

FRENCH PREMIER PLEADS FOR U.S. HELP IN EUROPE

America Must Aid in Putting
Dawes Plan Into Effect,
Herriot Says.

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LONDON, Aug. 18.—"I appeal to the United States for support in carrying out the Dawes plan and we will depend upon America's help."

In an exclusive interview just before leaving for Paris today, Premier Herriot of France discussed what he believed to be the outstanding feature of the successful plan of applying the Dawes reparations plan.

"We have reached an agreement—now comes the work of executing the Dawes plan in the same spirit in which it was conceived," Herriot said.

"We are writing 'finis' to the old volume of European history and are beginning a new one."

New Era

"Upon the public opinion of the various nations depends whether our work here means the dawn of a new era for Europe and for the world."

"We will need America's help," he said. "I appeal to the United States to support Europe in carrying out the Dawes plan and we depend on America's help. You must give it to us."

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Conference Success

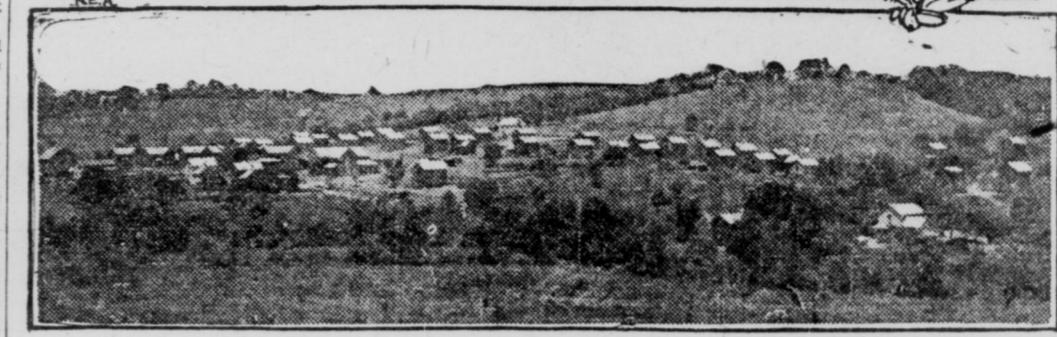
"I feel that the conference is a success. But upon our work hereafter depends whether we consolidate that success. The good spirit of all participants is necessary if we are to trust instead of distrust."

"The present conference differs widely from past ones in its general atmosphere," Herriot continued.

"I feel it was due to the spirit of the French people that an agreement was possible. It was their ardent desire for peace that enabled those who suffered most to sacrifice most in bringing peace."

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Real Estate Man Buys Deserted Ohio Village and Offers Free Rent to Those Who Will Live There



ENTIRE POPULATION, INCLUDING THE MAYOR AND TOWN CONSTABLE OF LINDENTREE, OHIO, WHERE RENT IS OFFERED FREE FOR A YEAR, ARE SHOWN IN THE TOP PICTURE. BELOW, IS A VIEW OF THE FORTY-THREE HOUSES THAT CAN BE OCCUPIED BY ANY ORGANIZATION OR RESPONSIBLE PERSONS, WITHOUT HAVING TO MEET THE LANDLORD EACH MONTH.

By NEA Service

CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 18.—How are you and the landlord getting along? If he tells you he is going to raise the rent, just give him the "halling sign" and move to Lindentree, Ohio.

House rent is cheaper than ice water at the North Pole—in fact, rent is free, for a period of one year.

C. A. Kolp, wealthy Canton real estate man, bought the forty-three dwellings that comprise the town at public auction and he is offering the places rent free for a year to any organization or responsible people who will occupy them for that length of time.

New residents won't be bothered by elections. The mayor and town marshal have been duly installed. In fact, they and a mother and daughter are the only folks left in the village. In the picture you will see that the town has its orchestra.

Kolp has put men to work repainting the houses, trimming the lawns and equipping the houses with running water and other conveniences.

He is dragging the destitute village out of the grave—and making real estate history.

COOLIDGE, BACK ON FARM, GIVEN TWO HAY RAKES

President's Vacation in Vermont Takes on Political
Tinge.

By United Press

PLYMOUTH, Vt., Aug. 18.—Agricultural affairs will be order of the day at the Coolidge farm, where the President has retired for a short rest before going into the coming presidential campaign.

Representative Treadway of Massachusetts was to present the President and his father, Col. John Coolidge, two hay rakes as presents from Stockbridge, Mass.

Tackles Hay Fields

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Light Company Sold

Public Utility Interests Buy North-ern Indiana Light Company.

By Times Special
VALPARAISO, Ind., Aug. 18.—Purchase of the Valparaiso Lighting Company by public utility interests connected with the Calumet Gas and Electric Company, which has headquarters in Gary, was anounced today.

The Valparaiso Lighting Company, which supplies both electric and gas service in this city, has been for a number of years a subsidiary of the Central Indiana Power Company, which is controlled by the American Public Utilities Company—the Kelsey-Brewer organization of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Three Charges Faced

Motorist Failed to Stop After Accident, Police Told.

Wayne Badgley, 25, of 1205 Churchman Ave., was arrested today on charges of assault and battery, speeding and failure to stop after an accident, following a collision between the car he was driving and another driven by Fred Boyer, 1719 Holliday St., at Emmett St., and Southeast Ave. Boyer and his wife were injured. Guy Justus, 36, of 4202 E. Tenth St., was slated on a speeding charge.

Rooster Has Revenge

BRAZIL, Ind., Aug. 18.—An ancient rooster had final revenge upon Bert Boyd, secretary of the Clay County Farm Bureau.

When Boyd's car ran over the fowl, its spur ruined his tire.

Old-Fashioned Rally Planned

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 18.—Red fire, torches and stump speeches will feature an old-time Democratic rally, planned by Vanderburg Democrats, prior to Sept. 6, first registration day.

Safe Robbery Attempted

The George Wiedemann Company, Incorporated, 1416 Jones St., reported to police today entrance had been made at their offices and an attempt made to break in a safe. Nothing was taken.

Re-elect Boonville Boy

B. P. U. Meets at Franklin-Indiana District Honored.

By Times Special

FRANKLIN, Ind., Aug. 18.—Ford Porter of Boonville was re-elected State president of the Baptist Young People's Union of Indiana, which met here Saturday and Sunday in connection with the Indiana Baptist assembly. Other officers elected were: Vice presidents, C. C. Studebaker, Scottsburg; Dale Gordon, Hammond; William Binkley, Indianapolis; Duke Stevens, Peru, and treasurer, Miss Hazel Stout, Muncie; recording secretary, Miss Gladys Riddle, Connersville; corresponding secretary, Miss Jeanette Baker, Aurora.

The central association, of which Indianapolis is a part, was awarded the prize for doing the best work of the year.

Adrian Pierce Slated to Head Local Chapter.

Indianapolis chapter, order of De Molay, will hold its semi-annual election at the clubrooms, 630 N. Meridian St., tonight. Adrian Pierce, present senior councillor, is slated to be elected master. E. M. Reid, present junior councillor, is a candidate for senior councillor, and George Wilson, first line officer, is a candidate for junior.

Joseph E. Reagan, advisor from the Scottish Rite, will install the new officers. Special ceremonies will be held in honor of Marshall Dafoe, who will retire from the position of master. He will be presented a past master's jewel. Dafoe was a charter member of the lodge and has held every office of the chapter.

Fire Destroys Relics

By Times Special

SCIPIO, Ind., Aug. 18.—Valuable specimens of revolutionary days were lost when fire destroyed the old mill and elevator, railroad station, storehouse and home of Charles D. Butcher, all landmarks of Jennings County.

STATE TAX BOARD MEETS SEPT. 15

Rate for Next Year to Be Set.

The State tax board will convene Sept. 15 to fix the State rate. John J. Brown, chairman, today said property assessments in the State will remain about the same as last year, but he would venture no opinion as to whether or not the rate would be increased.

It is believed more money will be needed. The board is finishing the last few appeals from its recommendations to raise assessments in several counties. Property valuation determined last year was \$5,251,804,728. Upon this figure was based levy to raise \$124,866,801.42.

Woman Charges Threat

Suitor Held When Police Find Re-volver on Him.

Vincent Minor, 423 Agnes St., is held today on charges of carrying concealed weapons and vagrancy after police found him with a revolver early Sunday in the yard of Miss Emma Heater, 1905 Miller St.

According to police, Miss Heater said when she refused to go riding with him Saturday he sent a man to threaten her.

No Place for Button

Gail Has One Riveted on Her Thumb When Machine Catches Hand.

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Small Fires Probed

Little Damage Results From Small Conflagrations Over Week-End.

Police Seek Man Charged With Three Murders.

Mrs. Helen Tucker, wounded in the back from a pistol bullet fired by her husband, Robert Tucker, Aug. 6, after the husband had instantly killed Mrs. Josie Gray and Amanda Smith, her aunts, all colored, died early Sunday at city hospital.

Police instituted a vigorous search for Tucker today, who escaped following the triple murder. Tucker, it is alleged came to Indianapolis to induce his wife to return to him. She was living with the two aunts at 2224 Yandee St. When it is alleged the two women interfered, Tucker shot, killing both instantly.

"They wanted their hair bobbed," said the judge.

"Yes, sir, Judge, that's it, they wanted work done, and she got jealous," said Ed.

"Do you want him, or shall I send him out to the farm?" asked Wilson.

"I guess I want him," she replied.

"Take him," said the judge.

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E. H. Everstock, 231 Spring St., conductor on the Columbia Line, says no.

Battle on Street Car

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