

### European Crisis Will Not Injure U. S. Business

Observers Believe That Allowance Already Has Been Made for Worst That Can Happen Overseas.

(Continued From Page One.) monarchist, some Catholic monarchist, some communist, and some republican, will be followed by several other seriously unfortunate results. A new series of customs barriers will be set up in central Europe and the railroad system of Germany, which is now in effect, the artery and circulatory system of the nation's trade, will be disrupted.

**Fear Wave of Communism.** Still further, it is believed that the example of disruption in Germany will be followed by a similar undermining of the stability of several of the smaller states recently put on their feet. Communism, civil war and separatist movements in Germany will be followed by similar developments in other countries.

As regards Great Britain and France it is hard to see any outcome of the present stage or than disastrous ones, economically. Great Britain already has a million and a quarter unemployed on which the British government has laid out since the war more than two billion dollars in debts. This British unemployment is almost certain to increase. Since the occupation of the Ruhr there has been a slight stimulus to British trade due to the purchase by Germany and other countries of coal from Britain which formerly they got from the Ruhr.

Germany, however, has now exhausted the gold with which it bought this coal and other factors. Great Britain is likely to begin the winter with an increasingly acute condition of unemployment. As to France it has long been anticipated by the best informed that the present evolution of the Ruhr policy would result in increasing depreciation of the franc. If this depreciation should reach the point for which it now seems headed, France must suffer serious economic and social consequences.

**Want to Cancel Debts.** As regards the attitude of the American government toward all this the one sufficient reason for its inaction has developed within the past few days. It has long been known that if the United States should take any affirmative action in the field of reparations the first question asked by Europe would be: "How much of the debt we owe you are you willing to cancel?" On this point the position of America is that the debts due us must be kept severely separate from the question of reparations. The heart of the reparations question is: "How much can Germany pay?" That question is not dependent on the debts due us from other countries. Germany cannot pay a dollar more by virtue of our reducing the amount due us from any of our European debtors. This distinction must be kept clear by those who would understand the American policy.

It is quite true, the capacity of our debtors to pay is dependent to some extent on what they get out of Germany. The present development clearly makes our prospect of payment less. There are, indeed, able men in Europe who fear that even England's ability to pay America what it wants to pay and what it has promised to pay may be seriously impaired by the progressive paralysis which is overtaking Great Britain as a result of the condition in the Ruhr. The only thing the American government can do is the thing Secretary Hughes has already done, namely, suggest that the question of how much Germany can pay shall be settled by an impartial commission.

**Reparations the Big Question.** In Europe the big question is reparations. In America the question that has occupied our political discussion is the international court. Europe regards the court as a thing aside, something academic which cannot affect the reparations question. Much of our American discussion on the court is really in the nature of a groping for issues as between the democrats and republicans, and also as between the factions of the republican party, for example, as between Coolidge and Johnson.

Coolidge has said once and reiterated once that in all respects it is his purpose to follow out the policies of President Harding. If the matter ever becomes sufficiently important there will be some interesting evidence as to just what was Harding's position on the international court as it stood in his mind at the time he died.

**Omaha Day.** Friday will be "Omaha day" at the Nebraska National guard encampment at Ashland, Neb. Members of the federal relations committee of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce have been invited by Col. Amos Thomas to visit the camp on that day and to be his guests at luncheon. Members of the committee will witness the drills in the afternoon.

**Los Angeles Bankrupt Held.** Los Angeles, Aug. 15.—The Los Angeles county grand jury late today returned an indictment against A. W. Coots, bankrupt stock broker, charging him with embezzlement. The indictment contained seven counts. A warrant was issued for Coots' arrest and bail fixed at \$50,000.

**U. S. Rum Policy Unchanged.** Washington, Aug. 15.—The general policy of the government against selling rum runners outside the three-mile limit will not be changed as a result of the decision of Federal Judge Woodruff at Brooklyn yesterday. It was indicated today at the treasury.

### Possibilities of Sealing Wax Shown at Women's Meeting

Irwin, Ia., Aug. 14.—After a short business meeting of the Gleelet Township Women's Home Community club, Mrs. Clarence Ferguson, hostess, demonstrated the decorative possibilities of sealing wax by changing an olive bottle into a vase.

The alcohol lamp used for the demonstration was an old ink bottle with a cord for a wick. This makes the work inexpensive and according to Mrs. Ferguson, many pleasing results may be obtained from otherwise useless pieces of glass, tin and even wood ware.

### To Return Harding Horses.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The blooded riding horses presented to President Harding early in his administration by Harvey S. Firestone soon will be returned to Mr. Firestone's stables in Ohio.

The decision to return the horses to Mr. Firestone was made known today by Mrs. Harding, who remained at the White House, going over the personal effects left by her husband. Her task probably will be completed by tomorrow.

### Dakota Cattle Banned in Iowa

All Shipments Must Be Accompanied by Certificate of Freedom from Anthrax.

Des Moines, Aug. 15.—The state department of agriculture today issued an order prohibiting the shipment of cattle into Iowa from South Dakota unless the shipments are accompanied by a health certificate certifying that the livestock concerned is free from contagious or infectious diseases and particularly anthrax.

The order, it is explained, was issued as a matter of precaution against anthrax. There has been one case of anthrax brought into Iowa through a shipment of cattle from South Dakota, but due to the prompt attention given the matter by the state animal industry division in quarantining the affected area it is thought that the spread of the disease has been checked. The order will be enforced until the

state of South Dakota has been freed of the disease, the department announced.

### Aviator Is Killed.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Bertram M. Stewart of Washington was instantly killed yesterday when an airplane he was piloting fell 1,000 feet near here. John Ward, Jr., Hawaiian, Ky., was seriously injured. Ward, who had come to the capital with a party of tourists, had gone up with Stewart as a passenger in a sightseeing plane. Stewart formerly lived in Colorado.

### Tidal Wave in Korea.

Tokio, Aug. 15.—Tidal waves, combined with a severe storm, have submerged 25,000 houses along the Yalu river on the west coast of Korea. No estimate of the loss of life has yet been received, but it is said the damage to crops and the lumber industry will be heavy.

### Amundsen on Way Home.

Nome, Alaska, Aug. 15.—Capt. Roald Amundsen, leader of an aerial and marine expedition that left Seattle in June, 1922, bound for the north pole, is on his way to Nome aboard the United States coast guard cutter Bear.

### Favorite Jelly of President Is Named After Him by Hotel

Washington, Aug. 15.—President Coolidge is so fond of tomato jelly, as prepared by his chef at the Willard hotel, that the management has dubbed it Coolidge jelly. It appears almost every noon upon the presidential table, and this is how it is made: Add to half a gallon of chicken broth a pound of chopped lean meat, whites of six eggs, six large chopped tomatoes, two shredded onions, two celery leaves, two diced carrots and three tablespoonsful of gelatine. Boil for two hours, season with salt, pep-

per and paprika, strain through cheesecloth and place on the ice until it jellies.

### Judge Denies Klan Injunction.

New York, Aug. 15.—Federal Judge Winslow yesterday denied the petition of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. of Georgia for a preliminary injunction restraining the Interna-

tional Magazine company, controlled by William Randolph Hearst, from publishing articles by Norman Hapgood regarding the Klan.

**House's Brother Dies.** Houston, Tex., Aug. 16.—T. W. House, 78, former postmaster here, and brother of Col. Ed M. House, died at his home here today.

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This group consists of dresses formerly priced \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$29.50. . . . . At \$8<sup>75</sup>

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Boys' Underwear, "Country Club" and other makes—values to \$1.15. . . . . 69c

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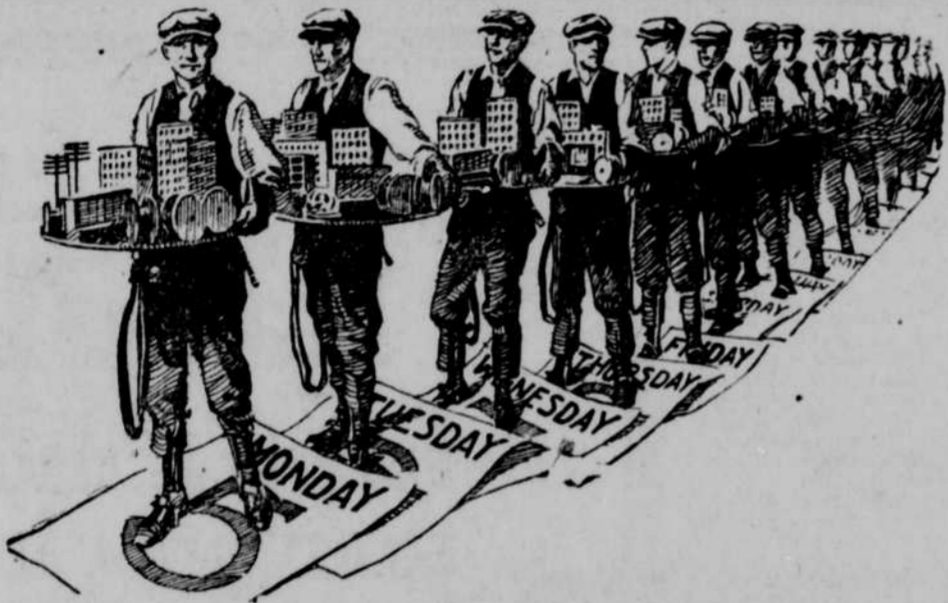
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## Post Toasties Improved CORN FLAKES



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So great and so constant is the growth of demand for telephone service that the Bell System invests throughout the country an average of three-quarters of a million dollars every working day for new telephone plant.

New aerial lines are always under construction or extension, new subways are being dug and cables laid, larger building accommodations are under way, more switchboards are in process of building or installation, and added facilities of every description being mustered into service to care for the half million or more new subscribers linked to the System every year.

This nation-wide construction, this large expenditure of funds, could not be carried out efficiently or economically by unrelated, independent telephone organizations acting without co-operation in different sections of the country. Neither

could it be carried out efficiently or economically by any one organization dictating from one place the activities of all. In the Bell System all the associated companies share common manufacturing and purchasing facilities which save millions of dollars annually. They share scientific discoveries and inventions, engineering achievements, and operating benefits which save further millions. But the management of service in each given territory is in the hands of the company which serves that territory and which knows its needs and conditions.

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