

### WILL BEGIN TRIAL OF SYRIAN CASES

#### Judge Connor To Open Federal Court Here Tomorrow; Sixty Defendants

Judge Henry G. Connor will open Federal Court here tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock to begin trial of the so-called Syrian cases, sixty Syrian merchants to face charges of conspiracy and using the United States mails to defraud. The session of court beginning tomorrow is an adjourned session from the November term and will probably continue until the cases on docket are disposed of.

### THIRTEEN MEN REPORTED KILLED IN IRISH FIGHT

Cork, Feb. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Thirteen civilians were killed and eight captured of whom three were wounded, in an engagement this afternoon in the district between Ligoold and Middleton, Cork county, according to a general headquarters report. This is believed to be the largest number of casualties among the members of the Irish Republican army in any single encounter.

### The Weather

Table with weather data for Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 20, 1921. Includes temperature (highest 37, lowest 23, mean 33), precipitation (0.32 inches), humidity (88%), and pressure (30.10).

### DANIELS TELLS OF PLANS FOR FUTURE

#### Will Arrive Home Sunday Morning, March 6; Report At Office Next Morning

(By Newspaper Enterprise Association.) Washington, Feb. 20.—Away up Pennsylvania avenue, next door beyond the white cottage occupied by Mr. and Mrs. President, is that fine, old-fashioned pile known as the State, War and Navy Department.

Back to Private Life. And now, in a few short days, after eight years of the most dramatic and thrilling experience imaginable, Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, is going to step out of office and back into private life as a citizen of the republic.

"What are you planning?" I asked, and he replied, with the well-known twinkle: "On Saturday night, after March 4, I'll pack my suitcase, and take the night train for Raleigh, arriving there Sunday morning. I'll go straight home, take a bath, and go to church—my own church—where I'll ask to be forgiven for my sins (another twinkle); then home to Sunday dinner with Mrs. Daniels, and then Monday morning bright and early I'll go down to the office of The News and Observer, take off my coat, and go to work."

guilty of any anti-climax on my part. I knew from other sources of some of the things Secretary Daniels has done, of some of the deals he has prevented. I know of one little item of \$2,000,000 held in the treasury of the United States right now, while the contractor who tried to put over the deal has done everything humanly possible to get this extra money; has threatened, plotted, pleaded, and sent eminent politicians to influence the Secretary, and this is but one of a hundred similar affairs.

In England and Here Secretary Daniels could today be rich beyond the dreams of avarice. In England Parliament would have voted him a peerage and half a million dollars probably. They do things that way over there. In America he, like many others who might be named, will step out of office on March 4 and go back to his private work, not a dollar richer, and in many cases poorer than on March 4, 1913.

### TWO BIG SUNDAY BLAZES REPORTED IN GEORGIA

#### Damage Amounting To Several Hundred Thousand Dollars From Conflagration

Tifton, Ga., Feb. 20.—Fire destroyed four Tifton business concerns this afternoon causing a loss of \$150,000. For a time it looked as if the whole town would be wiped out and fire companies were brought here from Cordele, Fitzgerald and Sylvester.

Washington, Ga., Feb. 20.—A terrific fire broke out in the north-western part of the city this morning and completely destroyed the large mills, a large amount of cottonseed and manufactured products of the Carter Cotton Oil Company here, causing an estimated damage of approximately \$100,000.

80 Irishmen Imprisoned. Cork, Feb. 20.—Nine members of the Cork Corporation and other leading men of South Ireland were among 80 persons sent to the Spike Island internment camp Saturday as political prisoners.

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### French Leaders Say Germany Must Meet Last Demand

(Continued from Page One.) for submission to the conference. They will assure the powers that, if their request for enforcement of the Sevres treaty is granted and sufficient money is provided, they are prepared and will be able to carry out their part of the treaty, including a campaign against the forces of Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the Turkish Nationalist leader. The chief of staff of the Greek army on the Smyrna front has come to London with a delegation provided with facts and figures to show that this is possible.

### Facts Don't Back Economy Claims of Republicans

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### No Dictation for Borah

One can hardly imagine Borah or Miran Johnson, or Kenyon, or La Follette accepting dictation from Mr. Harding or any one else, and all the President-elect will have to do, after he becomes President, to make trouble for himself in large jobs will be just to attempt dictation. Of course, with their large majority, the Republicans machine won't have to have the support of Johnson, Borah, Kenyon and a few others of the progressives, but neither do the machine leaders wish to break with these progressives for they know from past experience what trouble they can make.

March 4th ends the time when everybody who comes away from a conference with Mr. Harding will be able to say that he and Mr. Harding were in "thorough accord" for the time for deals rather than goods will have arrived and Mr. Harding is going to have to take definite positions. There will always be two sides, and he can't agree

### Mellon Attacked in Congress For Firm's War Work

(Continued from Page One.) 600,000. The next claim they filed was for \$1,000,000, and the accountants out there of the government were kicked aside when the settlement came to be made, and the knowledge that they had been apparently removed from all consideration and not considered in any way, shape or form. Finally that claim of \$1,000,000 was presented. They were entitled to \$100,000, their profit. These last \$1,000,000—how did they undertake to make up that amount? On what basis did they claim or could they justify the claim that the government owed it to them?

### Native Tribes in Interior of New Zealand Play Checkers

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### State To Confine Revenues Wholly To Income Taxes

(Continued from Page One.) finance and appropriation matters. The General Assembly enters today upon the 60th day of the session, with several hundred minor bills behind it and a vast array of local and public matters before it. The next two weeks will be very strenuous weeks, with a dead rush to the conclusion of the business of the session. Adjournment is not contemplated before March 8th or 9th, but it is not improbable that a great many of the members will leave on Saturday night, March 5, which will mark the end of the constitutional limit of 60 days for the session.



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