

## CONDON CLUE IN KIDNAP CASE PROVES FALSE

Rogue Gallery Picture Proves To Be Not Of Man Thought Linked With Crime

HOPEWELL, May 25.—(A.P.)—One clue which Dr. John Condon, Bronx mediator in the Lindbergh kidnap case, has been able thus far to pick in his search of thousands of rogue gallery pictures collapsed today, Colonel Norman Schwarzkopf, of the state police, announced that Condon, who paid the full \$50,000 ransom, picked out one picture in his search for the likeness of the "John" in whom he handed the ransom in a Bronx cemetery the night of Apr. 2. The picture which Condon said resembled "John" was that of John Swen森.

Investigation of Swenson's activities, however, Schwarzkopf said, disclosed that Swenson "had no possible connection with this case." Condon is now on vacation in Massachusetts and is expected to resume his search of rogue galleries in the search of "John."

The course to be pursued in prosecuting John Hughes Curtis, condemned and imprisoned hear negotiator, brought Anthony M. Keck, Hudson county prosecutor, to the Lindbergh estate for a conference.

At its conclusion the prosecutor

announced, he planned to lay the

case before the grand jury at Flemington, Thursday. Should an indictment be returned he said it would be reported formally Saturday.

In the event of an indictment he will apply for a trial within the month, he said, but if he did not do so, he said, the action was not necessarily final.

Before coming down, he said he did not deem it necessary to call Colonel Lindbergh for gravity testimony in the case charging Curtis with obstructing justice and furnishing false information.

He said he regarded as sufficient police testimony regarding closed cases supplied by Curtis.

Monsignor Morris Conner, undercover man for Colonel Lindbergh, who, on at least one occasion voiced the belief the baby was safe and would be recovered, was taken before the Bronx grand jury, which has been pursuing an inquiry into the futile payment of \$50,000 ransom by Dr. John F. Condon. Itiner signed a waiver of immunity.

From a summer cottage at Belvoir, Mass., Dr. Condon heard of the formal posting of \$25,000 reward by Governor Moore and dictated this appeal:

"John Money I gave you is useless. You can't get rid of it. Return to Colonel Lindbergh in time. Get your \$25,000 reward."

(Signed) "Jafie."

"John" was the name by which Dr. Condon knew the Scandinavians to whom he turned the ransom in a cemetery Apr. 2. "Jafie," which is merely the aged educator's initial spoken rapidly as a single word—was the signature he used in negotiations conducted through newspaper advertisements.

In Norfolk, Va., W. C. Pender, counsel for Curtis, emphatically denied a report his client still harbored the Lindbergh child alive. Equally erroneous reports regarding Curtis were shown to be ungrounded by New Jersey Police.

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## WALKER FACES STERN INQUIRY INTO FINANCES

Wide Political Significance May Result From Investigation Of Legislative Body

NEW YORK, May 25.—(A.P.)—James J. Walker will meet Samuel Beury face to face today in a verbal duel which may alter the national political scene.

The eyes of the nation will be focused on the bar of the Hofstader Legislative Investigation when the dapper mayor of New York at last confronts the pain-taking counsel with an explanation of his financial dealings in the past six years and a defense of charges of graft and corruption in the municipal administration.

Newspapers have forecast Council Beury will petition Governor Roosevelt, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination for president, to remove Mayor Walker on the basis of evidence collected and that the governor will deliver his decision before the Democratic national convention meets next month.

Governor Roosevelt is pictured by political authorities as being faced with a delicate decision in the event he is called on to take action—if he should unseat Mayor Walker he would face increased enmity from Tammany Hall; if he should not he might lose the support of some of his followers elsewhere.

Mayor Walker, whose income tax returns for the years 1928, 1929, 1930 and 1931 are under scrutiny by federal authorities, faces the following principal questions:

That he accepted a \$50,000 gratuity

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## DO-X ARRIVES IN GERMANY ENDING 16,000-MILE TOUR

Completes Last Leg Of Flight Through Stormy Weather

BERLIN, May 25.—(A.P.)—The German flying boat DO-X, largest heavier-than-air craft, completed its trans-Atlantic travel of almost two years with a mad spurt through storm areas over Northern Germany yesterday, alighting at Müggel Lake on the outskirts of Berlin without incident.

Thousands gathered along the lake shores cheered wildly when the airline appeared against the evening sky, completing a voyage of approximately 18,000 miles, in which it visited both South and North America, as well as Africa. The smartly-dressed Captain Anton Strasser, one of the DO-X crew and the first European pilot to cross the Atlantic by plane, and Captain Charles E. Hart, American pilot, were the first to land in the United States as passengers.

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"Her lone flight was marvelous," Captain Strasser said.

His own trip was perfect along the entire route, she said, and she was convinced that the present voyage opened a new era in aviation.

The crew was in top spirits and seemingly not tired. Capt. Frederick Christensen said he wished to express his appreciation for a wonderful reception in America.

He described the trip from California, England, where the ship left this morning, as uneventful. The weather behaved splendidly all the way.

A member of the crew said the DO-X battled against headwinds.

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## Postoffice Will Close Thursdays For Half-Holiday

J. P. Hall, Sanford postmaster, announced this morning that tomorrow will be the last Thursday afternoon that the local postoffice will be open this summer. Beginning Thursday, June 2, the postoffice will conform to the custom of this community, of business houses closing Thursday afternoons during the summer months.

"All first and second class postoffices of the country maintain a 44 hour week for employees and most offices close Saturday afternoon, the year round," Mr. Hall stated. "Some weeks ago the local postmaster asked the Chamber of Commerce Board of Governors to discuss the matter of Thursday instead of Saturday afternoon closing, and after a thorough discussion at the meeting on Tuesday, May 10, the board unanimously recommended Thursday instead of Saturday closing, for the summer months. Mr. Hall communicated the information to the authorities at Washington and secured their permission to the recommended change."

Mr. Hall further stated that the local postoffice employees received the announcement which was made some days ago, that they had asked the aid of a local man in securing this change, and, as a matter of fact, they made no such request and if their personal preferences were consulted, they would rather have Saturday than Thursday afternoons but they agreed to conform to the wishes and best interests of the majority of the citizens of the community of Sanford."

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JAP TROOPS ROUT REBELS

HABIBI, Manchuria, May 25.—Japanese troops routed 4,000 Chinese rebels yesterday in a sweep-

ing drive which took the Japanese into Hsien, 65 miles north of Har-

bin.

## Former Minister Is Victim Of Flogging

GASBONIA, May 25.—(A.P.)—Rev. A. A. Haggard, 84, former Baptist minister here and now free lance evangelist, reported to police today that he had been kidnapped by a band of masked men last night and taken into the country and flogged. He said he knew no reason why he should be beaten and that he did not recognize any members of the band who told him to leave town.

Hoover Gives Details Of His Relief Plans

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## ROOSEVELT CAMP HAS OPTIMISTIC AIR OVER RESULT

**Associates Of Governor Have No Doubt As To Nomination**

**WARM SPRINGS, Ga., May 24.** — Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt's mounting total of delegates to the Democratic National Convention is producing an unmistakable air of optimism among members of his party here, as the Governor's vacation—perhaps his last for a long time—draws to an end.

The Governor's associates now have not the slightest doubt that he will command the support of more than half the delegates at Chicago and that he and his supporters will be able to enforce their wishes about the convention organization and the platform. They do not see how the Governor can fail to enter the convention with more than 600 delegates pledged, instructed or secured in his corner. The delegates will embrace almost two-thirds of the states represented at the convention and, as the Governor's aids see it, will be amply in excess of the majority of 573 delegates needed to control the convention as a whole.

Governor Roosevelt passed today—a rainy day—caring for his correspondence and inspecting his farm adjoining the Warm Springs Foundation. As usual, he would make no comment upon the results of the most recent state conventions. Members of his party, however, were especially pleased with his acquisition of the eight votes of Vermont, since this delegation for some time was claimed by friends of Alfred E. Smith.

Mr. Roosevelt's friends point out that in spite of the determined fight against his candidacy waged by the John J. Rascob-Alfred E. Smith-Frank Hague combination, abetted by conservative financial influences in the party, the Governor today is somewhat ahead of the schedule of delegates claimed by his more optimistic friends more than six months ago, before it was known that Mr. Smith would emerge as an active candidate for the nomination. At long ago as September one of Mr. Roosevelt's most intimate associates forecast that he would enter the convention with approximately 610 votes. His supports here now believe he will enter with as many as 653. They point out that the Governor may to achieve this total in spite of the loss of forty-four votes in California, the loss of all of Connecticut, and his failure to obtain any delegates in Massachusetts, all of which losses they attribute directly, or indirectly to Mr. Smith's emergence as an active candidate. Nor in this total do they count more than forty votes from New York, even though they expect that in a showdown a substantial portion of the remaining fifty-four will be in the Governor's column.

Besides Tennessee, with twenty-four votes, Oregon, with ten, which will be settled tomorrow, the following states have yet to elect delegates: Colorado, twelve; Delaware, six; Florida, fourteen; Idaho, eight; Indiana, thirty; Mississippi, twenty; Nevada, six; North Carolina, twenty-six; Utah, eight. All possibly excepting Delaware, are classed as friendly to the Roosevelt candidacy although in North Carolina and Indiana there is reported to be opposition to instructed delegations.

Delaware is the former home of Mr. Rascob, the Democratic National Chairman, and presumably the state where his close associate, Pierre S. DuPont, wields the greatest influence, yet very recently the state organization was said to favor Mr. Roosevelt's nomination.

Of the 130 delegates yet to be elected, the associates of Mr. Roosevelt here believe that none is likely to be strongly opposed to his nomination and that on the other hand the Governor is likely to have most of them in his corner. If he received all of them he would have 692 votes on the first ballot, counting sixty from Pennsylvania, forty from New York and the Tennessee and Oregon delegates selected Friday. He then would be only seventy-eight votes short of the two-thirds necessary for nomination. If he should attain that figure, his managers would have no doubt that the remainder would be quickly forthcoming from Missouri, Illinois, New York, Virginia and other states.

**FORT MYERS** — City swimming pool opened to public for season.

## LIFTING THE BOAT



## SCALING OF HIGH MOUNT IS HAILED AS GREAT FEAT

**Conquering Of Mount McKinley Comes In For Much Landation**

**WASHINGTON, May 24.** — (A.P.)—The scaling of Mount McKinley, North America's mightiest peak, is hailed here as one of the great mountain climbing feats of all time.

Explorers of the National Geographic Society say the extra-physical form and far north location of Mount McKinley make it one of the most difficult of the earth's great pinnacles to scale. It was predicted when Mr. Harry J. Lekk, superintendent of Mount McKinley National Park, and his party set out early in April for the 20,300-foot summit, they would not reach their goal until early in June.

Alaska's great "skyscraper" is 16 times taller than the Empire State Building and 30 times as high as the Washington Monument. Northernmost of all the great peaks, it is situated within four degrees of the arctic circle.

While the snow line on such lofty peaks as Mount Everest is the Himalayas and Aconcagua in the Andes is very high, the upper two-thirds of Mount McKinley, due to its near-polar position, is sheathed in snow and ice the year round. Above 6000 or 7000 feet, climbers must trudge through snow or cut footholds in steep ice slopes.

McKinley towers higher above its surrounding country than any other mountain in the world. Its huge bulk rises abruptly above plateaus only 3000 feet in altitude so that the crest is more than 17,000 feet above the base. All the other mountain giants rise from high plateaus, leaving the portion to be climbed from a base camp much less than on McKinley.

Because of the snow and ice barriers, mountaineers, who once made an unsuccessful attempt on Mount McKinley and later scaled a 20,000-foot peak in the Andes, said that the latter climb required less exertion than reaching the 4500-foot level at McKinley.

Speculation in both parties began with the disclosure that Senator Borah of Idaho would not attend the Republican convention and the advocacy of Roosevelt in an Atlanta speech of a redistribution of the national wealth.

Borah is understood to have expressed his determination to remain away from the Chicago conclave in response to a direct inquiry from President Hoover. He has been in disagreement with Hoover on every major issue since the 1928 convention.

Little comment was forthcoming on the Roosevelt speech, which Senator Long, Democrat, Louisiana, inserted in the Congressional Record after reading in the Senate that part touching on a "wise" distribution of the nation's wealth.

Resubmission of prohibition was added to the congressional program yesterday by Senator Johnson, Republican, California, in proposing a continuous session through the convention to finish the job.

It was the first declaration by the Californian for resubmission and threw the issue squarely into this session of Congress on the eve of the national campaign.

**MIAMI BEACH** — J. L. Berry & Son, Inc., received \$1,000 contract for roofing Flamingo Park Springs pool in northern part of city.

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## RUBBER CHAINS



## CANADIAN PLAN FOR CONTROL OF RADIO PRAISED

**Governmental Ownership Is Expected To Help Broadcasting**

**OTTAWA, May 24.** — "I believe the plan now suggested when in operation will permit Canada to enjoy a scheme of radio broadcasting unexcelled in any other country in the world," declared the Prime Minister, Mr. R. B. Bennett, recently, in moving second reading of a bill authorizing government ownership and control of radio.

"In a general way," he said, "the bill follows the committee's report which was unanimously adopted a few days ago, and it is based upon principles which the government believes should be adopted, because they fulfill certain essential requirements without which radio broadcasting in Canada must fail in service to the Canadian people."

These requirements were described as freedom from foreign interference or influence—"without which radio broadcasting can never become a great agent for the communication of matters of national concern and for the diffusion of national thought and ideals," a system whose operation and control responds most directly to the popular will and the national need, and furthermore "will serve as a dependable link in a chain of empire communication by which we may be more closely united to one another."

Public ownership, he continued, will assure to the people, without regard to class or place, equal enjoyment of benefit and enjoyment of radio broadcasting, whereas private ownership must necessarily discriminate between densely and sparsely populated areas.

Under public ownership, he said,

"equality of service is assured

by the plan which calls for a chain of high-powered stations throughout Canada."

He also referred to the importance of retaining control of natural resources,

and specially of the air, which

will grow more necessary to the

public as the broadcasting ex-

pands.

Mr. Bennett surveyed chief

features of the bill.

There will be a salaried commission

consisting of three members, only

one from each province.

The latter, assisted by advisory committees,

will deal with local problems,

which are thus placed under di-

rect local and provincial control.

The commission will have power

to regulate and control broad-

casting throughout Canada, both

its own and privately owned sta-

tions.

To preclude heavy initial ex-

penditure it is provided that capital

and all other expenditures shall

be within the income derived from

licensing fees.

Expropriation of

existing stations will be made

gradually and be paid for out of

the commission funds.

**PALMETTO** — J. H. Taft build-

ing, Lemon Avenue and Oak

Street, repaired.

## FOR FISCAL INFLATION

**CHICAGO, May 24.** — (A.P.)—

A "five-year plan" for revival of business by a drastic but tempo-  
rary fiscal inflation was commen-  
ded to Congress yesterday with  
the unanimous approval of the  
faculty of economics at the  
University of Chicago.

**LAKE WORTH** — Building per-  
mits totaling \$3,000 issued during  
April.

**Balls** **Present** **400**  
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## DO YOU INHALE?



**A frank discussion at last on a subject that has long been "taboo"**

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Do you inhale? That question is vitally important... for every smoker inhales—knowingly or unknowingly. Every smoker breathes in some part of the smoke in or the draw out of a cigarette. And the average smoker of your烟种抽了烟, which means he takes a number of draws on a cigarette.

No wonder Lucky Strike draws to raise this

vital question. For Luckies bring you the protection you want... known as the famous purifying process... the process coincided in every tobacco and Luckies created and that process, Only Luckies have it!

So, whether you inhale knowingly or unknowingly, safeguard your delicate health.

**"It's good for you!"**



## PEOPLE URGED TO HOOVER GIVES DETAILS OF HIS RELIEF PLANS BY NEWT BAKER

**Confidence In President Is Inference Seen From Address**

NEW YORK, May 25.—Delaware's condition, calls as loudly for "good followers" as for leadership, and it is the obligation of good citizenship today to "follow his leader," Mr. Newton D. Baker declared in a speech before the Alumni Association of the Columbia University law school Thursday.

In particular, Mr. Baker, who is prominently considered for the Democratic presidential nomination, appealed to members of the American bar to set this example and, while he did not mention President Hoover by name, the 800 lawyers present interpreted his words as a direct reference to the President and applauded vigorously.

"There can be no leader without followers," Mr. Baker said, "and, until you are perfectly certain that you have the high calling of leadership, assume devotedly and deeply the high calling of good fellowship even if the particular remedy selected by the constituted leader at the moment does not seem to be the most effective to you."

Lawyers are needed in politics today, Mr. Baker declared, but they must bring to the political role the comprehensiveness of view which characterized the early members of the bar to fill it "in the largest and best sense of the word."

"If the lawyers are to make a contribution to our present problem, the question is how to synthesize their learning, bring together their scattered capacities, concentrate upon the problems of modern society and kind of comprehensive capacity the lawyer used to have," he said. "And I think an additional difficulty about it in the circumstances under which political thinking must be done in modern times."

Mr. Baker then spoke sympathetically of the dilemma of the Congress in attempting to deal with the emergency in an atmosphere of pitiless publicity and incessant importunity entirely unlike that in which the early legislators worked.

"Modern inventions have immeasurably increased the difficulty of deliberation and contemplation about large and difficult matters," he said. "Indeed, I go so far as to doubt whether there ever could have been a Constitution of the United States if the deliberations of the Constitutional Convention had been currently reported by radio over the whole extent of the thirteen colonies. For the effect of the instantaneous concurrence of timeliness of the newspaper is that each thought as it is emitted is hurriedly broadcast throughout the world before its limitations are stated."

"I have been thinking with a great deal of sympathy of the Congress of the United States at the present moment. If it could be taken down the Potomac River 50 or 100 miles, and the marines stationed around about a 25-mile limit so that the unfortunate demands for simultaneous information from 120,000,000 people could for a moment be relieved, I am quite persuaded that the uncertainties and hesitations and difficulties would pretty quickly disappear."

"When one thinks of a legislator in Washington, he thinks of a man who is trying to function about matters of unprecedented magnitude and of incredible difficulty in the midst of an angry, turbulent, surging nation of 120,000,000 people, distrustful and suspicious, proponents of particular theories, advocates of particular politics, or groups perhaps magnifying small personal interests momentarily beyond the general considerations of national concern."

Mr. Baker admitted that this picture was "a bit gloomy," but he said that the "ultimate stepping stone in the slough of our political despond" was that "there can never be, and ought never to be, any modification of change in theory or practice to the institutions of the United States which removes the final political control from the hands of the people themselves."

### POSTAL STRIKE IN SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, May 25.—(A.P.)—Shanghai was completely isolated from the rest of the world yesterday as far as mail is concerned. The indoor postal workers joined the outdoor workers in a strike during the day. All postal facilities were at a standstill.

CHICAGO, May 25.—(A.P.)—Jones, a three-chair harbor shop in a local building,

help finance a fund of over \$60,000 needed to electrify certain of its lines. By so doing it would employ directly and indirectly for one year more than 20,000 men distributed over twenty different states. An arrangement was concluded by which the Reconstruction Corporation undertook to stand behind the plan to the extent of \$27,000,000, the railway company finding the balance. This \$27,000,000 is to be loaned on sound securities and will be returned, capital and interest, to the corporation.

"The back of the depressions cannot be broken by any single government undertaking. That can only be done with the co-operation of business, banking, industry and agriculture in conjunction with the government. The aid the government may give includes:

"(A) The quick honest balancing of the federal budget through drastic reduction of less necessary expenses and the minimum increase in taxes.

(B) The avoidance of issue of further Treasury securities as the very keynotes of national and international confidence upon which all employment rests.

"(C) The continuation of the work of the Reconstruction Corporation, which has overcome the financial strain of thousands of small banks, releasing credit to agriculture, the protection of trustee institutions and the support of financial stability of the railways.

"(D) The expansion of credit by the Federal Reserve Banks.

"(E) The organized translation of these credits into actualities for business and public bodies.

"(F) Unceasing effort at sound strengthening of the foundations of agriculture.

"(G) The continuation of such public works in aid to unemployment as do not place a strain on the taxpayer and do not necessitate government borrowing.

"(H) Continuation of national, community and individual efforts in relief of distress.

"(I) The introduction of the five-day week in government which would save the discharge of 100,000 employees and would add 30,000 to the present list.

"(J) The passage of the home loan discount bank legislation, which would protect home owners from foreclosure and would furnish millions of dollars of employment in home improvement without cost to the Treasury.

"(K) Financial aid by means of loans from the Reconstruction Corporation to such states as, due to the long strain, are unable to continue to finance distress relief.

"(L) The extension of the authority of the Reconstruction Corporation not only in a particular I called attention to last December—that is, loans on sound security to industry where they would sustain and expand employment but also in view of the further contraction of credit to increase the authority to expand the issue of its own securities up to \$3,000,000,000 for the purpose of organized aid to income-producing works throughout the nation, both of public and private character.

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"I wish to emphasize this distinction between what for purposes of this discussion we may term 'income-producing works' (also referred to as 'selfliquidating works') on the one hand and non-productive 'public works' on the other. By 'income-producing works' I mean such projects of states, counties and other subdivisions as waterworks, toll bridges, toll tunnels, docks and any other such activities which charge for their services and whose earning capacity provides a return upon the investment.

"With the return of normal bonds the bonds of such official bodies based upon such projects can be disposed of to the investing public and thus makes the intervention of the Reconstruction Corporation purely an emergency activity. I include in this class aid to establish industry where it would sustain and increase employment with the safeguard that loans for these purposes should be made on sound security and the proprietors of such industries should provide for the payment of the capital."

"Non-productive 'public works' in the sense of the term have been included in public buildings, highways, streets, rivers and harbor improvements, military and navy construction, etc., which bring no direct income and comparatively little relief to unemployment."

"I can, perhaps, make this distinction clear by citing the example of the recent action of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in the matter of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, an indoor hand, and the recent bill passed by the House of Representatives for increased road building, on the other. The railroad company applied to the Reconstruction Corp-

oration for a loan of \$60,000,000 of which would be open for action. It

we examine these projects in detail, we find great deductions must be made from this sum."

"Construction of many projects physically require years for completion, such as naval vessels, buildings, canalization of rivers, etc., and therefore as an engineering necessity this sum could only be expended over four or five years. A portion of the projects not already started will require legal and technical preparation and therefore could not be brought to the front of employment of labor during the next year. A portion of these authorized projects are outside continental United States and do not contribute to the solution of our problem. A portion are in localities where there is little unemployment. A portion are in the District of Columbia, where we already have a large increase in program for the next fiscal year and where no additional work could be justified. A portion are of remote utility, and are not justified, such as extension of agricultural acreage at the present time."

"Deducting all these cases from the actual list of authorized Federal public works, it will be found that there is less than \$100,000,000 (and this is doubtful) which would be expended during the next fiscal year beyond the program in the budget. That means the employment of, say, less than 40,000 men. Thus the whole of these grandiose contentions of possible expansion of federal 'public works' fall absolutely to the ground for these reasons, if there were no other."

"It is contemplated that we shall find ourselves confronted by a log-rolling process which will include dredging of mud creeks, building of unwaranteed postoffices, unprofitable irrigation projects, duplicate highways and a score of other unjustifiable activities."

"There is still another phase of this matter to which I would like to call attention. Employment in 'public works' is largely transitory. It does not have a follow-up of continued employment as is the case with 'income-producing works.' But of even more importance than this, the program I have proposed gives people employment in all parts of the country in their normal jobs under normal conditions at the normal place of abode, tends to re-establish normal processes in business and industry and will do so on a much larger scale than the projects proposed in the so-called 'public works' program."

"To sum up, it is generally agreed that the balancing of the federal budget and unimpeded national credit is indispensable to the restoration of confidence and to the very start of economic recovery. The Administration and Congress have pledged themselves to this end. A 'public works' program such as is suggested by your committee and by others, through the issuance of federal bonds, creates at once an enormous further deficit."

"What is needed is the return of confidence and a capital market through which credit will flow in the thousand bills with its results of employment and increased prices. That confidence will be only destroyed by action in these directions. These channels will continue clogged by fears if we continue attempts to issue large amounts of government bonds for purposes of non-productive works."

"From January, 1930, to July 1, 1932, the federal government will have expended \$1,500,000,000 on 'public works.' The budget for the next fiscal year carries a further \$875,000,000 of such expenditure, (compared with about \$250,000,000 normally) and includes all the items I have felt are justified by sound engineering and sound finance."

"Thus by the end of next year the federal government will have expended over \$2,000,000,000 on public works, which represents an increase over normal of perhaps \$1,200,000,000. Thus we have largely anticipated the future and have rendered further expansion beyond the present program of very remote usefulness and certainly not justified for some time to come, even were there no fiscal difficulties. They represent building of a community beyond its necessities. We cannot thus squander ourselves into bankruptcy."

"A still further and interesting reason for this undertaking such programs of further expansion of federal 'public works' is evident if we examine the financial projects which might be undertaken from an engineering and economic point of view. The federal 'public works' now authorized by law cover works which it was intended to construct over a long term of years and embrace several projects which were not of immediate public usefulness. In fact, when the total of such 'overhead' projects still faces us on July 1 will amount to perhaps \$2,500,000,000. If we deduct this from our budgeted program for the next fiscal year—\$1,200,000,000 we leave roughly \$1,300,000,000 of such authorized work

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## ADJUSTMENT OF NATIONAL TAXES SEEN IMPORTANT

Called Major Job By Business Men Holding C. of C. Parley

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—

The job ahead, that is the subject that business men from all parts of the country are gathering here to discuss at the twentieth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

As they registered at the Palace Hotel for the opening session

Mr. Silas H. Strawn of Chicago, president of the chamber, indicated that business men from all parts of the country are gathering here to discuss at the twentieth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Addressing a preliminary session of the Committee on Finance, he declared that the federal taxing power should be used solely to meet the present emergency by restoring the balance between income and outgo.

"So far," he said, "as there are inequalities in the burdens of the new taxation, and so far as the taxing power is utilized for purposes that have no necessary relation to increasing the Treasury's receipts, the new revenue bill will fall in its great purpose of strengthening that confidence which we want all to share, in order that the country may go forward into more normal conditions."

Mr. Strawn criticized the proposed increase in corporate income taxes as a "penalty laid upon business enterprise itself."

An increased surtax on individual incomes would, he said, drive capital from business undertakings into tax-free securities, and to be effective would require an end put to the increase in such securities, a measure, he said, the chamber has long advocated.

Concerning estate taxes, Mr. Strawn asserted that the Government should not force the liquidation of estates greatly reduced through declining values in order to meet the tax, declaring that this situation in itself pleads eloquently for abandonment of the federal estate tax.

Early arrivals for the convention were busied at two related gatherings: the National Association of Commercial Organization Secretaries conference, and the conference of trade association executives.

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At the conference of trade association executives, Mr. Henry L. Harriman, chairman of the board of the New England Power Association, discussed what he termed, "the second industrial revolution."

Mr. Harriman called this period

"the era of better human relationships," in which he declared that pioneering days of rapid expansion will be passed, and men will give their attention to solution of economic and social evils once thought necessary.

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It means things that concern

you... your background...

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# BAKER SEEKS NEED OF U.S. SUPPORT IN WORLD PEACE

## Urges Fostering Of Cooperation With League Of Nations

NEW YORK, May 13.—Declaring that it is "up to" the interest of the United States to continue further to the strong theme of the world's peace machinery, Mr. Newton D. Baker urged a fostering of cooperation toward the League of Nations in the first reply to the questionnaires sent by the League of Nations' representatives to 300 representative Americans to sound out opinion.

Other questions were propounded on the status of the present peace structures, and between the United States, by Mr. George W. Walker and Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, officers of the association. Mr. Baker, Secretary of War in the Wilson Cabinet, has been a League advocate since his retirement. His reply to the questionnaires made public recently, is of wide interest because of his prominence in the Democratic Party and to whom it may turn for the next standard bearer. Furthermore, it amplifies Mr. Baker's statement made here on Jan. 26, when he declared that he would not take the United States into the League if he had the power. While any enlightened majority of the people favored the step.

Mr. Baker holds that much of the present misjudgment of the League arises from the fact that the want to act with the dramatic precision of a machine tool, when the whole value of the League lies in the fact that it is neither dramatic nor precise, but flexible, constructive and conciliatory.

The League has grown steadily in effectiveness and usefulness in the last 10 years, he says, but I believe that the best procedure toward it today in the United States is the cooperation rather than in proposing definite steps, definite and capable of arousing opposition.

Mr. Baker expects to find Japan presenting far-reaching plans with regard to China which will impinge severely upon the machinism of the world.

"But for the world's peace machinery," he writes, "Japan would have had to execute her well-meant-but-foiled civilisation in the Far East would be in the process of making, with consequences to the rest of the world difficult to exaggerate."

That peace machinery has been, and will be, the greatest value in moderating the ambitions of the Far East countries, we have however, lost the new and undisclosed thing is to do—because that a change has come with enough moderation not to break the peace of the world, but to make it possible, hopefully because of the peace machinery set up since the Armistice," the statesman.

Regarding the importance of the Nine-Power Treaty upholding the territorial and political integrity of China, the Pact of Pots, renouncing war, and the League Covenant, Mr. Baker holds that the two former referred to the United States as specific pledges written into the League's own treaty structure and that analogous to the obligations of member states in the League. Without these two agreements, he declares, America would not have been in a position to cooperate with the League in the Far East.

"The ideal situation," he adds, "would be when all treaties of general importance were multilateral and there was cooperation of states through the League as an agency for the preservation of their common interest."

The League has been handicapped in its efforts in the Far Eastern embargoes by the United States' non-membership. Mr. Baker believes, "it is his opinion that such countries took advantage of the fact that the rest of the world was acting together."

"The other government in Manchuria," he continues, "has a far-sighted becoming thoroughly stabilized they before China is in a position to establish any authority there. The United States and the League may well decline to recognize the new regime as long as it is a new flag held up on Japanese bayonets; but, if no Chinese government appears to the Chinese residents of that country, a different problem and a much simpler one is presented."

**LESSONS**—Gated bridge for construction oil filling station on Main Street.

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During a previous depression, the government had to issue paper "Clearing House Certificates" as a substitute for money. Conditions were just as bad, then.

Prosperity has always followed bad times—this is one of the laws of business cycles.

Now is the time to substitute the word "Reconstruction" for "Depression."

Don't be discouraged. Lend a hand to rebuild confidence.

America will see this through and emerge victorious.

Better times are coming! down fighting.

Be the one who, at least, went

If your business is not as good as you think it should be make it a point to go out and get more. Business, in today's competitive field, will not come naturally. You've got to go and get it.

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