

Europe Buries War And Gives Germany Seat In The League of Nations

Amid the Applause Which Shook Hall of League Assembly Germany Was Unanimously Elected.

FRANCE FIRST TO GIVE APPROVAL

Belgium and England Followed Next, Each Voicing Approval of Plan to Admit Enemy of War.

Geneva, Sept. 8.—(P)—Europe buried the great war today when amid applause which shook the hall of the league of nations assembly, Germany unanimously was elected a member of the league, and unanimously also accorded a permanent seat on the league council.

When the roll call of states was taken, Foreign Minister Briand of France, pronounced a sonorous "Yes" and turned his eyes toward the press galleries as if he wanted the word to go forth throughout the world that France was first and foremost to welcome her ancient enemy into the fold of conciliation and harmony.

Foreign Minister Vandervelde of Belgium with equal enthusiasm proclaimed approval of Germany's admission, while Sir Austen Chamberlain's contribution to unanimity on behalf of Great Britain was crisp, clear and easily heard throughout the crowded audience.

Despite protests from the Scandinavian states against the policy of linking Germany's election with approval of an increase in the number of non-permanent council seats from 6 to 9, this augmentation was ratified also unanimously. Three seats for Latin America on the council thus are secured.

President Ninchitch of the assembly, was visibly much moved when he announced Germany's unanimous admission. M. Ninchitch is foreign minister of Jugoslavia, the country which now embraces the town of Sarajevo, the scene of the assassination of the Austrian duke Ferdinand, which was the initial incident in the outbreak of the world war.

"It seems after all," he said, "that those men of faith were right during the times of last March when Germany's election was blocked they were not disheartened by difficulties which seemed almost overpowering. We have accomplished today by voting Germany in, one of the most necessary, most delicate and most important acts in the development of the league of nations."

Two minutes after adjournment of the assembly until afternoon, the league's secretary, Sir Eric Drummond has flashed a telegram to foreign minister Stresemann in Berlin announcing Germany's election to the council. A German delegation is expected to arrive in Geneva tomorrow night to take part in Friday's session.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Firm at An Advance of 10 to 14 Points.—October Goes Higher.

New York, Sept. 8.—(P)—The cotton market opened firm today at an advance of 10 to 14 points, with all months except October making new high records for the season in response to firm Liverpool cables, further advice in the future market of Egyptian cotton at Alexandria, and prospects for further showers in the South.

December sold up to 18.15 and March to 18.45, or 12 to 14 points above yesterday's closing quotations, but these prices attracted a good deal of realization which probably was promoted by uncertainty of the showing of the government report due at mid-day. There also was some spot house selling which caused reactions of 8 or 9 points before the end of the first hour.

Liverpool attributed the advances there to trade calling and covering.

Cotton futures opened firm: October 17.03; December 18.13; January 18.18; March 18.43; May 18.55.

SPAIN SEVERS ALL RELATIONS WITH LEAGUE

Country Declares It Has Not Been Shown Proper Consideration.

Hendaye, France, Sept. 7.—Spain's resignation from the league of nations was agreed upon at the cabinet council held in Madrid today. King Alfonso presided.

A communication will be dispatched immediately to Geneva announcing that Spain resigned from the league. The note was written and edited by General Primo de Rivera, himself in co-operation with Foreign Minister Gómez.

It reproaches the league for lack of consideration shown to Spain—her prestige, traditions and importance as the mother country of twenty nations, who speak the same language.

Reddit is expressed that such a step had to be taken, but it is asserted that the sacrifices imposed by the league do not compensate Spain for what has taken place in the league assembly.

Recent Appointment for Henry Glassie.

Paul Smiths, Sept. 8.—(P)—A temporary recess appointment was given Henry H. Glassie, Democrat, of Maryland, by President Coolidge today, to succeed himself on the tariff commission.

May Watch Fight



SHEFFIELD PLANS TO RETURN TO MEXICAN CAPITAL

Paul Smiths, N. Y., Sept. 8.—After a conference between President Coolidge and James R. Sheffield, American ambassador to Mexico, it was announced at the summer white house today that Mr. Sheffield, who is in this country on vacation, would return to Mexico City in the fall with the entire confidence and support of the President and the State department.

A MESSAGE TO THE TOBACCO GROWERS

Governor McLean Admonishes to Work Toward Producing a Superior Grade of Tobacco.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, Sept. 8.—A message of congratulation to the tobacco growers of the state commanding them for their hard work and the excellent crop of tobacco that has been produced, and admonishing them to work toward the raising of a steadily superior quality of tobacco, was transmitted today through The Tribune correspondent by Governor A. W. McLean, attendant to the opening day of the tobacco markets over the state.

The farmers of the state who are today taking the first loads of their tobacco crops are to be congratulated," said Governor McLean. "There is still a good margin of profit for the farmer who raises a good grade of tobacco, and unlike cotton, the market is expanding all the time and adequately taking care of the increased yield, despite the fact that tobacco raising requires much labor and careful attention.

In view of the lessening demand for cotton and the inability to raise cotton at a profit, the farmers of the state must turn to those activities that will require less labor and bring them a greater return. And tobacco is doing this. As long as the farmers continue to grow better tobacco than that has a higher quality and greater weight to the acre—they can be sure of prospering.

The tremendous growth of the tobacco industry not only in the United States, but in the export trade as well, is sufficient proof that the demand for tobacco is going to continue not only to hold its own but to grow each year.

The report shows that last year Secretary Everett's office took over \$282,452.26 to the treasury, as against \$119,323.88 for the previous year.

The corporation tax furnished \$226,673.22 of the total, and amounts paid in by foreign corporations ran it up \$25,117.00.

Both these amount were far in excess of last year's total, but the corporation tax was aided by the single payment of \$130,000 by the Carolina Power & Light Company when it was consolidated and re-incorporated last year.

The increase in the foreign corporations tax was from \$9,521.18 in 1924-25 to \$25,117.20 last year.

Other items showing increases were land grants, from \$876.77 to \$1,785.21;

corporation fees, from \$5,598.30 to \$7,695.10, and corporation seals from \$1,890.00 to \$2,407.00.

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The item showing the most marked decrease was the sale of legal books.

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PARIS HEARS THAT PREMIER OF SPAIN WILL RETIRE SOON

Despite the Denials From Madrid of Serious Revolt, Border Towns of Spain Hear of Trouble.

REVOLT DIRECTED AGAINST PREMIER

He May Stay in Office for Present, But Soon Will Quit Is Opinion of One Noted Statesman.

Paris, Sept. 8.—(P)—Urgent in the form of passive resistance is general throughout the entire Spanish army. It culminated thus far in actual mutiny however, only in the artillery corps. It is directed as much again against the premier, Gen. Primo de Rivera, himself, as against the new army promotion regulation which provides for election instead of elevation by the old method of seniority.

This is the concern of reliable information trickling through the Spanish censorship into French border towns like Hendaye, Bairritz and St. Jean de Luz.

Advices from Hendaye quote a leading Spanish statesman who declined to permit his name to be used, as expressing the opinion that the quarrel between the artillery branch of the army and Primo de Rivera means the downfall of the dictator. He said the premier possibly in order to save appearances might retain the office for a short time, but that the end of his rule was in sight; that the armed forces which brought it into power would destroy the dictatorship.

Apparently Edge had taken two suits of clothes to Caudle house last Tuesday evening. He had a roll of money on him and the pair appeared ready to make a getaway. The negro said she ran from the scene of the smash where a car she was driving got out of control and killed the little white girl, wounded two negroes and demolished the front porch of a house, and made her way out of the method by keeping to the woods.

The body of the victim was shipped yesterday to Atlanta, former home of the Hudsons, where burial is expected to take place today. The arrest followed some fine detective work by Captain W. L. Wray of the local police.

15,166,000 BALES COTTON CROP NOW INDICATED

Condition of Crop on September 1st Was 59.8 Per Cent. of Normal.

Washington, Sept. 8.—(P)—A cotton crop of 15,166,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight is indicated by the September 1st condition which was 59.8 per cent. of a normal, the department of agriculture announced today.

Various reports trickling through the border also say that the resignation of Primo de Rivera is only a question of time; that he will give up the helm of the Spanish ship of State as soon as the trouble with the army has been ended, and that a military man more in the confidence of King Alfonso will succeed him. General Martinez Amido, minister of the interior; Gen. Damaso Berlanguer, the new head of the king's military household; and Admiral Marquis de Magaz, ambassador to the Vatican, are mentioned as possible successors to Primo de Rivera.

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The farmers must not hope to rely entirely on tobacco, however, the governor said, urging them all to diversify their crops and thus become independent of any one crop, urging a small dairy herd as an all the year round money producing crop.

Woman Reported Killed in Accident.

Hickory, N. C., Sept. 7.—(P)—News was received here this morning from George D. Lancaster, local attorney.

He said his client, Mr. Lancaster, was killed in an accident near Kinston, N. C., while driving his car to the hospital.

Mr. Lancaster was en route to the hospital when his car struck a tree.

He was taken to the hospital and died.

Mr. Lancaster was a prominent citizen of Hickory.

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