OMAHA, SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1923. *

With So Much Sail, Omaha Should Have a Good Rudder

Big Powers

Officials Consider Reparations Proposal May Offer Way to Reconcile Views of Britain and France.

Washington, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)ence of the reparations problem to international financiers for recommenfor acceptance or rejection. Administration officials consider it may offer a way to reconcile the conflicting views of Great Britain and

A White House spokesman stated to on the Rhine. ne way at this time, and could not ve unless the powers concerned wed a desire that it should do so. Ulthnately it is hoped that a way to be helpful, will be opened by action of the French or British govern-

that officials did not believe that actual occupation of the Ruhr- region practical test of the French plan forcible collections failed.

officials appears to be that a test of the French theories in regard to the St. Mihiel has become a great there not only excited the wonder of German capacity to pay is now in problem. If these theories prove further American initiative in the matter; if not, the Hughes suggestion may well serve as the basis for a new allied conference to plan some Debt Refunding

was stated today there was doubt, in the event that occupation of the Ruhr failed to produce the results French expert opinion had forecast, further conferences with Germany might be expected and probably would lead to such alterations in reparations schedules as experience had shown necessary. The determination of France to proceed with the occupation, it was explained, had two underlying purposes. The first was that experts in whose judgment the French authorities had confidence had held that the desired payments could be rpose, it was added, was to make The French authorities are

cuperation from the war.

to Send Warships to Former Prussia nTerritory.

exchanged

Fight Common Enemy

London, Jan. 12.—(By A. P.)—The people curious spectacle of the French and posed for the most part of Germans, the outskirts, will resist the Lithuanian raiders, according to advices received here.

The British government has associated itself with the French in protesting to Lithuania against the advance on Memel and a British cruiser has been dispatched there.

Copenhagen, Jan. 12 .- An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Memel reports that the inter-allied high commissioner has proclaimed Memel in a state of siege. The newspaper Memeler Dampfboot says a proclamation signed by members of the "committee for saving Little Lithuania" announces M. Simonaitis, said to be a former Lithuanian minister, has been created president of the Memel territory.

German Brain Specialist

on Way to See Lenine Berlin, Jan. 12 .- Dr. Vogt director of the Neuro-Biological institute, who is one of the leading brain specialists in Germany has left for Moscow for consultation with the physicians of Nikolai Lenine, the soviet premier. Soviet circles in Berlin learned that the Lenine condition rapidly is grow

Plan of U.S. Transport Will Resemble

Ranging From Monkeys spin tasique aid to Pull Away Fron Ha alogo 19 N-221

home the last of the American army you draft your truck on board. of occupation in Germany. Antwerp junk. Remember, you can fill just

ook a good deal like Noah's ark when hiel will be fully loaded. But it is its salis from Antwerp with the last not so much what the soldiers want to Secretary Hughes' proposal for refer. of the American forces in Germany if take that counts as what men and of ate report was demanded by prohibi the officers and men are allowed to ficers are leaving behind. The ma- tion officials here from the New Jercarry all the queer animals and mer- jority are pulling up by the roots sey chandise they have accumulated in the life they learned to love; it is not patches printed in this morning's pasiderations is regarded in Washington the idle and fanciful hours of the last a regiment but a colony that is being pers describing the extensive landing as still before the allied governments four years. The variety of these pos- moved. sessions only began to dawn upon them during their hurried preparations for the homeward voyage, and officers and men to straighten out the some are expressing the fear that records, dispose of prospective proptheir menagerie will have to be left crty and settle claims. Maj. Gen.

The men there have acquired many staff of the army of occupation, probday that the government was not moving in the reparations crisis in eys to Rhine fish. The exact number will close down the model farm, where of German police dogs in the outfit cattle, hogs, chickens, rabbits, fruits is not known but there are a multi- and vegetables have been raised and tude and in addition there are a num- to which was attached a large dairy. ber of daschunds, turtles, monkeys and song birds.

Proposal Stands Unchanged.

Of the inanimate objects, there are andria where polo matches were held and where American horsemanship thatn Secretary Hughes' suggesstion bottom of beer steins that, when prop-

sound there will be no reason for idea," one top sergeant told his men sports.

Agreement Likely

Within Next Week

Negotiations Between Rep-

resentatives of U. S.

and Great Britain.

change and international trade.

self, remains to be determined.

While the method of meeting the

Ansley, Neb., Jan. 12 .- (Special.)-

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Rum Boats "Dry Navy"

Thousands of Cases of Liquor Landed Despite Efforts of Officers - Sea Resem-"You must get busy throwing away bles Bargain Counter.

one barracks bag or foot locker, no Prices Quoted on Signs

headquarters concerning disof muggled liquors on the New Jer-There will remain for a time 50

Highlands, N. J., Jan. 12.-(By A. P.) -The great rum fleet of 22 vessels. which bobbed up yesterday off Sandy Hook, while the New York dry naval squadron was being reorganized was still standing off the Ambrose channel light ship today, ready for business as usual.

While prohibition forces were taking to New York four small boats captured last night while attempting to land liquor from the mother ships, the rest of the welcoming fleet of 50 were preparing to race back and forth between the rum carriers and shore.

Hauled to Big Cities.

Although observers ashore estimated that thousands of cases had been landed last night, the rum fleet presumably hailing from the Bahamas had a vast stock still to dispose of sort and other places along the coast. Liquor landed last night was reported to have been sent by motor truck New York, Philadelphia, Washing and other ctiles.

Whisky, gin, champagne and wine all were offered for sale and keen competition has developed among the skippers of the rum ships.

As the bootlegger runs along side in his powerboat, he scans signs hung over the sides of the mother ships and decides from which he will purchase. The signs inform the bottle fishermen that Scotch whisky of such-and-such brand may be had at French Advance \$45 to \$40 a case. Rye was quoted at \$35. Champagne was higher. The at \$35. Champagne was higher. The sea began to take on appearances of Lloyd Winship

Flags of Many Nations.

The visiting flotilla flies the flags of many nations and the crews are of all races. The vessels are loaded to the gunwales with liquor.

"I saw 5,000 cases in one pile on one boat," declared a grey haired London, Jan. 12.-(By A. P.)-The runner, who brought his boat safely tions between the British and Ameri- British government will give no recog- past the coast guard and revenue can debt commissioners progressed to nition to the German protest against craft last night. "You can get any

could not escape the role of vanof the terms of the settlement of Great which the Berlin government adouished by trickery or diplomatic evaBritain's debt of more than four bildressed to the allies last night, and fear, despite the capture of four of lions of dollars can be approached at in no way will the protest affect Brit- their best boats last night. Thouconvinced, it was said, that the Ger. the next session on Monday. An agree- ish action or policy, it was authori- sands of cases moved out of the town ment in principle at least, still is tatively stated this afternoon. When all night by motor truck and passenger eral grand jury in Lincoln for conforecast before the end of the next ever it becomes necessary the Brit- cars. The last left this morning in It was admitted, however, that week, at which time the British com- ish representatives on the various in- five big motor vans-40,000 cases. French economic experts might be missioners plan to depart for Lon- terallied commissions will absent The power boats taken last night themselves in order to demonstrate were the Margaret B, a cabin cruiser; Antonio, Tex. Winship is one of the from Camden, Me., and an unnamed

Submits to Search.

Another alleged bootlegger was chased, but jettisoned its cargo and submitted to a search. It was re- able apartment house at San Antonio

One man who escaped capture last night by jumping ashore was ready today to take another of his boats out to the rum fleet.

were protected against losses.

Mayence, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)-Maj. Gen. Henry T. Allen, commandposts to Gelsenkirchen, three miles

Eremen whence they will sail for the late the same statutes.

Reduce Phone Rates.

Lincoln Telephone company, in addition. utes at the same hour. The ringing which operates the lines at Fairbury nearby towns.

SPARKLING

MUNICIPAL

EXPENDITURES

City National bank of Lincoln. after some rapid work by United

States Attorney J. C. Kinsler. Arrest Unexpected.

marshal in San Antonio by long-distance telephone and gave him instructions and the address. The marshal went to the place, found Winship and January 21 for Bremen put him under arrest,

er of the American forces of occu- alleged misappropriation of the bank's pation, informed French general funds in violation of federal statutes headquarters here today that the regulating federal reserve bank men United States is withdrawing its bers and national banks, and Wintroops from the Coblenz bridgehead. ship and the three other members of The troops, an official communique the Nebraska Aircraft corporation says, will leave January 21 for were indicted for conspiring to vio-

will close next Monday morning from families will travel on commercial that the two officials of the bank the vault of the Knierim Savings cashed checks presented by the Ne- bank, rifled all of the safety deposit braska Aircraft corporation when the boxes and escaped early today. Bank organization had no funds in the officials were unable to estimate the bank, and was then overdrawn and loss until customers completed a Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 12.—(Special.)— owed the bank approximately \$100,000 check of individual losses. Vera

> and most of the lines in the county, of conspiracy against Winship and announces approximately one-third his fellow defendants carries a pent the bank. The girls were awakened reduction on long distance calls to alty of two years imprisonment and about 1 a. m. to find two men cutting not more than \$10,000 fine, or both. all telephone wires leading into the ex-

> > SPONTANEOUS

Schlaifer Wins **Decision Over** Warren Smith

decision over Warren Smith of Oklahoma in their 10-round semi-windup at the Auditorium last night. "Young" Bige, Omaha lightweight,

"Heinie" Herman, Jack Lewis' big heavyweight, knocked out his opponent, "Soldier" Jim Marples of

Johnson Beats Brennan in Battle at New York

New York, Jan, 12.-Floyd Johnson, Iowa heavyweight, won a de-Winship was arrested in a fashion. cision over "Big Bill" Brennan, Chicago veteran, in 15 rounds of vicious bles to Secretary Wallace of the Demilling in Madison Square Garden partment of Agriculture, who is charg-

Both men started strong, but the more youthful Johnson was better able to stand the terriffic pace, and he had Brennan almost staggering in the later periods.

During the early rounds, both men mixed furiously with Johnson ap pearing to have a trifle the advantage on points. Brennan accidentally slipped to the mat in the fifth round. and Johnson opened a cut over his opponent's left eye in the sixth. Both men were working effective hooks to the jaw, striving for a knockout.

Yeggs Hold Girls

Force Operators in Knierim Phone Exchange to Keep Still Two Hours.

Knierim, Ia., Jan. 12.—Bandits blew

Christman, telephone operator, and In case of conviction, the charge her sister, were unwilling witnesses. The telephone office is adjacent to

change. The robbers forced the girls to keep still while they completed their work and informed them that they were going to rob the bank. With the girls under guard, the rob-The girls notified Sheriff S. G. Pow- minutes later at a hospital. lie at Rockwell City. They said that

there were five or six robbers. Commission Merchants

Re-Elect Old Officers Cincinnati, Jan. 12.-The re-election of President Franzell of Pittsburgh and all subordinate officers of the national league commission merchants featured the closing session of the league here today.

The re-election of the entire slate of officers came as the result of a proposed consolidation of the Western commission merchants, which the league felt, it was said, made it imperative that the officers be re-elected. Their election was unanimous

Big Five Packers Lay Grievances Before Wallace

Hold Administration of Control Law Oversteps Intent of Congress - Results of Parley Secret.

Washington, Jan. 12 .- The packers brought their objections to methods the famous hunter and sportsman, and used in the enforcement of the pack- a partner went to northern Canada, ers and stockyards act to Washington muskox calves for museums," he said. today and for more than three hours discussed them with the government ing the animals back to their base

government delves into the affairs of the animals, but finally won their way their establishments, which they are through, although the calves were understood to feel oversteps the intent of congress, representatives of the packing industry brought their troued with the administration of the act While neither the packers nor government officials would discuss the and most ferocious was to be found in conference, it is understood the latter Alaska and in certain sections of Canwere firm in their determination of ada. Scarcity of game, he said, due

F. Edson White, new preisident of Armour & Co.; Thomas E. Wilson of Wilson & Co., one of the "big five" bine efforts with cattle and sheep asof the Institute of American Meat Packers, with one or two others, hordes of wolves, serious trouble will yards administration have been at work for some time on reports from the packs have become more numerthe various packers engaged in interstate commerce as to their financial as Bank Looted state commerce as to their financial operations. Under the provisions of the act, every packer must keep ac-

counts and records that disclose all transactions involved in his business, including the ownershop of the busi-Under regulations prescribed by Secretary Wallace, stockyard owners, and packers must permit representatives of the packers and stockyards administration to inspect property and records pertaining to their busi ness. Information required to carry out the provisions of the law also

little concern Man Hits Wife, About

to Leave Him, With Ax Muskogee, Okl., Jan. 12 .- W. N. Graves, 56, crazed by the announce ment of his wife that she intended to leave him, perhaps fatally wounded bers worked for nearly two hours her with an ax at their home here, and, blasting the vault of the bank and after failing in an attempt to kill his looting the deposit boxes. At about 11-year-old son with a butcher knife, 3°a. m. they drove away in their car. cut his own throat and died a few

"If love for me is gone from your heart, then there is no other way but this," Graves cried, as he buried the ax blade in his wife's head, his son told police.

The Weather-

Forecast. Saturday: Fair, not much change in temperature.

Hourly Temperatures

North U.S. Menaced by Wolves

Packs of Hunger-Mad Animals Ranging Along Canadian Line - Wreaking Havoc Among Stock.

Several Persons Killed

New York, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)-Northern sections of the United States are threatened with invasion by packs of hunger-mad wolves from Canada, and untold damage is likely as a result of attacks on sheep and cattle, Director W. T. Hornaday of the Bronx zoo said today after an intensive study of the alarming in crease of gray timber wolves within the last few years.

Scores of packs are now wreaking havoc among farm animals and are wiping out furred game in Ontario. while recently two Ontario mail carriers were attacked and killed near Lake Nipissing. The remains of a trapper and two Indians, devoured by welves, were found a few days ago by hunters. The rapid increase in the number

of gray wolves, according to Director Hornaday, is due to present low raw fur prices. Two years ago, he said, wolf skins brought from \$20 to \$60 New York, while today prices range from \$5 to \$19.

No Bounties in Canada.

"Cuts in fur prices have checked the activity of trappers and Indian hunters in wiping out the packs," he said. "No bounties are ofered in Canada, to my knowledge, for wolf

"In the United States it is different Practicaly every state has a bounty n wolf scalps, ranging from \$5 to \$15, while in the west, cattle and sheep associations offer aditional rewards. This has been an incentive in wiping out, to a great degree, the wolves in western United States.

"The federal government has been assisting in recent years, through the activity of the Department of Agriculture, in furnishing professional wolf killers to communities menaced by the beasts. But faced by the hordes now ravaging certain districts in Canada, the menace of an invasion is imminent."

Game Diminishing.

Game animals are being rapidly exerminated by the wolves, his report showed. In Alaska, entire herds of caribou have been annihilated and Wright Wenrich, game warden, has appealed to the Department of Agriculture to send trained killers to check the activities of the animals.

Director Hornaday declared there had been many instances where hunters and trappers were attacked and in occasional instances killed by roving wolf packs.

"Several years ago 'Buffalo' Jones, "They captured five and while bring-

efficials charged with administration were surrounded b an enormous wolf Dissatisfied with the way in which fought continually, killing dozens of abandoned Lives Endangered.

"Many a 'missing' hunter or traveler has been an unrecorded victim of wolves.'

Director Hornaday said that of all species of timber wolves, the largest going ahead along the lines they are to their ravages, would drive them south and eventually across the border of the United States.

sociations and game wardens in vari-Accountants of the packers and stock- occur," he concluded. "Lives are being endangered as well, as, having been undisturbed for several years, ous and more ferocious. It is time for

Day's Activities in Washington

Free seed provisions was barred finally from the agricultural bill.

Annual army bill was reported to the house, making provisions for maintaining the army at its present must be given if requested. Control over the bookkeeping of the packers is said to have caused these firms no House appropriations committee ap-

> government development of Muscle Representative Upshaw of Georgia visited prohibition headquarters to present

> proved a \$7,000,000 item for further

evidence supporting his charge of drinking in high places. It was authoritatively stated that the Washington government saw no

way in which it could at present make an effective move in the reparations crisis. Representatives of the "big five" packers, conferring with administra-

tion officials, expressed dissatisfac tion with the government's methods of enforcing the packer control act. Prohibition bureau officials, showing only mild interest in reports of

extensive rum running operations on the New Jersey coast, requested a report from its representatives in that President Harding nominated D.

R. Crissinger of Ohio as governor of the federal reserve board, James G. McNary of New Mexico as comptroller of the currency and Milo D. Campbell as the "dirt farmer" member of the 43 reserve board.

New Conference Possible.

mans can understand only lessons wrong and British opinion right as to don

the situation in Germany. situation that may have to be dealt sion that the general situation had with by the powers sooner or later, is been very thoroughly explored and

Memel Attacked by Lithuanians the form of repayment of the princi-

French and British Preparing on this particular point. Whether

Paris, Jan. 12.-(By A. P.)-The French and British governments are preparing to send warships to Memel, annual payments to the American former east Prussian territory on government will be through the purthe Baltic internationalized by the chase of exchange in the markets of here went to work today as usual treaty of Versailles, with the purpose the world, it was reiterated that funds according to information officially of maintaining order, in view of the for such purchases must come from supplied to the French economic misinvasion by the Lithuanans.

British internal revenues. Dispatches received by the French pointed out that Great Britain had ties, foreign office today indicate that the balanced its budget and cut expendi-Lithuanian regulars, who crossed tures right and left and the belief was the percentage of strikers is small, it the fronter earlier in the week have held that as time went on and British is declared. reached the outskirts of Memel and wealth increased and government exshots with the German penditures decreased, payments could

German fighting a common enemy on Postmaster Named at Ansley the frozen shores of the Baltic is expected from today's developments in Wilber Alexander has been appointed the topsy-turvy European situation. as a result of the Lithuanian advance on Memel. The Memel police, comand the French troops, entrenched in

In State of Seige.

Noah's Ark on Return Trip Slip Past Still Up to Yanks on Rhine Acquire Many Strange Creatures

New Yark, Jan. 12. - The army this morning, "that the old boat is transport St. Mihiel steamed out of just going to steam right up the the harbor at noon today to bring Rhine, back up to the bank and let

Governments Mark Time Coblenz, Jan. 10.—(By A. P.)—The more."

American transport St. Milhiel will All in all, it is certain the St. Mi-

Variety of Objects.

stood unchanged and it was evident erly worked, make noises like birds; allied soldiers in high jumting comthere are weird collections of postcards, antique pictures and all variby French and Belgian forces had eties of carved pipes, and great sup- missed most by the Americans. prevented the carrying out of such plies of carpets and civilian clothes. a project as Mr. Hughes suggested, the latter including queer shaped hats will abandon with great regret is to bidders putting out from this reand silk underwear bought at a ridic- Carnival Island, the scene of many ulously low price in Cologne, together The view taken by administration with furs and other odds and ends. ball matches. Its diamond is regarded But getting all this duffle aboard as the finest in Europe, and the games

"You fellows seem to have the diers in close contact with American

Britain Ignores Protest Against

Allen and Col. William Hertz, chief of-

Then, too, there are a number of

army schools, tennis courts, golf

clubs and an athletic field near Alex-

petitions. The fox and stag hunts

will be among the important sports

One place which officers and men

horse shows and baseball and foot-

the Germans put placed allied sol-

Rapid Progress Reported in German Complaint Will Not Affect British Action or Policy—Occupation Complete.

Washington, Jan. 12.-Conversait very plain to Germany that it a point where it is believed the matter the French advance into the Ruhr, thing you want. Cheap, too.

An offical spokesman for the com- the British disassociation with the the Evelyne, seaskiff; the Nanna and four directors of the now defunct Another element in the reparations missions declared after today's ses- present French action in the Ruhr. Ida, a fishing power boat hailing Nebraska Aircraft Corporation named Expect No Flow of Gold. Paris, Jan. 12.-(By A. P.)- launch, newly built and on its first the pressure in business circles in that a great deal of progress had France at last has a grip on the "pro- bootlegging jaunt. countries for peageful readjust- been made. It was emphasized that ductive guarantees" she has sought particular care had to be taken that from Germany, and has served nothe settlement finally made would tice, through her premier, she is prenot recreate serious fluctuations in ex. pared to extend her holdings if her economic occupation of Essen does In the negotiations thus far, con- not yield satisfactory results. It was siderable attention has been given to understood here today, in fact, that

the form of repayment of the princi- another Ruhr zone would be subjectthan an annual installment plan had three days. been uppermost in the conversations Work Completed. Duesseldorf, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)there will be a deferment of the yearly General Degoutte, comander in chief pool will pay me insurance for both have been in Mexico for a long stay. in charge of the movement of the boat and cargo." payments on account of principal until Great Britain has more fully re- military into the extended zone of ocpression in which it now finds its-

been successfully carried out. Krupp Plant Works. Essen, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)-The 40,000 employes of the Krupp plant Yanks to Leave Rhine

sion in Essen by the German authori-Strikes are reported in Bochum but

The French have moved their out-

be met without actually increasing the northeast of Essen, and to Velbert, burden of taxation on the British five miles southeast. Essen, Jan. 12.-All the factories United States. The officers and their 11 to 11:15 o'clock in protest against liners. the occupation. The committee direct-

postmaster at Ansley to fill the va- ing the demonstration represents all Railway traffic will stop for 10 minof church bells and the blowing of factory whistles will voice the city's in-Essen, Jan. 12 .- (By A. P.)-Gen,

Degoutte today issued a proclama-

tion from Duesseldorf establishing

state of siege throughout the newly occupied territory. The German laws, it was stipulated, would remain

Dormitory Rooms Into Snow Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 12. - Driving scores of girl students from their about \$75,000. George Mortzfeldt, a

Flames Drive Girls from

rooms into the snow, fire of unknown origin swept the main dormitory of Kemper hall just after 4 p. m. vesterday. The fashionable school for girls is located in Kenosha, along the lakeshore. It is damaged to the extent of fireman, was badly burned when caught beneath a falling wall. It was the hour for dressing for

dinner and several of the students

were hurried from the building clad

under the direction of Sisters of St.

Mary of the Episcopal church. Most

of its pupils are from wealthy fami-

Kemper hall is a school for girls

only in bathrobes.

Leading Humorist of the Day

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Leacock Article

Is Arrested on **Crossing Border** Aircraft Corporation Official,

Indicted in Lincoln, Apprehended, Due to Prompt Work of Official.

spiracy to misappropriate bank funds, Kansas City, in the second round of in the same indictment with Loyal B. Howey and Lee J. Dunn, formerly owners of the majority stock in the

When Winship was indicted officers "What do I care for the boat lost said it wasn't likely he would be arlast night," he said, laughing. "The rested soon, as he was reported to A telegram came to Mr. Kinsler He refused to give details of the stating that Winship had crossed the covered from the industrial de- cupation in the Ruhr, declared today pool, admitting, however, that there Rio Grande and giving the place in he considered his mission to have was a powerful and wealthy runners' San Antonio where he was staying. organization and all of its members Mr. Kinsler got the United States

> Held With Bankers. The bank heads were indicted for

> Among other charges, it is said

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