Irish Situation Takes Sensational Turn When De Valera Decides to Call Dail Ereann for Meeting.

By The Associated Press London, Aug. 4.—The Irish situa-tion took a sensational turn today when it was announced in Dublin that Eamon De Valera and his associates had decided to summon a full meeting of the Irish Republican Parliament to consider the British government's Irish peace proposals. The Dail Ereann will convene Tuesday, August 16, the Irish Bul-letin, the official republican organ, announced tonight.

It has been reported in Dublin that the Dail Ereann would not be sum-moned until Ulster's attitude had been learned, but coincident with the calling of a meeting of this body come conflicting reports from Dublin and Belfast concerning Ulster's po-

In Dublin it is reported that Ulster has been sounded and has returned an answer unfavorable to the Sinn Fein overtures.

Cabinet Discusses Plan.

A dispatch to the Evening News from Belfast today asserts that the Ulster cabinet at this morning's meeting discussed an invitation from the Dail Ereann to Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, asking him to attend a conference in Dublin with a view to determining Ulster's It adds that there is no possibility, however, of another meeting between Sir James and Mr. De Valera in Dublin, although the Ulster premier is willing to meet the re-publican leader with Premier Lloyd George in London.

Out of various conflicting reports, however, arises the outstanding fact that the Republican Parliament is to meet, which is taken to mean un-doubtedly that Mr. De Valera will give a reply to Mr. Lloyd George in the immediate future.

Will Release Prisoners.

The call for the meeting of the Parliament, with all members present, involves the release from prison of 25 members of this body, and it has been declared the government is willing to facilitate their attendance. The belief had been expressed among the Irish leaders that there was no use in summoning the Parliament until the attitude of Ulster had been finally defined The inference in political circles

London Uninformed. Official quarters in London know of no communications having been passed between De Valera and the northern cabinet, but it was understood from another source that Premier Lloyd George, after con-

here, therefore, is that the answer of

Ulster has been received.

The British cabinet already had reached a decision regarding the release of members of the Dail imprisoned or in detention camps, and it is understood that Dublin castle is free to release them as it thinks Members who have been on the run are understood to have returned to their homes in order that they may receive their summons.

Portion of Mail Loot Recovered

Pouch Stolen From North Wood River, Ill., Found In Cornfield.

St. Louis, Aug. 4 .- An unopened mail pouch containing part of the money obtained by three bandits who early today held up Tommy Feraldo, postoffice messenger at North Wood River, Ill., was found in a cornfield near Peters, Ill., 10 miles from the scene. The pouch containing the money

was found by Chief of Police Clark of Granite City, Ill., after he had been searching the cornfield for trace of the bandits since noon. The pouch was hidden under tangled vines within several hundred yards of where a stolen automobile used by the robbers was found. Early reports were that the total

amount taken would reach \$60,000. Advices from officials of the First State and Savings bank and the First National bank at North Wood River, to which the money was being sent by the St. Louis Federal Reserve bank, however, were that \$46,000 was the total of the consignments. Contents of two other rifled pouches found near the abandoned

utomobile, however, were unknown. The robbery occurred shortly after 7 o'clock this morning. Feraldo had just taken a number of pouches of mail from a Cincinnati, Chicago, Cleveland & St. Louis train arriving from St. Louis, loaded them into a push cart, and with his 14-year-old son, started to the postoffice, three blocks away. Three men jumped rom an automobile a short distance from the station and covering him with revolvers, selected three of the mail pouches and drove away. Quickly organized posses searched the surrounding country, finding the abandoned automobile about noon and the hidden pouch shortly before

Freight Traffic Through

Sault Ste. Marie Canals Off ious "Pauline, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 4 .-Freight passing through the American and Canadian canals here during July totalled approximately 4,000,000 tons less than for the same month last year, according to the monthly tonnage report. The traffic aggregated 8,138,583 tons. The greatest decrease in freight tonnage was in ore shipments, 4,356,760 tons, or less than half the amount carried eastward in July, 1920, being hauled This, however, was an increase of 1,000,000 tons over June

Coal, grain and lumber shipments were heavier than a year ago. The unable to secure the \$50,000 bonds increase in lumber shipments were required. "Big Tim" Murphy has "Very truly y 3,000,000 feet, the total for last month being 36,414,000 feet,

Irish Lad Prays for Peace



An Irsh lad reciting the Rosary, while perched above the awaiting crowd in Downing street, London, during Eamonn DeValera's first con-ference with Premier Lloyd George. Thousands knelt in the street and prayed for peace.

K. of C. to Spend \$2,500,000 For **Ex-Soldier Aid**

Men in Government Hospitals To Be Provided With Comforts and Recreation

By Lodge.

San Francisco, Aug. 4.-Announcement that the Knights of ferring with Sir James in London Columbus would expend approxi-this week, sent a message to Mr. mately \$2,500,000 on hospitalization De Valera which might account for work for disabled ex-service men, was made at the final session of Columbus convention here by Su-preme Secretary William J. Mc-

"This decision has been reached following an arrangement with the United States public health service, whereby the Knights of Columbus will go into government military and marine hospitals to provide the disabled men with comforts and recmaintain such vocational training

Knights of Columbus secretaries, experienced in war work, will be attached to the larger hospitals. The Knights, Mr. McGinley added,

will continue their 500 college and university courses during the forthcoming year, and the chain of 132 tional schools for veterans and civilians also will be maintained.

It was also announced that the aid of Maurice Egan, former United the public mind on these corporate States minister to Denmark, Dr. James J. Walsh and Conde B. Palen of New York would be enlisted n promoting the Knights of Columbus celebration of the centennial will be asked to deliver lectures in principal cities throughout the coun-

Chicago Man Believed Back of Bluffs Robbery

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Warsaw, Posen and several Italian ities. Deposit slips for vast sums were found among his papers and it believed he had planned to flee to Europe and prevent creditors from obtaining judgment against him. De-posit slips show he has \$500,000 in it embarked in 1918 and 1919, and in btaining judgment against him. De-Polish banks alone. A deposit of which some of its most prominent

One of the strongest links in the hain that is being welded around the conspirators was made possible by the arrest of Albert M. Goldsmith, owner of a New York business college. Goldsmith had sent \$355 worth of "washed" revenue stamps to Worthington by special cases the evidence is so clear that I delivery. New York officials say would be justified in filing a com-Goldsmith disposed of thousands of plaint, but my investigation shows collars worth of stolen securities for the lines of evidence so widespread Worthington.

police at Los Angeles have been power of a grand jury (which I do asked to arrest a mysterious "Marie" and the St. Louis operatives are that nothing may be left undone and

Federal authorities intercepted a personal letter from "Marie" to Worthington. Its contents were not revealed, but they led the authorities to believe she is an active agent district, to call at the earliest possible for Worthington. She is believe to moment a meeting of the district be the original of a large photograph seized when his office was raided.

The clew to "Pauline" was also obtained through intercepted letters. The letter from "Marie" contained a reference to "Pauline" and it is believed both these women were working for and with Worthington.

Worthington and Evans, who was

Text of Letter From Davis to Judge Troup

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No Power to Supervise. "With the exception of the Pioneer State bank and the Lion Bonding company, none of these control of the state any more than was the business of any private citizen, nor did any state department world are resolved today that warhave any right to examine their fare ought to come to an end.

books or investigate them. state supervision, any more than we ceed. can prevent highway robbery by

maintaining a police force.
"The frauds that have been perpetrated in Nebraska, are not primarily frauds in the sale of stocks reation," he said. "We shall also the use of corporate money. They have been committed from the inschools as we are already conduct-ing for the benefit of shell-shocked management, they should be labeled larceny, conspiracy to defraud and embezzlement.

Directors Responsible.

"In many cases, the directors are directory duty is apparent. Appar a name. I hope to make it a syn- how you measure his wealth. onym for responsibility.

There is a promising sign that matters is beginning to be aroused. The business conscience of Nebraska is beginning to awaken.

"I am encouraged by this desire of our better citizens to raise a These men, the announcement said, higher standard of corporate morals. For the last two years, I have issued repeated warnings, have delivered numerous addresses, and have filled columns of the daily press, outlining the dangers of these promotion enterprises, and the possibility of mismanagement which they offer. When will our people learn that oil companies with no oil men in them; packing companies with no packers; tire companies with no tire men, are doomed at the outset. That they are promotions and not businesses, and that they do not add to the development of business.

"Nebraska is now paying for the \$7,000 was found in a Milwaukee citizens prostituted their names for pieces of gold. But the tide has now turned. A sadder and wiser public now reach outstretched arms to the law for that vindication of justice which the courts alone provide.

"The time and opportunity are here to rid Nebraska of many of these economic parasites. In some and the number of people concerned Secret service men and local so vast that I believe the inquisitorial not possess) should be set at work, asked to pick up an equally myster-ious "Pauline," no stone unturned to bring to the bar of justice both those who conceived and connived, as well as those who executed this plundering of the public. May I therefore request you, the presiding judge of this judicial judges, at which meeting I may discuss with you the immediate impanelling of a special grand jury. I

may add that I have consulted with, and we can expect, the most complete harmony and co-operation from the United States district attorney and the Federal Department of Justice should any evidence disclose arreested with him, have so far been crimes committed against the laws of will be played at 3 and other ath-

CLARENCE DAVIS. 'Attorney General."

Harding Hopeful Deputy Shadowing Of Disarmament Confab, He Says

President Feels Example of United States May Lead All Nations to Permanent Peace.

Lancaster, N. H., Aug. 4.-Confidence that the American institutions are more firmly implanted than ever before and that in the near future America's example will lead all the nations to permanent peace was expressed by President Harding to day in an address at a welcome emonstration in Lancaster.

The coming disarmament conference, the president said, gave promise of an international agreement that would end wars and turn the attention of mankind to constructive

and beneficial pursuits." He asked for the support of the american people in the government's trial over the reconstruction period and pledged in return that the ad-ministration would serve the nations

to is highest ability. Spoke from Auto.

The president's speech was deivered from his automobile in Con-tinental Square here to a crowd of several thousand who had come to several thousand who had come to bid him welcome to the White Mountain country. He was cheered many times while he was speaking and after he concluded the crowd broke police lines to crowd about him and shake his hand.

"Today I stood on Mount Prospect and saw a wonderful picture," said the president. "In some of the valleys there were clouds and signs of storm bedimming our vision, but above the peaks rose serene and un-troubled. And while I gazed my mind turned to the affairs of men and I said, with some comfofrt to myself, that though the clouds may bedim, we need not lose confidence, for I believe with all my heart that, no matter what bedims the picture, we of America have a God-given destiny to perform which nothing on earth will ever prevent.

"In a century and a third we of the United States have outstripped every record of civilization in the history of this world. This republic, which had its beginnings in a little group of colonies, now is conceded the leadership of the world.

Must End Warfare.

"The story of the world is one stage after another of developing warfare until we of this generation have witnessed the most gigantic conflict of all time. The cost of the conflict was so great that we are coming to have a consciousness and concerns was under the direction or determination that the whole development has been wrong and that acquisition by might is unjust. "We of this country and all the

"I am happy to bring you word "Whatever may be the law, how-that your government is doing all it ever, it should be understood at the can to have a conference at which cannot make the foolish wise by together for a way to remove the be questioned, but the Washington means of a statute; we cannot pre- causes of war and put an end to cost-

Referring to his conferences at national groups, the president as- in the war. serted that his contact with these men had deepened his confidence in to the public. They are frauds in the soundness of American public opinion. He told how he had received a letter suggesting that he 'behead" all those who had more than their share of wealth and con-

Work for Best Interests.

"I have never believed that to be the mission of this republic. I wonmorally as responsible as the cul-prits. The most gross neglect of the leader in the community as the man to whom those about him turn ently the word has signified merely for counsel and advice, That's the Knights of Columbus night voca- a title, an "Honor" and the use of great man of America, no matter

"In the past few weeks I have had an opportunity to meet many such leaders-leaders of capital, of labor and of the other groups that make up the nation. And I want to say to you that there is not one in any group who deep in his heart does not want to preserve our America continue its onward course. Those who are suspected most sometimes are the most generous of all in their tenders of help to those in authority.

Sometimes you think your government is not alert, but let me tell you -and I care not what party is in power-your government is always trying to serve you as best it can. You can't be told everything that's going on-that is not a practical plan-but it is fair to tell you that your public servants are honestly, and to the best of their ability, trying to promote the fortunes of our common country."

Copper Is "Dad" to Kids;

He Gives Them a Picnic Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 4.-Most beats" as violently as they do the stray dogs, but here's one who just "violently" likes his youngsters. He knows every one of them, of which there are 150, by name and they know him as "Dad" Armstrong.

On Sunday morning "Dad" may be off duty, but he manages to get that he is started to Sunday school on time. They may choose their own denomination, but go they

And now Dad Armstrong comes forward with the announcement that he is going to give his boys a picnic. His beat is mostly a tenement district. Auto dealers and confectioners will contribute transpor-tation and "the fixins" and Dad will spend a whole day with his 150 boys in one of the city parks.

Elks to Hold Picnic

Omaha Elks and their families the West Dodge road, August 24. Secretary Otto Nielsen and a committee headed by Charles D. Lonergan are in charge. Base ball etic events will be staged at 5 p. m. The Elks band will give a concert after the dinner hour, to be followed by dancing.

Man Resembling, Small Asks About Reward

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 4.—The name of Sheriff Henry Mester of Sangamon county, who will arrest Gov. Len Small on indictments charging him with the embezzlement of \$500, 000 and conspiracy to defraud the state of \$2,000,000 has become a familiar one throughout the nation during the last two weeks. Every day his ever-increasing mail brings letters from all parts of the country. One of the letters received today from Great Barrington, Mass., post-

narked August 2, reads: "Will you tell me if there is a re sembles Small's picture and is a man with Governor Harding of the ream shadowing. The man and pic- serve board as witness. ture have a resemblance hardly to be mistaken. Also, have you a photograph of Small, as newspaper create this financial depression." olance. Very truly yours.
"FRANK A. MINKLEY,
"Deputy Sheriff."

Inclosed was a self-addressed and stamped envelope for the reply which Sheriff Mester has not as yet dispatched. Among the replies suggested were:

"No reward. Hold suspect and auction him off to highest bidder," and "wanted, but not badly enough to go after him."

Armistice Day Is Probable Date of Disarmament Meet

Britain's Willingness to Accept Day Leads to Proposal by U. S. That Nov. 11 Be Selected.

forthcoming disarmament conference inated against agriculture . November 11, Armistice day, of this year as an appropriate occasion. It was learned that American of-

cknowledgment from abroad. made in the interchanges of opinion sponse regarding the agenda of the meeting,

Japs Hold Up Plans. An admittedly delicate aspect of sistence that problems presented by Harding retorted. he situation is Japan's apparent inregarded as not falling within the scope of the conference. American interest in the island of Yap is intimately connected with the whole subject of wheat in 1920."

whole subject of mandates. The apanese government has contended government has been equally invent corporate frauds by means of ly armament. I believe we shall suc- sistent that allocation of the island cannot remain unquestioned, since banks not to issue circulars." Govit was done without the consent of ernor Harding continued. 'It's the

> France Supports U. S. and while formal assurance of its credits. position has not been given by Great Britain, there appears reason to believe that it also agrees that the agriculture has been greatly misunquestion should be determined by direct negotiations between the pow-That was indicated, it is contended, by remarks attributed to Lord Curzon in a speech before

General Electric Company

Lynn, Mass., Aug. 4.—A wage reduction affecting 12,000 employes of the General Electric company's ed the board at all times and the plant here was announced today, matter of credit policies ought and The cut will vary in amount with did center on 12 district reserve the several classes of employes. | banks.

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Harding Defends Policies of U.S. Reserve Board

Cessation of Pessimism All That Is Needed for Good Times, Governor of

Body Says.

Washington, Aug. 4.-Credit policies of the federal reserve system continued under examination of a ward offered for Gov. Len Small? congressional commission today, in have a man under watch who re- a continuously stormy atmosphere,

photographs may bear no resem- Governor Harding exclaimed. "It saw it coming and got ready to protect things, and people ought to be grateful it did. Now all we need is cessation of pessimism, which marks bad times as foolish; optimism marks good times. We all know now ev erybody was going crazy in the boom during the fall of 1919.

"This situation is going to worl out. There's no comparison between the condition a year ago and conditions today. Take cotton, with a low yield, and exports picking up. Banks are fully justified now in carrying loans.

"All we've got to do is to get out of everlasting pessimism, and quit saying everything is going to the dogs. Why, a man has to put up a good cheerful face if he wants credit. You can't talk to the bank-er like you do to the tax assessor."

Previously a sharp passage had taken place in which Representative Funk, republican, Illinois; Representative Mills, republican, New York, and later Governor Harding partici-

Mills Gets in Fray.

"I'm keenly disappointed," Repre Washington, Aug. 4.—Great sentative Funk said. "Because the Britain's willingness to accept any date the Washington administration complained of, criticized and charged might desire for the opening of the on one ground, that it has discrimhas led to the definite suggestion of And we've not heard one word from this witness.'

Representative Mills leaped to the fray, asserting that the commission ficials had put the original suggestion had "allowed John Skelton Williams of Armistice day into definite form former comptroller of the currency for all the invited powers and await to make charge after charge" against the reserve board, "and that Governor Officials would not indicate today Harding was entitled to common jusust how much progress has been tice" in the privilege of a detailed re-

but unofficially it is known they con- your own affairs, and I'll handle sider that the path is being cleared mine," while Chairman Anderson rulfor a frank discussion of Far Eastern ed that the governor was within his

rights.
"Has the reserve board called in farm credits?" Mr. Funk demanded later.

"No sir, it never has," Governor "How about the circulars of San Francisco reserve bank?"

News to Harding.

the annual international Knights of Columbus convention here by Su-"It had some effect," Mr. Funk responded.

"The board has cautioned reserve Washington with leaders of various this government, one of the victors job of a banker to look to the value of his collateral, but to do it in a quiet way. It is not the function France and Italy indicated their of the reserve system to regulate support of the American position, prices, up or down, but to maintain

> In general, Mr. Harding said, the attitude of the reserve board toward derstood and grossly misrepresented. Giving the history of increases of rediscount rates in 1919 and 1920, Governor Harding asserted that Mr. Williams, one of its chief critics, had participated in the rulings. The ideal system, he said, would be to maintain rediscount rates just above Cuts Wages of 12,000 Men market rates on money, thus avoiding inflation, and yet offering prac-

Secretary of Treasury Tells Committee Must Save \$250,000,000 This Year Or Raise Taxes. Washington, Aug. 4.—A cut of more than \$250,000,000 in the ordinary expenditures of the government this fiscal year is necessary if additional taxes are to be avoided, the louse ways and means committee

Mellon Declares

Capture One of Three

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)
-Earl Pearsall, alias E. C. Smythe,

alies E. C. Carr, one of three men

was informed today by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon. On present esimates, he said, the total government cost this year will be \$4,550,000,000, of which \$3,830,000,000 must come

Even with the suggested reductions, Mr. Mellon said, the internal evenue yield for the year "could not safely be permitted to fall below \$3,570,000,000, the estimated yield under existing law."

The treasury secretary told the committee that actual expenditures for the first full month of this fiscal "an extraordinary new effort to re-duce expenditures," the estimate which the treasury had presented, night be regarded as conservative. Ordinary expenditures for July, he said, amounted to about \$322,000,000 as against \$307,000,000 for July, 1920, while the current deficit last month was \$113,000,000 as against \$76,000,-000 in the same month a year ago.

"An analysis of the principal tems of expenditure for July, 1921," he secretary continued, "shows that 559,000,000 was on account of the War department, \$56,000,000 on account of the navy and \$32,000,000 on account of the shipping board. If expenditures are to continue at anything like these rates, these estimates will be greatly exceeded."

60-Year-Old Husband Beat 68-Year-Old Wife, She Says

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 4.—Al-leging that her 60-year-old husband, Gilbert Beauregard Jones, has beaten and otherwise mistreated her by actual violence, Mrs. Martha Jones, 68, has asked the circuit court for an absolute divorce and temporary alimony pending the outcome of the suit. The allegation states the couple was married in 1909 and separat- tures, those

Funeral Service Men Who Broke Jail For Famous Tenor Is Held in Naples

who escaped from the Cherry county jail, was captured by Sheriff Frank Stapleton of Springview at the home of his parents near Norden Patrician and Plebian Italian Gather at Bier of Enrico in Keya Paha county.

He is wanted for crimes of varied Caruso to Pay Homage character in Wyoming, Montana, Colorado, South Dakota, Wisconsin to Countryman.

and Iowa. William and Charles Doty, who broke jail with him, are still being sought by authorities. Naples, Aug. 4,-(By The As sociated Press.) Patrician and plebian Naples gathered early today at the Basilica of the church of San Francisco Di Paola in anticipation of witnessing the funeral of Enrico Caruso, the world famous tenor who died here on Tuesday. King Victor Emmanuel gave permission yesterday for the edifice to be used for this purpose.

As soon as word reached Naples that the Ravilica had been set apart U.S. Must Curtail Its Expenditures

that the Basilica had been set apart for the funeral, workmen were engaged to construct a great platform to accommodate the 400 singers selected to assist in the last requiem.

Representatives of the king and royal family, the Italian government, the municipality and the prefective.

he municipality and the prefecture, were appointed to attend the services and the United States, in which structed officials to appear at the

Will Seal Residence.

Mrs. Caruso has made formal application to the foreign minister asking that the Italian ambassador at Washington be instructed to seal the New York residence of the late singer, pending a decision regarding

the disposition of his estate. It is reported here that Caruso drew a will some years ago be-queathing his whole estate, accord ing to Italian legal procedure, to his brother and two sons, He later year indicated that unless there was married in the United States and the birth of his daughter, Gloria, brought a new element into the situation. She, according to Italian law, is now the only legal heir, except for a fraction of the estate which the law grants to the widow.

Estate Divided.

According to a will which C. J. perco, a notary of New York, said he drew up for Caruso two years ago, the bulk of the estate was to be divided equally upon his death among his six nearest relatives. They are the tenor's widow, their daughter, Gloria; his two sons by a previous marriage, Rudolfo and Entico; his brother, Giovanni, and his

stepmother. "Caruso spent his earning like wildfire," Mr. Sperco said. "He never got more than \$2,500 a performance for singing at the opera ouse here. He never refused the appeal for aid from a fellow country-man. He had lots of appeals and always appeased them with \$100 bills. His income tax in 1919 was \$170,000. Last year it ws \$165,000."

Photography is 82 years old next August, the secret of the first picbeen disclosed in 1839.

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Friday will afford an opportunity for savings on smart strap slippers. Brown kid pumps with suede quarter and baby Louis heels; brown suede strap pumps with baby Louis heels; brown kid two-strap pumps with Louis heels; bronze kid two-strap pumps with Louis heels; black kid pumps with Louis heels and two straps. The sizes and widths range from 4 to $7\frac{1}{2}$.

Lace Lisle Hose Bungalow Only \$1.49 Pair

All of our lace lisle hose, including those with lace fronts and lace clocks, will be specially priced Friday. They may be had in white, gray, brown, navy and black for only \$1.49 a pair.

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In white, gray, navy, cordovan and black, made with garter tops and double soles.

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