

GERMANY IN FEAR OF HUNGER AND COLD IN WINTER

Many Begin to Hoard Supplies;
Feeling Grows That Nation
Has Been Sold to Foreigners

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Berlin, Aug. 26.—Germany is gripped in a veritable panic of fear that her cupboard will be empty the coming winter.

The cry of "The wolf is at the door" resounds throughout the country.

This is the immediate effect of the new deflation of the mark and the corresponding inflation of prices, intensified by the exaggerated fears that the bulk of the population will go hungry and freeze.

Frantic buying is reported in all sections of the country where everything available for food and clothing is being hoarded for consumption or speculative purposes.

Deeply concerned by the alarm among its people, and itself shuddering before the problem confronting it, the cabinet today held a special meeting to consider measures to meet the situation.

The importance of the meeting and the gravity of the situation was emphasized by the fact that President Ebert himself presided, he only taking a chair in the cabinet sessions when really grave matters confront it.

CALLS ALL MINISTERS
Symptomatic uneasiness is felt even in the government, Chancellor Wirth having summoned by telegraph all the prime ministers of the German states to confer with the central government on Monday.

The discrepancy between the exorbitant high prices of the necessities of life to Germans and the often absurd cheapness of the same articles to foreigners by reason of the exchange rate are inspiring many efforts to restrict selling to foreigners.

Just as water seeks lower levels, so do the buyers gravitate toward low prices. Illustrations of this are seen on all of Germany's numerous borders. Across the Swiss, Dutch, Danish and Polish borders would-be buyers are coming, drawn by that magic word "bargains." Seeing foreigners buying cheap what Germans need most and cannot buy because of the exorbitant prices is giving rise to a wave of bitter anti-foreign feeling.

ROADS ARE GUARDED
Along the Czechoslovakian border roads crossing the frontier are being guarded by armed men on the German side. Just as during the war, suspects were searched for concealed weapons, so now are persons being searched for goods bought in Germany.

At one place on the Saxon-Bohemian border workmen of their own accord occupied the roads across the line and captured groups of Czech buyers, including many women. They searched them and took away everything they had purchased in Germany.

In numerous cities and towns there were constant reports of refusal to sell to foreigners at current prices. In Leipzig efforts are being made to check sales of furs to foreigners. Everywhere is the cry, "Germany is being sold out to foreigners."

STINNES SUGGESTS NEW OFFER TO COMMISSION
London, Aug. 26. (U. P. S.)—The German government, acting on suggestions from Hugo Stinnes, the great German industrial and financial magnate, is submitting fresh proposals to the reparations commission in support of its request for an indemnity moratorium, according to press reports from Berlin today.

The new German suggestions are said to concern German coal deliveries and the disposition of state owned forests in Germany.

ENGLAND AND ITALY STAND FIRM AGAINST FRENCH PLAN
(By Universal Service.)

Paris, Aug. 26.—After the first unofficial meeting of the reparations commission following the return of some of its members from Berlin, the Anglo-French conflict has become wider.

The English, supported by the Italians, are insisting the Germans can pay no more at the present time, making it plain that a moratorium must be granted.

The French seem more opposed to a moratorium than ever.

Belgian diplomats are striving to effect a compromise and are still hopeful that they will be able to prevent a rupture.

President and His 'Strike Cabinet' Depart for Cruise

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P. S.)—President Harding and his "strike cabinet" went aboard the presidential yacht Mayflower here late today for a week-end cruise down the Potomac. This is the first time the president has been away from the White House for more than a few hours since early in July.

In the party were Secretary of Commerce Hoover, Secretary of the Interior Fall, Senator Cummings of Iowa, Senator Kellogg of Minnesota, General and Mrs. Sawyer, Secretary and Mrs. Christian, Chairman Lasker of the shipping board, Miss Abigail Harding of Marion, Ohio, the president's sister, and Mrs. William M. Boyd of Kansas City, a cousin of Mrs. Harding.

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Can't Find Rich Man's Grave, He May Still Be Alive

Huntington, Ind., Aug. 26.—(U. P. S.) Search for the grave of Dr. J. Newton Roe, who mysteriously disappeared after being sentenced to the penitentiary, continued here today.

Government agents trying to settle an inheritance tax matter involving an estate of more than \$1,000,000 were pushing the investigation.

Roe, who died in Chicago last April, was reported to have been buried in both Valparaiso and Markle.

A body was exhumed at Valparaiso, but could not be identified. Investigators claim they have found the grave at Markle. Relatives are said to object to exhuming the body.

Doubt that Roe was dead was caused by a statement from Dr. Robert W. South of Chicago, who said that Roe was still alive in South America.

Roe was sentenced on a charge of violating the prohibition laws.

A fortune said to have been more than \$1,000,000 had dwindled to less than \$100,000 when authorities attempted to straighten out the estate after Roe's funeral.

Northcliffe Will, Giving All to Wife, Is Under Contest

(By Universal Service.)
London, Aug. 26.—Three caveats were entered today against the will of Lord Northcliffe with the view of cancelling the last document made by the publisher.

Northcliffe, shortly before his death, made a second will naming his wife executrix. In the first will there were four codicils, the first dates March, 1919, the last April, 1922, in which Sir George Sutton, chairman of the Amalgamated Press, and Attorney Arncliffe, both old friends and colleagues of Northcliffe, are named executors and trustees.

Sutton and Arncliffe are now opposing the second will on the ground that Northcliffe was of unsound mind at the time of its making. In both documents Lord Northcliffe's wife is understood to be named the chief beneficiary.

The suit against the will to decide which will stand.

Convicts' Plot to Dynamite Gates of Prison Is Revealed

Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 26.—(U. P. S.)—A plot by three prisoners to dynamite the front gate of the federal prison here this afternoon and shoot their way to freedom was revealed here today to Warden W. I. Biddle by a "go-between."

The "go-between" said that John W. Blair, serving a 25-year sentence for robbery, and two other prisoners had planned the break for liberty immediately following the week-end ball game.

The dynamite and revolvers, according to the story, were to be furnished by the men by outsiders from Kansas City. The ammunition was to be conveyed to the prisoners through a trusty, said to be involved in the alleged conspiracy.

Cornerstone Plans Being Made for New Elks' Temple

Removal of the contents of the old Elks' temple cornerstones Saturday, was made in preparation for the cornerstone laying at the new \$1,550,000 temple at the corner of Eleventh and Alder streets next Saturday.

Portland Elks are planning upon much celebration in connection with the cornerstone ceremonies. Delegations from cities in Oregon, Washington and Idaho are expected to be present. Members of the Elks' lodge of Seattle will be in charge of the ceremonies.

Social arrangements are being made for a parade to precede the laying of the cornerstone and since many of the visitors will remain in the city during the week-end a special program, including an excursion and picnic for Sunday, will be provided. The address of the day will be delivered by Col. A. E. Clark.

The program for the occasion is being prepared by a special committee composed of Monroe Goldstein, W. R. McDonald and F. W. Watson.

JOHNSON FORCES BET EVEN HE'LL WIN BY 175,000

Bitter California Senatorial
Fight to Be Decided Tuesday;
Los Angeles Is the Key.

(By Universal Service.)
San Francisco, Aug. 26.—The day after tomorrow California voters will vote at the state primary for congressional representatives, state and judicial offices.

The campaign has been of great interest, especially in the senatorial fight between Hiram W. Johnson, who seeks to succeed himself as California's senior representative in the U. S. senate and Charles C. Moore, a prominent San Francisco capitalist, who is endeavoring to unseat him.

The polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Pacific coast time. The result of the senatorial contest will probably be known by midnight, providing there is no close contest, which is not anticipated from the Johnson point of view.

Southern California, especially Los Angeles county, which has a Republican registration of 225,000, is expected to be the key to the election of U. S. senator.

It is confidently predicted that Johnson will carry Los Angeles county by a substantial majority as well as the rest of Southern California. The Johnson supporters are waging their money at even that their choice will win by 175,000, two to one, that the senator will have a majority of 75,000 and 4 to 1, that he will win over Moore by 50,000, with but few takers.

Senator Johnson will close his campaign Monday night in Richmond. The campaign has been a bitter one, the issues being an attack upon the senator's foreign policy and an attack upon him because he defended the people of New York against the traction trustees, while member of the upper house of congress.

State offices to be voted on at Tuesday's election are governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, controller, treasurer, attorney general, surveyor general, chief justice of the supreme court and a full legislative ticket and local court offices.

Bank Commissioner Accused of Taking Bribe Disappears

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 26.—(U. P. S.)—Fred G. Dennis, state bank commissioner, who fled from the state several months ago, was indicted by a grand jury at El Reno today in connection with the failure of a bank there.

Dennis left Oklahoma when an indictment charging him with accepting a bribe was returned by a grand jury investigating the failure of a bank at Okmulgee. His whereabouts is unknown.

James C. Galloway, president of an oil company, John M. Hale, president of an Oklahoma City bank which recently failed, and four officers of the El Reno bank were indicted. It was alleged that the men were parties to a deal whereby El Reno school bonds were exchanged for worthless oil stock.

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Dining Room—\$47.65

—Six very sturdy chairs with saddle-shaped seats, braced against the back posts. Table has 45-inch top that will open to six feet. All are finished in hand-rubbed golden wax to match living room set.



Bedroom—\$67.60

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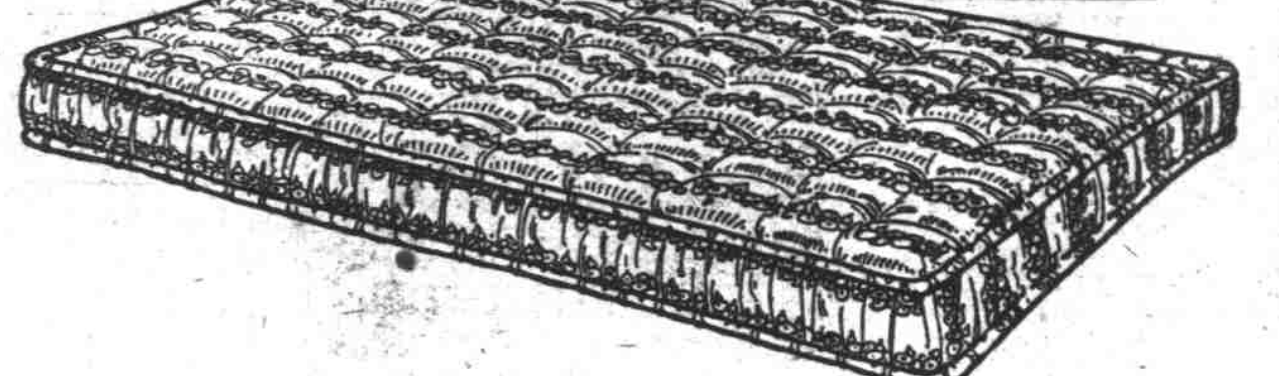
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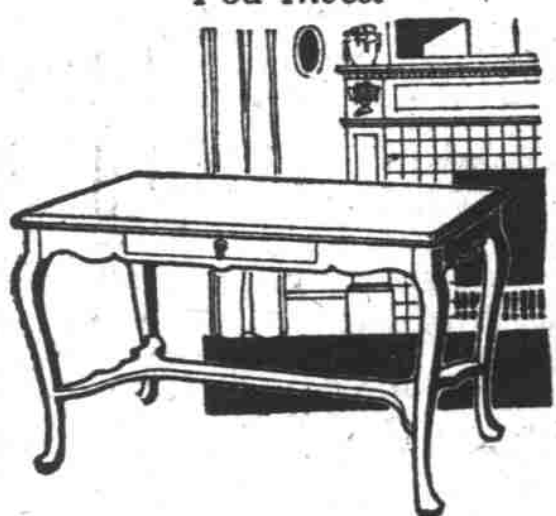
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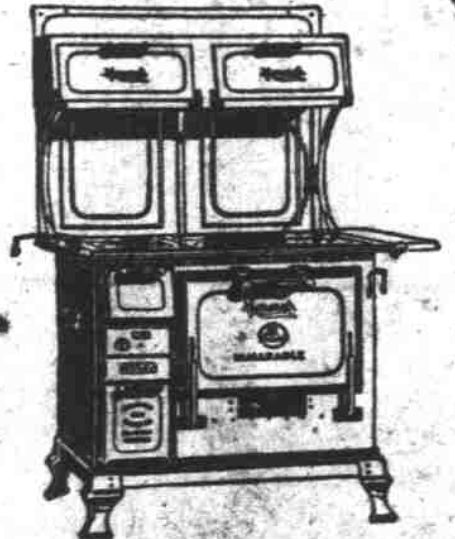
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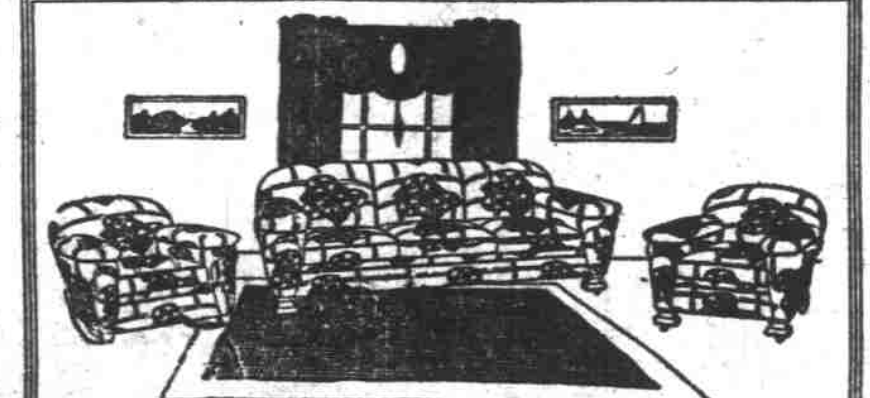
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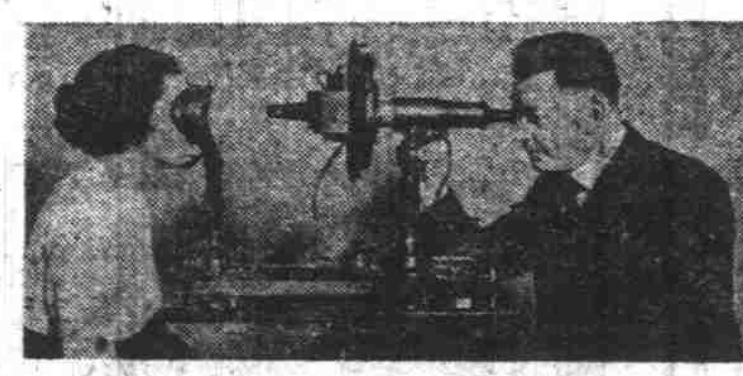
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