

Paint Keeps the Home Bright

A LITTLE paint here, a touch of enamel there, a brushful of varnish yonder—everyone can see a dozen or more such opportunities for brightening and beautifying the home.

Perhaps it's the outside of the house that needs protection from the ravages of the weather; perhaps it's a chair, or dresser, the floor or woodwork that has become worn and shabby, or perhaps it's the family carriage, the farm wagon or the lawn swing that has ceased to be a source of pride.

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SAYS WAR IS BASED ON HOARDED GOLD

Educator Sees Evidence of
Early Planning in Europe.

New York.—Joseph French Johnson, dean of New York university school of commerce, one of the most distinguished economists of the country, has written for the Alexander Hamilton Institute an article on "War and American Business," which is said to be based on a thorough investigation conducted by the research department of the Institute.

Dean Johnson shows that Germany has long been anticipating and preparing for the war. He calls attention especially to the increase in the gold holdings of the Imperial Bank of Germany, from \$194,000,000 at the beginning of 1913 to \$336,000,000 on July 17, 1914.

Following the lead of Germany, the banks of France and Russia also piled up vast stocks of gold.

The extraordinary pressure for gold on the part of the great governmental banks of Europe, beginning early in 1913, is regarded as highly significant by those who believe that one of the world powers deliberately planned and promoted this war.

American and Canadian banking conditions, in Dean Johnson's opinion, are sound. He says:

"Fortunately the war broke out toward the close of a period of liquidation. American and Canadian craft in the financial seas were already steering cautiously and with shortened sail. If the storm had burst in a period of expansion its effect would have been far worse.

"The Aldrich-Vreeland bill, which permits banks to take out emergency note circulation secured by deposits of commercial paper, is a wise measure of relief, in so far as it permits the free movement of our grain crop without imposing an unnecessary strain on bank reserves.

"Like other measures of relief, however, it contains possibilities of abuse and danger. Any tendency toward inflation of the currency should be carefully watched and prevented."

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