

ROUMANIAN LOOT TERMED INDEMNITY

Kuehlmann Discusses Forced Treaty Before Berlin Chamber of Commerce.

BIG ADVANTAGES GAINED

Much Expected From Harvests of Conquered Country; Optimistic Views on Future of German Trade Voiced.

LONDON, May 24.—Economic advantages which Germany has obtained in the peace treaty with Roumania are equivalent to an indemnity from that nation in the opinion of German experts. Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German secretary, told the Berlin Chamber of Commerce in discussing the Roumanian treaty before that body, the German wireless report of the address shows.

Germany's control of the coming Roumanian harvests caused the food question to be looked forward to "with a certain amount of confidence," Dr. von Kuehlmann declared. German trade privileges also were most important, and these included the lease to a German company for 99 years of the Bucharest-Czernavoda-Constanza railway line, thus giving ready access to the petroleum fields and grain centers.

Referring to the geographical situation which eliminated the question of territorial acquisition, Dr. von Kuehlmann said, therefore, it was "all the more necessary to obtain economic advantages up to a limit consistent with the maintenance of Roumania's capacity for production."

Route to East Provided.

Two points, he indicated, must be taken into consideration: first, guaranteeing Roumanian agricultural and petroleum production as a necessary condition for the carrying on of the war by the central powers and for the transition period; and, secondly, the important role which Roumania has to fill in providing a thoroughfare to the east, especially as she dominates the lower course of the Danube.

"It is here," continued the minister, "that there comes into effect the international Danube delta committee upon which only states on banks of the Danube can be represented. Only if the states agree to it will the countries lying on the Black Sea be able to come into it. Therefore it is especially important for the German seaboard traffic that we have been able to secure sites for dockyards."

"Along with the Danube the importance of the Roumanian railways must be considered, especially the Bucharest-Czernavoda-Constanza line, over which Germany must have control."

"It has been agreed with Bulgaria that this railway to Constanza, which is to be made a free port with grain silos and petroleum tanks, is to be leased to a German company for 99 years."

Cable to Be Developed.

"The cable between Constantinople and Constanza played an important role before the war. This cable is to be developed to the utmost and secured from enemy control."

Alluding to the agreement by which Germany has secured the Roumanian harvests of 1918-19 and the far-reaching option upon the entire Roumanian harvest for the next seven years, Dr. von Kuehlmann said:

"One can look forward to the whole food question with a certain amount of confidence. Formal war indemnities were not demanded by Germany, but the numerous privileges we secured are equivalent, in the opinion of experts, to anything which would have been yielded by indemnities."

"When, some day, the damage caused by the U-boat warfare shall have been made good by newly built ships, the sea route for Constanza will regain its importance."

Trade Prediction Made.

"It would be a mistake, however, to turn our eyes only to the east. There are the mouths of the Rhine and Elbe. Future policy will have to see to it that German trade strives with redoubled energy to travel once more on the open sea."

"The day will come when the genius of our leaders and the incomparable courage of our army and navy shall have obtained victory and peace for us. On that day the German merchant and the German ship owner will prove to the world that they have no equal; that severe trials have only made them better qualified to take up competition again and will prove that the proud motto 'Nulli Secundus' is appropriate to them."

In the course of his remarks the Foreign Minister announced that the extraction of Roumanian petroleum had now been so far restored that the output was two-thirds the pre-war production.

More Original Pensions Granted.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 24.—Through the efforts of Representative Hawley, original pensions have been granted to George W. Frey, of Lakeview, and Enos Rhoten, of Gold Hill, both veterans of the Modoc Indian War; and to Maude M. Lan-

dis, of Newport; Catherine E. Mauts, of Dayton; Bessie A. Harris, of Lorane; Anna M. McGugin, of Oregon City; Mary A. Kelley, of McMinnville; Lillie D. Benton, of Hillsboro, all widows of veterans of the Civil War; also to William J. Cary, of Halsey, who served in the Oregon troops during the Civil War.

OPIUM RING BROKEN UP

Smuggling Operations on Vast Scale Exposed.

HONOLULU, T. H., May 13.—(Special.)—An opium smuggling conspiracy, gigantic in scope, extending from China and Japan through the Hawaiian Islands to California and Mexico, involving millions of dollars and wealthy and prominent men and women and hundreds of underlings, has been partially exposed in recent arrests here and in San Francisco. Not only Japanese and Chinese involved in the conspiracy but many Caucasians supposed to be leaders of the big ring have been run down.

Four arrests were made in San Francisco, including a prominent tea merchant. Among those arrested here were Joseph Kueby, former assistant postmaster; James Ah Chuek, a wealthy Chinese merchant; Lee Summit and Lee Pot, Sagayo Takata, Joseph Abe and R. Yamamoto, Ching San Lum, Chang Pang, Mrs. Chuek Chee, wife of a steward on an inter-island boat; Mrs. G. Awana, proprietor of a store, and Mrs. Hee Chee, wife of a prominent Chinese druggist.

More arrests are expected. It was discovered that the opium was not only being smuggled in while the Oriental liners were in port, but that a great deal of it was thrown overboard just before reaching here and was picked up by sampans. It is believed that more than \$100,000 worth of opium has been brought into the city every month from the Orient. It sells, wholesale, at \$100 a tin and retails at \$200.

LABOR LAUD BY SPEAKER

F. E. Taylor Elected Executive Member of Realty Boards.

F. E. Taylor, well-known Portland real estate man and former president of the Portland Realty Board, was unanimously elected as Oregon member of the executive committee of the National Association of Realty Boards, at the weekly luncheon of the Portland Realty Board in the Benson Hotel yesterday.

Thomas Barker, of Los Angeles, was speaker of the day. He gave an eloquent and patriotic address on the part labor is taking and will take in the American war program. He said that labor was united behind the war. Mr. Barker is representing the United States Department of Labor in its speakers' division, and is visiting the various shipyards as an official speaker for the Government. B. Manley was chairman at the luncheon.

DEATH TAKES F. E. GLAZIER

Prominent North Bend Real Estate Man Victim of Paralysis.

NORTH BEND, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—F. E. Glazier, a well-known real estate dealer of this city, died at his home today after an illness of several months due to paralysis.

Mr. Glazier was 60 years of age and came to this city from Boise, Idaho, 12 years ago. During his residence here he was engaged in the real estate business and of later years was prominently identified with the Oregon Coast Company of this city. He was a member of the local Masonic lodge and was an active figure in the development movements of the city.

Besides a wife, who survives him, he leaves a son, Fred Glazier, engaged in ship construction at Bellingham, Wash., and a sister, Mrs. J. Snyder, residing at Boise, Idaho.

UNION AGENT IS ACCUSED

Tacoma Workers Charge Misappropriation of \$1652.

TACAMO, Wash., May 24.—(Special.)—Information was filed against F. A. Lucas, former business agent and secretary of the Boilermakers' Iron Shipbuilders' and Helpers' Union, No. 568, today charging him with misappropriating \$1652.71 of the union's funds to his own use. Lucas was business agent of the union for the past year up to April 1, when he was recalled.

The local union reported the alleged decaulation to international headquarters after Lucas had been asked to make up the shortage, and orders were received to proceed with the prosecution.

AUTOMOBILES SCARCE.

Deliveries on retail orders for new cars of some of the popular makes are reported as being held up for from 30 to 60 days on account of shortage of material, labor and freight cars. A few new Oakland Sensible Sixes can be had at 344 Burnside now. Summer is here, why wait when you can get an Oakland today?—Adv.

Negro Murderer Shot.

BARNESVILLE, Ga., May 24.—John Calhoun, a negro farmhand who early yesterday shot and killed John A. Willis, a white farmer of this section, was shot to death today while resisting arrest by a posse.

Buy a Thrift Stamp today! On sale Accommodation Desk—Main Floor.

Lipman Wolfe & Co.
"Merchandise of Merit Only"

Send a Smileage Book to Your Soldier—On Sale Accommodation Desk—Main Floor.

THIS STORE USES NO COMPARATIVE PRICES—THEY ARE MISLEADING AND OFTEN UNTRUE



SKETCHED IN OUR OWN STUDIO

Tub Apparel for GIRLS

From Two to Seventeen

—The season has brought forth nothing more charming and attractive than these new tub frocks—and they are here in the prettiest styles—strictly modern—with that touch of quaintness that is so delightful! In styles and sizes for girls from 2 to 17.

FOR LITTLE TOTS
2 TO 6—AT 98c

—Gingham frocks in plaids or stripes and plain white frocks in high-waisted models with piping for trimming; and some straight line models with yokes and patch pockets.

FOR THE SAME
TOTS AT \$1.35

—Plaid Gingham Dresses in straight and waisted styles—yokes and wide belts and some with pretty pipings. Very attractive and extremely youthful in style.

FOR GIRLS FROM
6 TO 14—AT \$1.79

—Plain-colored chambray and plaid gingham frocks in a good variety of color combinations. High-waisted and straight-line styles—many with white collars and cuffs.

FOR THE GIRLS
7 TO 14—AT \$2.19

—Two pretty models in frocks of plaid or striped ginghams, made with full skirts and fancy pockets. In side or front-closing styles. Very smart.

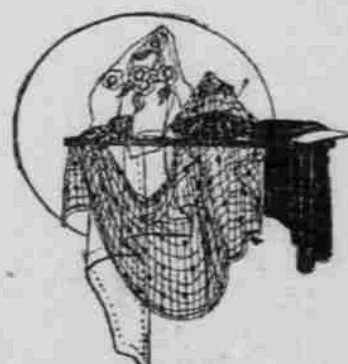
FOR GIRLS WHO ARE
6 TO 14—AT \$3.49

—Plaid gingham or plain colored Toile du Nord frocks in the most effective styles. Made with fancy patch pockets, fancy white collars, stitching and other trimmings—wonderfully smart.

DRESSES FOR OLDER
GIRLS AT \$5.95

—The prettiest models in frocks for girls 15 and 17 and small women wearing those sizes. Plain colored chambrays and fancy striped ginghams in the quaintest and most attractive models.

—Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



New Veilings

—You must see the Dainty New Maytime But-a-Fly, Ova-the-Top, and Other Novelty Veilings now featured at 65c the yard.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

DAINTY SCALLOPED Handkerchiefs

11c—Fine sheer handkerchiefs with scalloped or hemstitched edges. Embroidered in white and colors.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

LARGE FLUFFY HAIRBOWS

Special

49c—Plain or moire ribbons and warp print and fancy satin striped hair bows. Special at 49c.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

New Sheet MUSIC

SPECIAL SATURDAY.....9c

—"I'd Like to See the Kaiser With a Lily in His Hand."
—"Each Stitch Is a Thought of You, Dear."
—"Hello, Central, Give Me No Man's Land."
—"Drop Me Down in Dixie."
—"When the Kaiser Does the Goose Step."
—"I'm Hitting the Trail to Normandy."
—"K-K-K Katy."
—"Camouflage."
—"Are You From Heaven?"
—"Daddy Mine."
—"Broken Doll."

Star Dance Folios No. 18
Special 38c

Music Floor—The Seventh.

WESTINGHOUSE

Electric Iron, \$3.50

—A laundry iron built for service. 6 1/2-pound weight, complete with cord and stand. This iron is guaranteed for all time.

—We Specialize in Repair Work.

—Electric Corner, Main Floor.

DRUGS and TOILETRIES

—French Ivory Combs, all coarse, at 49c.
—Paraffin Oil, full pint at 43c.
—Moth Balls, enough for your fur, 19c.
—Dy It, for straw hats, all colors, 25c.
—Rit Soap Dye, for coloring and cleaning in one operation, all colors, 10c.
—Silicate of Soda or Waterglass—Now is the time to preserve eggs for winter use, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.
—Bath Brushes, with detachable handle, 39c.
—Knitted Wash Cloths at 6c.
—Hand and Nail Brushes, fine assortment, at 10c.
—Peroxide Tooth Paste, tube 19c.
—French Wool Powder Puffs at 12c.
—Rosewood Hair Brushes, with hand-drawn bristles, 98c.
—French Ivory Picture Frames at 59c.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

MEN—HERE'S A BIG SPECIAL SALE OF SHIRTS

at \$1.29



—New fancy woven and corded madras, poplins and many specially woven materials—in a wonderful assortment of colors and combinations and patterns. Soft-cuff styles that are so popular! Here in all sizes.

NEW SHIRTS IN SILK AND COTTON MIXTURES

—Some mighty good-looking shirts at the price! All the \$3.35 handsome new Spring patterns and colorings are included \$3.35 in soft-cuff style. Many exclusive patterns. VERY SPECIAL \$3.35

MEN'S LILE THREAD UNION SUITS SPECIAL

—Fine quality lile thread suits in cream, white and ecru. \$1.29 Form fitting model with patent closed crotch. Short sleeve, ankle-length style.

MEN'S POROSMESH UNION SUITS, SPECIAL AT

—Fine quality union suits in white only. Short sleeve, ankle-length style with closed crotch. VERY SPECIAL AT 89c

"FRUIT OF THE LOOM" NIGHT SHIRTS AT

—and we couldn't buy them ourselves for that price today! \$1.50 Heavyweight muslin, cut extra full. Cut with V-shaped neck.

Toyo Oriental Panama Hats, Special \$2.45

—Main Floor, Just Inside Washington-St. Entrance.



ALL YOU FOLK WITH GROWING BOYS—See These

DUBBLEBILT SUITS

With 20 Points \$8.75 of Superiority

—Do you realize what it seems to have all points of wear reinforced in boys' apparel—to have knees, elbows and seams double built? —Come in and let us show you how very economical it is to buy these splendid suits for the boy. They're made of especially selected fabrics with "Supertex"—a specially interwoven lining, and "Ashtex," a specially woven outer lining. All are cravenette finished and equipped with the famous Governor fasteners to insure perfect fit at knees.

We Have Other Suits of Serge, Cheviot, Cassimere, Homespun Materials and Tweeds. Priced \$7.50 to \$20.

Wash Suits for Boys 4 to 10

—Splendid new models in middy suits of Galatea, Juvenile, Khaki, Linen and Repp. Made with short or long pants and many have detachable collars and cuffs. Priced \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Tam o'Shanter to Match—Priced \$1 Upwards.

LANGHAM-HIGH Clothes

—For the Younger Young Men—that you see advertised in the Saturday Evening Post—are to be found here only in Portland. Priced \$18 to \$27.50.

—Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR

WOMEN'S FINE MERCERIZED LILE STOCKINGS

—Splendid lile stockings in fast colors—black, white, champagne, Copen, Navy, green, grey, old rose, pink, bronze, nigger brown, grey. All sizes. 50c

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSE \$1.50

—Fine quality pure thread silk stockings with lile garter tops. In white, black, nigger brown, cordovan, grey, tan and khaki. With high splicing and double soles. In all sizes.

WOMEN'S LILE STOCKINGS 35c

—Seamless lile thread stockings that are highly mercerized, with four-thread heels and toes. In sizes 8 to 10 1/2 at 35c or 3 pairs for \$1.00.

CHILDREN'S ROLLED TOP SOX 35c

—Children's colored rolled top socks in a beautiful assortment of patterns, with dainty colored tops. 35c the pair—3 for \$1.

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS 35c

—Fine lile thread stockings in black and white. In all sizes at 35c the pair or 3 pairs for \$1.

CHILDREN'S FIBRE SOX 39c

—High grade silk fibre socks in black, white or white with neat, colored stripes. All with rolled tops and some lile sox with Scotch plaids.

WOMEN'S GLOBE UNION SUITS 79c

—Women's tailored union suits in fine white ribbed cotton. In all the wanted styles. Sizes 34 to 38—79c, and sizes 40 to 44—89c.

WOMEN'S SWISS RIBBED VESTS 35c

—Good Swiss ribbed lile thread vests in low neck sleeveless style. Sizes 36 to 38—35c—3 for \$1.00.

GLOVE SILK TOP UNION SUITS \$1.50

—Kaiser glove silk top union suits in band top finish. White or flesh color—sizes 36 to 42.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

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Music after dancing ceases

Special Lunch 25c and Up

From 11 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Including soups, vegetables and drinks

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—For Saturday we have assembled a group of the most attractive hats and placed them on sale at this very low figure—regardless of the regular price tickets attached. Many of them are the smartest hats of their kind that we have shown—hats that have been overlooked in the first excitement of buying. In BLACK and COLORS—LARGE, SMALL and MEDIUM—DRESSY and TAILORED—REMARKABLE AT THIS VERY LOW PRICE!

—Charming Hats for Misses from 8 to 12 Summers—are here at \$3.

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