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In Brazilian Wilds. From the Manchester Guardian.

After an adventurous life among canl-bals in the wildest and least known re-glons of Brazil, Frederick Glass, mis-sionary, has arrived in Southampton. Glass tells of his life among tribes that are among the most primitive races in the world.

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no knowledge of anything but what they see. Though their disposition on the whole is friendly, they are very sus-picious of strangers. Their language consists of about 600 words. "It is difficult to make them under-stand things because of the limited vo-cabulary. For instance, when I wanted to explain what a lomotive was, I had to describe it as a horse of iron with a belly of fire. As far as intelligence goes, they are bables."

goes, they are bables." The French government having been persuaded to allot money for the pur-pose, Napoleon's last home, on the island of St. Helena, is to have a new coat of paint. It needs it, for the last coat was spread on eight years ago. The old house at Longwood, is under care of the French minister of domain. The new coloring will be exactly as in Napoleon's time, light grey for the house itself, with the shutters, cornices and doors in olive green and dark brown. Mrs. Sophia Lovell. age 70, once known

doors in olive green and dark brown. Mrs. Sophia Lovell, age 70, once known from coast to coast as queen of the gypsies is dead. Encamped outside in tents, in Toledo, Ohio, especially placed for visiting members of roving bands were more than 100 former members of her gypsy band, to attend the funeral. Mrs. Lovell was born in England in 1852, and came to America with her hus-band. Lovelling Lovell, many years ago. A number of sons, daughters and grandchildren together with her hus-band-survive her. band survive her.

"Old John." veteran of the 50 ele-phants of the Ringling Bros. and Bar-num and Baily circus, is on his fare-well tour. When the show returns to Well four. When the show returns to winter quarters at Bridgeport. Conn., in November he wik be placed on the pension list. His full name is John L. Sullivan. He has trooped more than 1,200,000 miles, visited every state in the union, and devoured peanuts from Australia to England.

Although the Emperor of Annam is the envy of Paris with his gorgeous pobes of embroidered golden yellow and blue, he wants to wear regular pants blue, he wants to wear regular pants and coats like ordinary human beings. He sent orders to a Paris tailor for an outfit of European style clothes. On arrival at Marseilles it was discovered some unscrupulous hand-me-down cloth-ing dealer had "stuck" the emperor with a lot of pre-war styles and a derby hat of the vintage of 1890.

hat of the vintage of 1890. Some valuable worms were reported missing from the hygienic laboratory of the public health service at Washing-ton. Not a word of the daring theft was permitted to reach the public. Police disguised as doctors stood around by the hour watching. A young police-man with a correspendence course in detective work had an inspiration. "Did you count the worms?" he asked. They had. "Count 'em again," he ordered. And behold not one was missing.

HELD FORMURDER, ADMITS GUILT TO HER MIND GONE

Mrs. Julia A. Wilson of Broken Bow, Neb., Charged With Death of Husband

Is Taken to Asylum.

Broken Bow, Neb., Aug. 8 (Special.) -Held with her brother, Benjamin Palin, on the charge of first degree murder in connection with the death of her husband, John A. Wilson, Mrs. Julia A. Wilson has been removed to the state insane hospital at Hastings. Her health has been affected by the hot weather and the solitary confinement in jail. The Hestings institu-tion is the nearest state hospital where the woman could receive treatment and still be under surveillance. Palin does not know that his sister has been removed from jail here.

STOP PAYMENT ON

WARRANTS FOR BRIDGES

West Point, Neb., Aug. 8 (Special.) -On Friday a petition was filed in the district court of Cuming county, enjoining the county treasurer from paying a number of warrants that had previously been registered, to the amount of over \$250,000 issued to the Standard Bridge company. It is alleged in the petition that these warrants were illegally issued on the grounds that they were far in excess of 85 per cent. of the levy for the current year. No restraining order from the court has yet been issued. The case has aroused considerable interest here.

FRIENDS SEND MONEY TO MAN FACING MURDER CHARGE

Central City, Neb., Aug. 8 (Special) -About \$300 has been raised here among friends and relatives of Will Harris of Central City, now in jail at Kaufman, Tex., and sent to Harris to aid in his defense against a murder charge. Harris' attorneys express confidence in their ability to acquit him. They have promised to make no charge if he is found guilty, but ask \$300 deposited in a Kaufman bank to be theirs in case they free him.

HOOPER, NEB., VOTES BONDS FOR NEW SCHOOL HOUSE

Hooper, Neb., Aug. 8.—The propo-sal to issue school bonds to the amount of \$75,000 for the purpose of precting a new school building here carried at a special election by a vote of 235 to 181.

ELGIN, NEB., FARMER COMMITS SULCIDE

Elgin, Neb., Aug. 8.-Henry Putch, 15, a farmer, living southeast of this place, committed suicide by hanging Domestic troubles are behimself. lieved to have caused the act. Putch and his wife had been separated for some time.

NEWSPAPER MAN IS DECORATED FOR BRAVERY

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 7.-By special act of congress and in the presence of the entire strength of the post, the distinguished service cross was presented to former Lieut. James W. Hanberry, a local newspaper man at Fort Crook. The presentation was said to have been the first of its kind ever made in Nebraska. Hanberry was elected national senior vice commander of the disabled American veterans of the world war at San Francisco recently. The presentation was made by Col. William B. Cochran, post commander at the seventh army corps area officers' headquarters. Hanberry's citation was for "conspicuous gallantry" at Chateau Thierry, July 19, 1918, where he was in command of the attacking unit of his battalion which Hanberry's reorganization of the unit Hanberry's reorganization of theunit when the battalion on his flank was cut off. After being wounded the citation says, Hanberry continued to direct the company against nests of enemy machine guns that were raking the American line and was wounded second time. Despite his wounds, says the citation, Hanberry refused succor which would have further endangered his men, and the attack was continued to a successful finish.

SAVE OTHER MAN **ON THREE TICKETS** Inmate of Boys' Reformatory Makes Affidavit He Committed Crime-Another

Is Convicted.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 3 (Special) .--Arthur F. Holbrook, an inmate of the boys' reformatory at Kearney, has

made affidavit that Paul McCoy, re-

cently convicted in Lincoln of holding

up a man, is innocent and that he is

the guilty man. He has made affi-davit to that fact and it has been filed

in the supreme court in support of

McCoy's application for a new trial.

The county attorney says that he has

witnessees to prove that when the two were in jail awaiting trial, this

story was framed up to save McCoy.

Holbook had been guilty of a number of offenses that were certain to land him in Kearney, and this added of-

fense would mean no longer sentence.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 3 (Special) .--Claiming that to condemn a man to a

life cellbacy is a punishment not pre-

scribed by the laws of Nebraska and

is against advanced public policy, Thomas P. R. Stocker, Lincoln attor-

ney, has asked the supreme court to either give him or his wife an abso-

lute divorce. The Lancaster district

court had given the wife a divorce from bed and board only. The parties

belong to prominent Nemaha county

families. Stocker says that bed and

board divorces are granted only rader

two circumstances, when one party has been guilty of flagrant violations

of the marriage vows and when there is a chance of a reconciliation.

says neither reason applies in this

Schuyler, Neb., Aug. 3 (Special) .---

Eighteen Indian skeletons have been

exhumed here by teamsters hauling

clay from Browery hill. One skele-ton had evidently been interred in a

buckskin jacket, since there were

arrow heads covered with copper jackets, besides the bones, indicating they had been carried in a pocket.

Jefferson, S. D., Aug. 3 (Special). —A meteor was observed east of here a few evening ago. When it neared the earth, it broke into two pieces and

emitted a great shower of sparks. No

reports have been had of where the pieces landed.

Kimball, S. D., Aug. 3 (Special.)-

W. Rickert, who lives alone on his farm 10 miles north of this place, was

found at his home with a cupboard

laying across his body, which he pulled over in a fainting spell. He

had been in this position for several

days when found by a farmer pass-

ing. He was taken to the Chamber-

lain sanatorium for treatment.

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WANTS PARTIAL DIVORCE

Scottsbluff Man Candidate of Democrats, Progressives and Prohibs for State Auditor.

I SHUMWAY NAMED

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 5 .--- Grant L. Shumway, of Scottsbluff, candidate in the primary for the major party nomination as a democrat for the office of auditor of public accounts, enjoys the unusual distinction of receiving the nomination for that office on three party tickets. He is the nominee of the democratic, progressive and pro-hibition parties, according to the completed tabulations of the official primary election vote now on file in the office of the secretary of state. Unless there be a ruling by the attorney general to the contrary, it is likely that there will appear on the

November election ballot as nominees of the prohibition party, the names of but six candidates. These candidates Lieutenant Governor John M. Johnson; auditor, Grant L. Shum-way; railway commissioner, Fred C. Ayres; congress, first district regular term, E. Luella Barton; congress, third district, Edgar Howard; congress, fourth district, H. B. Cummins. Names of candidates were written in for nearly every office on the primary ballot, but the other leaders will be eliminated because of the fact that they failed to receive the nomination on other party tickets. It appears from the official vote of the prohibition party, tabulation of which was completed Friday by the secretary of state that A. U. Biglow was the choice of the prohibitionists for the office of United States senator and J. M. Norton was the favorite for governor.

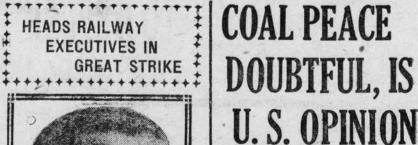
Of all the successful candidates E. Luella Barton and John M. Johnson were the only ones who filed strictly as prohibition candidates. Mrs. Barton is the only woman nominee for congress in Nebraska.

POTATO GROWERS TO DISPLAY THEIR PRODUCTS

Hayti, S. D., Aug. 5 .- The South Dakota Potato Growers' association will be represented at the state fair with a large exhibit of potatoes, according to A. W. Tompkins, secretary treasurer, following the action of the directors' meeting, held in Watertown. It was voted that every grower who was in the certification progrom for 1922 should prepare a show sample consisting of 33 tubes to be placed on exhibit at Huron in September.

for the showing of South Dakota seed potatoes at other state fairs, such as Kansas, Nebraska, etc., for the purpose of acquainting the growin those localities with the fine qaulity of seed potatoes which South Dakota produces. Final preparations on this point rests with the respec-tive growers. The secretary at this time is getting in touch with each grower, asking his approval of the association making arrangements for the financing of the project by means

A committee of two was appointed By the board, consisting of Harry Robb, Garden City, and W. C. Board-



Hoover, Chairman Harding's Fuel Committee, Frankly Is Afraid That Conference Will Not End Strike, Report.

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Universal Service. Washington, Aug. 8 .- With the White House and Secretary of Labor Davis hopeful of gratifying results, official Wagington Monday was awaiting the outcome of the coal conference in Cleveland, called by president Lewis of the United Mine Workers.

But the administration is not at all certain that the miners and operators in the Cleveland meeting will be able to reach a basis that will bring the nation-wide coal strike to an early end. Secretary of Commerce Hoover, chairman of the president's coal committee, who has followed the strike from its inception as closely as any government official, frankly is doubtful that the conference in Cleveland will achieve the desired aim.

Mellon Is Silent.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, who discussed coal and rail strike matter with the president Monday would not venture an opinion on the outcome of the Cleveland meeting.

The federal fuel distribution pro-gram got activity under way Monday when the committee representing Fuel Distributor Spencer took charge of the distribution of the entire output of non-union mines in the seven producing districts of the southeast. All loadings at the mines are now being made on the basis of the priorities established by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The action of eastern railroads last week in sending groups of shopmen from their forces to the Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western, and the Louisville & Nashville systems, in the opinion of Distributor Spencer, will enable those roads to materially increase coal movements this week over last. Inability of these roads to keep sufficient motive power in condition to move coal trains, since the shop strike began, was the cause of coal shipments decreasing so materialy in July as compared with June. The eastern roads, with dwindling fuel supplies, feel the necessity as a matter of self protection of coming to the rescue of the coal carriers, whose shops are far from the large induscenters where labor is more trial plentiful.

Hoover Has Conference.

Secretary Hoover and Fuel Dis-tributor Spencer held a conference Monday with representatives of operating mines in Pennsylvania relative to re-establishing restrictions on sky-

rocketing coal prices in that state. The administration was not optimistic over the Cleveland conference although early reports from there indicated peace might be the outcome of the meeting.

Slayton, Minn., Aug. 7 (Special.)--The 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley was burned to death Friday evening. The child's mother was preparing a mixture of varnish, when the turpentine ignited and caused an explosion which ignited the child's clothing. Death resulted in two hours. ************ NEBRASKA BRIEFS. Temporary plans are being made

LINCOLN .- The state board of control has received a message telling of the burning of the heating plant of the state industrial school for girls at Geneva. The boller house and contents were burned, but the loss has not been estim-LINCOLN.-Frank Taylor, 52, serving an indeterminate term of two to four years in the state penitentiary, violated his trusty privilege Friday and escaped. He was sentenced from Omaha last February on conviction of forgery.

duce school expenses the kindergarten and department of domestic science have been eliminated from the school of the inspection fees. here. Other departments will also be man, Aberdeen, to take ing and inspecting with Commissioner Byrne, of the state department of The directors agriculture at Pierre. of the association feel that the present grades of potatoes, as established 'the department of agriculture, should be enforced.



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man of the American Association of

Accident.

And behold not one was missing. A long freight train was held up for 10 hours at Kinston, N. C., because of a one-man strike. When shopmen walked out, there was only one railway worker at Minston who belonged to the union. He was a coupler. Other train-men refused to perform the coupler's duties, and the trainmaster finally sub-stituted for him. stituted for him. Locating undiscovered lakes in the na-

Locating undiscovered makes in the na-tional forests of Alaska are the latest uses to which the airplane has been put, says the forest service, United States department of agriculture. It has long been known that there are many lakes on the headlands and islands traversed by the inside passage between Seattle and Skagway that do not appear on any map.

How a horse stole a ride on the cow-catcher of a railway train is told by the crew of a British Columbia electric railroad train at New Westminster, B. C. At Hope the train was forced to stop to allow a band of horses to get off the track. No one saw a horse mount the cowcatcher, but when the train stopped at the next station, the animal stepped off and trotted away.

A nurse with a half million patients a year to care for is Miss Emma Wood, of Sarnia, Ont. She does not person-ally administer to their needs, but they any administer to their needs, but they are har patients. She is director of nursing for the Near East relief, and superintends the work of 50 American and Canadian nurses and 1,000 native nurses aides. The patients are famine sufferers in Turkey, Palestine and Ar-

The Kennel club of Englewood, N. J. has made it possible for the dogs of the town to run at large without the dis-comfort of muzzles. The club has estab-lished a clinic where dogs are being in-oculated with anti-rabies vaccine. The city council passed an ordinance allow-ing dogs so inoculated to go unmuzzled.

One per cent. of the school children in the United States are afflicted with stuttering. It is a symptom of a num-ber of obscure disorders. One scientist says it is "due to a temperamental lack of ability to make the necessary emotional adjustments to life." emotional adjustments to life."

After 10 years' work, Prof. Joseph ykociner, of the University of Illinois, as constructed a machine which not enly photographs movies but records sounds as well. The ring of a bell, siamming of a door; and the human voice are reproduced in laboratory tests.

Dutch florists are sending their flowers daily to London by airplane. They arrive at Croydon, England, at 1:30 p. m. and are dispatched to London by p. m. and a motor car.

Three jurymen in a recent murder trial at Parkhurst, England, were un-able to sign the jury roll after their ver-dict had been given. They could not

An Indian treaty bowl, weighing 600 pounds and said to be the largest in ex-istence, was found at Nimkleh, 100 miles north of Vancouver. The relic, which is said to be more than 560 years old, is 15 feet long, and, according to archeo-logists, was made by Indians using stone tools and axes. The bowl which was the center of an interesting Indian cere-mony was called by the aborigines "U o mother of the Five Tribes." These tribes would meet to discuss hunting laws and tribal boundaries, and on such occasions the bowl was filled with some kind of liquor.

occasions the bown was succeeding to a kind of liquor. The ideal husband, according to a wife in a London divorce courf, is one who buys his wife furs and autos, kisses her only once a day and and

NO SHORTAGE OF

TEACHERS ANTICIPATED Watertown, S. D., Aug. 7 (Special). -Arrangements were being complet-ed here for the holding of the annual joint institute for school teachers of Hamlin and Codington counties on September 25 and 27, inclusive. The dates were set at a conference of Fred L. Shaw, state superintendent of publie instruction and Miss Adah Minard, the county supertendent. Mr. Shaw declared the only delay in securing teachers for South Dakota schools this year is being occasioned to make sure applicants have the proper qualifications and hold high enough certificates. No real shortage of teachers is anticipated this season.

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR MERRILL PAVING

Merrill, Ia., Aug. 7 (Special).-The Merrill council has let the contract for 24,000 square yards of pavement. The price to be paid is \$2.51 per square yard. The paying will be of the vibrolitic concrete type and will cover 14 blocks.

W. J. BRYAN CHANGES

STYLE OF HAIR CUT

Norfolk, Neb., Aug. 7 (Special) .--William Jennings Bryan on his ar-rival here presented a real hair cut for the first time in years. The com-moner declared he feit better since he had his locks shorn, although he admitted there has been little comment on his change in style of hair cuts. Mr. Bryan for many years wore his hair quite long. The commoner appeared in the best of health and declares he will return north in the fall for a strenuous campaign for the democratic party,

HEAVILY LOADED WAGON

Lake Andes, S. D., Aug. 3 (Special.) -The young son of Victor Johnson, living near Lake Andes, while riding to town in company with another boy on a load of wheat, lost his balance and fell to the ground, the wagon passing over him, breaking his and causing other severe injuries. He was taken to the hospital at Yankton, Tuesday morning.

NEW YORK. - Business failures for July totaled 1,568, a drop of 5.3 per cent. from the June figures and 42 per cent. from those for the peak month of January, 1922, Bradstreet's report says. Although the number of failures was 5.1 per cent. above that for July, 1921, the total amount of liabilities - \$42,045,546 - was 40 per cent. below the total for July, last year.

PARIS.-After a controversy of more than two years, between the allies and the Germans over the right of allies to the unrestricted use of the Kiel canal, the council of ambassadors has decided to render the whole question to the international court of justice at the Hague for settlement. BOISE, ID .- The republican vote

was much heavier than either the democratic or progressive in Tuesday's county elections throughout Idaho. This was indicated on the face of returns received here.

DENVER. - Rescue parties has started for the top of Long's Peak, one of Colorado's highest mountains to recover the body of J. E. Kitts, of Greeley, who was killed Tuesday when lightning struck him and J. E. Bullas, of Topeka, Kan. Bullas who was burned slightly about the head and had his shoes torn from his feet by the bolt was able to make his own way down the mountain.

Jim Thorpe, the big Sac and Fox brave, who not so long ago was hailed as the greatest all round athlete that ever lived, says that he will retire from minor league baseball at the end of this season. Thorpe has been slipping year by year. Ty Cobb

DAUGHTER OF BRYAN

VISITS OLD HOME

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 3 (Special) .-Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of W. J. Bryan, is a brief visitor to her old home. She is now on a lecturing tour ala father, and is filling several dates at Nebraska chautauquas During her leisure times at hotels and on the trains she is writing a novel, and half of it has thus been set down. She is lecturing on what she saw while in the orient, where her husband, a British army lieutenant, has been stationed.

NEW DEAN OF MEN FOR IOWA STATE COLLEGE

Ames, Ia., Aug. 4 (Special) .- The position of dean of men has been created at Iowa State college by the state board of education and John E. Foster, of Des Moines appointed

thereto. Mr. Foster comes to the new position with a wide experience in school affairs and particularly with the high schools of Iowa. Nine years ago became inspector of high schools under the state board of education and later he became secretary of the board of secondary school relations. Before that Mr. Foster was in public school work as principal and superintendent. He has been an Iowan from boyhood and got his collegiate education at Leander Clark . college

and later at Yale university. The new dean of men at Iowa State college will take up his work with the new college year this fall. His duties will be to stand in the relation of an advisor and guide to the men students in their college work and recreation and to cooperate with them in other ways through organizations and through individuals.

MILLER TO BUILD NEW RESORT ON LAKE ANDES

Lake Andes, S. D., Aug. 4.-H. Z. Miller, proprietor of Rest Haven, a summer resort on Lake Andes which was wiped out by the recent cyclone, has purchased the Irving land, three and a half miles east of the city and will build a resort there for next summer. The land is one of the choicest pieces in this vicinity. Mr. Miller will devote his time the rest of this season to the operation of the portion of his boat equipment which remained after the storm and will have his new resort done in time for the fishing season next year.

Traffic on a New York street was blocked while a fox terrier met a cat for the first time. The cat got the decision and the puppy the sympathy. Yale university press is making a ser-ies of historical pictures for school use which the college department insists will be as accurate as research and study can make then. The first picture is the story of Columbus.

story of Columbus. Business was too good at the accordian store of John Belicky in New York. So many persons left the store with ac-cordians the police became suspicious. Detectives investigated, tried a few and found some would not play. The latter type had a capacity of two to four gal-lons. A still and mash were found in back rooms. back rooms.

cut according to the secretary of the board of education. STANTON.-Unable to remember what had happened, Miss Grace Perry was picked up along the road near here by Kurt Hartman. The horse she had been riding was found dead, neck broken, some rods distant. It is supposed that the animal stumbled and fell, throw-

ing Miss Perry to the ground. RANDOLPH.-A room with glass walls has been installed here for the depart-ment of commercial work in the high The library room has also been remodeled.

PLAINVIEW .- In an attempt to re-

WISNER.-Her head caught between the sliding boards used in the doors a corn crib, Cecilia Myrtle Bendon, ear-old daughter of Charles Bendon, died of suffocation

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********* SPENCER.-Miss Glee Hastings, a Spencer girl who is director of the or-phanage department of the Near East relief, in Constantinople, turned the first sod for a new orphanage for Armenian children, known as the Vickery Home annex

ORANGE CITY .- Secretary H. J. Wargowsky of the Buttermakers' of Section 7 of Iowa announces that members of this section of the association and their families will have a get-together meet-ing picnic at Orange City, next Wed-

ALTON .- Three boys, aged 18, 19, and ALTON. - Inter boys, aged to, io, and 20 were arrested here Thursday after-noon when they were found on a freight train from the north and taken to the city jall. The boys had evidently been A. W. O. L. from their company at Fort Snelling. Word has been wired to the company commander.

ORANGE CITY. — Rev. Doreen, of Sloux City will give the principal ad-dress at the county eighth grade com-mencement exercises to be held at the county farm next Wednesday, in the forenoon sluring the annual farm bureau

"NON-STOP" PLANE WRECKED. Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 7 (A. P.)-U. S. A., to skirt the country in 24 hours with only one stop, was thwarted for the time being at the get-away at Pablo Beach here last night, when his specially constructed 2-Z Haviland four plane was wrecked in the surf.

STILLMAN REPORT OCTOBER 1.

New York, Aug. 7 (A. P.)-A report of the referee in the divorce action brought by James A. Stillman, banker, against his wife, Anne U. Stillman, will be submitted in court October 1. it was announced Sunday. Attorneys for both sides stipulated that Referee D. J. Gleason should be granted two additional months in which to complete his inspection of the testimony. The report is to be filed with Supreme Court Justice Morschauser in Yonkers, N. Y.

HUGHES TO APPROVE MEXICAN DECISIONS?

Universal Service.

Washington, Aug. 8.-Secretary Hughes is expected to announce Tuesday whether the state department is satisfied with the five decisions of the Mexican supreme court intended to safeguard American property rights in Mexico.

The certified texts of these decisions, upon which recognition of Mexico by the United States hinges, were delivered to Secretary Hughes last Friday, when he said he would make known his decision "in three or four days."

The five rulings, which constitute the legal precedent required in Mexican judicial procedure, support President Obregon's declaration that Article 27 of the new constitution is not retroactive and that under it not American property legally acquired can be confiscated by the Mexican government for communal purposes.

Pilot Walks Desert To See Mail Carried After Plane Disabled

Universal Service.

Washington, Aug. 8 .- How an air mail pilot struggled 20 miles over the blazing great salt desert to summon a plane to pick up the mail from his disabled machine was told Monday by the postoffice department.

R. B. Levisee was forced down in the desert between Salt Lake City, Utah, and Elko, Nev., when his en-gine failed. Leaving the plane he trudged 20 miles to the nearest railroad station and sent word of his accident to Salt Lake City.

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Soon Paul P. Scott, formerly of Washington, appeared with a fresh plane, transferred the mail from Levisee's machine to his own and carried it on, taking Levisee with him.

REFUSE GERMAN MORATORIUM.

Paris, Aug. 7 (A. P.) .- The reparation committee by a vote of three to one last Thursday, rejected a resolution which would have accorded a moratorium to Germany for the remainder of the calendar year on reparations. It also rejected Germany's of payments of £ 500,000 offer monthly on balances of her pre-war debt.

VLADIVOSTOK .-- Communists received a setback in the elections for the national assembly of the far eastern republic, many non-communists being elected as communists.