The End of His Vacation

Treasury Man Is Fined \$10 For Attaching Flag To Tail of Toy Dog

revision of the nation's tax laws on the basis of an annual levy of \$4,000,-000,000 for a period of four years, and including an increase of 2 per cent in the taxes on income up to \$5,000, is urged by Secretary Houston in his annual report sent today

Repeal of the excess profits taxes. limination of certain of the so-called luxury taxes, including the levy on soda fountain and similar beverages. and a readjustment of the rates in the higher groups of income taxes, is proposed by the treasury chief. To meet the losses brought about by these proposed changes, Mr. Houston recommends revised and new taxes to yield about \$2,000,000,000 as

cent per horsepower on the use of motor cars to yield \$100,000,000.

An additional sales tax on auto-

An additional tax of 7 per cent on chewing gum to yield \$2,000,000.

An additional tax of 7 per cent on toilet soap and toilet soap pow-ders to yield \$4,000,000. A 10 per cent tax on the sale by (Turn to Page Two, Column Two.)

Draft of Bill for National Forestry

Washington, Dec. &-A draft of a bill for a national forestry-policy, including better fire protection for the forests, was discussed by the forest industries committee at a conference attended by representatives of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, the American Forestry association, the Na-tional Lumber Manufacturers' association, the American Paper and Pulp association, the United States Chamber of Commerce and the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers'

"I regard the proposed legislation as a milestone in our progress toward a national forest policy," said Col. William B. Greeley, United States forester, after the conference. "The objective now before the country has been defined by a large group of industries most directly interested and concerned and by representatives of the public. The ext step is legislative action. eaves us all to remember that no great public movement of this character enacts itself."

Former Omahan Geis 2 Years for Mail Theft

Henderson, N. C., Dec. 8.—(Special)—L. V. Graves, 28, former Omaha mail clerk, was sentenced to two less than the cost of building new years in federal prison Tuesday by fuel ships. Federal Judge H. G. Conner, and fined \$500, when tried at Raleigh on charges of robbing the mails. Graves was arrested three weeks ago with \$18,000 of the postoffice department's money in an extra tire on nis automobile. He confessed to taking \$22,000 in registered mail packages. Furniture in his expensive apartment was sold to liquidate

the remainder of the missing funds. In passing sentence, the judge ex-pressed sympathy for Graves' wife and child, and referred to a petition of business men asking clemency for the prisoner. Solomon Graves, in farmers' hands are drop in prices

father of the convicted man, Kansas farmer, attended the trial. Man Burns to Death When

Posse Sets His Home Afire Billings, Mont., Dec. 8.—E. F. Lampson, 55, a homesteader near Tuffley, in Golden Valley county, was burned to death in his cabin yesterday after a posse had set fire to it following an all-night rifle and revolver battle and numerous at-tempts to dynamite the house. Lampson yesterday afternoon per-haps fatally wounded Sheriff Jesse Sarfield of Golden Valley county. who had gone to the cabin to take Lampson for an examination as to ais sanity

Head Urges

Boston, Dec. 8.—The display for sale, of a toy dog with a miniature American flag attached to its tail brought S. Ishikawa into the runnicipal court today. Mrs. Ralph M. Kirtland, president of the Women's Civic league of Malden, and a member of the Daughters of the Revolution, complained that it was shown at Ishikawa's novelty shop in the back bay.

To Tail of Toy Dog

Man Is Held

For Murder

Alliance Woman Is Charged
With Killing Former Omaha
Barber During Early Morn-

Billions for Four Years
Recommended.

Asks Luxury Act Repeal

Back bay.

The merchant admitted the fact, but pleaded that there was no intention to show disrespect for the Stars and Stripes. He was fined \$10 with an admonition to take from his stock any other offending articles.

Barber During Early Morning Quarrel.

Others May Be Involved

Washington, Dec. 8.—Immediate Screen School **Heads Charged** With Mail-Fraud

plaints of Students Who Paid \$10 Each, Hoping to Become Movie Stars.

Federal warrants were issued yes-

Raise Income Tax..

An increase from the present 4 per cent to 6 per cent in the tax on incomes of \$5,000 or less and from 8 per cent to 12 per cent in the tax on incomes between \$5,000 and \$10,000, the whole estimated to yield \$150.

940,000 annually.

A tax of 2 cents a gallon on gas-

A tax of 2 cents a gallon on gas-oline for motor cars and all other purposes, to yield \$90,000,000.

When announcement was made Tuesday night that no class would be held Wednesday night, they com-plained to the police and to Poet

his office and later conducted them found in his trunk were papers showto the office of the United States dis- ing that he was in army service with

H. S. Daniel Is Made Omaha Postmaster; Name Sent to Senate

The appointment of Herbert S. Daniel, acting postmaster, for a fouryear term as postmaster was sent to Policy Is Discussed the United States senate at Washington, D. C., yesterday for confirmation. At the same time the senate was asked to confirm the appointment of J. Guthrie Ludlam as postmaster at Lincoln. Ludlam was for several years assistant postmaster at Lincoln and later was secretary of the school board.

> "This must mean that the civi service commission found that stood highest in a number of applithe position in the summer," Daniel said yesterday.

ning. Prior to this appointment, rine. The vote was 315 to 7. practiced law in Omaha, served one year as city prosecutor, piece of legislation, a bill by Rep-was at one time United States commissioner in this district, served un-

Daniels Asks Conversion

Of Cruisers to Fuel Barges Washington, Dec. 8.-Conversion of the oil battleships, Alabama, package in terms of weight, measure Illinois, Kentucky and Wisconsin or numerical count. into fuel oil barages has been recommended to the house naval committee by Secretary Daniels who will appear before the committee to

Mr. Daniels said the battleships, now out of commission, could be

Over Half of Kansas Wheat

Crop in Hands of Farmers Topeka, Dec. 8 .- Growers now Kansas wheat production, approxi-mately 145,000,000 bushels, 53.4 per cent, or 77,466,727 bushels, is still in the hands of farmers, according to a special report is used by J. G. Mohler, secretary of the state

board of agriculture. Chief among the reasons given for the unusually large amount of wheat and car shortage.

See Page 7. FOR TODAY'S PICTURES OF MOVIE STARS YOU MAY WIN

Wife of Oil Man Is Held City 126 Years Old Asks Circuit Court to Revoke Its C' Louisville, Kr. Louisville, Kr

Alliance, Neb, Dec. 8.—(Special Telegram)—Despite the fact that she is charged with first degree murder and under constant guard at the city jail, and that at least two witnesses have declared they saw her shoot and kill Earl B. Anderson, 25, local With Wail-Fraud and kin Earl B. Anderson, 25, local barber, in the alley at the rear of a pool hall during the early morning hours, Mrs. Evelyn Priess McElhaney, 25 and pretty, maintains an plaints of Students Who Paid with the guard and newspaper men and spends most of her time lying on a cot in the dingy cell room. Her cot is drawn up in front of the door of the cell room and the door stands wide open all day, with a guard sitting just outside.

Grant of Auburn, Neb., and I. F. Biglow of Portland, Ore., operators of the Blackstone Film company, 36 Paxton block, with using the mails to defraud.

She refuses to discuss the case and refers all inquiries to her attorneys. She would neither affirm nor deny the report that she had said that "A lot of business men of this town had better watch their watch their said. er surtax rate to yield \$690,000,000.

An additional tax of 6 per cent on corporation incomes to yield \$465, 000,000.

Readjustment of surtax rates on incomes to yield an additional \$230, 000,000.

Abolishment of the \$2,000 exemption allowed corporations on income to yield \$58,000.

Raise Incomes 10 application of a high-to defraud.

The warrants were issued after company were lodged by seven young men and women, ambitious to succeed Theda Bara, Mildred Harris, Bill Hart and other screen stars, who after they had paid \$10 for the purpose of learning how to become screen stars, began to think their money hadn't been are the savernment of the report that she had said that "A lot of business men of this town had better watch their step if they send me over the road." This remark is alleged to have been made by her to friends shortly after the shooting. A prominent business man is said to have been in company of the woman at the time of the shooting. She is proprietress of the Wilson rooming house, which has had an anoney hadn't been are the road."

An autopsy was performed upon the body of Anderson but the bullet was not located. County Attorney Bassic says no inquest is necessary and the funeral is scheduled to be

held Thursday. Local authorities have been unable He is known to have come here from Lincoln several months ago. He worked for a short time as barber A federal license tax of 50 per office Inspector W. M. Coble.

Coble took Grant and Biglow to ployed recently. Among his effects A 10 per cent additional tax on the trical admissions to yield \$70,-000,000.

An additional tax of 25 cents per 1,000 on cigars to yield \$5,000,000.

An additional tax of 6 cents per pound on tobacco and snuff to yield \$8,000,000.

Raise Candy Tax.

An additional tax of 5 per cent An additional tax of 5 per cent additional tax of 5 per cent An addi

Some criticism has been made against local authorities for their alleged failure to take proper steps to locate Anderson's relatives and to further efforts to find them.

"Plug" Him Again. One man who was in the pool hall where Anderson was carried after the shooting declared he heard Mrs (Turn to Page Two, Column Four.)

House Passes Bill

Washington, Dec. 8.—The first legislative action of the house at this cants who took an examination for session was taken with the passage of a bill authorizing the president to issue medals of merit for dis-Daniel was appointed acting post-tinguished service performed during master April 21, a few days after the the world war by officers and men death of Postmaster Charles E. Fan- of the United States merchant ma-

The house passed as its second piece of legislation, a bill by Repman of the committee on agriculture, der the alien property custodian at Washington, D. C., during the war, ception of the public in the purchase and when a young man worked in of manufactured articles wrapped the postoffice at Norfolk, Neb. of greater size or quantity than the contents are by actual weight or volume. The bill would require that the quantity or the contents be plainly marked on the outside of the

Trustees of Co-Operative

Grocery Plan Indicted converted at a cost of \$6,000,000, or three trustees of the Co-operative Association of America, organized here in October for the announced purpose of opening 300 co-operative grocery stores in Missouri. The three men are Arthur Lees, Oscar H. Damon and Clifton C. Fitzpatrick of this city. Prospective pur-chasers, it was charged, were told The hearings on the tariff revision the trustees were to get 4 per cent of the profits, whereas the trust agreement provides that they receive per cent of the gross receipts.

The organization, it was explained, was not allied with similar ones in other states, and its principal pur-poses was "to bring down the high Mine Operators Determined cost of living."

Senate Committee to Probe

ion of the whole subject of the cable landings in the United States, and more particularly the disagreement the New York Wholesale Coal between the State department and Trade association, made public gy the Western Union Telegraph Co., the association, regarding the landing of a Barbados Mr. Dexter, who owns four mines. cable at Miami. Fla., will be started and who has just returned from the ernor of Oklahoma. Stanley is held December 15 by a sub-committee strike districts, said: of the senate interstate commerce "Less than 10 per cent of the committee. Senator Kellogg of miners have joined the union and by Minnesota, chairman, announced their morderous tactics they are atthat Norman H. Davis, under-secre- tempting to force the other 90 per tary of state and Newcomb Carl- cent to join their organization. Most ton, president of the Western Union, of the fighting is being done from ing company at Baytown, near here of graft preferred aganist members probably would be the first with ambush in traditional feudal fash on the ship channel, causing a loss of the city council. The entire coun-

Louisville, Kring a corresponding a corresponding to the long of t government revert to county control. A majority of the voters of the city, including women, signed the paper, declaring that alleged high municipal taxes led them to take the step. About 700 persons, including Henry Watterson, famous journalist, line in the city.

ive in the city. League Plans for **New Committees** Bitterly Scored

Canadian Says Proposed Organizations Would Be Controlled by Politicians of European Countries.

Geneva, Dec. 8.—(By The Associated Press.)—Plans proposed for the formation of the technical organizations of the league of nations, dealing with finance, health and transportation, were sharply attacked at today's session of the league's assembly by Newton Wesley Rowell, former president of the ey Rowell, former president of the

Canadian privy council.

These plans, the Canadian ex-minister contended, tended to take such organizations out of the hands of he assembly, which should control them, and throw them under the influence of Europe through the im-possibility of the non-European na-tions sending their best men to three or four conferences annually.

"Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the sod in Europe is the price Canada has paid for the European statesmanship which has drenched the continent in blood," Mr. Rowell exclaimed. The Canadian ex-minister's ener-

getic intervention in the debate took the assembly by surprise. Most of to locate any of Anderson's relatives. the European delegates gave no signs of recovery from their astonishment as the Canadian delegate concluded, but he was warmly ap-plauded from all the other benches. Debate on the subject had been opened by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen of Norway. It was based on the report

mobiles (other than trucks and wagons) and motorcycles and motor car accessories to yield \$100,000,000.

A 10 per cent additional tax on the activation of the common of the committee on technical organizations. Dr. Nansen insisted charged at Camp Dodge on February and Biglow advertised in Omaha newspapers for prospective movie the atrical admissions to yield \$70,
The office of the United States dissembled trick and trick attorney, where warrants were company Eight, second battalion, of the committee on technical organizations. Dr. Nansen insisted charged at Camp Dodge on February in these organizations by countries old was found from Harry F. Slack, not members of the league. He

announce the funeral before making President-Elect Begins Actual Constructive Work for

tion trip to the tropics, President-elect Harding was ready to begin actual constructive work on the poli-Authorizing Medals

For Heroic War Acts

The first legThe first eroment and common understanding had been furthered by his talks with republican leaders and that his canvass of sentiment regarding an association of nations had been particularly encouraging.

The work done in Washington was purely preliminary, however, and at least some of the senators with whom he discussed foreign affairs will come to Marion later to take part in the league conferences that are to begin early next week. Meantime, consultations about selections for the cabinet will continue, and it is not probable that the final list of appointments to Mr. Harding's official family will-be complete much before inauguration day.

Tariff Revision First

Washington, Dcc. 8 .- Revision of the tariff will be one of the first things sought at the extra session of St. Louis, Dec. 8.—A indictment Harding is expected to call immedicharging misrepresentation in the ately after his inauguration, Chairsale of stock was returned against man Fordney of the house ways and means committee said today after a conference of the republican members of the committee to decide on a legislative program for this session. Changes in the tax laws also will be considered by the committee before the Christmas recess of the

> will begin on January 6. Chairman Fordney said it was planned to begin actual drafting of fired. the new tariff bill as soon as the spe-cial session of congress convened, probably in mid-March.

To Fight Striking Miners

New York, Dec. 8 .- Coal operators in Alabama and Mingo county, Cable Landing Squabble West Virginia, are determined to Washington, Dec. 8 .- Investiga- fight the striking miners in those regions "to a finish," said a statement by George Dexter, director of

Britain May Ask Norfolk Dealers United States to

Bonar Law Declares Government Considering Asking U. S. to Take Official Notice of Activities.

London; Dec. 8 .- (By the Asso-Work on Policies ciated Press.)—The British govern- jective of those waging the war. ment is considering whether it will request the United States govern-cents, and later to 16½ cents. Marion, O., Dec. 8.—With his return to Marion today from his vacation trip to the tropice. Provided the packers are doing it. I don't even have to worry about the delicentary to the tropice.

ponse to questions. Horatio Bottomley, liberal, later asked whether the time had not arrived when Great Britain should American government that any fur- direct from farmers, state that they ther toleration of De Valera and the are beginning to feel the result of conferring on him of municipal honors was an unfriendly act. This was greeted by cries of "no."

Mr. Bonar Law answered: think there is no doubt that we would, from the diplomatic point of view, have the right to take the course suggested, but it is not a question of a right but of what is expedient."

Witnesses Repeat

Oscar Kost and Margaret Peterson were the only two witnesses examined yesterday morning in the are steadily declining, owing to the trial of Ernest Borwick, son of low price of stock on the hoof. H. Borwick, Council Blufis mer-chant, indicted for second de-gree murder of Leo Holfaster rapid bacon, 30 cents; pork chops Thing Up to Harding during an altercation over a section of the Lincoln highway beat ween Honey Creek and Loveland last spring.

last spring.

Both of these substantiated the testimony given by previous witnesses. None of those examined so far have expressed any recollection of seeing the monkeywrench, which was found by the dead body of oung Holzfaster, in anyone's hands luring the altercation. thot Holzfaster in self-defense,

running board of his car, beat or strike him over the head and direct the car over a ditch into an alfalfa field just as the fatal shot was

Burlington Will Issue Checks Before Christmas

Wymore, Neb., Dec. 8.—(Special.) The Burlington has issued an order to all timekeepers that the time rolls for the first half of December must be made in time to pay all employes before Christmas. Requisition Honored.

Oklhoma City, Okl., Dec. 8.

Requisition for the return to Calfornia of John Stanley, wanted at resno for grand larceny, was honored by R. L. Davidson, acting gov-

Fire Destroys Dock. this afternoon destroyed the 800-foot city and is under instructions to condock of the Humble Oil and Refin- duct an investigation of allegations of \$200,000

at Enid, Okl.

Step On Throttle, Launch Meat War You Screen Fans,

Norfolk, Neb., Dec. 8 .- (Special.) -A meat war is on in Norfolk. The independent dealers in dressed In The Bee.

beef and hogs are said to be the ob-Dressed hogs started at 18 cents de-Movie Star Contest. fans. American friendship, to take official notice of the anti-British activities in America and Professor Eamonn a pound," one retailer and respectively.

pearing daily in The Bee. made today by Andrew Bonar Law We are going to sell United States begin with a copy of today's Bee. In the House of Commons in re- inspected hogs, dressed for that You still have a chance to win any price. We are going to tell the peoof the prizes.

ple they won't have to take any chances of buying diseased hogs." Independent dealers, who have make serious representations to the been slaughtering hogs purchased by their eyes, lips, nose or hair. Remember, follow these simple the pressure brought against them. They declare that they have purchased hogs which were in the best of condition for slaughtering purchased through the war test Editor, Omaha Bee."

Place YOUR name and NUM
Place YOUR name and NUM-

ing the past few months. The outbreak of cholera in the southern part of the country, it is declared by some of these independent dealers to have something to do with warnings to meat consumers to buy United States inspected hogs. Testimony In Trial are scheduled for another slump during the last part of this week, according to information received by some of the retailers who are admitting prices of all classes of meats

"Trench of Bayonets"

ency downward.

Dedicated at Verdun Verdun, Dec. 8.-Dedicatory ceremonies of the simplest character were held here at the monument The defense will argue Borwick erected to preserve the famous "Trench of the Bayonets." This claiming Holzfaster did climb on the monument, which is over a trench in which was entombed a battalion of French soldiers during the great struggle here in 1916, was made possible by a gift of 500,000 francs, by George F. Rand of Buffalo, N. Y, who was killed in an airplane ac-cident in England last December, his son assuming the obligation Hugh · C. Wallace, American ambassador, made the presentation

President Millerand, in a simple address, told the story of the "Trench of the Bayonets." He emphasized the fact that the French poilu made it possible to hold out and to endure to the hour when the word that will stand as the final verdict in history was heard from across the Atlantic

Ex-Jap Minister of Foreign Affairs Made Tokio Mayor

Tokio, Dec. 8.-Baron Goto, at one time Japanese foreign minister. Houston, Tex., Dec. 8.-A fire has been appointed mayor of this cil recently resigned.

Which Appear Each Day

It's a humdinger, The Bee's \$100

correctly the photos of film stars ap-If you havent entered the coptest,

If you know movie stars when you see them on the screen, you'll have no trouble recognizing their photos

poses and have sold over 100 dressed BERS of stars' photos on outside of hogs to people in this vicinity dur-

envelope Send all coupons within three days of publication. Employes of The Bee and their families are barred from the contest. So step right ahead, movie fans.

look closely at the photos and use your wits. Don't let any peculiar pose of the stars phase you. Stick with the ship and cast out your anchor for one of

Peace Commission to Paris Spent \$1,651,191

Washington, Dec. 8 .- A special message giving the complete ex-penses of the American peace commission during its work abroad was transmitted to the senate today by President Wilson.

Total expenditures amounted to \$1,651,191.09 from December 1, 1918, to December 4, 1920. The amount actually paid out was \$1,703,712.06, but repayments and gains in ex-change reduced this by \$52,520.97.

Bankers Agree to Carry

Loans on Stock Cattle Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 8.-Bankers have confidence in the live stock industry of the southwest and will carry stock cattle loans at reasonable rates, under an agreement reached at a conference between local bankers and officers of the Tenth federal reserve bank, it was announced today. It is not the intention of bankers to force liquidation of stock cattle and further loans will be granted in

The Weather

Thursday fair; not much change declared he will take no further Forecast. in temperature. Hourly Temperature.

Question of Farm Aid Up Friday

Men Behind Move for Revival Of War Finance Corporation to Demand Early Action by Congress.

Flood of Bills Continues

Washington, Dec. 8.—Proponents of legislation to revise the was finance corporation and thereby afford relief to farmers confronted by falling prices plan to call up their measure in the senate Friday and ask for its immediate passage. Sen-ator Gronna, republican, North Dakota, in charge of the resolution,

gave this notice today in asking that the senate let the matter go over until the latter date. Supporters of the proposed leg-islation said they had received assurance that senate leaders would not oppose the measure which can be brought before the senate either by unanimous consent or by ma-

jority vote. While farm relief legislation was being temporarily postponed in the senate, the flood of bills to extend relief to the farmers continued in the house. Among the various measures was a bill by Representative Strong, republican, Kansas, to direct the committee on banking and currency to investigate what legislation would be necessary to permit the "proper financing" of farmers and stock raisers.

Relief for Cotton Men. Relief for Cotton Men.

Representative Lee, democrat, Georgia, put in a bill authorizing the federal reserve board to take action necessary to extend liberal credits to cotton farmers, while Representative Baer, republican, North Dakota, reintroduced his measure which would prohibit gambling in foodstuffs and speculation in stocks and bonds. Representative Garaway, democrat, Arkansas, offered a bill to prevent the sale of cotton and grain in future markets.

Printing of testimony taken in hearings before the agricultural committee was ordered rushed to completion today, so as to be in the hands of senators when the measure comes up. The committee resumed Oust De Valera
Independent Dealers in Fresh Pork Being Driven From Market—Prices Drop.

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Urges German Credit. W. W. Brauer, another witness who claimed to represent the German government, urged the extension of \$1,000,000,000 credit to Germany for the purchase of foodstuffs and raw materials from America. He said that under the Versailles treaty Germany, in agreement with the allies, could make such a credit a first mortgage and give it priority over all reparation claims. Conversations have been already carried on between Germany and England, and Italy and Belgium with the purpose of securing such permission, Mr.

Brauer said. Members of the committee, howbelieve congress would vote such extension of credit to Germany and he then suggested that it might be arranged through the war finance

Sentenced to Prison For Manslaughter

Kearney, Neb., Dec. 8. - (Special Telegram.)-One to 10 years in the state penitentiary is the sentence imposed upon Harvey Graham, mar-shal of the village of Gibbon, for shooting and killing Lorton Murray a month ago. Graham pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter and a large crowd gathering at the court room expecting to hear a sen-sational fight with prospect of learn-in some motive for the shooting, was disappointed.

St. Louis Bond Embezzler

Captured in Washington Spokane, Wash, Dec. 8.—Arthur Bennett Smith, in custody of detec-tives who arrested him at Ione, Wash., is expected to leave today for St. Louis to answer to charges of the theft of bonds of the American Railway Express company. He spent last night with detectives in a

ocal hotel. Smith declared to interviewers here that he has spent all the money realized from the sale of \$15,000 worth of the bonds. He said he had told the officers where the securities were sold and that they have been

Women Request Pardon

Of Lad Sentenced to Death Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8.-Women of the east and west have taken an interest in Nicholas Viana, 19, the "songbird" of the Cardinelli gang, who is to hang in Chicago Friday, and have addressed more than twoscore letters to Governor Lowden asking that he grant a "mother's" request and pardon the boy. Letters were received from Pittsburgh and

Army Flyer Killed.

Riverside, Cal., Dec. 8.-Captain Roy L. Noggle, formerly of Honolulu, was killed at March field, near here today, when an army airplane he was piloting fell 400 feet. He Shippers' Bulletin.

Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North and west, 25 degrees. east and south, 30 degrees.