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Genoa Or Hague May Bring Developments

Officials Indicate Change Looked For;

SHE WAS A "HUMDINGER" IN GRANDFATHER'S TIME-

By BILLY BORNE

YEAH, MAYBE SO.

BUT SHES READY FER

THA JUNK HEAP NOW!

TAREA

National War Mother

Giving her initial message

at the Inn appeals to me as noth-

"Those of us who wear that pre-

PAGES

ckey, Beauchamps, Hay and Dobbs Named-To Pick One More.

BISHOPS' MEMORIAL IS SET FOR SUNDAY

Stress Laid by Committee on Need of Home Missionary Work.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 16.—
(By The Associated Press)—After aking five ballots which resulted in the election of four of the five bishops to be named at this time. the nineteenth quadrennial confer-ence of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, recessed this evening until tomorrow when the next allot will be taken. These men were elected bishors

These men were elected bishops it today's session: Dr. J. E. bickey, Griffin, Ga.: Dr. W. B. auchamp, Nashville, Tenn.: Dr. h. R. Hay, Houston, Tex., and gr. H. M. Dobbs, Anniston, Ala. Doctors Dickey and Beauchamp session of the second ballot receiving 194 and 209 votes, respectively. Dr. Hay was elected on the hird ballot with 191 votes, while ird ballot with 191 votes, while Dobbs wont the fourth with 250

The first and fifth ballots were actared "no elections" as none of me candidates received the requir-

majority of 189 votes.
The fifth ballot was not compied until this evening. Dr. H. A. Saz, president of Southern Methligh with 143 votes and O. E. Godsist university, Dallas, Tex., was high was 143 votes and O. E. Godard, of Nashville, was second as the large was to the large active in the support of others active in the support of others active in the support of others. His friends said they had made no active campaign in his behalf and bishop-elect tonight declared his election was entirely a ise to him. He is pastor of First Methodist church of An-

Dickey has been in church educational work many years and the recent flood.
formerly was president of Emory Two of the for niversity, at Atlanta.

for of the missionary centennary and has long been a figure in the church. Dr Hay also has been prominent in the work of the gling persons from the water between the control of the contr

longest of Meetings.

apparently was the desire of the body to elect all of the five bishops today if possible. The fifth ballot was taken with the understanding that the result would not be analizationable occupied by a child went down with the bridge. that the result would not be an-tounced until tomorrow. However, he delegates insisted upon waitng for the report of the tellers and t was almost dark when the final

ount was announced. Hopes of officials that the body night reach adjournment Friday moon instead of Friday afternoon. officials said, will adjournment over into next one week ago.

West Stressed.

ght More Towns Will Be Flooded—Vast Cane Fields Inundated.

HAMBURG, La., May 16,—The break in the protection levee on Bayou de Glaises, near here, which into Louisiana's sugar cane in Averilles. Pointe Coupee. andry, St. Martin and Iber-parishes, where it is feared mold damage will result. through the

rak in the levee which was built prevent backwater from basin, tonight was spreading brough the southern portion of iverilles parish, reaching points, valch have so far been immune the disastrous floods in the en portion of the parish and pushing on towards the southparishes intensifying flood tions in the Atchafalaya rauch of which was already water from the Ferriday

least eight towns may The opening session, at which waters. Stages above all member, and the same per cent of the s indated as a result of the break re, the towns of Melville, lucheville, Big Cane, Rosa, Pal-

Spectacular Chicago Fire Viewed As Defying Police Who Would End Labor War

ESTABLISHED 1868.

Police Declare Rapidly Spreading Blaze but Another Step in Campaign of Terrorism Against Award by Former Judge Landis.

CHICAGO, May 16 - Open defiance of the efforts of the police to check an outbreak of labor warfare which has ter-rorized the city for two months, was seen tonight in a spectacular fire which par-tially destroyed a 70-apartment building under con-struction at 7711 Sheridan road in the heart of a weal-thy residence district.

Starting at several points on the first floor, the flames spread rapidly through the \$500,000 structure and practically all fire fighting apparatus in the northern section of the city was called before it was brought under control with half the building in

Workmen on the structure were employed under the Landis wage award, and police declared that the fire was but contractors, but has been ac-tively opposed by several of the unions which were dis-

The fire followed several days of quiet during which the police have been checking up much evidence seized last week in raids on union headthan 130 labor leaders and the indictment of eight in-cluding Fred Mader, presi-dent of the building trades council, in connection with the slaving of two percents. slaying of two patrolmen by

—[Constinct on Page Test]

Tier Collapses Near Marlin, Texas, With 30 People Who Are Hurt.

ing repair work on an abutment which had been damaged during

Two of the four bodies recovered sity, at Atlanta. have been identified as those of Beauchamp acted as directive missionary centennary Mrs. Ed Mosely, of Beaumont, and Mrs. Goldberg, of Marlin.

church many years and is pastor of fore they went down. Boats and the First Methodist church, of rafts quickly thrown together aldrafts quickly thrown together aided in the work. Several of those rescued had drifted to the falls, three miles south of the accident. Today's sessions were the most before they were taken from the mathy the conference has yet water.

lengthy the conterence has been seen to be the forence and in the afternoon. It or less serious condition. Mayor apparently was the desire of the F. M. Stailworth, who was among F. M. Stailworth, was rescued

The child had not been found to-

TRIAL FOR MURDER OF ARNETTE IS BEGUN

spated when the conference voted Frank M. Jeffords, Ira Harrison pated when the conference voted Frank M. Jeffords, Ira Harrison near future whether the Washings hold the memorial services for and Glenn Treece were placed on ton negotiations are to be a suctrial in the Richland court of gen-eral sessions here today charged with the murder of J. C. Arnette

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SESSION IS CONVENED RALEIGH, May 16.-With ose to 200 delegates in attendance close to 200 delegates in attendance the seas, warped into pier at 4.33.

the 106th annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of North Carolina was convened today in the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Bishop Joseph Blount Ches
Sir Lettram Hayes, her skipper. shire's annual address tonight, a who went to her bridge in successermon this morning by Rev. Al-fred I. Lawrence, of the Chape! White star line service, had not Fill Episcopal church and various tried to put the Majestic at top reports on affairs within the diocese were the principal events of days she had "loafed" then speed-

tak in the protection levee on a sound and the graph of the last leg from fire Island to treasure J. Renwick wilker, of Charlotte, showed \$74;—300 feet and backwater from \$37.21 taid on the apportionment to the last leg from fire Island to the last leg from fire I

BIG STEEL MERGER

of the Lackawanna Steel company cless on the board of directors of the Bethlehem Steel corporation the war finance corporation. At on receipt from the house the war finance corporation. At on receipt from the house the war finance corporation. At measure promptly was given unanimous approved by both boards of the White House it was said that measure promptly was given unanimous approval by the senate appropriations committee and was propriations committee and was propriated in office of the propriations committee and was put through the senate by unanimous consent. NEW YORK, May 16 .- Purchase meetings to arrange terms with Kuhn. Loeb and company, bank-ers, in the face of the federal trade commission's request for informa- bank. tion concerning both deals before

they are consummated.

The Bethlehem-Lackawanna deal. which must be ratified by special meetings of stockholders to be held later, involves the issuance of \$35,-108,500 in new capital stock by the

another step in a campaign of terrorism directed against the award which was made by former Judge Landis sitting as mediator in a wage dispute between the building trades workers and contractors. The award was accepted by the

satisfied with its terms.

turbing Factor.

Most prominent among these developments was a decision under-stood to have been reached by the Chileans to bring the bitterly deissue at the regotiations.

preted in diplomatic circles as an predefine diplomatic circles as an predefine of the unusual caution to the mines, quarries, mills, cannelles, workshops and manufacturing establishments of the country on inspection tours."

We are doing a mother's work for our sick and disabled men in a way as nearly like that in which buried for our sick and disabled men in a way as nearly like that in which buried for the law, which came under the jurisdiction of the commissioner of internal certain the words of Mrs. R.

Cleans Abbott, chief.

The purpose of Chile to bring of the commissioner of internal at once the real issue of the conference to the surface, may result, in the opinion of diplomatic observers in determining in the very "Of course, the elimination of the Children's sign of the great organization she conference to the surface, may result. servers, in determining in the very

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OCEAN GREYHOUND BREAKS MAIDEN VOYAGE RECORDS

NEW YORK, May 16.-The Ma jestic, namnoth new Morvich of the seas, warped into pier at 4:35; this afternoon after a trip from England, during which she broke

the opening day's program.

The Episcopal church's nationwide campaign was presented this knot pace, hitting it up to 26 on

EEL MERGER
APPROVED BY BOARDS Angus W. McLean, of Lumberton, N. C., and Dwight F. Davis, of St. Louis, tonight created two vacanwith was suggested in official circles. Mr. McLean is returning to North Carolina to organize a joint stock

CHICAGO, May 16 .- That the results. death of Miss Fannie Grasswith, of Reorganization of the depart-Richmond. Va., was accidental, ment of justice to provide a sepa-was the belief expressed today by rate bureau for prosecution of war Bethlehem company, equal to the Bethlehem company, equal to the coroner's jury which investigated the finding of her body year tendence te

WOULD PUT CHILD America May Yet Join In Aid To Russia;

Is Next Move to Be Made by the Promoters of Law Held Illegal.

POMERENE STATES CHANGE IS DISTANT

Children's Bureau's Status Not Changed by Supreme Court Action.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—A movement was started by government officials and labor organization to the started by the ment officials and labor organization leaders today to provide a
child labor law to take the place
of that declared unconstitutional
by the supreme court yesterday.
Senator Pomerene, of Ohlo, who
fought for the last bill, said the
only way to do it is by constitutional amendment. He thinks the
republicans will make a move in
that direction soon. Southern senators will oppose any further action to regulate the employment of
children in the various states by children in the various states by national legislation

Congress is at the end of its row in this matter. There is but one other way, the constitutional route. The republican party is pledged to that. Behind the movement to re Bolivian Reiteration of Plea of Interests Dis
that, Behind the movement to restrict child labor by federal control are the New England cotton mills, officials of the Children's burreau, the American Federation of Labor, the Woman's Trade union and other powerful organizations in the north and east.

Senator Pomerene, who led the fight in the senate for the last laws.

fight in the senate for the last law, predicted today that it would be a long time before a federal amend: MARLIN. Tex. May 16.—Four persons are known to have been drowned and 15 others are missing as a result of the collapse of the Marlin-Belton bridge over the Brazos river, five miles west of there, late today. The west tier of the bridge crashed down while about 30 persons, including many women, were standing there watch about two years, it has yielded but \$50,000, and that will have to be paid back, and the cost of the ar forcement has ran up to more than \$200,000. The records of the debated question of the validity of the treaty of Ancon to a sharp partment show that collections issue at the very outset of the would have amounted to a great deal more if all the levies made would have amounted to a great deal more if all the levies made

Another disturbing element was a reiterated plea by Bolivia that her rights and interests, as well as those of Chile and Peru, must be considered in any settlement designed to remove causes for unrest in South America.

A third much discussed feature of the situation, generally interpreted in diplomatic circles as an evidence of the unusual caution with which Peru and Chile are

"Of course, the elimination of that law will result in the increase of schild labor throughout the nation. A constitutional amendment seems to be the only safe way to regulate the employment of childer. Our bureau is not discovered. vian delegates would comment on drep. Our bureau is not directly. Giving her initial message the new move by Bolivia. It was affected by the court decision, for the people and particularly recalled however, that when Bo

made public today, recommends the cross examined by attorneys terned.

The defendants are being tried, as they were extending the church's work in the politic to the court, but he added that while in operation the love your beautiful North Carolina and Asheville in which I've never the continue Sessions and the court, but he added that while in operation the love your beautiful North Carolina and Asheville in which I've never the continue Sessions and the court, but he politic to the court, but he added that while in operation the court. The three words:

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justice for prosecution of fradu-lent war contracts, was passed today by the senate and now goes to of a son who will never return. Announces Committees President Harding for approval. all by these boys in their suffering. The presiding elder

Senator King, democrat, Utah, said that the department of justice had not brought prosecutions un-der the anti-trust law as vigorous-DEATH OF RICHMOND by as he would have desired and he hoped the additional appropriawas he would have desired and tions would bring commensurate

rate bureau for prosecution of war fraud cases is under way. The bu-

Major Z. B. Vance to Be Jap's Guest In Class Reunion

In the U.S. Army and Reistered From Black Mountain WARRINGTON BUCKLU

(BY H. R. C. BRYANT) WASHINGTON. May 16.— Among the members of the class of 1881 of the naval acadclass of 1881 of the navai academy who will go to Japan on the Steamship Henderson to be the guest of Admiral Uriu, of the Japanese navy, is Major Zebulon B. Vance, son of the late Senator Vance. Major Vance registered from Black Mountain. He is now in the

United States army.

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(Special Correspondence, The Askerolite Citizen) HENDERSONVILLE. May 16.— will remain in the city several units.

Hendersonville Methodists were while Dr Alexander returns to hosts to the Asheville Methodist.

Notwithstanding the argument in fact the view from my window Ing I've ever seen before, in its beauty and restfuiness."

Discussing the aims and hopes of the American War Mothers, in the American War Mothers, in the Church, was alert to his tresponsibility and under his direction the arrangements were carried out perfectly. The committee was composed of J. F. Byer questionnaire. However, before it ampliants the fact that the War and C. L. Gurley.

Hendersonville Methodists were chosen to the Asheville Methodist were chosen to the Asheville Methodist of the Interpretation of the minute record of the meeting of May 2, the fact remains that the sentiment of some officials of the Century of the Methodist of the Asheville Methodist of the Asheville Methodist of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the minute record of the meeting of May 2, the fact remains that the sentiment of some officials of the Century of the Methodist of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the minute record of the meeting of May 2, the fact remains that the sentiment of some officials of the Century of the Century of the Century of the Methodist of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the minute record of the meeting of May 2, the fact remains that the sentiment of the Market of the Century of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the Market of the Century of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the Market of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the Market of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the Market of the Charlotte this morning. Notwithstanding the argument of the Market of the Charlotte this morning.

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The visit of the convention to Public Worship—Frank Siler, W. In answer to Mr. Barrett's de-Mothers are their best friends- P Oteen Thursday has been design. S. Miller, Charles Rozzell and Ray. nunciation of Mr. Warren, the Cenmond Browning ed to carry out this spirit.

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As a large percentage of the expected delegates had arrived yesterday, a good attendance upon the first meeting this morning is likely. Mrs. Digney was met at the station and escorted to her hotel by Mrs. T. F. Mailoy, state war mother, and Mrs. J. H. Wood,

EFFICIENCY.

STEEN MILES

PRESENT SYSTEM

OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Muddle of Interpretation of Minutes of the Central Body.

the Central rescind its action as re- Italy and Belgium, held a meeting ported in the press in refusing to endorse the questionnaire, on motion of V B. Hayes, the following was carried: "That the Cening was carried: "That th ing was carried: "That the Cen-tral Labor Union take no further action and let the record of two weeks ago stand." Mr. Barrett, who came to Asheville to defend the questionnaire, appeared satis-fied at this action, as he had en-deavored to have the minutes read. The whole affair regarding the action of the Central Labor union is in a muddle and will not be fully clarified unless the Central future meeting. Mr. Barrett asserted, following adjournment of
the session last night, that he will
present next Tuesday night. He
will remain in the city several days, body takes further action at some

Gets by Senate and Is
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In all their labor of love, she declared, "many are finding that we are receiving more than we house bill providing \$500,000 additional for the department of lithk of self.

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Section was charge of the transportation arrangements.

From Ily at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Rev. W. H. Willis, president with the conference and the members of the minutes of the secretary of the Central Labor union, on the night of May 2 assistant with a second that night is recorded as exclusively for the erection of high school buildings lin rural districts.

Only \$40,000 of the entire amount that we have boys makes one ashamed to think of self.

Those of us who wear that present the members to help make the conference a real spiritual force the conference will continue through Thursday near.

nunciation of Mr. Warren, the Cen-tral Labor union passed resolutions had gone ahead with their building

Further Appeals Will Probably Be Made by Genoa Conference.

FRENCH ANXIOUS TO CLOSE MEETING

Powers Will Shun Question of Galician and Lithunian Boundaries.

WASHINGTON, May 16 .- There were intimations today that admin-istration officials expected early developments in Genoa or perhaps later at The Hague which might clarify the Russian situation sufficiently to permit American par-ticipation in some international project designied to restore Russia to productivity. On what informa-tion that feeling might be based was not indicated. It was evident, however, that the exchange of cabled notes with the Genoa conference group yesterday was re-garded as having moved matters at least a step forward so far as Russia is concerned.

The only authorized statement going beyond the terms of Secre-tary Hughes' note declining the in-vitation to The Hague, was that obtained during the day at the White House, that the note did not close the door to future conversa-tions on the subject. In the light of that statement, Mr. Hughes assertion in the note to Genoa, of the willingness of the United States government "to give serious attention to any proposals issuing from the Genoa conference or any later conference" took on added significance.

significance.

Secretary Hoover, speaking last night before the International Chamber of Commerce here, treated the conditions he regarded as precedent to the recovery of Russia productivity, and correlated with the exchange of messages between Genoa and Washington, this outline from an administration official appeared to bring out sharply the changes which Secretary Hughes might regard as necessary "within might regard as necessary "within Russia herself" to restore her to a trading basis with the world.

Following pleas from James F. Barrett, president of the State Federation of Labor, and Dr. H. Q. Alexander, former president of the State Farmer's Union, and at present a member of that union's executive committee, who were appointed by their respective executive committees to present the farmer-labor questionnaire, before the Central Labor Union last night that t

Sum Is Divided Among Fifty Counties From Building Fund.

(By BROCK BARKLEY)

RALEIGH, May 16.-The state pard of education announced tee was composed of J. F. Byer questionnaire. However, before it day the loan of one million dollars is definitely established whether or lot 50 counties from the five million dollar special building fund. The committee at the passenger station which welcomes the delerate no action on the questionnaire. It following the received to be made to make the first loan to be made. mphasize the fact that the War and C. I.

Mothers as an organization, have
no interest in party politics. Legcommittee at the passenger station which affects the ex-serion which welcomes the delegates no action on the questionnaire, it following the recent validation by
the supreme court of the five million dollar bond issue authorized.

endorsement by the Central Labor this goes to the Wilmington high tinion. school which is a high school for the entire county. The state board recently made appropriations for Labor union had refused to entire purpose of maintaining at least one standard high school for the rural districts of each county in the state, and with these loans it is now possible to supply adequate buildings

The courts validated the bonds in April, and on the 27th of that month State Treasury Lacy was successful in selling \$1,000,000 worth of these bonds at 415 per worth of the second per worth of the s cent. The first loans, Superin-tendent Brooks announced, have programs as advised by the state board of education over a year ago, following the passage of the bond issue by the general assembly.

After the discussions had progressed at some length last night and explanation had been made on the floor regarding Mr. Barrett's status in the Central Labor union, it being argued that he was not a member, having been absent at a stipulated number of sessions, the state of the state population of the state of the state population.