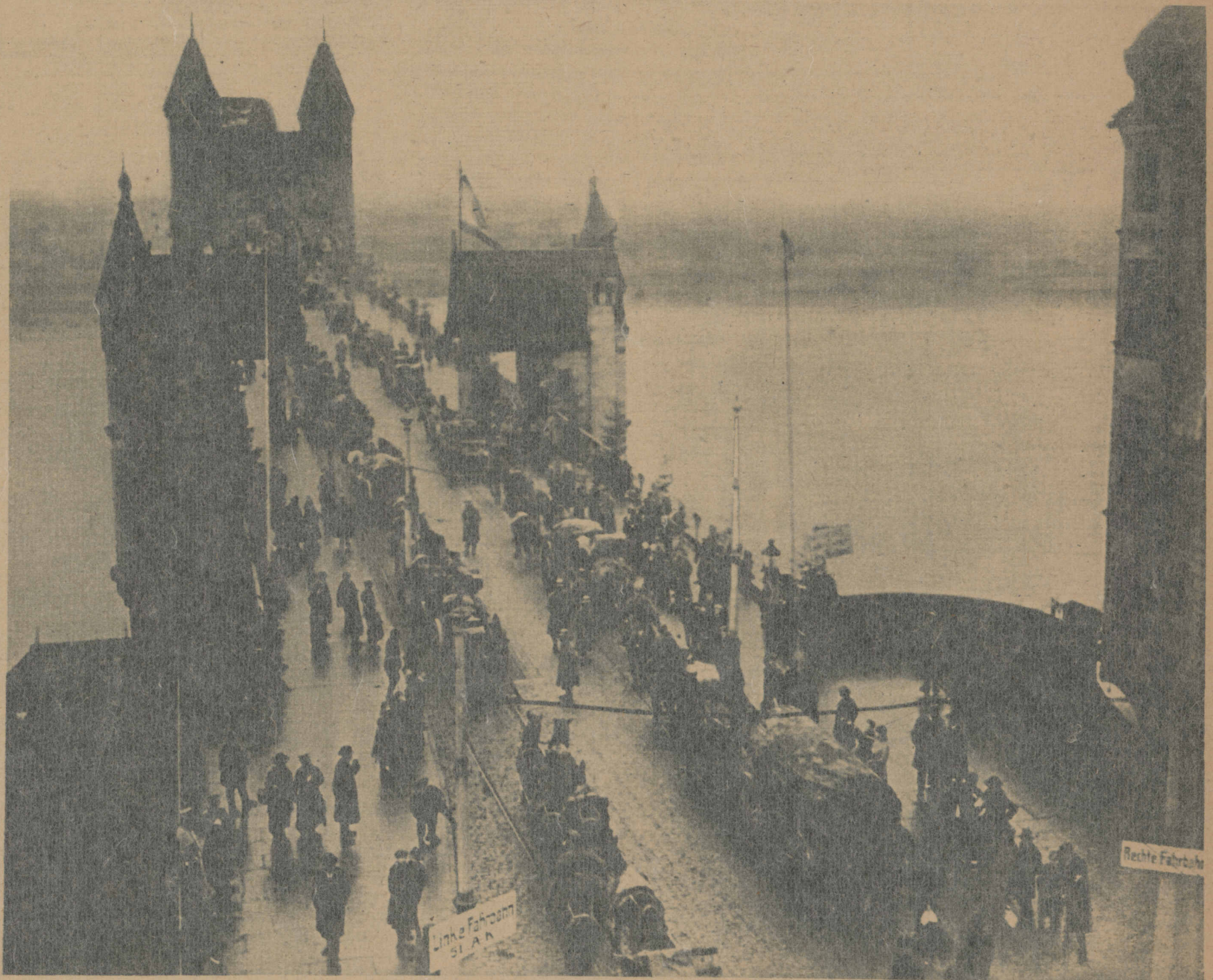


ARRIVAL OF NEW U. S. AMBASSADOR IN LONDON—John W. Davis, the civilian in a gray overcoat, is the newly appointed ambassador from the United States to the court of St. James. Mrs. Davis and Admiral Sims of the U. S. Navy are standing beside him. The others in the picture were in the reception committee to greet the ambassador. [Photograph from Edward Marshall syndicate.]



A HISTORIC PHOTOGRAPH—GERMANS RECROSSING THE RHINE—Part of the defeated German horde, set loose upon a peaceful Europe in 1914 in a war of conquest, are shown here homeward bound, a dejected and dwindled band. They are recrossing the Rhine, probably for the last time, since the peace negotiations are expected to result in the German's yielding the left bank of the river to France. [Photograph copyright by Press illustrating company.]