## INTRASTATE RAIL RATES

Roads Request Commission to Boost Tariffs to Coincide With Increase Granted by Interstate Commerce Body.

NATIONAL OFFICIAPS FAVORABLE TO RAISE

Start Readjustment of Whole Rate Structure With View Of Putting New Schedule Into Force by September 1.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 2.—(Special.)-Public hearings of the application of Nebraska carriers for an increase in intrastate rail rates begin here tomorrow before the state railway commission.

Members of the commission said they could make prior to the hearings no comment on the recommendation that intrastate rates be raised except to call attention to the fact that the interstate commerce commission's action in granting the \$1,500,000,000 increase last week was taken with the understanding that state railway commissions would permit corresponding increases in intrastate rates.

Favorable To Increase. Washington, Aug. 2—"Reasons requiring an increase of interstate rates are very persuasive of the for increase in intrastate rates" declared a report sent to various state railway commissions today by the three representatives of those commissions who sat with

"When all matters are considered," says the report, "and remembering that where 13 men are considering controvers of the same are considering controverted questions and proposed policies their differences five to eight years, being convicted mit instructions to be given to yard of opinion must be composed or de-cided by the majority, we believe said, of Bentz' sweetheart. that the conclusion, considering all The arrest closed a nation-wide This rule applies to reconsignments that the conclusion, considering at the conclusion at t

should, if possible, be made effective September 1, 1920."

The report is signed by William D. B. Ainey, chairman public service commission of Pennsylvania; Royal C. Dunn of the Florida railtoad, commission and John A. Guiner, of the Iowa railroad commission.

Finance Director of Central Department Has Big Short Commission.

## Effective By September 1.

Readjustment of the whole rate structure of the nation's transportation systems was started today with by the interstate commerce commis-

various state commissions for ad- Washington. vances in intrastate rates to correspond to those in interstate rates. Pullman, milk and excess baggage of which he alone knew, suns in the free time prescribed in the tariffs are expected to be the same ranging from \$25,000 to \$100,000 demurrage rules a storage charge eral commission were general for was found there. per cent on passenger, milk and ex-cess baggage charges and 50 per cent on rates for sleeping and parlor

In the case of freight rates, the states will be asked to advance these tariffs to correspond with the increases granted by the federal commission for the territory in which the state is located. The interstate increases authorized are 40 per cent in eastern territory, 25 in southern and mountain-Pacific territory, and 35 in western territory.

The railway executives have not calculated the total increased revenue to be derived from the rate advances, but the sum has been unofficially approximated at \$1,500,000,000. (Continued on Page Two, Column Four.)

## Are Due at New York Today

in one year, were due to arrive in New York harbor today. They will be anchored for two weeks in the Hudson river and will be open for public inspection.

After remaining in the Hudson for two weeks, the Frankfort and three destroyers will be taken to Newport News, Va., and the dreadnought Ostfriesland probably will be taken for a tour of the Atlantic and Pa-cific ports.

#### Suicides in New York Show Alarming Increase

New York, Aug. 2.—Suicide cases in the first six months of 1920 have shown an alarming increase over the corresponding period last year, the Save-A-Life league reports. In the first half of 1919 the league received reports of 2,063 suicides, as com-pared with 2,771 so far this year, in-

## cluding 225 children. Baby in Gocart Dragget

Three Blocks by Tram Racine, Wis., Aug. 2.- A go-cart containing a 2-year-old child rolled off a sidewalk here today and its handle was caught by a passing interurban car. The cart was dragged three blocks before frantic pedestrians' signals stopped the car. The

## SENATOR BUSY ON SPEECH FOR

Opponent, to Meet Hitchcock At Winona Lake, Has Not Yet Been Chosen.

By E. C. SNYDER.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Hitchcock returned to the capital from Atlantic City, business and politics demanding the senator's attention preparatory to his speech on the league of nations, to be delivered at Winona Lake, August 9. Just who the senior senator from Nebraska will have as an opponent at Winona Lake is still undecided, that matter being left wholly in the hands of Chairman Hays of the national republican

Senator Harding was asked originally to name some one to meet Mr. Hitchcock in debate at Winona Lake on the league of nations, but the republican presidential nominee, scenting all kinds of trouble for himself, should he designate the speaker to oppose the league of nations as it came from the hands of President Wilson, very wisely concluded to let Hays select Senator Hitchcock's antagonist in the joint debate. So far as Mr. Hitchcock is advised the man selected to meet the champion of the league in the senate has not

been agreed upon.

After the Winona Lake meeting Sentor Hitchcock will speak at Dixon, Ill., August 15, and at Merom, Ind., August 27, the original dates scheduled for the senator to begin his speech-making for Governor

## Arrest Ringleader Of Nationwide Gang Of Counterfeiters upon five days' notice. The order limiting the reconsign-

New York, Aug. 1.- James Bentz speed up the movement of coal but was arrested in Boston charged with counterfeiting. He was one of the make it more difficult for speculators the Interstate Commerce commis-sion during public hearings on the ringleaders, if not the head, of a to boost prices to abnormal levels. billion and a half dollar railroad gang of 11 men indicted here Octoper last for altering and raising \$1

Five received prison terms of from

"A part of the responsibility to meet the situation rests upon the state commissions. Such increases as will be made in intrastate rates as will be made in intrastate rates

## Has Big Shortage including Gary and points within the Chicago switching district, and on and north of the Ohio river, and Central Department

Donald Nolan, director of finances reconsigned under other conditions eral Garcia. of the Central department of the United States army, has disappeared and auditors who are checkpeared and auditors are checkpeared of the Central department of the the charges at all points in the Unitea view to putting into effect by September I, the freight, pasenger Pulling, his accounts have found a dissignment plue \$5 per car, man, excess baggage and milk rate crepancy amounting to \$4,000, it increases authorized last Saturday was announced. The audit of the officer's books is to continue.

While tariff experts are working on the general rate schedules, the carriers will make application to the carriers will make application to the

Army authorities stated that run under the demurrage rules. On Lieutenant Nolan depisited in a all open top cars and all cars loaded Requests for advances in passenger, safe in his office, the combination with coal or coke not released withfor all states as the increases in during the course of a month's of \$10 per day or fraction of a da these charges authorized by the fed-routine. Authorities say no money will be made until car is released. during the course of a month's of \$10 per day or fraction of a day

## Will Return Woman For Murder Trial Who Threw Acid on Hubby

New York, Aug. 2-Coroner Mix today to arrange extradition of Mrs. worker, held his 5-month-old son Aexandra Sokolowsky, who was ar- today while Rev. William Reese perrested last night charged with the murder of her husband, a prominent labor leader, at their New Haven home, June 26. He said a statement would be issued later in connection with the confession the police say she made soon after her

her husband's face as he slept, with New York, Aug. 2.—Hulks of five after she found a letter written to former German warships, allocated him by another woman. Sokolow-to the United States for experi-sky is believed to have swallowed mentation and to be destroyed with-some of the acid, causing death.

### K. of C. Annual Convention Open Tuesday In New York week, according to a federation an-

New York, Aug. 2.—Delegates were arriving in large numbers today to attend the opening session tomorrow of the 38th annual convention of the Knights of Columbus. Representatives from 14 states were already here, having come by special trains,

The supreme board of directors today considered a request of Joseph E. Doyle, of Shanghai, that the work of the order be extended to

## Stiff Blow on Jaw Starts Teeth Flying. But Saves Man's' Life

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—A hard blow to the jaw saved the life of Arthur Thomas, employe of the city light department. Thomas was test-ing for a short circuit when a plug he held came in contact with a high voltage wire. His scream attracted Clyde Newlon, who knocked him loose, as well as several teeth but Thomas is mighty glad .

## STEPS AN UNDERGROUND SYSTEM TO BRING SYSTEM TO BRING LEAGUE DEBATE TO STEAM STATE OF THE PARTY OF JAPANESE TO U.S.

When Loaded on Cars.

ANNOUNCE PENALTY TO

demurrage charges of \$10 per day

free time allowed in existing rules will be effective until January 1, 1921.

The railroads are authorized to file

new tariffs establishing the recon-

Charge for Reconsignment.

The order of the commission provides that in the case of the one

reconsignment a charge of \$2 per

car shall be made if the reconsign-ment order is received in time to per-

shipment at the billed destination.

rival of car at destination a charge of \$5 will be madt? This charge

applies only to reconsignments at points within the territory east of

the Illinois-Indiana state line, not

Stiff Storage Charge.

The order relative to emergency

hour at which free, time begins to

The reconsignment restrictions ap-

For Prisoners Next Week

Grand Jury Will Probe

Flour Takes Another Drop.

Christen Baby on Steel

murrage Rules.

Thousands Brought Into Country by Way of Honolulu And Mexico.

Tacoma, Wash, Aug. 2.—Definite location of the "underground sys-tem" on the Pacific coast by which Commerce Commissioner Isthousands of Japanese are smug-gled into the United States yearly, sues Order Prohibiting Over was announced here by Congress-One Reconsignment of Coal man Albert Johnson, chairman of the couse subcommittee on immigration and naturalization, which he assembled to investigate Japanese activitier in the northwest.

"Until we came to the northwest we had only an indefinite idea of the operations by which Japanees are be-STIMULATE UNLOADING ing brought surreptitiously into the Railroads Are Authorized to United States," said Chairman John-File New Freight Tariffs son. speak. "We have found that the Japanese "We have found that the Japanese "Now we have the key, so to

underground system begins at Yokohama. From thence it leads to Honolulu and extends on across the Pacific to Guaymas on the Gulf of Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Washington, Aug. | 2. — Further steps designed to relieve the coal situation were taken by the Interstate California, Here, either by water or across the border, the Japanese invaders are smuggled into the United States. Commerce commission, Orders were

commerce commission. Orders were issued prohibiting more than one re-been established. In Honolulu and consignment of coal when loaded in at Guaymas, posts have been estabcars, and imposing a charge of from lished which take care of the details \$2 to \$5 per car for making even the of the smuggling. Mexican guards are known to have been bribed with The commission also announced that emergency penalty charges border. The same careful system would be put into effect to stimulate of escort has been established both quick unloading of all open top cars, at Yokohama and Honolulu. particularly those loaded with coal, coke and lumber. These emergency

"Once the Japanese is smuggled into California, he is taken in tow by some member of the Japanese assofor each day cars-are held over the ciation, branches of which are in Oregon and Washington. taken to the bank and his credit established by a substantial deposit. "Then he goes out into the vinesigning and demurrage rules effective vards or into the agricultural districts and hides for five years. At the expiration of this time he can ment of cars is expected not only to come out of seclusion. If he is to reduce the car shortage and also questioned by the government authorities as to his residence here, he can quickly establish this by taking the authorities to the bank where five years before he made his first deposit. This establishes his bona tide residence of five years as required by the statute."

## GOVERNOR CANTU IN OPEN REVOLT AGAINST HUERTA

Government Capable of Placing 60,000 Soldiers in Lower California, Garcia Says.

Mexico City, Aug. 2.—Gov. Este-ban Cantu of Lower California has declared himself in open rebellion, Chicago, August 2.—Lieut. J. also points on the Chesapeake & according to advices received by the War department today, as announced to The Associated Press by Gender While declining to discuss plans

in the republic where rebellion might break out. The theater of operations peralty charges provides that a stor- against the governor probably will in the southern part of Lower California, not near Mexicali, where it is thought Cantu would not attempt to force the issue. Efforts will be made to avoid con-

flict with the United States authorities, the general added. The declaration of rebellion is said not to come direct from Cantu, but from other sources.

Governor Cantu reported "no headquarters here news" to the War department yesterday.

## ply on all open top cars and coal and coke in all cars. San Antonio Man Who Met

Washington, Aug. 2.—Disappearance of Jose Bruzas Perez of San
cause both, Senator Hiram Johnson
for you to go ahead and forge some
more, did you?" asked the judge. Girder Above Street New Orleans, Aug. 2 .- (By The Associated Press.)-Fourteen stories from the street on a slender steel of New Haven, Conn., arrived here girder, Ole Peterson, structural iron American consul at Chihuahua, lican unity are displeasing to Mr. American citizen, is known to have that he would thus early in the carnvisited Villa at La Boquillas, Chi-huahua, about May 20. According to edgement, information gathered by the consul, Villa accused Perez of having nearby girders.

Below the christening party there taken away. Friends of Perez fear were no floors, and through the net- he was executed. work of steel could be glimpsed the

## Hulks of Five German Ships The alleged confession stated that concrete basement. The baby apMrs. Sokolowsky poured acid on parently was bored. Of Industrial Lawrence

tionality of the criminal phases of tude. Washington, Aug. 2.-Officials of the American Federation of Labor will press their pleas for general amesity for political prisoners next nouncement today. Attorney Gen-eral Palmer has been asked to rearrest, persons influencing others to having heretofore been democrats. quit work. This was announced by ceive a delegation of labor leaders, headed by Samuel Gompers at which the general amesity resolution adopted by the Montreal Labor convention will be presented. members of the industrial court. The case involved Jerry Scott, a systchman, arrested during the rect discovery that the republican strike last April.

## Toronto Uni Rowing Crew to Challenge Olympic Winner

Cause of Famine of Coal Chicago, Aug. 2.—Judge Robert Douglas Huestis, chief executive of Crowe, chief justice of the crimin; the University of Toronto Rowing al court, directed the August grand club, said today the university crew, jury today to investigate the coal amine which threatens Chicago and cetermine whether or not any persons, firms or corporations are en- werp, provided subscriptions are regaged in a criminal conspiracy to ceived for \$5,000 to defray exbring about a coal shortage for the penses. purpose of manipulating the price.

## Soldier Raiding Melon Minneapolis, Aug. 2.—Flour took further drop of 50 cents a barrel

Patch Killed by Farmer Columbus, Ga., Aug. 2.-Private at the principal mills here today. George Melich of Coatesville, Pa., Quotations on family patent in 98 stationed at Camp Benning here, pound cotton sacks, carload lots, was shot and killed while raiding were from \$12.35 to \$12.75. Today's the watermelon patch of H. F. drop follows a recession of 40 cents Sims, a farmer, according to county

## Political Methods---Old and New

(Copyright, 1920; by The Chicago Tribune) NEW STYLE POLITICS.



The primaries used to be held by a small bunch

The new style in politics includes dances for ladies and gentlemen.





ical banquet at which both men and women do the



The old style political picnic was two-thirds and one-third eratory by professional

The new style political pienic is a clean, respectable outing with the whole family present.

## STAND AGAINST NATION LEAGUE

**Declares Republicans Solidly** In Favor of Harding's

Position.

By The Associated Press. Marion, O., Aug. 2.-A claim of complete republican harmony behind is that you be confined in the state Senator Harding on the league of penitentiary for not less than one nations issue was made in an official nor more than 20 years. statement issued today by Harding

cratic national committee," the fer passing a forged check at the statement said, "has undertaken to Des Moines hotel, Thirteenth and Villa Now Is Missing answer some questions recently dressed to Governor Cox. answer some questions recently ad-Washington, Aug. 2.-Disappear- statement is chiefly a complaint be-Antonio, Tex., following a confer- and Former President Taft have excice with Francisco Villa, the Mexi- pressed approval of Senator Hardcan rebel chief, was reported to the ing's position. It is easy to under-State department today by the stand how such evidences of repub-Perez, whose wife says he is an White, but it was not anticipated

Demos Admit Defeat.

"In as much as Mr. White has thus publicly and handsomely acclaimed that all elements of republicans are approving Senator Hardhe had sensed the situation with ad-Of Industrial Law Invalid mirable perspicacity. Republicans of all sections and groups are solidly Topeka, Kan., Aug. 2.-Constitu- in favor of Senator Harding's atti-

lowing decision in the Wyandotte state, among which county district court, Kansas City, from states commonly democratic and other documents.

Kan in which ludge McCamish are not less than amazing: A large The trial against Jenkins for alheld as unconstitutional the pro-vision of the law making liable to men who describe themselves as speeded up, according to the attor-Note Democratic Accord.

"Chairman White has made a corparty is completely unified. publicans are quite as satisfied is noting the complete accord of the Treasurer of Northern president and the nominee chosen

by the democratic party."
Among Senator Harding's callers today was Representative C. Hicks of New York, who has just completed a trip through the west. He pleted a trip through the west. He pneumonia at a local hospital, told the candidate that although where he had undergone an oper-there was some disappointment ation for stomach trouble. Prethere over Senator Johnson's defeat, vious to going to the Northern Pa-for the nomination in Chicago, the people now were "satisfied" and that the Harding candidaey was growing with the Denver & Rio Grande. rapidly in strength.

Currency inflation and other fiscal subjects were discussed with the numinee by Prof. Irving Fisher of

Plane Drops; Two Hurt.

Lancaster, Pa., Atg. 2.—Capt. Newmuller, 28, of Shamokin, and Ray S. Nutt, mechanician of Inlast Saturday and compares with prices of \$14.50 to \$14.75 a barrel soldier's body had 48 wounds from their airplane crashed down near 10 a.m. the load of a shotgun.

Marietta.

## MAN ON PAROLE IS SHIPS WILL HOP SENTENCED TO PEN ON FORGERY COUNT OFF EARLY TODAY Tells Judge He Thought Pro-

bation Time Had Expired and Needed Money.

"Why did you forge these checks?" District Judge Troup asked Roy Horsens, who was brought before him yesterday. "I needed the money," said the tall young man in prison garb. "That's a fine excuse," said the judge. "The sentence of the court

Horsens was arraigned May 23. 1919, on a charge of forgery and was paroled to the adult probation offi-"Chairman White of the demo- cer. He was arrested last Friday Howard streets.

"I thought my probation time had His run out," he told the judge. "No, I thought I would square up the checks by the time they came back to me," said Horsens.

## lenkins Will Start Damage Suit Because Of His Imprisonment

Mexico City, Aug. 2.-William O. ing's attitude it may be added that Jenkins, former United States coninstitute a damage suit for his recent imprisonment, according to a Puebla dispatch to El Universal. The New York in two weeks. the Kansas Industrial court law will be tested in the supreme court, following the supreme court, following the supreme court, following the numbers of the numbers of the supreme court, following the numbers of the numbers of the supreme court, following the numbers of the nu lowing decision in the Wyandotte state, among which the numbers copies of alleged false testimony Acosta, yesterday afternoon. More

> nev general. Dispatches received from Puebla

> was being heard before the third eriminal court there.

## Pacific Dies of Pneumonia

St. Paul., Minn., Aug. 2.-Charles A. Clark, treasurer of the Northern Pacific railroad since 1897, died of

## The Weather

Forecast. Nebraska -- Fair and warmer Tuesday. Hourly temperatures:

# **ONWAYTOFRISCO**

All-Metal Planes to Leave At 9 This Morning to Finish Trip to San Francisco.

Hop-off of the three all-metal passenger planes enroute from New York to San Francisco to blaze a trenscontinental aerial mail route. will take place at Ak-Sar-Ben field at 9 o'clock today. Motors in the planes were tuned

yesterday for continuance of the strenuous trip. Bertram Acosta, Spanish aviator,

will pilot the first of the three planes. Eddie Rickenbacher, American "ace;" John Larson, owner of the planes; E. E. Aline, Cleveland business man, and Ernest Buehl, mechanician, will be passengers in

Acosta's plane.
S. C. Eaton, jr., youngest of the three pilots, will pilot the second plane, accompanied by Maj. Lent, superintendent of the aerial mail service; J. A. Bockhorst, photographer, and Harry Myers, mechanician. To Stop at Cheyenne.

Col. Hartney in the capacity of a United States army officer. Lieut. Colt will act as navigator in Col. Hartney's ship. The first stop of the planes, as

sular agent at Puebla, Mexico, will Wyo., thence on to Reno, Nev., to pany had been charging more than San Francisco. The three planes are scheduled to raisins. be in Omaha on their return trip to

> thar 100 persons watched the ascents. Representatives of the board of

Ak-Sar-Ben governors were on the field. The first flight saw Lord Roberts, Liliputian actor at a local late in June stated that testimony theater this week, a surprised pas-

## Woman Passenger. "They wanted me for ballast," he

emarked after his flight. Mrs. Bert Acosta, R. S. Landcroft, Clark Powell, Miss Willow O'Brien, Miss Margaret Weaver and Hitchcock to Debate Pact Frank Dietz were passengers on the

Rickenbacher is accompanying the pilots and Mr. Larson across the continent for "the moral support of aviation," he declared yesterday.

### Body of Frank Hanly Returned to Indianapolis

Dennison, O., Aug. 2.—The body of J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, who was killed near here yesterday when a freight train struck the automobile in which he was riding, was taken to Indian-

Bandit Chieftain Is Promised Immunity From Prosecution For Crimes Committed on Mexicans and Americans.

#### U. S. CONTINUES POLICY OF 'WATCHFUL WAITING'

No Move Made by Government Despite Fresh Reports of Outrages Against Citizens— Plan to "Pass the Buck."

#### By ARTHUR SEARS HENNING hleago Tribune-Ofaha Bee Leased Wire

Washington, August 2. Details received today of the "surrender" of Francisco Villa, which the administration continues solemnly to reat as seriously as does the new Mexican government, disclose that the transaction was really a pur-chase of the bandit's future loyalty, not good behavior.

Villa is to be a commander of rurales, his men are to receive a year's pay and the government also s to reimburse certain victims of his extortions. Villa is given immunity by the

Mexican government from prosecuagainst Mexicans as well as Ameri-Although scarcely a week has passed in the last few years without adding more counts to the Americar, case against Villa, the State de-

partment having received only today a report of his execution of an Amercan in May, no move has been made by the Wilson administration to obtain the extradition of the bandit, who was indicted in Texas for the Columbus murder, despite the fact the president considered this crime of such enormity in 1916 as to justify the Pershing punitive expedition at a cest of the lives of American soldiers and many millions of dollars. Continues Past Policy.

The general understanding here, lowever, is that although outrages upon Americans still continue under new Mexican government, officials intend to continue its policy of "watchful waiting" with a view to bequeathing the entire Mexican problem to either Harding or Cox. The State department's report of

Vilia's execution of another Ameri-"Jose Bruzes Perez of San Antonio, Tex., claimed by his wife to be an American citizen, is reported missing since May 20, following a business talk with Francisco Villa, the Mexican bandit chief, the State department was advised today by

"Information gathered by the consul is to the effect that Perez, who had visited Villa on business matters on a number of occasions, went to see Villa at Loboquillas, state of Chihuahua, on May 20, that Villa accused Perez of robbing him, and that Villa became very angry and ordered Perez taken away, and that it is believed at Chihuahua that Percz was executed the same day under Villa's orders. The governor of Chihuahua is investigating the case."

## Account of Surrender.

The State department also issued the following account of the "surrender" of Vila: "The surrender of Francisco

Villa, the Mexican bandit, to the representatives of the Mexico City authorities is complete, according to reports, said to be authentic, forwarded to the State department today in a telegram from the Ameri-(Continued, on Page Two, Column Six.)

#### 150 Carloads Of Raisins Sold In New York at Auction

New York, Aug. 2.-One hundred and fifty carloads of raisins owned by the California Associated Raisin company were sold at public auction The third plane will be piloted by at the Mercantile exchange here this noon. Prices ranged from 22 to 24

cents per pound.
The raisins, which are for October delivery, were sold at auction as a result of contention by the federal scheduled, will be at Cheyenne, trade commission "that the coma fair and reasonable price for its

> The company expects soon to establish a price for the remainder of its crop.

## New York Demos to Ask. Congress to Ease Dry Act Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Aug. 2.— A committee headed by former Con-

gressman John J. Fitzgerald of Brooklyn has drafted a tentative platform to be submitted to the resolutions committee of the unofficial democratic state convention tomor-Lord Roberts weighs 48 pounds and stands 36 inches tall.

"They wanted me for ballast" he tional platform, pledging support to Cox and Roosevelt, and while not Mrs. Bert Acosta, R. S. Landcroft, flatly advocating the repeal of the Bert Smith, manager of the aerial mai station, and Fred Saunders, also were passengers on the first flight. Clark Powell Miss Willow modify its provisions.

With G. O. P. Speaker Aug 9 Washington, Aug. 2-Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who was the administration leader in the senate treaty fight has been selected by Governor Cox to represent the democratic party in a joint debate on the league of nations to be held at Winona Lake, Ind., August 9. The republican national committee will select a debator in opposition it was said today at Senator Hitchcock's

Senator Hitchcock will speak ater at Dixon, Ill., and Big Meron, ind., on the same issue