

ners when they re-appeared funeral, asserting they had plied.

led the role of ghosts as she ided and that she would not erself by paying for murder. laber then was said to have New York to escape the foreign without advising the Cleveland pofor fear of involving herself.

ENROUTE TO LAKEWOOD.

years ago.

New York, June 10 .- Mrs. Eva Cath-Kaber, and her daughter, Miss an McArdle, left here today for paign."

Christensen, of that place, to charges of first degree murder in knowledge of its financing was intiaction with the killing of Mrs. Ka- mate. husband, Dan F. Kaber, about

NEW OF MURDER.

leveland, Ohio, June 10 .- Mrs. Eva tine Kaber has confessed that husband. Dan F. Kaber, was mur-

n McArdle has confirmed much of her mothel from New York by Police clothing to lower themselves from the hristensen.

Prosecutor Stanton. man with the cap," now 11 here, is the man who drove times into Kaber's body, Mrs. Kaber's 'confession. whom Mrs. Kaber say: murder was arrested in he early today. The woman erused to make any statement questioned this afternoon.

5. Kaber said 'two foreigners did and declared that a woarrested by Cleveand officers in sky. Ohio, Wednesday, and now jail here, procured the actual

man with the cap," was arrest ere Wednesday and his companion, who, according to Mrs. Kaconfession, sat at Kaber's head tiffe his cries, is being sought by

AIRED TO BEAT HIM UP

Kaber's confession declares, ac-Prosautor Stanton's inforthat these two foreigners went home of Kaber to "beat up" Kainstead, they stabbed him to

. Kaber and her daughter broke and confessed after being quesfor several hours by detectives to their cells during the night. Kaper, it is said, implicated her fater her aged mother, Mrs. Mary el, now in jail here on a charge ist degree murder, and the wowho was taken in custody early

ATTHHOLDS ANNOUNCEMENT.

York, June 10,-Arthur Carey the homicide bureau, when told Eva Katherine Kaber had knowledge of the murder of hand, reiterated that both Mrs. and her daughter, Marian Mchad made statements, but that, interest of justice, he must withany further announcement as to character.

FORMER HUSBAND IGNORANT.

June 10 .--- Thomas McArdle, usband of Mrs. Daniel Kaber, with the murder of her hus-

"I don't think so," the witness re- RIVALS WASHINGTON

Mr. Lucking told the committee that he was "endeavoring to show that what was going on, and took an active part in it.

Judge Murfin, counsel for Newberry, said that "was admitted," and Senclared the committee was solely inter- countrymen."

ested in Senator Newberry's "knowledge of the financial side of the cam-

Mr. Lucking retorted that he "in wood, Ohio, in custody of Chief of tended to prove Senator Newberry's

> **15 NEGROES ESCAPE** FROM FLORIDA JAIL

Jacksonville, Fla., June 10 .- Sheriff' deputies and the police were combing with her knowledge in their the city today in an effort to capture years ago and fifteen negroes who escaped from the Kaber's daugh- Duval county jail shortly after midnight Bars were severed with a hacksaw try. The Cleveland News an smuggled to one of the prisoners and ADVOCATES NO TREATY. is morning on information the negroes used ropes made of bed

of Lakewood, 10 windows and scale the walls about the jail.

said, but he did believe that a decent The alarm was given by a negro companionship and brotherhood of 'the "trusty", who was awakened as the two English-speaking people would fifteen prisoners disappeared over the make such a treaty unnecessary wall. "Now if that is something I shouldn'

say, I hope they'll make the best of HORACE SECOR FOUND it," he said. The admiral recounted his wartime DEAD IN APARTMENT experiences of the cordiality of the reations between the Allied naval com

mands, interspersing his remarks with New York, June 10 .- Horace Secon anecdotes and drawing enthusiastic out at one time a law partner of former bursts of applause and convulsive State Senator Page, today committed suicide at his Riverside Drive home

Sir Thomas Lipton, Lord Incheape by shooting himself through the head His son-in-law, Dr. George Herr, of Harry Gordon Selfridge, Sir Hall Caine, the Earl of Lindsay, Vice Admiral Al Southern Pines, N. C., who discovered bert W. Grant, Lord Riddell, Lord the body with a revolver nearby, said Charnwood, Captain Leake, R. N., and his father-in-law had been in failing numerous other naval officers, together health for some time. He added that Mr. Secor had won and lost several with representatives from the embas-

fortunes in the last 30 years and re- sies, were among the guests. cently had made several unfortunate investments in Wall Street.

PARTICIPATED IN ROBBERY, Hamilton, Ala., June 10 .- Ralph Tal-

mer was arested early today at the to bring to the attention of the Presihome of his mother, Mrs. George Tar dent or the Cabinet the speech of Rear mer, near Hamilton, charged with par-Admiral Simms at London, in which the admiral attacked Irish sympathiz ticipation in the robbery of the Marion county banking company here yesterday. The robbers held up Miss Mae Dunn, assistant cashier, and escaped

with \$2,097 in currency and silver. HUNDRED MINERS TRAPPED.

Peru, Ill., June 10 .- More than 100 miners are trapped in the mine of the St. Paul Railroad at Mark, ten miles south of here, by fire which broke out shortly afternoon. A rescue crew, equipped with helmets, is

Cleveland paper had announced attempting to reach the level where the majority of the men are believed to be caught.

MOLLA MALLORY DEFEATED

Beckenham, Kent., England, June 10. -(By The Associated Press).-Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, American woman's tennis champion, was defeated today in the semi-finals of the singles in the tennis tournament in progress here by Mrs. Beamish, the English star, 6-4, 6-1.

speeches in the United States and in his book. DECREASE UNFILLED TONNAGE.

American treaty. This was not so, ha

NOT SUBJECT FOR CABINET.

June

Denby said today before entering the

Cabinet meeting that he did not plan

10.—Secretari

aughter from his auditors

Washington

Mr. Cross alluded to the marked cor-

Messrs. Roger Craver and Masterman walked about four miles to Waxhaw

and telephoned back to Charlotte for diality with which Admiral Sims had aid. The ambulance of the Blake Auto Senator Newberry knew all the time been entertained by men among the Service answered the call and brought most notable in the country since his the injured and the others back to the arrival in England and he presented the Mercy Hospital here.

admiral in the characterization usually Mr. Craver was able to leave the hosapplied to Washington-"First in war, pital Friday morning after his hurts ator Watson, Republican, Indiana, de- first in peace, first in the hearts of his were attended to. Messrs. Skinner, and

Yorke are still in the hospital. Admiral Sims, in replying, said he The wrecked automobile is still lying had attempted on all occasions to say on the end of the bridge. It is said what he wanted to say and he believ- there are signs this side of the bridge,

ed he had always told the truth as he directing attention to the fact that the understood it. He was afraid he had bridge is closed and marking out two gone to excess in telling the truht, and optional routes for a detour. The young

he feared he had done so the other day men in the car failed to see these signs. -"at least in the opinion of certain peo-The right front wheel of the car hit

ple", he added. the first post of the bridge and was The admiral said he had been acclaim smashed off, the impact swinging the ed by critics as "the most popular Bri- car around and crushing the body of tish admiral in the American navy" and the machine.

had been accused of being pro-British. A long-distance telephone inquiry from Lancaster Friday morning asking "I am." continued the admiral. "Similarly, I was accused of being as to the condition of the men in the pro-French after I had been naval at car, said the detour signs placed to pretache in Paris four years. I am provent travelers going on the bridge were Britich, pro-French and pro-Allied." placed at different distances toward the Mecklenburg end of the bridge, one of

them a considerable distance from the Admiral Sims declared he also had bridge, and that the signs were obserbeen criticised for advocating an Anglo- vable at some distance.

ELKS ARE TO MEET **IN DURHAM IN 1922**

Goldsboro, June 10 .- The annual con vention of the Elks was opened here Thursday with President H. P. Dortch presiding and Secretary Thomas Kehoe reporting that 14 of the 17 lodges in the State are represented. Father Francis Gallagher, of Rocky Mount, State chaplain, opened the convention with prayer and the address of welcome was

delivered by Col. Jos. E. Robinson, of the Goldsboro lodge, past exalted ruler. W. B. Merrimen, of Greensboro, made a gracious response.

The annual election of officers result ed in the selection of "Old" Waggoner, of Durham, as president, while Secretary Kehoe was returned to his post. Mr. Kehoe, was also elected national delegate to the supreme grand lodge to meet at Los Angeles and was given \$500 to cover his expenses. Father Gallagher was chosen chaplain again. Durham was selected as the place for

holding the next annual meeting. During the afternoon, social functions featured the program, the visiting Elks, nearly 1,000 of them, being ers in the United States. The Naval transported to the fair grounds where Secretary said the matter was one he an elaborate barbecue dinner was serv-

SHOULD TAKE INITIATIVE.

Osaka, Japan, June 10 .- Resolutions providing that a petition be sent to the Japanese government asking it to take the initiative in communicating with the United States and Great Britain for the purpose of calling a conference relative to disarmament have been passed unanimously by the disarmament committee of the Chamber of Commerce here.

ADDMEDIG

2-The expenditures for repairs in 1920 were not excessive or above the average, as the commission presumed The amount set aside for depreciation is not excessive. It is unfair to compare the average set aside for repairs and

depreciation in the whole United States as the average that North Carolina companies will have to meet. Different local conditions make the amounts set aside for these items different and property. They have a way out howthus the presumption that an average

could be used as a basis is not fair lina.

AS TO DIVISION OF TOLLS.

3-The division of tolls between the Bell and American company for long U. S. NOT WORRIED. distance business is fair and adequate and constitutes a very profitable part of the business.

4-Wants to offer now evidence on following points:

Value of exchange and toll property used exclusively in handling North Carolina business.

Expense of maintaining and operatng this property; Gross and net revenue from operat

ing North Carolina property. Value of exchange property, expen-

ses of operating same, and gross and a patient waiting for a new adminisnet revenue derived from exclusive exchange service in state.

Expense for repairs last year as low as possible, and no reduction possible ica to withhold recognition. Now it apso far this year.

That if the foregoing facts are esablished the division of the tolls will there will be another period of watchnot be a material factor in the busi- ful waiting. ness.

The commission has taken the petition for a rehearing under consideration

TEXT OF PETITION.

The petition of the company in full s as follows:

"Now comes the petitioner, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph company, in the above styled cause, and after the order in said cause entered May 31st. 1921, makes application to the Corporation Commission of the State born as Carranza, the situation may said cause and as grounds for and in eventual friction and grave trouble. If support of said petition for a rehearing he proves as flexible as his friends states as follows:

"1-Your petitioner shows that the proposed from the Mexican end which rates fixed by the order of the Commis. will make Article 27 forever inoperasion, dated May 31st, 1921, will yield tive so far as lands held prior to 19!? return prayed for by it in its original stacle is overcome the making of the petition, and that the increases which treaty would be a routine affair and it desired to put into effect in North recognition would be automatic.

Carolina would have yielded a net return of less than 6 per cent upon its average investment in the State, taking its whole business in said State as a basis upon which such results were estimated. "That the value of its property used

and useful in furnishing telephone service exclusively within the State of North Carolina is largely in excess of its investment as shown by its books, and that while petitioner was, and is willing to put into effect in the State at this time rates that will yield it less than it is legally entitled to, it respectfully shows that the new rates which are put into effect by the commission are so low that they would not permit it to earn an adequate return upon its investment and would result in it earning much less upon the value of its property used and useful in furnishing telephone service exclusively in the State of North Carolina, said return from said rates being unreasonably low

(Continued on Page Three.) EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE

United States as confiscatory, population of the state

Hitherto the Mexicans have declined to 2. If the entire five million dollars admit that the Mexican constitution is not borrowed on the basis, the rewas as drastic as that in actual op- mainder of the fund will be loaned to eration but Secretary Hughes has counties in proportion to their special maneuvered the Mexicans in the posi- needs.

tion of proving his point. In a nut-CAN APPLY NOW. shell the situation has progressed a

point. The Mexicans now admit that 3. Counties may make applications their constitution confiscates foreign at once for loans from this fund on blanks to be supplied by the Superinever. They need not change their contendent of Public Instruction. These stitution. They can have their Sublanks are now being printed and will to the Bell companies in North Caro- preme Court interpret the article in be distributed at once.

dispute as not retroactive. Even then 4. Counties are at liberty to begin the United States would insist on a their building program this summer treaty so as to prevent any return to with the assurance that the loan will earlier interpretations. be available on January 1, 1922, pro-

vided the bonds are sold. If the bond market next December is not such that Officials here aren't disturbed over the entire amount is available, and the

counties desiring to secure loans will the situation. They believe the Mexsecure purchasers of the 5 per cent icans will eventually see the point bonds for the amount needed by that and give the requisite assurances. Talk of intervention proceeds as usual from particular county, this amount will be those with whom the wish is father to loaned to the counties in accordance with Sections 1 and 2 above the thought. But it can be stated pos-

itively that coercive measures of a mil-5. No loan shall be approved by the itary character are not even consider State Department of Education until ed here as an alternative to Mexican the plans for the building and the location of the same, and the size of the refusal. The real alternative is refusal district have been recommended by the to deal with the Obregon regime and director of school house planning.

This last section or rule is provided tration. President Wilson waited till Huerta got out. The Mexicans didn't in order that the counties may be provented from spending money for inadebelieve it would be possible for Amerquate buildings and locating small buildings at sections of the county pears inevitable that unless the Obrowhich will not work into the general gon administration makes a treaty county plan for school house building.

CHAIRMAN LEE PROTESTS

Of course, the danger of dissolution inside Mexico is always present when Chairman Tom Lee, of the Corpora an unrecognized regime tries to finance tion Commission, protests that his disitself or consolidate its domestic elesenting opinion in the telephone case ments. And in such a period of tenwas not a dissent from that portion of sion untoward acts are likely to occur the order relating to service and the which may force the American governextension of facilities. In discussing ment's hands. In that sense the interthis phase of the telephone decision ventionists may be pleased over the this week, your correspondent said nea turn which things have taken for it the end of the letter that Chairman Lee looks as if the negotiation will be prodissented from that portion of the order relating to service. The chairman longed. The uncertain factor is Gensays this is a mistake, and, while ne eral Obregon. If he proves as stubdoes not ask for a correction, in jus of North Carolina for a rehearing in be regarded as one that will lead to tice to him, this is written to set him straight.

JPPER CONFERENCE

NEAR HALF MILLION

Chester, S. C., June 10.-Rev. John

Roper, secretary of the Christian

Education Campaign of the Upper

South Carolina Methodist Episcopal

30,000 ACRES DEVASTATED.

Anderson district. \$26,000.

lav.

As a matter of fact the dissenting claim he is there will be a solution opinion contains this paragraph:

"I agree with the findings in the or der that it is the duty of a public service company occupying the field to furit only approximately half of the net are concerned. When once that ob- nish facilities to the full extent of its ability."

The article to which Mr. Lee objects was written after talking to the other two members of the commission, while Mr. Lee was at his home in Waynes ville. The dissenting opinion contends that, since the telephone company has not made a fair return on its money for many years past, it should be al lowed the full increase temporarily Frequent statements would be required of the company and, if it was found that it was making more than a fair

conference stated Friday that from return, the rate could be lowered. eports received up to Friday \$446,000 The statement to which Mr. Lee ob ad been subscribed, with quite a numjects was written without a second ber of charges yet to make reports. reading of the dissenting opinion, and The Drive, which has been extended on the presumption that the small inthrough Sunday is expected to go becrease allowed would not extend the rond the half million mark by Sunability of the companies to make all Columbia has raised 104,000; improvements and extensions of telereenville district \$95,000; Spartanburg phone service the public has been deistrict \$67,000; Rock Hill district, \$70. manding. The other two members of 100; Cokesburg district \$67,000, and the commission believe the increases allowed will enable the company to make all the extensions demanded, and

the chairman calls attention to that Cairo, Egypt, June 10 .- Tremendous paragraph in his dissent which agrees rains have fallen in the province (f with the findings of this associates in Dakaliyeh, in the Nile delta region this regard. north of here, and a dispatch from

NURSES' EXAMINATION. Mansurah, capital of the province, says

The semi-anual examination of ap-

could handle himself without bothering | ed. the President. Mr. Denby has not yet received a reply to his cablegram to Admiral Sims inquiring whether the admiral was correctly quoted in press dispatches published in this country. He will await a reply before taking further action.

PART OF SPEECH GARBLED.

London, June 10 .- (By the Associat ed Press.)-The reply of Rear Admiral Sims to the request of Secretary of the Navy Denby for an explanation

of his speech here Tuesday, expresses the opinion of Admiral Sims that some parts of the speech, to which objection had been taken, had been garbled. This was not learned officially, but on good authority, here today. In his answer, Admiral Sims declares he said nothing in his address

which he had not said before in

