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The neighbors, however, did not confuse method with madness, and on such occasions they quaintly said: "It is only Monsieur Garcia teaching his girls to sing."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

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Miss Keen—Who proposed?

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HARDING SUGGESTS GREATER FINANCIAL AID FOR FARMERS

Also Favors Co-Operative Marketing — Bryan, Who Follows Him at Farm Parley, Praises Agricultural Bloc.

Washington, Jan. 24.—President Harding made three major recommendations Monday in his speech opening the national agricultural conference.

They were:
1—Legislation permitting nationwide co-operative marketing.
2—Organization of the agricultural industry on an efficiency basis, to put an end to haphazard production and over production.

3—More extended financial support.

Called Crisis "Grim Reality." Based upon these major points, the president elaborated a plan upon which congress should legislate to relieve the present crisis in agriculture which he described as a "grim reality," and to provide a solid basis for permanent welfare of the industry.

The president told the delegations from every state of the union that upon the base of sound and prosperous agricultural industry rested the economic structure of the nation.

The delegates, more than two-thirds of whom are directly interested in farming, arose to cheer the president when he appeared to open the conference.

The president's declaration that the whole country is awaiting with "acute concern" the ability of the conference to find a way to improve the agricultural situation, met with prolonged applause.

"Truly a National Interest." "It is truly a national interest and not entitled to be regarded as primarily the concern of either a class or a section, or a bloc," said Mr. Harding.

The president pointed out that the capital indebtedness of the country's enormous "agricultural plant" is small, and he urged wider establishment of rural finance societies and co-operative loaning associations to give more elastic credits to farmers. Citing the co-operative societies of Russia, he said they are "the most potent support in that disturbed country."

Taking up the question of high transportation rates, which figure so largely in production costs and in prices to the consumer, the president stressed the necessity of waterways development as a remedy. He declared that the United States represents the world's most attractive opportunity for extension of the sea ways many hundreds of miles inland. "Feasibility of the St. Lawrence-Great Lakes project is unquestioned," he declared in endorsing the project. He suggested nearly all railroads be electrified later.

Representative farmers from each section of the country described conditions in their localities, and told of the effects of agricultural depression upon allied industries.

The conference appointed committees to bring in reports on various phases of the situation. These committees will prepare drafts of legislation for submission to congress, which will be acted on by the conference as a whole before it adjourns on Friday.

Bryan's Talk Warmly Applauded. William Jennings Bryan, although not a delegate, addressed the conference in praise of the agricultural bloc in the Senate. It was the first time, he said, that the farmer had a champion in congress, to make known the needs of the great agricultural population. Mr. Bryan's references to the agricultural bloc were warmly applauded.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, who announced Representative Sidney Anderson, of Minnesota, has been made chairman of the conference, urged greater constructive efforts on the part of the national and state governments to improve agricultural conditions.

8 OF CREW DROWNED AS MOD WENT DOWN

Waarli, Master of Norwegian Freighter, Is Presumed to Be Among Missing.

New York, Jan. 24.—Eight of the crew of the Norwegian freighter Mod were drowned when that vessel sank in mid-ocean Sunday morning wireless reports received at the naval communications bureau said Monday. A radio from the Mt. Carroll was received by the American Metals Transportation Company, Monday, asking that all vessels passing the locality in which the little steamer sank search for the men reported missing.

Early messages stated 33 men, comprising the crew, had been picked up by the British steamer Malmorehead. As the American Metals Company has received no message from Captain Waarli, master of the sunken craft, it is presumed he may have been among the missing men.

Persons in New York city, thinking only of beautifying their rooms for some particular occasion, are using shrubs, vines, ferns and similar products of the forest by the millions, little realizing that they are stolen, says the New York World. Men camping out in shacks are robbing the wooded sections of Connecticut to the extent of more than \$500,000 a year without owners being aware of it. These facts were brought out in connection with Christmas tree depredations in New York state.

A force of 200 men is being recruited to combat the pine destroying beetle in the yellow pine forests south of Klamath Lake, Ore., beginning March 15. The beetles sting the trees and so destroy them.

HAYS' SUCCESSOR?



Dr. Hubert Work, of Colorado, first assistant to Postmaster General Hays, who is expected to secure the appointment to that office when Mr. Hays leaves on March 4.

CONSTANTINE IS EXPECTED TO ABDICATE

Special Cable Dispatch. Athens, Jan. 24.—It is declared here that it has finally been made clear to King Constantine that normal relations between Greece and other powers cannot be fully restored until he retires in favor of his son.

It is learned that Constantine has arrived at the conclusion that the interests of the country will be best served by his abdication. It is said he will shortly make an announcement he will submit to the inevitable in favor of Prince George.

GREAT FIRE IS RAGING IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Jan. 24.—A great fire is raging in the Berthelet building at No. 55 St. Francois Xavier street, in the heart of Montreal's financial district. The building is almost entirely occupied by stock brokers and financial houses.

DENY WIRTH CABINET TO FALL THIS WEEK

Well Informed Political Circles Declare Crisis Reports Are Premature.

Special Radio Dispatch. Berlin, Jan. 24.—Sensational rumors that the Wirth cabinet will fall before the end of this week are discounted in well informed political circles. It is declared reports of such a cabinet crisis are at least premature.

There was much discussion of the speech of President Loebe, of the reichstag, announcing the possible fall of the cabinet Wednesday. The speech is characterized as a social democratic maneuver and as a club to force an agreement upon the taxation program.

Plans were almost perfected last week for enlarging the coalition government by taking the people's party into the cabinet, with Herr Becker, the former finance minister of Hessen, as minister of finance and Herr Stressemann as foreign minister. The plans were upset by the unexpected differences over taxation schemes which would put additional burdens upon the people.

DELAY OF TREATIES IS SOUGHT IN HOUSE

Washington, Jan. 24.—A demand that the Senate withhold action on treaties growing out of the arms conference until the next session of congress will be made by House republican leaders at the conference with Senate majority leaders Wednesday, it was learned Monday.

The House leaders are afraid that if the Senate attempts to dispose of the treaty ratification at this session congress will not be able to adjourn June 1 as the House desires.

Children in a school at Windsor, Ont., gained an average of five pounds and two ounces in November and December while they patronized the school cafeteria. Formerly they had cold lunches at the noon hour. The lunches supplied by the school cafeteria were made up of cocoa, milk, biscuits and other light foods.

Miss Ethel Oliver is the first actress to "break a record" literally. In the vestibule of the Savoy theater, London, was a tablet commemorating the 672nd performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado, with directions for it to remain until this record was broken. On the 673rd night of "Paddy, the Next Best Thing," Miss Oliver broke the record with a hammer.

JAPAN TO OCCUPY SIBERIA AS LONG AS SHE DESIRES

U. S. Delegates Plan to Flee Rather Than Fight as Tokio Baron Throws Down Gauntlet at Parley.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Japan on Monday flung down the gauntlet to the armaments conference on the question of her military occupation of Siberia and Monday night the American delegation was preparing once more to turn and flee rather than put up a fight.

Baron Shidehara was waiting with his challenge. Secretary Hughes had hardly concluded his brief announcement that "the next subject on the agenda was Siberia," before the baron was on his feet demanding recognition. He informed the conference that he would state "exactly the intentions and aims of Japan in regard to Siberia."

Viewed as a whole, Shidehara's statement can be boiled down into this defile:

"We will get out of Siberia when we get good and ready, and not before, notwithstanding the American protest. If you don't like it, what are you going to do about it?"

"Nothing," the American answer appears to be.

Baron Shidehara stated the only region now occupied by Japanese troops is the southern portion of the maritime province around Vladivostok and Nikolai. Retention of the troops there, he declared, is necessary for the protection of the lives and property of Japanese nationals until a stable government is established and order restored. Further, the Japanese said only by this means could the security of the Korean frontier be protected from anti-Japanese conspirators. He continued:

"The Japanese government is now seriously considering plans which would justify it in carrying out its declaration of the complete withdrawal of Japanese troops from the maritime province, with reasonable precaution for the security of Japanese residents and of the Korean frontier regulations."

Baron Shidehara flatly stated the Japanese occupation of Saghalin province is wholly different and will be sustained until Japan is indemnified for the losses to her nationals in the massacre at Nikolai in 1920. But he assured the conference:

"Nothing is further from the thought of the Japanese government than to take advantage of the present hopeless conditions of Russia for prosecuting selfish designs."

Japan Promises to Respect Russia. Summing up, the baron said:

"In conclusion, the Japanese delegation is authorized to declare that it is this fixed and settled policy of Japan to respect the territorial integrity of Russia, and to observe the principle of non-intervention in the internal affairs of that country, as well as the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations in every part of the Russian provisions."

The session was adjourned immediately upon conclusion of Baron Shidehara's statement. Discussion will be resumed tomorrow morning. American spokesmen Monday hastened to halt the Japanese statement as a "disclaimer."

American spokesmen further conceded Japan fixes no time for withdrawal of her troops and, under the terms of her statement, is to be her own judge of the fulfillment of the conditions precedent to her withdrawal.

The point was attempted that this time Japan asserts her honest intentions "more definitely and positively and without any effort to qualify her previous declarations."

This statement by a responsible American authority appears indicative of the course to be pursued:

"A more solemn and formal declaration hardly could be made. It is assumed that Japan's intention was to make her disclaimer so categorical that it will be impossible for her to remain definitely in Siberia."

The United States, it was declared, is on record in unmistakable terms. Secretary Hughes wrote a long note last summer calling upon Japan to get out of Siberia. The Japanese reply was virtually a paraphrase of Monday's statement. It is asserted this government has not receded from any position it has taken in the matter.

But American spokesmen declare without hesitation that Baron Shidehara's statement was "very welcome." In one responsible quarter it was even stated the Japanese statement recognizes the American promise of a "moral trusteeship" for Russia.

The conference has no authority to go behind the Japanese statement and see if conditions set forth actually exist, it was asserted. Every power in the conference has information on conditions in Siberia, however, and some of them think the very presence of Japanese troops creates the conditions put forward as justifying Japanese occupation, it was declared.

A Russian prince has decided to forget the soviets and come to America to study. He is D. A. Shvetzoff, 19, who recently arrived in New York, saying he expected to enroll in the University of Texas. He told the story of his family's adventures, how they were imprisoned by the bolsheviks after the revolution and how he was set free.

The divorce ring has arrived. Bustness was slow with a San Francisco jeweler until he designed the divorce ring. Now he has a line of divorcees at his counter waiting to be fitted with the latest fad in jewelry. It supplants the wedding ring on the left hand. It is jeweled according to the number of successful legal battles for separation.



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REASON IN THIS ARGUMENT

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A faithful old servant in a southern family has recently become a grandmother. "What does Libby call her new baby, Mandy?" the old woman was asked.

"She named her 'Gabrielle,' miss—after you."

"Why, the idea, Mandy. You know my name is not Gabrielle. You've called me 'Miss Katie' all your life."

"Yas'm, Miss Katie—dat I does. But when it comes to naming babies after folks, it ain't what dey is called it is what dey is like dat you names 'em foh. You shorely is mo' like 'Miss Gabrielle' dan you is like 'Miss Katie,' jes, like Libby says."

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