La Follette Opens Fire on Bill for **Funding Railways**

Pomerene Calls It "Handout" -Demo Solons Term it "Loan"-War Finance Head Is Defender

Washington, Aug. 10.—Opposition to the administration bill for funding about \$500,000,000 for the railroads developed openly today before the senate Interstate Commerce com-

Senator La Follette, republican, Wisconsin, opened fire on the bill, while democratic senators characterized the proposal as a loan to the railroads. Senator Pomerene, Ohio, referred to it as a "handout."

Director Meyer of the war finance corporation defended the bill vigor ously as a measure for general country wide, as well as railroad habilitation and denied that it was a loan or a handout.

Senator La Follette referred to loans by the war finance corporation to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit com pany and a New Orleans street railway company which he said soon afterwards became bankrupt.

The senator said he did that to in "how business was trans

Director Meyer replied that he re-garded the Brooklyn Rapid Transit loan as "eventually good," and said the New Orleans loan had been paid

Senator La Follette sought to show that the bill really would authorize the war finance corporation to fund, or sell, over \$1,000,000, 000 of railroad securities rather than only \$500,000,000. Mr. Meyer de-clared that funding of the latter amount only was contemplated or could be reasonably accomplished.

Railway Labor Board Orders Secret Ballot To Select Committee

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, Aug. 10.—The United States labor board made a third important ruling in the Pennsylvania railway situation today when it ordered a secret ballot of employes to select a committee for negotiation of working agreements with the

This order cancels agreements reached by the road with a commit-tee elected by a general vote.

With but one day left to hold the conference under the board's order, Pennsylvania officials said that no conference had been held to their knowledge and they knew of no arrangements for conferences tomorrow. The federal wage board or-dered that the conference should be held on or before August 10 to arrange a plan of election to insure "the absolute secrecy of the ballot."

The absolute secrecy of the ballot."

The absolute range a plan of election to insure the land owners and capitalists of all officials believe that prompt replies training camp here. "the absolute secrecy of the ballot."
Reports in railroad circles here were that the Pennsylvania was not expected to take any action to compression of the workers and small farmers is consideration of the workers and small farmers is consideration of the list of subjects that are to be discussed around the council table.

"The reserves to which you become will hasten the negotiations into their second phase, a consideration of the list of subjects that are to be discussed around the council table." "the absolute secrecy of the ballot," ply with the board's decision.

lapan to Reduce Naval Force First of Month

Chicago Tribune Cable, Copyright, 1927. Tokio, Aug. 10.—The ministry of the Japanese navy announces that there will be a 20 per cent reduction in the navy personnel, effective September 1, and that the battleships Asahi, Shikishima, Hizen and Mikasa their lives in the sinking of the San and the cruisers Asama, Tokiwa, Yakumo, Izumo, Iwate, Azuma, Bishin, Numa, Akashi, Chitose, Niitaka and reef, near Eureka, Cal., last Satur- 000,000 last month and \$651,000,000 Tsushima have been stricken from day night, it appeared certain tothe active list and transferred to the coast defense. It was explained these actions were taken in pursuance with the decision to reduce naval expendi-

Japanese Trading Company To Suspend September 1

Tokio, Aug. 10.-The Kuhara Trading company, capitalized at 10,-000,000 yen (normally about \$5,000,-000) and one of the largest firms in Japan, has announced that it is closing its doors at the end of the month. It has liabilities amounting to over 100,000,000 yen (\$50,000,000.

The company, which was estab-lished in 1918, has branches in New York and San Francisco. Its failure is not generally known

here as yet, but the news is bound to create a profound sensation. The Kuhara company is a creditor abroad and therefore there will be no losses to foreign banks.

Attempted Murder Victim Found Beside Rail Tracks

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 10.—John Jarmin, 44, of Idaho Falls, Idaho, was found dying beside the railroad tracks near Oneida, N. Y., this morning. Nineteen cuts about his head indicated an attempted murder, state troopers believe.

Jarmin was partly conscious, but could only murmur something about having been in an automobile. It is thought by the authorities that he was thrown from an automobile. His wounds had been partly dressed.

2 Slain When Holdups Try To Rob Memphis Ford Man

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 10.-Two men, one a policeman, were killed and another was seriously wounded in an exchange of shots with four masked men who attempted to rob an employe of the Ford Motor company of a bag containing \$8,500 as he was entering the assembling plant of the company here with the money shortly after 10 o'clock this

Belfast Firm Building Liner for U. S' Service

Belfast, Aug. 10.—Harland and Wolff, the Belfast ship builders, have just begun the construction of a 32,-000-ton passenger liner for the New York service of the Holland-American line. The name of the steamer will be the Statendam and it will be completed in 1923.

Tests for Mail Clerks.

Irish Peace Delegation



This is the first photograph to reach the United States of Eamonn De alera and other members of the Irish peace delegation, taken in their hotel in London, following their arrival from Dublin for the peace parley. Front row, left to right: Eamonn De Valera, Arthur Griffith. Back row, left to right: Count Plunkett, Mr. Chuders, the lord mayor of Dublin; Mrs. Farnan, Miss O'Brennan, Robert Barton and Miss O'Connell.

Powers Agree to

Armistice Day

ment of Willingness to Ac-

cept November 11 for

Disarmament Meeting.

Washington, Aug. 10.-Unanimous

agreement on Armistice day, Novem-

Thus the assembling of the dele-

gates here on a definite day be-

comes an assured fact, although the

Washington, Aug. 10.—Exports and imports continued their steady

decline during July, but the coun-

try's trade for the month resulted in

a favorable balance of \$144,000,000,

Imports for July totaled \$178,000,-

Retail Costs of Food Higher

tenth of 1 pers cent, and St. Louis,

Mo., where prices remained un-

changed, were the exceptions.

Passage of Rail Bill To

committee in behalf of the measure

to give the war finance corporation

authority to handle the railroad fi-

nancing situation.

commerce department.

in July 1920.

represented.

Lenine Appeals To World to Aid Fight on Famine

Only Six Freed-Abandon- Japan Informs State Department of Negotiations for American Famine Relief Threatened

Paris, Aug. 10 .- (By The Asociated Press.)-Nikolai Lenine, ber 11, for the opening of the disthe Russian soviet premier, has tele- armament conference was reached tographed a relief appeal to the social-ist newspaper, Humanite, here in among the powers that are to be which he predicts that the famine bids fair to approach that of 1891 in severity. He asks the workers State department, through the Amerand agriculturalists of other coun-tries to come to the aid of Russia as a ready means of aiding the soviet republic.

republic, on the third anniversary "Several Russian provinces," reads cessation of the world war. Lenine's appeal, "are afflicted by a famine which apparently will be only slightly less severe than that of

necessary for the soviet republic, which is foremost in undertaking "the fertile but gigantic task of overthrowing capitalism."

Exports and Imports

Death List in Steamer Wreck Placed at 38

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. Thirty-eight persons at least lost according to a statement by the Francisco-Portland Steamship company's steamer. Alaska, on Blunt's day, after the lists of missing and known dead had been carefully checked and corrected.

The list of dead totals 20, 18 of whom have been identified. The list of missing contains the names of 18 persons, all of whom are presumed to have been drowned.

Asylum, Not Death Chair,

For Insane Wife Slaver Benton, Ark., Aug. 13.—Aubrey Nance, farmer, wife slayer, probably will spend the remainder of his life in the State Hospital for Nervous Diseases instead of paying the death penalty for the murder of his wife, whose decapitated body was found in

the woods near here.
"Yes, I killed her," Nance is said to have told visitors to his cell in the Saline county jail, "and as soon as I can get poison I'll join her at the pearly gates. She is waiting for me. I kissed her goodby before I cut her death and promised I'd meet her." Nance volunteered for service dur-

ing the world war. He was dis-charged because of epilepsy. Officers declared he is mentally unbalanced.

Stone Reached Summit of

Mount Eanon Before Death Calgary, Alta, Aug. 10.-Proof that W. E. Stone, former president of Purdue university, reached the summit of Mount Eanon, an achievement hitherto unaccomplished, a moment before he fell to his death, has been found by the party which discovered his body, dcelared a dis-

patch from Banff, received by the Calgary Herald. The party, which included guides and amateur mountain climbers, raised a small cairn of stones to mark his achievement before they left for the Eau Claire camp with

Half Dozen Men Help

the body.

To Land Huge Catfish Princeton, Mo., Aug. 13.-The fish stories have come into vogue again. It took half a dozen men to land a yellow catfish from Grand river near here. The fish weighed 42 pounds and was 47 inches long. The "fish yarn" was sustained by the fact that the catch was brought to town and enjoyed by several

Instructor Transferred.

Washington, Aug. 10. - (Special Telegram.) - By direction of the president, Col. H. P. Howard, U. s. army, retired, is relieved from Washington, Aug. 10.—(Special duty as professor of military science Telegram.)-Civil service examina- and tactics at the University of Ne- der resolution adopted by the senate, tions will be held September 17 at braska, Lincoln, and is detailed at to investigate conditions of the to-Omaha, Council Bluffs and Sioux Leavenworth High schools, Leaven-bacco trade, including prices to pro-City, Ia., for railway mail clerks. worth, Kan

Manager of Play Denies Tellegen

Farrar Has Been Busy Rehearsing Part in "Don Juan."

New York, Aug. 10 .- Basil Lawence, business manager for Frank Reicher, who is producing "Don Juan," the play in which Lou Tellegen is taking a leading part, is-sued a statement last night in behalf of the actor who is suing his wife, Geraldine Farrar, for a separation. Lawrence denied that Tellegen "Mr. Tellegen has been busy all summer, rehearsing his part in 'Don Juan,' which is a heavy one," said Lawrence. "His part in the play 19 a very heavy one, you know-he makes ardent love to 12 women. "Mr. Tellegen has asked me to make a statement to the newspa-

Tellegen worked for 10 months last year in "His Blind lar. Youth," coming in off the road in April. He then signed the contract to star in 'Don Juan.' We felt that there was no other man on the stage who could play the part; that of making love to 12 women at once. It is silly to say that Miss Farrar objected to his making love to so many women on the stage.

"As a matter of fact, Miss Farrar read the play and Mr. Tellegen told us that she wanted to buy a share in it. She even went so far as to

For Conference production. Mr. Tellegen was study-ing his part, which consists of 150 pages, all summer. Rehearsals

"Mr. Tellegen feels very hurt at the statement that he had not paid his share of home expenses or contributed anything toward the sup-

port of the house."

Frank Rankin, Tellegen's secretary, spent yesterday counting the neckties, socks, collars and suits of the matinee idol in the Manhattan storage warehouse where Mrs. Farrar age warehouse, where Mrs. Farrar had them sent.

Reserve Forces Will Japan, the last of the participants to give its consent, informed the Be Real Army of Future

Camp Grant, Ill., Aug. 10 .- "There will be no war tomorrow nor next month nor next year, but no man knows when it will come again," said 1891. This is a terrible consequence of the backward cultivation of this country and of seven years of imperialistic war and civil war imposed vitations are expected to go forward address to 1,200 young civilian soldiers in the citizens military

egulars was not what it should have National guard that did such glorious Continue Drop in July fighting in the war and to rehabilibring together the reserve divisions.
"The greater part of our army of men like yourselves in the reserves,

Dahlman Speaks Before Exports for the month aggregated \$322,000,000, as compared with \$336,-

the regular army of 150,000 men."

Institute of Meat Packers Chicago, Aug. 10.-Murdo Mac-ienzie, Chicago, chairman of the commission on improved live stock breeding of the Institute of Ameri-000 against \$185,000,000 last month can Meat Packers, today, addressing the institute members declared that and \$537,000,000 in July a year ago. the cattle of the corn belt states are not equal in type and breeding to those shipped from these states a de-In 11 of 14 Cities of U. S. Washington, Aug. 10.—Increases in the retail costs of food are shown cade or two ago and urged widespread of pure bred sires to remedy today in 11 out of the 14 cities inhis situation. cluded in the official tabulations

He announced that the institute made public yesterday by the Pe-partment of Labor. Norfolk, Va., as an incentive to better breeding has decided to offer prizes at vawith a decrease of 1 per cent, and rious live stock shows, including the Dallas, Tex., with a decline of one-International Live Stock show at Chicago, the National Western Live Stock show at Denver, and the Southwest Fat Stock show at Fort The figures were made for the

Speakers today included J. Ogden Armour and James C. Dahlman, mayor of Omaha. period of June to July 15, and show increases of 6 per cent in Butte, Mont., 5 per cent in Cleveland and

Portland, Me.; 3 per cent in Bridgeport, Conn.; 2 per cent in Heuston, Tex., Newark, N. J., New York and Street Car Situation

Depends on Chicago Man Washington; 1 per cent in Birming-ham, Ala., and Charleston, S. C., and Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Transportation futwo-tenths of 1 per cent in Cincinture depended Tuesday on a single word from A. W. Harris of Chicago, whom Frank Chambers, receiver for street car company, went to see Furnish Work for Million Monday night.

Washington, Aug. 10.-Passage of If Harris accepts the 7-cent fare, the railroad funding bill, asked for by the administration, would put tiations and compromise, street cars 1,000,000 idle men in the United may be running in Des Moines by Thursday morning. If Harris re-States at work, according to Eugene Myer, jr., managing director of the war finance corporation, who essary to restore complete 130-car appeared before the senate finance service, the car company will be sold on the auction block if a buyer can be found, and the future will be impossible to guess.

Small Town Missouri Jail Move Started to Oust Head

Name Legion Delegates

Big Inheritance Tax

praiser of the Bowman estate,

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special.)

entered in county court Monday upon was formerly Lillian Chapin of Lin-

a report filed by C. L. Brewster, ap-coln, Neb. The Rectors moved from praiser of the Bowman estate, Omaha to Detroit last January.

Of Co-Operative Society Chicago, Aug. 10.-The removal of Harrison Parker, head of the Co-Operative Society of America and the other trustees of the society, was asked in a bill filed in the United a small boy. The gun was supposed States district court yesterday. The to have been empty. The Kay boy's condition is not serious. was filed by Henry M. Ashton and Gilbert F. Wagner, representing 31 Indiana stockholders of the so-

Gothenburg, Neb., Aug. 10 .-(Special.)-At the regular monthly Five Japs Killed in Clash

neeting of the Gothenburg post, With Chinese Policemen American Legion, Commander Bernard Norsworthy and Lloyd Kain Honolulu, Aug. 10 .- Five Japanese were killed and 17 severely injured were chosen as delegates and in a clash between 70 Japanese resias alternates to the Legion state his passport permitting him to travel dents and 50 Chinese police at Niuconvention at Fremont, August 31 to London and left yesterday for chaung, Manchuria, according to a convention at Fre Tokio dispatch to the Shimpo, a and September 1. Japanese language newspaper here.

Tobacco Probe Ordered

Washington, Aug. 10.-The federal trade commission was directed, unFrench Wonder How American Girl Got Remarkable Sunburn

Has Been Loafing

Paris, Aug. 10.—How can women get sunburned everywhere above the waist line is a question which is perplexing Deauville. Although the bathing suits are scantily cut, all have shoulder straps, and the more scantily cut evening gowns always reveal. tily cut evening gowns always reveal the exact outline of the bathing suit by showing white skin beyond the

Gossip follows the appearance of a blonde American girl at the casino wearing the most daring backless chemise gown yet seen, the corsage consisting solely of two tiny triangles of beaded net, which are held up by ropes of pearls over the shoulhas been loafing and has failed to has been loafing and has failed to notice, not a single square inch of pay his share of the expenses of white skin was revealed—the girl was kept \$130,000,000 in reserve loans and white skin was revealed—the girl was kept \$130,000,000 in reserve loans and largely in speculative banker is near Chihuahua City but tanned everywhere above the waist

Speculation as to how she got sunburned all over came to nothing until some one suggested she must have been swimming a la September Morn in some sequestered nook. The polo players have decided to discover the nymph's pool and horseback riding long the seashore in the early morning has suddenly become very popu-

Body Found in Trunk Identified as That of Rich Seattle Woman

Seattle, Aug. 10 .- Positive identification of a mutilated body found in a trunk in Lake Union Monday it. She even went so far as to in a trunk in Lake Union Monday tell Mr. Tellegen that she would ar- as that of Mrs. Kate M. Mahoney, range the incidental music for the missing wealthy Seattle woman, was production. Mr. Tellegen was study-made by Mrs. C. Hewitt of Wenztchee, Wash., a niece of Mrs. Ma-honey, police announced today.

James M. Mahoney, husband of the missing woman, who has been held for nearly two months on charges of forgery in connection with an order on a safe deposit box maintained by his wife, and an alleged fraudulent power of attorney for administration of her property, has been placed in solitary confine-

Mahoney is 38 years of age and Mrs. Mahoney was 67. They were married a little more than a month when Mrs. Mahoney disappeared, April 15. Police officers say that Real Army of Future
Pershing Declares

A detective's suspicions were aroused at the time of the Mahoney marriage and that Mahoney had been under surveillance since that time.

Conference Report On Packer Measure Ratified by House

been, but today we are trying to been, but today we are trying to bring together the old units of the National grand that did such glorious expected that he will sign it.

Representative Schall of Minnetate them. We are also trying to bring together the reserve divisions mission of its power over the packing industry. He also charged that he future will be composed of young the Department of Justice had agreed to a modification of the followed by the National guard and packer decree, but was withholding it until after the passage of the

The only modification known of here is a proposal to change the decree to enable California fruit growers to dispose of their products through the packers. The fruit growers have urged such a modification and the Department of Justice is said to look with favor on it.

Daugherty to Discuss Debs Pardon With President

Washington, Aug. 10 .- Problems under consideration in connection with a pardon for Eugene V. Debs, imprisoned socialist leader, are to be taken up shortly with President Harding, Attorney General Daugh-

Mr. Daugherty said he wished to talk over with the president one phase of the question as affecting general policy in the matter of pardons for persons convicted under the espionage law, but did not go into details as to the progress of recommendations now being drafted by the Department of Justice.

Reject Petition To Cut Wages at Sioux Falls

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 10 .- (Special.)—A petition filed with the city auditor of Sioux Falls asking that a special referendum election be called to submit to the voters a city ordinance calling for a reduction of 10 bus abolition, new franchise, nego- per cent in the wages of all city emloyes, effective January 1 next, has been rejected on the ground that it did not contain the legal number of fuses to advance the \$300,000 nec- signatures. The time now is held to be too late to file a new or amended petition.

Editors Hold Meeting

Broken Bow, Neb., Aug. 10.— (Special.)—At the Central Nebraska Editors' meeting held here 10 news-Has First Prisoner in Year papers were represented. The mem-Kahoka, Mo., Aug. 13.-For the bers of the press were guests of the first time in a year the jail here has Rotary club at noonday luncheon. an inmate, Newton Shudy occupies Plates were laid for 40, while the a lonely cell, charged with assault following the shooting of Burl Kay, of the day at the E. R. Purcell home. There was no set program for the day, but a general business meeting and a round table discussion

Walsh to Visit London Paris, Aug. 10.—(By The Associated Press.)—Frank P. Walsh, American adviser to Eamonn de Valera, who arrived here recently from New Hobart Beath and Arthur Johnson York, has obtained a British vise to

the British capital by airplane. Former Omahans Have Son. A son was born yesterday to Mr. -An order assessing Mrs. Alice and Mrs. Boyle D. Rector of De-Bowman, widow of the late W. H. troit, formerly of Omaha, according Bowman, \$268.97 inheritance tax was to word received here. Mrs. Boyle

New York Banks Closely Watched, Gov. Strong Says

Head of Federal Reserve In Metropolis Tells of Caution Taken During Money Stringency.

Washington, Aug. 10 .- New Yorl panks, which obtained great sums in federal reserve loans during the noney stringency last fall, were closely supervised, Governor Strong by ropes of pearls over the shoulders. Although the costume represented the irreducible minimum in raiment, causing even the hardened baccarat players to sit up and take notice, not a single square inch of operations.

John Skelton Williams, former comptroller of the currency and chief of the reserve system's critics, when called before the commission recenty, referred to such a bank as having een unduly favored.

"We ascertained the cause of credit demands because we wanted to known whether loans were justified," Governor Strong said, "and if the money was necessary to legiti-mate needs of the business of the country, we furnished it. If the Stock Exchange loan accounts of banks appeared to be rising we would warn bankers that reserve money was not lent for that purpose. One of these institution estimated that it might need as much as \$80,000,000 merely to handle export shipments of cotton

"New the comptroller (Mr. Williams) didn't know these things. It didn't concern him, and I, for one, never discussed it with him." He repeated denials that the in-

reased reserve interest rates forced breaks in commodity prices and said the reserve system "had fostered and increased the sentiment that producers and business enterprises should be carried through the emer-

Governor Strong asserted that the lending in 1920 of \$240,000,000 from the reserve system for agricultural credits indicated that, by the multiolication of bank credits, probably 2,000,000,000 in first-hand loans to producers were extended at the pe-

He was excused until Thursday, he commission, which is specially charged with an inquiry into agri cultural conditions, having sum moned other witnesses for the intervening period.

Men From Beatrice Visit President at Washington

Washington, Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—S. U. Kilpatrick, R. J. Kilpatrick and J. Stewart Elliott of Beatrice, who are returning west after a visit to New York, were guests today of Congressmen Mc-Laughlin and Jefferis. They had an Washington, Aug. 10.—The bill establishing federal regulation of the meat packing industry received the final stamp of congressional approval yesterday. The house ratified the conference report on measure after. The bill now bee associated with the Kilpatricks

Tomorrow the Kilpatrick brotheds will be the guests of Postmaster General Hays.

Women's Backs Bare To Below Waist in New Paris Fashion

Paris, Aug. 10 .- The reverse of the decollette was launched by Molyt.eaux with gowns leaving the back bare to below the waist and the front closed right up to the neck. The skirts were as short as ever, but "black and white" is doomed as the unhappy result of the attempt to popularize these colors by Mrs. Smith Wilkinson.

Spurgin Not Arrested, Chihuahua Chief Wires

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 10.—In a tele-gram received here today signed by the chief of police of Chihuahua City, the chief of police of China. C. Spurdenial is made that Warren C. Spurdenial is made that place. The was "engaged largely in speculative banker is near Chihuahua City but has not been apprehended.

on the want ad page.

May Exhume Body of Woman to Determine Cause of Her Death

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 10 .- (Speial Telegram.)-Exhumation of the body of Mrs. George Craig, Valley Junction, and action by the grand jury loomed as possibilities Tuesday as the result of an investigation by the sheriff's office into the sudden death of the woman. Investigation was started by Mrs. Gussie Clark of St. Paul, sister of Mrs. Craig, who charges that a murder

has been committed,
Dr. Burt of Valley Junction, however, maintains that the death was due to natural causes and that poison had not been administered, accord-

ing to his examination.

He says Mrs. Craig has been an epileptic sufferer for years, and that she died during a severe spell on July 22. Coroner Clift will order the body exhumed, if the investigation by the sheriff's office shows The vital statistics are published that there is reason to believe that a murder was committed.

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