

...Poultry Congress.
 ...rt of September, 1921,
 ...e at The Hague, Hol-
 ...rld's Poultry Congress,
 ...of the Netherland's
 ...arrangements had pre-
 ...for the holding of this
 ...Owing, however, to
 ...e European War it had
 ...postponed. With a
 ...tation from the Dutch
 ...project is now going
 ...Committee has been
 ...g of representatives
 ...e Dutch Minister of
 ...the International As-
 ...try Instructors and
 ...latter society having
 ...or the steps leading to
 ...a meeting of this Com-
 ...cently at The Hague,
 ...y of Dr. J. H. Louvink,
 ...to the Netherlands
 ...which there was a full
 ...posals were considered
 ...ements, program, etc.
 ...was appointed National
 ...ward Brown, F.L.S.,
 ...dent. It is intended
 ...period of the Congress
 ...display of breeds of
 ...many countries as
 ...bring together a com-
 ...the first time, and of
 ...October, 1920, there will
 ...Hague a great Inter-
 ...Trial extending to
 ...at which it is hoped
 ...pens of fowls from all
 ...ies will be entered.
 ...ill include in its Pro-
 ...of the poultry industry
 ...the world, embracing
 ...actical questions, in-
 ...vestigation, breeding
 ...on of eggs and poultry
 ...es and in association
 ...the national and
 ...e in these products,
 ...ritations will, in due
 ...inviting Ministries
 ...of Agriculture and
 ...dies, teaching institu-
 ...stations, poultry
 ...societies, and trading
 ...int delegates to the
 ...ual members will also
 ...er announcements will
 ...e to time as arrange-
 ...ed. It is hoped to
 ...mittees in many of
 ...sted in this branch of
 ...and to secure the
 ...tributions in the way
 ...e most eminent and
 ...ers throughout the
 ...General Secretary is
 ...Koningin Mariastraat,
 ...d, and Mr. Edward
 ...Essex Street, Strand,
 ...ngland, has the Inter-
 ...on in hand.—William
 ...cretary International
 ...try Instructors and
 ...as State Agricultural
 ...Kansas.

Investment.
 S. Henry, Minister of
 tario, commends the
 n the following letter:
 had occasion to com-
 Loan of 1918 to the
 The confidence then
 more than justified.
 d market value of the
 o is the best evidence
 the investment.
 easure in commending
 1919. As an invest-
 ed by all the reasons
 in favor of the loan
 some others as well.
 est and being simple
 investment which any
 after for himself or
 y outside assistance.
 t matter, particularly
 s now happily over it
 understood that we
 er war conditions in
 mic matters. Canada
 ntry, particularly in
 gricultural products.
 armers depends, to a
 our exports. On the
 of the countries of
 to import out produce
 as a result of the war
 to pay cash. They,



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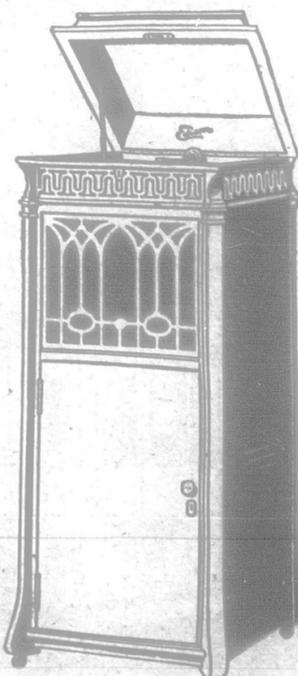
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of time. In Germany the mark has depreciated to about one-sixth of its pre-war value. The Canadian dollar has depreciated only a few cents even in foreign countries, and this will be readily adjusted by the maintenance of production. This contrast is not only an indication of the soundness of Canada's financial position at the present time, but is one standard by which the difference between defeat and victory can be measured.

"I, therefore, commend this loan as a sound, safe and profitable investment, and as a means of showing appreciation of the splendid victory which has brought security and freedom to the homes and property of the present and succeeding generations in this favored country."

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"Life" contained a clever picture the other day: A valiant woman had rushed into the street to protest against a driver's abuse of his horse, declaring the poor animal to be half dead. The driver replied: "He's not as dead as that bird on your bonnet!"