SEEKS BIG U.S. FLEET

DANIELS' NAVAL PROGRAM AP-PROVED BY PRESIDENT WILSON.

FIVE-YEAR COST \$500,000,000

First Year's Plan Will Call for Two Dreadnaughts, Three Battle Cruisers, 25 Submarines and 16 Destroyers-To Build Own Ships.

Washington, Oct. 18. -Secretary Daniels' naval program, which has been approved by President Wilson, provides an expenditure of \$500,000,-000 during a five-year period.

The exact amount to be expended each year has not been decided, but the first year's program probably will call for two dreadnaughts and three battle cruisers in addition to about twenty-five submarines, sixteen destroyers and probably five scout cruis-

The five-year program calls for sixteen capital ships-ten dreadnaughts and six battle cruisers.

The total amount to be appropriated for construction the first year will be in the neighborhood of \$100,000,000, but since about \$28,000,000 of this sum is for three battleships authorized last year the total increase in the naval appropriation bill is likely to be approximately \$72,000,000.

Secretary Daniels said he wanted to increase the capacity of the various government navy yards and do much of the new warship construction in those vards

Secretary Garrison's plan for strengthening the military establishment and organizing a great continental army for defense proposes the following:

1. Regular army of 140,000 men, an increase of 50,000 men in the present establishment.

2. A continental army, 400,000 strong, enlisted for six years for service within the continental United States. These men would serve two months a year for the first three years with the colors, undergoing a period of intensive training. The remaining three years would be on furlough, subject to call in time of need.

It is estimated that 40,000 of the 540,000 men thus provided for would be noncombatants of the medical corps or other auxiliary forces not included in the fighting line.

Behind this army would be the National Guard, now some 125,000 strong, but whose numbers might be substantially augmented by the organization of the continental army.

RED SOX WIN WORLD TITLE

Hooper Hits Home Run in the Ninth and Breaks the Tie-Score 5 to 4.

gan's Red Sox brought the world's championship series to an abrupt close on Wednesday by defeating the Philadelphia Nationals, 5 to 4, in the fifth game of the series. The game will go down in history as one of the greatest ever played in a titular series. The Phillies battled to the last time. Hitting was free. Home runs to the number of four were accumulated, and two of these by Harry Hooper settled proceed to its destination, the Amerithe game. Harry's final four-ply drive came in the ninth on the heels of a that it never was intended that Amerisimilar hit by Duffy Lewis and knocked | can vessels should be destroyed. the breath out of the fans. The score:

Red Sox 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2 1-5 Phillies 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0-4 Batteries-Foster and Cady; Mayer.

Rixey and Burns. Score of the third game:

Phillies 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 Red Sox 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1-2 Batteries-Alexander and Burns; Leonard and Carrigan.

Score of the fourth game: Phillies 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1 Red Sox00100100 -2 Batteries-Chalmers and Burns; Shore and Cady.

DIVER SINKS THREE WARSHIPS

British Submarine Destroys German Destroyer and Two Torpedo Boats in Baltic.

London, Oct. 18 .- A lone British submarine has won a naval victory over German warships in the Baltic, sinking a destroyer and two torpedo boats and putting another destroyer and a cruiser to flight, say dispatches from Sweden to newspapers of Copenhagen. The submarine E-19, operating near Faxe, sunk a German torpedo boat Wednesday. A German flotilla returned Thursday, but fled after the submarine sank another torpedo boat. While operating in the sound the submarine was attacked by a German cruiser and two destroyers. The submarine lodged a torpedo in one destroyer, which sank with a terrific explosion, the crew being lost.

Three Negroes to Hang.

Hamilton, Ga., Oct. 18.-John Wright, Sam Couch and West Story, negroes, were convicted of separate murders and sentenced to hang November 16. Their victims were also

U. S. Seek German Officers. Washington, Oct. 18 .- No leaves of absence shall be given officers or crew of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, the German auxiliary cruiser interned at Nortolk, until the six missing officers re-

HIS FAVORITE CHILD



NEW FRYE CASE NOTE MAYOR BELL ACQUITTED

U. S. TELLS GERMANY PASSEN. FOUND NOT GUILTY IN HLECTION GERS MUST BE SAVED.

Declares Small Boats Not Places of Safety When Slips Are Torpedoed by Submarines.

Washington, Oct. 14.-The United States, in a note dispatched to Germany, to be presented by Ambassador Gerard on the case of the American ship William P. Frye, asks that if it is found necessary to destroy American ships carrying absolute contraband, passengers be removed to a safer place than small boats.

The American government accepts the German suggestion in reply to the American proposal concerning a commission to fix damages for the Frye, agreeing to dispense with the umpire and leave the case to two experts, one from each country.

In agreeing to submit to arbitration the interpretation of the treaty of 1828 | tion on the first ballot. to decide whether it gives Germany the right to destroy American ships to government holds that not only must warning be given and passengers and crew saved, but that small boats are not considered a "place of safety."

The United States has not insisted to Americans traveling on ships under Bell when asked for a statement re-Philadelphia, Oct. 15.—Bill Carrt- a belligerent flag. Officials here, how-garding the verdict, ever, feel that the treaty was a special arrangement between Germany and the United States expressly drawn for the purpose of protecting the vessels and lives of subjects of either party in war time. As one of the articles of the treaty specifically provides for the delivery of contraband out of the cargo of an American ship and then states that the vessel can can government draws the inference

TO HOLD BIG CONFERENCE

Third National Meeting of Marketing and Farm Credits to Be Held In Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 18 .- The third national conference on marketing and farm credits is to be hedld in Chicago, November 29th to December 2, inclusive, The call for this meeting is issued by the general committee of the National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits, and by the National Council of Farmers' Co-operative associations. At this meeting, representatives of agricultural, educational and banking interests of every section of the United States will be brought together to frame legislation necessary to secure an easy flow of money to agricultural operations, to secure the standardization of farm products and to encourage the organization of agriculture.

BANKER HOME; WILL PAY

J. B. Fuller, Who Left Winslow, Ill., Returns From Chicago in Auto.

Freeport, Ill., Oct. 18 .- J. Bradley Fuller of Winslow, Ill., the banker who disappeared September 13 and whose bank subsequently was thrown into a receivership, reappeared in Winslow on Friday. He told friends he intended to relmburse the bank's patrons for every dollar lost.

Torpedo Sinks French Ship. Paris, Oct. 16.-The Messageries Maritimes liner Yunnan has been torpedoed, presumably in the Mediterranean sea. The vessel did not sink and her crew of ninety men took to the

boats and were landed safely. Three Perish in Flames. Cloverdale, Cal., Oct. 16,-Three persons are known to be dead and nine business houses have been destroyed in a fire here. All the dead and incinerated.

FRAUD TRIAL.

Jury Out Two Hours-Crowd Cheers When Verdict Is Read in the

Courtroom.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 15 .- Mayor Joseph E. Bell of Indianapolis was acquitted on Wednesday by the jury on the charge of conspiracy to commit a felony at the primaries, registration and election in 1914. The jurors were out two hours. The verdict was received with a storm of applause from those gathered in the courtroom.

It became known that only four ballots were taken by the jury, the first ballot showing nine for acquittal and three for conviction. The three who had voted for conviction switched to acquittal on the fourth ballot. Stokes, Waggoner and Dittrich were reported to be the jurors who voted for convic-

Prosecutor Rucker said immediately after the verdict was received that he stop contraband traffic, the American had no statement to make as to whether he would continue the prosecution of the other defendants on the joint indictment on which Mayor Bell was tried.

"It's what every decent citizen of upon this heretofore with reference Indianapolis expected," said Mayor

Mayor Bell was surrounded immediately by a large crowd of his friends. Mayor Bell was indicted with Thomas Taggart, Chief of Police Samuel V. Perrott and 125 others June 22, and on July 9 four more persons were indicted.

FLASHES OFF THE WIRE

Paris, Oct. 15.-Count Henri de Vogue, son of the late Viscount Melchior de Vogue, and a nephew of Marquis de Vogue, president of the central committee of the French Red Cross, has died of wounds received in battle. The military medal was pinned on his breast a few minutes before he succumbed.

London, Oct. 15,-"Austria and Germany will probably declare war on the United States if she does not cease manufacturing munitions for the allies."

This statement is attributed to Ambassador Dumba by a Plymouth correspondent who interviewed him on the steamer Nieuw Amsterdam, which put in at Falmouth on her way from New York to Rotterdam.

Amsterdam, Oct. 15 .- The death of Archduke Ludwig Salvator of Austria at Brandels castle, on the Elbe, is announced. He was sixty-eight years

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 18 .- Six men are under arrest and two companies of militia anl a large force of deputy sheriffs are patrolling the streets following a shooting on Friday which cost one life and resulted in the serious injury of four other persons. The shooting occurred just outside the room where the Democratic city executive committee was to meet to canvass the returns of the municipal primary of last Tuesday. Sidney J. Cohen, a newspaper reporter, was killed. Of the four others shot only W. A. Turner is in a critical condition.

Big Canada Wheat Crop. Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 18 .- An official report places Canada's wheat crop at 336,258,000 bushels from 12,986,400 acres, representing an average yield of over 25 bushels. This year's crop is more than double last year's.

Wealthy Illinoisan Weds. Aurora, Ill., Oct. 18.-Thomas H. Snow, wealthy manufacturer and former mayor of Batavia, was married to to Chicago and were married.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEEN INJURED BY ZEPPELIN RAID ON LONDON.

40 OF DEAD ARE CIVILIANS

Resolution Calls on the British Government to Announce Policy of Re-Towns at Night.

London, Oct. 16 .- Fifty-five persons were killed and 114 injured in the Zeppelin raid over London on Wednesday night. Fourteen of the 55 persons killed and 13 of the 114 wounded were military casualties, according to an announcement made on Thursday by the official press bureau.

The text of the announcement fol-

"The press bureau of the war of fice announces that a fleet of hostile airships visited the eastern counties and a portion of the London area and dropped bombs. Antiaircraft guns of the Royal Field artillery, attached to the central force, were in action, and an airship was seen to beel over on its side and drop to a lower altitude.

"Five aeroplanes of the Royal Flying corps went up, but owing to atmospheric conditions only one aeroplane succeeded in locating an airship. This aeroplane, however, was unable to overhaul the airship before it was lost in the fog.

"Some houses were damaged and several fires were started, but no serious damage was caused to military material. All fires were soon got under control by the fire brigade.

"The following military casualties, in addition to the one announced last night, have been reported: Fourteen

killed and 13 wounded. "The home office announces the fol-

lowing casualties other than the military casualties reported above. Men. Women. Children. Total Killed27 Injured ...64 101 Total ...91 . 39 142

"Of these casualties 32 killed and 95 injured were in the London area, and these figures include those announced Wednesday night."

Resolutions were before a mass meeting presided over by bord Willoughby de Broke, at the Cannon Street hotel, calling on the government to announce formally a policy of reprisal through British or French aeroplane raids on German towns-"raid for raid," as the resolution expressed it.

WILSON SEEKS LARGER ARMY

Support Asked of Congress for Proposal of Regular Force of 120,000 With 500,000 Reserve.

Wilson began on Thursday to pave the way for favorable congressional action upon his program for the increase of the army and navy.

He impressed upon Congressman Hay of Virginia, chairman of the milinecessity of approving the Garrison plan for increasing the regular army to 120,000 men and providing a reserve which will assure the United States a first defense of 500,000.

Postmaster General Burleson saw Congressman Pou of North Carolina, senior member of the house rules committee, and discussed with him the advisability of a general conference of Democratic leaders before the session of congress opens to consider and agree upon the whole subject of preparedness.

The following subjects will be considered:

1. The strength to be given the army.

2. The additions to be made to the navy.

3. The changes, if any, to be made in the tariff and war emergency taxes. 4. The scope of the proposed inheritance tax.

The cost of the proposed enlargement of the army and navy will add \$75,000,000 to the army appropriations, making the total for the next fiscal year in the neighborhood of \$182,000,-000. The navy will ask an increase of about \$75,000,000.

BERLIN TELLS OF AIR RAID

Official Statement Says Bombs Were Dropped on English Capital and Other Places.

Berlin, Oct. 16.-An official report given out on Thursday by the admiralty regarding the Zeppelin raid on London says that, in addition to dropping bombs on the English capital, the waterworks at Hampton and the town of Woolwich, where there is a great arsenal, were heavily bombarded. Great fires are reported to have followed the explosion of the bombs.

Anthrax Victim Dies. New York, Oct. 18,-George Stackpole, the aged lawyer who has

been suffering from anthrax at Bellevue hospital, died of heart disease early Friday, after waging a long fight against death.

Take Suspect in Murder Case. Aurora, Ill., Oct. 18 .- A new suspect in the Emma Peterson and Jennie Miller murder mystery was taken in the Laura H. Zimmerman, twenty-seven arrest of Edward Adderman, twentywere trapped in the Cloverdale hotel Years old, of Aurora. The couple went eight years old, who says his home is in Ashton, Wis.

55 KILLED BY BOMBS GUARD AVIATOR LOSES POST ALLIES IN BULGARIA

Failure to Carry Out Contract at Beatrice Causes Captain Shaffer to be Displaced by Order.

For failure to carry out his contract for flights in Beatrice at the Gage county fair two weeks ago Captain C. Shaffer, chief of aviation of the Nebraska National Guard, has been displaced by Captain Ralph McMillan, prisal Through Attacks on German who became identified three months ago with the Nebraska aviation corps. The change was ordered by Adjutant General Phil Hall. Captain McMillan has made a score of flights about Nebraska this summer. Captain Shaffer will still remain in the service in the rank of captain. General Hall plans to develop the aviation branch of the service in Nebraska on an extensive scale, and hopes to get several mili-

tary aeroplanes from the War depart-

The Nebraska live stock sanitary board is endeavoring to gather information and statistics on the use and results of the hog cholera serum and virus treatment. The department has sent out over 9,000 report blanksone to be filled in by the veterinary or person giving the treatment on the day the herd is treated, the other to be mailed by the owner of the herd to the board thirty days aftr the herd has been treated. This final report, when properly filled out, will show results, beneficial or otherwise, of the serum, or simultaneous treatment. Up to the present date the board has had returned less than 6 per cent of these blanks.

Some light as to the reason why the boy leaves the farm may be found in the fact that the farm does not offer for him a fair opportunity. A survey shows that 79 per cent of the boys on small farms leave home, while only 16 per cent of those on larger farms leave. As a matter of fact, the 16 per cent is believed by many to be no larger a number than the percentage of boys that drift from the village to the city for similar reasons-apparent lack of opportunity.-College of Agriculture.

A dozen county assessors will meet at Norfolk soon with Secretary Bernecker of the State Board of Equalization to arrange for securing information as to actual prices paid for lands that are sold as a partial basis for next year's assessment. He has a letter from A. H. Carter, asssessor of Wayne, endorsing this move. District meetings will be held in other sections of the state for the same purposeprobably at Grand Island, Fremont, McCook, Alliance, North Platte, Tecumseh or Nebraska City.

M. E. Dickson, assistant in the de-Washington, Oct. 16.-President partment of poultry husbandry at the University of Wisconsin, has been appointed assistant professor, in charge of the newly established poultry department of the state university at Lincoln. Work in the new department will start November 1. A five-acre tary committee of the house, the tract of ground, south of the state farm plant, which was purchased five years ago by the board of regents, will be given over to experimental work in poultry raising.

> A difference of \$20,000 a year is noted between Missouri Pacific and state rallway commission experts in computing passenger earnings in Nebraska. The dispute is in connection with this road's endeavor to obtain 214 cent passenger rate. The railroad says the earnings amount to \$76,000. The state expert raises that by \$20, 000. The difference comes in the method followed in the computation.

> Lincoln will get cheaper electric current if the plan of President W. E. Sharp of the Lincoln Traction company is realized. Sharp, who was head of the syndicate representing the Commonwealth Power company, now plans to secure power from the Big Blue river between Beatrice and Manhattan, Kas.

> Representative Jacob Sass of Sarpy county and County Surveyor H. D. Patterson called on the irrigation board to ask for a bridge 320 feet long across the Elkhorn river west of Gretna.

> A. B. Carrothers of Grant county has asked the Board of Educational Lands and Funds to quiet the title to 100 acres of land he has held under sale contract for the last twenty-four

> Plumbing and heating contracts for the new boller room and laundry of the Kearney Tuberculosis hospital have been awarded to C. J. Burke & son of Kearney at \$467 by the State Board of Control.

Fifty per cent of the apple trees of Nebraska have died since 1911 and 1912—an admission by Secretary Dunean of the state horticultural board, which is bound to open many eyes in this state, Mr. Duncan says that drouth and a disease peculiar to apple trees have contributed to the disaster. He has repeatedly termed the disease "canker," but has been called down several times for the statement by apple growers who disagree with him. This year's yield, Mr. Duncan says, will run up to about 2,000,000 hushels.

FERDINAND'S LAND INVADED NEAR GREEK BOUNDARY.

BRITAIN NEEDS ANOTHER ARMY

Recruiting Director Declares England Should Have 3,000,000 Men Ready For War By Spring.

London .- The allied forces from Salomki have begun operations against the Bulgarians with unexpected zeal and already the Serbo-Anglo-French forces have penetrated into Bulgarian territory, just north of the Greek boundary, and are attacking the Bulgarian stronghold of Strumnitza, according to advices received from Saloniki by Reuter's Tel-

egram company by way of Athens. The council of ministers, presided over by President Poincare of France, announced at Paris that a state of war existed between France and Bulgaria dating from October 16.

The Bulgarian government has officially announced that mines have been laid along the coast of the Black and Aegean Seas. Lights have been extinguished and the port of Dedeaghatch has been closed except to neutral merchantmen.

Neither Russian nor Italian assistance has yet developed in the aid of Serbia by the allied powers.

The Serbians are being helped by the weather, which is wintry, with rains impeding the movements of the troops and guns. The Austro-Germans, however, claim to have taken the heights south of Belgrade, while along the Danube, the army of General von Gallwitz is pushing the Serbians back.

Needs 3,000,000 Men by Spring.

London.-"Great Britain , needs 3,000,000 more men by spring." This declaration was made by Brigadier General Sir Eric-Swayne, director of recruiting in the northern command, in a speech at Hull. General Swayne estimated that Germany has between 9,009,000 and 10,000,000 men from the ages of 18 to 45, and that therefore it was useless to talk about wearing out Germany. "In the spring." said he, "Germany would lose more men than the allies, which would balance the numbers of the allies and the central powers, but if Great Britain should raise 3,000,000 additional, Germany probably would recognize that it would be fruitless to continue."

Bodies Washed Away.

Randolph, Kas .- The exact number I dead in the wreck of the Union Pacific motor train at the Fancy creek bridge near here may never be known. When the car, which plunged head first into the creek, was raised the front end dropped out, carrying into the flooded stream those bodies which the rescuers were unable to reach. All efforts to find the bodies in the racing stream have failed. The number is not known, but officials estimate that four, and possibly six, persons were drowned in addition to the eleven whose bodies were recovered. In the drive into the mud and rock at the bottom of the stream, where the car carrying sixty-four passengers plunged when the bridge abutment gave way, the front of the coach was demolished. Of the thirty passengers in that end of the car, the swift flood waters lodged much sand and mud about them.

State of War in Moscow.

Petrograd.-An imperial ukase has teen issued proclaiming a "state of war in Moscow and Moscow district." Riots of severe proportions have been reported in Moscow in the past several months. Mail reports from Russia last month told of riots during June in which several persons were injured and damage estimated at nearly \$20,000,000 was done to prop-

Army Plan Up to "Bosses."

Washington-Employers throughout the United States, corporations, manufacturers, professional men, tradesmen and businessmen of all classes, are to be asked to contribute as their share in the national defense, permission for their employes to engage without serious financial losses, in two months' military training during each of three years. This is an essential part of the administration's plan for raising a citizen army of 800,000 men in six years which, with a regular army of 140,000 men, and 200,000 reserves, would give a trained force, exclusive of state militia, of about 1,200,000 in the event of war.

Convicts Study to Be Teachers.

Berkeley, Cal.-Fourteen inmates of the Falsom prison, it was announced, have enrolled in a new correspondence course for instruction as teachers. At the prison 520 prisoners are taking the university's correspondence course.

Transfers Government Seat. Milan, Via. Paris.-The seat of the Serbian government has been transferred to Mitrovitza, near the Montenegrin frontier, according to a dispatch to the Secolo from Bucharest.