President Has No Intention Of Granting Recognition As Asked in Appeal of De Valera.

#### Tests Not Satisfactory

By ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

as an independent nation as a result school. of the appeal submitted to him by Ermonn De Valera, "president of the all their time disseminating the Morfrish Republic."

will be based on the view that the trained for this work tests of recognition have not been satisfied by the actual establishment of an independent government,

president following the official assertion that it would not be enteraimed by the state department. Mr. night she prayed to be forgiven for Wilson transmitted it to the state department where it awaits his instructions as to its disposition.

plied to remains to be seen. The money, guaranteeing her an income communications of Martens, soviet envoy, never have been hon- if she would renounce it. But she ored with a reply. The expectation at the state department, however, is that there will be either a reply to De Valera or an official occupied exclusively by Latter Day plans for the future. statement setting forth the reasons that recognition cannot be extended Wilson Quoted.

In his appeal De Valera has quoted President Wilson liberally. the following being examples:
"Shall people be ruled and dominated, even in their own internal affairs, by arbitrary and irresponsible force or by their own will and

"National aspirations must be respected; people may now be dominated and governed only by their own consent. Self-determination is not a mere phrase.
"Every people should be left free

to determine their own policy, own way of development, unhindered, un-threatened, unafraid, the little along with the great and powerful."

De Valera sets forth the Irish decaration of independence draws parallels between the Irish and the American revolutionary cause and quotes nearly all the presidents of the United States in support of his

their own act of parliament, tions. England has ruled out all the English courts throughout the Irish republic, resorting exclusively to miltary courts martial and the courts of the republic are the only courts functioning there today."

#### Government Illegal.

government in Ireland is illegal because Great Britain renounced the the Grattan resolution in 1782, while children. the act of union subsequently was put through the Irish parliament un-der the coercion of 129,000 British soldiers.

Precedents for the "recognition of the Irish republic without intervention," by America are cited by De Valera in President Monroe's recognition of the South American republics. In all these cases, however, recognition was not extended until the Spanish forces had been completely expelled, independent governments, had been in existence for several years and there appeared no prospect of the mother country being plying to a protest against such recognition by the Spanish minister, Secretary of State Adams said:

#### Two Principles Involved.

independence of a nation two prin- penter work at the town home. ciples are involved, one of right and the other of fact; the former ex- are causes for the various charges, clusively pending upon the determi- None of the allegations are true and capital stock, make liabilities of the and independent bureaus. execution of that determination. In a jealous and suspicious nature beconflicts which have attended these revolutions the United States has carefully abstained from taking not care to explain where I had been of loans, \$73,120; bonds, \$10,974, cash and due from other banks, \$10,966; bouse, furniture and fixtures, \$5,713. has carefully abstained from taking not care to explain where I had been D. E. Lower, the largest stock-any part, observing wherever it was or where I was going. I have been holder, is father of R. A. Lower, a contest of arms, a most impartial worried lately with serious business responsible for the failure of the which Spain was for some years in- heaval." volved with the inhabitants of her colonies in America has, in sub-

stance, ceased to exist, 'Under these circumstances, the government of the United States, far from consulting the dictates of a policy questionable in its morality, yielded to an obligation of duty of the highest order by recognizing as independent states, nations which, after deliberately asserting their right to that character, have mainained and established it against all the resistance which had been or could be brought to oppose it." In the case of Ireland, it is the test last mentioned of maintaining an independent government against British forces that is held wanting of fulfillment up to date.

#### Veteran San Francisco Chief of Police Dies

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Chief of Police D. A. White died here after an illness of 10 days. He had held the position of chief for nine years continuously, longer than any other appointee ever had. White received many recommendations from various parts of the country for efficient handling of the crowds at the democratic national convention here last June

#### Former Empress Worse,

Doorn, Nov. 28 .- A turn for the the highway. erse in the condition of the former late this evening.

## Wilson to Omaha Branch of Mormon Chun Just and Jisabled Dedicated by President Grant C. 11.

Ignore Plea
Head of Sect From Salt Lake Tells of Contentment
Brought by His Faith—Predicts Rapid Spread
Of Mormonism Here.

Big Family Reunion.

President Grant told of a recent

reunion at his home where 48 of

his immediate family were present,

Speaking of the recent "discovery"

Joseph Smith had a revelation di

ect from the Lord, three-quarters

of a century ago, which told us that

teaches not only total abstinence

from alcoholic liquors but also from

smoking and chewing tobacco and

from drinking tea and coffee. Its members indulge in none of these

ommunion was observed, but not

with wine or grape juice as in all other Christian churches. Glasses of

water were passed through the congregation by young boys and each communicant took a sip of water.

President Grant expressed the be

Order Bank at

Likely to Be Placed in Re-

ceiver's Hands-Worth-

less Notes Responsible.

Lincoln, Nov. 28 .- The Farmers

minority stock is owned by stock-

Ordered Bank Closed,

nothing could be done, Secretary

ident of the bank, E. E. Auxier, to close it and send Bank Examiner R.

the appointment of a receiver.

D. E. Lower, formerly of Lincoln

Timmerman, \$800; Cashier L. S. Johnson, \$2,500 J. J. Parons, \$800; and J. L. Orr, Crowley, Colo, \$1,000. C. H. Hall, George E. Hall and C.

Deposits Are \$80,067.

cording to Secretary Hart, D. E.

for \$4,315 was given by R. A. Lower, but, is said to be covered by

sufficient collateral to make it good

New York, Nov. 28 -- A resolu-

labor was adopted by the second

teachers should join organized la-

A recommendation was made by

possible a uniform method of com-

Corn Left to Rot in Field

Chevenne County Crop of

pensation.

Teachers for Affiliation

\$5,800, the balance of the stock.

When it became apparent that

holders in the rival bank.

including eight sons-in-law.

plied externally."

The Mormon

An Omaha branch of the Mor-mon church was dedicated yester-day afternoon at Tenth and Pierce 'increase and multiply'." day afternoon at Tenth and Pierce streets, President Heber 1. Grant of Salt Lake City, delivering the principal address. The building is that formerly occupied by the Dietz Me-

Services were held morning, aft-ernoon and night, at all of which President Grant spoke. Others who participated were John M. Knight Wilson, it was learned today, has no intention of recognizing Ireland constant and H. H. Ellef-sen, superintendent of the Sabbath

mon doctrine, were present. These The attitude of the administration are all very young men and women,

Speaks of Contentment.

President Grant is a man 64 with white hair and beard. He spoke t an independent government.

De Valera sent his appeal to the which faith in Mormonism brings. "My sainted mother, when a young woman, went to hear the Mormon doctrine preached," he said. "That was false doctrine. Later she embraced the faith. Her brother of-Whether the appeal will be re- fered to give her a great sum of the of several thousand dollars a year, preferred bitter poverty with the

#### State Officers **Husband Brands** Wife's Charges As Ridiculous

North Bend Contractor. Sued Farmers and Merchants Bank For Divorce, Says Allegations of Affair With Widow Mere Gossip.

Fremont, Neb., Nov. 28 .- (Special Telegram.)—Branding his wife's ac-cusations as all "rot and ridiculous," will probably be placed in the hands Martin Rees, city councilman and of a receiver, according to informa-weathy contractor of North Bend, tion coming from the state banking Neb., has issued a statement in re-gard to the suit of Mrs. Clara Rees were that the bank might be able for divorce. Mrs. Rees, North Bend to get back on its feet, but the loadthe United States in support of his arguments. He asserts that there is society leader, is also suing Mrs. ing up of the institution with about Emma G. Johnson, wealthy widow, on a charge of alienation of affections.

"By their own act of parliament," at the load of the institution with about the land, adding:

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The two suits were filed in the dis-rict court in Fremont Saturday.

Mrs. Rees, who is president of the \$18,000 and owners of two-thirds of trict court in Fremont Saturday. North Bend Woman's club, alleges its stock were favorable to putting that during the two years of friend-ship between the defendants long to put it on its feet, but the rest of automobile rides were enjoyed along the stockholders did not care to ad moonlit lanes. She charges her vance the amount. It is said that this De Valera contends that British husband with cruelty and infidelity, and asks \$50,000 alleged personal damages from pretty Mrs. Johnson, right to legislate for Ireland under twice widowed and mother of four

Will Not Fight.

"The charges against Mrs. John- and Commerce instructed the presson and myself are all rot and ridicu-lous," Martin Rees said. "I will not fight the divorce proceedings and will O. Chase to take charge. Attorney be satisfied with a separation and General Davis has also been regiving the child to Mrs. Rees. I am quested to institute proceeding for willing to pay a reasonable alimony. As far as Mrs. Johnson is concerned I am very sorry that her name was but now living in Oregon, is the dragged into the case dragged into the case.

About three years ago, while her ing \$6,300 invested, while the rest husband, Joseph Johnson, was living, I remodeled the farm home li miles from North Bend. That Timmerman, \$800; Cashier L. S. was the first time I ever met her. enabled to reconquor the states. Re- It was necessary on account of the distance to remain there a few days with the carpenters. Naturally we became friends and have been ever since then. She has only been a "In every question relating to the good customer. I have done car-"Gossip and small town scandal

nation of the nation itself, and the she can never get a cent from Mrs. bank \$101,808. The book assets are neutrality. But the Civil war in troubles besides the domestic up-

Other Names Mentioned.

Mrs. Johnson said. "I believe Mr. Rees has told everything that is necessary and it is the truth. I have known him for over three years, but only as a friend and member of the same club, the Jolly Fifty. All the accusations are absolutely false and groundless. Thank God I'm not guilty of the charges, and if my name must be dragged through the mud why not those of Mrs. A. R. Pearson of North Bend, and Mrs. Arthur Leach, now in Omaha? Mr. Pearson worked for Mr. Rees. Gossip implicates them with others as (Turn to Page Two, Column Seven.)

Youth Kidnaped and Stripped of Clothes

By His Jealous Rivals Los Angeles. Nov. 28.—A youth the committee on education that giving the name of Tom Santor and steps be taken to educate communiclad in nothing at all, shivered his ties to the need of a \$2,000 minimum way through the cold dawn to a sub- salary for teachers and as near as urban home near here and tapped for admission and succor. He got both and then reported to the sheriff that some rivals, incensed because of his assiduous attentions to a young woman here, had kidnaped him from her home last evening, taken him into the country, stripped his clothing from him, and set him afoot on

"Story sounds like a scenario,"

# Neglected T. N. GALBRAITH, JR.

American Legion Commander Scores Government for Poor Care of Wounded World War Veterans.

#### that alcohol is not good for man in-ternally, but of value as an external application for the sick, he said:,

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28 .- The alcohol is not good for internal use, but is of medicinal value when ap-United States is neglecting disabled veterans of the World war, Col. T. N. Galbraith, jr., national commander of the American Legion, charged Church of Jesus Christ of Latter here. Responsible government offi-Day Saints, as it is also called- cials did not deny the charge.

Gailbraith's accusation was made in connection with the conference of the legion hospitalization committee, which at the end of a day's work, had prepared a tentative bill to be things. Dancing, however, is not submitted to congress, whereby all under the ban. Communion Observed With Water, charged disabled veterans of the war Yesterday the sacrament of holy will be co-ordinated under one head.

The legion hopes to cut the red tape which now surrounds the dis-abled soldier. It will recommend to congress a plan whereby the needy veteran will get acuon instead of letters which pass responsibilities to ome other government bureau. Heads of government bureaus con-nected with the rehabilitation of sol-

lief that, with the new church prop-erty, the Mormon church will grow diers attended the conference. They even more rapidly than heretofore in this part of the country. Conoffered no objections to the proposal, ferences were held yesterday of the realizing that it would have been useless to combat the storm of in-dignation among World war veter-ans at the alleged shabby treatment their unfortunate comrades are remissionary elders, with reports and To Use All Pressure.

Verdon to Close

That the legion intends to bring to bear all of its influence to have congress adopt the proposed legislation was made clear. The co-ordination bill will be given precedent over all other American Legion recommendations.

"The American Legion is going to make the people of this country realize that the men who offered

their lives, gave of themselves and their blood for the security and the welfare of their nation, are returned heroes to whom they owe a big debt of gratitude," Galbraith said. "The condition of these disabled men is frightful, and we propose to take immediate steps to see that they are personally cared for by their

debtors-the people of the United "The government has not faid a brick, nor set up a bed for the care of the 30,000 disabled men, although the armistice was signed two years ago.

Conditions in the temporary. makeshift hospitals that have been provided by the public health service simply frightful. The temporary hospital at Markelton, Pa., is a abandoned at once as unfit for a dog to live in.

Ten thousand disabled men are quartered in cellars, poorhouses and Hart of the Department of Trade to the best care that this wealthy na- the German interests. tion can afford."

Colonel Jones, head of the war committee, but they carefully avoided making any protest at Galbraith's Dr. C. W. Lavinder, an assistant

surgeon general, in charge of hospitals for the public health service. admitted that Galbratth's charge is true, but he blamed congress, insisting that economical legislators are responsible. The American Legion committee's

bill will provide that the examina-Weir of the opposition bank own tion, treatment, hospitalization, compensation and rehabilitation training of solders be under one cabinet de-Deposits of the bank aggregate partment, and directly under an as-\$80,067. Undivided profits are sistant secretary. At present these given as \$1,573, guaranty reserve functions are distributed among the fund, \$1,308, and these, with the treasury, war and navy departments

#### Governor of Tabasco Seize Government Valparaiso State bank about a year

Mexico City, Nov. 27.—Supporters of Gen. Carlos Green, who recently ago and recently convicted of illegal loaning of funds to himself. Acwas deposed as governor of the state of Tabasco, forcibly disamed Lower was the man who delivered the police at Villa Hermosa, the state the \$16,000 of bad paper which the capital, and appointed Tomas Gar-rido as governor. The seizure of that America helped win the war bank is holding, to the bank, while one of the notes held by the bank power was carried out without loss of life.

named, a letter was directed to the will be shown to America before Plan Campaign Against state senate stating that the seizure With Organzied Labor was in retaliation for General Green's deposition. ion urging affiliation with organized

weeks ago after soldiers, allged to District Attorney Named General Green was deposed several semi-annual conference of teachers' be acting on his orders, killed two unions of eastern states. The reso- members of the chamber of deputies lution declared teachers cannot serve and wounded several spectators, society well without "adequate pay while attempting to arrest Deputy and democratic working conditions." Lascano, who had fled into the chamand that "it was inevitable that ber after shooting an army captain. General Green is now in a Mexico City prison awaiting trial

the committee on education that Chicago International

Opens With Crowded House ed with the district attorney. Chicago, Nov. 28 .- The Twentyfirst International Live Stock exposition opened with more than 10,000 entries from every state, Canada, South America and several Europeon

nations. Corn Left to Rot in Field The judging of entries will not Lodge Pole, Neb., Nov. 28.—(Spe-start until Monday, today and tocial.)-With the price of corn so morrow being given over to visitors, low that farmers do not feel like hir- minor contests and special features Attention has been given to feaing men to husk it, a large part of the biggest crop Cheyenne county tures of interest to women, home inpress. Augusta Victoria, occurred said Sheriff Cline. "but it's stand- ever produced remains in the field, economies, demonstrations and lee- had been robbed. Seven stores were recovered and the tribesmen are being up under investigation."

Little or no wheat is being marketed, tures.

#### Capital and Labor



#### Mesopotamia Oil President-Elect Situation Likely To Cause Trouble

Britain Has No Desire to Harding Completes Visit With Police Charge William Bush-"Hog" Rights. Man in Close Touch With Lloyd George Says.

By JOHN STEELE.

touch with Mr. Lloyd George de- eastern entrance and calls on several of persons yesterday morning on clared that the oil situation in Meso- military and naval stations in the the eighth floor of the City Naclared that the oil situation in Mesopotamia is the one question above all others most likely to cause Anglolisgrace to the nation and should be American trouble if indiscreetly handled. Great Britain, he declared. has no desire to "hog" Mesopotamian oil.

Most of the Mosul oil field, which insane asylums. Thousands of men is the largest proved field in Mesare breaking down mentally and opotamia, is now held under an physically as a result of the hard old Turkish concession to a Britishships they endure in the service of German group by the British-French their country, and they are entitled group, the French having taken over

The British government has not decided whether to work these inrisk insurance bureau, was present terests itself, or to allow the com-at the conference of the legislation mercial holders to exploit them, but mercial holders to exploit them, but it has determined not to allow the field to be spoiled by competitive America Free to Enter.

British subects or any other for- of the canal.

eigners, the official said.

cials trying to secure concessions. A high official in the British foreign office declares that the main point in the American note to Britain on the Mesopotamian oil situation the Harding party will return to the Jury Says Oklahoma is the claim that mandates for Aris the claim that mandates for Ar-menia and Palestine ought to be about 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. submitted to America for approval.

Up to League. A theoretical answer to that de-

mand, he said, would be that under the constitution of the league of nations mandates drawn up are to be submitted to the league council. This is in accord with article 22, and America, not being a member of the league, strictly speaking, is not entitled to be consulted. The informant, however, says

that America helped win the war and is entitled to have a say, even though she has not joined her forsounce of Green supporters had been the associates in the league. The probability is that mandates being confirmed and her suggestions will be considered.

In Vice Investigation

bribery against District Attorney C. by the propriatery association. John E. Gaffney, Saratoga com-missioner of public safety, and his American Geologist and deputy, Benjamin W. Wilson, were also indicted, charged with neglect of duty. Charges against the offi-

Rob Fernald Stores.

to abate it.

Inspects East **End of Canal** 

Stations on Atlantic

London, Nov. 28 .- A man in close a visit to the fortifications at its cued by police from a mob of a score vicinity of Cristobal.

yesterday, the president-elect took Arbor street. great interest in small details, asktion at Cocosolo, Mrs. Harding ac-cepted an invitation to make a flight Bushman met her here. She ran was her first experience at flying. In a few minutes a mob gathered Mrs. Harding appeared to enjoy it and threatened Bushman with vioimmensely.

the guest of honor at a dinner tenany deal with the holders of these pressions of comity between the women for three months concessions for a share of the pro- United States and Panama and Last week Commission duction or to prospect any new pledges of co-operation to promote detailed two detectives to watch the fields, having all the rights accorded particularly the commercial value

Senator Harding gave assur-It was also learned that Standard ances of his interest in the devel-Oil representatives from America opment of Central and South Amerihave been interviewing British offi- can trade and expressed belief that Bushman would probably be given the canal would form an influential factor in development of world board The steamer Pastores, on which

St. Louis Flat Building Wrecked by Dynamite Bomb

St. Louis, Nov. 28.-Residents of the fashionable west and apartment houses were routed out of their beds midnight last night by three charges of dynamite which wrecked an apartment building in the course of construction in the heart of the west end district. The building was being put up by nonunion labor, but the owner of the apartment asserted he had no previous labor trouble Three more charges which had failed to explode were found by the police in the basement of the building.

Medicines With "Kick"

Chicago, Nov. 28 .- Plans which B. Andrus of Saratoga were re-turned by the extraordinary grand evidence of violation of the law by

Interpreter Murdered

London, Nov. 28.—An American cologist named Howell and his cials alleged that they had knowl-Hindu interpreter have been musedge of gambling, but took no steps dered while prospecting in the Lor- day. alai district of Baluchistan, says a Reuter message from Delhi under Friday's date. It is believed the five Fernald, la., Nov. 28.-Residents men who attacked them were Pathof Fernald awoke to find their town ans tribesmen. The bodies have been

#### Police Rescue Alleged Insane Man From Mob

Cristobal. Nov. 28.—President-elect Harding completed his inspec-Thirty-second street, son of a prom-tim. tion of the Panama canal today with inent Omaha business man, was restional Bank building, after he had As in the examination of the de-fenses at the Pacific end of the canal Miss Mabel Underwood, 20, 1224

Advances to Girl, Is Much-

Sought Degenerate.

Miss Underwood, who had been ing many questions to familiarize on a business trip with her brothhimself with the strategic situation. er. Don L. Underwood, left him at During a visit to the naval air sta- Sixteenth and Harney streets, while

in a seaplane, spending 15 minutes to the corridor and screamed. The over Limon bay, in one of the elevators were immediately stopped largest NC type planes used by the and M. F. Gallagher, 405 South Sixnavy. The plane attained a height teenth street, and W. C. Estes of about 1,000 feet, and though it grabbed Bushman.

lent action Police took him to jail Tonight the president-elect was and held him for investigation. Police accuse Bushman of dedered him by the merchants of Generate actions toward many wom-Colon and Cristobal. The affair en. They say he is the degenerate America is perfectly free to enter was the occasion for renewal of ex- who has been terrorizing Omaha Last week Commissioner Ringer

movements of Bushman after receiving an annonymous tip that he was the man who had frightened womolice asserted last night that

an examination before the insanity

### Man Committed Suicide

Ardmore, Okla., Nov. 28.-A coroner's jury returned a verdict that sufficient money to go through the James E. Lamb, an oil drilling con-year without asking a deficiency tractor, whose body was found near died as a result of a gunshot wound self inflicted.

family good-bye," at 4 p. m. vester- posed of in the near future. day and asking his wife to prav for him said: "Be sure to meet me in heaven." He also asked for his revolver, according to his widow, and said, as he took it, "You never can tell-I may have use for it.

Ex-Wife of "Peach King" Is Charged With Murder

Fort Valley, Ga., Nov. 28 .- Invesit was announced would "drive from the market manufacturers of medicines and toilet articles of such high "peach king," brought testimony Ballston, N. Y., Nov. 28 .- Indict- alcoholic percentage that they are from the physicians that a postmorments charging conspiracy and used as beverages" were completed ten examination showed presence of poison in Sheppard's viscera. Mrs. F. E. Elmer, former wife of the peach king," was arrested as she City Judge M. E. McTygue and Police Superintendent E. T. Carernment in driving out of business husband's property. Later a warroll of Saratoga were jointly indict- the firms selling beverages as med- rant charging her with the murder of Sheppard was served.

#### The Weather

Forecast Nebraska-Rain and colder Mon Hourly Temperatures.

#### Janitor Is Murdered In Church

Assailant Uses Sledge Hammer on Aged Man-Body Found by Dr. Frank Smith and Secretary.

#### Robbery Was the Motive

G. F. Lung, 50, janitor at the Cen tral Congregational church, under construction at Thirty-sixth street and Dewey avenue, was found brutally murdered in the boiler room of the church at 9 Sunday morning. The murderer used a sledge hammer and a pocket knife. Robbery was the motive, police say. Lung had been dead 10 hours when found, according to Dr. Glenn Miller, a police

surgeon. A safe in the shanty office of the James Black Construction company outside the church was found smashed open and the contents thrown about. Nothing was taken. The nature of the robbery and murder indicates the murderer was acquainted with the surroundings.

Robbery Was Motive.

Lung's purse, emptied, and his spectacles, smashed by a blow of the ledge hammer, were found on top his body, lying on its right side in the doorway of the coal room. Wounds on Lung's head show he was first stunned by a blow of the stedge hammer then slashed to his death. There was no evidence of a struggle. One of seven ugly slashes pierced Lung's skull. Evidently to be sure of death, the murderer made two piercing jabs in his victim's throat, severing the carotid artery. The murderer wiped his blood hands on a piece of paper found near Lung's body and on a canvas covering over a side doorway to the

Seek Finger Prints.

The only chance of obtaining finger prints of the murderer was in the finding of the pocket knife covered with blood. Detective Arthur English found the knife on a window casing near the coal bin yesterday.

terday afternoon.

The murderer evidently broke into the construction company's shanty first, then ransacked Lung's trunk in his room before commit ting the murder, as no blood spot-Calls on Military and Naval man, Who Made Improper Lung's room. A wheelbarrow load ed with slack coal, standing near the body, showed Lung was wheel-ing slack to bank the boiler fire tor the night. The murderer evidently stood near the doorway of the bin

The murderer used a steel ha taken from the tool chest of L. A Angus, stone cutter, to smash ope the safe.

Because Lung was in the habit o boasting to workmen about the building that his uncle had giver valuable watch and \$1,900 for his birthday two months ago, de

#### (Turn to Page Two, Column Four.) **Shipping Board** To Ask Large Sum

Deficiency Appropriation of One Hundred Million Needed to Pay Expenses.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wir Washington, Nov. 28.-Deficiency appropriations totaling probably \$100,000,000 will be asked by the shipping board before the end of the present fiscal year.

The additional money will be nec essary, officials of the board say, be cause of the action of congress t limiting expenditures to revenues ob tained by the Board from the operation of ships, the sale of ships, and the settlement of claims. Expenditures for the present fiscal year are expected to total about \$325,000,000 Revenues will total not more than \$225,000,000.

If the War department had settled all the claims which are pending, the board probably would have appropriation. So far however, the Ardmore with a bullet in the heart, War department has paid the shipping board only \$40,000,000 out of a total of \$200,000,000 which is in dis Testifying at the inquest Mrs. pute. There are no indications that Lamb said her husband "kissed the the balance of the claim will be dis-Officials of the shipping board will appear before the subcommittee of

house apropriations committee

h is preparing the annual sundre

vil appropriation bill probably next

Interior of Steamship

Is Destroyed by Fire Bilbao, Spain, Nov. 28.-Fire dis-covered on the Spanish liner, Alionso XIII, destroyed the interior of the vessel. The damage is estimated at 12,000 pesetas. The company owning the dock-

yards where the steamer was lying recently dismissed 200 workmen and had received anonymous letters stating an attack would be made on the liner.

A number of workmen have been arrested.

Rickenbacker Sets New Airplane Speed Record

San Francisco, Nov. 28.-Eddie Rickenback American ace, flew rom Los Angeles to San Francisco n three hours and id minutes, said to be a record for a northward flight over the 341 miles. He bucked a heavy wind all the way and made a forced landing at San Jose for gasoline. A mark of three hours and one minute was set for the southward flight over the distance yesterday by Lieut. E. C. Batten, an army flyer.