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BIG BANKER DISCUSSES CONDITIONS

Outlook Is Sound But People Must Control Their Luxuries

CHAPTER ONE OF THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF AN IMPORTANT INTERVIEW WITH FRANK A. VANDERLIP, EMINENT FINANCIAL AND POLITICAL AUTHORITY ON WORLD POLITICAL ECONOMY, MR. VANDERLIP WAS SEEN AT HIS BEAUTIFUL HOME 'BEECHWOOD'...

FOREIGN TRADE SLOW "The 'Bull' prospect," he said, "of America retaining its present volume of foreign trade unless American exporters, as a class, become more than amateurs and change their methods."

EXTRAVAGANCE MUST BE CURTAILED "The sooner this nation realizes that and gets back to the hard facts of economic life and to a sounder business morality, the better it will be."

HOW RATES HAS CHANGED "I think one may safely figure wages and other expenditures on a basis of two and a half times those of 1914. Where a dollar was spent, then, it now is necessary, I find in my own affairs, to spend \$2.50."

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STATE TRADES COUNCIL REFUSES TO RECOGNIZE 3RD PARTY

RAY ABBOTT, GARY, MAKES THE RULING

Hammond After 1921 Convention of State Labor Party

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 25.—Despite strenuous efforts on the part of its resolutions committee to win endorsement of the new Farmers-Labor party, the Indiana State Building Trades Council, in session here, refused today to go on record as favoring the third party.

100 DELEGATES THERE More than 100 delegates from the larger cities of the state are in attendance. Evans hall, where the convention is being held, resembles a banquet hall, as long dining tables with chairs are stretched across the hall, this being done so the delegates may take own notes on the meetings. Pen and tablet were provided each delegate.

COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED The delegates were welcomed in an address by W. E. Tisman, former president of the Evansville Central Labor Union. The response was made by Mr. Abbott, president. At the morning session Mr. Abbott appointed his standing committees as follows:

President's Report—John Meers of Hammond; Haskell Taylor, Lafayette; Oscar Brunke, Indianapolis; J. L. Richards, Anderson, and L. Ed. Wilke, Evansville.

Finance and Secretary Treasurer's Report—Lewis Hart, Lafayette; L. A. Bartholomew, Gary; Don Arnold, of Anderson; James Parks, Indianapolis, and Joseph Wainwright, Evansville.

Resolutions—Percy Head, of Terre Haute; C. E. Green, Hammond; Howard Carmichael, Indianapolis; W. T. Hayworth, Muncie, and A. W. McGinley, South Bend.

Constitution and Law—Eddie Large, Indianapolis; John Wagner, Hammond; Frank Antliester, Kokomo; Roscoe R. Baker, Evansville, and C. N. Felts, Fort Wayne.

Publicity—L. Ed. Wilkin, Frank Wortman, and John Brinkman, all of Evansville.

Appeals and Grievances—A. J. Kennedy, Hammond; S. P. Meadows, Indianapolis; Charles Rodeman, of Fort Wayne; Thomas Croak, Hammond, and Harry Thomas, Indianapolis.

Executive Board's Report—W. T. Hayworth, Muncie; Thomas Shanley, of Indianapolis; John Wolf, South Bend; G. A. Urens, Lafayette; G. E. Sparks, Fort Wayne; George Dunn, of Muncie; Edward Bruning, Terre Haute; James Hackenberg, Hammond; C. E. Musselman, Kokomo, and James Connelley, Anderson.

GAIN IN MEMBERSHIP SHOWN President Abbott read his annual report which showed a gain in membership in the state council during the last year. Hammond is after the 1921 convention, and Motion also will make a bid for the next meeting. The city that gets the convention will also make a bid for the 1921 convention of the Indiana State Federation of Labor. Many of the delegates attending the convention will remain for the State Federation of Labor convention that will be here Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

SANDSLIDE WRECKS THIS SHOE STORE

The little shoe store of Sam Gubitz at 143 State street, Hammond is closed today and the building it occupies is practically a wreck as a result of a sandslide yesterday evening in the cellar adjoining it.

Excavation for the cellar of the Millet building had been completed and workmen yesterday were tamping in the concrete footing for the walls when the bank which supported the frame building on the next lot suddenly slid into the cellar, leaving the west wall of the house without a foundation.

Beick veneering, fastened to the frame wall by spikes added to the load on the rotten timbers and the entire west side of the structure is now sagging fully two feet.

Last spring F. S. Betz, who had a lease on the Gubitz lot, and the one now being used by Mr. Millet, proposed to build a business block on the lot. Gubitz refused to move out so the project was given up and the other lot was released to Millet. Now it is probable that the shoe dealer will be forced to seek new quarters as the old building is in such shape that repairs are almost out of the question.

Guy Eaton In Game On Own Account



GUY W. EATON.

After a year in the real estate business with Goshlin, May & Hastings, in which he has met with remarkable success, Guy E. Eaton has decided to get into the game for himself.

Mr. Eaton has secured office quarters in the suit occupied by Attorneys Sharer & White, 102 Citizens Bank building.

Guy has a wide circle of friends in Hammond who will be pleased to learn of his latest step. For a long time he was letter carrier in the business district. During the war he tried to get into the fray, but the fact that he had a wife to support caused him to be turned down. However, he found other ways to help so he bought Liberty bonds, contributed to the digger relief funds, bought thrift stamps, served on the legal advisory board and helped in other ways.

He has handled a lot of property in his year's work at real estate and those who are personally acquainted with him know that anyone who lists property with Mr. Eaton may be assured that he will make an honest effort to sell it. He opened for business in his new office today.

HORSE RACES BEGIN TODAY AT THE POINT

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES) CROWN POINT, Ind., Aug. 25.—Beautiful weather drew a crowd of some thousands to the first meeting of the Lake County Trotting association at the Fair Grounds here today and the track was fast and in splendid shape. A great lot of horses have been entered and brought in from the county fair circuit about to open and the sport tomorrow and Friday is expected to be the best ever seen at the famous half mile track.

COX PREPARED TO DISCUSS HIS CHARGES

Ohio Governor Will Let Loose a Volley on Thursday Night at Pittsburg.

By HARRY L. ROGERS EN ROUTE WITH GOV. COX, Aug. 25.—With a bulging portfolio of data calculated to prove his charges that Republican leaders are raising a "slush fund" of \$15,000,000, Gov. James M. Cox, Democratic presidential nominee, left Dayton shortly after midnight for the third and last of the preliminary stumping tours which precede his big swing to the Pacific coast in September.

Campaign expenditures will be touched upon only briefly in the speech at Princeton, Ind., this afternoon, and in that at Evansville, tonight. If present plans are adhered to, but at Pittsburg Thursday night, the governor promises to let loose a volley that will echo from coast to coast.

"Until Thursday night," the governor said today, "I shall have little if anything to say regarding campaign funds, but I believe the facts I shall present at Pittsburg will prove interesting to say the least."

Instead of stopping off at Princeton, Ind., as originally planned, Gov. Cox will go straight through to Evansville, returning to Princeton by automobile for the afternoon speech. Following the address he will motor back to Evansville in time for the evening speech. He will leave Evansville at 2 a. m. Thursday, arriving in Pittsburg at 6:30 p. m.

BIDS IN SHUBACH STOCK

Louis Goodman of Chicago, was the highest bidder for the shoe stock of M. Shubach the Hammond merchant, who was forced into bankruptcy because of lack of ready cash to meet demands of creditors. The sale was conducted yesterday by Trustee Charles Surridge. Goodman's bid was \$5,900, about \$800 higher than the appraised value of the stock.

The purchaser hasn't decided whether he will move the stock to his auction room in Chicago or put on a bid sale in Hammond.

Cap. Streeter Now Resident Of E. Chicago

King of Squatters Again Prepared to Go Into Court After Lake Front Land.

Captain George Wellington Streeter of "Streeterville" and "District of Lake Michigan" fame who for the past year has been making his home in East Chicago is again prepared to go into possession of the property from which he was ousted by an armed force in the winter of 1918. Attorney E. G. Ballard of Gary, will file suit in the federal court at Chicago this week and with capitalists of Chicago backing Captain Streeter will move to take a million dollars in property to carry the fight to the highest courts.

Captain Streeter, after being forcibly evicted from his home in the winter of 1918, boarded his houseboat, "The Vamoose" and after a few months of moving about on the lake in the East Chicago area he has now lived quietly since that time. Only a few citizens of the city knew that the old man who walked up and down the canal was Captain Streeter who lays claim to property along the north shore in Chicago valued at millions of dollars.

With almost a year's residence in East Chicago back of him the captain has now established a residence in Indiana, a fact which will permit him to sue for possession of the "District of Lake Michigan" in the federal courts. The captain has always maintained that the courts of Illinois have no jurisdiction over his property which is "made" land and that it was in no way a part of either Chicago or the state of Illinois.

Upon this contention the captain and his colonists with force of arms resisted all attempts to oust them from "Streeterville" for almost twenty years and in one raid a man by the name of Kirk was killed. For this Captain Streeter was found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment but was later released and returned to his home where he lived until 1918.

During his stay in East Chicago Captain Streeter was very sick and at one time his life was despaired of. About a year ago he was struck in the eye with a piece of wood and as a result lost his eye. An infection followed and together with a stroke caused a serious illness from which the old man is now recovering. He still has trouble in articulating clearly but expects to recover fully and still give his enemies a hot fight in the courts.

Captain Streeter will probably have against him in his new fight the millionaires who have their money in Chicago's "gold coast" and who have years objected to the captain's possession of "Streeterville."

U. S. Realty Sale Now \$400,000

Selling Representative Predicts Era of Property For Hammond.

The wonderful demand for Hammond real estate has again been demonstrated by the sale of over \$400,000 worth of residential property by U. S. government agents, during a period of little real estate activity. F. R. Martin, of Woods, Martin & Co., selling representative, predicts an era of property ahead for Hammond and a resumption of the building activity that marked the city's progress in the past few years.

New industries locating here are bringing in new people and the slump in real estate during the past three months is giving place to a decidedly active market, with the demand for houses greater than supply.

Two-thirds of the government houses, located on the East Side, have been sold. Among the purchasers are Henry S. Davidson of Whiting three apartment buildings and one house; Dr. A. J. Warner, two apartment buildings; Joseph Swint, apartment building; Peter Schutz, apartment building; Dr. H. C. Groman, brick apartment; W. O. Johnson and Robert J. Bronner of Chicago, apartment building; Lindy C. Smith, two houses; W. G. Paxton, two houses; George Hainauer, apartment building; J. W. Smith and Frank Skafford, brick apartments; J. S. Childs, house; Isaac Bloom of Gary, apartment; L. Scheiner of Chicago, apartment; R. E. Rogers, apartment; Walter Gruska, apartment. Other apartment purchasers were John Anderson, Adler Agabers, J. J. Loughlin of Chicago, Eugene Brown, Charles Katone, Wm. H. Rakestraw, Clarence D. Mote, Miles G. Neff, Martin F. Newak, Stephen Ivan, John Perry Walker and Montgomery B. Smith of East Chicago, L. A. Stafford, Emma Siesloff. Other house purchasers, Sam D. Skufalik, M. C. Rorer, O. C. Jackson, Robert Egendorf, Art Selim, John Langford, Frank Priest, William Shafer, Bernard Carroll, Frank Mathews, Howard Geschelder, Blanford L. McKay, John H. Shackelford, Angus W. Tellej, Vincent K. Muller, Elmer Regnier, Thomas J. Willey, A. Cohn, Ray V. Haines, William Cox, Charlie Ollie, Marie A. MacLeod, William Siple, Harry Nelson, Ralph E. Alyea, Howard Drabold and John Paff.

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U. S. SOLDIER WINS BOOTH'S DAUGHTER



General Booth's daughter, photographed while distributing flowers to wounded American soldiers.

Miss Theodora Booth, only daughter of General and Mrs. Ballington Booth of the Volunteers of America, was married recently to Lieut. Jess A. Montee, whom she met while on duty with the A. E. F. Lieutenant Montee attracted her attention by nearly losing his life in a heroic attempt to rescue a drowning aviator in the Moselle river.

GARY WAS STARTLED FOR WHILE

When a Chicago checkered taxi cab pulled up in front of the First National Bank in Gary last yesterday afternoon and the occupants nervously eyed the interior of the bank, some one thought that they were interested in the bank which they thought was a gun sticking out of one of the men's back pocket and turned in an alarm to the police. In another five minutes the news spread in the business district that an attempt had been made to blow up the bank. Other rumors followed on its heels.

Upon the arrival of the police they took the three men and the driver into custody and brought the motor to the police station where they were questioned. According to their story one of the men, a former Gary foreigner had come out to Gary to draw some money out of the bank. Earlier in the day he had received a telegram that his brother had died and that the body was being shipped to him for burial.

Upon hiring a taxi cab to bring him to Gary, the foreigner was surprised when the driver of the car put two other men in the machine with him and fearing that it was a plot to rob him after he had taken the money out of the bank he pocketed a revolver and placed it in his pocket for protection. According to the two other occupants one of them had previously been employed as a driver in Chicago and he had never been to Gary, was invited to take the ride.

The local police believe that the foreigner might have made a remark about drawing a large amount of money from the bank in Gary and that if one of them had intended to hold up while they were on their return trip to Chicago. After the man had drawn his money which amounted to something like \$400 he was advised by the local authorities to take a train back into the city.

MASS ATTACKS ON BOOTLEGGERS

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Operations of bootleggers and distillers on an enlarged scale in most of the big "wet" centers of the country today caused Prohibition Commissioner Kramer to adopt still more drastic measures to cope with violators of the Volstead law. "Dry" enforcement agents from various districts are to be concentrated in large numbers at six points of attack for swift clean-ups.

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C. E. Hughes Is Out For Harding

Justice Hughes Scores Both Cox and Wilson in Harding Endorsement.

MARION, O., Aug. 25.—Charles Evans Hughes, republican candidate for president in 1916, came out today with an unqualified endorsement of Senator Warren G. Harding after spending 24 hours in Marion.

In his first formal utterance since the Chicago convention, Justice Hughes not only expressed complete confidence in the 1920 nominee, but he also gave his approval to the plan of an "Association of Nations for International Justice" proposed by Senator Harding in his speech of acceptance.

It is generally believed that the details for such a combination of governments are now being worked out in Europe by Elihu Root and will later be injected into the republican campaign as the G. O. P. substitute for the league plan brought back by President Wilson.

His function would be to promote international justice and its powers limited to the decision of justiciable questions. Justice Hughes also took occasion to score briefly both Gov. Cox and President Wilson. The nomination of Gov. Cox, he said, was brought about by "beneficial influences" while President Wilson's "obstinacy" alone is responsible for the chaotic condition of our foreign relations.

Senator Harding and Justice Hughes conferred at length over campaign matters and particularly the league of nations issue. While Justice Hughes' position on the league issue has never been widely known, it has generally been accepted that he sided with a majority of the republican senators who voted for reservations. Present also at the Hughes-Harding conference was Col. George Harding, an irreconcilable opponent of the league and the Wilson administration.

"It is hardly necessary for me to say that I shall earnestly support Senator Harding," said Justice Hughes today. He is a man of rare poise, high mind and sincere. I can only say to me him without being impressed by his exceptional capacity and his integrity of purpose.

"He has complete familiarity with the problems of federal administration and we can feel assured that he will maintain the highest standards in government. He knows how to secure economy, to put an end to the extravagance which has marked the present administration.

"We cannot afford to have a Tammanyized federal government. The nomination of Gov. Cox was brought about by the selfish determination of local democratic bosses who represent the most baneful influences in our political life. There is one sure way to defeat their effort to capture the government at Washington and that is to beat their candidate.

"I believe also that Senator Harding's election will afford the surest way of securing our proper relation to international co-operation. This country must do its part, but it must reserve the right to act in any future contingency according to its duty as a nation.

"The essentials in many really effective plans for international co-operation are to establish a tribunal of international justice where justiciable questions are concerned to provide the machinery for conciliation, and to secure the advantages of international conference. All this can be secured and I believe will be secured under the presidency of Mr. Harding without guarantees which attempt to commit us to unknown contingencies and which will leave us a trouble breeder and not as peace-makers.

"We should have had an effective international organization long ago if it had not been for President Wilson's effort to commit the country to indefensible guarantees and his obstinacy in insisting on his own plan without the modifications necessary for our protection."

Justice Hughes left here today for St. Louis, where he will attend a meeting of the American Bar Association. Senator Harding's only definite engagement today was a brief speech to a delegation of Wyandotte county (Mo.) republicans who will come to Marion for a front porch talk.

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HAS SET UP NEW POLE GOVERNMENT



Roman Umowski.

Roman Umowski who has been prominent in politics for years and who headed the Polish peace delegation at Versailles, has set up a new Polish government in Posen, in opposition to the Pilsudski regime at Warsaw. He is backed by Paderewski the musician who was the first prime minister of Poland.

5 P.M. NEWS FLASHES

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) PARIS, Aug. 25.—Russian prisoners captured by the Poles now total 100,000 according to a Warsaw dispatch to L'Intransigent today.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) ANTWERP, Aug. 25.—Olympic amateur boxers won three Olympic championships here last night. The victors were Ed. Edward Egan, Yale University, lightweight; Samuel Mosberg, Easting A. C. lightweight, and F. Detenoro, Paulist A. C. flyweight.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) PARIS, Aug. 25.—American influence and not French is predominant in Poland, according to the foreign Warsaw dispatch to the Journal today.

The Pole will heed any advice that comes from the U. S. It is difficult for foreigners in Poland to understand the tremendous influence of the U. S. which most of the Polish people regard as their "second country."

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PRECINCT LEADERS HOLD MEETING

Hammond republican precinct committeemen met Tuesday evening to perfect the city organization for the campaign activities. City Chairman Billy Ross who has made a great record as an organizer while he held the office had found his campaign for county recorder required all of his spare time and caused him to tender his resignation.

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As a counter-attack on the Cox lines came a shot from Congressman Fred Britten, of Chicago, who charged that the British government's appropriation of \$2,000,000 to the British ambassador at Washington for entertainment purposes was in reality an appropriation for the democratic campaign fund, and that the money already had found its way into that fund. Congressman Britten declared more money from this source would be forthcoming to aid the democratic.

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