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# OPTIMISM RULES CONFERENCES

## Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS.

HERE is a question you are probably asking yourself: "What does this inflation business, of which the papers are full, and about which everybody is talking, mean to ME?"

"Will it help me, or will it hurt me?"

**IF YOU OWE MONEY**, it will help you. You borrowed dear money, hard to get. You can pay your debt with cheaper money, easier to get. So, you see, you will benefit.

**IF, ON THE OTHER HAND**, you have LOANED money, it will hurt you. You will have loaned a dollar that would buy a lot of things. You will get back a dollar that will buy FEWER THINGS.

That, as you can easily see, won't be so good for you.

**SUPPOSE**, just for example, that you lend today a dollar that will buy a perfectly good shirt—as a dollar will do in these days.

Now suppose that by the time your dollar is paid back the price of shirts has risen, so that it takes \$1.50 a buy a shirt of the same quality.

The dollar you get back, you see, won't be worth anywhere near as much to you as the dollar you loaned, for money is valuable only because of the things it will buy.

That is why inflation, with consequently rising prices, is good for debtors and bad for creditors.

**IF YOU WORK** for a fixed salary, inflation will be bad for you.

Why? Because your salary will stay the same, whereas the amount of THINGS you will be able to buy with your salary will decrease.

It will work the same way if you have a fixed income from bonds, or other investments.

**THE FARMER**, in all probability, will benefit more than anybody else from inflation.

The farmers of this country owe about ten billion dollars on mortgage debt. If the y had to pay that debt today, with dollars of the present value, it would cost them a fortune. But if they can pay it later, with CHEAPER DOLLARS, it will be a lot easier.

## UNDERSTANDING ON REVISED GOLD STANDARD LOOMS

### Roosevelt and MacDonald in Fourth Conference Near Agreements On Important Points Is Capital Report

WASHINGTON, April 24.—(AP)—British-American economic conversations virtually were completed late today and an immediate statement from President Roosevelt and Prime Minister MacDonald was in prospect. It was emphasized by the economic experts no binding agreements were sought in the negotiations, but it was understood that the two leaders had reached on the problems of monetary stabilization and world trade to be taken up at the world economic conference.

By FRANCIS M. STEPHENSON (Associated Press Staff Writer). WASHINGTON, April 24.—(AP)—Optimism pervaded the Anglo-American trade and arms conversations anew today as the French entry into the negotiations neared.

For a fourth time, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister MacDonald talked things over, calling their chief advisers to their sides in the afternoon.

An understanding between Great Britain and the United States on a revised gold standard monetary basis appeared in sight, together with a very definite proposal for armaments reduction.

Arranging to see Edouard Herriot, the French ambassador, late today, Mr. Roosevelt appeared to be devoting principal attention in the morning's work to armaments.

Senator Borah of Idaho, former chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, after being told by Mr. MacDonald at breakfast, reported him optimistic and expecting agreements which will make the world economic conference a success.

The economic experts were summoned to the White House for mid-afternoon for a late report on their progress toward a revised monetary basis and an understanding on reciprocal tariff reduction agreements.

It appeared Mr. Roosevelt would go into immediate conference with M. Herriot at 5 o'clock, if the experts reported agreement.

Otherwise the French representative is not due for a business talk with the President until about 9:30 tonight.

He will make his formal call at 5:10 p. m. today at the White House. Prime Minister Bennett of Canada, who comes today for the conference, will present himself at 5:15 p. m.

With the Canadian executive here, the talk veered to agreements for wheat control. Mr. Bennett will see the President tomorrow to do business.

Spanish Riot. MADRID, April 24.—(AP)—Eight persons, including a woman, were killed and many others injured in municipal elections yesterday in which parties opposed to the government won an overwhelming majority of votes.

## BASEBALL

American	National
Philadelphia.....16 17 3	Chicago at Cincinnati postponed.
Boston.....10 14 2	
Barnshaw, Cain and Cochrane; Andrews, H. Johnson, McLaughlin, Meola and Shea.	
New York.....10 12 2	
Washington.....11 12 1	
Brennan, MacFadden, Pennock and Dickey; Stewart, Russell, McAfee, Burke, Crowder and L. Sewell, Berg.	
St. Louis.....R H E	
Detroit.....3 6 0	
Coffman, Wells and Ferrell; Fischer, Hogsett and Hayworth.	
Cleveland.....4 7 1	
Chicago.....5 8 2	
Ferrell and Spencer; Frasier, Heving and Grube.	
Chicago at Cincinnati postponed.	
Boston.....5 10 2	
Philadelphia.....6 15 2	
Betta, Cantwell and Hogan, Spohrer; Bety, Grabowski, Pearce and V. Davis.	
Brooklyn.....R H E	
New York.....0 4 2	
Shaute, Mungo, W. Ryan and Lopez, Sukerforth, Hubbell and Mancuso.	

## MRS. MARTIN HAS NO LUCK SEEKING ARREST WARRANT

Mrs. Henrietta B. Martin, president of the so-called good government congress, and a delegation of her followers called on Judge L. A. Roberts in Ashland Saturday, seeking a warrant for arrest of Colonel E. E. Kelly and were refused the request, it was learned here today.

The delegation sought the arrest on a charge of assault and battery as a result of the fight between Kelly and John Koskas last week on North Central. Koskas, attempting to serve an ex-parte order, issued by County Judge Earl H. Pehl, on Kelly, was unsuccessful, "and troublesome," according to onlookers.

A warrant for Kelly's arrest was sought at the district attorney's office here the day of the fight and was refused pending investigation. Judge Roberts, in refusing the warrant, informed the good government congregation it would not be issued unless recommended by the district attorney's office. When questioned regarding a warrant issued some time ago at request of Attorney M. O. Wilkins for arrest of L. A. Banks, he stated that the warrant was issued upon advice of the district attorney's office.

Several members of the good government congress "were seen circulating about the office building occupied by Attorney T. J. Knight, close associate of Koskas today. Their business was not learned. L. O. Van Wagon, recently released from county jail on bonds, was posted in the alley near the building for some time this morning. Van Wagon was charged with carrying a concealed weapon without license, riotous and disorderly conduct and criminal syndicalism.

## GANGSTER SIGHTED OWN DEATH AHEAD

PORTLAND, April 24.—(AP)—Jimmy Walker, 37, gangster and convict, predicted in his own way the gangland slaying that took his life on a lonely road near St. Helens Saturday.

"I'll burn for this," Walker was credited as having said soon after he had shot Frank Kodat in the back in Kodat's speakeasy here.

And less than 24 hours later Walker's bullet-riddled body was found in a ditch beside the country road. Beside it was the battered body of Mrs. Edith McClain, the woman over whom Kodat and Walker had quarreled.

Friends of Kodat were credited by police with having put Walker and Mrs. McClain on "the spot." Little headway had been made today in the solution of the double murder, but detectives continued to question Kodat's associates.

## SERVE SUBPOENAS ON WITNESSES IN TRIAL OF BANKS

### State Begins Notification of 26 Who Will Be Called—Slayer in Thoughtful Mood After Lawyer Conference

L. A. Banks, agitator, former editor and orchardist, conferred yesterday afternoon with his counsel, Attorneys William F. Phipps and Thomas J. Knight of this city, and Attorney Joseph B. Hammerly of Portland. Most of the afternoon was spent in Banks' cell in the county jail, mapping defense plans. No announcement was made by defense counsel. Mrs. Banks did not attend the conference.

It is expected that W. A. Banks, brother of the defendant, will arrive here the last of the week, and will attend the trial at Eugene, starting next Monday, May 1. The defense counsel expects to move to Eugene next Friday, to arrange their last minute details, and secure office space. Assistant Attorney-General William S. Levens and his aide, Attorney Ralph Moody, will move their headquarters to Eugene Thursday. District Attorney George A. Coddling will go to Eugene Friday.

Plans for Trial Made. Lane county officials have been busy the past week making ready for the trial, and Judge Skippworth, who will hear the proceedings, has assigned space in the courthouse for state and defense counsel, and the press, who will have a table in the courtroom. The court also ordered that the courtroom be cleared each day at noon, and has banned eating of lunches there, to retain seats. The court will be limited to the seating capacity of the courtroom, which seats 225 people.

The state today started serving subpoenas on the 26 witnesses who will be called, and the defense is also expected to do the same, starting tomorrow.

Jail attendants report that Banks, following the conference yesterday with his lawyers, was in "a more thoughtful mood." Mrs. Banks was reported as "showing signs of worry." No inking has come of the defense that will be interposed by Banks, but

## FIGHT LOOMS FOR CONTROL OF G. O. P.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—(AP)—A contest for control of the republican party organization appears to be imminent.

Announcement of the organization of the "Republican Federal Association" by the leaders of President Hoover's administration is bringing the issue to a showdown.

Ogden L. Mills, the Hoover secretary of the treasury, and Walter Brown, the Hoover postmaster general, are active in the new organization. Brown is to head it.

The old guard forces who bitterly opposed the nomination of Hoover in the 1928 convention regard the new organization as an attempt by the Hoover forces to keep control of the party.

## ROBINSON PLEADS FOR ROOSEVELT SUPPORT

NEW YORK, April 24.—(AP)—The annual meeting and luncheon of members of the Associated Press—the world's largest cooperative—was attended today at the Waldorf Astoria hotel by hundreds of newspaper men from all parts of the country.

## 1566 IN CARAVAN SEE CRATER LAKE IN WINTER'S GARB

### Chamber of Commerce Jaunt Enjoys Perfect Day—Program of Snow Sport Proves Vast Possibilities

Ideal weather conditions, unchallenged scenic beauty and crowds of record breaking proportions yesterday greeted the official opening of Crater Lake National Park for the 1933 travel season. A program of carefully planned entertainment and snow sports were important among attractions to encourage visitors to spend the entire day in the park, in addition to inspiring views of the lake in its winter garb.

Official records reveal the presence of 1566 visitors in the park, arriving in 354 cars. Of this total, 950 people are credited to the west or Medford entrance and the remainder to the south or Klamath entrance. The bulk of the local and Jackson county travel arrived by caravan, as the result of concerted efforts of the Medford chamber of commerce and the cooperation of other organizations and business concerns.

Snow Deep. Despite snow depths running as high as 30 feet, winter long snow removal efforts provided motorists with comfortable driving over a 16-foot wide highway, entirely free of slippery surface. A large parking area at the rim furnished space for many cars but due to widespread interest in the day's events, the space was filled in a short time, necessitating controlled parking on the highway.

Indicative of the possibilities of spring snow sports within the park, ski races and ski jumping held undivided attention during the afternoon. Of especial interest was ski-jumping off the rim under the direction of Government Camp, over a new jump, constructed by the Crater Lake Ski Club. Through the cooperation of that club, the Bend Skyliners and Mt. Shasta Snowmen, many successful and graceful leaps were made, nearly reaching 100 feet.

However, due to spring thaw, the snow was not in the best condition for long jumps. If the sliding surface had been somewhat harder, jumps in excess of 200 feet could have been made.

Promising ability of Medford Skiers was shown in ski race events held at the rim under the direction of a chamber of commerce committee. A men's race of one-half mile was won by a local attorney, Frank Van Dyke, followed in second place by Harold Larson and in third by Harold Woods. Other entrants who gave the leaders a hard race included Roland Hubbard, George Henselman, Glenn Packard, Chester Hubbard, Ernest Conrad and Ralph Green.

A boys' quarter mile race was taken by Cecil Drex, Klamath Falls; followed by Leonard Klein, Medford, second, and Lloyd Drew, Klamath Falls, third. Roger Henneman, Ted Lindsey, Ed Valler and Jack Woods were among Medford boys taking part. A girls' race, attracting a limited number of entrants, was won by Miss Emma Butler of Klamath Agency. Second place was awarded to Miss Raylene Nelson, also of Klamath Agency.

Ski Novelty Enjoyed. A novel event, a tug war on skis resulted in victory for the Mt. Shasta Snowmen from a group of Medford and Jackson county skiers, providing much merriment for spectators. A skilled demonstration of ski artistry was made by James Carlberg of the Mt. Shasta Snowmen. He was especially adept with the "kick turn," a difficult ski manipulation. The committee on this feature of the program expressed appreciation today to the numerous participants in assuring its success.

The Medford caravan, escorted by state police, left the chamber of commerce at 8:45 yesterday morning, arriving at the lake shortly before noon. Following hot lunches, visitors were entertained with songs by the Medford Gleemen, under the direction of James Stevens. Completely covered by snow, the roof of the community house served as a novel setting for the singers, presenting a picture long to be remembered. On the same location, the Medford Ekks band played several selections. A large crowd surrounded the band and

## LINDBERGH'S INSPECT PORT AT KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, April 24.—(AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh paid here today on their westward air journey while the "Tons eagle" prepared to make a check of equipment for the Trans-continental and Western Air Lines of which he is a technical adviser.

The flying couple set their plane down on the Kansas City municipal airport at 7:33 o'clock last night after flying from St. Louis in one hour and 38 minutes.

## PASTOR'S WIFE LOSES TO RIVAL



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## WINNIE JUDD CAREFREE DROPS INSANITY STUNT

FLORENCE, Ariz., April 24.—(AP)—Winnie Ruth Judd, 28-year-old physician's wife, saved for the time being from death on the gallows, was to be taken from the cell on condemned row in the state prison here to the hospital for the insane at Phoenix.

Mrs. Judd will remain in the hospital for the rest of her life or until such time as she regains her mental faculties, in which event she would again be subject to execution.

The verdict of the final county jury Saturday night which found Mrs. Judd insane and therefore saved her from hanging, scheduled for Friday, caused a noticeable change in the attitude of the woman. She appeared to be a happy carefree woman

and has abandoned the constant wrapping of a handkerchief around her hand, a practice which had been commented upon by psychiatrists during her trial for the murder of Mrs. Agnes Leroi, as well as at her insanity hearing.

Members of Mrs. Judd's family, including her husband, Dr. William C. Judd, Los Angeles physician, visited her at the prison here yesterday. Mrs. Judd chatted quietly with her visitors and displayed keen interest in activities about her.

When she leaves the prison Mrs. Judd said she hoped she would be able to take her pet black cat, Egypt, with her to the state hospital. "She brought me good luck," Mrs. Judd said.

## 400 MEN SLATED FOR RELIEF WORK IN CRATER PARK

PORTLAND, April 24.—(AP)—Four hundred men will be put to work soon in Crater Lake National park. It was learned today, as a further development of the Roosevelt conservation corps plan to put young, unemployed men to work at useful labor in the forests.

Two camps will be established in the southern Oregon reserve, one camp to be located at headquarters at the lodge area.

These national park camps will be in addition to those already provided for in national forests. Trails will be cleared, fire prevention work done, and general improvement made.

## COLEMAN MADE LION AT LUNCHEON MEET

Official of the local Crater Lake office said this afternoon they had no official information, on the above, and any action would wait on definite word from Washington, D. C. Superintendent Solinsky has made recommendations, and it is thought directing officers will approve.

The local Crater Lake office said, that it was the plan to establish one camp near headquarters, and the other at Wine Glass point, on the north side of the scenic wonder.

## 3000 CHINESE DIE BEFORE JAP GUNS

TOKYO, April 24.—(AP)—Japanese reports estimated nearly 3000 Chinese were killed in four days of a major battle south of Kueipekow in the great wall of China. The Japanese lines were reported pushed today within 50 miles of Peiping.

A Rengo (Japanese) news agency dispatch from Kueipekow said Japanese troops, with airplanes assisting, advanced to about five miles southwest of Shanguantsu, nine miles below Kueipekow.

The troops, under Major General Tadashi Kawahara, captor of Jehoi city, were reported to have expelled the Chinese from the important stronghold of Nanmenmen.

Air bombers were said to have heavily punished the Chinese, hastening their retreat in the direction of Miyun.

## CHILD TRAMPLED BY FRIGHTENED HORSE

HERMISTON, Ore., April 24.—(AP) Ruth Shea, four, died in the Hermiston hospital here Saturday from injuries she received when kicked and trampled by a frightened horse. It is believed that the child, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shea, had been tied to the animal by a sister two years older.

## SOFT PEDAL FOR WAR DEBT WHILE CONFERENCES ON

### Roosevelt Fears Too Much Publicity On One Feature May Ruin Effect of MacDonald and Herriot Visit

By PAUL MALLON (Copyrighted by McClure Newspaper Syndicate). WASHINGTON, April 24.—The administration is going to Hooverian extremes to keep war debt question quiet during discussions with MacDonald, Herriot, et al. All officials have orders to keep mum.

The inner fear is that if too much publicity attends this one feature the whole show will be ruined. Official denials will be issued promptly repudiating any reports that the war debt question is even under discussion. This is all a part of the game.

No eagle eye is needed to discern the fact that war debts cannot be kept out of the discussions. Our officials know that.

What they desire particularly is to keep congress docile until they have a chance to formulate something.

The general lines of a possible settlement are beginning to clear. If Mr. Roosevelt wants anything in the way of general tariff adjustment and international exchange concessions, he will have to give up something on the debts. The June 15 payments probably will not be made by any of the larger debtors—England, France and Italy. At least they are whispering around here that they cannot and will not pay.

They could be induced to pay that one more installment if Mr. Roosevelt said he could not act on debt revision while congress is in session and if he promised something like a lump sum settlement afterward.

That would keep the subject public out of the forthcoming meetings. Everyone would be satisfied—except congress. It is never satisfied.

## DOUGLAS COUNTY IN TAX DILEMMA

Old moneys at the state department secretly cringed with horror (Continued on Page Four)

## HANDBILLS BOOST FARMERS MEETING

Handbills were distributed today in the city, announcing a "mass meeting" to be held at the courthouse auditorium, Wednesday evening, to discuss ways and means of presenting mortgage foreclosure and "evictions from farms and homes."

Paul Dale of the "Farmers National Committee of Action" and H. J. Correll of the "Farmers State Committee of Action" are listed as the speakers. Farmers and others interested are urged in the handbills to attend. The county court has granted permission for holding the meeting.

## She Likes 'Em



Marian Shockley, Hollywood film player, eats her onion a day. It's for the complexion, she says, and not because she doesn't like the leading man. (Associated Press Photo)

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