

RECITE TALES OF MURDERS BY MEXICANS

Senate Sub-Committee Hears New Evidence of Numerous Cruelties.

MANY INDIGNITIES ARE HEAPED UPON AMERICANS

One "Grimo" Says Killers of Son Are "Well Accounted For"—Much Other Testimony Adduced.

By the Associated Press. EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 3.—Additional stories of murder, plunder and other lawlessness said to have been perpetrated upon Americans in Mexico were revealed to the senate subcommittee investigating Mexican affairs at the committee's first hearing in El Paso today.

E. E. Eeke, formerly a contractor employed on a Mexican railway, told of the murder of his son and added that the men responsible for the murder had been "well accounted for."

Tells of Devastation. S. H. Venter, El Paso police captain testified concerning the devastation of the five Mormon colonies in Chihuahua, and W. A. Schultz testified regarding murders which had come to his knowledge and personal indignities suffered.

Marcus A. Smith, democrat, Arizona, presided at the hearing. Venter told the committee the story of the devastation of the five Mormon colonies in Chihuahua which resulted in their practical abandonment about the time American troops landed in Vera Cruz.

Would Invade Texas. Schultz, father of four sons who fought against Germany, gave corroborative testimony regarding the real role played by Luis de la Rosa, who, others have testified, was a leading factor in the execution of the Plan of San Diego.

Old Man Murdered. General Nafarrette's connection with the anti-American outbreaks was indicated by Schultz's story of the killing of an American named Sawyer. "Sawyer," said Schultz, "was an old man. He went back to the United States and returned with a wife. One day the Mexicans came to his house and shot him in the stomach because he hesitated when he demanded to know where he kept his money."

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As an example of the indignities to which he said Americans were subjected, Schultz told the committee of an incident at Victoria. He said he was passing the barracks in front of which a group of soldiers was sitting. They arose as he approached and, one by one, spat upon him and then stoned him as long as he was within throwing distance of the soldiers.

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New Way of Trying Accident Cases



Police authorities have a novel way of trying accident cases. In the traffic court miniature models of all sorts of vehicles which use the streets, help officers and witnesses to demonstrate just how accidents occur. Picture shows George N. Sorvorn and O to G. Manschell, traffic experts, assigned as assistants to the commonwealth attorney in traffic accidents.

UNIONS BRING OPEN SHOP ISSUE BEFORE C. OF C.

Last night the executive board of the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce heard statements from the members of the various building trades unions with relation to the proposal for open shop declared by the Employers' association.

The union leaders made clear their position, which is an adherence to the closed shop, and a desire for renewal of the contractual relations with the various contractors of the city and vicinity. The discussion lasted for more than an hour, the union delegation answering questions asked by the members of the executive board of the Chamber.

CLOTHIERS AGREE TO AID GOVERNMENT

Plivies Support to Efforts to Reduce the High Cost of Living in Their Line.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Increased production, more efficient distribution and stabilization of prices are necessary to reduce the price of clothing, dealers in men's wear today informed Howard Figg, who is in charge of the department of justice campaign to reduce the cost of living.

Representatives of the clothing trade concluding a two-day conference adopted resolutions pledging co-operation of the manufacturers, merchants, producers and employees in reducing the cost of living.

Organizations represented were the National Retail Dry Goods association, National Retail Dry Goods association, National Association of Clothiers, Amalgamated Clothing Workers, Clothing Manufacturers Association of New York, American Association of Woolen and Worsted Manufacturers, National Association of Wool Manufacturers, American Cotton association, Mississippi Valley association, Cotton States Official Advisory Marketing Board, and the Association of Presidents of State Farmers' union.

In a statement tonight outlining the result of the conference, Mr. Figg said that causes for the present high prices, ways and means of correcting them, standardization of clothing and other pertinent matters entered into the discussion, which the department felt developed facts which will be of material assistance.

After the conference, the National Association of Clothiers issued a statement warning the public not to purchase inferior material, especially in the price of clothing, because of increased wages being paid by the industry.

WILL TRY TO BRING STATE CONVENTIONS

Chamber of Commerce Will Endeavor to Have Political Parties Gather Here.

COMMITTEES NAMED TO GO AFTER MEETINGS

Memorable Sessions Have Been Held in Twin Falls by the Two Big Parties in the Past.

Action was taken by the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce executive board last night looking to an effort to bring to Twin Falls one or more of the state conventions to be held by the two old parties this year.

Under the new state convention law, the date is fixed for the conventions which will nominate the state tickets. It transpires, however, that the calls for the national conventional fixes the dates for these two meetings in advance of the date fixed by statute for the state conventions, hence the necessity of conventions for the selection of national delegates, presidential electors and national committee members for the two old parties.

Means Fair Conventions. This means that each of the two old parties will hold two state conventions this year, and Twin Falls will seek to secure one from each party, unless Burley should set up claims for one of the democratic conventions, which is rumored to exist.

In that event, Twin Falls will probably stand aside and assist Burley in her effort.

Four years ago Twin Falls entertained the republican state convention which nominated Hughes. The convention was an important one, was largely attended and well handled by the community, resulting in general satisfaction.

In that convention J. P. Samuels, who was later the non-partisan candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, was a candidate for national delegate.

Was Memorable Meeting. The last democratic state convention held in Twin Falls was also a memorable one, that being the meeting in which the Dubois fight reached its most acute stage. Twin Falls was then but an aspirant to cityhood. The streets were but lanes of mud, and the parading delegates and their bands and their enthusiasm pushed through much more than ankle deep mud.

What a revelation Twin Falls will be to visiting delegates this year, if they shall come again to Twin Falls. Former Senator M. J. Swooley was named to co-operate with State Committee C. A. Robinson in securing the republican convention in Twin Falls, and Robert H. Stevenson was named to extend the invitation for the followers of Jefferson and Jackson to make their plans in the peerless city.

Each of these gentlemen will name committees to assist in the undertaking, and each will attend the meeting of their state and county committees in the spring and summer of 1920 when the place for holding conventions will be determined.

SAYS PERSHING'S REPORT JUSTIFIES HUN ARMY

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Monday, Feb. 2.—Count von Reventlow, chief editorial writer of the Tagess Zeitung designates General Pershing's report as "inestimable" for the purpose of judging the military situation in the spring and summer of 1919. He hopes it will be translated and circulated in Germany.

The Pan-German editor asserts that General Pershing's report on the military situation proves that German "honor" people and that the report further confirms the fact that Germany was on the eve of a military success. Then came the "democratic" revolution of a great portion of the German troops, the side that German honor was won.

ARGUE 18TH AMENDMENT IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL

By the Associated Press. TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 3.—Arguments that the prohibition amendment is unconstitutional were made before Federal Judge Rollinat today in behalf of Christian Peckemann, a Newark brewing corporation, which is seeking to prevent enforcement of the Volstead act in New Jersey.

William D. Guthrie, who is associated with Ethel Root, as the plaintiff's counsel, said that the constitutional amendment was really a prohibition that it laid down a code of government, but governed the conduct of individuals.

Mr. Guthrie argued that the eighteenth amendment was void because both houses of congress had not authorized by a two-thirds vote that prohibition was a necessary act required by article five of the constitution, but had left the matter to state legislatures.

The amendment had resulted in the confiscation of non-intoxicating beer owned by the plaintiff to the value of \$1,700,000, he said, and the same proceeding might be applied to soda water or any other commodity that a majority of the states might single out for destruction.

REVIEWS ACHIEVEMENTS OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 3.—A review of the legislative achievements of the democratic party, an attack upon the republican party for its attitude toward the league of nations, and a plea for harmony marked an address by Hon. R. Cummings, national democratic chairman at a conference here tonight of party leaders from central and northern New York.

Chairman Cummings declared that "every democrat has a right to rejoice in the unparalleled record of our party, carried as it has been by a leadership which has carried America to greater heights of prosperity and honor and glory than she has ever before known."

Mr. Cummings said "the gentleman who is now leading the republican party, exhibiting the fragments of the United States and warring the people against the league of nations, are the bad advisers of old, whose counsel led to trouble and whose advice had to be discarded before America could make progress."

FAIL TO AGREE ON WAGE INCREASES

Hines and Carrier Unions Representatives Conference Fails to Bring Results.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Prolonged discussion of demands for increased wages between railroad administration officials and representatives of the 2,000,000 employees of federal controlled railroads had notted no tangible results by the first session of the conference today in Washington.

While neither Director General Hines nor the labor leaders would make a public statement concerning the day's negotiations, it was understood that the argument thus far had failed to crystallize into a definite program.

Director General Hines has not presented his proposals in their entirety when the conference broke up until tomorrow, having adopted the policy of hearing argument from all union heads as each particular statement of the government's case was laid before the conference. The administration thus obtained a comprehensive idea of the labor view as individual claims and the counter arguments were taken up.

It was not believed tonight that the conference would result in a solution of the whole wage problem. Some of the demands were expected to be withdrawn and others probably will be compromised or re-submitted to the union membership directly affected. All will be thrashed out, however, before the conference ends.

The union heads are expected to expand much of tomorrow, forsooth of the demands that have been made in public policy as it appeared today that the various organization officials were not together on the questions considered. Few arguments were said to have coincided, each union being dissatisfied with some particular feature.

In some instances, it was said, there has been a demand that the wages be made last July and which were laid before President Wilson who requested delay.

It was also said that the government was being forced to consider the possibility of a general strike.

COAL MINERS AND OWNERS END HEARING

Appeal for Higher Wages and Shorter Hours Now Before the Commission.

MANY DIFFERENCES IN VIEWPOINTS DEVELOP

Districts Outside of Central Competitive Field Now to Be Given Chance to Plead Their Case.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—With concluding arguments presented before the coal strike settlement commission today by spokesmen for the operators and mine workers in the central competitive field, the fate of the reticulated demands of the workers for a 60 per cent increase in wages and a 39-hour week was submitted to the final decision of the commission.

Each side, however, was granted permission to present within five days a written brief discussing the opposing evidence.

Lewis' Statement. In the closing statements for the United Mine Workers, acting President Lewis declared the "reasonableness of the miners' demands not only have not been shaken by the operators' evidence but have been overwhelmingly supported by it."

Summing up the position of the operators, Ralph H. Crews, attorney-in-chief, told the commission that from all the evidence submitted, "it was apparent that what the miners need to improve their conditions was not an increased wage scale, but a greater disposition to work when the opportunity to work is given them."

Throughout the presentation evidence the union representatives, Mr. Crews declared, have qualified sought to deal in averages, but have refrained, he said, "from presenting a single case to show the actual earnings upon to the individual man." Statistics of the central bureau of labor, he added, showed that in October bituminous miners throughout the country worked an average of only 85 per cent of the operating time of the mines and that this was the "fundamentally significant thing for the commission to consider."

Miners could increase their earnings by 25 per cent, he estimated, if they worked whenever they might be called upon.

Challenges Accuracy. Mr. Lewis challenged the accuracy and the "truly representative character" of the operators' figures on miners' earnings, though declared at the same time that even if accepted as "dependable" they were "plainly low as to carry their own condemnation." Operators' figures showing that in 1919 the average monthly earnings of miners in the northern Illinois field were \$1.50 against a potential earning of \$3.00 were characterized by Mr. Lewis as "pathetic." Such a level of pay, he declared, is "not enough to meet the animal needs alone, without regard to comfort."

A final plea on behalf of the miners that the commission should mean to compel individual operators and their unions to abide by working contracts with the same obligation as the operator was made by Panna secretary of the United Mine Workers association.

William Green, secretary of the National Association of Coal Operators, in his opening address, declared that the government was being forced to consider the possibility of a general strike.

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DR. O'REILLY
OWNS UNTO TRACT

Due to the success of the pure-bred...
 Mr. O'Reilly has found that there is considerable demand for good milk cows in the tract and it is his wish that the boys should meet the demand by securing such stock under a similar plan as was adopted in the beef project.

THREE BUILDING PERMITS GRANTED BY CITY CLERK

Three building permits were issued yesterday by E. D. P. D. Haddock...
 J. W. Haldwin secured permission to construct a building 14x21, to cost \$300 on lot 20 block 6, South Park.

BUYERS GRILL CAPE

S. S. Hinegardner, formerly of Idaho Falls, purchased the Grill yesterday from Roy Mercer. He took charge at 6 o'clock the same evening.

SNOW ON GROUND ON SNAKE RIVER

With both the snowfall on the ground at the end of January...
 The average snow on ground at the end of January in the district reported was 22.1 inches, as against 5.7 inches last January.

IF THERE ARE SUFFICIENT MEMBERS

who would care to take advantage of a plan to bring in a carload of such animals and would guarantee to take them on their arrival here Mr. O'Reilly is willing to secure these animals in the Oregon markets and place them with the boys.

MISS ANNA CURRAN OF HAGERMAN

is in Twin Falls for a short visit with friends.

REPORTS INDICATE INCREASE IN WATER

Bedford, Lincoln county, altitude 5,000, snowfall in January, 21.5 inches; precipitation, 1.35 inches; snow on ground at end of month, 18.0 inches; estimated water equivalent, inches, 2.35 inches.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING OF TWIN FALLS DRYING PLANT

The stockholders will meet for the purpose of electing officers. The meeting will be held at Parish hall at 2 p. m., Tuesday, February 10.

THE PRISON IS TODAY IN CHARGE

of a deputy sheriff to begin serving a sentence of from ten years to life imprisonment. News counsel meanwhile are working on appeal proceedings.

W. T. HARVEY AND SON

managers for International Life Insurance company, have moved their office 16 N. 3rd St. Phone 1414.

Menarch
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WILL SEIZE BLACK STAR STEAMER LOADED WITH BOOZE

The vessel, which is owned and operated exclusively by negroes, put out from New York for Havana the day before the prohibition amendment became effective, but turned back for "repairs" when only two days out.

THE TWENTIEH CENTURY CLUB

gave a delightful entertainment at the Club Fellows' hall yesterday afternoon. The program was prepared under directions of a committee consisting of Mrs. Arthur Heaver and Mrs. George Aiken, consisted of a little play called "The Doings of the Solon Club."

THE PRICKLE SOWING CLUB

will meet at the home of Mrs. Farrar Thursday afternoon for its weekly meeting.

THE MARRIED PEOPLES CLUB

gave one of its delightful dancing parties last evening at the Lavering hall. This is one of the most popular of the clubs and has become so popular during the past winter months.

MRS. LESLIE MORSE

will be hostess this afternoon to the members of the Wednesday Bridge club.

THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. J. M. McMillan. Election of officers will be the work of the afternoon.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Alton Thursday evening.

Local Briets

Senator J. H. Seaver of Castleford spent Tuesday afternoon in Twin Falls on a brief shopping trip, returning home last evening.

MR. AND MRS. M. L. PAYNE

will remain for a few days before making their return.

MR. AND MRS. H. L. DAVIDSON

of Jerome motored to Twin Falls yesterday forenoon for a couple of days business and shopping trip.

MR. C. O. HENDERSON

of Wendell in Twin Falls yesterday afternoon leaving on the evening train for Pocatello where she will visit at the home of her parents for the next couple of weeks.

MR. H. HENSON

of St. Anthony arrived in Twin Falls yesterday afternoon for a brief business trip of a few days duration.

MR. J. H. SHEEHAN

state seed commissioner, arrived from Boise yesterday and after a short stay motored to Hagerman and Castleford for a brief visit.

MR. THURSTON PENCE

of Three Creeks is among the out of town visitors in Twin Falls and will remain for a short time before returning home.

MR. P. B. HOWELS

of Oakley is in Twin Falls for a few days looking after business interests and renewing old friendships.

MR. SAMUEL E. PRIKE

of Kelchum was among the Twin Falls visitors, arriving yesterday afternoon and will remain for a few days visiting with friends.

NAZIMO, A DRAMATIST

In the opinion of Maximal Karer, director general of Screen Classics, Inc., special productions, who, with Richard Ab-Rowlan president of Metro, presents Nazimova in her super-dramas of the recent stage success "The Brat" with this supreme actress as its star not only serves to establish more firmly her wonderful emotional talents, but also acclaim Nazimova as a dramatist of the highest order.

NEW TO SAN QUENTIN

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Feb. 2.—Harry New, convicted slayer of Freda Lesser, his fiancée, left for San Quentin Tuesday arrivals in Twin Falls called here by important business matters.

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We have handled this brand of harness for the past three years, and it is not only our judgment that tells us it is the best brand of goods that can be made, but the people who have used them. In fact we have many customers now demanding Heiser harness.

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OUR ANNUAL FEBRUARY WHITE SALE



Dainty Muslin Undergarments

How white and lovely they look on display! Surely these garments will appeal to every woman, both in quality and price. Now is the best time to lay in your supply for the summer.

MUSLIN GOWNS

Made of fine sheer muslin and nainsook, trimmed with lace and embroidery, long and short sleeves.

\$1.35 Gowns	\$1.05
\$1.50 Gowns	\$1.15
\$1.75 Gowns	\$1.40
\$2.00 Gowns	\$1.60
\$2.25 Gowns	\$1.80
\$2.50 Gowns	\$2.00
\$3.00 Gowns	\$2.40
\$3.50 Gowns	\$2.80
\$4.50 Gowns	\$3.60

MUSLIN DRAWERS

85c Drawers	69c
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MUSLIN SKIRTS

\$1.75 Skirts	\$1.40
\$2.00 Skirts	\$1.60
\$2.50 Skirts	\$2.00
\$3.00 Skirts	\$2.40
\$3.50 Skirts	\$2.80

COMBINATION SUITS

\$1.50 Suits	\$1.15
\$1.75 Suits	\$1.40
\$2.00 Suits	\$1.60

CORSET COVERS

50c Corset Covers	39c
75c Corset Covers	59c

LACE CLOTH

In Stripes, Checks and Plaids	
65c Lace Cloth, a yard	49c
75c Lace Cloth, a yard	59c
\$1.00 Lace Cloth, a yard	79c
\$1.25 Lace Cloth, a yard	95c
\$1.50 Lace Cloth, a yard	\$1.15
Plain India Linens, Organdies and Flaxons	all at 1/4 Off

"THE BIG WHITE STORE is crowded today" is heard all along the street. The people are coming to our February White Sale with such a rush that we are taxed to our limit to keep merchandise on display, but everybody is pleased.

Everybody wants to save money—that's why everybody is taking advantage of the marvelous price reductions on all White Goods. If you haven't taken advantage of our great values, come this week—you will feel well repaid.

White Sale of Table Linen

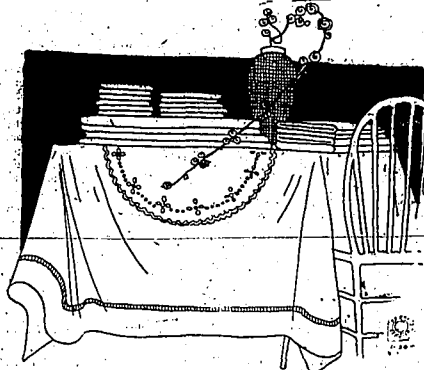


TABLE LINENS

\$1.00 Mercerized Linen	75c
\$1.25 Mercerized Linen	95c
\$1.50 Mercerized Linen	\$1.15
\$2.00 Linen Weft Damask	\$1.60
\$2.75 All Linen Damask	\$2.25
\$3.25 All Linen Damask	\$2.60

PATTERN TABLE CLOTHS

Mercerized	
Size 36x36, \$1.25 Cloths	95c
Size 58x58, \$3.25 Cloths	\$2.45
Size 64x63, \$3.50 Cloths	\$2.95
Size 60x72, \$4.00 Cloths	\$3.15
Size 60x89, \$4.50 Cloths	\$3.39



White Sale of Bed Linen

BED SPREADS

These prices speak for themselves. See our beautiful line of bed spreads.

Size 72x90, \$4.00 values	\$2.95
Size 90x90, \$6.50 values	\$4.59
Size 90x100, \$8.00 values	\$5.95
Extra large, \$10.00 values	\$7.85
Extra large, \$11.00 values	\$8.85
\$15.00 Bed Spread and Bolster Set	\$11.00

BLEACHED MUSLIN

36-in. wide, 30c value, a yard	25c
36-in. wide, 35c value, a yard	29c

BED SHEETING

9-4 Sheeting, a yard	85c
10-4 Sheeting, a yard	95c

PILLOW CASES

Only 4 to a customer.	
Size 42x36, each	49c
Size 45x36, "Mohawk", each	59c

BED SHEETS

Only 3 to a customer.	
Size 72x90, "Onandaga"	\$2.29
Size 72x90, "Pequot"	\$2.95
Size 81x90, "Mohawk"	\$2.49

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES

These lots include fine muslin, Swiss embroideries, fillet, cluny and torchon laces—bought especially for our Annual White Sale.

Lot 1—8c values at	5c
Lot 2—12 1-2c values at	9c
Lot 3—15c values at	11c
Lot 4—20c values at	16c
Lot 5—25c values at	19c
Lot 6—30c values at	22c
Lot 7—35c to 45c values at	27c
Lot 8—65c values at	49c
\$2.00 Organdy Dress Flouncing at	\$1.59
\$2.25 Organdy Dress Flouncing at	\$1.85
35c Baby Flouncing at	69c
\$1.00 Baby Flouncing at	79c

J. D. Justrite and Roberta Corsets

BACK LACE FRONT LACE

\$1.50 values	\$1.15	\$3.00 values	\$2.25
\$1.75 values	1.40	\$3.50 values	2.65
\$1.65 values	1.25	\$5.00 values	3.75
\$2.00 values	1.50	\$6.00 values	4.50
\$2.25 values	1.69	\$6.50 values	4.65
\$2.50 values	1.85	\$7.00 values	5.25
\$2.75 values	2.05	\$8.00 values	6.00
\$3.00 values	2.25	Ladies' and Misses' Ferris Waists	
\$3.50 values	2.65		
\$4.00 values	3.00	\$1.25 values	\$1.05
\$4.50 values	3.35	\$2.00 values	1.50
\$6.00 values	4.50	\$2.25 values	1.95
\$6.50 values	4.65	\$2.75 values	2.25
\$8.00 values	6.00	\$3.50 values	2.95
\$9.00 values	6.75	\$4.00 values	3.25
\$10.00 values	7.50	\$4.50 values	3.75



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LINENWEAVE SKIRTINGS

In Plain and Fancy Stripes	
85c Skirting, a yard	69c
\$1.00 Skirting, a yard	79c
\$1.25 Skirting, a yard	95c
\$1.50 Skirting, a yard	\$1.15
\$1.75 Skirting, a yard	\$1.33

PLAIN WHITE VOILE

65c Voile, a yard	49c
85c Voile, a yard	62c
\$1.00 Voile, a yard	79c

FANCY VOILES

In Stripes and Checks	
50c Voile, a yard	39c
75c Voile, a yard	55c
85c Voile, a yard	62c
\$1.00 Voile, a yard	79c

RED STAR DIAPER CLOTH

20-in. wide, 10-yd. pieces	\$2.70
22-in. wide, 10-yd. pieces	\$2.75
24-in. wide, 10-yd. pieces	\$2.95
30-in. wide, 10-yd. pieces	\$3.25

TOWELING

20c Toweling, a yard	16c
25c Toweling, a yard	20c
35c Toweling, a yard	29c
40c Toweling, a yard	32c
45c Toweling, a yard	37c

TOWELS

20c Huck Towels	16c
25c Huck Towels	19c
40c Huck Towels	31c
60c Huck Towels	45c
75c Huck Towels	59c
35c Turkish Bath Towels	27c
60c Turkish Bath Towels	45c
\$1.25 Turkish Bath Towels	95c

KNIT UNDERWEAR

75c Ladies' Union Suits	59c
85c Ladies' Union Suits	69c
\$1.00 Ladies' Union Suits	79c
75c Ladies' Drawers	59c
85c Ladies' Gauze Vests	26c
65c Ladies' Gauze Vests	59c
Sizes 2 to 13 Years	
50c Children's "Bear" Waists and "Margaret" Waists	39c
35c Children's "Cub" Waists	25c
85c Children's "Bear" Waist Union Suits	69c

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KIDNAPPING DOESN'T PAY.

The death of "Jimmy" Doyle, the kidnapper of Billy Whitla, which occurred last in the penitentiary near Pittsburgh, not only recalls that famous case, but points a clear moral.

Kidnapping, at least in this country, is the most unprofitable business imaginable. We cannot recall any kidnapping scheme that has worked good to anybody, or brought monetary gain to its perpetrators. Either the criminals of this sort have been captured or imprisoned, or they have overreached themselves, and, evading capture, have been forced also to dispose of their youthful victims according to methods known only to themselves.

Thus nobody has profited and everybody concerned has suffered loss. America's most famous kidnapping case, the disappearance of Charley Ross a generation ago, is still unsolved. The boy was never returned to his parents, nor were the criminals reimbursed for their crime. The victim's parents were ruined financially and sent down to early graves.

The Cudahy case ended more happily; the boy was returned to his parents, but the kidnapper made nothing out of it. Dorothy Arnold is still among the missing, and there is no probability that those who caused her disappearance will ever reap the reward they expected.

So far as known, kidnapping never paid except a few isolated cases among the Italian residents in our large cities. Members of the Black Hand have forced blood money of this kind from members of their own race, but they have succeeded chiefly because of the secret feuds aggravated by the refusal of victims to take the civil authorities into their confidence. Payment has been made in some instances, rather than resort to the law and thus incur the enmity of the organization.

Yet sporadic cases of kidnapping occur, and from time to time the country is shocked anew by the repetition of this heartless of all crimes. The death of "Jimmy" Boyle in prison should be a lesson to any one who may seek to enrich himself out of the tears and the pockets of loving parents.

BOYS AND GIRLS ORGANIZING.

A great body of American boys and girls are now considering a national organization. These are the members of agricultural clubs, numbering over half a million children and divided generally among all the states.

Of course, the actual work of clubs may differ with agricultural conditions in different localities. But their aim and ideals are the same anywhere. Their programs are similar; they are financed in the same way; county agents act as guides and directors. In many of the clubs the boys and girls already conduct meetings, have properly elected officers and handle their affairs in a thoroughly competent way.

They seem now to have reached the stage of development at which continued efficiency means the fullest co-operation of all the various units. We may soon therefore, a national association of boys and girls rural clubs. Delegates to a conference would have the advantage of traveling and meeting other boys

lems. Active club members are so proficient now in their own lines that they are able to profit by comparing their work and their methods with those of other clubs. Such a national organization should prove a great impetus to club work everywhere. Parents who still hesitate to share farm profits with the sons or daughters who have shared in farm responsibilities will have their eyes opened and their outlook widened by such an important organization. Most persons will wish the boys and girls all success in this new and broadening enterprise.

MOTORING.

There may not be any "automobile shows" next year. Instead, if the automobile people have their way about it, there will be a "motor car exhibit," or more simply, "motor shows." The aforesaid people are tired of the word, and very likely have a right to be.

The word "automobile" is "awkward and clumsy," one of them complains. "You may shorten it into 'auto,' but then it doesn't sound right."

The term is certainly unsatisfactory. It looks as though it might be French, and very likely did come from France, but it is a mixture of Greek and Latin, "auto," meaning "self," and "mobile," meaning "moving," whereas "self-moving," or "self propelled." Purists say that such "hybrid words" are always bad. This particular hybrid was probably no worse than most of the substitutes first proposed, among such words as "perocar" and "electrobat"—the latter, apparently, having at least the merits of being pure Greek. But "automobile" is long, longer than most of the vehicles it is applied to, and people do not agree on its pronunciation; and while it may serve as a noun, it doesn't sound right as a verb—you don't "automobile," but you either "drive" or resort to some devious substitute.

So the tendency is to adopt the terminology already in vogue in England. The English have a knack of simplifying things, anyway. To make the vehicle in question a "motor car," in general calling it simply a "car," and when they go anywhere in it, they "motor." That ought to be good enough for anybody. On with the "motor show!"

VICTORY STATUES.

The proposed presentation to France of a great statue, to commemorate the French victory at the Marne in 1914, is sure to meet with general approval. France deserves such a testimonial, and it will become America to offer it.

Perhaps we may express a modest hope, however, that when this has been done, France, or England, or both of them, or all of the Allies together, will do something of the same sort to commemorate the second victory of the Marne in which America played a conspicuous, if not a decisive, part. A big American eagle, for example, or else a gigantic American doughboy, standing strong and triumphant at Chateau-Thierry, to remind future generations of Europeans that America was there, and give them something to think about.

America has not sought and does not seek now any special honor or praise from our war associates or the neutral world. It is almost enough merely to feel that we have done our duty. But not quite enough. After all our generous giving of money, blood and toil, we should feel a little more satisfied about it, a little more fully repaid and more certain that the sacrifice was worth while, if Europe gave some such token of generous and thoughtful appreciation as we are giving France.

The male students of the University of Cincinnati have formed an "Apollo Defense league" to resist feminine wiles in this perilous year. If they deserve the name they won't have a chance in the

CLEARING RED TAPE TO ADMIT TREATY

Closure Rule Still in Effect Is Ruling of Vice President Marshall.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Senate leaders, preparing to bring the peace treaty before the Senate for final consideration next week, took up today the problem of clearing away the wreckage of tangled parliamentary red tape which the treaty carried down with it when it failed of ratification last November.

Not the least of their troubles was the closure which was invoked to choke off debate just before the ratification vote and which Vice President Marshall is expected to hold, must come back along with the treaty.

The Senate will have to consider the treaty and the foreign relations committee, a move which parliamentary experts say would automatically rid it of its closure restrictions. If this is done, it probably will be qualified by a stipulation that a report in the form of a committee report, when the report is made the republicans will be ready to present reservations and the democrats to suggest modification in them.

Some senators, however, are strongly adverse to opening the gates to debate when the treaty is introduced and are bringing pressure to bear on the rules committee to act promptly on one of the proposals for modified closure before it. Tonight no meeting of the committee had been called, and the leaders were not hopeful that any action would be possible before Monday.

In case the committee does not act it is possible there may be a move to adopt a closure rule in the Senate without committee consideration. It was said that no definite plan to that end had been evolved.

A statement declaring the receipt of a letter of Viscount Grey and the cablegram of Lloyd George bore out the contentions of the treaty's irreconcilable foes was issued tonight by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho. It says:

"The weakening and injury to the league which some apprehended from the American reservations would not be felt in practice. Thus Viscount Grey disposes of all reservations and renounces them in a utterly ineffective and entirely empty part of it, it is that he is entirely correct."

Those proposed reservations do not protect our independence. They do not protect America at all. They are simply the flimsy excuse for failing to do what it is the plain duty of patriotic Americans to do, and to answer the hearty call to the demand of the foreign governments to surrender our independence.

"The Grey interview and Lloyd George cablegram ought to convince any one that there is just one question involved in this controversy—that should we enter the league or shall we stay out of it. When we enter the league we are there for all purposes and our reservations will never be felt nor even respected."

"It has been known in Washington for weeks before the League convention was entirely satisfactory to the English premier. He would have said so publicly long ago but he did not desire to offend the president. But after an effort to reach the president through Viscount Grey, which failed, and after a full study and after consulting with the great lawyers in London and some in this country, it was concluded that reservations constructed by a political party from whose construction there was no appeal, would be wholly worthless. So Lloyd George called London reservations satisfactory, we want the United States to enter the League. Come into the parlor, said the spider to me. 'I will take my own time in advising you how to get out.'"

Explaining the reference to Premier Lloyd George's League convention, Senator Borah said he understood that such a cablegram as he quoted was sent by the British premier to Viscount Grey early in January. He added that he had been informed that two or more members of the senate had seen the cablegram although he had never seen it himself.

Reports that Premier Lloyd George had set forth his attitude toward proposed American reservations have been current at various times in senate cloakrooms.

NON-PARTISANS WILL HAVE COMPLETE TICKET IN FULL.

By the Associated Press.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 3.—The national Non-Partisan league will place a complete state ticket in the field in Spokane next fall. It was announced here today by J. L. Freeman, state manager of the league.

OPPOSES PLAN OF ARREST OF FORMER HUN BUREAU.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Feb. 3.—Carl Kautsky, who investigated the causes leading to the war, writes in the Berlin Volkszeitung:

before an enemy court would not at all be the danger of a counter revolution, but would add to it. Wilhelm would be made a martyr in the eyes of the German public, to whom he would appear as a man sentenced, not for his crime of that, but for being a German. His popularity would suddenly soar upward tremendously and he might become a dangerous precedent in opposition to the German republic."

Herr Kautsky is of the opinion that the entente powers should not go beyond coercing Holland into appointing a residence for the former emperor on some island where conspirators with his German friends would be very difficult.

RECITE TALES OF MURDER BY MEXICANS

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and a Mexican, started into the Guadalupe district in an automobile. They were halted by a group of Mexicans, a few of whom had at one time worked for the boy's father. The men were taken to a nearby house where the declaration that they were tourists. The husband of the Mexicans fell over their heads and when their bodies were found they bore evidence of having been dragged until life was gone. Ekeke's neck was broken. The Mexican was not killed and it was from him that the father learned the details of his son's death.

"What happened to the Mexicans?" asked Senator Smith.

"They were all accounted for," was the reply.

"Yes, but I mean by what authorities?"

"By the proper authorities, I believe," said the father. "The Villistas got four of them, somebody else got another and then there were four left. They have been accounted for, too."

STAY ON JOB TO PREVENT DANGER TO FLU PATIENTS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Danger that many of the influenza and pneumonia patients might suffer from lack of heat was removed when the threatened strike of 5,000 organized stationary engineers, firemen, silvers and coal passers was called off tonight. The men had planned to cease work tomorrow but Health Commissioner Copeland, who acted as intermediary between the employers and the labor bodies, brought about an adjustment.

AUSTRIA THANKS AMERICA FOR ITS FOOD RELIEF

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Consideration by the United States congress of a law authorizing the loan to Austria has caused immense satisfaction and raised hopes in Vienna. Dr. Reusch, the Austrian finance minister, said to The Associated Press tonight.

Dr. Reusch, accompanied by com-

mercial and financial experts, has come to Paris to appear before the committee on the loan. The minister into detail concerning the supplies Austria can offer for a loan. He conferred with Ambassador Wallace this afternoon.

"What Americans have done already for Austria," he said, "will become part of Austrian history. The younger generation will grow up in the knowledge that it has been saved by American relief."

One of the members of the delegation told The Associated Press that the hand to mouth measures taken since Chancellor Renner was here had furnished enough food to carry them through until March 1.

SAYS HIGH PRICES PEAK REACHED IF NOT PASSED

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Results of the action of the federal reserve system in raising discount rates to 4 per cent, forcing a reduction in outstanding lines of credit, have become evident in the last month, the federal reserve board announced tonight in a summary of the nation's business conditions.

The board expressed the belief "that a peak in high prices and inflation had been approached if not reached."

FRUIT JOBBERS WANT AGRICULTURE EXPERIMENTS

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—The Western Fruit Jobbers association held today's session of its convention at the University of California at Berkeley, where experiments at the college of agriculture.

TOO BUSY TO TALK FIGHT.

SIoux Falls, S. D., Feb. 3.—Inferred that there was "other business of more importance to consider," the local press of the American Legion tonight voted down a motion to pass on the record of Jack Dempsey, world's champion heavyweight boxer.

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LEGION IN FAVOR OF BROAD POLICY

Wash Idaho Favored as a Whole Rather Than Any One Particular Section.

Favoring reclamation in the broadest sense rather than for any one project the Twin Falls post American Legion last night adopted a resolution endorsing any action for reclamation that public officials of the state or government under whose jurisdiction the matters relating to public lands may undertake. The post pledged its hearty support to whatever projects these officials may approve and whatever plans they believe should be followed.

Adoption of the resolution followed a short address by M. J. Sweeley, chairman of the reclamation bureau of the Twin Falls chamber of commerce, who explained that the chamber of commerce had deemed it inadvisable to arouse controversies over this or that project. He declared that such action would ultimately lead to such dissension that no lands whatever would be reclaimed.

Following is the resolution: Whereas certain posts of the American Legion in the state have recently taken action in regard to the reclamation enterprise generally known as the Brunson project, and for reasons thereof publicly they have declared against the carrying out of existing plans relating thereto; their opposition being to a large extent based on the lack of laws and regulations giving preference to rights to returned service men and women; and

Whereas the matter has been taken up, discussed and considered by the members of this post. Now, therefore, be it resolved by the members of Twin Falls post No. 7, of the American Legion as follows:

That we strongly urge that in relation to all matters which look to the reclamation of public lands, whether by government or state aid or private capital, laws and regulations be so changed and applied as to insure preferential rights as to entries to returned service men and women, with times and amounts of payments as fixed as to make it practicable to acquire lands and water rights and pay therefor by the returns therefrom;

That while urging and hoping

for the desired favors we realize that under existing conditions these cannot be immediately extended, and if our wishes in this regard stand in the way of the early and substantial development of the resources of our state we willingly waive them in behalf of the public good;

Our although we entertain our own notions as to what portions of the state can be reclaimed and what projects should be favored, we believe that notwithstanding relating to them which give rise to local and sectional animosities and criticisms, will retard the progress of our state and make probable the defeat of the very measures in which we are all vitally interested.

That our loyalty to the state of Idaho as a whole and our interest in its general welfare prompt us to declare our entire confidence in the public officials of the state and nation under whose jurisdiction the matters relating to reclamation of public lands, and pledge our hearty support to whatever projects they adopt and whatever plans they believe should be followed.

The meeting of the post was largely attended. Several other matters were brought up for discussion. Dr. Swartz, public health officer, was present and explained the situation regarding compensation.

The next meeting to be held February 17, will be featured with a social and musical. Ray Brown was named as chairman of this committee.

JOHNSON GETS APPOINTMENT.

Word was received here yesterday that E. S. Johnson, chairman of the roads and bridges bureau of the Twin Falls chamber of commerce, has been appointed a member of the federal highway council. This council will work to secure a continuance of federal aid for road building throughout the country.

CAMPAIN PROGRESSING.

The drive which the war department is conducting for the recruiting service, is progressing. All men assigned to the local recruiting district left this morning to canvass the smaller towns in the vicinity of Twin Falls. After several days in the small towns the force will assemble in Twin Falls to finish the drive.

KELLY MOVES ON.

Marlin Kelly, frequent visitor to the county jail as a guest of city or county officials, after a spree was yesterday ordered to leave Twin Falls after acknowledging his guilt to drunk and disorderly charge.

DISCONTINUANCE OF TESTS IS OPPOSED

Agricultural Bureau Urges Retention of Dr. Falloon in Work Here.

Information that the department of agriculture had decided to discontinue tuberculosis testing of cattle in Twin Falls county which was resolved here yesterday was quickly countered by the agricultural bureau of the chamber of commerce. Last evening telegrams were sent to Secretary of Commerce Meredith, Addison T. Smith and others in Washington asking for a reconsideration of the action.

Dr. W. A. Falloon has been in Twin Falls county for several months testing the cattle of this section. His work has been highly satisfactory to the dairymen and stock raisers, but the tests have not been completed at the recent auction at McMaster's place near all cattle sold were disposed of an tuberculin tested with a result pronounced within a specified time. This retesting would be done by Dr. Falloon or his successor in the ordinary course of events. If the tests are abandoned in this county it will be necessary to hire a veterinarian to make the tests.

The telegram forwarded to Congressman Smith which is similar to the others published follows:

Great injustice is being done by unwarranted elimination of government tuberculin testing by Dr. W. A. Falloon, Twin Falls county. Every farmer and organization requires continuance. This county noted for great number valuable pure bred animals. We are informed appropriation is made, but for some reason we are cut off. Kindly reply.

ADDRESSERS ROGERSON MEETING.

H. F. Sheehan, state seed commissioner, addressed a meeting of farmers at the Rogerson school last night at the Rogerson school house. Alfalfa seed growing has become an important industry in the Rogerson section.

MASONS TO MEET TONIGHT.

A regular convocation of the Twin Falls convocation A. F. and A. M. will be held tonight at the Mascoe temple.

A. N. AND C. BOARD TO INVESTIGATE JACK DEMPSEY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—An investigation of Jack Dempsey's war record will be made at his request by the

army, navy and civilian board of boxing control which announced tonight that a committee had been appointed to consider evidence. The first meeting will be held February 1. It was stated, when it will be decided whether the champion will be asked to appear in person or submit a sworn statement.

The committee will include Alfred L. Marley, counsel to the board, Major Anthony J. Drosel, United States board, Malcolm E. Raycroft of Princeton, and John S. Smith, of the New Jersey boxing commission. Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt declined to serve because of business duties.

FOOTBALL PUT AWAY FOR AWHILE AT HARVARD

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Football at Harvard was officially put away until next fall tonight when the Harvard club gave a dinner in honor of the 1919 season. Gold footballs were presented to the players and the members of the coaching and training staffs.

Frederick Roy Martin of New York, assistant general manager of the Associated Press, was toastmaster. He read congratulatory telegram from President Campbell of the University of Oregon, the Harvard club of California, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Charlie Chaplin, and the management of the Oregon eleven.

DECLARE CONDITIONS IN IRELAND ARE INTOLERABLE

By the Associated Press.

DUBLIN, Feb. 3.—The Dublin Corporation has adopted a resolution directing the attention of the peoples of other countries to "the intolerable conditions under which the Irish people labor, instigated by arrests and deportations without trial of three members of the council under acting the war."

A continuance of this state of affairs, the resolution says, "would not be justified unless on the assumption that a state of war existed between Ireland and England."

POLAND MAKE PEACE WITH RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIKI

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The question whether Poland should conclude peace with the Bolsheviks has been made the subject of recent conversation between Poland and the allies. While the exact position of the allies remain somewhat obscure, it is asserted in diplomatic quarters that the allies have raised no objections to such a course.

FORD'S OPPONENT SAYS HE WAS WORKED

Urged to Run in Primaries by Republicans He Tells Jury in Newberry Case.

CHAND RAPID, Mich., Feb. 3.—Proceeded by an appeal to the jury by James W. Helme, candidate for United States senator in the 1918 democratic primary, the first evidence was introduced today in the Newberry election conspiracy trial.

Helme's appearance was unheralded. It followed a statement by James O. Muffin, who opened for the defense, that Helme had been "worked" by the Newberry campaign committee into making the race against Tommie Ford, Helme explained to the jury that this was done to prevent democratic votes being cast for Ford in the republican primary.

"I was worked" as Mr. Muffin told you," said Helme. "I am making this statement because I seem to occupy a position apart from the other defendants, but the record is a bit humiliating."

Helme said that Samuel O'Neil, another defendant and who was state treasurer in 1918, told him that if he "beat Ford in the democratic primary and Ford won the republican nomination, the republican nomination would go to me in the general election."

Helme concluded with an explanation that his motive was "to eliminate one of the millionaires from the campaign."

"Spending money in a campaign may be legal, but I am an idealist and hold it to be a moral wrong," he said. After some legal skirmishing the introduction of testimony started. Two witnesses were called today, J. G. Hayden, Washington correspondent of the Detroit News, and James P. Swoinheart, head of the paper's New York bureau. Swoinheart related that Frederick Cody, conversing in New York with the Newberry candidacy had said: "It will be a great time for the boys in Michigan because they will spend a barrel of money."

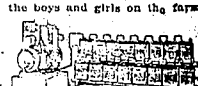
Frank C. Duller, assistant attorney general, immediately ran down the curtain for the day. Hayden testified to conversations in December, 1917, with both Cody and Truman H. Newberry, then a lieutenant commander in the navy. He said on direct examination that Cody tried to hire him as campaign manager for Newberry. On cross examination by Martin V. Littleton, he agreed that the job was that of a "political sec-

retary," with headquarters and duties of examining sentiment in Michigan. Hayden said Cody told him that Newberry was "immensely wealthy but that he had advised both Cody and Newberry not to make a "barral campaign." He said Newberry agreed with him and they mentioned the Mitchell majority campaign in New York and the Horrick campaign in Ohio as examples of "wasted expenditure."

EXCLUDE POSSIBILITY OF TENNIS ASSOCIATIONS UNITING

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Sentiment of tennis players abroad opposes possibility of changes in rules which will be acted upon at the meeting of the United States Lawn Tennis association. The English association suggests that action on the proposed changes be postponed until the national association has decided whether to join the international federation. Possibility of the American organization entering the international federation is slight, S. Wallis Morrish, chairman of the rules committee, declared tonight and "therefore," he added, "it seems a waste of time to delay action on that account."

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ANOTHER SLUMP IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Commodities and Other Markets Feel Effect of Drop—Affects Foreign Trade.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Another sensational slump in foreign exchange today unsettled prices on the stock exchange and the various commodity markets, especially those trading in foodstuffs and cotton. The decline was the most severe in the history of the sustained reaction of international credits and was attended by many disquieting rumors, especially as to the probable effect on this country's foreign trade.

There is no way by which the extent of today's operations in the exchange market can be computed, but the aggregate of sales probably return to hundreds of millions of dollars. British and French bills providing the bulk of the offerings.

Some dealers in exchange, probably as a measure of precaution, declined

to accept bills on any European center, except subject to collection rates. This policy was not adopted by the larger dealers and banking institutions, however, and overnight purchases continued on the exchange.

Today's reversal, which established new low records for London, Paris, Rome, Antwerp and many less important centers also took in one or more of the British dominions. As an instance of the movement mentioned, exchange on New York at Montreal was quoted at premium of 13 1/2 cents, or one cent over the previous high rate.

The reverse side of the exchange situation was presented by a withdrawal of about \$17,000,000 gold from the sub-treasury for shipment to South America, which continues to be favored by trade conditions.

In the stock market there were heavy dealings at variable declines in American securities presumably of foreign ownership. It was assumed that the present exchange situation had taken on more ominous aspect but in no high quarter was any immediate readjustment regarded as probable.

There were many conferences during the day between financial interests and exporters. Shippers also were vitally concerned in the situation, which is believed to have caused many cancellations of outbound tonnage.

At the lowest rate, issued after the close of the market, the British pound was quoted at \$3.33, against a parity of \$4.85, 50c, or a discount of almost 32 per cent.

French and Belgian francs and Italian bills, all quoted at the one price of 5.18 1/2 to the American dollar, before the war, today fell to new low levels at 14.44, 14.50 and 17.52, respectively, to the dollar.

BROTHER TAKES BLAME FROM SISTER FOR MAN'S MURDER

By the Associated Press.
MARYSVILLE, Cal., Jan. 30.—Frederick A. McCormick, formerly of Maline, Ore., testified today in the trial of his sister, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, charged with the murder of Charles Brown, a rancher, that he shot Brown.

McCormick also charged with the murder, said he had accused Brown of intimacy with Mrs. J. Howard, one of McCormick's wives, and that Brown denied the charge. Later, after a dispute, McCormick testified

that Brown fired a revolver at him the bullet entering his cheek, and that he obtained a rifle in a shed and shot Brown.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Explaining that the bureau of immigration had under consideration plans for sending undesirable out of the country in the future in small detachments, Commissioner General Caminetti said today it was probable that no more "revolt arde" similar to the one which would leave the United States, Altona ordered deported, the commissioner explained, must be sent to the countries from which they came to the United States. If it is found less expensive to send the many radicals recently arrested out of the country in small groups about regular passenger ships, Caminetti said, such a course would be followed.

Deportation by the small group method is going on constantly, the commissioner asserted and since last June a total of 1,400 aliens have been sent from the United States.

Both Taylor and Dolson are scheduled to go to trial on charges of criminal syndicalism. Taylor denied that the communist labor party had adopted the third communist manifesto, drawn up at Moscow and counseling "direct action," though he admitted that the American faction of the communist labor party in a branch had adopted its principles and that the branch receiving a charter from the national organization had shared in such affirmation.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—By unanimous vote, the house immigration committee today labeled a resolution by Representative Hunspeith, Democrat, Texas, which would have permitted the temporary bringing in of Mexican farm laborers to work in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. The measure was endorsed by beef sugar growers of 10 states, who declared that there was a great shortage of labor and that immigration laws should be temporarily set aside to relieve the situation.

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By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Orders not to strike but to remain at work until ordered to walk out were sent to unions of sugar plantation workers on the islands of Kauai, Maui and Hawaii by the Federation of Japanese Labor. It was announced at the federation's headquarters here today.

Officers of the federation said Japanese and Filipinos at the Waimanalo sugar plantation, island of Oahu, struck today, leaving Waimanalo the only one out of seven plantations on this island operating.

It is estimated that 7,500 Japanese and Filipinos on the island of Oahu, but which Honolulu is located, are striking.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Passport fees would be increased to \$10 and the charge for vining of alien passports to \$4.00, after May 1, under a bill introduced today by Representative Porter, republican, Pennsylvania, chairman of the foreign affairs committee. Mr. Porter estimated

that \$2,878,888 would accrue to the state department from the increased fees, and \$4,878,888 from fees in the consular service.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Explaining that the bureau of immigration had under consideration plans for sending undesirable out of the country in the future in small detachments, Commissioner General Caminetti said today it was probable that no more "revolt arde" similar to the one which would leave the United States, Altona ordered deported, the commissioner explained, must be sent to the countries from which they came to the United States. If it is found less expensive to send the many radicals recently arrested out of the country in small groups about regular passenger ships, Caminetti said, such a course would be followed.

Deportation by the small group method is going on constantly, the commissioner asserted and since last June a total of 1,400 aliens have been sent from the United States.

Both Taylor and Dolson are scheduled to go to trial on charges of criminal syndicalism. Taylor denied that the communist labor party had adopted the third communist manifesto, drawn up at Moscow and counseling "direct action," though he admitted that the American faction of the communist labor party in a branch had adopted its principles and that the branch receiving a charter from the national organization had shared in such affirmation.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—By unanimous vote, the house immigration committee today labeled a resolution by Representative Hunspeith, Democrat, Texas, which would have permitted the temporary bringing in of Mexican farm laborers to work in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. The measure was endorsed by beef sugar growers of 10 states, who declared that there was a great shortage of labor and that immigration laws should be temporarily set aside to relieve the situation.

The committee by the same vote, also tabled a substitute providing for the removal of the head tax and literacy test in contract labor conditions so far as they apply to Mexico, Canada, Porto Rico, and West Indian countries. An amendment to make these exemptions apply to European countries also was tabled.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Orders not to strike but to remain at work until ordered to walk out were sent to unions of sugar plantation workers on the islands of Kauai, Maui and Hawaii by the Federation of Japanese Labor. It was announced at the federation's headquarters here today.

Officers of the federation said Japanese and Filipinos at the Waimanalo sugar plantation, island of Oahu, struck today, leaving Waimanalo the only one out of seven plantations on this island operating.

It is estimated that 7,500 Japanese and Filipinos on the island of Oahu, but which Honolulu is located, are striking.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Passport fees would be increased to \$10 and the charge for vining of alien passports to \$4.00, after May 1, under a bill introduced today by Representative Porter, republican, Pennsylvania, chairman of the foreign affairs committee. Mr. Porter estimated

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By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Holding that the arena of departed spirit was a "black" was insufficient evidence to prove violation of the prohibition laws, Assistant District Attorney Wiley late today ordered the release of Charles Thomas, a banker, who was arrested Saturday night in a "black."

An English inventor filters the scratching and metallic sounds from phonographic music by passing it through more than 50 feet of tin tubing filled with peas.

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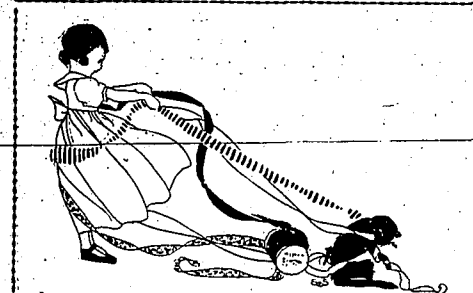
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SEE KTO LEARN RIGHTS UNDF RW AMENDMENT

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Governor Milliken and Attorney General Sullivan of Maine, conferred with Charles E. Hughes here today, to learn the rights of state which ratified the prohibition amendment to the constitution, while "Rhode Island is trying to find out from the United States supreme court the rights of those which did not ratify it."

This was the only comment Governor Milliken would make on his purpose in taking counsel with Mr. Hughes, although he added, the explanation that "if there is a chance to put another stone on John Barleycorn's grave, I'm for it."

The governor declined to discuss the announcement which preceded his visit that he had asked the governors of more than a score of states to meet him for the conference with Mr. Hughes. The understanding was that Mr. Milliken had asked concerted action on the part of the governors of states which have referendum clauses in their constitution.

MISS KNOWLES ADMITTED TO MARRY GUY SPIKER

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Miss Emily Knowles was released from Ellis Island today and left for Fall River, Mass., with her baby, Paul River Spiker, wife of the father of the child, and Guy Spiker, Percy Spiker's brother, whom she has promised to wed.

Eighty days ago, a \$1,000 liberty bond was posted for the release of Miss Knowles by Mrs. Spiker, who invited the English girl to make her home in Baltimore with her and her husband.

Immigration Commissioner VMI announced that Miss Knowles must be delivered to her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy in Fall River, before she may be married. This upset plans for an immediate wedding and Guy Spiker, who had proposed and been accepted earlier in the day, decided to go to Fall River where the ceremony may be performed tomorrow.

The baby, who has been named Alfred Ray Knowles, will be five months old the day after tomorrow.

HELP DRAFT EVADERS: GET HITCH AT MUEL

By the Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Sentence of Frank P. Howenstein to ten years and of Edw. Kennedy to eleven years in the federal penitentiary at McNeil's Island from the federal district court at Los Angeles for violating the espionage act was affirmed today by the United States court of appeals.

Howenstein, a Los Angeles optician, and Mrs. Kennedy were charged with conspiring to impart the eyesight of recruits for Camp Lewis so that they would be rejected for military service. Men about to be inducted into service, it was charged, were given eye glasses, which so affected their sight that they were unfit for the army.

A. E. F. BOXER WINS.
 By the Associated Press.
NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 2.—Gone Tunney, light heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., knocked out Al Roberts of Staten Island in the final round of an eight-round bout at the First regiment armory tonight.

Eddie Fitzsimmons, New York lightweight, out fought Jimmy Duffy of Lockport in an eight-round contest.

PROHIBIT FOREIGN DEALINGS

By the Associated Press.
BRUSSELS, Feb. 2.—The Belgian government has signed a law prohibiting dealings in foreign currencies, except in bonds.

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Market News

Live Stock

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Hogs.—Receipts 38,000; estimated tomorrow 29,000. Market mostly 10c to 15c lower. Bulk of sales, \$15.00@15.25; heavy, \$14.00@15.10; light, \$15.00@15.25; medium, \$14.50@15.10; extra, \$14.00@15.00; light, \$14.75@15.10; heavy packing sows smooth, \$13.50@14.25; packing sows rough, \$13.50@14.25; pigs, \$14.00@14.75.

Cattle—Receipts 18,000; estimated tomorrow 10,000. Market weak. Beef steers, medium and heavy, choice and common, \$15.00@15.25; heavy, \$15.25@15.50; common and medium, \$15.75@16.25; butcher cattle, halfers, \$8.75@9.25; cows, \$8.00@11.00; canners and cutters, \$5.50@6.00; veal calves, \$17.50@19.00; toadfoot steers, \$10.00@12.00; stocker steers, \$7.50@10.75.

Sheep—Receipts 19,000; estimated tomorrow 15,000. Market lower. Lambs, 84 pounds down, \$17.00@17.75; culls and common, \$14.50@16.75; ewes, medium, good and choice, \$14.00@15; culls and common, \$8.50@9.50.

Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Collapse of foreign exchange, although at first today in the corn market, came after an evident source of depression. Corn closed unsettled, 1-2c to 1-1/2c net lower, with May 134 1-2 to 134 3-4 and July 131 1-4 to 131 1-2. Outa lost one cent to 1-5-8 and provisions to 1/2c.

It was not until the last part of the session that the word was received of attempts to cancel export sales of oats and rye that the corn market showed any important effects of the extraordinary breaks in exchange. Then the selling pressure on corn, scattered here and there, was not only there were signs of general liquidation. The stubbornness with which during the earlier trading the market had been sustained was due largely to insistent talk that export business in and that the price of livestock was as much larger than had been supposed that the feeding demand would absorb any surplus.

On the corn crop way in the end despite initial strength. Market was described to demoralization of exchange. Provisions were heavy from the outset. The bearish aspects of the monthly cost statement as well as financial conditions were chiefly responsible.

SEEKS \$500,000 FROM BAN JOHNSON

Big Damage Suit Is Filed Against League Head By Yankees

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Complaints in a half million dollar damage suit were served today by the New York American league club against B. Bancroft Johnson, president of the American league.

Action was started against Johnson, at the time of the American league meeting on December 30, when a check of \$500,000 was served on Johnson and his five loyal club owners, Connie Mack, Philadelphia; Clark Griffith, Washington; Frank Navin, Detroit; Philip Ball, St. Louis, and James Dunn, Cleveland. Complaints were also served today on these five managers in one of three suits brought against Johnson.

In the first suit, the New York club demands damages of \$500,000 payable on Johnson on the ground that he "conceived the idea of driving the New York club out of baseball and to this end did various acts injurious to the New York club, including the suspension of Mays, and by erroneous statements influenced the Giants to write, refusing to continue permission to the Yankees to use the Polo grounds after 1920, and by making public the plans which the New York club presented for the acquisition of a new site, and the acquisition of an advantageous term."

The complaint also contains extracts of a letter written by Johnson to his five "loyal" club owners dated August 8, 1919, and marked "personal and confidential." The extracts are as follows:

"It is my judgment that they should be retained from our organization. I am sure other owners are interested in the proposition and that a satisfactory arrangement can be made with the present owners of the New York Nationals."

In the second suit, the New York club prays for a judgment restraining Johnson from paying to himself or receiving out of the funds of the American league any salary or compensation either as president, secretary or treasurer of the American league, and requiring him to account for and restore with interest all sums he may have taken as salary since the annual meeting of the league in December 1919.

"The third suit, which is against Johnson and his five so-called 'loyal' club owners asks that they be restrained from 'doing any further acts in aid of what is said to be the purpose and plan of the defendant Johnson to injure the New York club and to drive it out of baseball."

This complaint also asks for the appointment of a receiver and for an injunction during the pendency of this action.

Justice Verplanck M. Davis of the New York supreme court, today signed an order for the taking in Cleveland of the testimony of James C. Dunn, president, Walter McNichols, secretary, and E. S. Brinard, business manager of the Cleveland baseball club, and requiring the club to produce for inspection its minute books, stock books and other records concerning the financial interest of Ban

Johnson in the Cleveland club, and concerning his participation in its affairs.

MAKES PUBLIC GENERAL WOOD CAMPAIGNERS

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The organization of Major General Leonard Wood national campaign committee was announced tonight at Wood headquarters, as follows:

William C. Prepper, Ohio, chairman; J. J. McGraw, republican, national committee man of Arizona, vice chairman; Fred Stanley, Kansas, vice chairman and western manager; A. A. Sprague, Illinois, treasurer; H. C. Stebbins, New York, eastern treasurer.

Executive committee: Norman J. Gould, eastern manager; Thomas W. Miller, assistant eastern manager; George H. Moses, Washington and southern manager.

General committee: Allen B. Jones, republican, national committee man of Arizona; H. O. Burman, republican, national committee man of New Mexico; Will C. Cook, republican national committee man of South Dakota; Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, Minnesota; Governor H. J. Allen, Kansas; W. H. King, republican state chairman of South Dakota; Gustaf Lindquist, republican state chairman of Michigan; Senator George Alger, Michigan; Mrs. Douglas Robinson, New York; Miss Harriet E. Vittum, Illinois; Miss Maude Wetmore, Rhode Island; Miss Julia Ann Canning, New York; Mrs. W. W. Morgan, Kansas; Miss Orace Dixon, Illinois; Chas. G. Chamberlain, New York; George H. Moses, New Hampshire; Colonel John C. Greenway, Arizona; Irwin H. Kirkwood, Missouri; Harold M. Sewall, Maine; William H. Tunyon, New Jersey; Governor O. H. Shoup, Colorado; Thomas W. Miller, Delaware; Governor Foster Norbeck, South Dakota; Theodore Roosevelt, New York; Carl E. Milliken, Maine; Herbert S. Hadley, Colorado; James R. Garfield, Ohio; E. C. Stokes, New Jersey.

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Rye—No. 2, \$1.54.

Barley—\$1.25@1.65.

Timothy Seed—\$10.50@14.50.

Clover Seed—\$45@50c.

Port—Normal.

Lord—\$21@25.

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MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 3.—Flour unchanged.

Barley—\$1.21@1.44.

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Hrs—\$48.15.

Corn—\$1.43@1.45.

Oats—\$33@35 1/2.

Flax—\$6.25@6.35.

WEAR AND GOULD GO INTO THE SEMIPALIN

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.—J. W. Wear and Jay Gould, Philadelphia, defeated Cramer Roberts and Charles E. Bromley, also of Philadelphia, in the semi-final round in the national amateur rifle doubles championship held here by the scores of 15-5; 15-5; 15-5; 15-14.

Wear and Gould will meet Pell and MacIntyre of New York for the title tomorrow.

BORDEN TO ENGLAND

MONTREAL, Feb. 2.—Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, accompanied by Admiral Lord Jellicoe, will arrive at Portsmouth England, tomorrow morning on the battleship New Zealand, for a visit of about a month. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine, announced tonight.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Potatoes weak; arrivals 41 cars; Northern, \$4.25@4.50 in carlots. Western tubers, jobbing, 45.

Butter unsettled; creamery 60@62c. Eggs, lower; receipts 10,211 cases; firms, 52c; ordinary firms, 42@48c; at market, cases included, 60@61c; refrigerator firms 35@45c. Poultry—Alive, higher; springs, 35c; fowls, 36c.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Bless of Liberty bonds at 3:55 p. m. today were: 3 1/2% 1991; first 4 1/2% 1912; second 4 1/2% 1913; first 4 1/2% 1913; second 4 1/2% 1914; third 4 1/2% 1914; fourth 4 1/2% 1915; Victory 4 1/2% 1918; Victory 4 1/2% 1918.

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By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Details of the war department's stand against the planned sale by the shipping board of a number of former German passenger vessels included in the program for the army transport reserve, are expected to be brought out tomorrow before the senate commerce committee.

Brigadier General Hines, chief of the transport service, and R. A. Dean, general counsel of the shipping board, will appear before the committee.

Chairman Payne explained tonight that Secretary Baker's proposal affected only eight of the 34 liners for which only proposals of purchase have been received and that the board still is considering the bids to determine if they represent fair market prices. Some officials are inclined to believe that none of the proposals will be accepted, but the vessels will be offered for sale in the open market.

APPROVE IRISH REPUBLIC

By the Associated Press.

PRENTON, N. J., Feb. 3.—After being a brief session by the 15th day of the New Jersey assembly to consider a resolution asking the federal government to extend

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DANIELS SAYS SIMS CHARGES ARE BASELESS

Naval Secretary Spends Two Hours Explaining His Side of Decorations Awards.

RECITES REASONS FOR MAKING MANY CHANGES

Declares Admiral's Personal Differences With Subordinate to Blame for Much of Agitation.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Secretary Daniels made formal answer today to criticism by Rear Admiral William S. Sims and others, of the policy followed in awarding war decorations. Appearing before the senate sub-committee investigating the awards, Mr. Daniels reaffirmed the views which led him to alter some of the recommendations for awards, supporting his contentions with a long carefully prepared statement going into the medal situation in detail.

Holds to Medal Controversy.

Other charges made by Admiral Sims as to the preparation of the navy at the start of the war and the degree of co-operation with allied admirals were not taken up directly, Mr. Daniels confining his testimony wholly to the medal controversy.

When the secretary concluded, Chairman Huls adjourned the hearing until Friday to permit committee members to study Mr. Daniels' statement. The secretary at several points in the two and a half-hour reading of his statement showed considerable feeling, particularly when he countered the assertions of Admiral Sims that the American navy "did no fighting during the war."

In this connection Mr. Daniels vigorously pounding the table told the committee that it was well that Admiral Sims had not made such an assertion to the men operating American vessels in the war zone for if he had the world would have had a revolt in his own command.

At another point, the secretary departed from his written statement to declare that Admiral Sims, as a result of personal differences with Admiral H. B. Wilson, former commander of American naval forces off the French coast, had omitted Wilson's name from the list of officers recommended for distinguished service medals.

Confined to Statement.

The secretary's testimony for the most part, however, was confined to the prepared statement in which he took up point by point statements before the sub-committee by Admiral Sims and dwelled at considerable length on the two major disagreements voted by the admiral namely, the awarding of decorations to officers who lost their ships through submarine attacks or mines, and the relative importance of shore and sea duty.

On the second point of importance of sea service as compared to service ashore, Mr. Daniels said he had not, and would never "approve a disparity, between awards given men who served on shore as compared with those who went to sea."

Admiral Sims, he asserted, probably advocated high awards for many officers who served on staff duty ashore and few awards for officers who went to sea, because "most of Admiral Sims' duty in the navy has been on shore."

Turning to the second fundamental difference between his views and those of Admiral Sims, Secretary Daniels said that many other admirals of the navy and the War Department had established a precedent that such officers of ships torpedoed or mined should be decorated whenever their conduct was meritorious and reflected credit on the service.

He cited at length from accounts of naval actions during all of the wars the United States has been engaged in to support his contention that the policy of decorating brave officers, even though they lost their ships, was established early in American naval history and always had been followed.

Morale Not Shot to Pieces.

Concluding his testimony with a denial of Admiral Sims' charge that "brave morale had been shot to pieces" through the method followed in awarding honors, the secretary declared that there was nothing the matter with the morale of the navy except a shortage of enlisted men and insufficient pay for the officers and men. "Making a plea for immediate action that would increase

navy pay, to a status "at least comparable with the pay given men holding positions of similar responsibility in civilian life," the secretary said that if such action were taken, the country would "soon learn that there is nothing the matter with the navy."

AMERICAN AIRMEN ARE STILL HELD BY MEXICANS

By the Associated Press. DOUGLASS, Ariz., Feb. 3.—Lieutenants L. M. Wolfe and G. L. Wheeler, twelve Aero squadrons who were captured by Mexicans after a forced landing in their airplane Monday morning at La Nereia, 16 miles south of Nacozari, Sonora, had not been released late today.

Late arrivals today from Nacozari said it was believed by Nacozari that the prisoners had been taken to the scene of the airplane accident where they were taken today by Mexican officials for examination. Two telegrams addressed to Colonel Manuel Mesa, commander of the state police in whose custody the American captives are held, it is believed one of these may contain orders for their release.

Lieutenant Wolfe's home is in Attica, Ohio, and Lieutenant Wheeler's residence is New York City. A dispatch from Nacozari today indicated the aviators had been released from blame in flying over Mexican territory.

HUN VESSEL SOLD BY U. S. SHIPPING BOARD

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Coincident with the explanation of Brigadier General Hines, chief of the army department, to the senate committee of the war department's attitude toward the sale of former German liners, the shipping board today announced the sale of the Mercury, one of the 30 former German ships for which the board recently received bids. The Mercury, however, is not one of the vessels against the sale of which the war department protested.

The Mercury, a vessel of 10,300 dead-weight tons, was sold to Charles C. A. Pitsch, of the American international bureau of supplies of New York. The purchase price was not made public.

HINES JUSTIFIES RAISE IN RAILROAD RATES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Warning that immediate consideration of rates to sustain the credit of the companies would be inevitable on return of the railroads to private control, Hines, in a statement tonight by Director General Hines addressed to newspaper editors of the country of whom he asked careful study of the railroad problem. The railroad problem is asserted by the director general to be so complex and so important that it deserves an "honest-minded analysis" of any and all plans or efforts at solution.

REVOLUTIONISTS GAIN CONTROL OF VLADIVOSTOK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Another revolution has occurred in Vladivostok, the Siberian port which the American expeditionary forces are being returned home.

Major General Graves, in a message dated January 31, received today, reported that the outbreak was purely local and that the revolutionists were in control of the city. Armed troops were patrolling the streets to protect citizens and prevent robbery.

The platform announced by the revolutionists, the general said, declares against civil war in Siberia and for the end of foreign interference in Siberian affairs.

PREDICTS MORE STATES TO MAKE PEACE WITH RUSS

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 3.—"The first step counts," said Maxim Litvinoff, Bolshevik representative in an interview with the Social Demokrat. "Lithuania is the first country at peace with soviet Russia and this is of great importance. Other border states will probably have to follow suit, though the orient and Polish reactionaries are spreading alarms with the view of impressing Poland that she is on the verge of being invaded by soviet Russia."

SAYS SOCIALIST SPAT ON U.S. FLAG

Young Brooklyn Stenographer Makes Charge Against Suspended Assemblyman.

By the Associated Press. ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 3.—A Brooklyn stenographer, Ellen B. Chivers, today testified at the assembly judiciary committee's trial of the five suspended socialist assemblymen that she had seen one of them—Charles Solomon—spit upon the American flag in war time.

There was a burst of applause from the crowded chamber when the girl explained that she had volunteered her testimony in a letter to Speaker T. C. Sweet, "because I think it the duty of any American to take the stand against one who has committed treason against their country."

The girl, prompted by an occasional question, told her story in the following words: "I remember that in the summer of 1917 a detachment of soldiers came to Ninth street and Sixth avenue, Brooklyn, for the purpose of calling for volunteers and they asked Mr. Solomon (who was delivering a street corner address), if they might borrow his platform for that purpose. Mr. Solomon replied:

"Lend you my platform? Can you borrow my platform? Huh, the gutter is good enough for you. I would not let you wipe your dirty feet on it."

Keeping her gaze fixed on Solomon, the girl testified that a few minutes later a band came along and struck up "The Star Spangled Banner."

"Mr. Solomon turned up his coat collar, put on his hat, pulled it off his ears, spat on the American flag and sat down," she concluded.

The girl's story tonight brought from Mr. Solomon a statement deny-

ing that he had made the remarks attributed to him, asserting that never in his life had he ever shown any disrespect to the American flag and declaring that it was inconceivable any member of the New York police force would stand indifferently by while a person publicly insulted the American flag.

On cross-examination, the girl testified that, although a member of the American Anti-Socialist league, she had not told her fellow members of the Solomon incident. The chair sustained an objection to a question as to why she had not done so and why she had not mentioned the affair until nearly three years after it had occurred.

Asked by members of the judiciary committee, sitting as a court why she didn't ask the policemen she said were present to arrest Solomon if she thought his acts treasonable, Miss Chivers replied:

"There were others who did, but the police refused to do it."

Peter W. Collins, a former Boston labor leader and now director of the reconstruction and employment service being carried on by the Knights of Columbus, was on the stand for nearly three hours this morning.

WANT PUBLIC TO HAVE THE BALANCE OF POWER

By the Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—A resolution urging that the public should have the balance of power on an arbitration board to which all railroad disputes involving the possibility of a strike should be referred were adopted by the special convention of the American Institute of Meat Packers here today.

BOLSHEVIKI RECOGNIZE ESTHONIAN INDEPENDENCE

By the Associated Press. REVAL, Feb. 3.—The Russo-Esthonian peace treaty provides for full recognition of Esthonia's independence. The soviet government announced all sovereignty over Esthonia and in the event that Esthonia's neutrality is recognized internationally, the soviet government is bound to participate in the maintenance of that neutrality.

Both parties to the treaty renounce claims to compensation for war expenditures. The treaty provides that prisoners will be repatriated shortly by both parties to the compact. Russia is to pay Esthonia 16,000,000 rubles in gold. There are to be no customs or transit charges to be fixed on goods by either country.

Under the treaty Esthonia is given the privilege to construct a railway to Moscow from the Esthonian frontier and permission to purchase 2,600,000 acres of wood land. The soviet government is accorded the right of deriving electricity from the rapids of the Narova river.

LODGE ADDS BIT TO MYSTERY WIRELESS CHATTER

By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3.—Sir Oliver Lodge, the British scientist today added his bit to the concurrent discussion on inter-planetary communication and suggested a novel method of attracting the attention of the inhabitants of Mars.

"Nonsense" was his comment when asked if he thought it possible to communicate with other planets by wireless telegraphy.

"It would be possible to describe an immense geometrical figure, say on the Sahara desert," he said, "and then if the inhabitants of Mars are of a high order of intelligence it is possible that with their powerful means of magnification they might be able to distinguish the figure and determine

that it had been the work of man. Geometry is an universal science and it is not unlikely that if they are of a higher order of intelligence than we, they would interpret the gigantic figure as an artificial communication."

"ASTONISHING WASTE" CHARGE AGAINST CO.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Reckless extravagance in the construction of the government nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, was charged in a report by Colonel Fred H. Wagner, formerly director of operations at the plant, filed today with the house war expenditures committee.

Of all evidence presented to the committee since its investigation was begun months ago, the Wagner charges went deeper into detail, filling more than 100 pages and touching on every possible phase of the building and operation of the seventy million dollar war project. It was too much for Chairman Graham to read in a day but he declared the conclusions revealed "astounding conditions."

VISITORS ARE PROHIBITED FROM YERBA BUENA ISLAND

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Visitors are prohibited at the San Francisco naval training station on Yerba Buena Island near here, in an order issued today, as a means of combating influenza. Forty cases of the malady are reported at the station. The disease has claimed eight lives there since appearing several weeks ago. All the cases are classed as "mild."

BELIEVE 27 KILLED IN WRECK IN LOUISIANA

CLAYTON, La., Feb. 3.—Two trainmen are known to have been killed and from 15 to 25 negroes are believed to have met their deaths in the wreck near here today of an Iron Mountain passenger train, which plunged through an open drawbridge over the Teanaqua river.

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