

MADDO STANDS READY TO GIVE FARMERS AID ON COTTON LOANS

Thirty Million Dollars of Government Funds to Be Available for Rediscounging Outstanding Debts.

NO INTEREST CHARGE ON MONEY ADVANCED

Secretary of Treasury Exercises Discretion Given Him by Law for Relief of Southern Planters.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Treasury officials tonight made public an announcement by Secretary McAdoo that in view of the action of the cotton market, it would, if it became necessary, deposit \$30,000,000 or more in the federal reserve banks at Atlanta, Dallas and Richmond for the purpose of enabling the reserve banks to rediscount cotton or cotton warehouse receipts made by national banks and state banks belonging to the federal reserve system.

SEVEN NEW STRIKES CALLED AT BRIDGEPORT

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 22.—Seven new strikes, making thirteen now in progress, were instituted here today. The plants affected include the Spring Forge company, the American Tube and Stamping company, the Loyal Laundry, two plants of the Cannon Rubber company, Crown Corset company, Salls Textile company and the Hatcher and Crown plants.

THOUSANDS ARE MADE HOMELESS BY FLOOD WATERS

People of Little Arkansas Town in Desperate Straits; Eight Lives Lost and Downpour Continues.

Little Arkansas, Ark., Aug. 22.—Five thousand people in the town of Newport, Ark., tonight are marooned by the flood waters of White river. According to a telephone message received here the population is in desperate straits. Eight persons are reported to have lost their lives.

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LIVESTOCK DISEASE BEING STAMPED OUT

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. August 22.—Rapid progress is being made in the latest outbreak of livestock foot and mouth disease was announced tonight by the department of agriculture.

WILL BE EASY TO MAKE ALLIES BEAR WAR COST

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. Berlin, Aug. 22 (By Wireless to Saxville).—The German news agency says that the allies will be able to make them bear the cost of the war.

ADAMANTLY WANTS CONFERENCE TO NAME PLACE AND DATE

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. El Paso, Tex., Aug. 22.—Accepting the A. B. C. invitation to discuss peace in Mexico, Miguel Diaz Lombardo, foreign minister in the Villa government, in his reply forwarded today to the state department and to the Pan-American conference suggested that the conference name the place and date where the proposed conference should be held.

PRESIDENT DISCUSSES COTTON SITUATION

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. Washington, Aug. 22.—Plans for helping the cotton situation in the south were discussed today by President Wilson with W. P. G. Harding, of the federal reserve board, who has investigated the cotton situation throughout the country.

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ENGLAND PRESS REPORTS DECLARED CONTRADICTORY

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. Berlin, Aug. 22 (By Wireless to Saxville).—Naval circles call attention to a somewhat contradictory report in the English press regarding the sinking of the Arabic.

NO LIVES LOST IN BIG FLOOD IS LATEST REPORT

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. St. Louis, Aug. 22.—The receding of the flood of the Mississippi river today failed to substantiate reports to the effect that no lives were lost in the town of Valley Park, where twelve persons were drowned Sunday when the river rose to its highest stage ever recorded, and it is now thought that none perished in the overflow.

ENEMY REPULSED IN THE ITALIAN REPORT

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. Rome, Aug. 22 (Via Paris, 11:25 p. m.).—The following official statement from the Italian general headquarters dated August 23, was made public tonight.

NOVOGORODSK IN RUINS

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE. Warsaw, (Continued), Aug. 22 (via London, 11 p. m.).—The fortress of Novogorodsk lies in ruins. The Germans ordered the heart of the town blown from the air.

PEACE RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

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