

American Aid To Central Europe Urged by Davison

Congress Should Make \$500,000,000 Grant, Banker Says—Southeastern Europe Scene of "One of the Most Terrible Tragedies of Human Race."

Speaking before the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in Des Moines, Iowa, the other day, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the board of governors of the League of Red Cross Societies, said that "one of the most terrible tragedies in the history of the human race is being enacted within the broad belt of territory lying between the Baltic and the Black and Adriatic Seas." In this area are the new Baltic states, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Ukraine, Austria, Albania and Serbia.

Mr. Davison asked that Congress immediately appropriate not exceeding \$500,000,000 for the use of the countries of central and eastern Europe. He requests that congress call upon the president to appoint a non-political commission of three Americans, distinguished for their character and executive ability, which should proceed at once to survey the conditions in these countries and to allocate materials to them without interference and by exercise of its own prerogative.

Following is the text of Mr. Davison's address. As chairman of the convention of Red Cross Societies, composed of representatives of twenty-seven nations, that met recently in Geneva, I am custodian of authoritative reports recording appalling conditions among millions of people living in eastern Europe.

Whatever our attitude towards the League of Nations or our apprehensions regarding foreign entanglements, I feel it is essential that the people of the United States realize that one of the most terrible tragedies in the history of the human race is being enacted within the broad belt of territory lying between the Baltic and the Black and Adriatic Seas.

The area includes the new Baltic states—Poland, Czechoslovakia, Ukraine, Austria, Hungary, Roumania, Montenegro, Albania, and Serbia. The reports which come to me make it clear that in these war-ravaged lands civilization has broken down. Disease, bereavement and suffering are present in practically every village. The food and clothing are insufficient to make life tolerable.

Men, women and children are dying by thousands and are scattered in all areas there are to be found neither medical appliances nor medical skill sufficient to cope with the devastating plagues.

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No Return of the Trouble Since Taking "FRUIT-A-LIVES"



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"I suffered with Rheumatism for five years, having it so badly at times I was unable to get up without assistance."

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RUSSIANS CONFIRM REVOLUTION UNDER SOVIET

Representatives of Co-operatives Make Report

Economic System Failure — Traders Defy the Laws — Iron Discipline for the Workmen, With Frequent Strikes.

Washington, May 28.—Deterioration of every branch of economic life in Soviet Russia continues and not even the slightest improvement in any direction is in sight, according to the report of two representatives of the Russian co-operative organization of London who were delegated to visit Moscow to ascertain whether it is possible to establish trade relations with Bolshevik Russia.

The whole plan, of course, involves many practical considerations, the most serious of which is that of obtaining the money, whether by issuing additional Liberty bonds, an increase in the floating debt, or by taxation. But I think we could properly say to the treasury department:

"We know how serious your financial problems are. We know the difficulties which are immediately confronting you, we know the importance of deflation, and we know that the government must economize and we also know that the American government advanced ten billion dollars to its allies to attain victory and peace. Certainly it is worth making the additional advance in order to realize the peace for which we have already struggled—for nothing is more certain than that until normal conditions are restored in Europe, there can be no peace."

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Let Cuticura Help You Look Like This



Nothing better to care for your skin, hair and hands. The Soap, Cuticura and Purify, the Ointment to scotch and heal. Use them for daily toilet.

Close-up View. Stratford, Ont., May 28.—Members of the Chamber of Commerce who attended a luncheon here had their eyes opened to the nature, aims and menace of Bolshevism, in a manner that left a lasting impression.

People Kept Down by Massacres. "The Bolsheviks, although the word means 'majority,' are not a government majority, but comprise some three million of the lowest type of humanity, one hundred and sixty million of their fellow human beings. The Bolsheviks, having possession of the factories, munition works and supply plants, have the nerve centres of the country, and any resistance which would be offered cannot make way without external aid," declared Mr. Stevenson, adding, "If once the Russian people were freed and allowed to vote, the Bolshevik regime would vanish like smoke, but they are kept down by machine guns and massacres."

Czarism Comparative Paradise. Every type of Russian, from prince down to storekeeper, farmer and humblest workman, says that the Czar's regime was paradise as compared with the present.

Liver Trouble and Heartburn. All liver diseases of whatever character are diseases of the highest importance and demand close attention.

WHOOPING COUGH

Small industry is under the control of the provincial and district economic councils. The central bodies dealing with special branches of national industry cannot harmonize among themselves the measures adopted by them, nor can they co-ordinate them with those adopted by the local economic councils.

Defy the Laws to Trade. The distribution of all commodities, should by law, be carried out exclusively according to the plans of the provincial supply committees through the co-operative unions.

Comfort Your Skin With Cuticura Soap and Fragrant Talcum. A few cents buys "Danderine." After an application of "Danderine" you can not find a fallen hair or any dandruff, besides every hair shows new life, brightness, more color and thickness.

Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies. Every true mother realizes the fact that her baby's health depends upon her own, that the very vitality of her child is influenced by her own physical condition.

Ludie E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Good health during and after maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many instances have been recorded by the Ludie E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Ludie E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Spring is Here. So is "Spring Fever"—that heavy, sluggish, upset feeling, which indicates a disordered system and impure blood.

Rheumatic Pains

Are relieved in a few days by taking 30 drops of Mother Seigel's Syrup after meals and on retiring. It dissolves the lime and acid accumulation in the muscles and joints so these deposits can be expelled, thus relieving pain and soreness. Seigel's Syrup, also known as "Extract of Roots," contains no dope nor other strong drugs to kill or mask the pain of rheumatism or lumbago. It removes the cause. 50c a bottle at all druggists.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Don't stay gray! Nobody can tell you how dark gray, faded hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur. Grandmother kept her hair beautiful, darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Ever her hair took on that dull, faded, streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

Stiff Joints. Limber Up After Being Rubbed With "ABSORBINE JR." A stiff knee, due to rheumatism or a stiff ankle, the result of a sprain or a stiff arm, because of a fall—can be relieved of pain and stiffness, by the use of "ABSORBINE JR."

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