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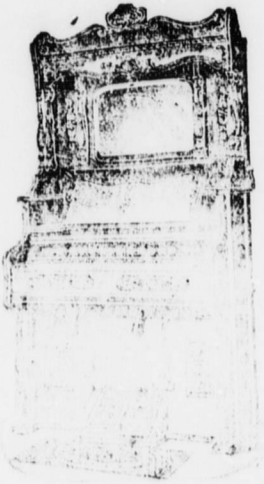
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accordingly. The most gratifying circumstances of the more affluent period is that of the natural outgrowth of sound readjustment and hence should be more lasting."

Ben Johnson, Banker, of Shreveport, Louisiana, said, "Our section of the country is in better shape than at any time since 1919 and prosperity is on a sounder basis than at any time in a good many years, due primarily to the fact that agriculture is now safely convalescent, to the soundness of Secretary Dill's report, and to the fact that we are now in a position to meet our obligations with ease and confidence."

Mr. E. H. Gerry, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, in addressing an organization of business men a few days ago, said, "I tell you, gentlemen, we are on the verge of a great era of prosperity."

The conditions as forecasted by the great business men I have just quoted should be a stimulus to us all.

It is true that seasons in this section have been very unfavorable for crop production the last three years. Our farmers are disappointed, disheartened and discouraged, however, let us take renewed courage from the era of prosperity we are now entering. The extension and continuance of prosperity can only be secured if we go about our farming and business with renewed effort, coupled with all the efficiency, economy and wisdom we can muster. I

trust the farmers of this section may put forward every effort possible to come out with a good crop, thereby placing themselves in a position to reap their share of this prosperity. The farmers who produce a good quality next year will surely receive a good price.

I am of a pessimistic nature, hence I would be the last person to make this forecast if I was not certain of my ground.

### Unregulated Foreign Monopolies

The people of the United States have a natural fear of monopolies, but they have learned how to handle them through public regulation, a business which of necessity is a monopoly in a given territory. They have found they can get better public service than can be secured through unregulated competition. As a result, we have our anti-trust laws, public service commissions, interstate commerce commission and "regulated monopolies."

The American telephone system is a monopoly and electric companies in various sections of the country are monopolies in their own localities. They are giving cheaper and more efficient service to a larger number of people, than telephone and electric light companies in any other part of the world. They are privately operated but subject to public regulation and control. This type of industry and service is in striking contrast to unregulated government monopolies which are authorized by foreign nations.

Commenting on monopolies which are authorized and tolerated by foreign governments, not to give better and cheaper service to the consuming public as a result of monopoly, but to return exorbitant profits to the beneficiaries of the monopoly Secretary of Commerce Hoover in a recent speech at Erie, Pennsylvania, said in regard to foreign monopolies of rubber, coffee, nitrate, potash and other raw materials essential to American industry:

"No unregulated monopoly is ever content with the reasonable, but always seeks to justify the impression made on one ground or another."

Illustrating high-handed practices of foreign monopolies, Secretary Hoover said: "The uniform expression of managers of rubber control in the East Indies up to eight months ago was that the industry sought only 7 to 10 to 15 cents a pound for their product, and our investigation showed they could earn about 25 per cent on the capital invested when rubber brings that price. It is today over \$1.00 per pound and production is still being restricted. It is said that the previous losses of the growers must be recouped. The same might be said of our wheat, cotton, oil and copper producers." A similar situation exists in the coffee monopoly.

No stronger argument could be advanced against unregulated and exclusive public ownership of industries than the facts revealed by Secretary Hoover. Where such conditions exist, the incentive of private initiative to lower costs and give better service, and the protection afforded by duly authorized regulatory bodies to both consumer and producer, are entirely absent. Such monopoly whether in private hands or under public ownership, is a curse to the consuming public.

We do not want to build up American industry by such methods. We have evolved a far superior system. Where conditions indicate that competition is not practical in some line of business we need not fear a monopoly, because we have drawn the teeth of monopoly by bringing it under public regulation.

Foreign monopolies such as those commented upon by Secretary Hoover will either bring about their own downfall, correct their unfair practices, or be forced to submit to public regulation.—Industrial News Bureau.

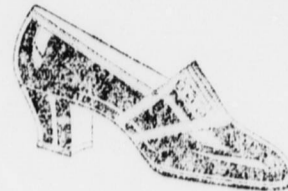
### The Traffic Problem Deepens.

A high-powered car coming from Charleston, whose driver was said to be a garage employee came along at a high rate of speed in an intoxicated condition, and while dodging a Ford car, ran over Mrs. Copeland and her little son, although they were on the extreme edge of the road, and on the off side.—From a news item in the Savannah Morning News.

### Ready to Abdicate

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"Oh," replied the girl, "lots and lots of things!" Boston Globe.

### Uplifting Thought

While you were reading this, Henry Ford made ten dollars.—Harvard Lampoon.

### In Dutch

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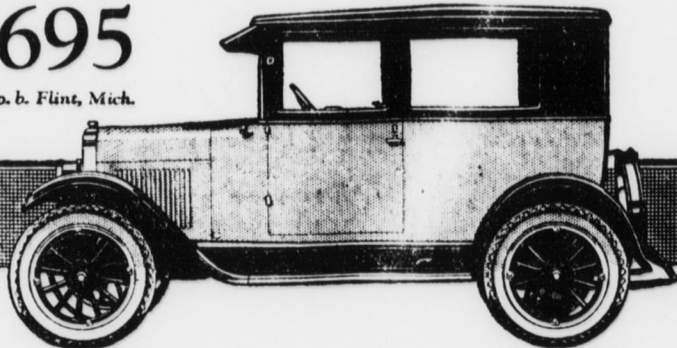
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