OMANA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1920.

# Farmers Specialist Proves One Attack of Flue Makes One Immune

By The Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 18.—A na-

tion-wide producers' strike to combat the falling prices of farm products was urged in a call sent out today by the National Farmers' union to its local unions throughout the

The call, in the form of a resolution of the organization here, went forward to secretaries of local branches of the organization, which represent producers of grain, cotton, wool and live stock, said to number 800,000.

## Is Retaliation Measure.

The proposed strike was urged in retaliation for what the convention onsidered abnormal deflation in prices of farm products, through which, it was asserted, American farmers have been robbed of \$1,000,000,000 in reduced value of products now on hand. All farmers were urged to hold this year's production from the markets until "profit making levels" were restored.

Reduction of production in the fu-ture was threatened in another reso-lution, "unless the prices of our products are fairly readjusted."

Conference Is Called. conference of representatives of all farmers' organizations of the country was called to meet in St. Louis December 16 to consider the creation of a national farm market-

considerable discussion, officials said.

Concerning the St. Louis meeting to create a national farm marketing board, Charles S. Barrett of Union City, Ga., who was elected president of the assembly arrested in connection with the daring robbery, the federal officers began this morning to devote their efforts yesterday in pursuit of an Omaha taxicab driver, who is believed to have been the fourth man effect of the persian delay.

to find a reasonable, rational way to tal.

day, included one urging structured by.

forcement of the immigration laws by.

There was animated comment on overthrow the government. for the recall of

United States senators and representatives also was urged, The meeting here will conlude late

# Waif Made Happy

### Warm Footwear Provided by The Bee Fund Gladdens Heart of Widow's Child.

"I'm sure happy now!" exclaimed a little 8-year-old waif, daughter of a widowed mother, living in a hovel on the river bottom, as she was fitted with a pair of stout, warm shoes provided by funds contributed to The Bee's Free Shoe fund, Wed-

Someone has the credit of supplying that child with a necessity for health and comfort that will last her

sary work, send or bring what you give them the opportunity to fol-would like to give to The Bee office. Iow their peaceful pursits, unham-pered and unrestricted by the most

Girl-Wife Held for Bank

wife, held in connection with an al-leged bank robbery flear Colorado Springs. A car held here by police springs. A car held here by police in connection with the case was returned to the girl by court order. J. W. Starling, thought by authorities to be a member of a band-that has robbed ten eastern Colorado banks in the last six months, is being held here in connection with the Clinton

## Armenians Refuse Mandate

The Armenians declare that ac- ceclare. ceptance of the conditions would be equivalent to the loss of Armenia's New York Commissioner sovereign rights.

## Nationalists of Turkey

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the New York Times.

To the decision of the electorate,
Despite the cold weather, Mr. WilDespite the cold weather, Mr. Wilclares Talaat Pasha, former Turksh grand vizier, in an interview pub-lished in an Anatolian newspaper. He asserts the Pan-Islamic movement is directed against the "imperialist oppressors of Moslems .

Of Nation

To Strike

Paris, Nov. 18.—Proof the one once having had infigure attached in finding had infigure attached been provided the Academy assault one once having had infigure attached been provided the Academy assault one once having had infigure attached been provided the Academy assault one once having had infigure attached in finding had infigure attached in the same been provided the Academy assault one once having had infigure attached in finding had infigure attached in the same way but this time his system successfully withstood the test and he was not ill.

Is Form of Retaliation

Makes One Immune

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National Union Sends Out
Cialist at Val De Grace hospital.

The discovery was made by in-oculating a volunteer patient with microbes of la grippe during the epidemic of 1918-19. A severe case was the result. A few weeks later the patient was again inoculated in the same way but this time his system successfully withstood the test and he was not ill.

Since then the experiment has been made in a number of cases always with the same result. Dr. Dopter believes that after an attack of influences the system is so incert.

Chauffeur Now Sought of influences the system is so incert.

Dopter believes that after an attack of influenza the system is so inoculated with millions of dead germs as to prevent the introduction of live

The call, in the form of a resolu-tion adopted at the national conven-tion of the organization here went

## League Council Report Under Consideration

Selection of Six Vice Presidents to Comprise Executive Committee of Assembly Also Scheduled.

Geneva, Nov. 18 .- (By The Associated Press.)-The report of the council of the league of nations was and government agents working on again before the assembly of the league for consideration at today's session, as was the election of six Council Bluffs Saturday night. vice presidents, who, with the chairmen of the assembly's six commissions, will comprise the bureau, or of Orville Phillips, 17, the third man The resolutions were adopted in executive committee, of that body. executive session last evening after. There was the possibility of an ex-

City, Ga., who was elected president Ed-Dowleh, head of the Persian delof the union for the 15th consecutive egation to the assembly, had met "The purpose of the meeting is not to form or create a corner, but with a thrilling adventure, with a tragic end for his secretary, while the delegation was on its way to Geneva from Teheran, the Persian capi-

market our products. The urban population should welcome such a step, as it is the instability of the market that has caused inflated prices for them and deflated prices for the producer."

Other resolutions adopted at the accutive session, officials said today, included one urging strict enforcement of the immigration laws by tal.

Between Ispahan and Shiraz, the prince was captured by a robber band. The robbers seized the prince's papers and killed his secretary. The prince made his escape and the authorities eventually captured the band and restored the papers. The prince sent word that he hoped to arrive in Geneva short-

yesterday's committee elections, in which the Latin countries captured

Giuseppe Motta, president of the Swiss confederation, was elected honorary president of the first as-

sembly of the league. for Viscount Ishii, Japanese ambassador to France, as Japan's candidate for vice presidency.

## Government Scored For Alleged Abuse Of American Indians

St. Louis, Nov. 18 .- The govern ment was arraigned for its alleged mistreatment of Indians in resolutions introduced in the resolutions committee in the Society of American Indians in session here.

The resolution recommended that Indians be placed under the laws of If you can help in this very neces- their respective states "and thereby malignant and un-American reau."

The resolutions state that the "continuation of the Indian office spells for the American Indian, misery, misrule and cruel oppression," and that a "calm unbiased and nonpartisan survey of actual conditions Robbery on Way to Colorado
Oklahoma, City, Nov. 18.—
Authorities of the government and of Colorado left Oklahoma City for Colorado with Josie Clinton, 17, girl justice and inhumanity."

on the reservations under the past government policy and administration results in disclosures and revelations of the most shocking nature, full of pathos and sad tragedy, injustice and inhumanity."

## Nonpartisan Paper In Hands of Receiver

To Establish Red Reign
Constantinople, Nov. 18.—(By The Associated Press.)—Armenia has rejected the ultimatum presented by the Turkish nationalists demanding that the Armenians establish a soviet government under Turkish protection.

S51,585.52 in cash and notes to support of the paper since January of this year. In addition, a mortgage of \$6,000 against the real estate of the newspaper and a running indebted the newspaper and a running indebted to have been incurred by the publication. The mortgaged plant is the sole asset of the firm, stockholders

Of Education Resigns Albany, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Dr. John Finley tendered his resignation as Hold Treaty Invalid state commissioner of education and Constantinople, Nov. 18.—Turkish president of the unversity of the state nationalists consider the treaty be- of New York to the board of re-

on the extending business streets. Ito congress

# **Fourth Man**

A fourth man, whose name the officials refuse to divulge, suspected of complicity in the mail robbery at Council Bluffs Saturday night, was arrested late yesterday afternoon and is under investigation at the Feder-land building in Council Bluffs. The al building in Council Bluffs. The man was brought to the Federal building about 7 with a bed comfort and leather bag, both filled with something which may turn out to be loot from the rifled mail pouches,

according to agents.

The raid in which the man was taken was made by a United States marshal assisted by city police.

Postoffice Inspector Coble of Omaha and Chief of Police Matthews of the Burlington system were called to Council Bluffs immediately following the arrest vesterday afly following the arrest yesterday af-

A postoffice official, whose name has not been given out, has been sent from St. Louis to assume full charge of the mail robbery investigation, according to local agents.

Seek Taxicab Driver.

Omaha became yesterday the cen-ter of operation for postal inspectors robbery of mail train No. 8 on

executive committee, of that body. arrested in connection with the dar-

tion of Tomasso Tittoni, of Italy, who was the first man to be taken board's entire flect of more than into custody by federal operatives. Absolves His Brother.

Orville in his confession made By Pair of Shoes

Voting for six vice presidents of the assembly then began. Bares from blame. He declared Merl in his variegated statements to officers and others who questioned him were made solely to protect Orville. Orville declared Merl had nothing

to do with the actual robbery and, (Turn to Page Two, Column Four.)

## West Virginia State Trooper and Miner Killed in Gun Battle

of the state police, who issued the report, said his advices were that Ernest L. Ripley, of Huntington, a "the only floating property this

leader named Hatfield. were called into the region by Governor John J. Cornwall, after numerous shooting affrays and disorders had occurred. While the regular army men were in the field the situation was quiet but since they departed a number of attacks directed upon coal properties, have occurred.

## Johnson Completes Probe Of Ellis Island Conditions

New York, Nov. 18.—Representa-tive Johnson of the house commit-tee on immigration completed that Aberdeen, S. D., Nov. 18.—The tee on immigration completed that Northwest Square Deal Nonpartibody's investigation of conditions at san league daily newspaper here, Ellis Island and followed other mem-

## President Wilson Better

by White House officials, to have mountain time, covering the 437 shown improvement since the electric miles in 3 hours and 24 minutes.

### Omaha Leads Cities In Price Decreases In Month of October

Washington, Nov. 18 .- A decrease 3 per cent in retail food prices Theft

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States was noted in statistics on the cost of 22 articles of food, made public by the Department of Labor.

Greatest decreases were in prices of sugar, 24 per cent, and potatoes, 15 per cent. The price of eggs increased 14 per cent.

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The average family expenditure for the 22 articles of food decreased in all of the 51 cities from which monthly prices were tabulated except Houston, Tex., where there was increase of approximately five-

tenths of 1 per cent. The greatest decrease, 6 per cent, was in Omaha and St. Paul. In Minneapolis, Portland, Ore., and Seattle, the decrease was 5 per cent; in Chicago, Denver, Portland, Me.,

## Dereliction of Tank Steamers Cause of Big Loss

Failure to Utilize Bulk Oil Carriers Cost U. S. \$3,000,-000 in One Month, Witness Says.

New York, Nov. 18.—Failure of the tank steamer department of the United States shipping board to utilize its fleet of bulk oil carriers for the needs of shipping board ves-sels, caused a loss to the government of \$3,000,000 in one month. Martin of \$3,000,000 in one month, Martin the robbery of mail train No. 8 on J. Gillen testified before the Walsh the Burlington railroad near the congressional committee inquiring congressional committee inquiring into the shipping board transactions. Gillen was special assistant to former Chairman John Barton Payne last May when, he said, the alleged dere-

iction occurred. The tank steamer department had 54 vessels, he added. Of these, 20 were in the hands of private operators. It was discovered on May 26 last, that the 54 vessels were tied up at southern ports for lack of fuel oil, and in addition, 40 per cent of a sions of the three men now in custody, was the driver of the automobile in which it was planned to escape with the loot. He is believed to be in Omaha and in possession of four of the 10 sacks of registered mail which were stolen.

Brother of Suspect.

Orville Phillips, younger brother of Merl Phillips, surrendered of his own will Wednesday night. His confession was made to J. Hess, Council Bluffs attorney, who was retained by Orville as counsel.

Hess refused to make public the confession. His confession, however, led to the recovery of five more of the stolen registered mail sacks. which the Latin countries captured nine out of the total of 12 chairmen and vice chairmen.

Early in the session today, on moter was to save his brother, Merl, was now director of operation of the

> 1,100 ships, including the tankers. Chart Shows Operations. A chart that was made of the tank steamer operations, Gillen testified, showed that 33 were in government service and others in semi-private and official work. Some were op-erated for the benefit of public utilities and some in the service of sup-plying oil for shipping board fuel stations abroad. Among the opera-tors, he named the Standard Oil companies of New York and California, the Vacuum Oil company, Atlantic Refining company, American Fuel Transportation company,

He added that last May this coun-Charleston, W. V., Nov. 18.—A state trooper and a miner were killed tonight in a gun fight in the Mingo county coal strike region, according to a report given out here by the state department of public safety.

Col. Jackson Arnold, commander of the state added to private companies at from companies at from the state added to private companies at from the state was a short argument of the state added to private companies at from the state was a short argument of the state added to private companies at from the state was a short argument of the state added to private companies at from the state with it is a decision.

Judge Sears then stated his decision. He allowed Mrs. Leflang's attorneys \$2,000 in fees and urged that the Leflangs agree on some school for Cheşter.

Leflang Satisfied With Decision.

trooper, is the dead officer and that government then owned on which the other man slain was a union a profit could have been made." The witness declared no one in ments was doing.

### Jap Exclusion Leagues Planned in Western States

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 18.-Negotiations are under way for the organization of Japanese exclusion leagues in all western states and for a conference to be held in

## Air Mail Pilot Makes Reno To Salt Lake Nonstop Flight

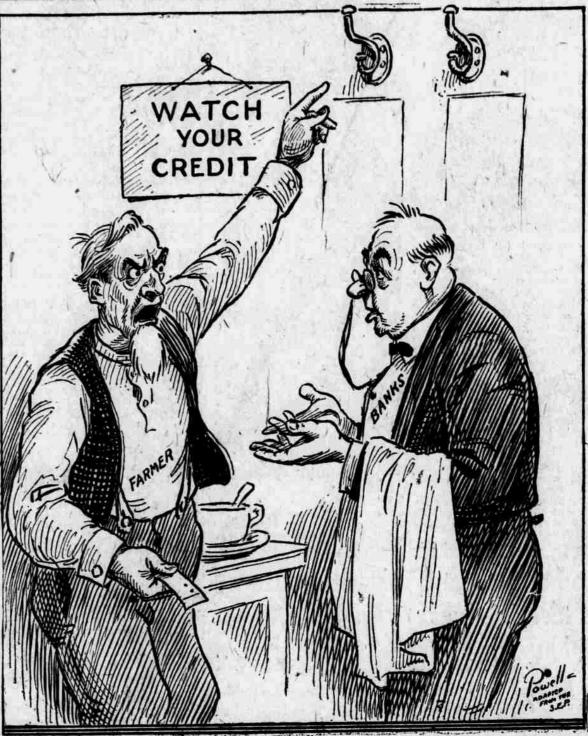
Salt Lake City, Nov. 18.—A non-stop flight by airplane from Reno. Nev., to Salt Lake, said by local air mail authorities to be the first on record, was made by Pilot K. R. Unger of the air mail service. Pilot Since National Election Unger hopped off from Reno with Washington, D. C., Nov. 18— mail at 9:58 o'clock, Pacific time, President Wilson's health was said, and landed at Salt Lake at 2.22.

Ex-Governor Fort Dies. advisory and editorial positon," with the New York Times.

Lights for Ord.

Ord. Neb.. Nov. 18.—(Special.)—
Ord is installing nearly 100 beauti
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# Who's Responsible?



## Mrs. Leflang Is Given \$250 Month Alimony by Court

Wife Obtains Decree of Separate Maintenance and Custody of Son; Refuses to Comment on Decision.

Husband and Wife. Anxious. Mr. and Mrs. Leflang and their attorneys filed quietly into the courtroom at 1:30 to hear the decision. There was an expectant silence in the courtroom as Judge Sears took his seat. The faces of both Leflangs were drawn with anxiety as they

"It seems we have to make a de-Island Oil company, the France and cision in this case," began Judge Canadian Steamship company and Sears. "I have reached a decision and, although I am not entirely pleased with it, it is a decision.

> There was a short argument among attorneys regarding settling of fees. Leflang stood at the door of the court house as his wife passed out. He looked at her, but she did

not return the glance. State troopers were sent into the strike zone several weeks ago to relieve Unifed States soldiers who were withdrawn. The federal troops "I wanted separate maintenance," cause the operating division did not know what one of its chief departto school. "I am satisfied with the deci-

sion," said Mr. Leflang. "The matter is ended."

Peak of Prices Reached In Canned Goods Market

Chicago, Nov. 18 .- Prices of can-Francisco when the organization is complete, State Controller John S. Chambers, chairman of the executive Sears of Chillicothe, O., president of ned goods will be no higher and Chambers, chairman of the executive committee of the Japanese Exclusion league of California, announced here. Chambers said he has taken league of Chambers said he has taken lower," Mr. Sears said. "Canned Sam Williams, county for burgle the National Canners' association, for forgery, November 31, 1918, for went into the hands of a receiver. A petition filed in circuit court on Tuesday by stockholders states that farmers of this vicinity invested tion for improvement of the immigration for impro We don't know what materials will cost in the coming year, but we don't expect them to go higher and later. they may be somewhat lower."

## Colby to Sail for South

America Next Saturday Boston, Nov. 18 .- Orders were received directing the battleship General Raney, Rev. J. O. L. Sprack-Florida, now at the navy yard, to proceed to Hampton Roads to take who killed Beverley Trumble during on Secretary of State Colby and the a raid on Trumble's hotel at Sandparty of 16, who will accompany him on his South American trip. The Florida will leave here Saturday.

Ord is installing nearly 100 beautiful electroliers around the square and on the extending business streets. It is congress to congress treets. It is preparation of his annual message of the extending business streets. It is preparation of his annual message is pelieved to have been the cause. It is pelieved to have been the cause.

## **Confidence Vote Given Premier of Italy by Deputies**

Heated Debate, During Which Judge Troup Gives Instruc-Political Record of Giolitti Is Attacked Precedes Taking of Favorable Action.

Rome, Nov. 18.-Heated debate, yesterday afternoon.

The custody of Chester, 16-yearold son of the Leflangs, was given
the mother, who is to receive an additional allowance of \$50 a month

cialists. The premier answered that make this distinction. his entire past was a protest against

such an accusation.
In 1893, he continued, "I refused to dissolve the Sicilian unions, which were the first serious socialist manifestations in Italy, and in 1901, when proclaimed the liberty to strike, all conservatives considered me a revolutionary much more dangerous than you socialists. Believing in the political, economic and social ascendselves, do not believe I am a reac- the

tionary. He enumerated Wis fiscal measures, none of which, he asserted, placed a burden upon workers, but were directed at the very wealthy

"The profiteers," a socialist dep-uty interrupted, "already have sent their money abroad."

was a coroner's physician who ex-amined the body and demanded an apology from Coffey for insinuating the coached witnesses. "True," replied the premier, "but they did so before my advent to

# **Five More Convicts**

Lincoln, Nov. 18 .- (Special.)-Five more prisoner at the state penitentiary were paroled today. They

Harold Bush, seatenced from Lancaster for forgery, Decmber 26, 1919, for from one to 20 years. J. B. Pence, from Lancaster county for grand larceny, sentenced November f, 1919, for one to 10

Edward Shea, from Scottsbluff

Minister to Stand Trial

For Shooting Man in Raid Toronto, Ont., Nov. 18 .- Through decision announced by Attorney General Raney, Rev. J. O. L. Sprackwich, will have to stand trial for shooting, despite the fact that a coroner's jury decided the minister acted in self-defense.

Six Plants Closed. Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 18.—The six plants of the Chadwick-Hoskins chain of mills, five of which are lo-

## Woman Slayer's Fate Placed in Hands of Jury

tions for Deciding Verdict on Mrs. Mike Tierney, Who Shot Son-in-Law.

Fate of Mrs. ' Mike Tierney, Separate maintenance and \$250 a Rome, Nov. 18.—Heated debate, resorth alimony were granted Mrs. during which Premier Giolitti declarged with the murder of her son-in-law, Ray Dunlap, was placed in that sentiment in Ireland, as they policies of his government, preceded the hands of a jury at 4:55 yester-vesterday afternoon.

when the son is with her.

If Chester is sent away to school
Mrs. Leflang will pay one-third of his expenses, and Mrs. Leflang the other two-thirds.

Socialist deputies violently accused the premier of being a reactionary and a supporter of the nationalist followers of Captain Gabriele d'Annualist other opposition to the socialist of the social social socialist of the social social socialist of the social sociali

Impulse Unrecognized by Law. "The law recognizes no form of incontrollable impulse," he told the jury. "The law presumes every person is sane and it is only when evi-dence of insanity is introduced that

that insanity does not exst." During his rebuttal to the jury Coffey referred to the possibility of O'Sullivan | coaching his witnesses ancy of the proletariat, I granted and charged O'Sullivan had arranged universal suffrage even before the ctents to arouse sympathy among socialists asked for it. You, your the jurors. He also laid stress on body to secure evidence he was suf-

### tering from a disease." Demands Apology.

O'Sullivan indignantly asserted it

Judge Troup interrupted this con-troversy with his instructions to the jury. He told jurors that to find Mrs. Tierney guilty of murder in the first degree premeditation must be established. She could be found Released by Governor gree although there was no pre-meditation in her act, he said. guilty of murder in the second de-

## Jamaica Ginger Placed

Under Prohibition Ban
Washington, Nov. 18.—Jamaica escaped by the skylight as both doors of the car had been entered this side of Chicago and the thief evidently escaped by the skylight as both doors of the car had been securely ban today. Orders issued by Com-missioner Williams of the internal revenue bureau, effective in 90 days. classes tincture of ginger, whether sold as Jamaica ginger, extract of ringer or by whatever name, as an alcoholic preparation fit for use for beverage purposes and subject to

## rohibition regulations.

Two Workmen Die When Scaffold Falls to Ground Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 18 .- Fifty orkmen engaged in erecting the steel frame of a three-story building at the Emmerich Manual Training original number announced for parole who will be given their releases ligh school here were buried be neath the mass of steel when the frame coliapsed today while they were at work. Two persons are known to have been killed and 30

# The Weather

Forecast.

sere injured.



Frotect shipments during the next 24 to 34 hours from temperatures as follows: Korth, cast, and west, 32 degrees.

# Witnesses Describe Irish Riots

All Agree Civil Processes for Provisional Republic Virtually at End Under British Military Rule.

## Priest Tells of Killing

Washington, Nov. 18.—Eye-wit-ness reports of disturbances in Ireland connected with the movement for Irish independence were given today at the opening hearings of the commission of the committee of the commission of the committee of 100 investigating the Irish question. Four witnesses, including Dennis Morgan, chairman of the town council of Thurles, Ireland and three Americans who visited Ireland recently—John F. Martin, Green Bay, Wis.; Father Michael English, Whitehall, Mont., and Father James H. Cotter, Ironton, O.—were heard by the commission. All expressed sympathy for the Irish independence movement, and told of violent events which they had seen, and agreed that civil processes, except of the proviscivil processes, except of the provis-ional Irish republic, were virtually at an end under the rule of the

Mr. Morgan said his home was riddled with bullets prior to his arrest and deportation to England without any definite charges being pre-ferred against him. With 200 other Irish republican leaders, he said, he went on a hunger strike until they were released. He also told of "murders" of Irish citizens by con-stabulary and soldiers, including the "black and tan" forces.

Papers Confiscated. Father English asserted that Brit-ish soldiers had confiscated his papers. The military authorities deided his protests that he was an American citizen, he said, and he also told of having witnessed the shoot-ing of an Irishman whose body, he said, was beaten into unrecognizable

Father Cotter, a Catholic editor, told of the killing of a Galway civilian by a British soldier, without cause, he said. The soldier, he said, was seized by another civilian and reprisals against the town followed an hour later. "Soldiers shot up the streets for several hours." he said. The aged priest added that he lay for an hour and a half under a window ledge of his hotel to escape the flying bullets. The military, he adder, later set fire to two houses and fired into a Galway newspaper plant whose management was friendly to whose management was friendly to the republican movement.

Father Cotter and Mr. Martin.

'Sympathies of every one I met. Catholic and Protestant, were for the republicans," said Father Cot-The belief that religious prejudice or differences were involved in Ireland was unfounded, he added. "There was absolute unanimity of opinion for homerule," Mr. Martin said. All witnesses said that civil court procedure was suspended in Ireland, coroners inquests prohibited by the British government and that the only authority exercised except

for the British military forces, was that of the Irish republicans. About 600 soldiers and 400 police it is the burden of the state to prove are stationed constantly in Limerick, that insanity does not exst." through Penniwill, a Limerick district, were so frequent, he said, that it had been named the "Penniwill sec-He told of a fire started by hand grenades or incendiaries, which injured 200 houses in the Penniwill "profaning of Dunlap's dead district and said he saw many marks

## of bullets and bombs. Valuable Packages Stolen From Parcel Post Car in Iowa

Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 18.-Two parcel post sacks were rifled and valuable packages stolen from a storage car on Rock Island train No. , which reached Council Bluffs last midnight. Soon after the train reached here a mysterious telephone call was re-

ceived at the mail transfer station, telling of the robbery.

The car had been entered this side

locked from the inside. Neglect Given as Reason

For Death of Twin: Columbus, O., Nov. 18.—Lack o nourishment and neglect were said today to have been the probable causes of the deaths last week of the twin sons of Mrs. Vida Sweat of

Vincentown, N. J., whom police held here since Saturday for investigation. Mrs. Sweat was released here to-The body of James, the second child, who died Saturday on a train near Steubenville. O., was buried here today and Mrs. Sweat left for

Camp Travis, Tex. Sacramento Woman, 107,

Dies Suddenly at Her Home Sacramento, Nov. 18 -- Mrs. Rafaella Henderson, aged 107 years, died here yesterday. She was a na-tive of Mexico and the widow of one of the earliest English-speaking pio-neers of California. Grandchildren were her nearest surviving relatives.

## Poland Given Mandate to

Carry Out Danzig Decree Berne, Switzerland, Nov. 18.—De-cision has been reached by the league of nations to entrust Poland with a mandate to carry out the military defense of Danzig, according to information received by the Swiss Telegraph agence