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STATISTICS
BEING TAKEN

Huge Survey Being Made of German Industrial Conditions by Reparation Body.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—A vast mass of material on German raw materials, productivity, labor, wages and the country's financial status is being gathered by the members of the Guaranties Commission, the subcommittee of the Reparations Commission now in Berlin.

Almost daily consultations are being held with various government officials as well as financial and industrial leaders as the prospects of Germany meeting her \$100,000,000 gold installment to the Allied powers on January 15 and in some of these conferences, Roland W. Boyden and Col. James A. Logan, the unofficial American representatives, are having a part. The second of four installments, another \$100,000,000, is due next April.

The commissioners are expected to remain here until December 1, when they will go back to Paris to report to the full Reparations Commission. One of the most important phases of their investigation has been currency inflation and the decline of the mark. It is interesting to note that since the reparations payments began last May the outstanding paper money circulation in Germany jumped from 69,724,402,000 marks to 91,247,101,000 marks for the week ending October 31.

A comparison with pre-war issues shows even more pronouncedly the extent of inflation. For instance, in the week ending July 25, 1912, the paper money issue aggregated only 3,004,269,000 marks. The same week of 1913 it was 1,826,920,000 marks and in 1914 it was 1,890,893,000. The week of November 6, 1916 it had jumped to 7,246,260,000. The same week a year later it was 10,403,740,000 marks and two years later it had gone to 16,950,260,000. The week of May 24, 1919 it was 27,286,480,000 and the same week in 1920 it reached 49,127,540,000 marks.

A recent statement by Dr. Friedrich Rosen, former Foreign Minister, that the amount of German property sequestered in various countries is sufficient to meet her reparations obligations has been the subject of discussions. The United States at one time possessed \$150,000,000 worth of property belonging to the German government. Representations by Dr. Richard Dernburg that only "an indeterminate moralium" can save Germany from ruin are also being looked into as well as

the recent negotiations here between Baron Anthony Rothschild of London and German bankers regarding a proposed loan of \$500,000,000, in three percent 35-year bonds with amortization provisions.

SCHOOLS CLOSED.

BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 25.—Schools here were closed Monday for the remainder of the week by order of the superintendent because of the difficulty experienced by teachers and pupils in making their way through more than two feet of snow, drifted in places to several times that depth. After more than 48 hours, snow was still falling Monday night.

With acknowledgments to K. C. B.

Don't stick
with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn.
WAS THE one about.
THE OLD storekeeper.
WHO WAS playing checkers.
IN THE back of the store.
AMONG THE coal oil,
AND THE prunes.
WHEN THE sheriff.
WHO HAD just jumped his king.
SAID "Si there's a customer.
WAITIN' OUT front."
AND SI said "Sh-h-h-h."
IF YOU'LL keep quiet,
MEBEE HE'LL go away."
NOW-HERE'S the big idea.
WHEN A good thing.
HAPPENS ALONG.
DON'T LEAVE it to George.
TO GRAB the gravy.
FRINSTANCE IF.
YOU HEAR of a smoke.
OR READ about a smoke.
THAT REALLY does more.
THAN PLEASE the taste.
THERE ARE no hooks on you.
THERE'S NO law against.
YOUR STEPPING up.
WITH THE other live ones.
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PROMINENT MEN
WILL SPEAK

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Nov. 25.—One of the most momentous Colorado river conferences ever held, international in its scope, will open here December 8 for a three-day session under auspices of the League of the Southwest. Over three thousand organizations in Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Oklahoma and Texas will be represented and governors of all the above states have promised to attend, according to Arnold Kruckman, secretary of the league.

Herbert Hoover, secretary of Commerce, has provisionally accepted an invitation to participate, and O. C. Merrill, of the Federal Power commission will speak.

Albert B. Fall, secretary of the Interior, and Arthur P. Davis, secretary of the Reclamation Service have signified their intention to attend.

Canada will be represented by Sir Adam Beck of the Hydro-Electric Corporation of Ontario, Canada, the public power development on Niagara Falls which furnishes light and power to almost three hundred communities. President Obregon of Mexico has been invited to send representatives, and the Governor of Sonora and Lower California, Mexican states, have been invited.

The Water Power League of America will be represented by its secretary, Frederick L. Long, of New York. The power industry will be represented by Samuel Insull president of the Commonwealth Edison and Peoples Gas company of Chicago.

The American Mining Congress has organized a delegation composed of W. J. Loring, San Francisco; Bulkley Wells, Denver; R. S. Billings, Kingman, Ariz.; George Dern, Salt Lake City, and Governor Emmet D. Boyle, Reno, Nevada.

The St. Louis Chamber of Commerce will send a delegation representing the Mississippi valley, and the Chicago Chamber of Commerce will send a delegation from the Great Lakes region. Other organizations of prominence to send delegates include the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, the National Agricultural Society, the Farm Bureau Federation, the Farmers' Educational and Cooperative Union, the Farmers National Congress, the National Board of Farm Organizations, the National Civic Federation, the American Society of Civil Engineers, the National Economic League, the National Electric Light Association, the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the United Engineering Society, the National Association of Manufacturers, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the Mining and Metallurgical Society, the American Institute of Mining Engineers and other organizations.

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A Ringing Appeal
to Oregonians

By R. A. Booth
Chairman
State Highway Commission

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