## MILLER INSISTS HE **QUOTED PRESIDENT** WITHOUT AN ERROR

Miller Tells Muscle Shoals Committee Again That He Did Not Misquote President in Message.

FORD THROUGH WITH COMMITTEE

Tells Chairman Norris He Will Not Be Represented Further at the Hearing Being Conducted.

(By the Associated Press.) (By the Associated Press.)
Washington, May 7.—James Martin
Miller, who in a telegram quoted President Coolidge as saying he was trying
to deliver Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford,
told the Senate Agriculture Committee
today that he had "correctly and truthfully stated the facts" in the message
which he sent to Ford's secretary, wihin 25 minutes after an interview with
the President.
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he President, Miller said, did not de-ay that the interview had taken place. Mr. Coolidge, he insisted, brought up the subject of Muscle Shoals. "The branding of the telegram as a lie is a gross political dissemination," by

said.
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Bord's.

Before Miller took the stand, Chairman Norris inserted in the record the letter sent to the committee by Henry Ford in which the manufacturer said that he would not be represented further before the committee, giving as one of his reasons. "the recent efforts of Chairman Norris to reflect upon the integrity of the President of the United States in connection with our offer for Muscle Shoals."

Shoals."
At the same time the chairman issued a statement declaring that Ford's letter was an "attempt to shift the attention of the public from the real question at issue," and adding that he would continue his course in trying to "save for the people the valuable inheritance of our particular resources."

J. H. CHERRY ORDERED BEFORE CLERK OF COURT

Manager of Southern States Finance Company Must Appear Before Clerk of Mecklenburg Court.

of Meddenburg Court.

(By the Associated Press.)

Charlotte, May 7.—An order instructing J. H. Cherry, manager and secretary-treasurer of the Southern States

Finance Company, to appear tomorrow morning and show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt of court, was issued here today, by J. M. Yandle, elerk of the Mecklenburg Superior Court. clerk of the Mecklenburg Superior Court Cherry is alleged to have refused to per mit an auditor employed by eleven stock holders of the concern, to examine the although he had an order from

incident grew out of a suit filed by Martin L. Tucker and others from Union county, alleging mismanagement of the company. The officers of the concern deny the charges.

How to Dodge Divorce.

Chicago, May 7.—Fried chicken, properly browned, with a prelude of onion soup, mashed potatoes with a well of melted butter in the crater, hot biscuits and honey and custard pie of liberal depth, will go a long way toward mending the ragged edges of the matrimonial craft,

ing the ragged eages of the marrinous, craft.

Leo Sadwell and his wife, Anna, appeared in the Court of Domestic Relations last Friday, seeking a separation. The judge asked them if they loved each other and both admitted that point. He then instructed Mrs. Sadwell to go home and prepare the best Sunday dinner she could frame up and ordered both of them to report back to him today.

"Was the dinner all right? the courtnsked Leo.

"Then I don't see why you two can't this morning. The entire morning was get along well together."
"Neither do we," both exclaimed, as they went into a long clutch and left the court hand-in-hand.

Supuerior Court here at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The entire morning was taken up in the selection of a jury The trial is scheduled to last for several days.

The Big Removal Sala of the several days.

Many young women of the English aristocray, "tired of doing nothing," have found employment recently as mannequins. One of the latest of these recruits is Miss Elizabeth Ponsonby, whose father is Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the British Government. Miss Ponsonby is appearing daily in a fashion parade in a fashionable West End shop, where there are six mannequins stated to be the most beautiful in London.

John M. S. Acee, of Amsterdam, clothing store proprietor, his wife, three children and a sister-in-law were among those killed. Trainmen said the Acee car stalled on the track.

Ambition means the desire for so ing better and finer in your life.



dementary Worker, Sunday Schoo Board, Nashville, Tenn., Will Teach "Plans and Programs," at Baptist Training School Now on Here."

Interest There Centers in Race for the Republican Gubernatonrial Nomination.

Indianapolis, May 7 (By the Associated Press).—President Coolidge's walkaway victor over Senator Hiram Johnsen in the Republican primary, giving him 33 more votes in the national convention almost faded from the sight of political observers today with interest. political political observers today with interest centered in the contest for the Republican nomination for governor ,which centuated the Ku Klux Klan issue,

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Ed. Jackson, secretary of state, run-ning with the Ku Klux Klan support, had far outstripped his five opponents for the gubernatorial nomination, and in deing so apparently had gained a ma-jority vote, making his selection bind-ing on the state convention that meets late this month.

In the Democratic contests interest also centered in the nominee for gover-mor, and while Dr. Carleton B. McCul-loch who headed the state ticket at the last election, led in the eight-man con-test, it was soon apparent that he would

test, it was soon apparent that he would fail of a majority vote, leaving the nomination to the state convention

No votes were cast by the Democrat on a presidential preferen

After Series of Quiet Sessions Daugher ty Committee Is Back to More Color ful Fields.

(By the Associated Press.)
Washington, May 7.—After a series
of quiet sessions devoted to anti-trust
problems, the Senate Daugherty Commitinvestigation today today swung back to the more colorful fields presented by the activities of Howard Mannington, and by the events leading up to the in-dictment of Senator Wheeler in Mon-

detailed story of money paymen A detailed story of money payments to Mannington in whiskey, tax and ship to administro in winskey, tax and snip-ping board cases was told the committee by M. P. Kraffmiller, who said he had lived with Mannington for a time. He declared the money was collected on the basis of Mannington's supposed close-ness to Attorney General Daugherty, and

ere attained. W. J. Burns, chief of the Justice De-W. J. Burns, chief of the Justice Department's investigation bureau, conceded during a tumultuous half hour on the stand, that Daugherty had ordered a Department agent assigned to investigate Senator Wheeler, and that he had heard Senator wheeler, and that he mad heart Daugherty and Geo. B. Lockwood, sec-retary of the Republican National Com-mittee, talking over Wheeler's indict-ment before it was returned.

TRIAL OF JENKINS IS BEGUN IN THOMASVILLE

Entire Morning Taken Up With Selec-tion of Jury—Trial Will Last Several Days.

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The Big Removal Sale at Efird.s The Removal Sale at Efird's, wh Charlotte Men Released on Bond.

(By the Associated Press.)

Charlotte, May 7.—Six Charlotte business men and a former policeman, arrested on April 27 in a raid on the Bachgelor's Club here, today were bound over to the October term of the U. S. District Court on the charge of possessing liquor in violation of the national prohibition law, after a hearing here.

Many recommendation of the Man and the state of the country and the sales experts will be opened and has been stocked with soods to take care of the crowd. Three business released on bond. store will be occupied soon and it is planned to move into it with a bran new stock of goods. That is why the prices on the goods, in the present store are being cut so deep. See double page ad, in this paper today.

(By the Associated Press.) (By the Associated Press.)
Washington, May 7.—Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post,
and J. W. Zevely, of counsel for Harry
F. Sinclair, were called as witnesses today before the special oil grand jury in
the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

Severe Earthquake Recorded. Manila, P. I., May 7.—A severe earth-quake, the center of which is believed to have been about 625 miles off the eastern coast of the Philippines, was re-corded here at noon today. There were

## WHICH ARE YOU?

For several years the people of Concord have realized that the city needs a modern hotel. The present hotel facilities have given the city a black-eye and the cry has been loud and long "Build a Modern Hotel."

The opportunity to get the hotel is before the people The realty company which bought the St. Cloud Hotel property several months ago is in position now to give the city a hotel in keeping with the city's needs. As soon as the company can sell enough stock in the new hotel to carry the project work on the structure will be started.

You are thus given an opportunity to assist in giving the city what it needs more than anything else. The fate of

the new hostelry rests with the people.

It has already been learned that some of the people who did the most talking about the need of the hotel have been among the first to turn down the canvasse's when given an opportunity to purchase some of the hotel stock. Do you belong to that class?

Are you a "talker" or a "doer"? Are you the kind of Are you a tarker or a doer ? Are you die kind of citizen that denounces the present facilities and yet refuses to assist in the work of getting something better? Are you the kind of citizen that is willing to sit back while the other men and women build a greater Concord?

PRESIDENT IS READY TO FIGHT FOR VIEWS

Thinks Immigration Bill as Applies to Japan Should Not Become Effective on July First.

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early trading, because of strong Liverpool cables, renewed covering by near ment shorts, and reports of lower temperatures in the opinion of experts of the Department of Agriculture, a government statement issued today, shows that while the emergence from hiberunatical while the sufficient weevils to do very serious damage in almost all sections.

BY PHILADELPHIA POLICE

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The fat men, the bureau found, lost more weight when subjected to uncomfortably hot temperatures, but they were less exhausted when they were relieved. In a state of rest and in still air, the experiments disclosed the human body cannot endure indefinitely a temperature higher than 90 degrees fahrenheit with 100 per cent, relative humidity.

Pulse rate, rather than rise in bodily temperature, it was discovered, apparently determines the extent of discomfort in high temperature. Subjects became very uncomfortable when the pulse reached 135 pulsations a minute, and unbearable symptoms appeared at 160. The highest pulse rate recorded was 184.

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The American society of heating and ventilating engineers co-operated in the experiments, which were designed to afford a study of conditions as they might affect miners.

The men were when they will remain until Friday, the accompanied by a troop of national guard.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IN STATE SESSION

Breakfast Conferences Started Busy Day for Women Attending Meeting in

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, May 7.—The administration fight against the immigration bill provision, making Japanese exclusion effective on July 1st, will be carried to the floor of the Senate and House when the bill comes u pfor final action.

President Coolidge informed Congressional leaders today that he regarded the date set as entirely to seon I to permit to health, social service, civic and joint date set as entirely to seon I to permit to permit to maught.

sional leaders today that he regarded the date set as entirely too soon to permit of the diplomatic arangement he wants to make with Japan, and steps were taken immediately afterward to line up those who sympathize with his view to oppose acceptance of the conference report.

The President favors March 1st, 1926 as the effective date of the exclusion prevision, and he is hopeful that at least a few months delay beyond the rate fixed by the conference sinally will be agreed to by Congress.

COLD WEATHER DID NOT KILL ALL THE WEEVILS

Department of Agriculture

New March 1st, 1926 at today's general session.

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Department of Agriculture Warns the Farmers to Take No Chances With Insect This Year.

Washington, May 7.—Many cotton farmers are placing too much confidence in last January's cold weather, and are expecting a lighter invasion of boll weevils than they will actually experience this year, in the opinion of experts of the Department of Agriculture, the Intest information available, a gov.

With Our Advertisers,
The Automatic refrigerator is constructed so as to eliminate all waste of space. At the Concord Furniture Co.
The Southern Motor Co. is the dealer for Goodyear tires and Willard Batteries.

Mercury to Pass Slowly Over Sun This Afternoon 8

Williams Bay, Wis., May 6.—The planet Mercury will pass slowly ever the sun on the afternoon of May 7th, appearing as a small black dot on its brilliant script as a small black dot on its brilliant script as a small black dot on its brilliant script as a small black dot on its brilliant script as a small black dot on its brilliant script as surface when viewed with a proper telest, scope, but it will be invisible to the sun and the properties of the sun and the sun for Pacific time. Three minutes later Mercury's image will fall wholly upon the sun. It will thereafter move southwesterly across the sun at the rate of one diameter of Mercury in every three minutes. The end of the transit will be 31.880.000 miles from the earth and its angular diameter projected upon the sun will be about one hundred and sixtient that of the sun.

At 3.42.6 minutes, central time, the edge of the planet will touch the north point of the sun's disk. It next pair will be in 2004 ant 2012.

MRS. LYDIA YATES HILLIARD



Elementary Secretary of N. C. S. S., Ral-eigh, N. C., Will teach "Juniors: How to Teach and Train Them," at the Baptist Training School now in Ses-sion Here,

SEEMS ABOUT OVER

Killing of One Rebel, Capture of Another and Surrender of Rebel Leader Announced.

Havana, Cuba, May 7.—Killing of one ebel, capture of another, and the surrender of Eusibio Leoni, with fourteen nen in Santa Clara province, was offi-

Morrison,
Reports of committees including the nominating committees were to be heard at today's general session.

THE COTTON MARKET
Showed Increased Firmness in Early Trading Due to Strong Liverpool Cables.

(By the Associated Press.)
San Francisco, May 7.—Overnight returns from yesterday's Presidential primary election gave the following results from 4.618 of the state's 6.974 precincts: Johnson 203,684; Coolidge 219,943; MeAdoo 78,033; democratic no-preference 13,791.

In the foregoing thoulation the Coolidge ticket.land a majority of 16,259 over the Johnson delegates. Fifty-two of the Scounties are represented in the figures.

The resolution submitted to the Henderson estate asked for modification of the original plan to provide for seventy to seventy-five lots which would have been sold to provide additional land needed to guarantee a first c'ass eighteen hole golf course.

The additional land was urged as necessary by the golf expert here to lay off the course.



MONEY IS LIKE A CHILD-IT GROWS.

A certain merchant put one dol-

on the second birthday; three dollars on the third, and so on.

When each of his children reached the age of twenty-one, each had over three hundred dollars.

Money grows and grows and grows. The longer you keep it invested the faster it increases.

Even on a moderate income, anyone may accumulate enough so that the earnings from the savings will bring independence in later life.

Today, it may look a long way off, but years speed by. The child quickly grows up. And savings added to savings, when rightly invested, soon total to large sums.

NEW SERIES NOW OPEN

CITIZENS BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION

Office in Citizens Bank Building ~~~~~~~~~~

RUSSIAN EXILES HEAR RED REGIME IS FAILING

Moscow Dispatches to Paris Colony Say
Change in Power Is Coming.
Paris, May 6.—Exiled Russians living in
Paris are greatly cheered by reports
arriving almost daily from Moscow of an
impending change. The struggle for in Paris are greatly cheered by repearing almost daily from Moscow of an impending change. The struggle for power between the Stalia triumvirate including also Kameneff and between groups if the modern groups if in the opinion of R State Interest in the opinion opinio

The grand Duke is living quietly in a small country house same 20 miles from Paris, near Choisy-Le-Roi.

"I never until now have received presentative of the press," said he correspondent of the Associated Pre

sia remarked:

"The Russian problem is so wide and so intricate that it is impossible to embrace it as a whole in a single conversation. I can give you my views on its principal points. What is going on in Russia is well known to all who take a real interest in the subject of arbitrary dealings, reign of terror, lawlessless, violence, total disregard for private property, exactions and famine. All things holy have been reviled; great numbers of bishops, priests and monks have been protied; great numbers of bishops, priests and monks have been protied; great numbers and every moment run the risk of sharing the same fate.

"The Bolshevists are attempting to destroy the soul of the people; they want to uproot all moral and religious foundations. However, neither persecutions nor a frantic propaganda of godlessness has been able to tear out from their hearts the faith of the people. Their religious viality is sure to be immitted.

hearts he faith of the people. Their religious vitality is sure to be unmitest-ed sooner or later through the moral bankruptcy of the Communistic power and prove once more the people's fidelity to the Orthodox Clurch. Russia has liv-ed by faith and faith will save her."

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All Creeds Persecuted.

"The Orthodox Church is not the only noe which is persecuted by the Bolshevists," he continued. "So are all other creeds, and all those who have any religion. War is being waged against God," At another moment the Grand Duke bemarked: "With regard to the material side of life the usurpers of power have succeeded in bringing our immensely rich country to a state of frightful destruction. It is very difficult to speak of the future and much more so to predict it. One thing is clear, to be saved from destruction Russia and her many millions must be liberated from Communistic rule. We cannot know either the time or the conditions under which this long-hoped for liberation will be achieved.

"Living in foreign lands we must not decide for the Russian people the fundamental questions of Russia's political constitution; they can be resolved only on Russian soil and in agreement with the aspirations of the Russian people. The new era after the downfall of the Communistic power must begin by pacification and redemption from the state of ruin and degradation to which it has been reduced."

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"Incalculable hatred and exasperation have accumulated during these troubled times. How many young people have been completely demoralized in every respect! Godlessness, corruption and the absence of any principle, without which no state can exist, are indications of the present time. Peace, legality and order must take the place of arbitrary rule; those who have been reduced to despair by terrible sufferings must be allowed to breathe freely and made to feel that they are really free; constructive work in common must follow the period of destruction. This work must unite all the living forces of the country, all those to whom their country's welfare is infinitely more precious than personal interests.

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"At the present time Russia is governed by one party in hebalf of a state "At the present time Russia is governed by one party in behalf of a class and in the community must go the expert international interests. Its place outst be taken by a national non-party Government free from class interests. This fits of health education for the individual the same time just and enlightened. It must become the guardian of legality and the sacred rights of personal and civil liberty.

"Slow and sure" is all right if you're duite sure you're not too slow.

"The cessation of class and national "The cessation of class and national hatred, the prevention of violence and every kind of lawlessness and the right of free development of national life to the peoples who compose the Russian State—such are the fundamental ryinciples upon which must be based the regeneration of Russia."

Woman Injured by Chicken,

Salisbury, May 7.—Mrs. N. E. Hutchison, a young woman of this city, was still confined to her bed as the result of a wound inflicted on Monday when a rooster spurred her in the right ankle as she went into the back yard to feed the chickens. Physicians administered tetanus anti-toxin in the hope of prerenting lockjaw.

## APPEARS NEARER

Methodists of the North Vote to Join With the Southern Methodists.-Vote Was Overwhelming,

APPLAUSE GREETED OUTCOME OF VOTING

Committee of Bishops of the Southern Church Received the Results While in Session.

Session.

By the Associated Press.)

Springfield, Mass., May 7.—The unification of the Methodist Episcopal Church with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South was ratified by the Methodist Episcopal General Conference here today.

Amid wild applause, Bishop Wm. Frazer McDowell, of Washington, concluded his speech on the report submitted by the special commission on unification. Dr. David G. Downey, of New York, moved that it be adopted, and Wm. A. C. Hughes a negro delegate from Washington, D. C., seconded the motion.

The council of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, is in session at Nashville, Tenn., awaiting the Conference's action, it was announced, and the vote will be communicated to the Council at once.

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The action of the Methodist Episcopal Conference today, if confirmed by the Southern Church, will end a break that was created 80 years ago by a Southern bishop's ownership of slaves.

The report on unification was made by a special commission appointed by the General Conference at Des Moines in 1920. It met with a similar commission appointed by the Southern Church at Cincinnati in January, 1923. A joint committee appointed there prepared the plan approved today, and it was accepted by the joint commission at Cleveland the following July.

The college of bishops of the Southern Church was in session today at Nashville, Tenn., and by the plan the college was instructed that when a plan of unification was approved by the Northern Chared by a two-shirds cote, the cell a special session of the Southern church conference.

GREENSBORO COLLEGE TO BEGIN CLOSE MAY 24

Recital Will Open Commencement Exer-cises—Bishop Denny to Preach Bac-calaureate Sermon. Greensboro, May 6.—Commencement exercises' will begin at Greensboro col-lege on Saturday, May 24, invitations issued state. A recital by the school of expression that evening will be the first thing.

thing.

On the next day the baccalaurente sermon will be preached by Bishop Collins Denny, of Richmond, Va., at 11 o'clock in the morning. He will address the Young Women's Christian association that evening.

The next day, Monday, will see class

day exercises and alumnae meetings. The alumnae will meet at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and at the five the seniors will have their exercises. A student-dumnae dinner will start at 8 p. m. the

same evening.

The graduating exercises will be held on Tuesday, May 27, with the address to the senior and delivery of diplomas to them. The address will be made by George B. Cromer, of Newberry, S. C.

The Necessity of Nutrition.
Atlanta, May 7.—Fleet feet, bowed legs and ankles, crippled digestions, bad teeth, defective noses and threats, and similar conditions are evidence of faul-

WHAT SMITTY'S WEATHER CAT SAYS



Unsettled weather with probably local howers tonight and Thursday, no change