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By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, Dec. 17.—Economic questions are coming prominently to the front in the discussions now going on behind the scenes preliminary to the assembling of the inter-allier conference and the pages conference. the assembling of the inter-allied conference and the peace conference. The main point hinges on the appointment of Herbert C. Hoover as director-general of relief for all the Allies and the United States. The American plan for relief was presented in writing to the recent meeting of the Supreme War Council is London, but action on it was post poned. The arrival of Premier Lloyd George and Premier Orlando in Partinext Thursday will again bring these premiers together, this time with President Wilson and the deferred relief project will again come up for discussion and decision.

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Silver Bracelets for Birds

OWN at Christchurch, in Hampshire, a little time ago, I made acquaintance of a truly extraordinary man. His name is Edward Hart, and when we called on him he was looking forward with keen anticipation to keeping an incommonly interesting "appointment."

In about a fortnight, he told us, he was expecting to welcome back to England a couple who would be returning from South Africa. They would, he explained, be flying back. Not by airplane, however, nor yet in a dirigible. He expected them to arrive on a definite day, and to alight in his garden.

He was absolutely certain that they would arrive punctually to date, for they have done so as regularly as clockwork for the past five years, and always have landed in the trim garden at the back of his house.

This pair was, as you perhaps already have foreseen, a pair of birdsittle fly-catchers. Mr. Hart explained that he would be able to recognize them the more readily owing to the fact that each of them would be wearing on one of their legs a little silver bracelet, which he himself placed there five years ago. Every autumn since then he has seen this little hus-band and wife (who belong to a species which mates for life) fly away to winter in South Africa, and every spring he has welcomed them back again, knowing to a day when they

vould arrive. These flycatchers, moreover, are only two out of hundreds of birds whose date of arrival back from their winter quarters in lands beyond the seas—lands as far distant as New Zealand, Patagonia and Persia—are known definitely and awaited eagerly each year by this bird wizard of Christchurch. For wizard Edward Hart is, as a few curious and strik-ing little facts will demonstrate conrincingly. He can call wild birds to him almost as readily as you or can call a passing dog that is disposed to be friendly. When by dint of persistent questioning, the "buddies" and I finally managed to make him talk of this surprising faculty of his, he called attention to the cloth of his left trouser leg, just above the knee, and showed that, in this particular place, the nap was quite worn away. Then he explained that this was so owing to the number of wild birdsmigrating birds, most of them—that have perched upon his knee since he

was wearing the suit of which those trousers are a part.

We could not get him to say definitely how many birds have perched there in that time, but in the course of some years he has put his little dentifying bracelets on the legs of as many as 500. Each of the little electric fixtures, gas fixtures for silver bracelets bears a number, and recognize his little friends when they FOR SALE Second hand bicycle reappear after wintering in tropical in first class repair. Cheap for countries, but other naturalists in those countries which lie along the migration route—which extends from to pole can tell where thes birds have been and when they were there. Correspondence between these ornithologists in recent years has established certain facts regarding bird migration that are so amazing t would be difficult to believe them if experts, who have devoted their lives to the study of the subject, were not able to supply convincing evi-

dence of their truth. I wonder, for example, how many A'9 tf are aware that the "sandpiper" covers the distance between New Zealand and Siberia in five flights, each representing about a day, thus travelling

> an hour? "This rate," says Mr. Hart, "makes ten hours sufficient to carry them across the widest ocean that they have to traverse on their way. They fly at night and rest on the land durfly at hight and rest on the land during the day, this for the sake of
> avoiding any birds of prey that may
> be about, for which reason they keep
> to the valleys while on their flight.
> The route they follow is always the
> same. The first journey carries them
> from New Zealand to South India. The second from South India to Northern Africa by way of the Red Sea. The third carries them across the Mediterranean to France by way of Corsica. On the fourth they arrive in Southern England, flying in through the Avon Valley. Why do they follow this particular route? Why, just because this migration dates back so many hundreds of centuries. These little migrants still follow the track where the continents once were joined together, points like Corsica and Heligoland being the only ones still above the water of what was once dry land from England right to the South Seas. "After stopping in England for a little time these little sandpipers make one more flight, which carries them to Siberia, for their breeding season, for they always prefer to breed where the temperature is broken."

English Money. Sammie had a good "hand." It was such a gilt-edged cinch, he figured, that he made no attempt to hide his excitement. Thus far the stakes were of the shilling variety stakes were of the shifting variety and Uncle Sam's representative piloted his way with a minimum of puzzling. But now the big "Canuck" opposite had something real good and he pulled out a paper note, relates a contributor to Judge. "I bet a pound," he said. Poor Sammie! a pound," he said. Poor Sammie! That was a new one on him and the wind went right out of his sails. But only for a second. His hand dived into his breeches, a broad smile decorated his features. "Well, pardners," said he, "I don't know what a pound is, but I raise a TON!"

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