Recognition of Government of

Document Presented to Obregon Merely Written Guarantee for American Protection and Property.

Mexico City, May 31.-Developments in the negotiations between President Obregon and George T. Summerlin, American charge d'affaires, relative to the memorandum of the American State department, have reached a stage where it is freely predicted here, that recognition of the present government by the United States is possible within

It is known the memorandum presented by the charge to the president yesterday was in such form that the president could, by his personal signature, make recognition by the United States virtually assured.
It is also known that the docu-

which may be signed by President Obregon, is merely a written guarantee that certain requests of the United States will be complied with. Chief among these is ample protection for American lives and property in Mexico. The State department is under-

stood to champion no special American interests, but in a broad and general way to have suggested that safety guarantees for all must precede recoognition. Such guarantees are said to be not only for physical protection but for property rights, President Obregon has emphasized that it is impossible for him to sign anything reflecting on the national honor or derogatory to na-tional pride, and from high officials it is learned that if the president does sign a guarantee it will be in such form as not to offend the sus-

Washington, May 30.—Official comment was withheld tonight on the possibility of early recognition of the government of Mexico should President Obregon sign the memorandum presented to him by George . Summerlin, American charge

ceptibilites of the Mexican people.

d'affaires, at Mexico City. The memorandum was taken to Mexico City by Mr. Summerlin last week, after he had discussed the question with Secretary Hughes and is understood to have asked for as-Americans and their property will be safeguarded in Mexico.

Haywood Breaks Into Russian Newspaper

Riga, May 31.—(By The Associated Press.)—To the hungry millions of Moscow and Russia, generally, William D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the Industrial Workers of the World, who recently fled from the United States to Russia, through a two-column/interview printed by the Pravda, pictures the United States as a place where po-United States as a place where portate of the Miners-tato fields, apple orchards, rice plan-tato fields, apple orchards, rice plan-ville cemetery here, H. S. Bengough, counsel for Mrs. Leflang's husband, liberately allowed to rot because of 80, past senior vice department com- had discovered a home that could "a capitalistic conspiracy to hold up mander of post 157, G. A. R., was be rented for \$37.50 a month, prices and starve the working man stricken blind and groping for as-

America, he says, s is passing through its greatest economic crists, due to "the vast conspiracy of a group of capitalists against the working class."

"From all sides in America," he which the address had been written, which the address had been written, and the says of the says o

working class."
"From all sides in America," he that the capitalists of the United States, who are the owners of the land and industrial undertakings, are as ready to destroy the workmen for their own benefit as to destroy nature's bounties."

No Longer Will Bryan Do Voting in Nebraska Libertys Slump Again.

New York, May 31.-Liberty 31/ per cent (tax exempt) bonds dropped to \$87.50, their lowest quotation on the stock exchange today. Other issues of that group also were heavy.

Officers Must Walk Beats:

Members of the police department who are assigned to walk beats will be expected to walk their beats, ac-cording to Police Commissioner Dunn.
"Wandering a mile or so away

from their beats is not going to be allowed," said the commissioner. Charges were filed yesterday morning by Chief of Police Dempwright and J. P. Phalen, the former being charged with neglect to patrol his beat, and the latter with being off his beat without leave.

Bandits Interrupt Study of Astronomy by Man and Girl

Fifteenth street, went motoring Monday night in Fontenelle park glad to know that my control of the park with a lady friend

with a lady friend.

A study in astronomy was interrupted shortly by the appearance of three masked bandits.

They took \$50 from Gosch, re proved him severely for keeping the young lady out so late and ordered him to take her home immediately. He did it in nothing flat he told

Fire Discovered on Board

U. S. Ship at Buenos Aires Buenos Aires, May 31.—(By The Associated Press.)—Fire broke out this morning on board the United States shipping board steamer, Martha Washington, but the blaze was quickly extinguished. The cause of the fire is not known.

The strike of longshoremen continues, but the employment of non-union labor is increasing in the port area, which is being guarded by mili- Man Leaves Court Room

Al Woods Says Chicago to

Be Theater Producing Center

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago will become a theatrical producing center according to plans announced last night by Al Woods, in connection with the opening of a new theater. the Apollo. With three that are here Wood plans to start producing in Chicago next fall,

Max Blau, 811 North Twenty-sixth street, brought about the arrest of J. B. Kaplan, 1467 North Sixteenth street, Sunday.

Yesterday in Central police court Blau pleaded with Judge Wappich and County Attorney Kubat to drop the case. They did and Kaplan was released.

Blau, arm in arm with his wife, left the court room "to start all over again"

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"Flo" Leeds Says Stillman Continues to Call on Her

Mexico Is Near Former "Century Roof Chicken," on Visit to Beauty Parlor, Grows Talkative and Declares "Jay Is Parked in An Apartment With a Nurse

> New York, May M .- "Flo" Leeds, 5 the central figure in the "affirmative defense" of Mrs. "Fifi" Potter Stillman against the divorce suit of her husband, is back on Broadway. Hiding in the heart of the tender-

loin, the former "chicken on the Century roof," for whom James A. Stillman expended thousands of dollars, has eluded until today all attempts of newspaper men to find her. But today she revealed the story of her life in hiding. "The kid is parked out in the

country with a nurse and I have been in and out of town 50 times in the last couple_of months," she said. "But everybody's been asleep Nobody's been hep to me.

Has Two "Love Nests."

She went on to mention two new love nests," one in the heart of the tenderloin and the other in a lonely part of a fashionable suburb where only a nurse looks after the wants of little Jay Ward Leeds, alleged son of James A. Stillman.

In her trips in and out of the city she disclosed she has resorted to a simple disguise-a blonde wig which she slips easily over her bobbed titian hair. She was forced to have her hair bobbed because the frequent applications of henna, which transformed her from a brunette, had rendered her hair brittle.

"This stuff about my being out of into the vernacular of the old days the city is bunk, she went on of the "chicken chorus." She re-I come to New York when- counted the story of her recent ever I feel like it. But nobody has movements. got wise. Why, I've been staying in an apartment in the --- " and she named an apartment in the heart of he theater district.

Out Riding With Stillman.
"Isn't it a scream? Why, only Leeds countered. "Why, I see him Monday night Jay (her name for regularly. I've lunched with him at Mr. Stillman) and I were stopped golf clubs. on the — road (naming a w.ll "I always meet him outside. That's known motor highway) for skidding easy with 1,000,000 taxis in New along too fast in the car. Heaven York and he doesn't mind coming help us if we had been pinched."

These disclosures regarding the parked. He hasn't been scared by recent movements of Mrs. Leeds all these charges and newspaper excame as the result of a recent visit plosions. she made to the Gertrude Beauty surances by President Obregon that shop near the corner of Forty-eighth that she uses for disguise. She exstreet and Seventh avenue. The pressed envy of her friend's shop is frequented by actresses, chourus girls and the attractive chourus girls and the attractive young women hangers-on of Broad-like that, "she said. "It's falling out in bunches. "But it's all in a life-

When "Flo" Leeds dropped into time and I guess I'm lucky I've got the little shop last Wednesday after-noon she was recognized by an old And then "Flo" started away friend. The pair began to talk and from the shop.

Civil War Veteran Attorney Unable to Is Stricken Blind

Pittsburgh. May 31.—Just as he spoke the words "four score and seven years ago," during the Meson of the Miners of sistance, was taken from the speak-America, he says, s is passing er's platform and to his home where

adds, "one can be easily convinced he pulled down the peak of his cap, as though to shield his eyes. As he repeated the first six words of the address, Bengough reeled as though struck by a bullet.
"I am blind! I can't see," he cried

League Secretariat Has

Kept Within Limits of Role Geneva, May 31.—(By The Associated Press.)—The committee appointed by the assembly of the league of nations to inquire into the organization of the secretariat of the league and the international labor bureau has completed its report which

is considered highly favorable. The report finds that the secretariat seems to have kept within the had a meeting of chiefs for a week. limits of the role of an inner organ-Charges Filed Against Two clared, has conceived a rational plan and had obtained results, justifying the expenditure by the members of

To dminish the expense attendant on meetings and conferences, however, the committee considers that and untiring co-operation between all meetings of, or arising from, the league should be held in Geneva.

He's Glad His Car Makes 69 Not So Glad to Pay the Fine

"Too much speed," cost Robert "Bob" O'Dell, auto salesman, \$25 in Central police court yesterday. Sergeant George Emery told Judge Wappich that O'Dell was traveling 69 miles an hour from ifty-second and Dodge streets to

and I just proved it."

O'Dell said he was not so glad to

Exempted Alien Enemies

pay the fine.

In Naturalization Court "Presidential exceptions" from alien enemy classification will be heard for the first time since the war, at the coming naturalization court to be held by Judge Sears the week, beginning June 7. More than 500 cases will be heard.

who applied for their first citizenship papers within a year before was was declared, April 6, 1917.

Arm in Arm With Wife Max Blau, 811 North Twenty-sixth

The Bee's Short Story

By ELLA RANDALL PEARCE. I'll have to go to the store myself. That's the worst of being poor. I've scimped on the goods, and I must be my own dressmaker and maid

ON THE TRAIL OF

CLARINE

and dear knows what!"
"But you'll look as fine as the rest," said her mother with a fond glance at her daughter's radiant blond beauty. 'It was so good o Mrs. Tweed-Biggers o invite you.' 'It was so good of "To sing for her guests, yes," said Clarine with a little grimace.

'I wouldn't be of any account if I weren't amusing, you know." She tucked the sample of turquoise silk in her handbag and, wrapped in be the young man's arm. a long coat and veil, ran down the stairs and out into the crisp winter air. In her haste she found herself in the track of an auto at the first crossing; and, as she drew back, her heel slipped on the frosted curb and she sat down suddenly.

Struggling to rise, she was conscious that a tall masculine form was bending over her, and she caught dress?" he asked casually. involuntarily at an outheld hand.

"You were sitting down when I man saucily. But his next words

were politely dignified. "Can I assist you to your home?" "I don't want to go home," said Clarine, "If I could get to the "Try a few steps," encouraged the

man, offering his arm. They walke i along slowly. Clarine could see her escort, but she felt secure herseif behind her shrouding coat and veil. man seriously.

The young man hailed a car and took a seat beside her. And when thoughts were busy. She did not Biggars deeply chagrined. Not only district court. Lynch was given a

store, already crowded with shop-

Clarine thanked him, said good-bye and went in to attend to her errand. When she limped to the store's front "I'm short of material," announced entrance there was the young man Clarine, frowning in vexation, "And waiting for her. Clarine's pulses quickened as he drew near.

"I thought you said good-bye," she said pettishly, trying to throw a haughty accent into her tones and failing because of a sudden desire to laugh

"It was you who said good-bye," he reminded her, I wanted to see

how your foot held out." "It's all right," declared Clarine. And at that moment some one jostled her and threw her weight on the hurt foot. She gave a low exclamation and grasped the nearest support at hand, which proved to

"That's right. Hold on," he told "I'm glad to be of service to Now do you want a car or

"A cab, please," replied the girl meekly.

He helped Clarine into the wait-

"I'll give the directions myself," Clarine leaned against a nearby post. "I think I am. At least my foot feels queer. I imagine I sat on it."

And I couldn't leaned clarine. Then, as the words seemed sharp, she added more friendlily; "I thank you for your kindness. My errand today was quite important. And I couldn't answered Clarine. Then, as the of denying everything.

first saw you," replied the young the young man, so earnestly that he mysterious stranger disappeared as could not be considered impudent. surprisingly as he had come. Mrs. "You must remember you have the advantage over me. You would know me if we should meet again.

"My dear child," said her And I sincerely hope we will."

> concealing veil. "Won't you give me a clew to ine's manner was haughty. "He is your identity?" persisted the young an acquaintance of mine. A gentle-

the car stopped in front of her des- want this stranger, interesting as he because the stranger had been a retination he alighted and assisted her seemed to her, to know her name or porter instead of a guest, but be-to the doors of the department address. An impish spirit took pos-

"I'll give you a clew," she said gayly, and placed something in his hand. "Here's a sample of the gown I'm going to wear tomorrow night. Find me and you may claim

The taxi whiled away, and the young man was left staring at a tiny bit of turquoise silk with an odd design in silver thread. "Find me and

sweet, tantalizing voice. "By George, we'll see if I'm to be mocked like this!" The young man smiled sardonically as he dropped the silk sample in his pocket and mingled with the busy crowd.

you may claim a dance," echoed a

The next evening while Mrs. Tweed-Biggars' orchestra was in full play a radiant Clarine in gown of turquoise silk, threaded in silver, as passport, I finally reached the of the divorce courts. All husbands home of Mrs. Tweed-Biggars. But in love with their wives. compliments as though both were while dancing, I saw a familiar face her daily portion. Her foot was a in the crowd and feared complicatrifle stiff, but she managed to take tions for us both. So I ran away, part in the dancing; and it was nearly But—may I not see you again? part in the dancing; and it was nearly But-may I not see you again? midnight when she found herself Please! alone. Then the sound of a man's

voice made her start. "I have come to claim my dance," Miss Forbes." Clarine looked at the bit of blue

and silver silk a man's hand was ing taxi at the curb. "What ad- holding before her, then into the steady eyees that sear hed her face. And she gave up her first wild idea line read, "First Tuesdays." Her next dance was the most en-

joyable of the evening. When it was over she would question her Tenney. quite important. And I couldn't escort, thought the agitated young have gone on without your help."

"Don't I deserve a reward?" asked

But, at the end of the dance, the

> Tweed-Biggars broke in upon Clar-"My dear child," said her hostess in a shocked whisper. Do you know

"What-er-why should we?" stam- you were dancing with one of the mered Clarine, blushing behind her newspaper reporters? "Who? Oh, yes, why not?" Clar-

was. Evidently he had appeared merely to punish her for her challenging jest of the day before the session of her. She dipped into her and she did not even know who he lenging jest of the day before. But the pleasure of that brief meeting remained a haunting bitter-sweet

Next day by messenger a letter came to Clarine, solving the seem-

ing mystery.
"My Dear Miss Forbes: An apology is due you for 'my seeming presumption of last evening. But I took up your challenge because

wanted to see you again. With the trifling clews I had, the search was begun. I presumed you lived in the neighborhood where I presumed you first saw you. A fashionable friend of mine informed me what ceremonious affairs were on the carpet for the time you mentioned.

soft flush on her cheeks, a tender light in her eyes. card from her desk, where beneath the engraved names of Mrs. Sidney Forbes and Miss Clarinda Forbes a

Mother Pleads for Son Who

standing beside you I would like to are. teenth and Grace streets, who was criminal. theft of some clothing.

similar sentence.

Promises Aid To Dan Cupid

Declares Day of Old Maid Is Ended and Cobwebs Will Soon Grow Over Divorce Court Door. Chicago, May 31.-The day of the

old maid has ended. Leap year is going to be an every night event With a borrowed reporter's badge after this, Cobwebs over the doors This was the romantic rainbow

ing and coloring, director of applied science at the Nelar research lab-Yours in Penitence, ELBERT TENNEY." science at the Netar research aboratories in Cleveland, who is in Clarine meditated a moment, a Chicago to attend the forty-fourth convention of the National Electric Light association, which meets tomorrow. "It's all a matter of psychologi-

cal illumination," said Dr. Luckiesh. And A tongue-tied suitor, an impatient mischievously she added a message of her own:

maid—and then click! she turns on the caressing blue-white lights pre-"At home especially to Mr. Elbert viously arranged in the lamp on the library table. It's all over but the wedding march. The young man succumbs to the mysticism of the artificial moonlight; he says things Is Held on Burglary Charge he could not unloosen under the or-"If it wasn't for your old mother dinary harsh lights-and there you

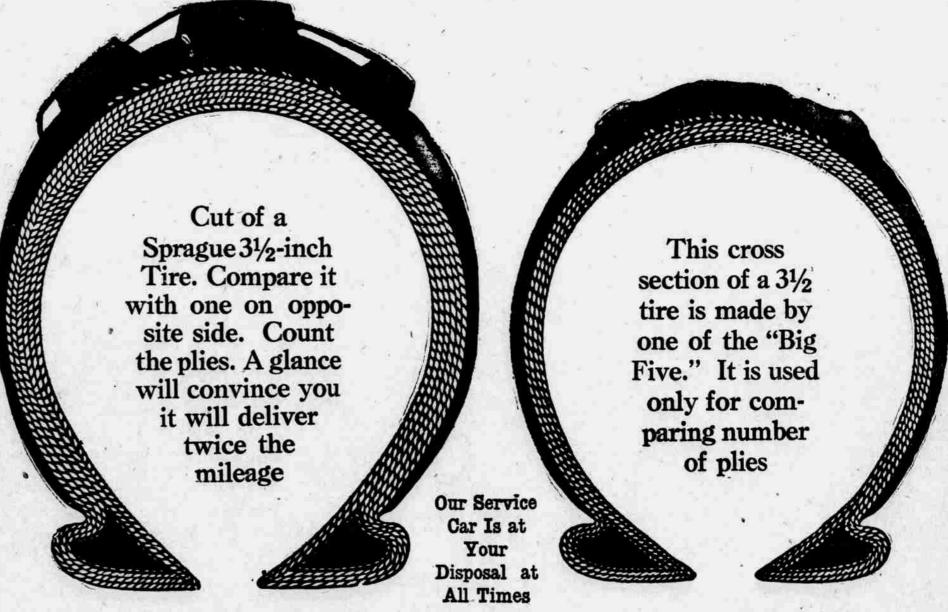
see you in the penitentiary," Judge Wappich told Richard White, Six- ordinary American home are, well, No wonder there are so arrested with John Lynch, Thirty-fifth and Jones street, for the alleged children, callous husbands. I venture to predict that when house-While the mother was pleading for wives have their homes illuminated another chance for her son, Wappich with satisfying light-instead of the gave White 30 days in the county usual irritating glare—that divorces jail instead of holding him to the will be reduced materially."

Dr. Luckiesh says that an ordinary electric globe given a delicate The men have been arrested twice yellow tint will give a candle-light

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died leaving 40 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. He had

the class; Ira Kenneth Evans, Co-lumbus; Robert E. Lund, Columbus, and Andrew D. Mapes, Norfolk.

Find House for \$37.50

After waiting almost an hour for Mr. Kinsler's appearance they decided he had failed to find the house. Judge Sears fixed 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon as the time for the hearing. Mrs. Leflang is striving to have the \$300 separate maintenance granted her raised. In arguing against such an increase Mr. Kinsler offered to find her a home that could be rented for \$37.50.

Mrs. Leeds inadvertently dropped

Sees Him Regularly.

"Well, I hope your friend isn't

"I always meet him outside. That's

"Flo" was wearing the blonde wig

like most men-ready to leave you

flat," commented the friend.

luxuriant tresses.

Frisco Police Chief Says

He Is Strong for Omaha During the city council meeting yesterday morning Mayor James C. Dahlman called upon Daniel J. O'Brien, chief of police of San Fran-

cisco, to say a few words. "I have been away from home since April 23 on official business," said the Golden Gate chief, "and I wish to state that the only place where I tarried longer than at Omaha was at New York City, where we "I am impressed with the manner in which your new police administra-tion is starting off. In this day of

fast-working criminals there is need to standardize police methods among the cities and also a need for close co-operation between the departments. It is only by unselfish members of a police department and between the departments of the various cities that we may obtain the best results."

Five Omaha Boys Receive Military School Diplomas

Boonvolle, Mo., May 31.—Five Omaha boys were in a graduating class of 97 at Kemper Military school, who received graduating certificates today. They are Joseph P. Cleland, son of Mr. Effie R. Cleland, 4030 Nicholas street; Roland W. Colwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Colwell, 3229 Woolworth avenue; George H. Lathrop, nephew of D. M. Davis, 5110 Underwood avenue; Claubert M. Combs, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Combs, 219 North Forty-eighth street; and William Wallace, son of Mrs. Kennard Wallace, Fairacres. The fotlowing Nebraska boys were also in

Germany Completes First Reparations Payment

Paris, May 31 .- (By The Associated Press.)—Germany Monday com-pleted payment of the 1,000,000 gold marks due as the first payment on reparations under the peace treaty when 20 German treasury notes equivalent to 850,000,000 gold marks were handed to the reparations commission by the special courier of the German government who brought the notes from Berlin. Germany a few days ago made a first payment of 150,000,000 gold