CONGRESS ENDS ITS WAR SESSION

to Prepare for Reconstruction Program

TO MEET DECEMBER 2

Republicans Declare Against Government Ownership as 1920 Campaign Issue

Washington, Nov. 22.

Corgress today started on a ten-day vacation, its first complete suspension since the session which adjourned yes terday sine die began December 3, 1917.

While most members will be at leisure until the new session begins December 2 next, several committees will be at work during adjournment on legislation to be presented then. Leaders and many members also are preparing for the great Object to 1920 Levies That annual reply, soon forthcoming, will give an indication of the Administration's atpresented then. Leaders and many reconstruction and appropriation program which must be squeezed into the session before March 3 next.

Senate committees will continue work on the war revenue bill and the investi-gation of brewers' activities. House ap-propriation committees will proceed with drafting the score of regular supply

Adjournment was taken under agreement between the Democratic majority and the Republican minority in both houses, although sixteen Republicans and two Democrats voted against the adjournment resolution as a matter of

things the day in the Senate resulted in the following:

presidential fight by declaring their op-position to the issue of permanent Gov2 ernment ownership of public utilities. which they declared will be the campaign cry of the Democrats.

The new revenue program was receives by the Senate Finance Commit-tee, which will report the new \$6.000,-000,000 revenue bill to the Senate when ngress convenes for the short session. received assurances from Secretary Var Baker that the American army

troops now oversens will begin at once. It also received a statement from the Secretary of War showing that more than \$1,390,000,000 has been saved by the War Department since the armistice was signed through the cancellation of contracts for munitions and supplies. It launched an investigation of the uliding program, particularly with w to exposing the failure of the

oden ship program. Senator Spencer, of Missouri, elected to succeed the late Senator Stone, was seated; the contest against seating Senator-elect Newberry, of Michigan, was thrown out by the Elections Committee and a protest against the continuance of Senator Martin, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, was formally filed with the Elections Committee by the Beauthleans. amittee by the Republicans.

During the eleven months in which has been in continuous session enacted the following important legis-A total of \$37,000,000,000 was appro-printed or authorized to be expended for

the support of the military establishnt and the civil expenses of the Gov-

Control of the telegraph and telephone ines and cables was placed under the Federal Government.

A stringent espionage act was passed The War Finance Corporation and Capital Issues Committee were created. Government departments and bureaus ider the Overman law, giving the President complete power to reorganize the agencies of the executive branch of the Government. Laws for the stimulation of agricul-

Appropriations for housing workers in war munition plants.

Laws for the stimulation of minerals production after the war.

BOOKKEEPER ACCUSED

Held for Court on Charges of Embezzlement and Forgery

ment and Forgery
West Chester, Pa., Nov. 22.—Joseph
Wilson, of West Mariborough township, formerly a bookkeeper for the
creamery firm of M. R. Darlington & Co.,
operating a number of creameries in
Chester County, was held in \$2000 bail
on charges of embezzling \$2000 and
forgery, following a hearing last night
before a justice.

It is alleged Wilson had used a system of false entries, cashed checks for
the firm and placed the money to his
personal credit, having three bank accounts in different institutions. He removed to this places few weeks ago,
purchased an expensive automobile
which he offered for sale at a reduced
price, which led to an investigation of
his books and his arrest.

1046 WAR (VICTIMS ARRIVE Sick and Wounded From "Over There" Sent to Army Hospitals

Washington, Nov. 22.—Sick and wounded of the American expeditionary forces brought home for the week ended November 15 totaled 1646, the Surgeon General announced today.
These men were immediately sent to army hospitals for physical reconstruction.

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MORE PAY FOR WORKMEN

Syracuse, Portland and Butte Utility Employes Benefit Washington, Nov. 22.- (By A. P.) Wage increases were announced today by the war labor board for all etn-Members During Vacation playes of the Syracuse (N. Y.) Northern Electric Rallway, and for interurbar trainmen at Portland, Oregon. Street

trainmen at Portland, Oregon. Street car men at Syracuse were given a scale ranging from 41 cents to 45 cents an hour and all other employes in shops or elsewhere were brought under a minimum of 42 cents an hour, with the provision that an examiner of the labor board shall be kept at Syracuse to enforce the decision, which takes effect as of August 2, 1918. Back juayments of wage increases awarded by it must be made before February.

Interurban trainmen employed by the Portland Railway Light and Power Company were given a scale ranging from 40 cents per hour for passenger brakemen to 60 cents per hour for night yard switch crews.

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The board also fixed a new scale of higher wages for employes of the Butte Mont, electric rallway company, rang-ing from 61 to 65 cents an hour.

REPUBLICANS REJECT

Would Shift Burden to Next Congress

Washington, Nov. 22.
Republican members of the Senate
Finance Committee today declined to ac cept a plan for revision of the pending

mons. Simmons's plan was prepared after conference with Treasury officials. Carrying out Secretary McAdoo's ideas, it imposes taxes for both 1919 and 1920. Republicans refuse to agree to any plan whereby the present Democratic The last day of the session was a busy one in the Senate, while the House held clare McAdoo's plan to raise only \$4.-only a perfunctory session. Among other things the day in the Senate resulted in next Congress, which will be Republican. having to levy such heavy taxes as to create public disfavor.

The main features of Simmons's plan Revise the bill so as to raise \$6,000,000,000 in the year ending June 30, 1919, and \$4,000,000,000 in the year end-

ing June 30, 1920 Income, excess and war profits taxes raising \$5,000,000,000 from this source Raise the other \$1,000,000,000 from

Juxuries. Eliminate the 28 per cent tax on cer of War Baker that the American army will be demobilized as rapidly as possible and that the return of United States at a rate 33 1-3 per cent above those

in the existing law. in the existing law.

Eliminate the war profits tax in 1920 and reduce the normal individual and corporation income rate from 12 to 8 per cept and cut excess profits rates onethird, thus reducing the revenue to \$4,000,000,000.

WOMAN HELPS HOLD-UP OF DOCTOR FROM CITY

Four Crowd Dr. Bardsley's Auto Off Jersey Road and Rob Him

Woodbury, N. J., Nov. An entirely new form of road hold-up with a woman alding three men in the crime, had Dr. Ashton Bardsley, of 129 Susquehanna avenue, Philadelphia, for victim about midnight Wednesday. Doc-tor Bardsley had driven down to a pond below Paulsboro for a fishing trip and was homeward bound when at a point near the White Bridge he was crowded off the roadway and into a fence by another car. The driver stopped, alighted and very politely apologized for the mishap, saying he had lost control. of his companions joined him and while they stood conversing with Doctor Bardsicy the others started off in the

direction of Westville. Suddenly, the doctor saw the machine stopped at the bridge. This must have been a signal for action, as one man dealt him a blow that felled him. One grabbed his pocketbook, containing about \$50, and the other made a lunge for his watch. The machine then ran back to the point and the quartet was

off in a minute.

Sheriff Hendrickson, in this city, was appealed to and with some officers went to the scene. The doctor could give no description of the car of its occupants as he was too dazed. The party dashed to this city and messages were sent out in all directions to intercept a car with "three men and a woman," but not a clew could be obtained.

COL. HOUSE HAS INFLUENZA

President's Special Envoy Compelled to Cancel Engagements Paris, Nov. 22.—Colonel E. M. House special representative of the United States Government is confined to his home here with influenza. He canceled his engagements.

MILITARY TRAINING QUESTION UP IN AIR

War Department Will Keep Silent Until President Dictates His Policy

Washington, Nov 22 That the War Department will keep hands off in the matter of universal military training unless asked specifically for its views was the opinion in general staff headquarters today,

Indications are that the President directly, or through Secretary Baker, must sponsor the idea, else Congress will have o ask the War Department for its suggestions. It was said that indications now are that the military men them-selves would not attempt to urge such raining unless asked to do so by the ecretary of War or Congress.

Policy Much in Doubt SIMMONS TAX PLAN

Staff officers profess to be in ignorance of what polley the Administration will follow. The general staff has made a study of the subject and is ready to esent very definite proposals, if these

> titude toward this subject. In his last message. Baker sidetracked he problem because of the war situation, since then it has been gossiped that the 'resident was in favor or a modified plan of universal training, which would not but which would give an adequate mea-ure of preparedness.

Will Question March

Chief of Staff March will be called efore the military committee when the dilitary measure comes up. But men lose to him indicated he probably would ot give any suggestions as to universal raining unless the committee specifically sought his ideas. In that case he will be ready with concrete measures. Thus far there is little in the way of ublic sentiment to guide either Adinistration officials or military men. The suddenness of readjustment prob-lems has eclipsed this particular prob-lem of the future. While the military men believe the nation should maintain uch a system as a saleguard much will beyond upon the demands made of the ague of nations for police protection. The question of how large a standing rmy shall be maintained is likely to rystallize soon. Thus far, however, both ecretary Baker and Chief of Staff his question or the training matter.

TO REINSTATE SOLDIERS

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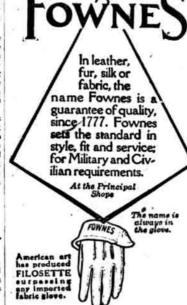
today.

Insofar as practicable, preference in re-employment and reinstatement would be given to soldiers and sailors as qu'ckly as they were mustered out of Federal service, the order said. GROUNDED U. S. SHIP SAFE

Freighter Carib Being Dragged Off Reef at Long Island

New York, Nov. 22.—(Hy A. P.)—The American freight steamship Carlb, which went aground in a heavy fog off Point Lookout, Long Island, yesterday, appeared to be in no danger today. Naval vessels standing by were expected to drag the Carlb free before nightfall. The heavy waves which were pounding the ship last night subsided this morning. his morning.

The Carib is bound from Lisbon
New York with cork and soap. It
crew of forty men is still on board. Carib is bound from Lisbon to





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• FAVORS ZIONIST PLAN

Cardinal Gibbons Indorses Establish ment of National Homeland for Jews New York, Nov. 22 .- Announcement uthorized publication of a statement of is approvat of establishing in Palestine national homeland for the Jewish peo-

ple was made here by the Zionist or-ganization of America.
"It is with pleasure that I learn of the approval accorded by his Holiness, Benedict XV, to the plan of providing a homeiand in Palestine to the members of the Jewish race," Cardinal Gibbon's statement read. "I am sure there are many who would feel happy to return to that land, so rich with the sacred traditions of the past and which is at the same time the home of the Esthers."



Since the Chestnut Street Shops have returned to their old open ing hour of 9 a. m. it is the greatest luxury in the world to get through shopping before the crowded late hours of the day. How any one who can possibly avoid it waits until afternoon is past comprehension. In the morning the goods are fresher, in better order and accessible, and old-time attention to individual wants is still possible. In the afternoon, with the selling force unavoidably reduced to a minimum and doing more than double duty, "watchful waiting" seems to be the customer's chief role, though it is obvious many are not too proud to scramble for what they want.

Deborah Sogar

E MPERORS are at a decided discount since Mr. Hohenzollern, WHAT are you going to have for Thanksgiving dinner? Sugar and spice and every-thing nice, from E. Bradford Clarke Sr., brought discredit upon the title; but, fortunately, all are not of the same stock, and the Red Emperor Grapes at Henry R. Hallowell That's the shop to stock up in. Be-& Son's, Broad below Chestnut gin by decorating your table with street, born and raised in America, turkey favors; they may be the only are everything that California Emperors should be—large, eval and highly flavored. And no international complications exist between counter. Next, soup—what is the them and their neighbors, the use of making it when the canned is Almeria, those dainty, crisp white so man surer of being good. Vege-grapes, imported direct from Spain. As befits their State, the Emperors asparagus tips, beans, corn, peas, to-travel to the East in boxes filled matees and succotash. Current or with the sawdust of the glorious red- other jellies for the meats. Salad wood tree, while the Almeria, oil? equally aristocratic, prefer kegs of oil, excellent Lanier peanut oil or ground cork, finding that best for ready prepared mayonnaise are all preservation against injury on the there. And do not forget olives and long transatlantic voyage.

giving. It would be a dreadful mishap if the turkey shot off the dish nut street. At least that is what the and spoiled the guest of honor's best men tell me, they ought to know, gown. That is what will happen if though none saw what I did—the you do not guard against it by re-plenishing at Bailey, Banks & Bid-picking the new models to pieces, dle Company, where there is probably the finest selection of varying sets in town. Nearly all have beautiful silver-mounted stag handles, winer overcoats is unusually large the handsomest set, of eight pieces, having the ends of the stag pointed instead of cut off in the usual blunt fashion, and silver tipped. This set, and others of five, three or two both quantity and quality, and process of the stag pointed instead of cut off in the usual blunt some have a limited number of coats of equal attraction, but here there is both quantity and quality, and quality, and quality and quality. but there are also less expensive grades of stag, with the same quality steel, which ma, be bought sepa-

W OMEN never looked trimmer or prettier than than the dainty white neckwear has been in vogue. True, it is a strain to keep it fresh and spotless, but there is little or no excuse for its being otherwise when such an endless variety of materials and styles, all washable, may be had at B. F. Dewees, 1122 Chestnut street. A collar and cuff set of pique, edged with a net ruffle, is one of the most popular, the cuffs buttoning and the collar being so fashioned as to fit a round, square or V neck. The mourning sets of sheer organdie, with hand-drawn, handwho declared they would never again wear high collars.

THE pedestal upon which men were placed during the war has been rudely jolted lately. When it topples over entirely and tion of feminine admirers. No more hand-knit socks, no more scarfs, no more sweaters, but what's the odds when at MacDonald & Campbell's, 1334-36 Chestnut street, they can get sweater jackets (dare I say it?) much better made, that really fit and will not develop unexpected "runs." They carry a complete assortment, ideal for motoring and cold-weather wear, in Australian, vicuna, angora wear, in Australian, vicuna, angora and llama wool, in neat heather mixtures and striped or plain colors, ever human hearts are sad or glad,

even Japan and China.

1520 Chestnut street? Very scarce Carelli pure olive salted almonds, and-"that's another Time to sharpen up knives, or buy new ones, for that Thanksgiving dinner you are thanksgiving dinner you are

pieces, come in dainty leather cases, quality, as they define it, means "the the last word in gentlemen's over

OMEN never looked trimmer or prettier than they have since the custom of wearing white neckwear has been in resembling fretwork. rolled or plain borders, are unusually pleasing, while the high stocks and jabots of the finest lace tempt many who declared they would never the coloring of the groundwork is invariable in the production of the groundwork is invariable in the coloring of the groundwork is invariable in the coloring of the groundwork is invariable in the coloring of the groundwork. The coloring of the groundwork is invariable in the groundwork in the groundwork is invariable in the groundwork in the groundwork is invariable in the groundwork in the grou The durability of Bokharas is phe-nomenal, and with the touch of time their texture becomes soft as velvet.

were placed during the war has been rudely jolted lately. It topples over entirely and clothing replaces uniforms, I street, is one of perseverance and fear they will sadly miss the atten-tion of feminine admirers. No more in 1825, when Henry Steinway pre-Warm knitted sweater vests in Aus- and songs are sung, and strings vitralian wool, buttoning up high, are brate, and keys respond to love's also there, and the regulation army and navy sweaters in O. D. and gray. vered—loved—the name and fame of Steinway.'

AST May the Government placed natural hair nets on the restricted list of importations.

OPEN fireplaces, with their cheerful glow, are always irrestricted list of importations. placed natural hair nets on the restricted list of importations, and there they still remain. Every woman understood they were nonessential to the war, but none could agree they were nonessential to themselves, so for months they have been existing on short rations or paying exorbitant prices, when at George Allen's, 1214 Chestnut street, there has been a full supply of the George Allen's, 1214 Chesthut street, there has been a full supply of the best quality French natural hair nets. selling at a very low "befo' th' war" figure, the pure white and gray being a trifle dearer than other colors. There are two styles, the lonial styles and sizes, from the tall "Stimpen" a self-adjusting cap ones suitable for country "Slippon," a self-adjusting cap shape, and the "Import Special," an extra large all-over or straight net, and their fame having circled the globe, orders come for them from wood holders in brass or beautiful seven language. French silver-gray willow.

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