southwest caused a sharp advance in Chicago wheat futures this week.

Financial. The New York Times. Omaha Dec. 19. Of late week's political or industrial developments with a hearing on the financial future, several were positively favorable, some were favorable in a negative way and one or two others would ordinarily be regarded as unfavorable.

Live Stock. Omaha, Feb. 18. Receipts were—Cattle, 10,000; Hogs, 15,000; Sheep, 5,000. The market was generally steady.

Trade Review. Chicago Grain. Chicago, Feb. 19.—Wheat prices, and practically all grains, are about the highest of the season, with indications of an irregular advance.

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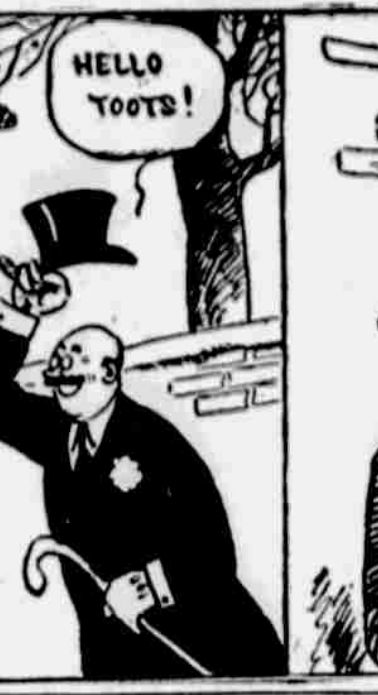
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Competitor for Muscle Shoals

Alabama Company Promises to Furnish Power Within Radius of 400 Miles If Proposal Is Accepted.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Supply of hydro-electric power for municipal and industrial purposes throughout the region within transmission distance of Muscle Shoals, Ala., estimated by engineer experts at 400 miles, was promised by Thomas W. Martin, president of the Alabama Power company, in the event congress accepts the offer of that company for purchase and lease of the shoals projects.

Market for All Power. In that connection, he said, "we have carefully considered the large market demands in Memphis and Nashville districts, in Mississippi, Louisiana, New Orleans and Mobile as well as the economical advantages of supplementing by interconnection, the power supplied for industrial purposes in the states of Georgia and North and South Carolina."

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