

BAVARIANS TO MARCH ON BERLIN

U.S. Spurns French Bid to Drop Debt

President Rules Reparations Question Fails to Affect Claims Against Allied Powers.

Is Firm in His Position

Washington, Nov. 3.—The State department today flatly rejected the suggestion from France that France would approve a full inquiry into Germany's capacity to pay if the United States would accept simultaneous consideration of international debts.

The American government, it was explained officially, had ruled out international indebtedness because the question of debts had nothing to do with the question of reparations. Germany's capacity to pay, it was stated with emphatic finality, is in no way affected by what other governments may owe the United States.

The American situation remains unchanged since Secretary Hughes informed the French charge d'affaires that the United States wished to do something worth while if it were to do anything.

France has two alternatives. Isolation or a full inquiry into Germany's "ultimate" capacity to pay. The United States, Great Britain and Italy stand together in favor of a thorough investigation into Germany's ability to pay reparations. President Coolidge and Mr. Hughes can see no harm in a full inquiry so long as each nation concerned reserves the right to accept or reject the findings made by the commission of financial experts.

Public sentiment throughout the country has compelled both the White House and the State department to take a firm stand. Within the 24 hours immediately following the publication of the Hughes-Carson correspondence the protests reaching Washington exceeded in volume even those received after the war court proposal became public.

The attitude of the administration changed accordingly. After being willing to accept the restrictions immediately imposed by Premier Poincare, Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Hughes suddenly took the stand that the French limitations must not be allowed to render the proposed inquiry abortive.

Armistice Day Set for November 12

Lincoln, Nov. 3.—A proclamation designating November 12 as a legal holiday for the celebration of the signing of the armistice was issued from the governor's office today. Since November 11 falls on a Sunday it is felt that some day other than a regular holiday should be devoted to the celebration of the armistice, and for that reason Monday, November 12, was selected.

Lincoln will celebrate the day on November 10 to coincide with the date of the Notre Dame football game. It is planned to hold a parade on that date which will be reviewed by General Duncan of the Seventh Army corps and by Governor Bryan and his staff.

W. G. Brooks of York Heads Teacher Unit

Lincoln, Nov. 3.—W. G. Brooks of York was elected to head district one of the state teachers' association which concluded its program here today. E. C. Bishop of Fairbury is vice-president, Bertha E. Foster of Gage county is secretary, and T. V. Goodrich of Lincoln is treasurer.

Extradition Is Denied.

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 3.—Governor Richardson today denied the application of the state of Illinois for an extradition warrant to return Mrs. Ida McCormick from Los Angeles to Chicago on a charge of embezzlement. Mrs. McCormick recently was released on a writ of habeas corpus granted by the Los Angeles court.

Mrs. McCormick was charged with having embezzled funds of the McCormick Medical Institute, which is operated by her husband, from whom she is separated. During a hearing in the governor's office, testimony was given to the effect that Mrs. McCormick left Chicago her husband declared she was guiltless of any wrong.

Dates Set for Stock Show.

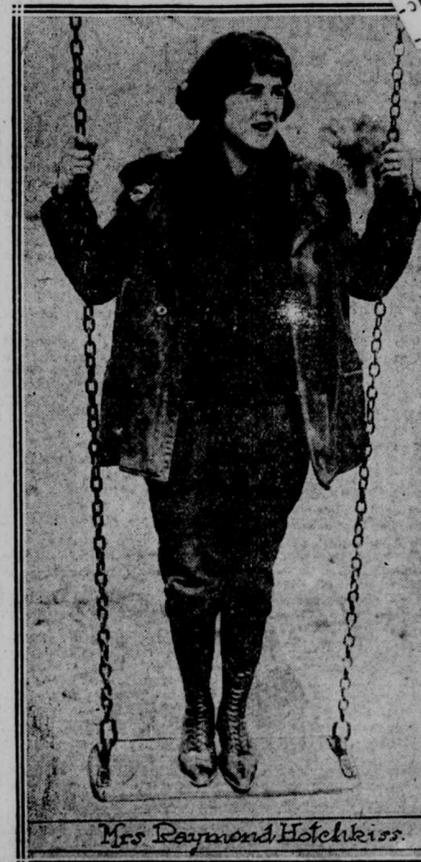
Shenandoah, Ia., Nov. 3.—The Shenandoah poultry and stock annual show will be held November 26 to 30. One hundred dollars will be awarded in cash prizes and sweepstakes given. Joseph Dagle of Richland, Ia., will be the judge at the show. Entries close at 10 o'clock November 26. The show is one of the best in southwestern Iowa.

Officers of the organization are: H. T. Shurtz, president; L. W. Lewis, vice president; E. A. Leacock, secretary-treasurer, and Floyd Bloom, superintendent.

Sues for Dog's Death.

Columbus, Neb., Nov. 3.—This morning through a local attorney Alvin E. Peterson filed suit against Herman Christensen for \$300 damages for the death of his dog. He alleges that on October 29 Christensen's automobile ran over and killed his German pointer dog.

Chicago Girl Simply Had to Have Knickers, Even at Cost of



Chicago, Nov. 3.—Some husbands don't like their wives' cats, others don't like their wives' relatives, but Raymond Hotchkiss, formerly a naval officer, didn't like his wife's knickers. Mrs. Hotchkiss, on the other hand, is a lady who simply must have her knickers of a morning or else be a bundle of loose ends all day.

Things just went from bad to worse after they were married three years ago until they appeared in court here. The learned judge asked Mrs. Hotchkiss to choose between her husband and her knickers. A husband need nothing at all to her where knickers were concerned, so they were divorced.

"I love to ride, hike and enjoy myself," said Mrs. Hotchkiss, who is 21, "like any other young girl would. I couldn't be bothered by skirts. My husband objected to my knickers and delighted in tearing them."

"From now on, however, my knickers are as much a part of my outfit as skirts are and I'm glad that I've no one to fear."

Mrs. Hotchkiss' parents, strange to relate, sided with her husband in the matter.

But Mrs. Hotchkiss puts knickers above mere blood ties and marital bliss and rubbish like that.

Presbyterians Install New Pastor at Humboldt

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Humboldt, Neb., Nov. 3.—Rev. William H. E. Strate was installed pastor of the First Presbyterian church here Thursday evening, November 1.

The installing committee of presbytery were Rev. S. H. Hatcher of the Second church, Lincoln, who presided and preached the sermon. The charge to the pastor was delivered by Rev. Julius F. Schwarz of Hickman and the charge to the congregation was by Rev. Paul C. Payne of Pawnee City. Mr. Payne was a seminary classmate of Mr. Strate at McCormick.

Veteran Railway Agent.

Hardy, Neb., Nov. 3.—J. E. Hart, widely-known station agent for the Burlington railway at this station, celebrated the 19th anniversary of his arrival at Hardy this week. He is one of the 29 oldest agents on the Eastern Star lodge and treasurer of service, having started his railroad career in 1891.

Besides serving the railway here and passing out accommodations to the public each day, Hart is master of the Masonic lodge, patron of the Eastern Star lodge and treasurer of the board of education of the Hardy high schools. The latter position he has held for five years. Previous to coming to Hardy he acted as station agent for the Burlington at Filley, Oklawaha, Rocca, Auburn and Hulo, in addition to serving several years as traveling relief agent at various stations in southeastern Nebraska.

Swift Holds Open House.

Clarinda, Ia., Nov. 3.—Celebrating the completion of their fine 165-by-109 foot four-story building, Swift & Co. were hosts to the Clarinda Community club and wives, at which Swift products were served. A tour of inspection through the immense plant followed.

I Certainly Did!

Said Mr. Meeker when he Ad Taker asked him whether he had rented his house. Mr. Meeker placed a for rent ad in The Bee for three times, that's why he (CERTAINLY DID) rent his house. Place your rent ad in The Bee FIRST. It's less expensive. Our phone is AT. 1000.

It's Results That Count

Girl Waits; He Gets Girl; Girl Waits; He Gets Girl

If Bess Hanousek, 5213 South Twenty-second street, after listening to the evidence in the case of John J. Smoligh of Wilksbarre, Pa., held for investigation in connection with several burglaries in Omaha, believes him guilty, she will return the ring he gave her when they became engaged.

If she believes him innocent, she will wait for him even though he be convicted by the court.

This she told police Saturday afternoon when she called at Central station to see her fiancé. She expressed implicit belief in his innocence.

Estate Goes to State, Ruling

O'Connor Heirs Lose \$135,000 in Court Action at Lincoln.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Nov. 3.—Heirs of the late John O'Connor of Hastings, Neb., who died intestate two years ago leaving an estate of \$135,000, lose that amount, and the state of Nebraska gains it, under a decision handed down by District Judge Blackledge of Hastings.

When dispute developed among the heirs over the settlement of the estate, the state of Nebraska claimed it. Judge Blackledge holds that the estate escheats to the state.

Suit in behalf of the state was instituted by O. S. Spillman, attorney general, and prosecuted by W. T. Thompson.

Among those who claimed title to the estate were John F. Kirkman of Omaha; Thomas O'Connor, Liverpool, England; Mary Eliza Quinn, Chicago; Honora O'Connor Allman, California; Henry Daniel, James and Edward O'Connor, California; Julia L. McGinnis and Mary C. O'Connor, of Washington, D. C.

Beatrice Man Injured Badly in Motor Wreck

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 3.—Leo G. Gacke, 24, who was struck by an automobile driven by Edward Taylor here last night, lies at the point of death at Falls sanitarium. He was riding a bicycle when the car hit him, and he was thrown up through the windshield to the front seat of the car. His skull was fractured in two places, and he severed an artery which was cut about the face and neck by glass.

Steinar Couple Named to Run Arbor Lodge

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—Frank Williams and his wife, Steinar, have been appointed caretakers of Arbor Lodge. It was announced here this afternoon. Their appointment takes effect February 1.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Williams are graduates of the University of Nebraska. Mr. Williams is a horticulturist.

Des Moines Makes Bid for G. O. P. 1924 Convention

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 3.—An invitation to hold the 1924 national republican convention in Des Moines was extended to John T. Adams, chairman of the national republican committee and a resident of Dubuque, Ia., by George E. Hamilton, secretary of the convention bureau of the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce here tonight.

Kansas Bank Closes Doors.

Smith Center, Kan., Nov. 2.—The Farmers State Bank of Smith Center here last night closed its doors for business Wednesday, and is in the hands of the state banking department. Deposits are said to be \$135,186 and loans and discounts \$141,898. The bank was operating under the state guaranty law, so the depositors will eventually get their money. Inability to collect on loans is the cause as signed for the failure. The bank had a large number of depositors who are working people.

WHERE TO FIND THE BIG FEATURES OF THE SUNDAY BEE

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- PART TWO: Page 1 and 2—"The Condemned," a gripping story of the Circus, by Corinne Riley Cooper.
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- Page 4 and 5—"A True Story of Gay Deceit," That Reads Like a Novel.
- Page 6 and 7—"Happyland for the Kiddies."
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Entrance to U.S. Shut to 1,358 British

English Subjects Arriving on Leviathan Probably Will Be Deported—Quota Filled.

3,000 Aliens Face Ban

New York, Nov. 3.—More than 3,000 would-be immigrants, including 1,357 who came on the Leviathan, which arrived today from England, face deportation, it was announced tonight by Commissioner of Immigration Curran, who said yearly quotas of several countries had been exhausted.

Washington, Nov. 3.—British subjects arriving in the United States today on the Leviathan, numbering 1,358, probably cannot be admitted to the United States and may have to be deported as immigrants inadmissible under the quota immigration law. The shipping board was notified of the fact today by Commissioner General of Immigration Husband.

Authorities at Ellis Island will be notified of the situation, but the immigrants will be allowed to land and undergo examination, and the final decision as to their admissibility will not be made until reports from all the immigration stations have been assembled. On the first examination of figures today, however, Mr. Husband found that the British quota, which is slightly over 77,000 per year, was practically exhausted.

Walton Trial Will Begin on November 8

Oklahoma City, Nov. 3.—Defeated in his latest maneuver against the impeachment action instituted by the lower house of the state legislature, Governor J. C. Walton must go to trial November 8 on all of the 22 charges of official misconduct contained in the indictment against him. This was ordered by the senate court of impeachment, which overruled the executive's demurrer to 12 of the articles in the impeachment bill at the close of the second day of the hearing last night, November 2.

Walton was not as yet allowed to enter his formal plea and the following day the actual trial will begin with the introduction of testimony.

The court's action came after a lengthy argument by defense counsel in support of their demurrer to the charges on grounds that they either did not constitute impeachable offenses or were based upon insufficient evidence. Originally the governor's attorneys had demurred to 14 of the impeachment articles, but the court was cut to 12 during yesterday's proceedings.

The defense move was hotly contested by the house board of managers, which is conducting the prosecution.

On but two of the articles did more than four members of the court vote to sustain it.

Wahoo Has New Fire Truck; Is Good for Use in Country

Wahoo, Neb., Nov. 3.—A triple combination motor fire engine equipped with 60-gallon high pressure chemical tank has been purchased by the city council for \$4,250. The new engine is capable of taking water from any source and throwing it a greater distance than is possible under the present pressure from the municipal plant.

The new equipment will prove valuable in country fires as it will take the water from a farm well or pond with equal facility.

Big Welcome for Blue Nose.

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 3.—The schooner Blue Nose received a great welcome when it arrived from Halifax, where it refused to complete a series of races with the Columbia of Gloucester.

Capt. Angus Walters was carried on the shoulders of his fellow towns men from the wharf to a decorated car and placed at the head of a triumphant procession to his home. A brass band welcomed him as a conquering hero.

Pioneer Railroader and Civil War Veteran Dies

Wymore, Neb., Nov. 3.—According to word just received here, W. P. Wilson, a former locomotive engineer for the Wymore division of the Burlington for 25 years, is dead at his home near Portland, Ore. Wilson handled passenger trains between Concordia, Wymore, Lincoln, Edgar and Nebraska City, and is widely known in this division. He retired to Oregon 10 years ago.

He was a Civil War veteran and a member of the Masonic lodge. He had been married 57 years. His wife and four grown children survive.

Roll Call for Red Cross Is Plan in Shenandoah

Shenandoah, Ia., Nov. 3.—On Armistice day in Shenandoah the annual Red Cross roll call will be held and it is expected the loyal citizens will answer "present." W. B. Darrah, chairman, is making arrangements for the roll call.

Poor Old Jiggs Is Busted Flat; What's He Going to Do About It? You Can Help Him and Win a Prize

Jiggs is busted! You know Jiggs. Everybody does. He appears every day in The Omaha Bee along with Maggie, Dinty Moore and Nora, the beautiful daughter. He put all his money in a moving picture factory and the sheriff moved the factory. Now he can't even "hook" Maggie's grand piano to buy tickets to the hotliermakers' ball, and wrap himself around a double order of corned beef and cabbage. It is to weep. It is to tear hair. But Jiggs hasn't much hair. What will he do now? Go back to the job?

Mrs. Stokes on Witness Stand



Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes pictured on the witness stand during the hearing of her divorce suit denied the charges brought by her aged millionaire husband, W. E. D. Stokes. Mrs. Stokes underwent long, grueling cross-examinations for two days, Thursday and Friday, in the court of Justice Mahoney in New York.

She repudiated the testimony of the witnesses that she had visited at the home of Edgar T. Wallace, Thomas L. Brander, W. Leon Pepperman and others.

An interesting sidelight of Mrs. Stokes' testimony had to do with the age of her husband. She said that when she married Stokes on February 11, 1911, he had told her he was 45 and that age, she testified, appears on the marriage certificate. According to his own testimony, however, he is now 73, which would make him 67 at the time of the wedding. She was 24, she said.

Mrs. Stokes seemed a trifle pale after the long trial, but she spoke in a clear, well-modulated voice that at times grew a bit indistinct. She retired her composure despite the severe questioning by Mr. Stokes' counsel. It is likely Mrs. Stokes will be the last witness in the case and that a decision will come soon.

Just prior to Mrs. Stokes' testimony, her mother, Mrs. Alfred Miller, pictured below, took the stand to testify that it was impossible for Mrs. Stokes to have visited Edgar T. Wallace's apartment as previously testified, because she was at that time near death in a Cincinnati hospital.

Plattsmouth Seeking Free Mail Delivery

Plattsmouth, Neb., Nov. 3.—The securing of free mail delivery for Plattsmouth now looks most promising. During the past several years an intensive walk building program has been carried out and this summer an engineer was secured to plat the city for numbers and now under orders of the council every house has been numbered. The Chamber of Commerce has taken the matter up anew with the Postoffice department through Congressman John H. Morehead, who is actively supporting the project at Washington, and now it seems the long looked for mail delivery in Plattsmouth is near at hand.

Columbus Couple Plan Winter Trip to London

Columbus, Neb., Nov. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. William Swan, owners of the Swan and North theaters here, will leave for a trip to England where they may spend the winter. Swan has been carried out and this summer again after a lapse of 36 years the scenes of his childhood is the reason of the journey. They will leave Columbus November 26.

Dispute in Plattsmouth

Plattsmouth, Neb., Nov. 3.—A fine point of law has been raised over ownership of a Ford coupe formerly owned by the late Harry W. Smith, erstwhile Plattsmouth monument dealer, and the car is being held in a local garage pending decision of the court as to its disposition. Smith recently sold his place here and was about to move to other parts. Creditors filed bills for collection with a local attorney, while others he owed took steps to protect themselves by securing an attachment on his car.

In the meantime Smith drove into town from a trip to Omaha, going directly to the office of the attorney to argue the matter of his bills, and while he was there attachment papers were served on the car.

Coming down the steps from the office he fell a part of the distance and into the hands of the law, being escorted to the city jail, where he remained until released on putting up a cash bond of \$125. At the time of his arrest he had some \$1,500 in cash and checks on his person. On removing the car to the garage, it was found to contain two pints of liquor and thereby hangs the question of who has the right to the car—the attaching creditors or the city.

The city has followed the state law by passing an ordinance making provision for taking cars that contain booze and turning the proceeds from their sale into the city treasury and the court will be asked to determine this matter, although from past rulings it is expected that the law will be made in favor of the city. Smith returned to Omaha by rail immediately upon his release.

The Weather

For 24 hours ending 7 p. m. November 3: Highest, 57; lowest, 41; mean, 51; normal, 45; total excess since January 1, 84; hours below normal, 12; precipitation, inches and hundredths, 1.26; total snow since January 1, 26.97; excess, 1.25.

Hourly Temperatures.

8 A. M.	52	9 A. M.	52
10 A. M.	52	11 A. M.	52
12 M.	52	1 P. M.	52
2 P. M.	52	3 P. M.	52
4 P. M.	52	5 P. M.	52
6 P. M.	52	7 P. M.	52
8 P. M.	52	9 P. M.	52
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