

MINISTERS SEEK TO LOWER PRICES

French Premier Discusses Commercial Situation with Members of the Cabinet.

IMPORTS OF MEAT PLANNED
Suspension of Various Taxes One of Methods of Relief.

SEVERE RIOTS AT SAN QUENTIN
Regiment of Infantry and Squadron of Cavalry Called In.

MOB PLUNDERS MANY SHOPS
Concerted Effort to Secure Foodstuffs Proves Too Strong for Authorities—Trade at Standstill at Lens.

PARIS, Sept. 1.—Premier Caillaux today discussed with the ministers of commerce and the minister of agriculture, M. Pams, measures which are to make lower prices of food possible. Among the measures under consideration are the importation of meat and livestock and the suspension of various taxes. The sacking of shops and incidents of violence in numerous places in the northern departments continue.

Soldiers Called In.
SAINT QUENTIN, France, Sept. 1.—Rioting which broke out here yesterday over the high price of food, lasted all night. A regiment of infantry and a squadron of cavalry called out to quell the disturbances were unable to cope with the mob, which plundered shops in widely separated streets in the same manner. Twenty of the rioters were taken to the hospitals severely injured.

Trade at Standstill.
LENS, France, Sept. 1.—Trade is completely at a standstill here today owing to the fear of expected food riots.

No Standard Oil Stock on Market

Guesses as to Value of Shares Stripped of Subsidiaries Are Almost Impossible.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—For the first time in many years it was almost impossible to buy or sell Standard Oil stock today in the New York market. No one had any idea what this stock, which closed at \$64 a share, was worth.

Standard Oil of New Jersey passed out of existence as a trust stock yesterday, in accordance with the supreme court decision that it must divest itself of its holdings of subsidiary companies. Guesses as to how much Standard Oil of New Jersey, stripped of the subsidiaries, was worth a share ran all the way from \$30 to \$50, and as to the stocks of the subsidiaries which are to be distributed among stockholders as recorded on the company's books yesterday, no estimate could be made of their worth. Standard Oil has never issued a public report and material on which to form estimates of the kind is scanty.

An attempt was made to trade in the old shares, attaching to the certificates agreements whereby the seller assigned all rights in subsidiaries to the buyer. On this basis stock was quoted at about yesterday's figures. For Standard Oil of New Jersey without right in subsidiaries \$30 a share was bid, and the lowest offer was \$45. It was all such obvious guesswork that no business was done.

Two Berlin Brokers Kill Themselves

Recent Drop in American Securities Has Disastrous Consequences on German Bourse.

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—The recent break in the prices of American securities is having disastrous consequences on a number of German brokers. Last night George Weichert, the proprietor of a brokerage firm, was drowned in a lake near Berlin. He is said to have been made bankrupt through the drop in Canadian Pacific railway shares.

Another broker, Paul Dehnke, died suddenly yesterday, and it is reported that he committed suicide because of losses through heavy engagements of American securities on the London market. Paul Kwielt and Martin Gans of the private banking house of Kwielt & Gans, who were arrested August 31, charged with embezzling \$500,000 of the bank's deposits, were examined in court today.

At Hamburg a broker named Ernest Friedlander died yesterday, being unable to meet his obligations.

Another small Berlin firm is reported to be in difficulties.

TAFTS GO TO ISLESBORO, ME.

President and Wife to Spend Two Days with the Lutter's Sister, Mrs. McLaughlin.

BEVERLY, Sept. 1.—Unless the weather man turns the rain on again President and Mrs. Taft will sail from Beverly tonight on the government yacht Mayflower for Islesboro, Me. They will spend Saturday and Sunday in Islesboro at the home of Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin, a sister of Mrs. Taft, and expect to reach Beverly on the return trip Monday morning.

Ever since the president arrived in Beverly August 23 the rain has been falling almost incessantly. Although it did not stop the golf game it made them uncomfortable and today, for the first time, the president motored over to the 33-hole golf links with the prospect of real enjoyment.

The Weather.

For Nebraska—Fair.

For Iowa—Fair.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.

Hour.	Temp.	Wind.
5 A. M.	58	W. 10
6 A. M.	58	W. 10
7 A. M.	58	W. 10
8 A. M.	58	W. 10
9 A. M.	58	W. 10
10 A. M.	58	W. 10
11 A. M.	58	W. 10
12 M.	58	W. 10
1 P. M.	58	W. 10
2 P. M.	58	W. 10
3 P. M.	58	W. 10
4 P. M.	58	W. 10
5 P. M.	58	W. 10
6 P. M.	58	W. 10
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11 P. M.	58	W. 10
12 M.	58	W. 10

Backers of Suarez Not So Confident

Indications Point to Nomination of Alfredo B. Dominguez for Vice President of Mexico.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 1.—When the backers of the candidacy of Jose Pino Suarez for the vice presidency of Mexico entered the progressive convention this morning their faces did not betray the same confidence which has characterized them until now.

The vigorous attacks made on the candidacy of the Yucatan leader last night have lowered his stock considerably and those claiming to have inside knowledge are inclined to believe he will have difficulty in defeating Alfredo Robles Dominguez. A few important ones also are beginning to fear Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez, notwithstanding that he is chief of the anti-re-electionists, which party rejected the candidacy of Madero and nominated Emilio Vasquez Gomez for the presidency.

It is expected that the convention will vote on vice presidential candidate before noon and few are venturing guesses on the successful one.

Sanchez Azcona, personally a partisan of Suarez, is credited this morning by many political observers with having acted cleverly last night in availing himself of his right as chairman arbitrarily to adjourn the convention. Since then the leaders of the four political factions have worked hard and the strain of their over-night efforts showed on them today.

The attacks of the opposition on the methods employed by the backers of Suarez have had a noticeable effect. Although they were unable to prove that the central committee had overstepped the bounds of political ethics in supporting that candidate charges to that effect have resulted in open suspicion on the part of many of the delegates whose votes Suarez's backers had considered safe.

France Believes that Germany Will Accept

General Opinion at Paris Terms Offered to Settle Moroccan Trouble Are Sufficiently Liberal.

PARIS, Sept. 1.—While the French foreign office, it is understood, has no sure indication that Germany will accept the Moroccan proposals for a settlement of the Moroccan question, a measure of confidence is felt in agreement, because of the extent of the compensations which are to be offered by France. Since these are central African areas, it is not supposed that Germany would proceed to extreme lengths over a few thousand-square miles, more or less.

The real difficulty in the way of an early settlement, it is believed at the foreign office, lies in the special commercial and mining guarantees which Germany may seek in Morocco, as nothing can be given Germany in Morocco which Great Britain does not possess. Besides, anything like special privilege would afford endless occasions for the reopening of the controversy on questions of interpretation.

The French and British governments have reached the fullest mutual agreement on every phase of the Franco-German dispute.

Cotton Agreement Goes Into Effect

New Central Bureau Will Begin Its Activities with Backing of All Cotton Carrying Railroads.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The new agreement intended to safeguard cotton shipping documents will go into effect tomorrow and the central bureau provided for in that agreement will begin its activities with the backing of all the cotton-carrying railroads, it was announced today by the Liverpool cotton bills of lading conference committee in a statement which explained in detail the plan adopted and answered various criticisms.

The committee said it issued the statement "in order to clear up any misapprehension that may have arisen from recent newspaper comment, especially in the south," and to make clear the ends to which the committee has been working.

Foreclosure Suits Against Lewis

Mortgages on University City Property Amounting to \$338,250 Must Be Satisfied.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.—Foreclosure suits were filed in the United States circuit court today by nonresidents asking that three pieces of real estate owned by E. G. Lewis be sold to satisfy mortgages. The property consists of one tract of sixty-eight acres of improved property in University City, the Woman's Magazine building and the real estate it occupies and the Woman's National Daily and its real estate. The mortgages covered by today's suits aggregate \$338,250.

POLICE CAPTAIN ON TRIAL

St. Louis Officer Charged with Accepting Bribes from Keepers of Resorts.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Captain Jack Newell of the police force, was placed on trial this morning before the civil service commission. Desk Sergeant George Pierce testified he saw Retta Tappan, keeper of the "Bates house," give Newell money. The Tappan woman refused to testify whether or not she did so, on the ground that her testimony might incriminate her.

BIG TIME FOR SPEAKER CLARK

Davenport Democrats Will Give Him Great Reception on Labor Day.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Speaker Champ Clark is to be honored by local democrats when he comes to Davenport to deliver the Labor Day oration. A reception committee of 100 leading citizens has been appointed to arrange for a public reception to Mr. Clark at the Hotel Davenport Monday evening.

GERMANS GATHER IN OMAHA TODAY

Five Thousand Visitors to Take Part in Reunion of Veterans that is to Be Held at German Home.

TEUTONS FROM FAR AND NEAR
Visiting Delegations Met at Trains and Escorted to Resting Places.

INTERESTING PROGRAM IN VIEW
Banquets and Numerous Entertainment Are on the Card.

THREE DAYS OF REAL ENJOYMENT
Men Who Fought Shoulder to Shoulder in Wars of Long Ago Again to Gather and Recount Their Experiences.

This morning the convention of the National and Western Kriegsverbände, which is to continue until Tuesday evening, convenes at the German Home. It is expected that before evening over 5,000 German veterans will be in the city.

The two bands, the Western and the National, are holding their conventions here simultaneously and the meeting this morning will be of the western organization alone. The session will be largely devoted to the discussion of business matters.

In the afternoon a royal welcome will be given Richard Mueller of New York, President of the National band, who, with a large number of other eastern delegates, is expected to arrive on a special from the east, due at 3:45 o'clock today.

For Saturday evening at the Auditorium is scheduled the presentation of living pictures of the Franco-German war. These scenes, twenty-seven in number, are to be given by members of the Omaha societies and have been weeks in preparation. They depict scenes which are familiar to many of the assembled veterans and occupy about two hours in their presentation. The presentation will be followed by a military ball.

Many hundreds of the veterans arrived and were met at the stations by a committee from the Omaha Kriegsverbände. As fast as they arrived they were escorted to the German Home, where the registration offices are located and from there taken to their hotels.

In the evening at the home an entertainment very informal in its nature, was tendered the out-of-town people. There was no set program, but refreshments and music were in order. The occasion afforded an opportunity to renew many friendships formed while in the Kaiser's service and to make many new acquaintances.

The committee of the Omaha Kriegsverbände which has in charge the task of entertaining the visitors is composed of August Miller, Jacob Schoessler and John Voelker. E. P. Mertens of South Omaha, chairman of the Western Kriegsverbände, is also a busy man.

CRAWFORD STATES POSITION

Declares Progressives Did Only What Was Necessary to Establish Their Position.

HUTON, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Referring to President Taft's late speech at Hamilton, Mass., in which he spoke of progressive republicans as playing politics, United States Senator C. E. Crawford said today: "I think the president has made a mistake which he will regret in charging the republican progressives with having no higher motive than small personal politics in co-operating with the democrats in the passage of the La Follette coin bill and the farmers' free list bill. He did not realize that the republican progressives in charging the republican progressives with having no higher motive than small personal politics in co-operating with the democrats in securing the passage of the one-sided reciprocity measure, but he accused us of small politics because we worked with the same democrats to secure some reductions which would in measure offset the discrimination against the farmer in the reciprocity bill."

"I am a progressive republican and shall stand with the progressives no matter whether I must part company with the president, of whom I am personally fond. Free trade for the farmer and protection for the manufacturer cannot win. It is fundamentally wrong and I must not, by silence, be placed in the attitude of approving it, nor do I want to see the actionaries who stand for that principle control the next republican convention."

BROKEN BOW MAN ARRESTED

Alfred Lenzardt is Charged with Enticing Clara Carlson, Aged Sixteen, from Home.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special.)—H. F. Kennedy, sheriff of Custer county, Nebraska, arrived from Broken Bow and placed under arrest Alfred Lenzardt, an employee of a lumber yard here, on a charge of seduction. Lenzardt and a young woman came here a few weeks ago, representing themselves to be husband and wife, and have since been living together. The Nebraska officer says the young woman who posed as Mrs. Lenzardt is in reality Clara Carlson, a 16-year-old girl who Lenzardt enticed away from home. John Carlson, the girl's father, was a tenant on Lenzardt's farm. Lenzardt claims the girl is 19, instead of 16, and says he is willing to marry her.

SYRACUSE ENGINEERS ARE OVERCOME BY GAS

Rexford D. Lyon and Oliver K. Harwood Die in Sewer—Latter Famous Football Player.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Rexford D. Lyon and Oliver K. Harwood, civil engineers employed on an interesting sewer project here, died before they could be rescued. Both men were about 30 years old. Harwood was a famous football player for Syracuse University and was at one time nominated as an all-American center.

MOTORCYCLES IN COLLISION

Two Men Are Instantly Killed Near Rock Rapids Friday Afternoon.

ROCK RAPIDS, Ia., Sept. 1.—In a head-on motorcycle collision near here this afternoon Frank Dougherty and John Borman, sons of prominent farmers, were instantly killed.



Result of the Physical Examination of Your Son, John.

From the Minneapolis Journal.

PERIODICAL MAIL BY FREIGHT

Order is Out, Being Issued by Second Assistant Postmaster General.

UNLOADING CHARGE TO ROADS
Railing Appeals to Sovereign Visitor and on Shipments from Omaha to Chicago, Postoffice Weights Taken.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Modified instructions covering the shipment of periodical mail by mail freight were issued today by Second Assistant Postmaster General Joseph Stewart.

The amended order states that additional charges will be made from Omaha to Chicago to be comprised of the Sovereign Visitor, published at Omaha.

In lieu of the cartage charges at the Union Pacific terminal, Council Bluffs, there will be allowed an unloading charge of 25 cents per ton, which will be assumed by the railroad company whose bid has been accepted for the transportation of this mail.

The weights of these shipments will be taken on postoffice scales as far as practicable.

"Catch" tickets should be given to the transfer company taking the mail from the postoffice to the railroad depot showing the number of sacks and the weight of mails. Where weighing upon postoffice scales is impracticable and the railroad team scales are used and a charge for the use of such scales is made, an allowance to cover such charge is authorized, and the railroad company performing the transportation will be credited with such charge when added on separate vouchers to be freight transportation bills.

Harry A. Riley, wife, and daughter of Spaulding, Neb., are in Washington for a day en route to their home, after five weeks spent in visiting eastern cities. Harry Riley is one of the best known locomotive engineers connected with the Harriman lines, having been on the "run" from Columbus to Spaulding for many years. For nearly thirty-five years he has been connected with the operating department of the Union Pacific and says that the Harriman lines in efficiency of operation have beaten all other lines.

DR. WASHINGTON GLIDDEN RETIRES FROM THE PULPIT

Pastor Who Originated the Term, "Tainted Money," Will Make Way for Younger Man.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 1.—Dr. Washington Gladden, pastor of the First Congregational church, famed for his opposition to accepting John D. Rockefeller's money for missionary purposes and known as the originator of the term, "tainted money," has written a letter to his congregation announcing his early retirement from active duties as pastor. He yields leadership to his new assistant, Dr. Carl L. Patton, acknowledging that he is at a loss to account for the thinning of his congregation at Sunday services and declaring his belief that a younger man may be able to accomplish that which seemed impossible for him to do.

In a letter Dr. Gladden said:

"I do not attribute the absence of church members in many cases to dissatisfaction. For some reason they have formed the habit of church neglect. Some of them devote their Sundays to pleasure—the ways of Sunday diversion have been multiplying of late."

He makes a personal appeal to the members of his church to come back and fill the seats.

Flynn and Morris to Fight.
NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Final arrangements for the battle between Carl Morris, the Oklahoma giant, and "Flynn" Jim Flynn of Pueblo have been made. The big fellows will meet in a ten-round bout in Madison Square Garden on September 15. Flynn held out for more money until the matter was compromised. It is said that Flynn will receive \$4,000 guarantee, with the privilege of taking 25 per cent of the gross receipts instead.

Aberdeen Hide Dealer Arrested

H. H. Tilley, Who Advertised Extensively in Farm Papers, Charged with Misuse of Mails.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special.)—H. H. Tilley, proprietor of the Dakota Hide and Fur company, which has been conducting a business here for some time, has been arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Byron McVeigh on a charge of using the mails to defraud, and upon examination before William Wallace, United States commissioner, he was held to await the action of the federal court.

Tilley is accused of advertising in a number of farm papers in South Dakota and Montana that he would pay the highest market prices for furs and hides, and that he would tan them into robes and harness leather, but the government claims he never manufactured the goods received from the advertisements, but instead converted them to his own use without paying the persons who shipped them to him.

W. H. Mullin, a postoffice inspector, investigated the matter and reported that he found Tilley had received a number of shipments of wool, fur and pelts through correspondence following the perusal of the advertisements in the farm journals. The goods were never paid for and the arrest followed. One of the complainants is D. Campbell of White Sulphur Springs, Mont., who claims to have shipped Tilley 7,706 pounds of wool. Others are E. F. Shields of Selma, N. D., who shipped two cow hides; R. E. Proebe of Baker, Mont., who shipped 119 sheep pelts; Charles Schneider of Langford, S. D., who shipped one cow pelt, and Ernest Kline of Doland, S. D., who shipped him twelve muskrat and three mink pelts. All the shipments named were made in December, 1910, and the arrests came after the complainants at they never had waited several months for their remittances.

Tilley has retained L. T. Van Slyke, a prominent lawyer here, and will fight the case.

Dr. McDavitt Nearly Mobbed in Court Room

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Sept. 1.—Dr. A. W. McDavitt, a dentist charged with a statutory offense following the alleged imprisonment for fifteen months in his office here of Jessie McDonald, a high school girl, was held to answer before the superior court yesterday.

Heavily guarded by armed deputy sheriffs, Mr. McDavitt was brought into court from the jail at Riverside, twelve miles from here, where he secretly had been kept for two weeks to prevent an expected demonstration against him.

Miss McDonald testified that for ten months while immured in a little room next to the dentist's office, she did not get a glimpse of daylight. The blinds of her windows were drawn. For days at a time, she declared, she was without a morsel of food.

When the court adjourned today, Dr. McDavitt, father of the girl, rushed at the prisoner. Deputies prevented him landing the blow aimed at McDavitt's head. In an instant the court room was in an uproar, but the deputies whisked McDavitt out of the room and away to jail before the demonstration took serious form.

CARLISLE GRADUATE LYNCHED

Peter Mallick, Charged with Beating Wife, Shot to Death in Idaho.

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 1.—Peter Mallick, half breed Nez Perce Indian and a graduate of Carlisle Indian school, was shot to death by an infuriated mob at Grangeville, Idaho, last night as he lay asleep in his cell in the county jail in that town. Over thirty bullets were fired into his body. Mallick was arrested some time ago charged with beating his half breed wife while on a drunken spree. Her ribs were broken and her life was in danger for over a month.

REPULSE FOR THE LABOR LEADERS

Conference in San Francisco with Julius Kruttschnitt, Director of Maintenance and Operation.

ANSWER IS SHORT AND POSITIVE
Rejects Demands of Federation of Shop Employees of the System.

CONFERENCE LASTS THREE HOURS

Refuses to Even Recognize Existence of the New Organization.

OTHER REQUESTS NOT DISCUSSED
Representatives of Men Immediately Go Into Secret Session and Absolutely Refuse to Discuss What Happened.

BULLETIN.
CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Representatives of the international unions composing the federated shop employees of the Illinois Central, whose association has been refused recognition by President Markham of the railroad, today gave thirty days formal notice that they desire alternations in their contracts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president and director of maintenance and operation of the Harriman system, acting under full authority given him by President Robert S. Lovett, rejected today the demands of the newly organized Federation of Shop Employees of the Harriman lines. He absolutely refused to recognize the existence of the federation. This answer followed a conference of three hours and twenty minutes.

The labor leaders appeared very much disturbed as they left the committee room and refused to say a word to the waiting newspaper men. They went immediately into conference with the representatives of the Federation of Shop Employees.

It was stated by one of the Southern Pacific officials that the only thing discussed was recognition of the federation, the other demands not being entered into.

Go Into Conference.

At the conference attended by Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president of the Harriman lines, and other Harriman system officials here on one side and by James M. Kline, J. A. Franklin, D. D. Buckalew, M. F. Ryan and J. D. Crane, representing the five shop crafts involved, the formal demands of \$5.00 railroad shopmen employed on the Harriman system were thrashed out in this city today. Both sides announced that they went into the conference determined not to recede from their positions, that of the railroad being that it would not recognize the federation of unions and that of the union leaders that this recognition must be conceded.

In setting the hour for the meeting Vice President Kruttschnitt let it be understood distinctly that he was meeting the labor leaders as individual representatives of their respective unions and not as a joint committee representing the federation.

While there are some minor subjects that the labor leaders desire to have adjusted the real point at issue is the question of recognition of the federation and the labor leaders went into the conference firm in the determination to induce Mr. Kruttschnitt to consent to a meeting between the representatives of the federation and the general managers of the Harriman system. A direct conference with Mr. Kruttschnitt will not be held.

Still Laying Off Men.
Mr. Kline received a telegram yesterday from President Lovett of the Harriman system saying that any action resolved upon by the officials now here would be ratified by the railroad company.

The Southern Pacific company continues to lay off men, between seventy-five and 100 men from its auditing staff having been let out yesterday. Most of these men have been employed as train auditors and this work will be done by conductors from now on.

The labor leaders spent the time in informal conference this morning before meeting with Mr. Kruttschnitt. They declined to discuss their plans. President Kline, who has acted as spokesman for the committee, said they had decided to make no further statements until after their talk with the railroad officials.

Shortly before 10 o'clock the men went to the Southern Pacific headquarters where Mr. Kruttschnitt and other officials were awaiting the audience.

The representatives of the Harriman system who went into conference with the delegation of labor leaders were Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president and director of maintenance and ways; E. E. Calvin, vice president and general manager of the Southern Pacific; W. R. Scott, assistant general manager; H. J. Small, superintendent of motive power; R. R. Clancy, assistant to the general manager, and F. G. Atherton, chief of the bureau of economies.

Markham Issues Statement.
CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central railroad, took a hand today in the conference with union representatives who seek to induce the road to recognize the newly organized federation of various unions. Mr. Markham apparently was unwilling to recede from the road's previous stand of treating only with the representatives of the individual unions involved. At the conclusion of the conference he issued the following statement:

"We had a conference with three of the

Round trip tickets to Lake Manawa

Boxes of O'Brien's Candy. Base Ball Tickets.

Quart Bricks of Dalzell's Ice Cream.

All are given away free to those who find their names in the want ads.

Read the want ads every day, your name will appear sometime, maybe more than once.

No puzzles to solve nor subscriptions to get—just read the want ads.

Turn to the want ad pages—there you will find nearly every business house in the city represented.