### BRITAIN REPLIES TO GERMANY'S CHARGE

Sir Edward Grey Says Berlin's Report of Belgian Record First He Knew of It.

BRIBE ATTEMPT ALLEGED

Answer to Imperial Chancellor's Speech in Reichstag Is Resume of Ante-Bellum Exchanges and Subsequent Events.

LONDON, Aug. 26. — Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, has sent a letter to the press reply-ing to a speech delivered in the Ger-man Reichstag last week by Dr. von

The two negotiations for an Anglo-German agreement in 1912, referred to by the German Chanceller, were brought to a point at which it was glear they could have no success unless. Saisibe is as ever resplendent with

clear they could have no success unless we. In effect, gave a provise of absolute neutrality while Germany remained free under her alliances to take part in a European war.

"The Chancellor quotes an isolated sentence of my speech of August 1, 1314, to prove that we were ready for war. In the heat sentence, which he might have quoted, but does not quote, I said:

We are going to suffer, I am afraid,

terribly in this war, whether we are in it or whether we stand aside.

"I leave it to anyone, outside of Germany, in any neutral country to settle for himself whether those are the words of a man who had desired and planned a European war or of one who had labored to avert it.

"We have passed the picture and consider it a wonderful production." This was the cordict of the Board of Censors Wednesday regarding the film

Statement is Desired.

"As to the other statement attributed to me, not even when we were
perfectly free, when Jaran, who was
our ally, had not entered the war, and
when we were not pledged to the other
allies as we are now by the agreement
of September 5, 1914, did I say anything so ridiculous or untrue as that it
was in the interest of Germany that
we had some to war and with the object
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was in the interest of Germany that we had gone to war and with the object of restraining Russin.

"The war would have been averted if the conference had been agreed to. Germany on the finnelest pretext shut the door against it. I would reck nathing on the point of form, and expressed myself ready to acquiesce in any method of mediation that Germany could suggest if mine were not acceptable. I said I was ready to co-operate in any method Germany thought possible if only Germany would press the button in the interests of peace.

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"The German Chancellor, according to his speech, encouraged nothing except direct discussion between Vienna and Petrograd. But what chance had that of success, when, as we heard afterwards, the German Ambassador at Visitha was expressing the opinion that Hussia would stand aside, and was conveying to his collecture the impression that he desired was from the first and that his strong personal bias culored his action there?

Peace Hopes Once Good.

The second only too apparent that in the proposal for the conference which we made and which Russia. Italy and France answered and which degrees And it was such a good hope.

The folia had accepted mostly all the Austrian ultimatum, severe and violent as it was The points outstanding total have been settled honorably and fairly in conference in a week.

The refusal of the conference by Germany, though it did not decide the possible participation is the war, did in fact decide the question of peace of auffrage.

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Chancellor and the public utterances in Germany new? Germany to control the destiny of all other nations, to be the shield of peace and freedom of big and small nations. Those are the Chancellor's words—an iron peace and a freedom under the Prussian shield, under German supremacy. Germany supreme. "Germany alone would be free—free to break international treaties, free to crush when it pleased her, free to refuse all mediation, free to go to war when it suited her, free when she did go to war to break again all rules of civilization and humanity on land and sea and while she may act thus, all her commerce at sea is to remain as free in time of war as all commerce is in time of peace.

of peace.

Freedom of the sea may be a rea "Freedom of the sea may be a rea-sonable subject for discussion, defini-tion and agreement between the na-tions after this war, but not by itself alone; not while there is no freedom and no security against war and Ger-man methods of war on land. If there are to be guarantees against future war, let them be equal comprehensive and effective guarantees that hind Ger-many as well as other nations includ-ing ourselves.

ing ourselves.

The German Minister of Finance adds that the heavy burden of thousands of millions must be borne through decades not by Germany, but by those whom he is pleased to call the instigators of

Not on such terms can peace be con-gluded or the life of other nations than Germany be free or even tolerable. The speeches of the German Chancellor and Finance Minister make it appear that Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor.

In the letter Sir Edward deals at and must fight for the right to live, not length with the charge that Belgium had trafficked her neutrality with Great Britain and the allies.

"One Belgian record, a conversation with the Belgian record, a conversation."

"Let it be remembered that the first use made by Germany of the Belgian with had faith to Germany. What is the true story? On July 13, 1314, the Gercan Chancellor tried to bribe us by a promise of future Belgian independence to become a party to the violation of Belgian neutrality by Germany. On the outbreak of the war he described the Belgian treaty as a strap of paper and the German foreign secretary explained:

The imperial government had to advance into France by the quickess and easiest way, so as to get well ahead with the operations and endeavor to sirthe some decisive blow as early as possible. It was a matter of life and death with them, as if they had zone by the more southern route they could not have hoped, in view of the paticity of roads and the strength of the fortreases, to have got through without formidable opposition, entailing great loss of time.

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"The wrong—I speak openly—the wrong we thereby commit we will try to make good as soon as our military gims have been attained.

"The German Chancellor does not emphasize in his latest speech that charge, which was spread broadcast against Belgium. Is it withdrawnt and if so, will Germany make repara-

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dahlias, and these gorgeous flowers will be sold in a booth built of these flaming blooms, at which Mrs. Guy Talt. Mrs. David Honeyman and Mrs. Eugene Heckbert, of Portland, will be in charge of a boyy of young girls.

HEILIG FILM IS PASSED

sider it a wonderful production."
This was the verdict of the Board of Censors Wednesday regarding the film production, "The Hirth of a Nation," an intense, realistic, stupendous drams-founded on Thomas Dixon's story, "The Clansman." It will be shown at the Heilig Theater commencing next Sun-

Women Learn Senator Voted for Susan B. Anthony Amendment.

A deputation of woman suffragists called on Senator Lane at his office Wednesday to tell him about the Susan States Constitution that they want to

The Senator reminded them that he voted for the amendment when it was up before, and that since then a lot of women have asked him to reverse his

Fractured Skull Unexplained.

Suffering from a fracture of the dispute should be settled by The Hague tribural. Is there ene candid soul in Germany and Austria-Flungary who, looking back on the past year, does not regret that neither the British nor rived in the city on a Southern Pacific the Russian proposal was accepted:

"And what is the German programme as we gather it from the speech of the jury could not be ascertained.

# STILL UNSETTLED

Theater Managers Willing to Confer, but Discharge of Present Players Unlikely.

UNIONS FAIL TO AGREE

Other Organizations Affiliated With Dissatisfied Body Withhold Approval of Walkout and "Unfair" Edict Is Held Up.

Repeated conferences between the theatrical managers of Portland and epresentatives of organized labor have failed to bring about an adjustment of the present situation that finds the union musicians out of the theater or-chestras and non-nuion men in their

While the theater managers have a

meving picture houses walked out, Their places, too, were filled with nonhelp.

union help.

The non-union men are employed now in all the theaters and are said to be giving satisfaction. It is understood that when the Bakor, Heilig and Orpheum theaters open for the Winter season they, too, will employ non-union orchestras.

The union players are eager to effect settlement of the situation, it is re-

If a settlement is not reached it is believed that the Central Labor Council will try to force a strike of all theat-rical employes and place all theaters on

TEUTONS FACE BULGARIA

Remembering Fate of Bulgaria, Nation May Let Germans Pass.

LONDON. Aug. 25. — Telegraphing from Bucharest, the Balkan correspond-ent of the Times says reports have been

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the effect that the Austro-German forces, which are being concentrated along the northern bank of the Danube for the projected invasion of Serbia,

for the projected invasion of Serbia, will enter that country through Buigarian territory via Widini. Belgradchik and Sofia.

The Times' correspondent, who usually is well informed, declares he has reason to believe the Bulgarian government has been notified of this intended aggression, with the admonition that opposition would be futile, and the suggestion it co-operate with the central powers.

The fate of Belgium, he says, he has heard, has been cited as an object lesson of what might happen if resistance were offered, while Bulgaria has been told that if she acquiesces in the plan she will be given a free hand in dealing with Serbia.

Much will depend, the correspondent asserts on the attitude of Roumania, whose intentions are unknown, but who is believed to be averse to another Bal-

s believed to be averse to another Bal kan conflict and to disapprove an at-tack on Serbia.

### FRIENDS ABDUCT BRIDE

THEODORE JOHNSON WAITS LONG IN VAIN FOR NEW WIFE.

Wedding of Miss Selma Carson Held Up Hour and 15 Minutes by Mob; Police Take Hand,

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west Washington Fair Wednesday, on the occasion of Portland-Scattle-Tamistake in the invitation sent from Centralia last week, apparently the date for Portland-Seattle-Tacoma day was Wednesday, August 25. No further notice of a change in date was sent the Portland Chamber of Commerce, although it appeared Wednesday when the delegation reached Centralia that the date had been set for Thursday, August 26.

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the occasion of Portland-Seattle-Ta-coma day, and found themselves the sole guests of the occasion. Through a Wilson, of this city, enjoys the happy

will desert him and he will be hurried to give, that caused his aged fatheroff to the zoo, where less consideration will be shown him.

At his owner's home in the Thomas,
"Beauty" is given the utmost freedom.

When Movie Photographs.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20 .- Society has explored some of the remotest cor-

a settlement of the situation, it is reported, so that they can return to work.

Meanwhile pressure is being brought on the other unions affiliated with the stage employes, bill posters, mechanics and engineers.

In the moving picture houses the union men are trying to get the motion picture operators to Join in the strike. It is considered probable that the unionized operators will go out before the end of the week in sympathy with the musicians, but in that event the managers are thoroughly protected by having non-union men in reserve.

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SON-IN-LAW IS WHIPPED Man. 72, Punishes Another Who

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.-Wesley C. lice say.

At his owner's home in the Thomas, "Beauty" is given the utmost freedom, even to recilining in his mistress' arms to receive the daily manicure and bath, and when he is real nice he is allowed to accompany his benefactress on her morning walks and drives. He showed the greatest delight when the "movie man" arrived to chronicle his funny little antics.

At first, in true savage fashion, he tried to intimidate his andience, but when he was told it was quite the proper thing for well-bred Americans to be exploited in the "movies," he growled his approbation and blinked and purred and somersaulted until the camers film was exhausted.

"Beauty" was captured in the wilds of Brazil before his eyes were open and was sent to Mrs. Wilson by a friend.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 26.—A woman's frailty brought about the arrest today of four men accused of having held up skirts of Butte last Friday night. James skirts of Butte last Friday are in jail in Barry and Tom Mulcahy are in jail in Great Falls. Mont., and Hiram Johnson and Edward Clark were arrested here. The woman said she took part in the holdup plot. When she was confronted by the police she confessed, Butte po-

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