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GERMANY WOULD ASSUME ALLIES' OBLIGATIONS

To the United States to the Extent of Her Capacity.

Berlin, April 26.—Germany, "in the event the United States and the Allies so desire, is willing, according to the extent of her ability and capacity, to assume the Allied obligations to the United States," says a clause in her counter-proposals, it was definitely learned here to-day. With this exception the counter-proposals, forwarded to Washington, including the offer of two hundred billion gold marks, are virtually as forecast in yesterday's despatches.

Proposals Reach Washington.

Washington, April 26.—Germany's counter proposals regarding reparations were received today at the state department and are understood to have been laid before the cabinet at its regular meeting.

To Occupy Ruhr.

Paris, April 26.—Premier Briand told the chamber of deputies this afternoon "if on May 1st satisfactory proposals, with acceptable guarantee, are not made by the German government, Ruhr will be occupied."

Note Made Public.

Berlin, April 26.—The note to the Washington government, embodying the German proposals, was made public here this afternoon. The text of the clause regarding the amount Germany is ready to pay reads: "Germany declares herself ready to engage to pay for reparations a total of fifty billion marks gold at their present value. Germany is equally ready to pay this amount in annuities adapted to her productive capacity up to a total of two hundred billion marks gold." Germany declares that the present proposals are only capable of being carried out if the present system of penalties now in force is discontinued forthwith, that she is freed of all unproductive outlays now imposed on her and that she be given freedom of trades.

As evidence of her good faith, says the note, Germany is prepared immediately to place at the disposal of the reparations commission one hundred and fifty million gold marks, silver and foreign exchange and eight hundred and fifty million gold marks in treasury notes, redeemable within three months in foreign exchange or foreign securities. Germany proposes an issue of an international loan, the proceeds to be placed at the disposition of the allies. On this loan she would pay interest at four per cent. Germany, continues the note, takes upon herself the obligation to recognize as binding the decisions of an international commission of experts upon her capacities.

STOCK MARKETS.

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New York Stocks. Opening. Closing.

Am. Loco.	86 1/2	86 7/8
Am. Sugar	87	88 3/4
Am. Inter. Corp.	45 1/2	46
Am. Sum. Tobacco.	70 3/4	70 3/4
Baldwin Loco.	41 1/2	42
B. & O.	88 3/4	89 3/4
Both. Steel "B"	35	35 3/4
Anacosta	57 1/2	60
C.P.R.	40 1/2	41 1/2
Central Leather ...	111 1/2	111 3/4
Crucible Steel ...	36 3/4	36 3/4
General Motors ...	81 1/2	83 3/4
Inter. Nickel ...	13 3/4	13 3/4
Marine, pfd.	15 3/4	16 3/4
Missouri Pacific ...	54 1/2	55 3/4
Willys-Overland ...	18 3/4	18 3/4
Rep. Iron & Steel ...	8 1/2	8 3/4
Pierce Arrow ...	62	65 3/4
U.S. Rubber ...	34 3/4	34
Royal Dutch (N.Y.) ...	74 1/2	75
Southern Pacific ...	64 3/4	66 3/4
Studebaker ...	75 1/2	75 3/4
Sinclair Oil ...	87 1/2	87 3/4
.....	27	27 3/4

HEAD OF MOOSE ORDER.

John McFaddin, Watertown, Dies Following Illness.

Watertown, N.Y., April 26.—John McFaddin, No. 232 Chestnut street, aged fifty years, died on Sunday following a twenty-one weeks' illness of hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure. Mr. McFaddin was born in Pittsburg, Ont. His early life was spent in Canada. When about thirty-two years old he came to this city. Twenty-two years ago he went to work in the store of the W. W. Conde Hardware Company, being continually employed by that concern up to his last illness. At that time he held the position of shipping clerk.

Mr. McFaddin was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, and for the past two years has held the office of dictator. Members of the lodge are to meet Monday night to perfect arrangements for a Moose funeral.

Dr. McFaddin is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna McFaddin, and one daughter, Miss Irene Margaret McFaddin.

Replies Awaiting Advertisers. The following box replies await advertisers at the Business Office: A7; B7; B18; C1; C4; C6; C8; C15; C23; D20; E2; E8; E11; 2; E15; E23; F9; F17; 4; F24; F31; 8; G25; 5; H26; 2; J4; 2; J23; 4; J26; 12; L7; L16; N7; 2; N14; O25; 8; P5; P9; 4; P15; Q4; 9; Q18; R4; 8; S6; S11; S18; T12; 2; U21; V1; V4; 3; V12; 2; X12; 2; X14; Y15; 15; K3; Q 29.

The "dry" majority in Ontario is now about 190,000.

TOLD FASCINATING STORY

Of the Growth and Development of the Girls' Friendly Society.

On Monday afternoon in St. James' Parish hall Miss Vera Martin, field secretary of the Girls' Friendly Society, told a fascinating story of the growth and development of this society, begun in England in 1875, whose branches are now links in a chain which circles the globe. Miss Martin is a Canadian girl, a granddaughter of the late Archbishop Hamilton, Ottawa, a member of the parish of Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, and since early childhood one of the girls of the Cathedral G.F.S. She emphasized the fact that the object of the society was the attainment of a high standard of womanhood, developed by prayer and service. "Healthy bodies, wholesome minds and holy spirits" should be the possession of the young womanhood of the land. Branches have leaders and associates, older girls, or women, who interest the younger girls. The very little girls are candidates. The parochial branches formed work in any way they may decide, for parochial objects, for missions, working towards the building of lodges in the cities where girls can have homes and recreation rooms, where under the kindly supervision of an older woman they may bring their men friends, and "holiday houses," where for six dollars a week to members a healthful holiday may be spent in the summer. "To do something to help others to be better and to be better yourself," said the young secretary, "is what we try to do." In England the membership is over 300,000, and during the war great work was done in munition centres, providing canteens for the workers, and was also done in Toronto by several of the branches in the hall of a Presbyterian church near a large plant. In the United States there are over one thousand branches of this world-wide society, and a girl leaving Canada or England for New York has a welcome awaiting her from the G. F. S., a welcome which is her right to claim as a member of this society. In Paris, Rome, Moscow, India, China, the work goes on, adapting itself to local conditions ignoring any social difference, ranking all girls living pure lives and earning their living honestly, alike eligible for membership in this great society, founded forty-five years ago in an English village, now become a wonderful power for good in the world.

The several Anglican parishes were well represented at the meeting and much interest was taken in the work of the Girls' Friendly Society. Rev. T. W. Savary was in the chair and introduced the speaker.

Word was received in the city on Friday last of the serious illness in Chicago, Ill., of Miss Anna Murray, daughter of Wm. Murray, auctioneer, and her brother proceeded to that city at once.

Prohibitionists in the U.S. are seeking to make the Volstead law more drastic.

The Dominion Coal Company's mines at Sydney, N.S., are working

DAILY MEMORANDUM.

A. O. H. Euchre, to-night 3 p.m. Member Rummage Sale, Market Building, Wednesday, at 10 a.m. Rummage Sale, George T. Richardson Chapter, I.O.O.F., Friday 29th, 10 a.m. Gentlemen's Driving Club Matinee to-morrow afternoon at the Fair Grounds.

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BORN.

BOTTING—In Westport, on April 19th to Mr. and Mrs. David Botting, a daughter.

MYERS—In Westport, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Myers, on April 20th, a son.

DIED.

BENNETT—In Kingston, April 24th 1921, Mary Ann Bennett, daughter of the late William Bennett. Funeral will take place from the residence of Charles McWilliams, 4 Birch Ave., on Wednesday, at 2 p.m., to Cataract cemetery.

DUNBAR—In Kingston on April 25th, 1921, John Dunbar, aged eighty-four years. Funeral (private) from his daughter's residence, Mrs. John Elliott, 337 Earl Street, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, to Cataract Cemetery.

TISDALE—In Kingston, on April 24th, 1921, Mitchell Tisdale, aged 75 years.

Funeral from her son-in-law's residence, Joseph E. Minnie, 231 Montreal street, Wednesday at 8:45 a.m. to St. Mary's Cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass will be sung for the repose of his soul. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Margaret Hitchcock and family, Sunbury, wish to thank their many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

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