

TEACH PEOPLES TO MANUFACTURE THEIR OWN GOODS

ROME, Oct. 25.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—David Lubin, American delegate to the International Institute of Agriculture, has suggested to the Italian and British government officials and financiers a plan to block German encroachments in foreign markets by teaching the peoples of the world how to manufacture their own goods.

Mr. Lubin's plan is to organize an international league which would establish commercial bases in zones of foreign trade and to teach the people of those zones important methods of business and manufacture. It is pointed out that this would eliminate the necessity for them to purchase manufactured articles either from Germans or from any other.

Making New Customers. "At a first glance, it would seem inadvisable for the English or American exporter to help build up industries in a foreign market," said Mr. Lubin. "They would feel that they were, by teaching raw labor to become expert, destroying their own trade, and even running the risk of having that labor to compete in their own home market. I think reflection will show that there is really little to fear from the legitimate competitor. In fact, the competitor is, as a rule a customer, and the stronger the competition the more valuable the customer. Both the United States and Great Britain are competitors but they are also each other's best customer. Neither has much to fear from Morocco, for instance, as a competitor, but likewise they have little to gain at present by her custom. However, if Morocco be converted into an industrial center, it would become a customer.

"Under the present simple frank method of increasing business, there is no business worth while for anybody there, but if Morocco were taught to use her raw labor, she would start to manufacture and, right off, could be sold raw products and machinery. There would also be a gain on financial investments, on banking transactions, on her increased volume of exports and imports.

Backwoods Prevail. "Also, once this intensive plan of development were started, we would have a block to the German method we have complained of, which was always dangerous because German business was accomplished by political meddling, in the country involved, and her profits carried back home to help build up her armies, and her armies used to dull the world.

"We are under the impression that we are living in the twentieth century, but from an industrial point of view this is true of only a small part of the world. The backwood countries are still scratching the earth with a pointed stick, sowing seed by hand, reaping by sickle, making shoes and clothes by hand. The difference between the old world of the hand and the new world of the machine is seen right here in the basin of the Mediterranean where civilization was born, say, two thousand years ago. Much of this immense territory is still where it was two thousand years ago. Why? Because it hasn't the machines of France, England, the United States.

"It is in the interest of the nations fighting Germany to invade her former fields and there set the machines at work, teach their leaders business organization and their workers how to become experts."

TELLS WHAT ARMY THINK OF RESULT RECENT ELECTION

In a letter received by Miss Grace Brown from an officer now stationed at Fort Hancock, Ga., tells what the army's opinion is regarding the recent election.

"You might tell your pro-Roosevelt relatives that it was the slacker vote which put in a republican house. The men in this camp are highly indignant that they didn't get a chance to vote. It's a rotten shame that the men who are carrying the greatest burden must suffer by legislation built up by 'slacker' votes. Not two per cent of the men here got a chance to vote and I am sure the same condition existed in all camps. Had we voted there would have been a democratic house for the army to a man in behind President Wilson in everything he does. We who are making a study of war and of international problems are in a much better position to judge whether or not the president's policy has been based on good judgment than the man or woman who sits comfortably at home and takes as his or her bible the 'Daily Blatter.' Those same people at home may have some very embarrassing questions to answer when some five million men are turned back to civil life again."

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REGISTER YOUR LIBERTY BONDS SAYS UNCLE SAM

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—To insure against loss or theft of Liberty bonds, owners are being urged by the treasury to have their coupon bonds registered, although the procedure results in a great amount of work and expense for the government now that the number of bond owners runs above thirty millions. The registration can be arranged at most banks, and is done without cost to the owner. After registration, if a bond is accidentally lost, stolen, or destroyed, the government will pay it at maturity just the same, and interest checks will be mailed to the bond owner twice a year without requiring him to go to the trouble of clipping coupons and presenting them at a bank.

"The fact that bonds of the First Liberty loan or bonds of the Second Liberty loan are converted into bonds bearing higher rate of interest does not affect the dates on which interest is payable," explains a treasury announcement.

Interest is paid on bonds of the first loan, regardless of whether they have been converted, on June 15, and December 15; on bonds of the second loan, May 15 and November 15; Third loan, March 15 and September 15; Fourth loan, April 15 and October 15.

The treasury also explains that owing to the mechanical difficulties of preparing millions of interest checks on registered bonds, coupon bonds will not be exchanged for registered bonds or registered bonds transferred on the books from one owner to another, during a month before an interest paying date of each particular loan. For example, exchanges or transfers can not be arranged for First Liberty loan bonds between May 15 and June 16; and between November 15 and December 16. For the second loan, these dates would be April 15 to May 16; and October 15 to November 16. For the Third loan, February 15 to March 16; and August 15 to September 16. For the Fourth loan, March 15 to April 16; and September 15 to October 15.

This arrangement is explained by the treasury as follows: "During any period when the transfer books for any particular loan are closed, no transfers of registered bonds of such loan or interchanges of registered and coupon bonds of such loan will be permitted, but if requests for transfer of any such registered bonds or interchanges of any such registered and coupon bonds are received during any such closed period, the requests will receive attention upon the reopening of the books.

"The semi-annual interest will be paid to the person in whose name bonds are registered as shown by the books of the treasury department on the date the books close regardless of any disposition that may be made by the registered holder during the closed period. If coupon bonds are presented for exchange for registered bonds during such closed periods, the coupon next due should be detached and collected in the usual manner. If registered bonds are presented for exchange for coupon bonds during such closed periods, interest on such registered bonds will be paid in the usual manner, and the coupon bonds delivered upon such exchange after the re-opening of the books will have the coupon maturing on the interest day for which the books were closed and prior coupons detached."

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RUSSIAN REFUGEES FIND HOMES IN CARS

TOKIO, Nov. 23.—Many refugees are living and raising poultry or keeping cows in train in Siberia according to Shinyo Tanaka, a councillor in the Japanese railway board, who has been travelling in Siberia on an investigation of railroads. He said:

"As one travels westward in Siberia train refugees are found in greater numbers. They have converted railway compartments into quite comfortable homes which are provided with all the necessary household requisites. Although the rolling stock is by no means plentiful the authorities are not so heartless as to drive away these poor people from their newly occupied abodes, and they are allowed to live in the trains. "Every station swarms with dirty, ragged beggars. They invade passenger trains and sometimes they follow their intended victims for several stations until their solicitations are satisfied."

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back; rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic, for constipation, biliousness, headache, and sluggish bowels. For sale by Medford Pharmacy.



To the admirers of Miss Young, the novelty of seeing her dressed in a leopard's skin and several strings of beads, running barefooted through the jungle after the manner of "Tarzan of the Apes," and then the return to smart gowns and society, this feature offers something different, remarkably well done by this popular star.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF MEDFORD TO OPEN MONDAY

The Medford public schools will again open Monday, November 25. School children are requested to report at the usual time. Until a definite plan for making up work is determined the hours for school sessions will be the same. It is hoped that the latter statement will make clear that this far no specific plan has been formulated. However the matter is being considered carefully with a view point to the most advisable and efficient plan to take. Whatever plan is found the most expedient will be announced in detail with consistent reasons for the same.

Credit for Music Study. The report of the committee on credit for private music as high school credit as authorized by the department of education under the direction of State Superintendent of Instruction J. A. Churchill, has been received at the office of city superintendent. Copies of this report have been made and may be secured by applying at the office of the principal of the high school, P. E. Baker. As announced in this issue sometime ago credit for outside work in music as Office Hours.

The office hours of the city superintendent of schools will be from 9 to 9 a. m. and from 3 to 4 p. m. The hours from 9 a. m. to 12 m. will be taken for supervision of the work in the elementary schools while the time from 1:10 to 3 p. m. will be given to conference and supervision of the work in the high school department. Patrons are urged to feel free to call at the regular office hours. Telephone calls left at other hours will be taken care of carefully by the secretary and the same will be attended to promptly on the return of the superintendent at the regular hours set aside definitely as office hours. high school credit will be given only in accordance with the plan and regulations as outlined definitely by the state department of education. Private teachers of music if interested in the details of this report are cordially invited to confer with the principal of the high school. Likewise students interested in securing credit for such work are urged to find out as to the details of the work outlined by applying to the principal for as mentioned above credit for this work will be given only upon strict compliance with all details as outlined and interpreted.

MEMORIAL TREES ALONG HIGHWAYS

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Nov. 23.—Co-operation of the governor of every state in the planting of memorial trees for our soldiers was asked today in a message received by Governor W. D. Stephens from the American Forestry association. The message outlined a plan to have trees planted along the great motor highways of the country.

P. S. Bidwell, the secretary of the association, reported to the governor that many towns and cities have taken up the plan and that the General Federation of Women's clubs is now considering the plan for the Lincoln Highway, the state organization of the Federation to plant the trees for that state's dead. "A Victory oak or a Victory Elm would certainly be the most appropriate way to remember our soldier dead," said Charles Lathrop Pack, the president of the American Forestry association. "The motor has played a big part in the war and it would be a very fine thing for the highway associations to take to this plan. Wood, too, has played a big part in the war and our streets must be replanted. If each state will cooperate in this movement a living tree long known can be taught the younger generations as to the meaning and value of forestry."

JAPAN RULED BY FIRST DEMOCRATIC WAR MINISTRY

TOKIO, Oct. 30.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The new popular party ministry which is governing Japan is democratic in its attitude and is specially friendly towards the press. Premier Hara and the entire cabinet entertained 100 Japanese journalists and a number of foreign newspaper men at luncheon at his official residence and a week later the cabinet accepted an invitation to luncheon tendered by the International Press association.

Mr. Hara, who is a self made man, started his career as a newspaper reporter and was at one time managing editor of an Osaka newspaper.

Speaking before the International Press association, Mr. Hara said all kinds of important problems were awaiting settlement, but in carrying out the measures required by the new era he would first address himself to the journalists for their generous support and their frank assistance. He added: "Without the assistance of the press no government can prosper."

The note of the new order of things was sounded by Motomasa Zamao, the president of the association. He said that all sorts of intellectual and spiritual forces were at work in the world, and no one knew where they would lead to. He continued: "After the war the relations between the nations will have a greater international significance. Japan will have her own national existence, but will be brought into closer and closer contact with the world of nations. It is at this important stage that the new cabinet comes into office, and we bid them welcome."

While in France, in the diplomatic service, Mr. Hara learned French, which language he still speaks fluently.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Regulations limiting the amount of bituminous coal stored by consumers were revised today by Fuel Administrator Gulliver in conformity with the cancellation of the war industries board of its preference list. Any industry or domestic consumer may now store all the bituminous coal desired.

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Advertisement for Postum featuring an illustration of a man and a woman, and text: "Nervous People who drink coffee find substantial relief when they change to POSTUM. This pure, wholesome table drink does not contain caffeine or any other harmful, nerve disturbing ingredient. 'There's a Reason' Only \$9.00. It is ideal for nursery, bath-room, bedroom, sitting room, office, etc. May be attached to any socket—can't tip—easily carried from one room to another, provides a steady shaft of heat at small cost. Paul's Electric Store Medford, Oregon. Phone 29.

SERBS DISSATISFIED WITH INDULGENCE TOWARDS BULGARS

SALONIKI, Nov. 23.—Crooks and Serbians in Eastern Macedonia, who suffered pillage, persecution, deportation and murder at the hands of the King Ferdinand and the country under the terms of an armistice, are exhibiting dissatisfaction over what they term the indulgence of the entente powers toward Bulgarians.

With fully 42,000 of their number deported, half of whom, it is believed, died under the hardships imposed upon them, the Macedonian natives are demanding, according to a Rector correspondent, who toured the liberated territory, that the Bulgarians be crushed by traditional Balkan methods. During the period of occupation the Bulgarians proved themselves "brutes and just masters in acts of spoliation and violence," said the correspondent, and when appeals for relief were made to the German authorities no attention was paid to them.

Entering Macedonia as friends, under an understanding with former King Constantine of Greece, the Bulgarians established a reign of terror which has been characterized as a disgrace to civilization. They imposed upon the population a rationing system which resulted in the starvation of many, following with assessments of taxes and seizure of provisions to an extent that impoverished the country. Then followed wholesale executions and crimes against men, women and girls of the most revolting character, the survivors declared. At Seres only 5,000 persons remain of 25,000 living in the city when the Greeks turned it over to the Bulgars. The population of Demir Hissar fell from 12,000 to 2,300 and in Vayala 8,000 to 9,000 persons died of starvation alone in 1917, while in 1916 deaths numbered 30 a day, largely from malnutrition. In these and smaller cities the Bulgars not only confiscated the bulk of the foodstuffs, but forced the able-bodied inhabitants to work for the invaders and carried away vast quantities of agricultural implements and furniture.

Joy in Macedonia over the withdrawal of the Bulgars is exhibited by inscriptions on many street corners reading "Christos Anesti." (Christ is risen,) while the Hellenic army of liberation is received everywhere with enthusiastic acclaim.

FORD QUILTS AUTOS TO RUN NEWSPAPER

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 23.—Henry Ford today announced his retirement from active participation in the management of the Ford Motor company, complete control of the Ford interests in the company to be taken over by his son, Edsel. Mr. Ford said he intended to undertake the publication of a national weekly newspaper, dividing his time between the publication and his tractor industry.

Advertisement for Dr. Rickert Optometrist: "EYES SCIENTIFICALLY TESTED, AND GLASSES PROPERLY FITTED. Suite 1-2 over May Co. NO DROPS USED."



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GOVERNMENT TO QUIT MANUFACTURE OF SPRUCE LUMBER

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23.—Bridgman General Price Disquiet announced today that the United States spruce production corporation, organized in connection with the production of spruce for airplane purposes by the government, has been dissolved, as the purpose for which it was organized has been accomplished.

Plans for closing up the activities

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