

BRITAIN SUBJECT TO FINANCIAL MADNESS

GERMANY'S REAL PERIL IS ECONOMIC

Lord Rothermere Paints a Gloomy Picture and Demands Return to Sanity.

Continued from First Page. hostilities in 1914. He was then on his way home from South Africa and was finally released on account of diplomatic privilege. He had been a Rhodes scholar at Oxford.

NEED NO MORE MANDATES Sees Possibility of General Bankruptcy and Denounces Expensive Colonies.

After returning to Germany he served as an aviator on the Russian front for a year, and was then recalled and attached to the Berlin Foreign Office, where he had charge of the arrangements for sending Nikolai Lenin from Geneva to Russia. He participated in the Brantlowsk negotiations and was private secretary to Dr. von Zimmermann when the latter was Foreign Secretary.

Every Government Reckless.

"Finally, we are in the period of the battle of the Somme in July, 1916," he says. "I know no precedent for the treatment which every Government in Europe is refusing to recognize the possibility of general bankruptcy. The estimates are framed in a spirit which suggests that Europe has had some serious accession of wealth instead of having largely destroyed the wealth of her productivity. So inverted has this process of reasoning become that one group among us positively regards the war as an asset.

Lord Rothermere Declares that the Occupation of Constantinople is Utterly Futile as a Means of Stopping the Cilian Invasion.

Count von Ow-Wachendorf was not without hope regarding the German situation, however. Although he insisted that the economic clauses of the Treaty of Versailles—and particularly those relating to coal—must be modified, he declared that the situation in Germany was no worse than that which existed in France in 1917.

Civil Service Expenses.

He bitterly denounces the increase in civil service expense over before-the-war costs of 80,000,000 pounds sterling and says: "This makes a mockery of the recent Supreme Council declaration. Necessary measures must be initiated in every country to balance recurrent government expenditure with national income."

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POLAND'S FRONTIERS CLOSED FOR 10 DAYS

WARSAW, April 15.—Poland was shut off from the world to-day. All the frontiers have been closed for ten days by Government order while Austrian troops are exchanged and stamped.

LANCASHIRE WEAVERS TO QUIT

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Car Hit by Another One Killed.

HONOLULU, N. H., April 15.—George Taylor, postmaster of Arkport, was seriously injured and Mrs. Taylor was killed this afternoon when the automobile in which they were riding was run down by another car between this city and Danville. Three men who were in the car which struck the Taylor machine are under arrest at Danville.

MILITARY PLANNED COUP WITH WORKERS

paper. Great secrecy was promised and the next meeting was set for Thursday, when they would assemble in the offices of the Ministry of Defence. It was promised that 'reliable representatives' of the Independent and Majority Socialists should be present. Wegmann took a leading part in his confidence, who advised him not to attend the meeting, and who carried the neutral zone of the Chancellor, and the arrests of Thursday followed."

Socialists Revealed Plot to Chancellor, Who Arrested Leaders.

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CONFERENCE HELD EARLY Revelation of Scheme Permitted Arrest of Reichswehr Officers in a Bunch.

REICHSWEHR MUST QUIT RUHR APRIL 24

German Government Orders Its Troops Out of Neutral Zone.

Workers Demand Action.

FRANKFURT, April 18.—The French announced this morning that the withdrawal of the Thirty-seventh Division to Wiesbaden had been completed with the exception of staff officers, who are leaving this afternoon.

LETITIA PREMIER ESCAPES ASSASSINS

LONDON, April 18.—Another sensational attempt has been made to assassinate the Latvian Premier, Karl Ulmanis, this time while he was engaged in an electoral campaign.

URGERS HELP.

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Denkiner Reaches London.

LONDON, April 18.—General Denkiner, former commander of the anti-Bolshevik army in South Russia, reached London last night from Constantinople.

Jamaica to Ban Profiteers.

LONDON, April 18.—Agitation against profiteering in Jamaica, British West Indies, has become so widespread that the local Government has been asked to pass legislation similar to the English profiteering act.

FRENCH LAND ON ASIA MINOR COAST

Disembark Three Battalions, but Unable to Go Beyond Range of Guns.

ARMENIANS WIPED OUT FOR PROTECTION OF INDIA

Wires Cut to Adana and Nationalists Occupy Hadjin, Kemal Reports.

BRITAIN CONTROLS ALL PERSIAN ARMY

Four Ministers Resign and Olfloor of Commission Ends Life as Result.

Generals, Colonels and Other Field Commanders All to Be Englishmen.

By the Associated Press.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—A French cruiser landed three battalions of infantry, some batteries and cavalry at Morina, Asia Minor, on April 14, according to an official communication issued by Mustafa Kemal Pasha, leader of the Nationalist Government in Asia Minor. Armenian volunteers covered the landing, but, says the communication, were wiped out, and the French were unable to advance further than the protection of their naval guns.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

PARIS, April 18.—By reason of a series of accords growing out of the Anglo-Persian treaty, Great Britain has established complete control over the Persian army, according to information just received here.

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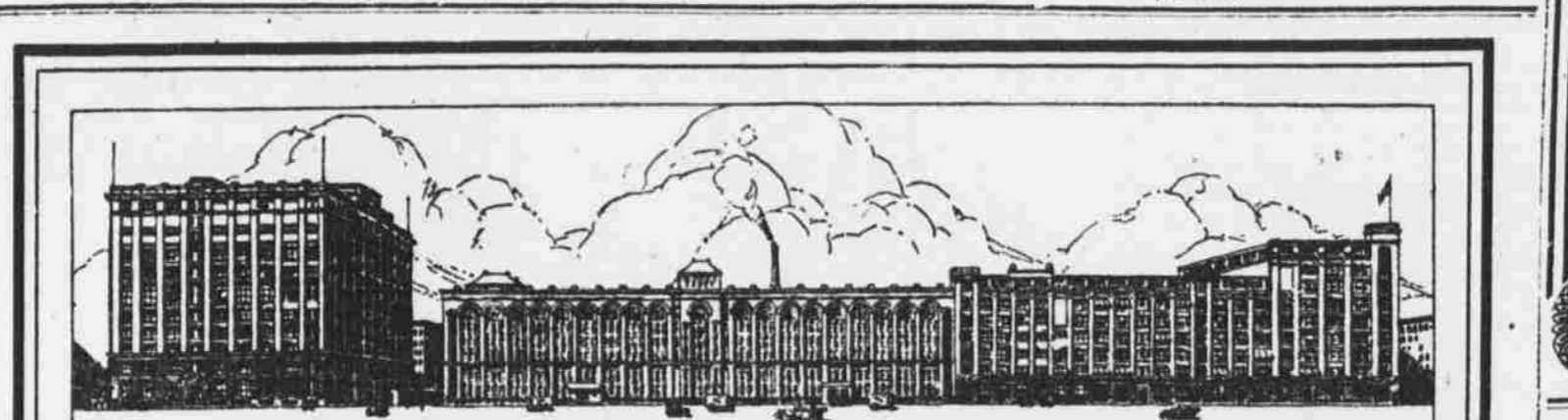
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