





When official announcement of death of Woodrow Wilson was mad e, flags of all foreign embassies, with exception of German, were placed at half-mast. Left to right: France, England, and Germany. The latter, under pressure, agreed to place flag at half-mast during funeral cerem onies.

NEVADA TRYING AN EXPERIMENT

First Legal Execution by Lethal Gas Scheduled for Today at Nevada's State Prison.

Woodrow Wilson is not dead. As the telegram read, Transported to loftier station, Mid the turmoil and strife Of his wonderful life.

ONE PARDONED AT LATE HOUR

(By The Associated Press.)
Carson City, Nev., Feb. 8.—
Nevada will have its first execution by lethal gas when a Chinaman goes to his death in the gas chamber today. Thomas Russell, a white man, sentenced to die at the

same time, was repreived to life imprisonment late last night by the governor.

By L. C. OWEN
Corpright, 1921, by The Advance
Carson City, Nev., Feb. 8.—In this little far Western community—according to population records the smallest state capital in the union-modern science prepared today to join hands with the ancient Mosaic law of "an eye for an eye and tooth for a tooth" in legally snuffing out two human lives.

Some time between sun-up and noon today, two men both convicted of murder will be led by guards into a little stone igloo in the middle of the state prison, a mile from town lnside, the igloo will be two steel cells in which they will be locked. Then a heavy steel outer door which will make their prison a hermetically sealed cubicle will be clanged shut upon them.

Almost immediately another guard

upon them.

Almost immediately another guard Almost immediately another guard will turn a petcock on a pipe connecting a small steel tank with the interior of the little stone house, An infinitesimal part of a second later it is expected that the souls of the two prisoners will have been ushered into eternity.

The turning of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the policy of the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results and the petcock and its quick or slow results and the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and its quick or slow results will mark the petcock and the p

be success or failure of Nevada's, and also the world's, first lethal gas execution.

The two men to be put to death are Gee Jon, a Chinese Tons killer, and Thomas Russell, an Americanborn Mexican. Gee Jon was convicted of wantonly shooting down another aged Chinese whom he had never seen before, while playing the role of paid tong assassin. Russell, a mere youth in years and regarding whose guilt even high state officials are doubtful, must die for the alleged murder of his Indian sweetheart.

The contents of the steel tank which will be driven into the airright igloo will be hydro-eyanic gas, declared by expert chemists to be the quickest and most deadly gas known. A single short breath of it, it is claimed, solidifies the lunes and coagulates the blood so that heart action stops immediately. Even quicker than the stopping of the heart, however, is said to be the rendering unconscious of persons who breathe it.

The entire execution proceedings, however, will he solely in the nature of experiment. The trying out of the lethal gas upon two human beings has not even been preceded by experiment. The trying out of the lethal gas upon two human beings has not even been preceded by experiment upon animals. In adopting it the state of Nevada, which first hung and then shot its condemned murderers, is simply seeking a more humane and painiers method of carrying out the double execution, will carry out the double execution, the prison officials and guards who will carry out the double execution, the first hung and then shot its condemned murderers, is simply seeking a more humane and painiers method of carrying out the double execution, the prison officials and guards who will carry out the double execution the first hung and then shot its condemned murderers, is simply seeking a more humane and painiers method of carrying out the law's "extreme penaity."

penalty."

Prison officials and guards who will carry out the double execution, frankly admit themselves fearful of the results. Four guards already have resigned rather than participate. A half dozen physicians who

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ZOELLER'S STUDIO

A TRIBUTE
Woodrow Wilson is dead,
The telegram said.
Not so, our chieftain is sleeping.
And the angels of light
In their garments of white
Around him their watch fires are keeping.

was the grandest and best of this nation. C. H. S.

FORK HIGH SCHOOL HOLDS WILSON MEMORIAL SERVICE

fork school gave a Wilson memor-

ial program Thursday afternoon. The program was: Prayer by Dr. S. H. Templeman. Coolidge's Proclamation, by Bruce

Overman.

America the Beautiful, School.

Flag Salute, School.

Bible, Romans XII., Elizabeth Da-

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DAUGHERTY PAYS WILSON TRIBUTE

Says Country Safe So Long

By ROBERT T. SMALL

(Cosyright, 1924, By The Advance)
Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 8.—Leaving the solitude which has been his since he came to Miami Beach a little more than a week ago, Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty ventured out into the world-of-affairs to pay the tribute of a lawyer to the memory of Woodrow Wilson, for whom services were held in the M. whom services were held in the Miamia court house

amia court house.

It was the sort of thing Harry Daugherty felt that his old chief would do. If Warren G. Harding had been alive, Harry Daugherty knew that he would have been among the first to be speak the greatness and valor of a fallen foe. And so, Harry Daugherty, member of a Republican cabinet, and a believer in partisanship, was the outstanding figure in a remarkable meeting figure in a remarkable meeting called here in honor of the dead ex-President.

Tenting Tonight, Fork Quartet.
Introduction of speaker, Supt. M.
P. Jennings.
Address, Dr. S. H. Templeman.
America, School.
A number of visitors were present at the exercises.

McADOO SEVERS WITH

DOHENY INTERESTS

Washington, Feb. 8.—William Gibbs McAdoo last night issued a statement that he has severed his connection with the Doheny oil interests.

He also issued a statement in which he declared that he did not which he declared that he did not which he declared that he did not "Big Bill" also spoke. He was a "Big Bill" also spoke.

eral from the onslaught of Irlends.

"Big Bill" also spoke. He was a part and parcel of the Wilson administration. Harry Daugherty was not. As the personal representative of Warren Harding he plotted the downfall of the Wilson administration and the turning out of office of all Democrats, good and bad. Yet Harry Daugherty, today an officer of Government, felt it to be both a duty and a privilege to pay his meed of praise to the dead Wilson, war chief

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of the United States.

Mr. Daugherty showed much emotion as he spoke. He communicated much of his mood to his hearers. And when he had concluded, not a few of those in the audience were holding handkerchiefs to their eyes.

Mr. Daugherty spoke himself as a man harrassed. He, too, has known the bitterness of political attack and personal antagonism. Mr. Daugherty has known also the all but help-less feeling of physical disability in the heat of the battle, so he put his heart into his words when he said:

"Only death, that final tragedy, makes it possible to mensure a man according to his merits. In the great whill wind of human effort, the rest-lessness of humanity and of the en-

makes it possible to mensure a man according to his merits. In the great whilewind of human effort, the restlessness of humanity and of the envious spirit, the modern critic, often biased and perseand in his criticism, loses his calling when the final tractive comes, and just, deliberate and henset civilization begins to take werely account of the man."

"In Daucherty said that while he differed with many of Mr. Wilson's views, he had never included in perseand criticism or recrimination. He said he had nothing to take back regarding Woodrow Wilson, but much to say of the man.

"But," added the Attorney General, "whether men agreed with him or not, Mr. Wilson's good conscience and courage were never doubted. No man can have courage unless he possesses that essential thing, a correct conscience. Give us in this country men actuated by good conscience and courage, and the traditions of America are secure, civilization is not in jeopardy, patriotism will survive, and our country, the most attractive, ica are secure, civilization is not in jeopardy, patriotism will survive, and our country, the most attractive, the most powerful and in all respects the freest, safest, proudest and most unselfish, will never so much as tremble on its foundations."

Says Country Safe So Long as Men of Courage and Good Conscience Hold Reigns of Government.

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Tremble on its foundations."

Mr. Daugherty is showing much improvement as a result of his vacation and his removal from the turmoil of things in Washington. He has been fishing in the Gulf stream, has encountered a number of old friends here, and declaring himself of good "conscience." He will "carry on" to the end.

NOTHING TO IT, SAYS PASQUOTANK FARMER

"There's nothing to it," said a prominent farmer of Pasquotank County who does not live in Salem township, referring to the suggestion recently made by George P. Carter of Fairfield in an interview published in this newspaper that a ferry be established from Listers Pier in Pasquotank to Newberrys Landing in Tyrrell.

"You would have to build a pier a mile out into the sound in order to get sufficient depth for a ferry landing," said this farmer.

"Besides," he continued, "I do not believe that a pier could be built at this point which would withstand the first winter storm, so exposed is the shoreline."

ITALY AND RUSSIA ENTER INTO TREATY

Rome, Feb. 8.—A commercial treaty between Italy and Russia has been signed and relations will be resumed immediately.

RHODE ISLAND MILLS MAY MOVE SOUTH

Providence, Consolidated Press) — Manufacturers in this state are watching progress of the La-

vander bill now before the legisla-tors which restricts the working week for women and miners to 48 hours. A number of large Rhode Island manufacturers already have acquired properties in the South and

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