

weeks to make its way through the state of Jalisco northward into Nayarit to check the Sonoboans on their march to the south had been turned about and one familiar with Conroy's actions engineered the robbery. on its way to Irapuato, from where

it may move northward toward the state of Chihuahua. "FOOD BURGLARS" AT WORK

Sympathetic neighbors have started a ubscription to aid the father in finding his boy. Slides, made from a picture of Ken-

neth, will be shown in motion-picture theatres in Philadelphia and surrounding cities and towns. Junior marines are making a house-

pate in the Peace Conference." ued the former secretary of state. "leaves no chance for doubt that he

will continue hereafter as heretofore, to

contin

ence. Moreover, the organization has not yet surely discovered a candidate. Conference Called at New York

Republican licket of the voters of Call-fornia, his native state, on the face of yesterday's presidential primary re-turns from approximately two-thirds of the state's 5729 precincts. Herbert C. Hoover, Senator Johnson's only op-ponent, who also has his home in Call-fornia, is 130,212 votes behind. Three hours and a half after the policy

Three hours and a half after the polle closed last night, Ralph P. Merritt,

Wilson's Course Foresha

EXCHANGES TO FIGHT U. S. STOCK TAX PLAN "The course of the President even

since he cruised to Europe to partici-

years, \$1500 plus rectory ; for service of five years and up to eight years, \$1800 plus rectory ; for eight years or

rectors whose salaries now fall below the proposed minimum. He estimated

that it would be necessary to raise \$37.

The thieves entered the garage by forcing a rear door. It is believed that ore, \$2000 and rectory. Deter Johnston stated that out of 11 ministers in the diocese there were wenty-two missionaries and fifty-three

o extra-a year to bring the salaries d the rectors up to the normal min-mum, and \$19,000 extra to properly

crease the missionaries' salaries The resolution was passed unanimous. and with enthusiasm. One speaker entured a suggestion before the vote was taken that Doctor Johnston's comwittee perhaps looked at the question from a wrong point of view, but his opinion found no favor.

Doctor Johnston characterized pres-it salaries in the diocese as a "gross dinner. in cash. and shameful condition.

\$2000 as Smallest Amount

as a minimum

dog had been poisoned three days ago, and since then he kept a wallent con-taining \$300 under his pillow at night. In presenting the committee report, Doctor Johnston asserted that the nor-mal salary should be \$2000, plus rec-The thieves did not enter the bedrooms and therefore missed the \$300. believe that this is the small-

est amount, even with favorable sur-THIEVES ROB SHIP oundings," he said, "upon which a lergyman can live and so live as to be Staterooms of Officers Are Rifled of

able to do hopefully and with some measure of effectiveness the highly specialized work which belongs to Watches and Money According to customs officials and of

Conference and Lectures

American Physicians at Hotel Tray

More. Other officers are: Dr. W. S. Thayer. of Baltimore, president; H. C. Mofflit, San Francisco, vice president; T. R. Boggs, Baltimore, recorder, and J. A.

GENERAL PERSHING'S FOREIGN DECORATIONS

Pirst publication of the complete collection of orders presented to General Pershing by foreign powers in the Pictorial Meetion of most Sunday's Puplic Lignaria. Adv.

Boggs, Baltimore, recorder, Capps, Chicago, treasurer.

State

N. J.

Less than this amount, the sneaker ficers of ships docked at the Port Rich said, not only placed a grave handicap anond wharves, thieves have been carry-on individuals, but tended "to cripple ing on a profitable business recently. and even ultimately to destroy the One robbery was committed two nights ago on board the American ship burch's power." J. L. Luchenbach. Officers of the ship The committee made it plain that it

did not pretend the present proposal goes far enough, but that it introduced a said today that the thieves came aboard after dark while only a few men were on the ship and rifled the cabin of Caporrect principal "deserving of, still wider application in the future."

tain C. A. Thornberg and that of As-sistant Engineer William Franks. From the captain's room they took a gold watch, cuff links and \$54. At the time Doctor Johnston asked the lay and nisterial delegates whether the qualiles of independence and leadship essen ial to a minister were "likely to grow r even to survive in a man harassed by lost a gold watch and \$25. debt, unable to pay his way as other bonest folk do-a man who has no real The thefts were reported to the police of the East Girard avenue station hope of betterment before him, and who sees, day after day, that the condition

of his life and his employment are bearing hardest upon the family for which he is responsible,"

"The church ought to be sending its best sons into the ministry. Is it joing so?" he said. Paris, May 5.-(By A. P.)-Jean Longuet, leader of the Minority Social-ists in the Chamber of Deputies, whose

Best Training Needed

"The church ought to be Insisting passport to visit America the that the professional training of these men be the best that can be had, equal to the best training for law, medicine vitation of party, with Department refused to vise, said today proposed trip had been at the in-ation of "the American Socialist party, with headquarters in Chicago. where he was to have delivered a series

that its bishops and its seminary of lectures. faculties should be rigidly excluding 'I never from the ministry all but those who are obviously fitted for the work. Is it home way "I never for a moment had any desire to meddle in American politics." M. Longuet declared, explaining his mission was to have been scientific and ioing ao'

The Church ought to be paying sal-He said the invitation to confer with ries adequate for efficiency. Is it doing American Socialist leaders was first extended to him and to Jean Leon Jaures.

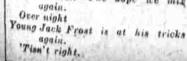
These questions are all linked tother and are all part of the question do we believe in the ministry?" Women want to be made eligible to American Socialists a few months ago Women want to be made eligible to sit as delegates at diocessau conventions. The request, put in the form of a memorial signed by 700 women, will be offered this afternoon by the Rev. Louis C. Washburn, rector of Old Christ Church. He requested and re-ceived permission to solvance the wor-DOCTORS HONOR M'CRAE

Philadelphia Physician Again Made elved permission to advance the wo-Secretary of National Body

neg's plea for recognition. The proposal is considered almost spech-making. The women themselves Atlantic City, N. J., May 5.-Dr. Thomas McCrea. of Philadelphia, was re-elected sccretary today at the an-nual convention of the Association of

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Still Chilly Fair and cool. The dope we mig



Jersey Refrigerators Provide "Progressive" Meal

Berlin (New Jersey) homes were night by who specialized in refrigerator combinations rather than safes, and who ate their loot as they found it. The homes of Jesse Heiss, * John Wright and Thomas Heaton were enwith an ultimatum expiring Ma resign,

15, when his tenure of office shall tered by two burglars. The men dined well, on a progressive three-course Determination of the military group They also got away with \$30

to force Carranza out of office would go far, officials here believe, to ac-Mr. Heiss told the police his watchcount for his failure to get under way any offensive campaign. To date the revolution has moved forward with-

out a battle. Francisco Villa has sent envoys from Satevo to Agua Prieta, Sonora, the headquarters of General P. Elias Cal-find commander of the revolutionary army of the northwest, but his over-tures were ignored, according to Chi-

bushua City reports. He was reported Sunday as being at Neoqui, near the railroad station of Ortiz, twenty miles railroad station of Ortiz, twee southeast of Chihuahun City.

> of William Hopkins, southwest corner of Thirteenth and Filbert streets.

solice station are investigating.

thwart, so far as he

Carranza generals have given their commander-in-chief until May 15 to ington learns unofficially. High military officers whom Carranza summoned a few days ago then advised him to retire. They now are reported to have supplemented their advice to gether with his description.

Mother Seeks Seclusion

Kenneth's mother has left the home on South Nineteenth street, to stay with relatives at Woodlyn, N. J. She of this body, he has noticed only to declares she cannot return to the fumiliar scenes where she was happy with her boy until he is recovered. Superintendent Mills has ordered the

department to "go the limit" find the boy. "I have directed the captain of de-

tectives to do everything possible to find the child," Superintendent Mills said today. "He and his men have said today. "He and his men have followed every possible clue and will continue to do so until the child is ocated, either dead or alive. "We will turn heaven and earth to locate that child," Captain Souder, of the detective bureau, said. "We've the detective bureau, said. "We've run out every clue and intend to solve

this mysterious case. The child must

found. Circulars bearing a picture and description of Kenneth have been prepared and distributed throughout the

tempt on the part of the Senate, the Congress or the people to take any action immediate immeidately or remotely affecting however slight degree, through change or modification, the provisions of the treaty of Versailles as it came to

New York, May 5.-President Re-ick. of the New York Stock Ex-

miek. us fresh from his signature. change, has issued a call to the heads "Constitutional order, lawful func-"Constitutional order, lawful func-tions, rights and duties of positions, throughout the country to attend a oaths of office as affecting the members conference in New York on May 7 to of this body, he has noticed only to discuss the proposed federal tax of bring into contempt. He has conjured up every power within his domestic per hundred shares on all stock transctions and to draft a plan for concert domain in his effort to compel this Sened action in opposing the adoption of ate to surrender its will and judgment such measure. The matter is consid to him, to become the mere automatons ered to be of such seriousness that im-to register his mandate—to approve this mediate drastic action is believed necto register his mandate-to approve the essary. treaty in its last minute detail as he essary. "With one blow," said Mr. Remick,

Must Be Self-Operative The House ways and means committee proposes a tax on the transfer—that is to say the purchase and sale—of se-

to pass any resolution looking to the curities which constitute the source of immediate establishment of peace that secondary money and working capital did not contemplate the unqualified ac-ceptance of the treaty, if that resoin the United States.

ceptance of the treaty, if that reso-lution required from the President the law, would destroy any incentive for performance of any act or duty in order trading in these securities, and hence vention that he can call his own. His delegates owe a temporary allegiance to him and a permanenr allegiance to the Old Guard. If Senator Penrose and his to secure peace. He argued that if any resolution was to be effective it would have to be self-operative. would thus rob the milassociates show capacity for leadership and produce a cardidate who looks likely, the Wood delegates will lose lit-The senator said Congress had the lions of holders of Liberty bonds and power to "unmake" any of its acts and all other securities of a means of con consequently had the power to repeal verting any of their securities into

the resolutions declaring a state of war with the innerial German Government "The proposed tax constitutes a with the imperial German Government

and with the Austro-Hungarian empire, grave threat against all our industrial and conumercial enterprises, against the Supporting his contention that interwhole American investing public and nationally the nation actually and leagainst all sound banking and gally is at peace, the senator discussed the terms and effect of the armistice. insurance in this country. Its logical results would tend to produce co declaring that by this document Ger-many had conceded its capitulation. He insolvency, industrial stagnution contended also that ratification of the contended also that ratification of the of the government itself." treaty of Versailles by Germany and

Continued on Page Six, Column Two U. S. FOOD PRICES DOUBLED

Here Much Less Than Europe's

Washington, May 5 .- (By A. P.)-

SLAIN IN MISTAKE FOR "COP"

Retired Banker Believed to Have

Los Angeles, May 5.—(By Å, P.)— Police expressed a belief that H. J. Robbins, retired Nebraska banker,

Robbins, retired Nebraska banker, whose body was found yesterday, was

killed in an attempt to avenge the shoot-ing of an unidentified burglar in the vicinity of the Robbins home recently.

The burglar slain by a special po-pliceman. Robbins's watch and a

large sum of money were found on his body. The police believe that whoever

killed Robbins had mistaken him for the

When you think of writing, think of WHITENG, -Adv.

Been Victim of Revenge

EMBEZZLER OUT ON BAIL February Figures Show Increase

Released Pending Sentence After Making Full Restitution

The family food budget in February **Harrisburg**, May 5.—(By A. P.)— **Farl J.** Gerber, who pleaded guilty in the Federal District Court here to em-bezzlement from the Wellsville National bor statistics.

During approximately the same ne Bank, was released on \$2000 bail to appear for sentence at the next session of riod in Great Britain, the increase was Williamsport, he having only 130 per cent, while in Italy it was titution. IS7 per cent. Germany outranked all the court in made full restitution. The sugar profiteering case to have countries enumerated with an increase

been tried today was continued pending of 224 per cent. Increase in prices of clothing in fermany, the statistics showed, exthe outcome of the suit to test the cou stitutionality of the Lever food act in Germany. ceeded 1000 per cent. A man's suit, which, before the war cost \$20, now sells for \$238. the United States Supreme Court, A true bill was returned against Dr.

Theodora Kharas, of Harrisburg, charged with fraud in the promotion Harrisburg. During the year ending last February in this country, sugar increased in price 76 per cent. Potatoes went over the top to the tone of a 275 per cent increase since February, 1913.

policeman.

special policeman.

FANNIE HURST

who, after a secret "independent marriage" five years ago, maintained a home apart from her husband and met him only by appointment

Writes of Love

of a girl for a man in

Her Story, "Thine Is Not Mine"

which starts Today in the

Evening Public Ledger on page 13.

to Devise Concerted Opposition to Measure

The Knox suggestion of Senator Pen-California campaign manage Hoover, conceded Senator Johnson's rose was a trial balloon. Sent up in convention which was getting voting without result, it pro election The vote tabulated today stood : c it probably would have held the air, but the exi

knox Proposal Trial Balloon

didate so long in advance that he will be thoroughly scrutinized before vol-ing begins. At that Knox has as much

chance of being nominated as has Low-

den, almost us much as has Wood, and

ter, an amiable person with much money and little political experience,

who is the titular head of the Wood

Moreover, Wood has litle in the con-

Kansas Woman Was Mixed in Alien

ton had by a unanimous vote recom

to allow her claims to any part of the

G. O. P. Presidential Race

Marked by Bitter Fights

Johnson defeated Hoover in Cali-

Wood leads Johnson in Indiana

with incomplete returns. Lowden

is third and Harding fourth. As no

candidate has obtained a majority,

the state's delegates probably will

The Republican convention in

Utah elected uninstructed national

The vote of Texas Democratic

county conventions indorsed the

The Kentucky Democratic con-

vention elected eight delegates, in-

eluding three women, each with a

Wilson administration.

fornia's presidential primaries,

be unpledged.

delegates.

half vote.

campaign.

a great deal more than has Harding. But if the Old Guard lacks co

Johnson, 288,795, Hoover, 158,583, gencies of Pennsylvania state politics puppelled Penrese to bring out his can

Mr. Hoover carried three of the fiftyfour counties represented, on the face of the incomplete returns. These included Los Angeles, where he had a plurality of 9200, with more than half the precincts still to report.

Hoover's home precinct, Stan-Mr. But if the Old Guard lacks cohe-sion and leadership so does the chief force that it has to overcome—the Wood candidacy. The Wood leaders hundred and seventy-four precincts in the Old Guard lacks cohewood candidacy. The wood leaders are constantly quarreling. Frank H. Hitchcock, whose reputation as a po-litical miracle worker is likely to go glimmering if the effort to nominate Wood fails, is jealous of Colonel Procthis county, Santa Clara, gave Senator Johnson almost a two to one plurality. however.

H. L. Carnahan, western campaign manager for Senator Johnson, today issued the following statement in ment

"Hiram Johnson has scored the greatest triumph in the history of Call-fornia politics. Hoover's opposition in California has served the one useful purpose of demonstrating to the country thoroughly Hiram Johnson' how achievements are appreciated by his own people.

Continued on Page Two, Column Four POLITICAL TRICKERY SEEN IN CALIFORNIA MRS. SCOVILLE-MUMM DIES

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

Property Tangle Paris, May 5. - (By A. P.)-Mrs. Frances Scoville-Mumm, a native of Kansas, died at Neuville Monday. She had recently undergone au operation. Scoville-Mumm, the wife of

be exerted. Johnson made his best showing, running fully three to one over the food administrator. Hoover made of German birth, had her American citizenship restored in October last. after the immigration committee of the House of Representatives at Washinghis best showing in Los Angeles and the country districts. In San Fran-cisco the Chronicle was supporting Johnson and in Los Angeles the Times but del adoption of a resolution' to re-patriate her. She proved she had not lived with De Mumm for several years, When the war broke out. De Mumm resumed his German citizenship and his was supporting Hoover. These are the most influential papers in California. Latest returns at hand show Hoover leading by a very small margin in Los properties in France were seized. The French courts held that Mrs. Scoville-Angeles and Riverside counties, but this Mumm by her marriage had assumed, her husband's nationality and refused. may be wiped out by revised returns.

The so-called silk stocking precincts San Francisco that were almost but Mrs. Scoville-Mumm secured a forces yesterday were showing up strong for Johnson in the early returns, while the labor districts' count showed Televille. conceded to Hoover by the Johnson The Johnson strength extended even across the bay. Southern California counties outside of Los Angeles and Riverside were reporting Johnson maforities early.

The result in California does not Incan what surface indications signify. Under the laws of this state, persons of any political faith may invade the polis and vote another ficket. It is known that thousands of Democrats went to the polls and voted for Johnson. This is a favorite trick of the politica bosses and is carried out for the double purpose of upsetting the calculations of party leaders and also for the influence it may have on the country at

large. large. Of course, it is fully understood that in November elections Johnson will get none of these votes, but the Democrats come out in large numbers and voted more as a pastime and for the pur-pose of muddling the situation. The

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MARCONTS WIRELESS VOYAGE Pictures of Marcool's remarkable wire acht and He seme-arroy in unat hume Pictorial Section of the Public Langua

of a state bank at Dauphin.

We can

factories, or

them, calmly folding her arms in the

sure comin' and these ladies can do all their washin' if they wants to. We can

"All my six places has give me mains," explained another expert of the

In some instances a new use for the husband has been found. He is becom-ing a handy man around the backyard, hanging up clothes. So things go in Merchantville. In the adjoining settlement of Home-red where the colored memory of Home-the colored memory of the settlement of the se

meals wasn't worth while, They asked money, too, for \$3, feeling, no doubt, that the added half-dollar would give a commercial **Backstiders in Both Camps** There are backsliders in both camps. glamour to the eternal struggle. A

get lots of other work in

A number housekeepers of the town, banded together in the Women's Club, passed a resolution not to pay more than the usual \$2.50 a day for help, ard Develin is president of the ebb. That was their comeback. Mrs. Ric ard Develin is president of the club. Result is that Merchantville is in women who come in by the day, as most

state of unsocial rest. A good many of of the regular, by-the-week, maids are the negro women are resting from their on the job.

the negro women are resting from their usual occupations and not a few of the housekeepers are resting after a session with the weekly wash.

strikers are not making their demands. That leaves the unsatisfied on both sides

In the adjoining settlement of frome that they have went their point, stead, where the colored people of the town live, there is a great calm. It is straightening out and that conditions are the calm of those who know that the nearly normal again. They also feel world needs them and cannot long do that they have won their point.

this morning, and stole three silk shirts city, valued at \$35. No one saw or heard Two hundred men will assemble

SHOW WINDOW ROBBED Thieves broke a \$150 plate glass win- be dow in the haberdashery establishment

work. Guess what it is-it isn't a hard

Uses for Husband

one-they want more money.

valued at \$35. No one saw or heard Two hundred men will assemble at the breaking of the window. The police Ninth and Johnson streets at 5 o'clock of the Eleventh and Winter streets this afternoon to make a thorough search police station are investigating. Captain Thornberg was sleeping on a was settee in his room. Engineer Franks WASHWOMEN ON STRIKE,

HOUSEWIVES GO TO TUBS

SOCIALIST PLAN BLOCKED Merchantville, N. J., Homes Are Upset When Maids of All Longuet Can't Go to Chicago for

Work Demand Higher Wage-Husbands Hang

Laundry on Line

One of the unkindest strikes of all is without them. The negro women are

in operation over in Merchantville, playing a waiting game. "We're in dec-pendent." said one of

The trouble is with the negro wash-women, cleaners and maids-of-all-worryin' a-t all. The hot weather is

They were getting \$2.50 and two meals a day for eight hours' work in Camden or Philadelphia. "All my six places has give use means around the house. Last week they de-raise," explained another expert of the

cided that life at two-fifty and two wash, "and they know I'm worth the