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## **67TH CONGRESS**

FARM CREDITS BILL AND 9 OTHER MEASURES SIGNED BY PRESIDENT.

## CLOSING

Many Members Answer Their Last Roll Call; No Legislation Was Vetoed.

Washington. - The sixty-seventh Congress which had spent a greater proportion of its two-year span of life in actual session than any other in the history of the country, adjourned

During the last few hours of the session, President Harding ,spending part of the time at the capitol, signed the farm credits bill and 98 other measures. No legislation was vetoed.

Vice President Coolidge's gavel fell sharply at noon after an almost colorless morning senate session of two hours, and the house adjourned after a concert by a section of the marine band and a chorus of popular songs by members and spectators.

The departure of members, many of whom answered their last roll call, was in full swing with prospective suspension of activities at the capitol until next December brings in the 68th Con-

Crowds witnessed the closing scenes, adjournment and presence of President Harding, cabinet officers, diplomats and other high officials bringing hundreds who packed the senate and house galleries.

The President reached the capitol at 11:25 o'clock and was kept busy reading and signing the final avalanche of bills. Before going to the capitol, he signed the farm credits and 43 other bills, turned out during the early morning session. In the presidential suite, off the senate chamber before the noon limit expired, 55 more bills received executive approval.

The last bill to become law was the better butter measure, changing butter fat standards. An important measure placed on the statute books at the last moment was the one providing for return to enemy alien owners of all property seized worth \$10, 000 or less.

### American Relief Spends \$12,000,000.

Washington.-A review of American relief activities in the near east, showing expenditures during the past year of more than \$12,000,000, was given to Congres by Charles V. Vickery in his annual report as general secretary of the Near East relief.

Shipment of foodstuffs, equipment, machinery, medical supplies and clothing and textiles made from this country by the near east relief during the year totalled 53,000,000 pounds, and in addition large purchases were made in Anatolia and other areas. The number of orphans now under the care of the organization is 115,000 and Mr. Vickrey predicted that this total would increase as additional victims of persecution and war are applying daily for

The year's expenditures exceeded receipts by more than \$1,500,000, but the balance carried over from the year previous made up the deficit and left a surplus of \$328,000.

## Bills Pail to Pass Congress.

Washington.-Measures of importance which failed of passage during the closing days of the Congress included:

The administration shipping bill which was filibustered to death in the

The resolution of Senator Smith democrat, South Carolina, to appropriate \$10,000,000 for the purchase of nitrate to aid southern cotton produc

The constitutional amendment proposal of Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, to advance the convening dates of Congress and presidential inaugurals.

The resolution of Senator Brookhart, republican, Iowa, proposing invetigation of the sugar situation.

Probe of Silver Price is Ordered. Washington.-An investigation into the reduced price of silver and the low production of gold was authorized by Congress when the House passed a senate resolution authorizing the appointment of a special commission of five Senators and five Representatives to study the economic questions involved and to make recommendations The expenditures by the special com-mission is limited to \$15,000 and the President is to name the commission.

Army Lieutenant Killed. New York. — Lieutenant Stanley Smith, army air service, was killed, and Major Foliett Bradley was probably fatally infured when a giant martin homber in which they had just left Mitchell field for Chanute field, Rautoul, Illa., was forced down in Brook-

Four students mechanics, private who also were in the plane, escaped with only slight injuries owing to the skillful manner in which Major Brad-ley plloted the hig-bomber to earth from a height of 5,000 feet.

## Smithsonian Getting Ready for Gifts



Charles D. Walcott has been secretary of the Smithsonian institution since 1907 and has been identified with the national museum for years. He's an author, has a string of titles as long as a comet's tail and has so many friends that the following was passed by the senate the other day:

"The Regents of the Smithsonian institution are authorized to prepare prelimoary plans, to be approved by the commission of fine arts, for a suitable fireproof building with granite fronts for the National Gallery of Art, including the National Portrait Gallery and the history collection of the United States National museum, said buildings to be erected when funds from gifts or bequests are in the possession of the said Regents, in sections or completely on the north side of the Mall between the Natural History building, United States National museum, and Seventh street, leaving

a space between it and the latter of not less than 100 feet, and a space of not less than 100 feet between it and Seventh street, with its south front on a line with the south front of the said Natural History building."

In other words Mr. Walcott and the Smithsonian institution have an idea that some of their many friends are going to make them a present and want to be ready to accept it.

## Degoutte's Poor Opinion of Germans

Here is an up-to-date portrait of General Degoutte, commander of the French army of occupation in the Ruhr region of Germany. The French general seems to have a single-track mind. Anyway, he apparently knows what he is in the Ruhr for and what he intends to do. Commenting on the situation, he said, among other things:

"Right and might are ours, and we shall win. We occupied the Ruhr without shedding a drop of blood. We have allowed the population full liberty; we are not crushing the country under requisitions, but we want to get paid, and we shall be paid.

'We are getting ahead in organizing the region. The Germans may sneer, but we can stand an idle Ruhr longer than they can. Chancellor Cuno declares our aim is the economic destruction of Germany. Our aim is much simpler. We want redress; we want Germany to honor her signature,

"I solemnly warn Germany if she forces another battle on us she will not stay our hands by crying 'Kamerad!' It will be a fight to the finish-a complete knockout."

# The economic ruin of Germany would prevent her from paying us,

## Uncle Sam as a Railroad Conductor



Losses sustained by the government from war-time operation of railroads and its aftermath of earnings guarantees and damage settlements will total approximately \$1,800,000,000, to dote ma a report by James C. Davis, former director general of rallroads, transmitted to congress by President Harding. Not only does the amount come within congressional appropriations already made, but there will also be a return to the treasury of about \$400,000,000 in cash and raffroad securities.

Mr. Davis' estimates are based on the showing actually made in liquidation of accounts between the government and corporate owners of 80 per cent of the railroad mileage which the government took over.

Accounting in connection with the vernment operation has gone through three phases, and involves the interstate commerce commission as

well as the railroad administration. Losses in direct operation of the roads and in the later settlement of capital investment and other claims, as now practically completed by Mr. Davis, are shown to reach a total of \$1,250,000,000. To this is added a sum of between \$525,000,000 and \$000,000,000, which has been, or will be, paid by the commission to short line railroads and to class one carriers. This last amount includes payment under the guarantee given the roads by congress of earnings during the six months of 1920.

## Woman Leader Tells of Big Bribe Offer

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, charged before the Minnesota State federation that she had been offered \$250,000 to go to Washington and work for "a certain bill."

She has the offer in writing, she says, but she declined to tell who made It or what the bill was about. Besides offering her \$250,000, she said, the unknown individual tried to bribe the whole federation with an offer to finance the erection of a general feder-ation headquarters building in Washington.

"I shan't tell you who made the

I did."

Mrs. Winter said she had not disclosed the attempt at bribery before because she did not consider it an "ethical thing to do." The would-be donor, she said, apparently had no idea that there was any irregularity about this offer. "I spoke out." she added, "because I felt that it was high time the club women were warned against such attempts."

Mrs. Winter volunteered the information that she received the offer early last summer, shortly before the general federation asceting at Chautauqua, N. Y.

"I replied that the federation did not support any measure for advantages that might accrue to the organization or its officers, but that we would support only such legislation as we believed to be right!

"I told him that I would lake the uniter up with my board at the Chautauqua meeting, but that, even if the board voted to support his bill, we could accept no gifts from him.

"The board turned his bill down. After they had done so, I read them his letter. I have it upstalvs, in black and white."

The "certain till" has not yet been transfed to courses. Mrs. Winter says.





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has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, and children of all ages are printed tongue coated, breath bad, remember on each bottle. Say "California" or

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