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T. HYNSON BECK,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof,to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of June, 1919, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of December, 1918.

MAY MILLS BECK,
Administratrix.

Date Dec. 4, 1918.

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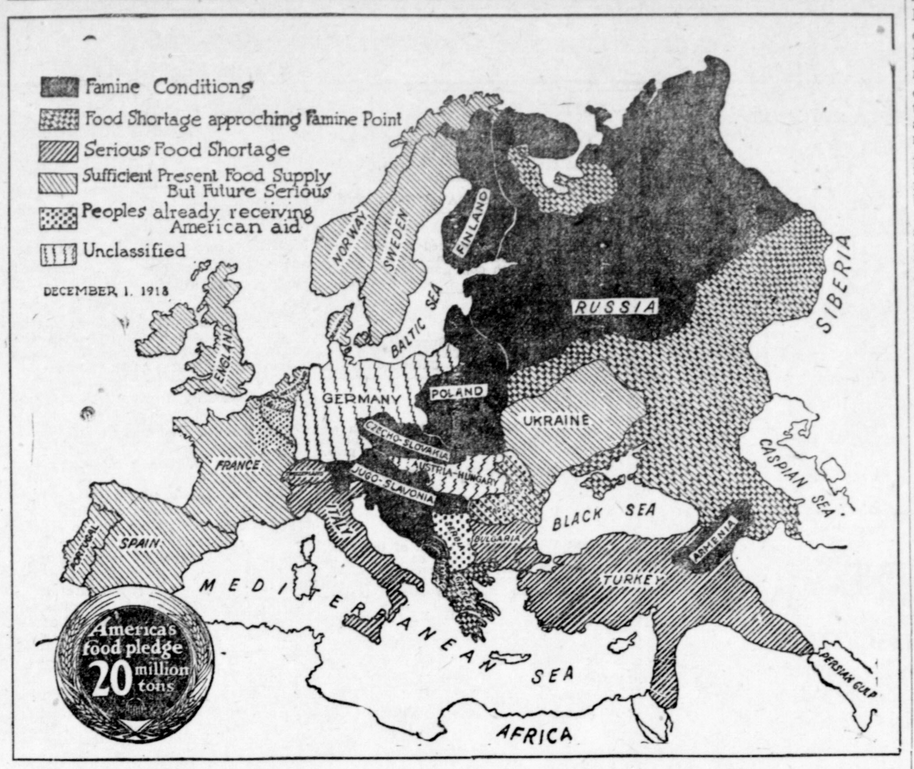
HUNGER DRAWS THE MAP



A food map of Europe today shows not a single country in which the future does not hold threat of serious difficulties and only a small part which is not rapidly approaching the famine point. With the exception of the Ukraine only those countries which have maintained marine commerce have sufficient food supplies to meet actual needs until next harvest, and even in the Ukraine, with stores accumulated on the farms, there is famine in the large centers of population.

Belgium and northern France, as well as Serbia, appear on the hunger map distinct from the rest of Europe because they stand in a different relation from the other nations to the people of the United States. America has for four years maintained the small war rations of Belgium and northern France and is already making special efforts to care for their increased after-the-war needs, which, with those of Serbia, must be included in this plan, are urgent in the extreme and must have immediate relief.

The gratitude of the Belgian nation for the help America has extended to her during the war constitutes the strongest appeal for us to continue our work there. The moment the German armies withdrew from her soil and she was established once more in her own seat of government the little nation's first thought was to express her gratitude to the Commission for Relief in Belgium for preserving the lives of millions of her citizens.

Germany, on the other hand, need not figure in such a map for Americans because there is no present indication that we shall be called on at all to take thought for the food needs of Germany. Germany probably can care for her own food problem if she is given access to shipping and is enabled to distribute food to the cities with dense populations, which are the trouble centers.

England, France, the Netherlands and Portugal, all of which have been maintained from American supplies, have sufficient food to meet immediate needs, but their fctutre presents serious difficulties. The same is true of Spain and the northern neutral countries—Norway, Sweden and Denmark—whose ports have been open and who have been able to draw to some degree upon foreign supplies.

Most of Russia is already in the throes of famine, and 40,000,000 people there are beyond the possibility of help. Before another spring thousands of them inevitably must die. This applies as well to Poland and practically throughout the Baltic regions, with conditions most serious in Finland.

Bohemia, Serbia, Roumania and Montenegro have already reached the famine point and are suffering a heavy toll of death. The Armenian population is falling each week as hunger takes its toll, and in Greece, Albania and Roumania so serious are the food shortages that famine is near. Although starvation is not yet imminent, Italy, Switzerland, Bulgaria and Turkey are in the throes of serious stringencies.

In order to fulfill America's pledge in world relief we will have to export every ton of food which can be handled through our ports. This means at the very least a minimum of 20,000,000 tons compared with 6,000,000 tons prewar exports and 11,820,000 tons exported last year, when we were bound by the ties of war to the European allies.

If we fail to lighten the black spots on the hunger map or if we allow any portions to become darker the very peace for which we fought and bled will be threatened. Revolt and anarchy inevitably follow famine. Should this happen we will see in other parts of Europe a repetition of the Russian debacle and our fight for world peace will have been in vain.

THE GREATEST TRAGEDY OF THE GREAT WAR

A PROCLAMATION

For more than three years American philanthropy has been a large factor in keeping alive Armenian, Syrian, Greek and other exiles and refugees of Western Asia.

On two former occasions I have appealed to the American people in behalf of these homeless sufferers, whom the vicissitudes of war and massacre had brought to the extremest need.

The response has been most generous, but now the period of rehabilitation is at hand. Vastly larger sums will be required to restore these once prosperous, but now impoverished, refugees to their former homes than were required merely to sustain life in their desert exile.

It is estimated that about 4,000,000 Armenian, Syrian, Greek and other war sufferers in the Near East will require outside help to sustain them through the winter. Many of them are now hundreds of miles from their homeland. The vast majority of them are helpless women and children, including 400,000 orphans.

The American Committee for Relief in the Near East is appealing for a minimum of $30,000,000 to be subscribed January 12-19, 1919, with which to meet the most urgent needs of these people.

I, therefore, again call upon the people of the United States to make even more generous contributions than they have made heretofore to sustain through the winter months those, who, through no fault of their own, have been left in a starving, shelterless condition, and to help re-establish these ancient and sorely oppressed people in their former homes on a self-supporting basis.

(Signed) WOODROW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE
29 November, 1918.

AS IN PEACE SO IN RELIEF AMERICA SHOULD LEAD THE WORLD

When the above message of the President was placed before Dr. Samuel T. Dutton, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Near East Relief, he said: "This appeal of President Wilson to the American people asking their support in the attempt of the American Committee for Relief in the Near East to raise in January at least thirty millions of dollars, gives a national character to that effort.

"The President has spoken several times to the entire world in favor of such wise and beneficent reconstruction as will make the world safe for all peoples. The present appeal is made in the face of the greatest tragedy of the war. It is beyond Europe, in the Near East that human wretchedness at present centers."

About the authenticity of the reports of Turkish persecution, Dr. Dutton, said: "Cruelties more diabolical than any in history have been perpetrated by the Ottoman government, and have been reported by absolutely trustworthy eye-witnesses at the American Embassy in Constantinople. The unreality of such persecution to an American, as well as the thousands of miles between us and this greatest crime of civilization, has kept many Americans, so far, from feeling this demand upon their humanity and justice, keenly."

WILL YOU PICK OUT THOSE WHO SHALL PERISH?

Regarding the present actual state of the peoples of the Near East, Dr. Dutton said: "Starvation has become so common in these lands that one of our workers sent the following report, 'Heroic men and women who have strained every energy to save lives; now have the unthinkable task of picking out those who shall perish.' This is the human pressure back of the slogan, 'They shall not perish' being used in the campaign for thirty millions of dollars."

Dr. Dutton was asked if he believed the American people were tired of giving. He said: "America's money is going out of her pockets faster than ever in her history, because it is America's part in this frightful world cataclysm. It is to these people we owe in part the debt of our untouched homes, our unviolated families, and our almost normally conducted industries. For these things are thirty millions of dollars an adequate return? When the American people come to realize the situation in the Near East as it actually is, I think not."

In concluding his comment upon the President's urgent appeal Dr. Dutton said: "As the President is trying to lead the nations to a just peace so he desires that America shall lead the world in this supreme effort to save and rehabilitate the Christian peoples who, because they have clung to their faith and our faith, have been compelled to pass through the surpassing travail of the war."

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Upon this spirit of service and sacrifice will depend Europe's fate in the months to come. In the past year we have carried out an export program, the magnitude of which is almost beyond comprehension. But with the new demands that have come, with the liberation of nations freed from German oppression, our exports must be almost doubled. Instead of 11,820,000 tons, we must ship twenty million tons of food to Europe in the coming year—as much as can be pushed through our ports.

If the Allies had not been fed by America, it would have been impossible for them to maintain their defense against Germany.

Meeting this world need on a purely voluntary basis, the American people have conclusively proved that democracy is a success and that in time of need it will rise to its own defense.

If there were no other accomplishment to its credit the very fact that it has shown the strength of democracy has in itself more than justified the existence of the Food Administration in the eyes of the world.

Less than four months after the United States declared war the United States Food Administrator expressed his determination to meet America's food problem on a basis of voluntary action and reiterated his confidence that awakened democracy would prove irresistible.

"Many thinking Americans," said Mr. Hoover, "and the whole world have been watching anxiously the last four months in the fear that democratic America could not organize to meet autocratic Germany. Germany has been confident that it could not be done. Contrary proof is immediately at our door, and our people have already demonstrated their ability to mobilize, organize, endure and prepare voluntarily and efficiently in many directions and upon the mere word of inspiration aside from the remarkable assemblage of our Army and finances."

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The Maryland Council of Defense has transmitted to the respective Legal Committees of the State, a request from the National Council of Defense, that the Local Legal Committee of each county, will render to our returning Soldiers and Sailors, in their respective counties, such legal advice and assistance as they may need in relation to their service in the Army and Navy or in litigation pending for or against them, in which their rights by reason of such service may be involved.

The need of such advice and representation in litigation, will be as great in the period of demoblization as during actual service. Especially in event of suits entered against such Soldiers or Sailors, the members of the Bar in cases brought to their knowledge, are requested to take such action as may prevent unwarranted entry of judgment or preserve the right given to open the same within the 90 days allowed for this purpose.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
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