OMAHA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1923. *

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ANTHRACITE COAL INDUSTRY

Leadership State G. O. P. Secretary of French Is Rejected

Premier Baldwin's Speech Proposes Great Britain Take Lead in Reparations Tangle.

Neutrals Aid Is Sought

By MARK SULLIVAN.

Paris, July 13 .- Premier Baldwin's speech in the house of commons amounted to proposing leadership on the part of Britain in the relations of the allies with Germany, leadership which France may follow or refuse to follow, just as Britain refused to follow France's lead, when the latter entered the Ruhr last January. Premier Baldwin's explanation of

the causes which have led up to this departure, as well as such proposals the future as he may make, have ne hope that the new British course may so commend itself as to draw endorsement, if not from France, then from the allies other than then from the allies other than France, namely Italy and Belgium, and also from neutrals like the United States, and lead to a definite early settlement of the whole reparation

France Takes Lead.

It is to be remembered that France has twice in the last six months gone ness contrasting strongly with the spirit of patient conciliation Britain is now trying to show the world. France took the lead most cavalierly when it entered the Ruhr on only 48 hours' notice, and again when it sent a separate reply to the first German note, without even consulting

When the last German note came, France not only insisted on keeping gates at the national convention, acthe lead, but actually demanded that cording to Dr. T. W. Bass of Broken Britain endorse and follow its lead, Bow, Neb., secretary of the repubjoining with France in exacting the condition that Germany must withdraw passive resistance before any who represented the Nebraska organanswer whatever should be sent to ization at the regional meeting of the

Britain Quits Leader.

That is the phase ended by Pre- Friday. standing alone, because it would have party to promote co-operation bebeen in effect an endorsement and tween the national committee and joining with France in its policy of state organizations. Of the 50 state occupying the Ruhr and would have delegates present, ten were women. committed Britain to following that Mrs. Anna McFarland of Omaha, course to the end-through a series who served as executive secretary at and likely to be dangerous.

its position is that the occupation of as her substitute at the conference the Ruhr is illegal. Britain took this and left Omaha Wednesday evening. position at the beginning, and with Dr. Bass represented State Chairman the passage of six months became Judge E. B. Perry. Mrs. McFarland Introduced by Harding's Party not only confirmed in its judgment will spend a week with a brother in that France's occupation is illegal, but Chicago before returning. came to believe that it has also been The meet was held at the Drake ho proved ineffective and is increasingly tel. It was a thoroughly get-to-gether menace to the peace and stability affair "to outline work for the next of the world.

Understanding Is Sought.

derstanding in advance with France the future. on a definite program of common ac- National representatives of tion by the two countries, covering party present were G. B. Lockwood, every step up to final settlement of secretary of the national committee reparations. If this preliminary understanding could have been brought Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Harriets Tay about, it was Britain's purpose then lor Upton, vice chairman of executo give informal counsel to Germany tive committee, Ohio; C. H. Huston, to cease passive resistance, upon the former assistant secretary of comassurance that this would be followed, merce, now with finance committee of step by step, with a program agreed organization, and Mrs. Madill Mc upon between itself and France. But Premier Poincare would no

come to an understanding with appointing women to serve with the Britain on such a program. Poincare men on the national committeerefused to define clearly what he understood by "passive resistance." He ald not define what he means by paration." The cause of this refusal is the fear and suspicion on the part of France that Britain might take advantage of it in working out the program and deprive it, not only of what France regards as a fair share of reparations, but also of

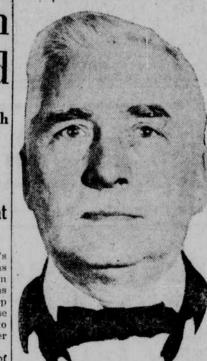
(Turn to Page Two, Column Six.) Body of Balloon Victim

Arrives at Cedar Rapids, Ia. Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 12 .- The body of Lieut, Jouis J. Roth, vict m of the balloon disaster in Lake Erie, arrived here today from Cleveland, and was taken directly to an undertaker's establishment. It will lie in state in the First Christian church tomorrow from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. The funeral will be held in the

Sheriff After Edwin Rust.

Fargo, July 13 .- Edwin Rust, wanted for the murder of Sheriff I. C. Fulker, of Abedreen, S. D., on a train near Moorhead. July 1. last night was being sought by sheriff of Becker county, Minnesota, 50 miles east of here in the woods west of Detroit.

Back from Conference



Dr. T. W. Bass.

More Active,

off on its own lead with a brusque. State Secretary Home from Chicago Conference Tells of Co-Operation Promotion.

> Republican women will take a large part in the next election and will delican state organization in Nebraska, republican party at Chicago Thursday. Dr. Bass returned to Omaha

of developments impossible to see, the local headquarters during the last campaign, was named by Mrs. W. T. This Britain could not do, because Graham, vice states chairman, to act

campaign and to get the feeling of people in the different states." These In this situation, what Britain sought to do was to come to an unsought to do was to come to an uns

Cormick, who has been one of the

Little Stories of Success

Mrs. O. A. Phippins, 2658 Douglas St., HA 6386, says it certainly does not pay to let your spare rooms stay vacant when they can be rented so easily, conveniently and at such reasonable rates through Omaha Bee "Want" Ads.

Mrs. Phippins placed a twoline Room for Rent Omaha "Want" Ad in Sunday's paper. Tuesday her rooms were rented. All she had to do was call AT 1000 and place her Omaha Bee "Want" Ad-no inconvenience at all.

Here is this Omaha Bee "Want" Ad that rented the

DOUGLAS ST., 2658-Nice, clear sleeping or housekeeping rooms

Read and use Omaha Bee "Want" Ads-the Bee-line to

Contem

Carl C. Magee of Albuquerque Sentenced to 360 Days in Jail and Fined Total of \$4,050.

New Citation Is Served

Las Vegas, N. M., July 13 .- Carl C. Magee, Albuquerque editor, was found guilty of contempt on seven counts in Judge D. J. Leahy's court here today. Four citations had been issued, di recting Magee to show cause why he should not be adjudged guilty of con tempt, one of them containing three counts, one of them two counts and the others one count each. Magee was sentenced to 90 days in jail on each of the four citations, a total of 360 days, and ordered to pay a fine of \$1 on each count, a total of \$7. The Magee Publishing company, owned by Magee, and publisher of the Albuquerque Tribune, in which Magee's alleged contemptuous editorals appeared, was fined \$1,000 on three of the four counts and \$1,050 Says Dr. Bass on another a total of \$4,050. The publishing company was made co-defendant with Magee in the contempt

New Citation Served.

No sooner had court convened for the afternoon session than Magee was served with another contempt citation, based upon an editorial in his paper of July 8, in which he referred to his experiences in court and to which state's attorneys took exception. The citation is returnable July 21.

During the noon recess attorneys for the defense saw an article in the written by H. B. Hening, who is here covering the Magee trial, and which attorneys for Magee held to be contemptuous. The article referred to testimony given by Mages on the stand, in which Magee was quoted as having said that District Judge Reed Hoolman of Santa Fe and H. P. Owen of Los Lunas were corrupt. Baby Is Saved by mier Baldwin's speech. Britain has Republican delegates from the This, it was pointed out, was incor-earnestly searched for every possi-states of Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, rect, as Magee had not charged the bility of avoiding a divergence. It could not join with France in a public demand for cessation of passive confer with National Chairman J. T. resistance as a preliminary condition, Adams and executive officials of the Hening be cited for contempt. directed the district attorney to in Nurses Find 15-Months-Old goldsby, serving one to 20 years in Town Just Beyond Coblenz deaths of Senator Nelson of Minne- said to be the largest lead-silver metals and the serving one to 20 years in Town Just Beyond Coblenz deaths of Senator Nelson of Minne- said to be the largest lead-silver metals. vestigate and report.

> Magee was given five days in which (Turn to Page Two, Column Four.)

Song "Iowa" Is Hit in Alaska

Band Although It Lacked the Music.

Shrine convention in Washington, D. traversed since it left Washington and buy ice to keep it pure and sweet. today was carried into this Alaskan the singing members of the presidential group. It was applauded by the people of Ketchikan, who heard it and idly. Alaskan trails to the far north. On the evening of the first day leaders who have pushed the idea of

aboard the naval transport Henderson, en route from Tacoma, Wash., to Alaska, the United States navy band, you should, for your own peace of temporarily stationed on the Henderson, was requested to play "Iowa."
The bandmaster was unable to comply. He had not the music nor had he heard the song, and there was gloom aplenty for the time being. But he was not long unprepared. At the concert on the following morning, the thirty musicians had the music before them and have not failed to play the six at any succeeding considerable.

Bables.

Previously acknowledged contributions. Mrs. William C. Shanon Mrs. Clifton Wood John H. liath John Neighbor club. Milford. Neb. Two Friends in Omaha. No Name

From a Friend J. D. Foster
Clara Hawley
Mrs. L. D. Ladd
Wrs. C. Ostenberg, Oakland, Neb. son, was requested to play "Iowa." play the Air at any succeeding con-

This was how the music was written and the orchestration of it made possible. Bandmaster Charles Benter heard bursts of the song ringing from one of the cabins that night. His attention was caught by the word provisors about him and all were lisputting what they had heard of the song into notes of their various instruments, When the other muwas handed his part of the song and serters more severely, but by making custer County Baby Is sicians appeared in the morning, each the request of the evening before was automatically discharged. Little details like playing the chorus again and again with a total absence of verses-in the same manner as the musicians had heard the cabin serenader-made no difference in the ap-

Sweet, Pure Milk

Tot Suffering from Poor Nourishment.

Baby Jones is 15 months old. He has three older brothers and one sister. His mother is away most of the day, working in the homes of wealthy people. Sister is 9 years old; she helps as much as she can around the house, though.

Sister would do anything for Baby Jones, but she also has to keep watch of her other brothers. And the scanty earnings of the mother scarcely buy enough food for the little family. In Ketchikan, Alaska, July 8.-(By the winter Baby Jones might have Mail to the Associated Press.)-The kept well, even under these circumsong "Iowa," most popular of any stances. But during the past few hot piece of music played at the recent weeks he became fretful and began to waste away. He didn't receive pure C., has been introduced by President sweet milk at regular intervals, be- Parole Violator Is Harding's party in almost every state cause there wasn't money enough to The Visiting Nurse association city for the first time by some of found Baby Jones in a serious condi-

But they purchased milk and ice for him, and he is improving rap-

Desertions From Navy Alarm Secretary Denby

Washington, July 13.-Alarmed by the large number of men who are "Iowa." Soon he had some of his im- deserting from the naval service. Secretary of the Navy Denby this

this practice. complished, not only by punishing de. may be wiped out.

the naval service more pleasant for the enlisted men. Chinese Raid German Home. Hongkong, July 13.dChinese rob-

Convict Files Own Appeal to Courts

the Nebraska state penitentiary, on a charge of forgery, today filed a petition in federal court, which he drew up himself, asking for a writ of

habeas corpus. The district court at Nebraska City gave Ingoldsby a flat 10-year sentence, but this was changed by the supreme court to an inedeterminate

term of one to 20 years. The prisoner contends that he is being held for a crime for which he was never tried in Nebraska or the United States; that when found guilty passed he was sentenced to a penalty 10 times greater under a new law and that his extradition from Texas was fraudulently secured.

Found in Hospital

Lincoln, July 13.—Bert Cox, parole volved the security police near that on the high seas, a right which they The Free Milk and Ice fund violator, who dropped out of sight a town. probably it will be passed along the pays for the milk and ice to keep year and a half ago, has turned up

years. He was paroled October 24, been insulted and jeered at by civil- failure last Monday, probably will 1921, but broke his parole February ians while held by the police.

State Assessment Figures May Reach Last Year's Total Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bec.

Lincoln, July 13 .- With 25 counties in the state to be heard from. Tax ommissioner Smith's figures on the 1923 property assessment of Nebraska tening outside the door. Below afternoon ordered all commanding of decks they went and began playing, ficers, both ashore and afloat, to take immediate steps to break up and Lancaster and Douglas show Denby suggested that this be ac. their expected gains, this decrease

Badly Chewed by Swine Broken Bow, Neb., July 13.-The

e-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. bers today raided and looted the Pierson was badly chewed by hogs residence of a German at Tung- when he wandered a half mile from plause that President Harding's party Shan, near Canton. Foreigners of home into a large hog pasture. The thundered out when the band con-cluded its first playing of "Iowa." Shan, near Canton. Foreigners of home into a large hog pasture. The Dodge City. I hander frantic barking of his dog saved the Lander nation.

French Troops Occupy Limberg

I WOULDN'T HAVE

COMPLAINED IF THEY'D

BEEN WILLING TO

LEAVE ME EVEN

Seized as Permanent Occupation Town.

Dusseldorf, July 13 .- The town of nent occupation town.

Barmen, in the Elberfeld manufacwithdrew.

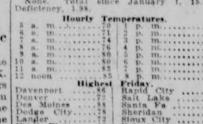
out it is understood the operation stead act and also was recorded as discipline. None was hurt. which was on a considerable scale, dents. Barmen is just outside the of legislation for the next congress, occupied area, and the frontier affairs including a measure to prohibit culminated recently in one which in American ships from carrying liquor

Baby Jones alive, and for milk and again as an inmate of the Lincoln soldiers following some German sels are forbidden to exercise by ice for dozens of other babies whose state hospital for insane, where he smugglers were surrounded in the order of President Harding. There condition is just as serious. If you was sent on June 28, after being ad- woods by 15 of the security police, also is a move to make other changes haven't subscribed to the fund yet judged a dope addict in Clay county, the French state. The police seized in the ship liquor provisions as well Cox was returned to the peniten the Frenchmen, kidnaping them as others sections of the law. mind as well as for the sake of the tiary Friday, having partially recov- and taking them to Elberfeld where ered from the effects of the drugs they were questioned and disarmed. which caused his commitment to the Their arms were finally returned to them without cartridges and they He was sentenced March 19, 1919, were allowed to re-enter the oc The soldiers reported they

tions against the French-

The Weather

Highest, 90: lowest 70; mean, 80; nal, 77. Total excess since Janua 7 Relative Humidity, Percentage, 7 a. m., 87; noon, 63; 7 p. m., 86, Precipitation, Inches and Hundredth, None, 7 total since January 1, 18.27 deficiency, 1.38.



1,000 Persons Homeless; Fear Felt for Tourists on Yellowstone Highway

Mace and Burke, in Silver-Lead District of Idaho, Swept by Forest Fires-Homes and Business Houses Dynamited in Vain Attempt to Check Disaster-Mine Buildings Razed.

School Children Forced to Flee Before Blaze

Idaho, are reported destroyed by fires sweeping up the western slope of the Bitter Root mountains. Wire communication with the fire-swept district s down. Fear is felt for the lives of tourists on the Yellowstone Trail high way, which is understood from meager reports to be in the path of the

A thousand persons are reported homeless in the two towns. Mace is lestroyed. The business section of Burke is in flames and little hope is held of saving what remains of the town. Loss up to 4 p. m. is said to be unchecked. Attempts to block the fire by dynamiting homes, business houses and mine structures proved futile because of the high wind.

Dry Forces in **Congress Uneasy** About Outlook with the miner was threatened.

of Senate and House Committees Regarded as Wets.

By Associated Press. Washington, July 13 .- The dry years have exercised undisputed con- ings. trol over the legislative machinery handling prohibition bills in both senate and house, are looking forward

By a combination of circumstances the men now in line for chairmen of the senate and house judiciary comnittees, which have charge of prohibition measures, are Senator Brandegee of Connecticut and Representative Graham of Pennsylvania, both the two towns, rise at a sharp angle of whom voted against the 18th It was reported that all the exterior

primary in Minnesota. Not only did Senator Brandegee Limburg, just beyond the Coblenz eppose the prohibition amendment, lation was unconstitutional and the all had been removed in safety. drys concede that with a judiciary Two hundred school children took turing district, also was occupied by chairman holding that view the path- refuge in the Catholic church at Mace a detachment of French troops. Sev. way of any additional prohibition when the wind first swept the flames eral of the Barmen city officials legislation to be urged at the coming through the town. When blasting were arrested, after which the French session may be somewhat difficult. failed to stop the fast spread of the The French official announcement against the constitutional amendment, the church as it started to burn above of the occupation does not give the answered "present" to his name on their heads. The children were under number of officials taken as hostages, the roll call which passed the Vol- the care of a priest who maintained

"not voting" on the anti-beer bill. was undertaken to impose a penalty Already some of the dry leaders have under the recent supreme court Day before yesterday two French decision by which shipping board ves-

Lieut. Maughan to Attempt One-Day Flight on Monday here late this afternoon.

L. Maughan, whose attempted dawnto-dusk continental flight ended in Russian Countess Found Dead. second atttmpt, leaving This incident, it was explained, Mitchell Field, Long, Island, next has caused the punishment of Bar Monday, it was announced by air of-It also is claimed that the se- ficers here today after Lieutenant found dead today at the foot of a curity police in Barmen and Elber- Maughan hopped off at McCook field terrace at the Villa Sfirza, where she feld have engaged in sniping opera- for New York. While an order received at McCook field early in the aviatrix and had just brilliantly chief of the army air service, had passed examination as a pilot. It is called off a second transcontinental flight, it was said that these instrucshow a total of \$1,996,365,529, which 1923. by telephone from Washington.

Senator Dillingham Dies. (By Associated Press.)

Montpelier, Vt., July 13.-United States Senator William P. Dillingnam of Vermont died here late last

Senator Dillingham was born in December, 1843, and was a son of Paul Dillingham, who was governor of Vermont from 1865 to 1867. He was

Spokane, July 13.-The mining towns of Mace and Burke, east of Kellogg

completely gone and a large portion of the residence section burning, fire fighting efforts centered at 4:30 a short distance up the canyon from Burke where the large hotel of the Hercules Mining company, together with the miners' recreation center, All miners of the rich lead-silver

With the business section of Burke

mines of the district, estimated at Men in Line for Chairmen several thousand, have turned to fighting the fire.

Built along the bottom of a narrow canyon east from Wallace, the center of the Coeur d'Alene lead-silver mining district, Burke and Mace were little more than collections of frame store buildings and miners' boarding houses built around the big wooden forces in congress, who for several structures which housed the work

Surrounded by Hills

The tracks of the branch line of railroad run up the center of the with some concern to the situation canyon, crossing and recrossing the which seems likely to confront them little stream which carries away the when the next session meets in De- water from the ore plants. The principal business buildings of the two tracks. On either side the hills, with their covering of timber scarred by forest fires and by snowslides, which have more than once literally buried

amendment and since have steadfast- workings of the Hecla mine, one of ly refused to be counted among the drys. Senator Brandegree has become the ranking member of his was blasted. The other workings ittee through the successive burned. The Bunker Hill-Sullivan sota and Dillingham of Vermont, in the world, and the Hercules. of while Mr. Graham inherited the rank- comparable importance, are in the dising position in the house committee trict. They were protected by divithrough the defeat of the chairman, sions of the canyon, however, and Representative Volstead, in last year's were not immediately threatened.

A report was at first circulated that bridge head which the Americans but he also voted against both the the miners of the Hecla mine had been formerly held, was occupied by Volstead act and the anti-beer bill, trapped by the burning of the exterior French troops yesterday as a perma- He took the position that such legis- workings. It was later asserted that

Representative Graham, after voting fire the children were forced to flee

Two theories are advanced as to the for numerous recent frontier inci- are framing an extensive program from a passing locomotive fired a cause of the fire; one is that a spark building near the tracks and the other attributes it to an overheated chim

Chicago Political Boss Cleared of Conspiracy

Chicago, July 13 .-- Fred Lundin of political fame in Chicago, charged with conspiracy to defraud the Chicago school board out of approximately \$1,000,000, was found not guilty by a jury in Judge McDonald's court The other 15 defendants tried with

By Associated Press.

Dayton, O., July 13.—Lieut, Russell Lundin were also found not guilty.

Rome, July 13 .- The Russian count-

ess, Claudia Kapnist, 26, formerly the

Baroness Meller Zavomelsky, was

lived with the Ciuntess Safie Fersen.

Lady Astor's Bill Passes. (By Associated Press.)

due to accident or intent.

London, July 13 .- Lady Astor's bil estraining the sale of intoxicating liquors to persons under 18 years of age passed its third and final reading in the house of commons today by a rote of 257 to 10

Insane Man Recaptured Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Lincoln, July 15 .- Joe Woods, 37 governor of Vermont from 1888 to Omaha, who escaped from the state 1890 and was first elected United hospital a day after he was received States senator in 1900. In 1907 he at the institution, was caught in a was chairman of the United States downtown street here and returned to

Some of the Big Features Which Will Interest the Summer Reader in The Omaha Sunday Bee

Robbery

church at 2 p. m.

The daring plot for the holdup and robbery of a gilded, Broadway the magazine section Sunday,

tion Sunday.

And what does that mean? Read Few realize how close the United How pretty Constance Bennet's famagazine section Sunday.

the magazine section Sunday,

you'll be the fortunate one,

Do you want to win a prize? Can The only rotogravure section in Ne The Jews alone can save Palestine, "The Isolation of Isosceles" by O. States was to panic during the depths ther was taking her to Europe with you use \$5? Title Contest Picture No. branka is a regular feature of The says David Lloyd George, former pre-O. McIntyre and perhaps, if you're clever, you'll find out. At least you'll of the agricultural and business de him to keep her away from rich Phil. 2 will be published Sunday. Five dol Omaha Sunday Bee. Four pages of mier of Great Britain, in a special cathe arch-brigand, who made away find several laughs in Mr. McIntyre's pression of 1921-22. How that panic ip Plant. And how he found Philip's lars will be paid for the best title subwith thousands in loot. A gray tom-foolery, and that's what one was averted is told in an interesting mother taking him abroad for a simi- mitted. It's easy, Just write your Sunday's rotogravure section in severely criticizes the stupid bigotries the International News Service and needs these hot, summer days, a article by Fred Stark, director of the lar reason on the very same ship. A title on a post card and send it in. cludes another page of Louis R. of the anti-semitic and predicts disas. Universal Service, If it's the news Roche, brilliant mystery writer. In laugh or two. In the magazine sec War Finance Corporation. In the full-page, flustrated feature story in There has to be a winner—perhaps Bostwick's excellent pictures of our ter for Palestine unless the Jews are you want in your Sunday paper, you neighbors of the Caribbean sea.

given a free hand.

Don't forget that The Omaha Bee is the only Sunday newspaper in Nebraska that receives the Saturday have to read The Omaha Bea