

FRANCE MAY AVOID MEETING AT HAGUE

Trend of Events Since Genoa Brings U. S. Closer to Paris Than to London

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Washington, May 29.—The Administration is practically assured that the French Government will refuse to take part in the conference on Russia at The Hague.

Secretary Hughes has discussed this subject three times recently with Ambassador Jusserand.

The representatives of the other chief Powers which took part at Genoa—England, Belgium and the United States—were informed of the administration's position.

Shift in Line-Up The prominence of the French in these negotiations shows the shift that has taken place in the international situation.

Count two is the repetition of the Genoa tactics in the calling of The Hague Conference, which was in effect a prolongation of the Genoa Conference.

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