# SALARIES BILL

House Committee of Whole Accepts Measure with Number of Reductions in Force-

#### LEAVE EIGHT BANK EXAMINERS

LINCOLN, March 5.-(Special.)-The power which Mr. Norton of the finance committee has over his colleagues was shown this morning when the salaries with scarcely a kick. Nobody seemed to care whether the state was run on an efficient basis or whether men with future ideas on political preferment could incorporate their ideas into bills. A. number of state house employes' heads are chopped off by the measure.

One or two members attempted to get changes in the bill, but to no avail, and the thing went through as if it was going down a tobbogan slide. After adjournment at noon Patterson and one or two others began to discover how they had been worked anad registered a personal protest with Norton, Hoffmeister and one or two others for running the thing through without giving time for dis-

Both Norton and Hoffy declared that this was a free country and the members could have kicked if they wanted to, but of course the thing was over and it was no use to cry over "spilled milk."

"Hands Off" Followed. The nearest the house came to amending the bill was when Representative Korff peinted out a superfluous letter 's" after the state treasurer's office title. Mr. Korff wanted to strike out this typographical error, but Chairman Noron of the finance committee explained that this was not necessary, as the original bill di dnot contain the extra letter.

Chairman Elmelund of the banking committee tried to amend the bill by providing for nine bank examiners instead of eight, and allowing the department two gon's decree, are imprisoned. assistant clerks instead of one. He justified this proposal by saying that in the last year the number of banks had increased over fifty and examiners have all they can do. Mr. Hoffmeister, a member of the committee, replied that the number of examiners had originally been fixed at seven, but at the request of Secretary Royse put it back to eight, the same number now employed. Hoffmeister said the governor and banking secretary had told him they thought they could get along with eight.

Work on Increase, Mr. Paterson contradicted Hoffmelster, saying he had talked with the governor and Royse and they both told him they thought nine examiners would be neces sary. He said the work of the depart. was constantly increasing. In spite of the talks made by Elmelund and roted to abolish. This would have meant an appropriation of \$600 per year each for

had very little support. Labor Commissioner Stands. Mr. Howard took a shot at Labor Commissioner F. M. Coffey by sending up a motion to strike out his salary of \$1,000 per year. This was lost.

the deputies of \$3,600 for all of them dur-

A salary provision of \$1,500 per year for a scabbles inspector in the live stock department was opposed by Mr. Reisner. who moved to cut it out of the bill. Objections were offered by Hoffmeister, me and Rieschek. When the vote was taken, even Reisner failed to say 'aye." and his motion was turned down mously.

The salary bill will be passed by the house as soon as it can be engrossed. Chairman Norton of the finance commit-

and the friends of that idea will have other chance to get it enacted into law. This bill, H. R. 622 by Conley, was placed on the general file Friday morning.

Earlier in the session, a minimum wage bill introduced by Jerry Howard, which applied to both men and women, falled passage. The Conley bill fixes the lowest wage for female labor at 20 cents per hour or \$7.50 per week. It contains a clause preserving the time limit of employment under the nine-hour law for

#### FOOT AND MOUTH AREA OF QUARANTINE CHANGED

WASHINGTON, March 5.-Changes in the federal foot and mouth quarantine, effective March 8, prescribed today by the Department of Agriculture, include the

lows-Territory in Linn county within five miles of infected premises made ed area. Territory in Jones. Jackson and Dubuque counties, not within five miles of infected premises, is exposed

Montana-Two ranches in Dawson county and a township in Custer county sada exposed area.

Department Orders. WASHINGTON, March 5.—(Special Tel-gram.)—Fostmasters reappointed; Nebraska—Bee. Seward county, Elisha

#### SEVEN OPPOSE THE RECALL RUSSIANS UPSET

PUSHED THROUGH Eighty-Six Members in House Vote for Measure that Affects All Officers

COMMISSION BILL IS PASSED

LINCOLN, March 5 .- (Special.) - Seven votes were cast in the house Friday in:luding judges. Two of these votes came from Douglas county, two from bill, H. R. 760, came up and went through Butler. The members voting "no were: Chambers, Conley, Dalbey, Hunter, Hutton, Meysenburg and Moseley. It received eighty-six votes,

> For Commission Bill, The Parriott supreme court commission bill, H. R. 32, also went through, but had more opposition. It received sixty-two votes, while thirty-one were recorded against it, giving the bill a mapority of

just two to one. The bill provides for a commission of three members at \$3,000 each to be appointed by the supreme court. The commission's existence will expire by limitation in two years. Rotation Upon Ballot.

S. F. 52, the Saunders bill to rotate grouped nominees of political parties so as to give them all an equal chance on the ballot, was passed with the emer-

#### Bryan Protests Against Plan to Loot Mexico City

WASHINGTON, March 5 .- Secretary Bryan and Ambassador Da Gama of that General Obregon is threatening to evacuate Mexico City, cutting the water supply and that looting may begin. Three hundred merchants, who resisted Obre-

After receiving the later reports telling patched an urgent message to Consul to have important ramifications. stillman at Vera Cruz telling him to made strongest possible representations to Carranza urging him to take some action which might relieve the danger threatening in Mexico City.

MEXICO CITY, March 1.-(Via Vera Crus, March 2.)-(Vla New Orleans, March 5.)-Followers of Manuel Zapata have looted the town of Copoacan, in the state of Mexico. Some women and children were killed.

#### GERMANY HAS NEW EVIDENCE ON DUM DUMS

WASHINGTON, March 5,-Investigabullets in the United States for the use Paterson, the amendment was voted down. of the allies has been undertaken by the Mr. Harnby sought to restore the pro- State department as the result of the Cadis economic difficulties are becoming vision for three deputy game wardens, submission of new evidence by the Ger- so serious that the authorities have been

an inquiry had been ordered. When the capital of a Medieval Moorish kingdom ing the next two years. The amendment the department some weeks ago, Mr. A mob of city residents stormed the that such ammunition was being sent the gates to keep country people from out of the United States, the president coming in to increase the tumuit. would use his influence to stop it.

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#### Legislative Proceedings

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REASURER HALL ISSUES
FIRST QUARTERLY REPORT

From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March &—(Special.)—State
Tressurer Hall has tesued his report for the quarter ending February 37. It is a his first report, he having abandoned the pressice of former treasurers of issuing mostaly reports.

The report shows \$17,902.30 in the general fund as against \$6,584.74 on December 1. 1914. The receipts and disbursements them in the general fund each show over \$1,909,000. The report shows cash on hand, being the last day's receipts of \$19,732, and cash on deposit of \$1,002,764.84, the total balance in the various funds being invested in the sum of \$2,006,855.11, the permanent school funds being invested in the sum of \$5,022,366.07.

ONE MORE MINIMUM

WAGE BILL APPEARS

OTHER TRANSPORTED TO THE PROPERTY OF TH

Bills Recommended to Pass by the Senate Committee of the Whole, H. R. 4. by Regan-Permits building and loan associations to issue stock in greater amounts than \$5,000 to one person.

S. F. 25, by Brookley of Clay-Authorises school boards to issue warrants for building purposes upon a vote of the people. Now have power to issue only bonds.

H. R. 21. by Greenawalt-Expressly authorizes cumulative voting of stock, except where holder is interested in competing business. Exception is senate amendment.

amendment.

H. R. 36, by Meredith of Saunders-Provides that in case of damage suit for accidents the attending physician may file a lien in court. Amended to not operate against persons coming under the workmen's compensation act.

men's compensation act.

Bills Passed by the Senate.

H. R. L. by Hoffmeister Requires counts not havig an accredited twelve-grade high school to establish a county high school. Ayes, 35: nays, none; absent, 5.

H. R. 414. by Tibbets-Appropriates 7.500 for purchase of addition land for acylum at Hastings. Senate amendment increases it to \$20,000. Ayes, 27; nays, 2; absent, 4.

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H. R. 740, by the Governor—Appropriates \$3,000 emergency for State Railway commission. Senate amendment that no part shall be used for special attorney's fees. Ayes, 38; nays, 1; absent. 4.

S. F. 22, by Sushee of Kimbali—Emasculated county unit school bill. Ayes, 26; nays, 4; absent, 2.

H. R. 301, by Nelson—Requires owners of vacant lots to mow weeds. Ayes, 30; nays none; absent, 2.

Bills Postponed by House Standing

Committees, H. R. 45-Requiring lookout on switch sbraska-Bee. Seward county, Elisha Noxon.
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Orandali. Day county, a Pomrick; Marvin. Orant county, ries B. Williams.
Sbraska pensions granted; Harriet sker, Pininview, \$12; Pannie J. Nicho-Bladen, \$72.

### TEUTON PLAN OF WAR IN EAST

(Continued from Page One.) to the ailtes. The South African reballion has been crushed, the Turkish invasion of Egypt seemingly has been abandoned; the reports from the eastern battle front are favorable, no adverse news regarding against the Norton bill, H. R. 10, for a the operations against the Dardanelles onstitutional amendment providing for yet has been received, and the blockade recall of all elected public officers, on foodstuffs into Germany is about to be enforced. In the western arena of the Lancaster, two from Gage, and one from patches reaching here, are fighting hard to recover the ground lost during the last fortnight. Near Arras they have forged ahead somewhat, but the ailes report progress both in the Champagne and the

### Paris Auto Bandit Band Accused of

Argonne districts.

PARIS, March 5 .- Persons said to have been connected at one time with the notorious Ronnot band of automobile bandits are charged by the police, according to this morning's papers, with being responsible for the authorship of a seditious pamphlet with the title, "People, You Are Being Deceived," in which a plea is made for the cause of Germany. Several arrests have been made.

It is stated that those taken into custody include Lorulot, former editor of the New York Anarchy, and Jeanne Benardi, a friend of the anarchist bandit, Carouy, who committed suicide in his cell in the conciergerie prison after he had been sentenced to life imprisonment for his share in the sensational exploits of dier General Hugh L. Scott from Wash-Brazil conferred late today over reports the outlaw gang, which was not broken up until the melodramatic battle with the police at Cho: 7-Le-Roy on April 18, 1912. It is understood that those under susof the situation, Secretary Bryan dis- which the newspapers declare is likely ment.

#### War Paralyzes Business in Spain

MADRID, March 5 .- (Via Paris)-Evifence that Spain is suffering more severely economically from the war than any other country except the belligerents, is contained is dispatches from different provincial centers. Notwithstanding drastic measures taken by the government to prevent monopolistic prices the cost of food, especially bread and meat, continues to rise. The situation is felt most acutely tion of alleged manufacture of dum-dum by the industrial stagnation resulting by the working classes already hard hit from the war.

At Pampeluna, Seville, Saragoesa and nan embassy.

Secretary Bryan announced today that disorders have occurred at Murcia. embassy sent a protest with exhibits to and the woderin province of that name. Bryan said that if it could be established bakeshops and civil guards had to bar

#### DAKOTA WOOL GROWERS WILL COME INTO OWN

BELLE FOURCHE, S. D., March 5 .-(Special.)-The first group of eastern as has been their custom in years gone by they are opening the ball by pledging 30 cents and at this they are only getting the laugh from the big owners, who are now sticking out for \$5 cents as the base line and some of shem are talking about 40 and 60 cents. Whatever the price, it is going to be a quick step and a merry one for the fellows who have to pay. England is to be a heavy bidder this season, for its colonies will not be able to supply half the needs of the great nation in time

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#### Five More Bodies Taken from Mine; At Least 150 Dead

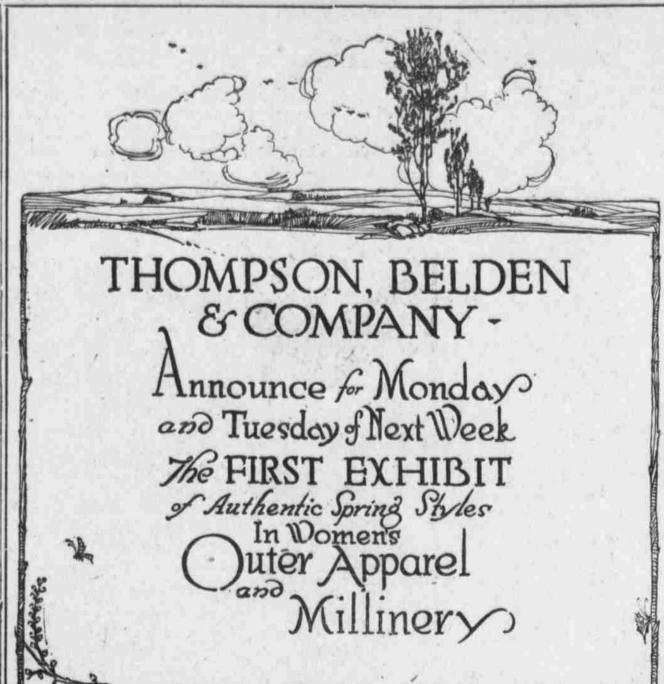
HINTON, W. Va., March 5 .- Five more odies were taken from the mine of the New River and Pocahontas Coal comrany at Layland, where a gas explosion entombed and killed probably 176 men. The total list of recovered bodies is now forty-four. Only the main entries of the mine have been explored by the rescuers When the side entries are penetrated it is expected bodies will be recovered more rapidly. State mine officials and company officials estimate the death list at be-

tween 150 and 175. CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 5,-State officials estimate that nearly \$300,000 will be paid out of the workmen's compensation fund to the families of men who lost their lives in the Layland mine of the New River and Pocahontas Consolidated Coal companies, where an explosion occured Tuesday. The estimate is based on reports from Layland that the fatalities will number in the neighbor-Acts of Sedition a month and so per month for each child under 15 years of age.

#### RENEGADE PIUTES ARE LOCATED IN WASHINGTON

DENVER, March 5 .- Dispatches to the Denver Times from Bluff, Utah, today said scouts had reported to United States Marshal Agulla Nebecker that the Plute Indians, led by Old Polk and Tse-Ne-Gat, were encamped in Butler, Wash., twelve miles west of Bluff. Earlier reports had indicated that the Indians were retreatto Navajo mountain, across the San Juan river. The posse under Marshal Nebeker is making no further effort to capture Tac-Ne-Gat. who is wanted on a charge of murder, pending the arrival of Briga-

Coughed for Three Years. It is understood that those under sus-picton will be tried by court-martial at medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery, Marsellies. The police are maintaining cured my cough of three years' standthe strictest secrecy regarding the case, ing." 50c. All druggista-Advertise-



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