

PEACE DOOR TO AUSTRIA IS OPEN, IS LONDON VIEW

Dual Monarchy Said to Oppose Continuation of Conflict With United States

London, Feb. 14.—There has been much comment on the contrast in the speeches yesterday of Premier Lloyd George and ex-Premier Asquith with reference to President Wilson's speech and the peace attitude of Austria. While Mr. Asquith endorsed fully the President's view, Premier Lloyd George did not even mention Mr. Wilson's last speech and declined to see in Count Czernin's statement any nearer approach to reasonable terms than in Count von Hertling's. Moreover, the Premier regarded the German Chancellor's demand that Great Britain give up her coaling stations as proving fully that the controllers of German policy were in no mood to discuss reasonable terms of peace.

Arthur J. Balfour, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, speaking yesterday in the debate in the House of Commons, supported the Premier's view and contended that even President Wilson, so far as he was aware, did not profess to find definite formulated propositions in Count Czernin's speech.

It was a misunderstanding, he said, to assume that the Versailles council had to deal with diplomatic and political issues; its real business was military.

"The government's view," added the secretary, "is that the attitude of the Central Powers shows that for the moment diplomacy is entirely out of court. It was the Central Powers who banged the door, and by the mouth of the Chancellor and the Kaiser proved that they are as far removed as three years ago from accepting the ideals to which President Wilson has given classical expression."

If anything is needed to emphasize the diplomatic wisdom of President Wilson's speech, the Daily News says, it would be supplied by a contrast between the principles laid down in Washington and the principles laid down in Versailles. It adds: "From the bankrupt statesmanship of the Allied conference has emerged what is in effect a reassertion of the 'knockout blow' doctrine. No declaration of war aims are formulated; no distinction between the speeches of von Hertling and Czernin is recognized."

"The keynote of the President's speech is the policy of the open door, peace is waiting as soon as the Central Powers are ready. Count von Hertling, having balked at the President's fourteen definite proposals, Mr. Wilson goes back to first principles and substitutes four fundamental propositions which the Chancellor can repudiate only at the cost of writing himself down a brigand. The door still stands open.

"We are accustomed to look to Washington alone for any constructive contribution to the diplomacy of the alliance. Monday's address to Congress will do much to confirm this habit."

Compressed Cheese New Food For Army

Compressed cheese, an entirely new article of food brought out by the demand for nutritive foods taking up little space, will be furnished by a local cheesemaker for Army use exclusively during the period of the war. As manufactured it goes to the soldiers, a hard, tinfoil-wrapped cake, two and a-half inches long by an inch wide. Each of the little cakes is equivalent to two pounds of cheese such as is ordinarily supplied for domestic use.

The compressed cheese is so hard that it crumbles up when an attempt is made to cut it. It is not stale cheese, however, and therein lies the secret of the manufacturer. Food specialists estimate that one of the small cakes will furnish as much food value as twelve Army rations. They can be melted at a slow fire and used as a substitute for butter, or if wrapped in a damp cloth and left to absorb the moisture for several hours will become soft enough to be cut into slices.

Packed in tinfoil they will keep, it is said, indefinitely. It is estimated that 200,000 pounds can be manufactured here weekly for exportation to the front in the trenches. The manufacturer, it is said, will refer to supply the cheese for consumption in the United States during the period of the war.

Says His Prescription Has Powerful Influence Over Rheumatism

Discoverer Tells Geo. A. Gorgas Not to Take a Cent of Anyone's Money Unless Allenhu Completely Banishes All Rheumatic Pains and Twinges.

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities commonly caused uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers.

Geo. A. Gorgas has been appointed agent for Allenhu in this vicinity with the understanding that he will freely return the purchase money to all who state they received no benefit.—Advertisement.

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Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart The Mill and Factory Sale Maintains Its Reputation For Values That Spell True Economy

\$1.25 Mercerized Table Damask in the Sale at 89c

This is a splendid value that we were fortunate in rounding up in our search of the market months ago for this month's sale. The damask is of extra heavy quality, 2 yards wide, and four good patterns to select from.

- NAPKINS 15c hemmed 18-inch mercerized napkins. Mill and Factory Sale Price12 1/2c
SATIN QUILTS \$5.00 large satin quilts in Marseilles patterns. Mill and Factory Sale Price\$3.59
LONGCLOTH \$2.99 Longcloth, 36 inches wide; ten-yard pieces. Mill and Factory Sale Price\$2.00
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Buy Your Summer's Supply of Towels Now and Save

Values like these are hard to find in dependable grades of huck and Turkish towels. 19c huck towels, white and red borders. 19x35 inches. Mill and Factory Sale Price 15c
12 1/2 white Turkish towels. Mill and Factory Sale Price 8c
17c white Turkish towels. Mill and Factory Sale Price12 1/2c
19c white Turkish towels. Mill and Factory Sale Price15c
19c Turkish towels in white with red stripe border; size 13x22 inches; extra heavy. Mill and Factory Sale Price12 1/2c

Grocery Economies For Friday

- 2 lbs. granulated sugar20c
Pink salmon, fresh pack, tall cans19c
Crystallized ginger, 5-lb. can \$2.13
Mascot laundry soap, cake, 3 1/2c
100 bars\$3.00
Golden rod naphtha washing powder, package5 1/2c
Sunshine dot oyster crackers, 2 pounds35c
Sunshine extra water crackers, 2 pounds35c
Pinnan haddie, packed in glass jars19c
Sour pickles, nice and crisp, two dozen15c
Black walnut kernels, lb.61c
Grape punch, 10c bottle,8c
Heinz beans, can,14c and 23c
Eagle milk, can,21c
Bacon, boneless, lean or fat streaked, lb.41c
Tuna fish, all white meat, can, 1 1/2 and25c
Burnham's clam chowder, can, 10c and19c
Shoulders, lean and well smoked, pound26c
Blue Valley butter, lb.53c
Eclipse steel-cut coffee, 35c value, pound30c
Royal Scotch kippered herrings, can19c
Red Cross beef bouillon cubes, 25c box at19c
Jiffy Jell, demonstrated, 2 packages21c
Breakfast cocoa, 30c per cent butter fat, 2 lbs.37c

Women's \$1.75 and \$2.00 Silk Hosiery in the Sale at \$1.35

Fine thread silk hose, fashioned feet; slight imperfections in black, white and colors. \$1.50 and \$1.75 thread silk fashioned feet hose; slight imperfections. Pair\$1.25
\$1.50 and \$2.00 thread silk fancy striped hose, fashioned feet. Pair\$1.25
50c silk lisle seamless hose in black and white; slight imperfections. Pair39c
25c and 35c silk lisle hose, seamless, in black; slight imperfections. Pair19c

The February Furniture Sale Brings Economies That Business Conditions May Not Permit Again in Many Years

It is certain that those who buy Furniture during this month and profit by the lowered prices will have no cause for regret when they realize later to what advantage their purchases were made.



- ROCKERS AND FIRESIDE CHAIRS Mahogany rockers, upholstered seat and back. February Sale Price\$6.95
Fireside chairs; tapestry upholstery. February Sale Price\$12.95
Mahogany fireside chairs and rockers, fine tapestry upholstery. February Sale Price\$19.50
LIVING ROOM SUITE Three-piece cane living room suite, brown and gold tapestry upholstery. February Sale Price, \$105.00
BEDROOM SUITE Mahogany and American walnut bedroom suites, 48-inch bureau large men's chest, toilet table and bed. February Sale Price\$110.00
Four-piece bedroom suites in mahogany and American walnut. February Sale Price\$95.00
OLD IVORY SUITES Four-piece old ivory bedroom suites—bureau, chiffonier, toilet table and four-posted bed. February Sale Price\$155.00
Five-piece old ivory bedroom suites. February Sale Price\$65.00
DRESSER Old ivory vanity dresser. February Sale Price, \$62.00
DINING ROOM SUITE Nine-piece mahogany dining room suite, leather slip-seat chairs. February Sale Price\$175.00
TEA WAGONS Mahogany tea wagons. \$11.50, \$12.95, \$14.50 to\$25.00
CARD TABLES Mahogany, finished card tables 30x30 inches. February Sale Price\$1.69
HALL CLOCKS Mahogany Colonial hall clocks. February Sale Price\$35.00
ROYAL EASY CHAIRS Royal easy chairs; fumed oak. February Sale Price\$17.95

Fine Wool Suitings Attractively Priced For Friday in the Sale Colored and Black Weaves

- \$1.00 French serge, 42 inches wide, six shades. Special Friday only, yard89c
\$2.00 Santoy, 42 inches wide, all-wool full color line. Special Friday only, yard\$1.49
\$3.00 velour checked suiting, 54 inches wide, black and white effects. Special Friday only, yard\$1.95
75c French serge, 36 inches wide, all shades. Special Friday only, yard69c
BLACK DRESS GOODS \$2.00 gabardine, all-wool, 54 inches wide. Special Friday only, yard\$1.68
\$1.75 French serge, all-wool, 42 inches wide. Special Friday only, yard\$1.50
LINING SATIN \$1.50 Farmer's satin, 54 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd. \$1.19

Rug Specials in the Mill and Factory Sale For Friday

- Crex and Bozart Rugs reduced— \$12.50 Crex Rugs, 9x15 feet\$8.50
\$10.00 Crex Rugs, 9x12 feet\$7.95
\$ 9.00 Crex Rugs, 9x12 feet\$6.95
\$10.00 Bozart Rugs, 9x12 feet\$7.95
\$ 8.00 Bozart Rugs, 8x10 feet\$5.95
\$ 5.00 Bozart Rugs, 6x9 feet\$2.75
Axminster Rugs reduced— \$3.25 Axminster Rugs, 36x63 inches\$2.50
\$4.25 Axminster Rugs, 36x72 inches\$2.75
\$2.00 Deltos Rugs, 36x72 inches\$1.49
\$2.00 Waite Grass Rugs, 36x72 inches\$1.49
\$1.50 large Hassocks98c
\$1.00 large Hassocks69c
Remnants of 50c and 60c new process Linoleum35c
Carpet samples of \$5.00 to \$6.00 grades, 1 1/2 yards long, \$3.75
\$12.50 Congo Rugs, 9x12 feet\$9.75

The Mill and Factory Sale Provides Good Values in Shoes For Men and Boys

- Men's \$2.50 gunmetal calf shoes in button or blucher style, with stitched leather soles. \$1.98
Mill and Factory Sale Price
Men's \$3.00 mill shoes cut from fine oil tan stock, with half double oak soles. Mill and Factory Sale Price\$2.49
Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 dark mahogany calf and gunmetal vamp shoes with black cloth tops with oak leather Goodyear-welted soles and broad heels. Mill and Factory Sale Price\$3.85
Shoes For Boys and Children Boys' \$2.50 black calfskin shoes with full broad toe last and heavy soles, sizes 10 to 13 1/2. Special \$1.69
Sizes 1 to 6, special \$1.98
Little boys' \$1.25 dull calf blucher shoes with half double soles; sizes 10 to 13 1/2. Special 98c
Children's \$2.00 gunmetal button shoes with heavy solid leather stitched soles; sizes 8 1/2 to 11. Special \$1.50
Infants' \$1.75 champagne kid button shoes, on footform lasts. Special \$1.35

A Fresh Shipment of Men's Neckwear Joins the Sale 50c Ties, 35c; 3 for \$1.00

Hundreds of fine wide-end silk four-in-hands in stripes, Persian designs, self-figured patterns and attractive plaids. The first lot went out quickly. Men and boys will be glad to have such an assortment from which to supply their needs for the new season.

A Sale of Notions

- Little things essential to a well-regulated sewing room specially priced in the Mill and Factory Sale. 25c skirt gauges10c
Dressmakers' pins, 1/2 lb.19c
48c shears19c
Asbestos iron holders10c
Sanitary napkins, 3 for4c
25c sanitary aprons19c
Safety pins, 3 dozen10c
24-yard bolt tape18c
Black spool cotton1c

Many Offerings Specially Featured in the Sale For Friday's Host of Shoppers

Grid of 24 small boxes containing various sale items and prices. Items include Nut Bowls (\$1.49), Silverware Specials (\$2.49), Japanese Mixtures, Women's \$3.95 Sweaters (\$2.89), Men's 35c Silk Ties (19c), \$1.69 Nickel Plated Tea Kettles, \$5.98 Boudoir Lamps (\$4.50), Toilet Goods, Jewelry Specials, Remnants of Curtain Goods (15c), Women's \$4.98 to \$7.98 Sweaters (\$3.85), Men's 25c Silk Ties (12 1/2c), \$1.98 Carving Sets (\$1.69), Smoking Stands, \$1.50 Military Brushes (\$1.19), Water Pails, Drapery Fringe (5c), Men's \$1.00 Silk Mufflers (59c), Men's 50c Silk Handkerchiefs (19c), 42c Nut Crackers (29c), Toilet Paper, 98c Whisk Brooms (49c), Vacuum Cleaners, 59c to 75c Panel Net (39c), Men's Gauntlet Gloves (19c), Cotton Dress Goods (22c to 30c), 39c Wash Boards (33c), Aluminum Coffee Pots (\$1.69).