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be threatened with evacuation. tral records office of the A. E. F. in France gives the total battle deaths as 49,948, total wounded 205,690 and prisoners 4,480.

Publication in Germany of the alien property custodian's report dealing with the seizure of enemy property in this country has evoked a storm of press criticism in Germany.

Appeals for continued military and financial support have been sent to ment of the northern region of Russia, at Archangel.

## Domestic

Convicted of bigamy on his confession that he has seven living wives, one of whom he married twice, Charles of the City Bank of South Lorani, Hagh Wilson, 48 years old, former Y. Ohio, where a hundred thousand dol-M. C. A. secretary, evangelist and lar shortage wis discovered recently, have been indicted on charges of emtraveling salesman, has been sentenc-

ed in New York to three years and | bezzlement. six months in Sing Sing prison, where, he announces he will take up prison tor of an Atlatna, Ga., soft drink es-

reform work. Following official announcement charge of murdering W. G. Cullam, an

that suficient evidence has been col- insurance man, who was shot in the lected by government investigators to store of Thomaston. warrant action on the part of the federal authorities against alleged hoard- near Lima, Ohio, when an automo- Texas, and for whom \$15,000 ransom ers of food in Atlanta, it is learned bile in which they were riding was that seizures of large stocks of pro- struck by a Western Ohio traction car. state department officials following New York City faces the possibility visions in the Georgia city are contemplated by the government as soon of a traction strike more far-reaching as orders can be secured from a fed- than the recent walk-out in Brooklyn.

eral judge authorizing such action. The men want an increase of 50 per The final day's sale of roosters at cent. Demopolis, Ala., for the Tombigbee river bridge brought in over fifty thou- Foreign sand dollars, which added to previous sales, makes a total well above one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Director of Railroads Hines says there is absolutely nothing to warrant the big advance in coal, and he fears that any shortage may be exagerated so much that the public will have to

pay another big advance. The war having demonstrated that

as of equal important with "intelli- Bolsheviki. gence" and "leadership," an order to the army says.

The Chicago Builders and Traders' he saw the bids of the builders and long credits given. and that a whole year's wardrobe danger, but the vessel will probably

would be very acceptable. The senate has eliminated several Andrew Carnegie, ironmaster and land. Business generaly is growing philanthropist, died in his great man- in volume. sion overlooking a lake in the beauti- Paris dispatches recite that the Arful Berkshire hills of Massachusetts, menian race faces total annihilation. where he sought seclusion when bod- The finding is the result of first hand ily infirmity overtook him, and his information, advices state.

this country into the world war. Al- dapest in consequence of the note sent though he had been in feeble health to Roumania by the peace conference. for more than two years, his final ill- It is stated that the Roumanian solhess was brief-a matter of days. He diery has stripped Hungary, and has breach of contract by striking motor Jackson" in state and federal governdied from a severe cold which had ~ seized all railways and transporta-

by them shall be submitt d to arbib shells.' -nine defendants in the Bisbee tration. deportation cases, whose preliminary Final casualty reports from the cen- hearings were completed after occucording to Interborough officials, pying more than a month, were bound means an annual increase in the payover to the superior court for trial on roll of \$5,000,000. charges of kidnaping.

> Two United States aviators are re-QUICKER ACTION BY THE ported missing in Mexico, and request has been made of the Mexican authorities to permit an American searching party to enter Mexico in an effort to Congress in the campaign to reduce the cost of living was urged in senate locate them.

and house. Senator Walsh declared The Rock Island Butter company of high prices were at the bottom of all the United States and the allied gov- Toledo, Ohio, has been indicted by the unrest and charged that Congress ernments by the provisional govern- the grand jury on the finding that the was wasting time when something company with several others has con- should have been done already in respired to fix the price of a butter sponse to President Wilson's recomsubstitute at thirty-two and a half mendations.

Mayors of New Jersey cities appearcents a pound. ing before the house agriculture com-Walter A. Davis, former cashier, and mittee said action was needed at once William W. Treble, asisstant cashier to stop the rising scale of prices.

> RANSOM SENT FOR RELEASE OF THE AMERICAN AVIATORS

CONGRESS IS NECESSARY

Washington. - Quicker action by

Washington .- Officials here after a day during which the Mexican situa-J. A. Thomaston, 62-year-old operation was to the fore, awaited news of the release by Mexican bandits of tablishment, has been indicted on the G. Patterson, American army aviators. Prompt measures to obtain the re-

lease of the aviators who were cap-Five persons were instantly killed tured by the bandits near Candelaria, has been demanded, was expected by ously denounced those responsible

Washington .- Completion of a 24-

MOTOR IS COMPLETED.

TO CONFER WITH PALMER

AGAINST AMALGAMATED

Washington. - Attorney General

the forwarding of instructions to the American embassy at Mexico City to call upon the Mexican government for "immediate adequate action."

24-CYLINDER LIBERTY

Berlin demanded the speedy return cylinder Liberty motor which has de- and kindred organizations in that veloped 673 horsepower in the initial country. of German prisoners of war. Some of the women demanded a crusade to tests, was announced by the war decross the border and by force release partment. It was declared to "compare favorably" with foreign motors the German prisoners. It has been learned that the Jap- of the same power. The new motor is

anese government after mature delib- expected to be of value in military eration both by the cabinet and the aviation as it permits the use of a diplomatic advisory council, has in large low speed propeller. It weighs ity of an efficient officer, hereafter formed the government of Admiral only 1.97 pounds per horsepower

> American commercial activity in model. Europe, which began immediately af-

ter the signing of the admistice, con- GOVERNOR'S COMMITTEE Exchange sent J. Ogden Armour a pair tinues successfully to advance on a of shoes because he recently said the large scale. The secret of the success high prices had led him to have his of the Americans is their delivery old ones repaired. Armor wrote a promptly of goods, ranging from loco-Palmer endorsed a suggestion by Govnote of thanks, and stated that when motives to sewing machines and the ernor Gardner of Missouri, that the street car, crowded with women and conference of governors appoint a traders on building projects he mar- The American steamer Englewood committe to confer with him and help veled that they stopped at a pair of struck a mine in the North sea off the co-ordinate federal and state efforts north of here, was increased to eight shoes. He remarked that this was the Thames river, and sent out a wireto reduce the cost of living. In a tele- when five persons succumbed to their year for him to buy a new overcoat less for help. There was no immediate gram to Governor Gardner at Salt injuries in hospitals. Lake City, Mr. Palmer said the hearty co-operation and assistance of state Monongahela Valley Traction Com-

be beached. agencies would be helpful in the gov- pany, crashed into a railroad switch The steady expansion in Irish indrastic features from the prohibition dustry and trade is being well mainhill as passed by the national house. tained in the south and west of Ireernment's campaign.

Pittsburgh .-- Suit asking \$900,000 mind was saddened by the entrance cf Roumanian troops are to leave Buagainst the local division of the Amal-Electric Railway Employees, alleging

men and conductors.

DAMAGE SUIT BROUGHT

ing Fisher of Yale university, as the cerns, which in sending their stocks chief culprit not only in bringing from state to state to hold them long-The 25 per cent wage increase was American trolley lines to bankruptcy, er, and dodge the state laws. made retroactive to August 1 and, ac- but in sending prices generally sky-

APPEAL IS ISSUED TO FARMERS OF COUNTRY.

before the war, sent over to meet pur-Washington .- Farmers throughout chase by belligerent powers in the the country were appealed to by the national board of farm organizations to protest by petition and ballo against "the unfair and un-American

JAPAN NOT TO SEND TROOPS TO AID ADMIRAL KOLCHAK. methods being used against farm organization engaged in the collective sale of their farm products." Con-

Tokio .- It has been learned that the gress and state legislatures were called upon to clarify the purpose of the Japanese government after mature deliberation both by the cabinet and anti-trust laws in order that the "farmer shall have the right to undiplomatic advisory council, has informed the government of Admiral mistakable terms to do collective bar-Kolchak that Japan is unable to ac- gaining in accord with the original incede to its request to send several di- tent of the law."

visions of troops to assist Kolchak. TIN MAY BE IMPORTED

been decided to suppress all Sinn

Suffolk, Va .- Three men were killed

CAR AND ENGINE COLLISION

Parkersburg, W. Va .- The death list,

as a result of the crash between a

children enroute to a nicnic, and a rail-

outright and seven others were badly

BY BOILER EXPLOSION

TWO N. C. MEN KILLED

colored, Savannah, Ga.

engine.

EIGHT PERSONS KILLED IN

EX-GOVERNOR FERGUSON

rocking to undreamed of high levels.

The flood of bullion, he said, came

## CAR REPAIRERS DECIDE

United States.

Washington .- Tin, in pig or alloy, TO CALL OFF STRIKE may now be imported from Germany,

Chicago .- Delegates representing under war trade board regulations is- ransom. This action was deemed ad-25,000 car repairers employed by Chi- sued which still further modify the visable to protect the men. cago railroads by a rising vote decid- blockade which existed during the ed to call off the strike and return to war. Restriction against importation COSTA RICA'S FLEEING

Lieutenants Paul H. Davis and Harold work. The action was taken at a mass of goods into the United States from meeting of the delegates called to con- Germany now only apply to the coal

HAS SEVEN LIVING WIVES. GOES TO SING SING PRISON

New York .- Convicted of bigamy on He said several attempts had been his confession that he has seven living wives, one of whom he married brother, Jose, minister of war, was twice. Charles Hugh Wilson, 48 years shot in the back of the head the night old, former Y. M. C. A. secretary evan- before the president left and later London. - The government an-

nounces that owing to increase in gelist and traveling salesman, was died. crime in county Clare, Ireland, it has sentenced to three years and six months in Sing Sing prison where he HOG IN COLD STORAGE announced he will take up prison re-

FROM GERMANY NOW

form work. CHARLES DECLARES HE IS

Berlin .- A courier has arrived in Budapest, according to reports receivinjured when a boiler at the plant of ed here, with a letter from former Em-Caulborne brothers' mill near here, peror Charles to Archduke Joseph, in

A MORE DEFINITE STAGE IS

Washington .- Negotiations between Democratic and Republican senators looking to ratification of the peace treaty with reservations reached a road engine at Parmanco, two miles more definite stage. Democratic leaders, feeling out sentold that the treaty never could be ratified without qualification but that The street car. property of the more than 20 Republicans wanted to see it accepted in the near future with

CLOSE COOPERATION BETWEEN

Fort Worth, Tex .- Two factions of damages was filed by the receivers Texas Democrats, dissatisfied with of the Pittsburgh Railway Company the present party organization, met here and determined upon separate gamated Association of the Street and lines of attack to accomplish a return to "the principles of Jefferson and

men demanded a 12-cent raise One faction headed by former Gov- Instructions went out from Attorney

"The President's address served to many times the pre-war army's arouse the country to the importance penditure, is a horse of a wholly difof the treaty ratification as one of the ferent color. Aside from the fact that steps necessary to reduce the cost of large numbers of persons are opposed to any form of compulsory mililiving.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR

El Paso, Tex .- An official statement

was issued at military headquarters

here signed by Brig. Gen. James B.

Erwin, district commander, announc-

ing that Maj. L. A. Walton, comman-

der of the aero unit at Fort Bliss, had

received a message from the two

missing aviators, saying they had been

captured by Mexicans and were being

held for \$15,000 ransom. The ransom

must be paid by August 18, according

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

sociation's 1919 convention.

Col., sponsored the boat.

SENATE ASKED TO AVERT

to the message.

tary training and more especially compulsory service, the matter of expense cannot be overlooked. PAYMENT OF THE RANSOM.

SOLUTION OF PROBLEM IS MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

Washington .- Municipal ownership is the only solution of the American street railway problem, control of private lines having broken down, Delos F. Wilcox, New York franchise expert told the federal electric railway com-

mission. Drawing from an experience with trolley matters running back over many years and particularly upon his present connection with investigation of the affairs of the Public Service

Arrangements were being made here to obtain \$15,000 gold coin and to send Railway Company of New Jersey, Mr. it to Marfa early for payment of the Wilcox said there was no escape from the logic of conditions, pointing to the handling of urban transportation as an essential public service and not

> for private profit. PRESIDENT IN JAMAICA. SECRETARY BAKER PAYS A

HIGH TRIBUTE TO MARINES Kingston, Jamaica.-Federico Tinoco, who recently abandoned the pres-Washington .- Tribute to the per- announced that he could place at least idency of Costa Rica and fled the formance of marines in France as "a | 100 men who have trades. country, arrived here on board the new and heroic demonstration of the

steamer Zacapa, en route to Europe. unconquerable tenacity and dauntless courage of the American soldier," from Wayne, Johnson. Wilson, Nash, made to assassinate him and that his was paid by Secretary Baker in a let- Edgecombe, Northampton and Greene ter to Acting Secretary Roosevelt of counties are in Goldsboro to attend the navy department.

> SOME RATHER IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS IN FIGHT

been announced.

in prices.

One of the most interesting was the announcement by Attorney General Palmer that the first federal conviction for profiteering had been obtained. District Attorney Lucey telegraphed from Binghampton, N. Y., that a retail grocer had been fined \$500 for selling sugar at 15 cents a

pound. No details were given. SEIZURE OF HOARDED FOODSTUFFS AT TAMPA.

canned goods and about 30,000 pounds of sugar figured in a seizure of foodstuffs here by department of justice agents operating under Federal Dis-

trict Attorney H. S. Phillips. Six wholesale concerns were served with papers libeling huge stocks of goods, the charge being that the goods so Mrs. Guy U. Hardy of Canon City, libeled are being held for an advance

HINES WILL NOT DEAL WITH SHOPMEN ON STRIKE. REPROACH FOR AMERICA

Washington .- No dealings with rep-Washington .- Former Attorney Genresentatives of the railroad shopmen eral Wickersham, in a statement issued through the League to Enforce now on strike will be made by the Peace called upon the senate to ratify railroad administration, Director Genthe peace treaty with the league of eral Hines repeated, in a letter to nations covenant and then prepare to James Hamilton Lewis, former senaperfect the document by amendment tor from Illinois, who telegraphed the

through the assembly and council of administration. the league, in the same manner, as he "The strikes which have taken pointed out, the framers of the con- place have not been authorized ac- cook, man and woman, who are re-

Elizabeth City .- The stock law was defeated at the polls by the intense opposition of the country people and by the apathy of Elizabeth City.

Lilesville .--- Eight hundred patriotic people met here to pay homage to the returned soldiers of Lilesville township, Anson county.

Hendersonville .- More than \$100 .-000 worth of real estate has changed hands in Hendersonville in the last 10 days, all of which was sold at auction.

Raleigh .- The state issued charters to Armfield Veneer company, of Statesville, authorized capital \$100,-000 and paid up \$10,000. The largest stockholder is B. F. Armfield of Statesville.

Winston-Salem .- Three dry goods stores in the business district were broken into and clothing, etc., valued at \$1,000 or more, stolen. The officers have no clues.

Greensboro .--- Col. H. Dowman, in charge of the employment office at the chamber of commerce, who is locating jobs for returned soldiers and sailors,

Goldsboro .- Hundreds of physicians the quarterly meeting of the District Medical Society.

Hamlet .--- The striking machinists and allied craft which had been out Washington .- Important new de- over a week went back to work at velopments in the government's fight the Hamlet shops, the action being in to reduce the high cost of living have conjunction with other strikers on the Seaboard system.

> Winston-Salem .- There were no new developments here regarding the street railway strike. Not a car has moved on any of the local lines since the men voted not to return to work until their demands for more money, recognition of the union, shorter hours, etc., were accepted.

Wadesboro .- Cotton in this section of the state is beginning to fail and it seems to be needing rain. The prolonged rainy spell in July followed by hundreds of thousands of tins of the drouth of the last few weeks has materially injured it.

> Wilmington .- On account of strike conditions the Atlantic Coast Line announced that trains 57 and 58 between this city and Florence, S. C.; trains 59 and 60 between Wilmington and Fayetteville, N. C., and trains 41 and 43 between Rocky Mount, N. C., and Norfolk would be annulled.

Asheville. - James Tate, a well known local negro, died from injuries alleged to have been received while he was being initiated into the negro Masonic order here.

Wilson .- The police are carrying out their instructions to order before Mayor Hill all alleged violators of Wilson's "Puritanical Sunday blue laws." The police say that, instructed to do so, they will order every

Detroit .- Agents of the investigation branch here of the department of jus-STILL KING OF HUNGARY tice said that in one cold storage plant visited a frozen hog was found which they were told had been in storage for 25 years. The officials declared that while they believed that if the hog really which Charles declares he is still the had been held for that length of time the records of the army commandesr able to aid him in his war against the consumes .55 pounds of gas per horse- Hampton, Roduco, N. C.; Carlton Par- crowned king of Hungary and commis- it was through an oversight. They ker, Eurn. N. C., and Rufus Johnson, sions Joseph to take over the sover- intend to investigate further next eign power until his return. STEAMER EDITOR LAUNCHED AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON REACHED IN NEGOTIATIONS Seattle, Wash .- The steamer Edi tor, named by the United States shipping board in honor of the newspaper men and women of the United States and Canada, was launched here in the prsence of cheering scores of timent on the Republican side, were members of the National Editorial Association gathered in Seattle from all parts of the country to attend the as-

reservations.

THE STATES AND GOVERNMENT AT HEAD OF NEW PARTY

> Washington .-- Close co-operation between state authorities, who possess detailed information of food and price conditions, and the attorney general and his staff of assistants, empowered to enforce the food control law, is being established as a part of the government's fight to reduce cost of living.

sider the question of the strike, after | tar products, drugs and dyestuffs. an address by International Vice President J. M. Patterson, who vigorfor the walkout as radicals. TO SUPPRESS ALL SINN FEIN ORGANIZATIONS

	27, 1917, off Fasad Light, on the north coast of Ireland. Of a personnel of	advice towar dthe rebuilding of the Persian state. The negotiations had been in progress nine months. A royal welcome was extended to the prince of Wales as he set foot for the first time on Canadian soil at St. John, N. B. In the Troitsk region, where the forces of Admiral Kolchak have been retiring, it is announced that the So viet forces have advanced 56 miles	New York.—For having joined the actors' strike, which has closed 15 theaters in this city, Eddie Cantor and other stars of "Ziegfeld's Follies" were named as defendants in suits for \$5, 000 damages brought by Ziegfeld Fol- lies Inc.	Tarrytown, N. Y.—The body of An- drew Carnegie, steel magnate and philanthropist, was laid to rest on a hillside in historic Sleepy Hollow cemetery overlooking the Hudson. Only 21 persons—members of the dead ironmaster's family and a few- close friends—accompanied the body to Sleepy Hollow. Funeral services were held at Shadow brook, the Car- negie estate at Lenox, Mass., prior to	St. Johns, N. F.—After having re- ceived a royal reception on his first day on Canadian soil, the Prince of Wales, accompanied by Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, who will accompany him to Quebec, returned to the British cruiser Dragon and	Coblenz.—The American first divi- sion, the first division to land in France and the captors of Cantigny, is leaving the Rhine for home. The Coblenz bridgehead, which has been held by the first division since the departure of the second, now will be taken care of by French troops	Chattanooga, Tenn.—Onicial strike ballots were distributed among the railroad shopmen here and made re- turnable to the A. F. of L. at Wash- ington on August 24. Local shopmen have refused to participate in the unauthorized strike which has been almost general throughout the south- east recently, but will now proceed to	in the war against Ger-	
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