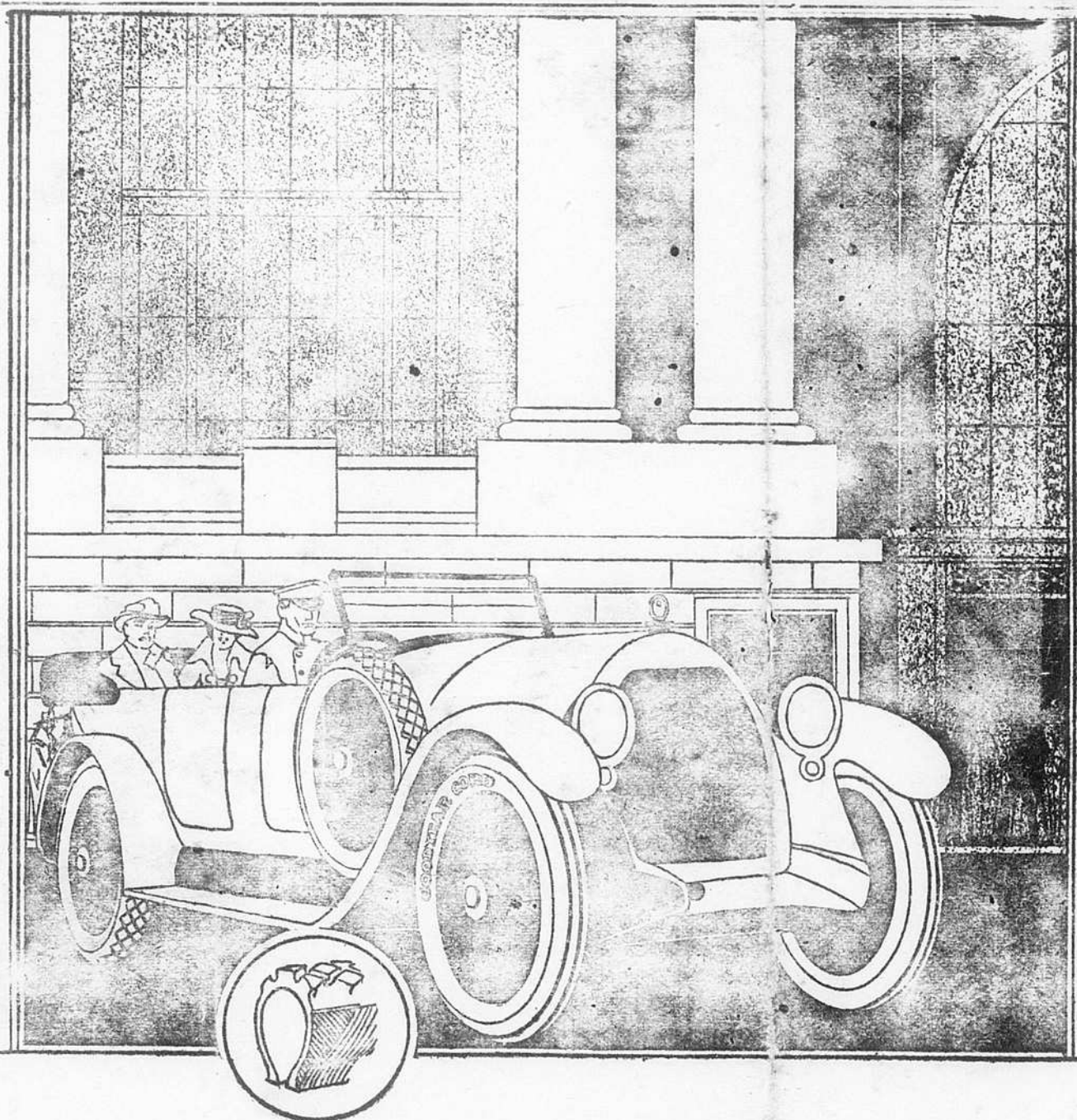


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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Washington, Feb. 3rd.—Congress finally cleared the way today for the opening of negotiations looking to the refunding of the eleven billion dollars foreign debt. The House, by an overwhelming majority, agreed to the Senate amendments to the refunding bill, and the measure was sent to the President, who is expected to approve it. While plans for conducting the negotiations with the debtor nations have not yet been formulated, it was said today in well informed quarters that they probable would be conducted both in the United States and abroad. There has been some discussion of a general conference of representatives of the United States and the principal Allied Powers to discuss the whole subject

of the war-debt of these nations. Those favouring this plan have argued that it was not to be expected that the debts owed the United States could be refunded without reference to the debts owed among the Allied Powers themselves. In this connection it has been pointed out that Great Britain advanced to its dominions and Allies, including France and Italy, approximately nine and a half billion dollars, while France loaned nearly three billion dollars to its Allies, principally Russia and Italy.

Manchester, Feb. 4th.—Sir Edward Teotal Broadhurst, the noted Manchester Spinner died today aged 64.

Bloemfontein Union, of South Africa Feb. 5th.—General Christian De Wet, Commander-in-Chief of the Boer Forces in the war of 1899, died at his home in Dewetsdorp on Friday.