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O'NEILL, NEBRASKA

At Lloyd's, the marine insurance exchange in London, a bell is tolled when a ship is reported lost, or when a ship long overdue and considered lost un-expectedly reaches port. The bell used at Lloyd's belonged to the ship Lutine, which was wrecked near the Zuyder Zee in 1799, while taking specie from Zee in 1799, while taking specie from English merchants to Hamburg. When a ship is posted as lost the old bell is tolled once, and on that day the in-surance money is payable and all who wereion the ship are considered legally dead. In the usual event of a vessel arriving in port after being posted as lost, the bell is tolled twice, and the approximation of a set of the shift of announcement is cried aloud by an official in uniform.

Nearly \$300 a soldier, or a total of \$137,000,000 was the cost of the 16 army \$137,060,000 was the cost of the 16 army cantonments built last summer and fall to house 650,000 men. The original estimate of the cost was \$134,000,000. This huge construction job was carried forward with a speed that is considered remarkable. By the end of last May, when congress was still debating the project the enjace properties of the was fully. project, the engineering corps was fully organized for work. Within three months from that time cantonments capable of housing 300,000 men were completed, while by December 5 there accommodations for the entire 50,000 men.

Philippine officials are investigating the suggestion which has been made that the islands supply lubricating oil for airplanes from the tangan-tangan weed, or vine, which grows wild in abundance throughout the archipelago, abundance throughout the archipelago, which produces an extremely good oil, suitable not only for the lubrication of delicate machinery, but which is also used by the natives medicinally. The plant creeps and has blossoms like the flower of the honeysuckle. It is thought that at least 1,000,000 gallons of oil a year can be obtained from the wild weed supply, and that this can be greatly increased by cultivation.

There is sentiment in the fact that California is to supply northern France with 1,500,000 prune trees. These trees are expected to convert 15,000 acres in-to bearing orchards in two years. It was France which, in 1856, gave to Cal-ifornia her first prune trees. The prune, which since then has filled many a gap on the table of the American boarding house, and has borne the brunt of many a jest, keeps right on proving its worth.

It costs the government \$5 a head to draft men for military service. Of this Graft men for military service. Of this sum \$4.93 represents the expense of the draft boards and the state's adjutant general, and 7 cents represents the overhead expense at Washington. The expense of inducting a volunteer into the service reached an average of \$29.85 during this war. In the civil war it cost the government \$9.48 for every man called to the service.

A woman to whom space is allotted in a western public market uses her automobile in making fresh peanut but-ter for her customers. The peanuts are treated in a grinder mounted on a trailer, set just back of the car in the market. The car is jacked up and power transmitted from its rear axle to the grinder by a belt. The top of the trailer serves as a display stand.

At a "frugality dance" in Montclair, N. J., recently, those wearing patent leather shoes, silk stockings or high collars were fined 5 cents each for each offense, those wearing marcel waves, 10 cents, while wearers of evening dress or "costumes," had to pay 25 cents to the management. A considerable amount was raised for war relief.

NEBRASKANS IN GRAVE CHARGES IN CONGRESS

Assert Government Food Officials Are in Sympathy With the Packers.

Washington, D. C., March 16 .- In the hearing before the Senate committee on agriculture on livestock matters to-day, Senator Norris, of Nebraska, said the evidence before the committee showed the food administration had men in charge of the packing establishments who were in sympathy with the packers and, as between the packers and producers, leaned to the packers. E. L. Burke, of Omaha, a feeder, was on the stand. Mr. Burke advocated

more rigid government control of the packers and said the livestock industry would never get ahead until this was

would never get ahead until this was brought about. "The testimony before this commit-tee," said Senator Norris, "Indicates the men whom the food administration now has in charge of packing matters are in sympathy with the packers. Do you think if we provide more strict control and the same men are still kept in charge we can expect any relief."

in charge we can expect any relief." Burke said he wouldn't say the men in the food administration were in sympathy with the packers. "But speaking from the evidence before this committee," said Senator Norris, "I say it."

Packers Lose on Hides.

Packers Lose on Hides. Omaha, Neb., March 15.—Omaha packers stand to lose \$1,250,000 on the prices of hides they are carrying in storage. Approximately 250,000 hides air said to be in storage in South Om-aha and the loss on each is now fig-ured at \$5. Swift & Co., are said to be the hardest hit and to have on hand 100,000 unsold hides. Branded cow bides which were held

Branded cow hides which were held at 28 and 30 cents a pound some months ago, are now selling at 16 to 18 cents. The decline averages anywhere from 20 to 40 per cent.

NEBRASKA TO SUPPLY

BUT 458 MEN NOW

Lincoln, Neb., March 16.—Nebraska is required to induct 458 men as its quota of a total of 95,000 men to be sent to soldiers' training camps. Governor Neville has notified local exemption boards of the number of men each is called upon to furnish on this special called upon to furnish on this special call. The Nebraska men are to be sent to Camp Funston during the five days beginning March 29. No credits are allowed by the war department for men previously sent. The quota of each county and the cities of Lincoln and Omaha, according to an announcement from the governor's office is as follows: "Instructions call No. 82 has been announced by the provost marshal general as follows: Boyd, 2; Burt, 5; Cedar, 6; Cuming, 5; Dakota, 3; Dixon, 4; Knox, 7; Madison, 7; Pierce, 4; Wayne, 4; city of Lincoln, 18; city of Omaha, 73; total,

458. "During the five days beginning will entrain for "During the five days beginning March 29 Nebraska will entrain for Camp Funston a quota equal to 3.3 per cent of the original gross quota of the first draft. The original gross quota should not be confused with the original net quota. The total number of men sent from Nebraska under this call will be 458. No credits are to be deducted at this time. "The quota of each county will be de-termined by making a level draft of 3.3 per cent of the gross quota origi-nally allotted to each county. Only

white men and men physically quali-fied for general military service are to be entrained under this call."

MAY SHIP SEED CORN

OUT OF NEBRASKA Lincoln, Neb., March 15.—The state council of defense today lifted the em-bargo on shipments of seed corn out of the state. The embargo has been in force for some time because of a threatened shortage in Nebraska.

TO HAVE HEARING Former Head of Girls' Reform-

MISS LYDIA M'MAHON

atory Will Have Chance to Vindicate Herself.

Lincoln, Neb., March 16.—After hav-ing marched up the hill on its own orders the state board of control has marched down the hill again on in-structions from Governor Neville. structions from Governor Neville. When Miss Lydia McMahon, deposed superintendent of the state industrial superintendent of the state industrial school for girls, asked the board a few days ago for an investigation, Judge Holcomb, the lawyer member, re-plied that as she has resigned upon in-vitation without then asking for an investigation, the board could not see that she had any right or that any peressity existed for boding one.

Then Miss McMahon secured the aid of men who conferred with the gov-ernor. Now the board announces that it will grant the application. No date for the hearing has been announced.

MANY DISLOYAL ONES

FOUND IN NEBRASKA Omaha, Neb., March 16.—"It is not true that there is no sedition in Ne-braska; that the state is without a widely spread element that is, if not openly in favor of Germany, at least adverse to the sentiment of the nation," said Richard L. Metcalfe, chairman of the state council of defense, at a meeting of the Douglas County Bar association at the Chamber of Commerce

"It is true that the loval Americans of Nebraska have carried every war ac-tivity ahead of the state's quota, but

tivity ahead of the state's quota, but this makes all the blacker the record of those who have passively, if not indeed actively, opposed their work. "Nebraska is to be congratulated that, except for a few cases of silly men painting buildings, yellow, the Am-erican element in the state has re-frained from mob law, but there have been cases of mob violence in the state, perpetrated by pro-Germans. "The time has come when we have got to inculcate a new spirit—a new idea into the hearts of our foreign born population, by education, if possible;"

population, by education, if possible; by the iron hand if it is necessary. Neby the hold hand if it is necessary. Ac-braska has sent too many of her young men to the war to sit by and see them stabbed in the back by traitors." Mr. Metcalfe said there have been found many men of German extraction who are loyal, and the discussion of the other kind need be taken as no the other kind heed be taken as no reflection on those whose loyalty is proved, but the fact that some Germans are loyal to the country of their adop-tion does not lessen the danger from those who are not. "It is a case," he said, "where every individual must be measured by his own performances."

THREE FORT OMAHA

OFFICERS REPRIMANDED Omaha, Neb., March 16 .- Three Fort Omaha commissioned officers, courtmartialed on charges of accepting gratuities in connection with the pur-chase of \$890,000 worth of army horses and mules at Superior, Neb., have been found multy found guilty.

Capt. Henry L. Casey, quartermas-ter's reserve corps, has been sentenced to an official reprimand, and Second Lleutenants S. L. Ragsdale and O. C.

Lieutenants S. L. Ragsdale and O. C. Alexander to be admonished. The officials are of the quartermas-ter's corps. It was alleged they ac-cepted free board and Christmas pres-ents of a character frowned upon by military authorities from ranchers where nearly a \$1,000,000 worth of horses and mules were being purchased by the government.

FINED FOR KILLING

PRAIRIE CHICKENS

North Platte, Neb., March 16.-By

FIGURE IT OUT.

PROBLEM -

IF A GERMAN-AMERICAN WHO HAS LIVED 20 YEARS IN AMERICA AND KNOWS THE CAUSE OF THE WAR, STILL SUPPORTS THE KAISER; -HOW LONG WILL IT REQUIRE TO CONVERT TO DEMOCRACY

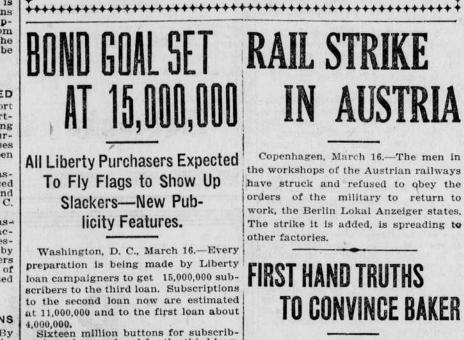
THE GERMAN WHO HAS NEVER SET FOOT OUTSIDE OF GERMANY ?



Must Strike, Hindenburg Says; Prepared to Lose 300,000 Men

Amsterdam March 15.—According to news received here, Field Marshal von Hindenburg has stated in an interview in Berlin that the entente had shown an unresponsive attitude toward Germany's peace intentions and that the great German offensive therefore must go on. In well informed neutral quarters recently the Associated Press correspondent was told that the Germans were prepared to lose 300,000

correspondent was told that the Germans were prepared to lose 300,000 men in an offensive operation. The Verdun offensive of the Germans, in which they failed utterly to break the French lines, has been estimated in conservative quarters as having cost them something like 500,000 men. "If the enemy does not want peace, he must fight the most tre-mendous battle of the war on the west front," Quartermaster General Ludendorff declared in an interview with the Cologne Gazette, copies of which were received here today.



the workshops of the Austrian railways have struck and refused to obey the orders of the military to return to work, the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger states. The strike it is added, is spreading to

TO CONVINCE BAKER

ANOTHER HOARDER OF GRAIN IS IN LIMBO

Wealthy Farmer at Axtel, Neb., Has Sold None Since Beginning of War.

Kearney, Neb., March 15.-Nathan Merryman, a wealthy farmer of this county, has been summoned to appear before the state council of defense and explain why he has stored all the grain raised on his farms since the European war began in 1914 and refused to sell it. It is understood that the council proposes to place the matter in the hands of the federal authorities. Federal District Attorney Allen recently filed a charge of hoarding against Louis Fellwock, a Lancaster county farmer who had done exactly as Merryman did.

Merryman has no excuse to offer for his conduct. In his bins are in excess of 20,000 bushels of wheat, 12,000 being of the crops of 1914 and 1915. The farms are located near Axtell. Samples of the grain, a part of which rotted, have been sent to the state council by the sheriff. Merryman admits that he has not subscribed a dollar to any bond issues, although a man of wealth.

RAILWAY COMMISSION RETAINS ITS POWER

Lincoln, Neb., March 15.—The state railway commission's fear that it had o been practically legislated out of a job is dissipated in a letter just received from its Washington representatives. As the bill to compensate the railroads passed the house and went into con-ference it took from state commissions all power to regulate rates, to super-vise issues of stocks and bonds, disposition of revenues and control over additions and betterments. This would have shorn them of the only power

worth possessing. The latest information is that these limitations on their power have been stricken out, and all that remains of the obnoxious section is a proviso that they have no jurisdiction over movement of trains carrying troops, war munitions or government supplies. The commis-sions have not sought to exercise such powers.

DIFFICULT TO GET

MAN INTO ASYLUM Hastings, Neb., March 15.—It re-quired the intervention of Attorney General Reed in order that Ernest H. Gerdes might be allowed to enter the state hospital for the insane at Ingle-side. Gerdes is a 17-year-old youth arrested a few days ago at Gothenburg on the charge of having criminally ason the charge of having criminally as-saulted a 7-year-old daughter of Ar-thur Evans. He was immediately tried, and the jury found him to be insane. Sheriff Benton appeared here today with an order from the court commit-ting him to the asylum. Superintendent Fast refused on the ground that under the law he could accept only those who were committed by a county board of insanity.

The sheriff telephoned the county attorney and the county attorney telephoned the attorney general and the attorney general telephoned the superintendent, and the final result was that Gerdes was admitted, a section of the statutes permitting incarceration by a court where a defendant has been ad-judged insane in a trial being quoted to the superintendent.

ASSASSINS ABROAD

NEAR LEIGH, NEB. Leigh, Neb., March 15.—Two myster-ious attempts to assassinate Nebraska farmers were made at farm homes in the central part of Colfax county Monday morning. An urgent call came to Leigh for kelp. The first shooting took place at the

Anna Eva Fay, a seeress, is said to have fortold the war in a statement published in the Manchester Guardian in England, March 17, 1913, when she named eight of the now warring na-tions. She now comes forward with another statement that the war will end in the spring of 1918. "It will all be over before June 15," she says.

Although some packers of caviar in New York report that spoonbill caviar is being marketed in bulk as low as 75 the being marketed in burk as low as is cents a pound, the market generally re-mains at \$1.25 for prime quality. There has been a scarcity of lake caviar in bulk, and packers report that the pre-vailing price for this grade has been usually \$1.50 a pound.

The term "pocket handkerchief" is one of the queerest in our language. At first it meant kerchief (vourvrechef), a covering for the head; then it became bandkarchief (courvechef), a covering for the head; then it be head handkerchief, a covering for the head carried in the hand, and at length pock-et handkerchief, a covering for the head et handkerchief, a covering for the head held in the hand and kept in the pocket.

A service flag measuring 31x38 feet, bearing 215 stars, indicative of the fact that as many employes of the western division of the Southern railway system now are in active military service of the country, has been un-furled in front of the Southern railway building in Louisville.

When J. R. Liskey, of Rockingham county, Ia., butchered a hog, he found it had an apparently carefully filled tooth. It is thought the hog had eaten something containing a piece of lead which lodged in a hollow tooth and was squeezed down into the cavity, fill-ing it.

A report upon the government use of tractors in England was given at a recent session of parliament. In order to increase the supply of food, tractors and plows are being purchased by the food production department and let out to farmers.

The total amount the government provides the president for clerk hire and White House expenses, including his salary, is \$260,000 annually. Of this, \$75,000 is salary, \$25,000 traveling expenses and \$160,000 for the other ex-

Four tons of shipping capacity are required to transport a soldier, and another ton is necessary for his equip-ment. In addition it takes 50 pounds of ship capacity a day to keep him sup-plied with food, clothing and ammuni-tion.

Mess officers at the base hospital at. Camp Custer, Mich., have made an ap-peal for dish towels, and some local people are trying to have a statewide towel shower for the hospital.

The convicts in the New Jersey state penitentiary seem to be patriotic. They bought liberally of Red Cross member-ships, and notified the fuel administra-tor of their willingness to spend lightless nights in their cells to save fuel.

The phonograph and telephone are employed in a South Carolina inven-tor's automatic fire alarm that calls up a central operator and tells her just where the blaze is starting.

Following suggestions made by farmers willing to employ high school boys, the schools of Illinois have arranged to give the boys an extensive farm course, from February 1 to May 1.

WILSON URGES BOYS TO JOIN WORKING RESERVE

Washington, D. C., March 15 .- President Wilson today called on all Ameri-can boys of 16 years and over not permanently employed to enroll in the United States boys' working reserve. A national enrollment week, beginning March 18, has been set asids by the department of labor.

CHURCHES UNABLE TO UNITE ON MERGER PLAN

Atlantic City, N. J., March 15.—The commission on union of the Presbyter-ian church north and the Presbyterian church south failed to agree upon a plan for the proposed, merger of the two great church bodies at the final session of their joint conference here last night.

MORE CONCRETE SHIPS WILL BE CONSTRUCTED

A Pacific Port, March 15 .- So completely successful was the launching here of the world's largest reinforced concrete ship that the builders announced they immediately would begin construction of 54 similar ships of large size and expected that all would be completed within 18 months.

FOUR FIRES IN ARSENAL ENDANGER ARMY STORES

St. Louis, Mo., March 15 .- Four fires of unknown origin within two months have threatened the buildings of the United States arsenal here in which are stored army supplies valued at more than \$7,000,000 according to Fire Chief Panzer, who visited the arsenal at each The arsenal buildings are now guarded.

GERMAN IS DOWNED BY AN AMERICAN FLYER

With the Lafayette Flying Squadron, Monday, March 11.—Paul E. Baer, of Fort Wayne, Ind., this afternoon downed a German airplane. Mr. Baer came to France in February of last year as a member of the Franco-American flying corps.

COURT ROOM CLEARED WHEN WOMAN TESTIFIES

Atlanta, Ga., March 15 .- Mrs. Margaret Hirsch charged with attempted blackmail of Mayor Asa G. Chandler today took the witness stand in her own behalf.

Before starting her statement, the ourt room was cleared of spectators at her request.

The bill pounch of the pelican will hold from three to eight pounds of fish

killing of prairie chickens out of sea-son, the chief game warden of Ne-braska thinks he has broken up a traffic whereby dining cars of the Union Pacific were supplied with the chickens out of season. John McIlvain, local passenger di-

John McIlvain, local passenger di-rector for the railroad, is one of the men who plead guilty and paid his fine. He is said to have acted as a go-between buying the birds from hunters and delivering them to the roads. He said he bought the birds from hunters for \$1 each and sold them to the rail-roads for \$1.25 and "tips." Chief Game Warden Koster eave his men saw Mc-Warden Koster says his men saw Mc-llvain take four chickens from a box and hand them to the conductor of the train. His arrest followed.

SPECIAL SESSION

WITHOUT EXPENSE? Lincoln, Neb., March 14.-To make possible the holding of the extra legislative session without passing any ap-propriation bills for salaries or ex-penses, Governor Neville and, other state officers have had under discus-sion a proposal that all services necessary to perform the work of the session be contributed without additional cost to the state by people employed in the

different departments at the capital. The idea was talked over at a meet The idea was taked over at a meet-ing in the governor's office, attended by Governor Neville, Treasurer Hall, Auditor Smith, Secretary of State Pool, Land Commissioner Shumway and At-torney General Reed. Everyone pres-ent agreed that it is desirable from a setricite attended to a sould making patriotic standpoint to avoid making new drains on the treasury in connection with the special session, if this is possible.

Governor Neville was urged by his associates to word his call for the con-vening of the legislature so as to omit therefrom any provision for appropria-tions. His own sentiments were in harmony with that suggestion, and he stated Wednesday morning that the call would be so drawn. The governor pointed out, however, that if the legislature were not minded to cut out the appropriations it could go ahead and make them.

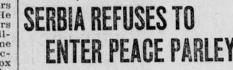
STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE; DIES FROM INJURIES

DIES FROM INJURIES Osmond, Neb., March 14.—August Wille died at his home, southeast of here, Tuesday from injuries received the day before by being run over by a car. A neighbor was going by and Mr. Wille ran out in front of the car and threw his hands up for him to stop, and jumped to one side and the car turned the same way, and ran over him. He was a man about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and family.

PINTO BEANS NOT

Lincoln, Neb., March -6 .- To date the food alministration has received contracts from growers for less than 15,-000,000 pounds of pinto beans. This is far below the response that was anticipated when it was announced that the food administration would find a market for the beans and take the entire output at 8 cents a pound. Unless signed contracts from growers are received for several times this amount of beans within the next few days the plan will not be successful.

The system of honor rolls in each municipality community or business organization bearing the names of sub-scribers and of honor flags to be given to give system of honor flags to be given to cities exceeding its quota of scriptions is expected to stimilate the number of subscriptions. This method will disclose exactly who subscribes and who refuses.



Every Effort of Austro-Germans to Force Her Into Line Meets With Rebuffs.

Berne, Switzerland, (Wednesday,) March 13 .- The peace treaties that diplomatic representative here, has in- scale. formed a Swiss interviewer.

Although Serbia had lost in the war and during the occupation about 1,000,-000 of her inhabitants, added M. Gru-itsch, there were still the men and will to persevere in Serbia's former course.

Geneva, Switzerland, March 15 .- According to unofficial information reach-ing here Austria-Hungary and Bulgaria in the period since the Russian revolu-tion have brough great pressure to bear upon Serbia to conclude a separate peace. Two means are said to have been employed, one involving oppres-sive measures and deportation in the sive measures and deportation in the occupied territories, while another means to the end 30 Serbian deputies of the national party who were Austro-phile and remained in Serbia after the retreat of the army invited to Vienna

and lavishly entertained. Both plans, the adv Both plans, the advices declare, proved a complete failure, the Serbian people, despite their sufferings remain-ing loyal to their allies and their king.

Washington, D. C., March 16 .- What recommendations Secretary of War Baker will bring back from France with respect to the conduct of war preparations and the war is something which is much talked about today at the Capital and elsewhere in Washington, now that it is officially announced the secretary has gone abroad.

In fact, it has been discussed here a great deal for days, as it has been known for some time that Mr. Baker The official statement indicates that

Mr. Baker's mission is military and not diplomatic. It is supposed this was made emphatic in order to silence any

speculation as to whether his visit was for diplomatic reasons. It is believed here in many quarters have been signed by Russia and Ru-mania have not caused any change in need of making war preparations on a Serbia's attitude, M. Gruitsch, Serbia's scale still greater than the present

LENINE GOVERNMENT SET UP IN MOSCOW

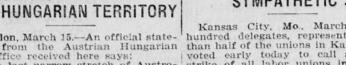
Capital Transferred to Ancient Seat of Power After More Than 200 Years.

Moscow, (Tuesday), March 12 .- Moscow has again become the official capi-tal of Russia. Peter, the Great, moved the seat of government from Moscow to Petrograd, which he founded, and af-ter 200 years the government has been transferred by its present head, Nikolai Lenine, back to the historic capital in the heart of Russia. Lenine and virtually all the govern-mented commissioners except Leon

mental commissioners except Leon Trotzky, arrived here tonight and offi-

35 MEMBERS OF I. W. W. INDICTED AT WICHITA Wichita, Kan., March 16.—Indict-ments were returned here this morning by a federal grand jury against 35 al-leged members of the I. W. W. With only one exception the indicted men are now under arrest and some of thema already has been interned for the dura-tion of the war.

KANSAS CITY FACES SYMPATHETIC STRIKE



London, March 15.—An official state-ment from the Austrian Hungarian war office received here says: "The last narrow stretch of Austro-Hungarian territory occupied by the Rumanians has been evacuated. The eastern boundry of the monarchy after two and a half years of the heaviest war burdens again is completely free."

he and one of the Vavra boys went to start Oltman's car. Oltman was fired at from ambush and one load of shot struck him in the abdomen.

John Vavra farm just after midnight. F. C. Oltman and family had passed

the evening with the Vavras and when

Struck him in the abdomen. Numerous shots were fired, but it could not be ascertained how many men did the shooting. About 2 o'clock the farm place of Louis Asche was invaded and when the hired man went out to see what the trouble was he was created by voluce rouble was, he was greeted by volleys of shots.

When Asche attempted to call help

When Asche attempted to call help by phone, he was shot at through the window, but the load struck the win-dow casing and he was uninjured. A squad of the home guard were rushed to both places and Sheriff Bar-tunck went out with several deputies. Members of the home guard stated that the buildings at both farms were riddled with bullets. Shotewas were riddled with bullets. Shotguns were used at the Vavra place and revolvers at the Asche place.

GOMPERS ASKS RUSS HOW U.S. MIGHT AID

Speaking for American Labor, He Sends Message of Sympathy to Soviets.

Washington, D. C., March 13.—Sam-uel Gompers, president of the Amer-ican Federation of Labor, on behalf of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy, today forwarded to the Russian soviet congress at Moscow a message of sympathy to the Russian people "in their struggle to safeguard freedom." Mr. Gompers' message said:

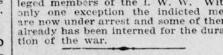
Mr. Gompers' message said: "We address you in the name of world liberty. We assure you that the people of the United States are pained by every blow at Russian freedom, as they would by a blow at their own. The American people desire to be of The American people desire to be of service to the Russian people in their struggle to safeguard freedom and realize its opportunities. We desire to be informed as to how we may

"We speak for a great organized we speak for a great of an are of a great of an are devoted to the cause of freedom and the ideals of democracy. We assure you also that the whole American nation and and awaits with eagerness an indication from Russia as to how help may most effectively be extended.

"To all those who strive for freedom we say courage and justice must triumph if all free people stand united against autocracy. We await your suggestions."

STRIKE IS SETTLED.

Fall River, Mass., March 13 .- All the otton mills in Fall River opened today under normal conditions, firemen who had been on strike for two days returning under an agreement by which the differences with the owners were adjusted last night.



IN GREAT DEMAND RUMANIANS EVACUATE