

Rates of reduction for several minor asses of employes were added to the der today, which was issued as an im to decision 147, the original sage reduction order. Chefs and other estaurant workers, dining car emoves, laundry workers and porters were named in the added sections of he decision. Reductions of sixty per cent of the increases granted such employes since February 29, 1920, were rected for these employes.

Added sections covering marine orkers set the monthly rates of pay railroad marine employes in New Philadelphia, Hampton Roads, New Orleans, Natchez, Miss.; Cairo, a: St. Louis, Duluth, Minn., and on ne Tennessee river.

NEW WAGE DECISION WILL GO INTO EFFECT ON JULY 1

Chicago, June 27 .- The new wage desion of the United States Raildoad abor Board will make a reality of the \$400,000,000 annual savings expected when the board's twelve per t cut effective July 1, is applied to employes on all railroads known class one carriers. The decision, mawn up as addendum to the wage ction order of June 1, adds pracally every railroad in the class one vision to the original list of 104 roads authorized to make the 12 per cent

When the reduction order was issued was estimated that, if applied to all oployes on all class one roads, it would lop approximately four hundred dollars from the country's rail ead labor bill.

The new decision will make this cu ssible, by ordering reduced wages employes not included in the ginal case and also by including eni-Wes on roads which were not parties the first hearing.

#### APPLICATIONS POURED IN.

immediately following the announceint of the board's wage cut on June roads from every section of the y poured in their application to labor board for authority to make milar reductions. A hearing set for included a total of 164 roads In the next two weeks sixty-one ere submissions were made and in wied in a hearing for June 20. A few ads, which had not included all classes employes in their first petitions for cuons, came in with the remaining asses in the last hearing.

Many of the roads which asked reduc ons for only a part of their employes the original hearing in May, came ack with applications to cover all emoyes in these two later hearings. ually every railroad in the country ffected by the labor board's six hunmillion dollar wage award of July 320, was included in one or more of three hearings.

### ASKED LARGER CUT.

following the twelve per cent reducwhich was generally unsatisfac to the roads, the carriers returned board with added insistence that 1920 wage award be wiped out. board, however, was not inclined hange its scale of reductions dein the June 1 decision and v added to that decision employes ed in the subsequent hearings. the two June hearings, the roads the most part, contented themes with reiterating the evidence prein May. Their arguments consted chiefly of cost of living statisand comparison of railroad wages in outside industries. The es took up other factors laid by the transportation act to be idered in the determination of jus reasonable wages. Hazards of em-

The 18 men indicted by the two Cook county grand juries which investigated the case were: Chick Gandil, White Sox first base man in 1919.

Eddie Cicotte and Claude Williams White Sox pitchers. Swede Risberg, white Sox shortstop, Buck Weaver, White Sox third base

man. Happy Felsch and Joe Jackson White Sox outfielders.

Fred McMullin, White Sox utility William Burns, former major league first baseman.

Abe Attell, David Zelser, Louis and Ben Levi, Carl Zork, Ben Franklin Rachel Brown and Joseph J. Sullivan alleged gamblers, who are charged

with organizing the reported conspir acy.

### TWO NOT TO ATTEND.

Zork and Franklin were not expense ed at the trial, although under bond both having sent affidavits that they were too ill to come here from their nomes in St. Louis.

Brown, Sullivan and Barnes were never apprehended, while Attell won his fight against extradition fron New York and Chase's fight agains extradition from California was no contested by the authorities there and will not be tried unless they volun-

tarily appear. All the others were under bond and their attorneys said they would appear for trial. The taking of testimony is not ex pected to start for at least a week, atto meet again next month. orneys for both sides estimating that

t would take at least that long to get jury. Of the 18 defendants, all but the four -Lewis, Zork, Franklkin and Zelser-

were indicted last September when the first grand jury investigation was made The state was not ready to prosecute when the trial was called and a sec

and grand jury probe resulted in in dictment of the 13 originally known and also of the Levis, Zork, Franklin and Zelser.



Yonkers, N. Y., June 27 .- Testimony osteopath, in the divorce trial of James A. Stillman, New York banker, against Mrs. Anne U. Stillman, has been strickken from the record by Ref-

eree Daniel J. Gleason. This was announced today by John F. Brennan attorney for Mrs. Stillman, who said he had been so notified by the referes. Dr. Russell testified that Mrs. St." man had confided to him that Mc Stillman was not the father of Guy Stillman, whose paternity is one of the ssues in the case. This admission, Dr.

Russell testified, was made in \*a of professional treatment. course Counsel for the defense attacked the testimony and moved that it be strick

en out. The referee also sustained the mo ion to strike out a letter offered by Stillman, Mr. Brennan declared. This was said to have been found by

Mrs. Mary Kelly on Mrs. Stillman's iressing table. It was said to have been addressed to Fred Beauvais, corespondent, by Mrs. Stillman. The leter was said to have contained evidence in the form of an admission concerning the parentage of the baby Guy.

STRIKE CONFERENCE **RESUMED IN LONDON** 

London, June 27-(By the Associated

publicans, Slavs, Germans, and followers of former Premier Nitti.

The result was greeted by the fascisti and the nationalists with loud cries of "Resign" addressed to Count Sforza.

The opposition leaders regarded the close vote as a demand for the resignaother man he would kill her tion of Count Sforza, arguing that the This afternoon Miss Ecklin and small majority included all the memgirl friend went out walking with two

bers of the government without whose votes the government would have been in the minority.

**EXECUTIVE COUNCIL** 

As they were walking slowly along CONSIDER PROGRAM Fifth street about 7 o'clock, footsteps were heard behind but no attention Denver, Colo., June 27 .- Plans for was paid to them until Miss Ecklin making effective at once the 1921 prowas suddenly seized by the arm and gram of organized labor were discussswung around. . The others ed here today at a special meeting of party turned to see Cox with a rethe executive council of the American volver in his hand, which he brandish-Federation of Labor. The council, ed, his face deathly white and his which was called into executive session body quivering with excitement.

by President Samuel Gompers, had be FIRES TWICE INTO BODY. fore it the resolutions and declarations

adopted at the federation's forty-first "What did I tell you?" he shouted annual convention, which closed here and before any one could reach him Saturday

city.

he thrust the pistol against the gir Legislative matters, it was understood and fired. Her body swayed slightly would be the first to receive the counand he fired again, the second bulle cil's attention. Steps to carry out the taking effect within four inches of the convention's instructions on the Irish first.

question also were up for consideration Dropping the girl he stepped back a and the railroad situation and numerpace and placed the revolver agains ous other matters affecting the labor his own body and pulled the trigge movement were scheduled for attention. then falling with his face to the pave After mapping out a tentative proment. The young woman was taken to

the Washington hospital while " gram of action, the council will adjourn young man was carried to the Fowle Memorial hospital.

defeated

political

The

Miss Ecklin regained consciousness, HARDING TO PRESIDE but at 10 o'clock last night she was AT BUDGET MEETING in a critical condition. Cox was operated on and the doctors think he will recover.

organizations.

legislation. Present conditions in the

United States, the resolution added.

made it impossible for a political group

ingham palace today a deputation of

Washington, June 27.—President Miss Ecklin is a daughter of Mr. and Harding will preside at a meeting Wed-Mrs. J. H. Ecklin, of this city. Cox is nesday afternoon of all government employed in a local business establish officials dealing with preparation of esment.

> ADOPT ATTITUDE ON POLITICAL STRIKES

Detroit. various independent commissions party's policy toward general and poand bureaus outside the departmental litical strikes and its attitude toward given by Dr. Hugh Russell, Buffalo structure, chief clerks of the departorganized labor was up for decision in ments and the chiefs of the departmentthe party's national convention here toal bureaus. Mr. Dawes said the condav

ference would be a preliminary step Left wing communists, who so far co-ordination of government toward have met defeat in all the issues they expenditueres. have put forward, offered a proposal to

The meting will bring together the entire business organization of the government for the first time, Mr. Dawes said, with the President presiding "as proposal too would be head of the corporation." The director would not discuss his plans in detail.

tion, which declared the general strike to be a weapon for the exclusive use of USERS OF BITUMINOUS labor strike, the resolution declared, might COAL ADVISED TO BUY be used by either labor or political parties to obtain passage or repeal of

Washington, June 27 .- Railroads and other large users of bituminous coul were urged today by the Interstate Com-

to call such a strike. merce Commission to acquire a large reserve supply of such fuel now "while conditions are easy".

The commission's views were forth in a letter from Chairman Clark to T. Dewitt Cuyler, charman of the As policy sociation of Railway Executives, Mr riat. Clark said the "production and trans

portation of bituminous n: has been disappointingly small this summer and is now at a disappointingly low stage" FARMER DIES FROM

INJURIES SUSTAINED

Both Miss Ecklin and Cox are we'l known here. It is said that they have been going together but that they quar relled about two weeks ago and that

Cox had not been to see the girl since. He is reported to have told her that if accounts, which are to be under a .pe he ever saw her in company with an-

cial comptroller of the Postoffice Department, also created by the new law.

in the

MANY CO-ORDINATED

young men. After taking some pic-Many government activities will be co tures in the outskirts of town, one of ordinated under the Comptreller. He the young men left them and the other will inherit the duties, pr. sonner staff, young man accompanied them to the documents and offices of the Comptroll-

er of the Treasury, whose position, and these of six auditors for various gov ernment departments are abolished by the new act.

The Comptroller's term of ojce is fif teen years and he is made ineligible for re-appointment. A similar term is given an assistant comptroller. Their respec tive salaries are \$10,000 and \$7,500. Botl are subject to removal for imprope conduct, by joint resolution of Congress

requiring the President's approval, and may not serve after reaching the age of 70. The Comptroller's term of office is fif-

with the investigation of all matters relating to the receipts, disbursement and application of public funds, with way and another would feel free to reports to the President and Congress interpret it another way that Secretary recommending legis non to facilitate Hughes has asked for a treaty between the governmen s fiscal affairs. The law the two countries so that a violation also requires recommendations "looking of it could not be regarded merely as a repudiation of the former administrato greater economy or efficiency in pub lic expenditures". He required to report especially every expenditure or

PLAYING POLITICS. government contract in violation of law

# EXPECTNOMINATION OF GRISSOM SHORTLY

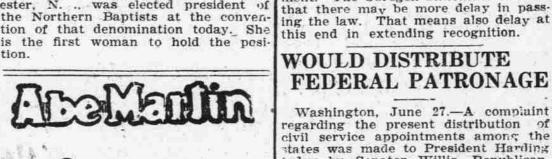
BY PARKER ANDERSON Staff Correspondent of The News,

Washington, June 27 .- The nomina tion of Gilliam Grissom of McLeans ville, to be Collector of Internal Rev enue at Raleigh is expected to be sen to the Senate this week. Early today National Committeeman, Morehead file the recommendation of Grissom and the Charlotte man expects quick ac tions

June 27.-The Socialist The reason that Grissom's name ho not been submitted earlier was because it had been hoped that plans could h made to establish the office of western collector before the change at Paleish is made. It looks like there may be ing of the famous article twenty-sever more delay than expected in re-estab In President Obregon's statement, he ishing the office at Winston-Salem so promises in effect to have a law passed it has been decided to let Grissom's use the political and general strike as name go to the President without confiscatory feature." in interpreting a revolutionary weapon. Centrist and waiting for the additional office which the constitution. The government here right wing groups were confident this is certain to be established in the num is pleased to note that promise but and prefers to await the actual fulfillment future. predicted adoption of their own resolu-

#### WOMAN HEADS BAPTISTS.

Iowa, June 27 .-- Mrs Des Moines. Helen Barrett Montgomery, of Rochment. The Obregon statement indicate ester, N. .. was elected president of the Northern Baptists at the convention of that denomination today. She is the first woman to hold the pesi



the entire American contention and offi will have charge of government financials of the Department of State insist ces, expeditures of appropriations, audit that there is no other obstacle in the ing of all expenditures, settlement and way of recognition of Obregon and the without these two men, while it also adjustment of claims of and against the re-establishment of friendly relations was predicted that he would insist government, and managing of all fiscal with Mexico than a clear understanding upon release of other men now interned affairs with the exception only of postal on that point.

HIGHLY GRATIFIED.

The Washington government express-

ed itself informally today as highly gratified with the assurance given by President Obregon in the paragraph significant change in the attitude of quoted above as indicating Mexican the British premier, who, earlier in the policy but, until such a declaration is year, had excepted certain Sinn Feinmade in substantial form to the United ers from those whom he would be will-States, it can have no validity. It was ing to receive as negotiators. The men not denied at the Department of State excepted had been denounced in the that Mexico had once before given assurance that article twenty-seven of the Mexican constitution governing oil the premier's invitation, it is generally leases would not be retroactive but it was also pointed out that, since that regime issued decrees which were plain. ly retroactive. While these decrees were never enforced, it is also fact that they stand on the records as a club

of that promise before playing the one

card at its dosposal at present, namely

formal recognition of the Obregon

Ohio, and several Ohio representatives.

ents.

believed that the government will make energetic preparations for a vigorous essurance was given, the Carranza campaign to suppress Sinn Fein activi ties in the west and south. Troops which could be used for this purpose are constantly arriving in Ireland. In they never were withdrawn and that some sources, it is predicted that the services of British troops may be need that can be used by any Mexican Presi. ed even if de Valera consento to negodent at any time he desires. It is tiate, as it is held that he will be unable precisely that one Mexican executive to stop the activities of Sinn Fein riflemen without British help. would interpret the constitution in one

#### MODERATES ANXIOUS.

Moderate Sinn Feiners are represent d as being extremely anxious that de alera accept Premier Lloyd-George's invitation. It is said that they can see no possibility of ending the conflict under present conditions and that they fear terrible results if an intensified

It is stated in some quarters that

de Valera would not go to London

Or imprisoned in order that they might

accompany him. It was pointed out

that the wording of the premier's let-

ter would make it impossible for him to

refuse such a demand. This was con-

sidered to constitute a remarkable and

In the event that de Valera refuse

house of commons as murderers.

military campaign is begun as a re-The Department of State is curious to know why it is that the Mexican sult of rejection of Lloyd-George's over government is so ready to give assur- tures.

An authority anonymously quoted ance to American newspapers that arby The Daily Mail in dispatches from ticle twenty-seven is not and will not b Dublin declared that peace would b construed as retroactive but is unwilling to make such a declaration to the possible if the British government United States government in a form agreed to permit Ireland to govern herthat will be permanently binding on self, excluding only matters pertaining Mexico. The inference, which officials to foreign relations, the army, navy are inclined to convey is that Mexico and other strategical considerations and if the six northern counties were wisher to have American public opingranted by the rest of Ireland such ion believe the hard-hearted American measures of self-government as de Valgovernment is oppressing her while, at era has indicated his willingness to the same time( the Obregon regime professes to be willing to meet every deconcede, within the limits of an autonomous Ireland. Such a settlement, how mand made by the United States. The ever, this authority pointed out, would State Department here is not interested in the form of any declaration that involve abandonment of the demand for may be made but in the substance. complete independence and might for There may be a way out when Mexico that reason be repudiated by the extremists. enacts a law actually giving the mean-

## STRATEGIC MANEUVER which will "include no constructive nor OR PANG OF HONESTY?

Belfast June 27 .- In a message tele graphed here from Paris, where he is acting for Irish republican interests. Zean O'Ceallaigh, member of the Irish republican parliament, says:

'Mr. Lloyd-George's invitation to exegime as a de facto or de jure governlore the possibilities of a settlement, independence is not included, will undoubtedly receive the earnest consideration of President de Valera, and the Irish cabinet.'

The unionist newspaper Northern Whig, takes exception to Premier Lloyd-George's attempt to "draw Ulster into a conference with the Sinn

Fein," declaring Lloyd-George is not treating Sir James Craig, the Ulster egarding the present distribution of premier, fairly in asking him to meet civil service appointments among the with de Valera.

"What is Ulster to do with de Valtoday by Senator Willis, Republican, era's absurd claim that he has set up a republic in the country?" the paper They asked that, in the government re- demands.

#### organization now under way, each state ENDS "REPUBLIC"? be given as nearly as possible its pro-

The News Letter says: "We are disportionate share of Federal appoint closing no secret when we say that According to figures compiled by Senthis invitation for a conference is a tor Willis and placed before the Pressisequel to the bringing into being of

The centrist and right wing groups have been in complete control of the 1031 Eclin convention and routed the left wing communists yesterday when the latter sought to have included in the party "dictatorship by the proleta VIRGINIA DELEGATION IS RECEIVED BY KING London, June 27 .- (By The Associated Press.)-King George received in Buck-

The meeting was called today at the direction of the President by Charles Dawes, director of the budget. Those included in the call are the secretaries of the executive departments and assistant secretaries, heads

timates of expenditure for Congress.

