

AMERICAN BANKERS VOTE AGAINST PLAN TO STABILIZE DOLLAR

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—Professor Irving Fisher's plan to stabilize the dollar by diminishing or increasing the gold behind the dollar as prices fall or rise was adversely reported upon today by the Currency Commission of the American Bankers' Association.

After a year's study, the commission found that the plan contained "grave dangers" and it recommended against memorializing Congress in favor of changes in the monetary system suggested by the Yale economist.

"It is our conclusion," the commission reported, "that Dr. Fisher's plan, though interestingly and ably worked out, is wholly impractical and would involve grave dangers to the stability of our financial and monetary system."

Leads to Dangers.

It would lead to foreign drafts on our gold in any period of crisis since the plan calls for lightening the gold behind the dollar when prices fall and foreigners, foreseeing this, would draw down their balance and sell "dollars" short before the government could make the change."

The commission believed the plan would make "difficult, if not impossible," the maintenance of gold redemption in periods of rapidly rising prices. If adopted at this time, the commission asserted, it would work definite hardship and perpetuate the suffering of all those receiving fixed incomes who have suffered from the rapidly rising prices.

Plan is Impractical.

"Had the plan been in operation at the outbreak of the war in 1914," the report continued, "it would have broken down as Dr. Fisher now admits. It could not therefore have prevented the rise in prices of wartime and consequently most of the claims which Dr. Fisher had made must now be abandoned."

"The great economic evils of the war have grown out of wasteful consumption and destruction, demoralization and interruptions of transportation and the withdrawal of many millions of men from production, the whole combining to create a scarcity of goods. No change in the monetary system could have prevented this evil. The plan therefore could not have been a remedy for social discontent and distress."

The Theatres

WASHINGTON

The picture at the Washington theatre is aptly called "Humoresque." It combines all the pathos and laughter that is in Dvorak's famous melody. More than any picture that we remember seeing this season, it is life itself.

"Humoresque" is a Fannie Hurst story, written with all of her deep knowledge of human beings of the ordinary mould. The novel has been transformed with rare sympathy and understanding to the screen. Starting with the boyhood of a youngster in New York's Ghetto, born with two masterful passions in his breast—love for his mother and love for music—the photo-play shows the child later as a youthful genius of the violin entertaining royalty and giving a huge concert in New York for his own people. Then comes the great sorrow that seems to forbid him ever playing a violin again. But in a wonderful manner the clouds are rolled by, and he and his faithful mother are made happy.

MURRAY VAUDEVILLE.

"I Want My Rent" or "The Rehearsal" is the headliner at the Hurry this week. A company of six people present this miniature production which depicts a rehearsal in session and the comedy and the so-called tragedy which sometimes results from these pre-mortments on a play. Each and every part is well handled by a very capable company.

The baby song by one of the members was well rendered. The director with his Prince Albert supplied most of the comedy of the offering and was well received by the audience.

Curt Galloway, on second, stopped the show, at yesterday's matinee. His songs and stories were the hit of the bill. He put everything over in such a cool "matter-of-fact" way that he had the audience going from the start.

The Lutes Bros. opened the bill, in their offering featuring Clara Lutes, "The Wizard of the Feet." Clara Lutes does everything with his toes, that the average person does with his hands and fingers—and more. He opened by playing a trombone and then plays a sounding horn. The feat which brought the most applause was the manner in which he hammered nails and cut wood—all with his toes. His final trick of hitting the bulls-eye every time with a shot gun was excellent.

Eileen Percy in "Her Honor the Mayor" and a Fox News completes the bill.

MURRETTE

In "The Forbidden Woman" which is now at the Murrette Monday and Tuesday there are shown interior scenes including ball-room, drawing room, library, foyer, music room, reception galleries, and other extremely elaborate settings which run the costs of this production into an unbelievable total.

In addition to scenes of Paris at night, New York at night, and life in the gayer spots of various European capitals, Clara Kimball Young's "The

MAY BE FIRST PRESIDENT OF GREECE



Eleutherios Venizelos.

Reports that King Alexander of Greece is dying of blood poisoning caused by the bite of a monkey have caused rumors that an Hellenic republic may be set up if he dies and that Eleutherios Venizelos will be named president. Venizelos, former premier and his country's leading figure at the Versailles peace conference, has been a commanding figure in Greece for many years.

Forbidden Woman," called for more interior sets of splendor than any previous film in which the noted beauty has appeared.

In the special work on the Foreign Embassy shown in "The Forbidden Woman," the art glass work required the combined skill of a force of highly skilled glaziers, while the details were planned by experienced architects, decorators, landscape gardeners and others whose vocations have doubled and tripled in value since the film folks have made Los Angeles the center of the picture industry of the world.

Suburban

LYNN, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Isenbarger, of LaCrosse, are visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Isenbarger were called to Modoc because of the death of Mrs. Isenbarger's father, Mr. Wine....Mr. and Mrs. Newton Reed and son, Edward, motored to Greenville, Sunday....Mrs. Ray Delemeeter of Richmond, spent the weekend with friends here....Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hatt and daughter, Laura, were Sunday guests of Guy Hatt and family, at Richmond....Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamilton entertained Mrs. Ennis and daughter, of Union City, Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright and son, spent Sunday with G. T. Ridlebarger and family, at Ridgeville....Mrs. John Martin served as a charming hostess Friday evening at a shower and dinner party in honor of Miss Leah Chenoweth, whose marriage to Mr. Russell Isenbarger takes place Oct. 24. The house was tastefully arranged with decorations of evergreen and bitter sweet. A buffet luncheon was served to the following guests: Mesdames Carl Bowen, Scott Patterson, Willard Jordan, Ray Delameter, Robert McKissick, Denzel Anderson, Merl Johnson, Merl Bowen, George Alexander, Jr.; Misses Mabel Bowen, Georgia Hodgson, Jennie Eckle, Edna Hill, Mary Reynolds, and Maude Klenzel....Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin and baby Joan, of Indianapolis, are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Allie Martin, here....Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nye Snyder and family at Spartansburg....Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jordan were visitors in Richmond Friday....The Lynn high school ball team played at Huntsville, Friday evening.

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entertained the Aid society of the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Miss Pitts. After the devotional and business session, refreshments of pumpkin pie, doughnuts and coffee were served. Those present were Mrs. J. F. Blocker, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Will Brooks, Mrs. J. B. Chenoweth, Mrs. Frank Taylor, Mrs. Lida McGillard, Mrs. Kinchloe, Mrs. Allen Kinchloe, Mrs. Ben Wright, Mrs. Josie Skinner, Mrs. Walter Strong, Mrs. Carl Reynolds, Mrs. Will Cooper, Mrs. Chaimer Aughee, Mrs. L. D. Anderson, Mrs. Carrie Clements and Miss Abbie Pitts....Harry Wooters returned Thursday after a business trip in the south....Word was received last week by S. C. Alexander and family that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill, who have been in India almost three years as missionaries, are the parents of a baby girl. Mrs. Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander....The Ladies Aid society of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. S. C. Alexander Wednesday afternoon. Light refreshments were served to fourteen members....Mrs. Anna Jackson, who has been ill for several months and was moved to the home of her daughter in Indianapolis, several weeks ago, died Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. The body was brought to this place for burial. Funeral services were held at New Garden church Friday at 10:30 a. m. Interment was in New Garden cemetery....The junior class of the local high school will give a pie social Saturday night, Oct. 23, at the school building. Ladies, pie.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Miller, were present. Mr. and Mrs. Will Rowe, of Bradford, recently visited his brother, O. C. Rowe, and family....Little Francis Crook has been ill....Mrs. Ralph Fink and children recently visited relatives at Indianapolis....The Christian church Bible class met with Mrs. Dan Evans Friday night. After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed. Coffee and sandwiches were served....Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lindsey have returned from the Martinsville sanitarium....The Woman's union of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Richard Whirley Monday night and pieced a comfort top....DeKrove Male Chorus Concert at M. E. church Oct. 19, at 8 p. m....The Christian church members will hold a rummage sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the basement of the church....Armistice Day, Friday, Nov. 11th, will be observed by the W. R. C....The an-

ual inspection of the W. R. C. will be held Nov. 19th. Savannah Groves will act as inspector....The Red Men entertainment committee will give a dance at their hall, Oct. 27th....Mrs. Mary Weaver is taking treatment at the Martinsville sanitarium....The young men of the Reusch cigar factory have organized an athletic club for the following officers: Allen Stover, president; Bert Coddington, vice president; Wayne Kennedy, secretary; Ralston Sowers, treasurer; George Volkert, sub-treasurer....Rev. Reese, of Franklin collage, preached at the Baptist church, Sunday.

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