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The Ballet A Decorative Art By Andreas Pavley



#### Courtesy of Fashion Art Magazine.

This lovely group is from the ballet of the Chicago Opera Company. which has conferred a lasting benefit on the artistic world by its presen-vation of the Ballet, and it is Miss Gorden's intention to make this fea-rure even more elaborate this season. Andreas Pavley and Serge Unkramsky, directors and premiers danseurs of the ballet, spent several months of the past spring and summer in an extensive tour of Europe in a quest for new material

HE great awakening has come planted in the imagination of each

**RAGGED CHILDREN PLAY BEFORE BLANK** 

AND SILENT WINDOW FRONTS OF RUSS CITY

The great awakening has come and the ballet is now recognized into only as the art of motion, do the art which links all the others. This is because it expresses both forms of the arts, the appeal of the ballet is write motion. To the intellect, with a story to be unfolded. To the smothers with music, color deting and mothers is media. These elements are equilibries with directors and denorators do the arts the appeal of the ballet is media. These elements are equilable insignation. Insuration and build. Ballet directors and denorators do they are childrens and denorators do they are childrens and denorators do they are the total to the function and feet.

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# Britain Wants a Substitute Before Giving Up Alliance

Seeks "Agreement" Among Principal REPRES'NTATIVES OF Powers—French and British Army Policies May Clash at Arms Meet-Inter- POWERS WHO SIT IN national Poker is Started - Behind Closed Doors Delegates Thresh Out GREAT World Questions-Committee Meetings Washington, Nov. 14 .- The dele to Be Marked by Important Debates rates of the principal powers and China to the Conference on Limita-

Washington, Nov. 16.-The arms limitation con-ference today entered into an intricate maze of Far Eastern problems. For the first time the conference met in a closely guarded secret session. Just before the conference met in the beautiful council room there was no definite information as to whether Secretary Hughes behind closed doors would place before the delegates today America's program for settling Far Eastern affairs.

Washington, Nov. 16 .- Great Britain will not cancel the Anglo-Japanese alliance unless she gets at the arms conference a satisfactory substitute. This emanated today from persons conversant wholly with the British position.

What the empire wants is an "agreement."

"Alliance" is avoided as repugnant to American ideas. She wants this agreement among America, England, Japan and perhaps China.

Behind closed doors the arms conference is focay at work. Speechmaking and handclapping is being done, while the period of ne-guitation or "international poker" is

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here. Upon what happens in commit-tee meetings from now on will depend the success or failure of the confer-

Land disarmament, heretofore sub-merged by the vaster problem of na-val limitation, is destined to relevant val limitation, is destined to play an important and perhaps troublesome

By MAX ABERNETHY art in the arms parley, A clash between British and French Raleigh, Nov. 16 .-- Unless there is halt in the State's educational viewpoints is in the cards. America today was said to be able to smooth progress the next 10 years will show a much greater decrease in illiterout the clouds. Otherwise a storm

is likely. France wants to keep her army of 800,000; England wants it reduced, holding that it and the policies be-hiad it are stumbling blocks to Brit. 800,000; England wants it reduces be-binding that it and the policies be-hind it are stumbling blocks to Brit-hind it are stumbling blocks to Brit-lie instruction. In the light of the progress North In the light of the progress North

Ships That Navies Would Keep. Washington, Nov. 16.—Following are the first-class ships that the navies of the three big sea powers would keep under the "Hughes plan:"

every reason to believe that in an-other decade the white illiteracy in this State will be wiped out. Longer United States-Maryland, Californonited States-Maryland, Catiforn-ia, Tennessee, Idaho, Mississippi, New Mexico, Arizona, Pennsylvania, Oklahoma, Nevada, Texas, New York, Arkansas, Wyoming, Utah, Florida, North Dakota and Deleware-18, to-

talling 500,650 tons. Great Britain-Royal Sovereign, Great Britain-Koyal Sovereign, Oak, Resolution, Ramilies, Revenge, Queen Elizabeth, Warsprite, Valiant, Barham, Malaya, Benxow, Emperor of India, Iron Duke, Marlborough, Erin, King George V, Centurion, Ajax, Hood, Renown, Repulse and Tiger-22 totalling 604,450 tons, or Bittle move the 100 000 tons more den minarets of the Kremlin, historic, fortified stronghold of the ancient tal of Russia, floats the red flag of the Revolution. At midnight and noon the great clock, which used to toll the hymn of the empire, now sends out over the Red Place a refrain of the Inter-nationale. A new set of chimes was installed in the tower. Several huge, red placent a little more than 100,060 tons more than America's line of battle f.eet.

BALFOUR; WORDS ARE CHEERED JAPS WANT FEW MORE SHIPS. Both proposed some modifications. British reservations

referred to submarines and replacements. Kato announced that Japan would present a plan of ton-

nage on replacements. He indicated clearly that Japan will ask that she be given a more favorable ratio than accorded under the Hughes scheme.

Announcement of the intentions of Japan seemed to assure the success of the American plan for limitation of naval armament, however.

#### BALFOUR'S SPEECH.

Washington, Nov. 15 .- Great Britain agrees "in spirit and principle" with America's sweeping program for limitation of armaments, Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation, stated officially before the conference today.

The statement was greeted with loud applause.

The British leader stated that Great Britain is in fullest

sympathy with the policy presented by the United States. The American plans, Balfour stated, are both reasonable and acceptable. Even greater cuts than those proposed by the United States should be made in submarines, British naval experts are inclined to think, Balfour said.

Henry Cabot Lodge, United States Senator from Massachusetts, chairnan of the Senate Foreign Relations Bathesnips: Covado, Washington, West Virginia, South Dakota, Indiana, Montana, North Carolina, planned to be the biggest vessel of war afloat, iowa and Massachusetts. Committee, and Republican leader in

the Senate. Oscar W. Underwood, United States Senator from Alabama, Democratic Battle cruisers: Lexington, Consteleader in the Senate. ation, Saratoga, Ranger, Constitution

Great Britain .- Arthur J. Balfour and United States. Lord President of the Council of Great Britain, distinguished statesnan and prominent in the League of

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ion of Armament and Far Eastern

Questions, are: United States. - Charles Evans

Hughes, secretary of state and head

Elihu Root, former secretary of

state and United States senator, and

recognized as one of this country's

of the American delegation,

iblest statesmen.

ations. Lord Lee of Fareham, first lord of he British Admiralty.

Sir Robert Borden, former prime minister of Canada, representing Canada. George Foster Pearce, minister of lefense of Australia, for Australia. V. S. Strinavaea Sastri, member of the Vice-Regal Council of the Gov ernment of India, for India.

Sir J. W. Salmond, Judge of Su-areane Court of New Zealand, for New Zealand.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the British Ambassador to Washington, will act is a delegate in the absence of Prem ier Lloyd George.

France.-Aristide Briand, premie of France, heading the French dele ration Jules Jusserand, French ambassa

or to Washington, and dean of the Diplomatic Corps here.

Rene Viviani, former premier of France.

Albert Sarraut, minister of col onies in the French Government. Japan .- Tomosaburo Kato, Vice Admiral in the Imperial Japanese Navy, minister of marine of Japan and head of the Japanese delegation

Prince Tekugawa, president of th House of Peers of Japan.

as head of the Italian delegation.

Senator Luigi Albertini, editor of

Signor Rolandi Ricci, Italian am-bassador to Washington. China.-Dr. S. Alfred Sze, Chinese

inister to Washington.

ister to Great Britain. Wang Chung-hui, Chief Justice of

o discard the following ships under construction, all potential monsters from 11.1 to 83 per cent. completed: Battleships: Colorado, Washington, Washington, Nov. 15.—Briti resentatives were reported to be working out a substitute Washington, Nov. 15.—British rep-resentatives were reported today to be working out a substitute for the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Details were withheld, even as to whether a triple alliance of America, England and Japan was contemplated.

Britain will make her answer to-day to the American proposal for naval limitation.

At today's session of the limitation of arms conference Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation, is to accept in principle the program of America. Dominions' Attitude.

Balfour with a spirit akin to suspi-

nformed that this gigantic program s designed to far outstrip anything England or Japan could attempt. Al-

### QUESTION IS SETTLED IN MATTER OF SHIPS

#### By WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

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Washington, Nov. 15 .- Washington is the center of world interest today. Dispatches are coming in from all nations expressing approval of this nation's stand on disarmament.

What a lesson in international morality it is! The language of diplomacy is sometimes used for concealing of ideas; crafty suggestions and crafty answers pass between crafty diplomatists and they are approved by crafty politicians. Government control by a few selfish ends has often continued

over periods of years because those in authority had been forced to brook them and because people were ignorant of the real ends pursued. But the present conference has set a new precedent and its practically unanimous approval proves that "Honesty is the best policy" even in international affairs. By WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN (Copyrighted by the United Press)

### Strong Team for Rally at Christian Church; Paraguay Worker Comes sure that, so far as fleets are con-

settled. They argue that the government has, in all possibility, already sound-ed the governments of Great Britain and Japan and know that they will, in due time, announce their acceptance of the plan of scrapping more than half of all the battleships afloat than half of all the battleenings and and will suspend building new ones for 10 years. The plans go farther; they urge that no government can reject the American offer, without being overthrown by the people at home. Everywhere the world is weary of war and oppressed by the taxation imposed by war. The debts of the world are more than six times, as great as they were when the first gun was fired. All the surging dis-satisfaction among people would mass behind a protest if any government stood in the way of this long step for discrement. for disarmament.

Washington, Nov. 15.-A spirit of hope pervades the capital. Those who

doubted while they waited for the delegates to assemble, now feel quite

ing years ago. Since 1910 North Caro-lina has reduced its white illiteracy from 12.3 per cent. to 8.2 per cent., and today there are only 13 counties where the white illiteracy percentage goes above 12 per cent. They are: Figures for Counties.

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Figures for Countles, Wilkes, 17.1 per cent; Yancey, 16.2; Traham, 15.9; Stokes, 14.5; Swain, 13.5; Surry, 13.3; Burke, 13.0; Mitch-el, 12.8; Avery, 12.8; Jackson, 12.7; Caldwell, 12.6; Greene, 12.5. Against these there are nine coun-

acy during the last 10 years, there i

time will in all probability be requir-ed to do the same thing for the negro

population, which is today keeping the State's average far down the col

The 1920 census lumps both white

and colored illiteracy together, and in so doing fails to tell of the pro-Kijuro Shidehara, Japanese amgress North Carolina has made edu-cationally in recent years. These figures show an average 13.1 per cent, illiteracy in this State at the assador at Washington. Italy. - Signor Carlo Schanzer former minister of finance of Italy.

present time as against 18.5 per cent 10 years ago. Since 1910 North Caro-Deputy Filippo Medo, leader of the Calholic Party of Italy.

orriere de la Sera.

V. K. Wellington Koo, Chinese min-

the Supreme Court of China.

C. C. Wu, son of Wu Ting-Fang

he British delegation.

Are Undernourished;

ried far enough, becomes plain star-vation. The vast majority of these

millions of little ones are malnourish-el as a result, not of insufficient food, but of improper food. To relieve this situation a plan for

instructing the children in correct health habits has been devised by the

**Get Wrong Kind Food** 

Mammoth Fleet if Conference Fails. Washington, Nov. 15.—If Hughes' proposals for limitation of naval arm-ments are turned down by the othr powers, the United States propos-is to immediately add 14 first line battleships to the 16 now partially uilt and rush all 30 war vessels to



Ships That Must Go if Disarmament is Carried. Hashington, Nov. 15.—If the American naval reduction plan is idopted the United States will have o discard the following ships under

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engineer and writer. Across the river, where Moscow

places of business, stands a lone Red guard, a peasant boy, at his sentry box at the gate of a courtyard. It was once the residence of a sugar magnate. It is now a dormitory for Red officials and guest house for distinguished foreign visitors, in Mos-cow on official missions.

tween the cobblestones. Up the great hill, past the Krem-lin-over rutty cobblestones and past long blocks of empty window-fronts —the broad Theatre Place, formerly center of Moscow's business life, is swarming with people. Some in old field gray, relics of service during the war; some in coarser workmen's clothes, a few in business suits which show traces of many winters and blocks af empty indows, formerly clothes have reached Russia during the six years of war and blockade; women in men's coats and patched skirts, some in old tailored suits, with handkerchiefs for hats on their heads, peasants with their worldly property WELFARE OFFICER IS

### 1922 BRIDGE PROGRAM FOR ILLINOIS IS BIG.

### (By the United Press)

(By the United Press) Washington, Nov. 17.—The Illinois Department of Public Works has nut-lined a program for 1922 entailing the construction of 61 bridges with 109 concrete spans and eight sized spans. The concrete bridges range in span lengths from eight to 50 feet and the steel spans 100 to 170 feet. The largest bridge to be constructed is near Goodfield. It will have four concrete spans of 150 feet. The road way will be 20 feet wide. Another of the larger projects is near Golden-gate. This bridge will have tive con-crete spans of 125 feet, steel span of 125 feet,

the Red Place a refrain of the Inter-nationale. A new set of chimes was installed in the tower. Several huge, red placards, with the motto of the revolution in big, back letters, are plastered on the mediaeval walls of the fortress. One-barse trucks, peasants' carts—I saw a procession of four hayloads sol-shevik revolution was fought in this square, now the "Red Place," and 150 Red soldiers are buried in a com-mon grave at the foot of the wall, alongside John Reed, the American engineer and writer.

Ludse "nouses" are

hotels or big office buildings-each with its huge placard in front, with Moscowski Soviet, People's Commit-tee, Central Workmen's Committee,

cow on official missions. Ragged Urchins. Up and down the Sofiskaya Na-herezhna (Russian for Riverside) a their inevitable long rifles and naked few ragged children are playing on few ragged children are playing on the deserted sidewalk in front of long rows of silent window-fronts. The counting-houses have been locked for three years. Grass is sprouting be-tween the cobblestones.

(By the United Press) Washington, Nov. 17 .- A private highway. 200 feet wide, consisting of

six roadbeds surfaced with asphalt and connecting Chicago and Mil-wankee, has been proposed. Accord-ing to Alfred E. Case of Channel Lase, Ill., president of a Chicago or merchant princes and wealthy offi-cials had their luxurious palaces and center of the city-formerly large 000,000 corporation has been formed authorized to issue bonds up to \$10, 000,000 for the construction of road. The plans contemplate that all cars on any one of the six high-

etc., on them. Inside is a businesslike scene—it might have been a large commercial concern in the United States, with for private passenger cars and two for toll freight roads. "The highway will be elevated over all country roads and railroad tracks," said Mr Case. "It will be electric lighted and lined with trees, shrubs and flowers "It will be electric lighted and to make it one of the most beautiful drives in the world. It will be fully

> Few Big Fights in Sight for New York

United Press Staff Correspondent.) Yew York. Nov. 15.—When the Walker boxing bill was passed, New Yorkers sat back and dreamt of a championship bout every week. Tex Rickard did his best to make bu the prospects are not so good as Rickard and otherse

a double difficulty in arrainging championship bouts. In some divi-sions there are no suitable opponents for the championships and in other classes where talent is more plentiful, the title holders refuse to fight to a

IOXOTS.

The State Farm Bureau Federation at Salisbury recently elected W. H.

They are: New Hanover, 1.8 per cent.; Craven, 3.3; Mecklenburg, 3.5; Guilford, 4.1; Pender, 4.5; Rowan, former minister to Washington, and ulevard Be One of Finest Anywhere the United Press) too, Nov. 17.—A private who is active in the South China Government, has been invited by the recognized Chinese government at Peking to represent the southern revolutionary division of China, in

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accordance with the desires of the United States Government, but has

the 12 percentage figures. School attendance in the State has increased nearly 10 per cent, among the white population since the 1910 census, there being 89.5 per cent, of not yet accepted. Official Advisors. The delegations of the powers also are accompanied by large numbers of advisors, political, naval, military, and so forth. Distinguished military the white school children in attend ance last year as against 80.7 per cent, in 1910. These figures are bas-ed on school children between the ages and naval officers are among these advisors. Assistant Secretary of the f 7 and 14 years.

French Mourn High **Prices But There** is No Relief Yet

(By the United Press.) Paris, Nov. 15.-Despite the drop of prices in the United States, France

> tions in the conference, and it i only to this phase of the conference that China is invited.

rance. France must await: (1) The restoration of her exchange. Millions of Children

(2) Rehabilitation of her indus-trial regions destroyed by the war and consequent restoration of her pre-

war producing capacity. Paisant explained that owing to the fact that France is now obliged

New York, Nov. 15.-Over 5,000, 000 school children in the United States are suffering from malonutrition, according to a bulletin issued by the National Tuberculosis Associa-tion today. Mainutrition, when

Service Men in Trim

association in cooperation with Dr . Washington, Nov. 17.-The dread-ed "M. P." shines in all his g'ory again during the Washington con-W. R. P. Emerson of Boston, nutri-tion expert. and will be inaugurated in schools throughout the country as soon as possible.

ference. While the American soldier is an excellent fighting man, he is a bit carless about his dress and is prone Final Appeal for Westmoreland. Raleigh. Nov. 15.-Final appeal for Westmoreland case from Iredel

the overlook an unseen button and lip the overlook an unseen button and lip the details. Col. C. S. Babcock, chief ratifies of the army, district of Washington, is determined that the privates and officers shall look their best in the presence of the foreign menunotentaries. County, the prisoner having been convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to die in the electric chair November 21, will be made to Governnipotentaries. or Morrison tomorrow.

C. Manly Morton, missionary to Paraguay; F. E. Smith, secretary of the Department of the Ministry of he United Christian Missionary So-iety, and probably Miss Myrtle Az-bell, missionary secretary of the Dis-iples in North Carolina, will com-ose an interesting team that will conduct a rally at Gordon Street Christian Church Sunday morning. Messrs, Smith and Morton will also visit the Wheat Swamp and Airy Grave churches Sunday afternoon at Grove churches Sunday afternoon at

o'clock, one going to each place. Both Messrs. Morton and Smith were at the State convention at Greenville and impressed their nearers greatly with their interest-ng and forceful personalities. Mr. Morton and his wife were pioneer missionaries of the Disciples in Para-

guay. They are directing an impor-ant school there. Mr. Smith is an experienced pastor and preacher of bility and is regarded as an au-hority on the subject of ministerial ecruitment. The meeting Sunday vill be of interest to all church people and Gordon Street Christian Church extends an inviation to all its friends good program.

Navy Theodore Roosevelt and Ad-miral Robert E. Coontz, chief of naval operations, are among the naval BROTH'RHOOD HEADS advisors to the American delegation Marshal Foch will advise the dele gation from France. Admiral Earl Beatty, commander of the British Grand Fleet, is senior naval expert of MEET AT CHICAGO; Belgium, Holland and Portugal al FEARING WAGE CUTS o are represented by a number of delegates and advisors in the discus sion of Pacific and Far Eastern ques

> Chicago, Nov. 15 .- Renewed threats if a railroad strike were heard here today as leaders of two powerful mions met in secret session.

Chiefs and general chairmen of the Irotherhoods of Locomotive En-ineers and Firemen met to discuss vell-founded reports, according to ailroad workers, that the United States Railroad Labor Board had idopted and is ready to announce vorking rules which labor considers infavorable, and to discuss informa-ion said to be in the hands of the anions that the railroads were to

ost notices of wage cuts this week. **Revolution** Raging **All Along Mexican** Border, Say Reports

(By the United Press)

Calexico., Cal., Nov. 15 .- Carefuly planned revolution today threaten-ed to throw Northern Mexico into open war against the Obregon gov-ernment. Clashes were reported all

#### International Tribunal.

The conference will find that dis-armament will be greatly aided by an international tribunal for the set-tlement of disputes. Heretofore war has been the only means provided for the arbitrament of international questions. Fortunately, the confer-ence will have at hand and immediately available a plan thoroughly un-derstood and universally approved, namely, the plan which provides for the investigation of all disputes before resort to war. Arbitration treat-ies cannot cover the subject out of "Vital interests" alone compre-hend every real cause of war, so that arbitration is only compulsory in few and relatively unimportant matters. The treaties for investigation close the gap and leave no cause out of which war could come without a period of investigation in the 30 treaties negotiated by the United States with nearly all leading nations, one year's time has been provided for investigation and report, during which the con-tracting parties have been pledged not to resort to force, but they re-served the right at the end of that period to decide upon their own course and to act independently. These treaties make war almost impossible between the United States and the governments with which the treaties were negotiated, governments which represent about three-quarters the population of the globe,

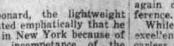
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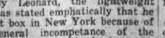
The plan of these treaties was in-corporated in the covenant of the League of Nations and has therefore been approved by all the nations rep-resented in this conference. The United States Senate made no objection to this portion of the covenant, as the proposed reservations will show. It would seem easier to ex-tend as far as possible the jurisdic-tion of courts of arbitration and then establish international tribunal with power to investigate all disputes which are not submitted to arbitra-tion. With such a tribunal provided for the possibility of war would be so lessened that the nations would be along the line between supporters of Sataban Cantu, deposed "dictator" of Lower California, and federal forces. False Alarm. Firemen answered a false alarm from King and East streets at mid-ight Wednesduy night. willing to go farther in the direction of disarmament without provision be-ing made for some such tribunal. It may be added that disarmament greatly increases the value of these tribunals for investigation; the less provision there is made for armies and navies the less the likelihood of the violation of any treatles. willing to go farther in the direction



derision. Benny Leonard, the lightweight

the general incompetance of the judges appointed by the boxing com-musion to weigh the merits of the





## king, has stated emphatically that he will not box in New York because of the general incompetance of the



