HUGHES GIVES APPROVAL TO WORLD LEAGUE

"Plain Need" For It, He Says -Would Safeguard U. S. Through Four Reservations In + Peace Treaty Resolution.

By United Press.

Washington, July 29 .- Charles E. Hughes, in a letter to Senator Frederick Hale, of Maine, made public today, declares in favor of a League of Nations, but maintains that certain reservations and interpretations to the present covenant are necessary to protect American Interests.

The interpretative reservations suggested by Hughes are:

1.-That any nation, after giving the lease the power from any debt or lia- sphere.

2.-That questions relating to immino effect any international engagement, should be regarded as matters of act in pursuance of said article except domestic policy and not within the as they may decide to act upon advice jurisdiction of the league.

titude toward purely American quesprevent acquisition by any non-American power of any territory of con-trol in the Western hemisphere.

That the United States under Article X of the covenant, does not assume any obligation to employ its sarmy or navy in any expedition that is be fulfilled. not authorized by congress. Hale Asks Opinion.

Hughes' letter was in response to a communication from Hale, in which the latter asked the former supreme court justice for his opinion as to what reservations to the peace treaty and league covenant should be made "to safeguard the interests of the coun-

Hale said that "many of us are in favor of having the United States enter a league of nations, provided that in so doing we do not sacrifice sovereignty or traditional policies of our country." He added that "we believe the proposed covenant now before the Senate does not make such a said. sacrifice.'

Need for League.

"There is plain need for a league of nations," Hughes replied, "in order to provide for the adequate development of international law, for creating and maintaining organs of international justice and the machinery of conciliation and conference, and for giving effect to measures of international cooperation which from time to time may be agreed upon.

"It is manifest that every reasonable effort should be made to establish peace as promptly as possible and to bring about a condition in which Europe can resume its normal industrial

Wants "Middle Ground." Hughes said he perceived no reason

"why these objects cannot be attained made public today. without sacrificing the essential intergested there was a "middle ground between aloofness and injurious commitments."

"One must take a light hearted view of conditions in the world to assume that the proposed plan will guarantee peace," he said. "Rather, the proposed CLAIMS IOWA GUARD covenant should be regarded as a mere beginning."

According to Hughes, "the prudent course would be to enter the proposed league with reservations of a reason- Hull Criticises War Department able character, which should meet with ready assent.

Regarding the validity of reservations. Hughes said there was no need to assume that a reservation would lead to the complete failure of the treaty or compel a resumption of the peace conference, when the reservation leaves unimpaired the main provisions of the covenant. He added further that any nation making reservations, "is not hound further than it agrees to be

Proposes Resolution. The resolution suggested by Hughes

regarding reservations reads as fol-"The Senate of the United States of

America advises and consents to the ratification of said treaty, with the following reservations and understandings as to its interpretation and effect to be made part of the instrument of ratification

"First: That whenever two years' notice of withdrawal from the League of Nations shall have been given, as prvided in Article I of the covenant, the the guard. The House military compower giving the notice shall cease to stands ready to recommend more for be a member of the league or subject the guard if needed. I look for Iowa's the league, at the time specified in the notice, notwithstanding any claim, charge or finding of the nonfulfillment of any international obligation or of any obligation under said covenant; provided, however, that such withdrawal shall not release the power from HAVRE LABOR LEADERS any debt or liability theretofore incurred.

Second: That questions relating to immigration, or the imposition of such duties on imports, where such questions do not arise out of any international engagement, are questions of domestic policy, and these and any other questions which, according to International law, are solely within the domestic jurisdiction are not to be submitted then took the foodstuffs to one of the for the consideration or action of the public market places where they were League of Nations or of any of its soid at cost price.

agencies On Monroe Doctrine. Third: That the meaning of Article XXI of the covenant of the League of Nations is that the United States of America does not relinquish its tradiquestions, and is not required by said dor to the covenant to submit its policies regard- di Cellere, would be recalled shortly.

WORLD LEAGUE EMBLEM; PRESENTED TO WILSON

Washington, July 29 .- Representative Steenerson, Minnesota, and Charles L. Stevens, editor of the Warren Register, presented to President Wilson today a flag proposed for the League of Na-

It contains a large blue star on a background of white. On the blue star are 26 white stars, representing the principal powers. In the flag also is a red cross, significant of the relief of suf-

The flag was designed by Miss Hazel Berg, a 13-year old school girl, of Erskine, Minn. Its adoption is urged by various Minnesota organizations.

The president told Represen-

tative Steenerson that as soon as the league was organized he would present the flag to the proper authorities. *********

purely American questions to the ing questions which it deems to be League of Nations or any of its agencies, and that the United States of two years' notice of withdrawal, shall America may oppose and prevent any cease to be a member of the league, acquisition by any non-American powdespite any charge of non-fulfillment er by conquest, purchase or in any of any international obligations, pro- other manner of the territory, possesviding the withdrawal would not re- sion or control in the western hemi-

Fourth: That the meaning of Article 2.—That questions relating to immi-gration or import duties, when they do Nations is that the members of the league are not under any obligation to of the council of the league. 3.—That the United States under United States of America assumes no Article XXI of the convenant (refer- obligation under said article to underring to the Monroe Doctrine), does not take any military expedition, or to em-relinquish any se its traditional atunless such action is authorized by tions and that the United States may the congress of the United States of America, which has exclusive authority to declare war, or to determine for the United States of America whether there is any obligation on its part under said article and the mans or action by which any such obligation shall

> BRYAN'S STATEMENT. By Associated Press.

Astoria, Ore., July 29 -William Jennings Bryan said in an interview here that he saw no objection to the plan of making reservations to the League of Nations covenant, as outlined and suggested by former President Taft in letters addressed to Will H. Hays, republican national chairman.

"I see no objection to the passage of any resolutions that may explain the opinion of the Senate, as these resolutions do not prevent final and confirmatory action on the treaty," he

WANT SUGGESTIONS.

Washington, July 29 .- All the foremost republicans of the country have been, or will be sked to outline to the Senate their vi regarding reservaof peace, it was tions to the tr learned this af

Burton, George Former Sen Wickersham, an thers have been, or write out their ideas are to be, asked of reservations which would safeguard American interests beyond doubt, withplan or endangering the treaty, accord-

ing to this information.

It was in accordance with this plan that Senator Hale, Maine, obtained from Charles E. Hughes the views Hughes embodied in a set of reservations submitted in a letter to Hale,

"We all want reservations," said ests of the United States," and sug- Hale, "but as to the wording of them we may differ. That is something that must be carefully worked out and we therefore must get the ideas of as many men as we can."

WILL BE INCREASED

Policy In Holding Down the Strength of Guard Units.

Washington Bureau, The Tribune. Washington, July 29.—Representative Hull, of the Second district today predicted enlargement of the national guard over the figures recently given out by the war department. He said lowa would be one of the states to get larger apportionment.

Mr. Hull, as member of the House committee on military affairs recently called attention of Secretary Baker and General March to the fact they were holding the national guard below figures it ended by congress and protested against it as unfair to the guard.

"Congress has allowed \$14,000,000 which can be used to aid the guard," said Mr. Hull. "The war department figured out the lowest minimum it could. It is the same old story of the egular army officers trying to block told Baker and March it quota to be raised. The matter gains added interest because Iowa and other guardsment back from France are bitter against the West Point system and its clique.'

COMMANDERING FOOD

By Associated Press.

Havre, July 29 .- Officials of federated trade unions went to the wholesale market today and obliged producers to sell them a quantity of foodstuffs, at prices varying at from 5 to 75 per cent under the average market price. They

ITALIAN AMBASSADOR TO BE RECALLED SOON

Rome, J 'v 20.-The Popolo Romano that the Italian ambassa. ed States, Count Macchi

MEW CLASH IN CHICAGO BLACK BELT RIOTING

Race War Renewed When Negro Fires on White Workmen Today-Rocks, Razors and Guns Used In Sunday Battling.

Chicago, July 29 .- Trouble between whites and negroes was renewed in Chicago's black belt today when Moses Thomas, a negro, fired several shots at a wagon load of white workmen being taken to a south side factory. When an attempt was made by whites to disarm Thomas, a dozen negroes rushed to his assistance. The police quelled the disturbance and reported that nobody had been injured.

The disturbance continued on Wentworth avenue, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-seventh streets, where many negro workmen reside. A riot call was sent to the Deering street police station, but when a wagon load of patrolmen arrived on the scene the fighting was over. Hundreds of white men and negroes were gathered in groups on the sidewalk, and Patrolman Phillip Groak had Thomas in custody. The police dispersed the crowds and withdrew.

Police continued to patrol the black belt today in an effort to prevent recurrence of yesterday's race rioting during which at least two negroes were killed and more than 50 whites and negroes hurt.

Starts Among Bathers.

The trouble began when negroes appeared at a beach usually used by whites only. White men and boys were said to have thrown stones at negro bathers, one negro boy being hit on the head and tumbled from a skiff into the water. When negroes attempted to rescue him and returned volley for volley of stones, fights began which lasted four hours and extended four miles from the scene of the first outbreak. The negro drowned. Another negro is reported to have died from bullets fired by a policeman who shot into a crowd of negroes seeking to

beat him. Scores of persons, including several whie women, were hurt by bricks and stones. Several were slashed by razors while many were hit by bullets.

Negroes at home in State street, in the heart of the black belt, beat whites promiscuously through the day and Whites went about dragging negroes from street cars and beating them.

The trouble moved from one part of the negro district to another. Hundreds of policemen were rushed to the troubled neighborhood and succeeded in keeping the disorders scattered.

Patrolmen on duty in the black belt today were instructed to search all negroes for fire arms and to prevent whites and blacks from congregating in groups of more than three persons. Police Captain Mullen said he had no fear of further serious outbreaks.

ing the inquest today over the unidentified negro boy who was drowned in yesterday's disturbances, announced he would make a thorough investigation of the entire affair.

Dr. J. U. Turner, a negro city health department officer, during the fighting last night was attacked by five white men on a south side street. When his garian soviet government at Budapest assailants saw his star they fled. Dr. are said to be about to abandon sup-Henry Rosin, 19 years old, who was turned over to the police and booked on munist government there, according to a charge of assault.

that of Robert Reynolds and George Martin, negro 'oys, employed as mes-sengers by the Postal Telegraph Company, who were attacked by 10 white The boys were rescued by the police, but no arrests were made.

DECLARES POGROMS IN POLAND EXAGGERATED

Morgenthau, American Investigator, Reports Jews Partly to Blame For Troubles.

By Associated Press. Paris, July 29 .- Henry Morgenthau, appointed by President Wilson as head newspaper men here today that the sociated governments. short visit he had made to Poland had convinced him that the reports of the by the administration of Bela Kun, pogroms were tremendously exagger-

Mr. Morgenthau addied his view that the Polish Jews sometimes overlooked the fact that equal rights involved equal duties.

EXPECT SHIP TIEUP TO BE BROKEN BY TONIGHT

By United Press.

New York, July 29 .- Many steamships tied up for almost three weeks by the strike of marine workers may sail tonight as the result of agreements marine engineers' bene cial association and steamship ow rs today. The marine engineers (ie only workers whose dema ave not been granted.

MAN, 39, CONFESSES TO MURDER OF CHILD

By Associated Press.

Chicago, July 29 .- Thomas Fitzgerald,, 39 years old and married, conby strangling her. He accompanied bridges as they retired. the police to his home and showed them where he had concealed the body beneath some coal under the basement took, 6,500 prisoners and ing boat equipped with a 150-horse steps and it was recovered. steps and it was recovered.

MARRIED BY WIRELESS HONE WHILE FLYING AT 80 MILES AN HOUR

By Associated Press. New York, July 29 .- Traveling 80 miles an hour, 2,000 feet in the air, Lieut. George Burgess, army aviation corps, and Miss Emily Schaefer, of Brooklyn, were married Saturday by wireless telephone. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Alex Wouters from another airplane, piloted by Lieut. Eugene H. Hartsdale, best man, while the machines circled above 200,000 persons attending a police field day at Sheepshead Bay

speedway.

The bridesmaids, who were in the grandstand, had wireless telephone connection with the airplanes

CARRANZA ENEMY OF CIVILIZATION

Witness Tells House Committee Steffens and Hale Misled Wilson Regarding the Mexican Leader.

Washington, July 29 .- Misled in heir investigations in Mexico, William Bayard Hale and Lincoln Steffens in turn misled President Wilson into believing that President Carranza was "the people's champion," the House rules committee was told today by William Gates, an archaeologist of Baltimore. The commission is holding hearings on a resolution proposing investigation of the Mexican situation.

Declaring that his opinions were based on a first hand study of conditions when he toured Mexico in 1917 and 1918, Gates described Carranza as an "enemy of his own people first, the United States second, and all civiliza-

The Mexican president, the witness said, is more anti-Saxon than anti-American, hopes to set up the supremacy of the Latin races and desires to drive American and British capital from his country.

Gates said that after their investigations in Mexico for the president, Hale and Steffens were employed by he Germans.

Gates said there were "very few actual bandits other than Carranza soldiers, who are usually headed by their officers." He added that revolutionary bands exist, and that in districts under their control he felt safer than in Mexico City.

Coroner Peter M. Hoffman, in open- Allied Ultimatum Against Red Leader Resulting In Turning Sentiment Against

Communists.

By Associated Press. Paris, July. 29 .- Troops of the Hun-

port of Bela Kun, head of the comadvices from Vienna. Bela Kun's fin-Another disturbance reported was ancial embarrassment was reported to

be very serious. A strong arraignment of the present Hungarian government is contained in the allied statement issued Saturday in which it was made known to the Hungarian people that they could only obtain a removal of the blockade and receive food supplies if they ousted Bela Kun and set up a truly represen-tative government. The text of the statement follows:

"The allied and associated govern ments are most anxious to arrange peace with the Hungarian people and thus bring to an end a condition of things which makes the economic revival of central Europe impossible and defeats any attempt to secure supplies for its population. These tasks cannot even be attempted until there is in Hungary a government which repreappointed by President Wilson as head of the American commission to inves-letter and the spirit the engagements tigate reported pogroms in Poland, told into which it has entered with the as-

> "None of these conditions is fulfilled which has not only broken the armistice to which Hungary was pledged. but is at this moment actually attacking a friendly and allied power.

RUMANIANS ACTIVE.

Vienna, Sunday, July 27 .- The Hungarian soviet troops have been throws back in disorder across the Their river by the Rumanians at Szolnok a... other points, according to reports received here today.

Count Michael Karolyi, former provisional president of Hungary, who is reported detained by the Czecho-Slovak authorities at Prague, issued a letter just before leaving Austria in which expected to be reached between the he claimed he did not intend to have a communist government formed in Hungary. The count said he was betraved by the socialists, who agreed to form a new cabinet under his presidency, but intrigued behind his back to form a socialist communist govern ment and seized arms to this end.

POLES CAPTURE 6,500 IN GALICIAN ADVANCE

Copenhagen, July 29.—The Polish advance into Galicia, which the Polish fessed Sunday to the police that he press byreau announced yesterday, was killed little Janet Wilkinson, 6 years made so rapidly that the Ukrainians old, a neighbor's child, last Tuesday had no time to destroy the railways or

The Poles, according to this an

STARTS WAR ON **LUNACY TRUST"**

Chaloner, Declared Sane, Announces He Will Give Efforts to Fighting Insanity Ring.

By Associated Press.

York, July 29 .- A seven years war on the "lunacy trust" is declared by John Armstrong Chaloner, grandson of John Jacob Astor and owner of an estate valued at more than \$1,500,-000, who Saturday won his 20-year fight for legal establishment of his sanity in New York state.

Adjudged insane here in 1897, confined in Bloomingdale asylum, only to escape and flee to Virginia, where he was able to establish his sanity, and now by a decision returned by Supreme Court Justice Ford "a sane and competent person in New York state," Mr. Chaloner declared that, like Edmond Dantes in Monte Christo, "I have dug my way out after 22 years and declare war on the condition which imprisoned me.'

summoning together a group of newspaper men, Mr. Chaloner outlined his campaign. He figures that five years' of warfare is necessary to defeat the "lunacy trust" in the United States, and that after his victory here only two years will have to be devoted to Europe before there, too, he

will be victorious.

The "lunacy trust" here is "rich and entrenched," declared Mr. Chaloner, but he asserted he was willing to devote to his campaign both his time and his income, which amounts to \$112,000

Discusses Peace Treaty and Itinerary of National Tour With White House

Callers.

By Associated Press. July 29.-President Washington, Wilson began discussion of the peace treaty today with democratic senators. Further conferences with republican senators, a dozen of whom already, have visited the White House, were held in abeyance.

Senator Thomas, democrat, of Colorado, was the first caller today, remaining with the president for half an hour. He described his talk with the president as "highly satisfactory," but refused to go into details regarding the discussion.

Representative Hudspeth asked the president to include El Paso, Tex., in his itinerary. Mr. Wilson said he hoped to include El Paso.

Senator Johnson Calls. Senator Johnson, of South Dakota, another White House caller, said after his talk with the president that, in his opinion, the treaty either must be accepted by the Senate without change or flatly rejected. Any reservations, said, would lead to complications. Senator Johnson invited the president to visit Sioux Falls and Mitchell, S. D., during his "swing around the circle," but the president did not give a definite answer

Senator Smith, Arizona, said he did not discuss the treaty with the president and declined to reveal the nature of their conversation. Representative Upshaw and severa

other Georgia congressmen invited the president to include Atlanta in his itin erary.

FLEET NOW RIVING **WAVES OF PACIFIC**

Steaming Up Western Coast Towards San Diego, Cal., Through Canal Without Trouble.

On Board the U. S. S. New Mexico, July 29.—The Pacific fleet, which passed successfully through the Pana ma canal on its voyage from Hampton Roads to the west coast of the United States, sailed last night from Panama for San Diego, Cal.

The six dreadnaughts, led by the flagship New Mexico, which safely passed through the canal Saturday were the largest ships that ever have passed through the waterway. The hverage time of passage for each warship from Colon to Balboa was 10 "This is the biggest event in the history of the canal," said Gov. Chester Harding, of the canal zone.

Saturday afternoon Admiral Rodman, visited President Porras, of Panama, who congratulated the naval officer on his success in negotiating the canal. Approximately 3,600 sailors were given shore leave at Panama and the city. celebrated.

The fleet left its anchorage in Gatun lake at dawn Saturday morning, proceeding in pairs two hours apart. The New Mexico and Wyoming led the way, followed by the New York and Texas and the Mississippi and Arkan-

PLAN TO TOUR SOUTH AMERICA BY AIRPLANE

New York, July 29 .- A year's aerial cruise from New York to South Ameri-ca will be started next month by Major S. E. Parker and G. Talbot Willcox, formerly members of the royal air force, it is announced here. The tour telephone and telegraph apparatus.

ATTACKS COAST PRICES ON OIL

Senator Poindexter Calls For Probe-Raps Standard Oil, Claiming Huge Profiteering.

By United Press.

Washington, July 29.-Investigation of operations of the Pacific coast oil companies by the federal trade commission, is provided in a Senate resolution introduced by Senator Poindexter, Washington. The resolution requests that every phase of the oil business, both producing and marketing be gone into, with particular reference to fuel oil.

In introducing the resolution, Poindexter declared that oil consumers on the coast are required to pay \$1.85 a barrel for fuel oil which is sold in New

Orleans at 80 cents.
"Inasmuch as the Pacific coast, through its California oil fields, produces more oil than it consumes, there is no excuse for the coast prices ex-ceeding Atlantic or Gulf prices," he declared.

That the investigation, if ordered, will have a direct bearing on the whole cost of living question was asserted by Poindexter, who said "fuel oil enters into the cost price of nearly every commodity.

"Consumers who have filed protests with me claim that the price of oil on the Pacific coast is arbitrarily fixed by the Standard Oil Company, of Callfornia," said Poindexter. "There is no real competition. The Standard's control has brought it enormous pro-files, enabling it to pay dividends in the last three years of 165 per cent. Last year's profit was \$44,000,000 and an estimate based on the first six months shows that of 1919 will be millions higher. In the three years when the Standard has paid these 165 per cent dividends, prices of fuel oil on the coast have advanced nearly three-fold."

Poindexter's resolution directs the commission to pay particular attention to the Standard Oil, the Union and the General Petroleum Companies and "to report to the Senate what, if any, combinations in restraint of trade, or unfair competition have existed and do exist and, if any, the effect they have had on the market price of fuel oil, gasoline and other petroleum prod-

Recommendations are invited from the commission to meet the condition,

DENY LAW BREAKING. By United Press.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 29 .- California's oil company officials professed innocence today of the charges of manipulating oil prices on the Pacific coast and of illegal combinations of oil producers made in the Senate by Senator Poindexter.

"It is probably a legitimate subject for investigation, however, if anyone wants to investigate it." an attorney representing leading oil interests de-

There was a tendency to law the low price for oil in New Orleans, as quoted Senator Poindexter, to the proximity of New Orleans to the Texas oil fields.

SENATE APPROVES OFFICER MEASURE

Bill Increasing Army Officer Personnel From 9,500 to 18,000 Passes Without Record Vote.

By Associated Press. Washington, July 29 .- Without a record vote the Senate today passed and sent to the House the administration bill authorizing an increase from 9,500 to 18,000 in the number of commissioned officers to be retained in the army this year.

CORN PRICE UP 6 CENTS

By Associated Press. Chicago, July 29.—Danger that the domestic corn crop of 1919 will be cut in two by drought and hot winds resulted today in hoisting prices more than 6 cents a bushel. Reports were current that the crop in the central

states had already been damaged 25 per cent. Active buying carried the Tomber delivery to the highest price yet this season, \$1.72%, as against \$1.66%@

1.66% at the close on Saturday. THIS MAIL CARRIER HAS CELLAR BANDITS NEWEST BRAND OF LAW VIOLATORS

Des Moines, Ia., July 29.-Cellar bandits are the latest worry of lowa

state and federal agents. Hundreds of secret liquor caches in Iowa have been raided by fake policemen, sheriffs, attorney generals and department of justice operatives since the long drought began. Arrests for the offense have been made in all parts of the state, federal agents who are tak-ing a hand in the fraudulent seizures

In the country roundabout Council Bluffs an organized gang was apparently at work. Farmers' homes were entered recently and whisky confiscated, no arrests being made.

Arrests for thefts of boose include three at Oskaloosa and three in Polk county. In each instance the men held, it is alleged, represented themselves as federal agents or state "spotters."

Eight hundred natives were killed and J.600 wounded during the recent disturbances in Egypt, according to dispatched toos. Gon. E. H. H. Allenby.