# HUGHES ATTACKS LEGISLATIVE PORK

Waste and Inefficiency Are Denounced.

## SCIENTIFIC METHODS URGED

Business-Like Administration Is Promised.

### SCHEDULE IS MOVED UP

Early Start to Be Made Today, to Permit Night Address at Billings, Mont .- Five Short Stops Are Planned.

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 10. - Charles E. Hughes tonight assailed the present Administration for inefficiency, waste and extravagance, particularly with reference to the river and harbor bill, passed by Congress.

"I think I may say without rashness." Mr. Hughes told an audience here "that the Government of the United States is recklessly wasteful, shame-fully incompetent and extravagant, a reproach to the intelligence of the peo-ple because of its inefficiency.

I would like to have the authority to investigate this Administration for about six months," the nominee con-"The rivers and harbors bill known to the people as the pork-barrel blii," Mr. Hughes said, "is largely money wasted, as there is no expert examination to determine what expenditures are needed.

#### Logrolling Must Be Stopped.

'On the contrary, it largely depends on who are the influential men representing particular districts and what appropriations are obtained in this district and that district for this man and that man.

brings a blush of shame to the cheeks of every American. It ought to be atopped. If I am elected President, to the best of my ability, I propose to

Mr. Hughes declared the pork barrel bill of 1914 was "talked to death by Senator Burton, a fine Republican, and that the 1915 bill was reduced materialy because of the opposition of Republicans and conscientious Democrats.

## Executive Leadership Not Exerted.

"This year, just the other day," the nominee continued, "Congress passed rivers and harbors bill of some \$42,-000,000. I confess I don't know why such a measure should receive approval. have heard a great deal lately of the power of executive leadership. It has been powerfully exerted. Why can it not be exerted to save the public purse from being looted in the interest of these ridiculous appropriations.

Four years ago our opponents ar raigned the Republican party for extravagance and waste and reckless expenditure. Then they proceeded to be more lavish in appropriations than the Republican party had been. They arraigned the Republican party for lack of businesslike Administration and then they proceeded to be absolutely prolific in their appropriations.

## Extravagance Always Condemned.

Now, I have no apologies for Republican extravagance. I am just as quick to condemn that which is wrong my own party as I am anywhere else. I don't stand for what I don't believe to be right, simply because it is under the banner of a particular

Mr. Hughes read again the letter sent em by E. Dana Durand, in which Mr. Dirand declared his resignation as director of the census "was distinctly fored," in denial of Secretary Redfled's assertion that the resignation was voluntary. The nominee also read again the letter written by William J. Bryan, as Secretary of State, to the Receiver-General of Santo Domingo, asking for a list of offices that could be filled by "deserving Democrats." Places for deserving Democrats," Hughes said, "has been the motto

of the Administration in a nutshell. "My friends, I stand for a business like administration of the Government of the United States, not for politics, not for reward of friends, not to build up a personal machine, not to put myself in any particular position of favor, but to administer honestly the affairs of the

#### United States." Expert Advice Ignored. Reverting to the rivers and harbors

iver. That is an illustration, as I to port this afternoon in a disabled nderstand it, of a case where there condition. has been an expert report against the appropriation. That expert report was, understand it, to the effect that \$25,000 should be the appropriation. Two hundred thousand dollars and over were appropriated right in the teeth of the report on the examination of

the project."
The Mexican situation was discussed The Administration, Mr. Hughes said, by vaciliation, weakness nd strong-headedness, had brought us close to grave differences. The only clear course we had in Mexico was nado which struck Oxford, Neb., early

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# PEAR HARVEST NOW ITALIANS CLEARING

MEDFORD CROP ABOVE AVER-AGE IN SIZE AND QUALITY.

Bartletts Are Bringing From \$1.75 to \$2 f. o. b. and Prices for Other Varieties Are Higher.

MEDFORD, Or., Aug. 10 .- (Special.) -The Bartlett pear picking season is ow in full swing and all indications point to a \$1,000,000 pear and apple BOTH ARE MAKING PROGRESS rop for the Rogue River Valley in Fifteen cars of pears already have been shipped. They now are go ing out on an average of 10 cars a pear crop as far as size and quality

Nearly all the fruit packed thus far s extra fancy, while the prices have been record-breaking. Bartlett pear sales are averaging from \$1.75 to \$2, . o. b. Medford, and if the present aucion market holds up this average may be surpassed. The other varieties of pears slways bring higher prices. The first sale of Howells has been made at \$2, f. o. b. Medford, for future delivery. Higher prices are expected for Winter Nellis and D'Anjous.

The Rogue River Fruit and Produc Association this year is handling most of the local crop, the cold storage plant being a decided inducement to

## OREGON OFFICER TO WED

Dallas Girl to Marry Lieutenant Chenoweth on Border.

IMPERIAL BEACH, Cal., Aug. 7 .-(Special.)-There soon will be a real war bride and a war bridegroom with the Third Oregon Infantry. At least, there is going to be a near-war marriage on the border here, with the regimental chaplain officiating, a Lieutenant as bridegroom and an Oregon

girl as bride.

O. I. Chenoweth is the bridegroom-to-be. Officially he is Second Lieutenant of Company L. of Dallas. Miss Gertrude Pollow, of Dallas, is the girl the Lieutenant. Arrangements have been made with Major Gilbert, chaplain of the regiment, to perform the cere-

Lieuterant Chenoweth was to have een mairied on June 21, but the mobilization call came three days before. He already has rented one of the most attractive cottages adjacent to the

### VALUE OF HONEY \$90,000

Survey of Oregon Shows 60,000 Colonies; Yield 909,000 Pounds.

SALEM, Ot., Aug. 10.—(Special.)— Oregon's bees will manufacture \$90,000 worth of honey this year, according to estimates of O. P. Hoff, State Labor commissioner, who has just completed

survey of the bee industry of Oregon age of 15 pounds of aurplus honey to the colony.

Estimating that each colony contains 2000 bees. Oregon's honey bee population is 120,000,000.

## SPECIAL PROVIDED BY DRYS the city was attended with heavy loss.

Nominees for President and Vice-President to Tour Country.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 10 .- Use of a special train to enable J. Frank Hanly, nominee for President, and Dr. Ira Landrith, candidate for Vice-President, reach the entire Nation has been authorized by the Prohibition National

campaign committee. It is understood the train will start about September 12. The itinerary, it was announced, would be taken up

## MILK DELIVERIES CEASE

St. Louis Strike Marked by Interference With Retailers.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 10 .- Dairies affected by the strike and lockout of union milk drivers did not attempt household deliveries in St. Louis today, but considered plans for resuming delivery

service tomorrow. Many strikers were arrested today. There was considerable interference with grocery and bakery wagons that went to the dairies to get milk to

## ROSE CITY TURNS BACK

Steamship Has Machinery Trouble

at Outset of Voyage. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10. - (Speperopriations of 1916, Mr. Hughes San Francisco & Portland Steamship "Take, for example, the Arkansas Company, which left this morning for Los Angeles harbor, was towed back twee. That is an illustration as a

> Officials of the company said that nachinery trouble was responsible, and announced that the coaster would resume her run without delay.

## TORNADO HITS OXFORD, NEB.

Burlington Roundhouse Razed; 3 Persons Injured.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 10 .- A torto protect the rights of American cit- today destroyed the Chicago, Burling-Mr. Hughes repeated his views assailing the Administration for the appointment of inexperienced men to the
public service.

A heavy rain which accompanied the ton & Quincy roundhouse, unroofed the "This paying of political debts with wind, flooded practically all the cel-

lars in the town.

Army Moving Forward in Two Columns.

Cavalry Continues Pursuit of Austrians in Open.

#### STAGGERING BLOW STRUCK

Total of Prisoners Increased to 22,-000-With Menace to Flank Removed, Advance Along Coast Is Expected Soon.

BY ARTHUR S DRAPER (War Correspondent of the New Yo Tribune. By Special Cable.)

LONDON, Aug. 10 .- (Special.)-The talians, sweeping through the breaches they have cut in the Isongo line, are learing the way for an advance on

The troops of the Duke of Aosta are noving forward in two columns. While me is pushing along the railroad running east from Gorisia, striving to con trol the whole of the Gorizian plain, the other is driving the Austrians from the Carso plateau.

Total of Prisoners 22,000. In both movements today the Italians sade progress, bringing their total of prisoners to more than 22,000. The cavalry continues the pursuit of the who is expected here shortly to wed Austrians in the plain and is bringing in many captives. On the Carso, the broke through a strong invader line near San Martino and oc-

upied the village of Boschini. The news from the Italian front that reached London today intensified the mpression that the victory was being pressed in the fullest measure. Italy has struck a staggering blow at Aus-Assailed by two tria as has Russia Francis Joseph's armies are hard put

Austrians in Full Retreat. "Hordes of the devil" is the way one the Italian infantry. The artiliery rained absolute destruction on the enemy lines while the troops advanced

like avenging furies.

The robbers relieved Mr. Dunlop of Vienna, admitting tonight the loss his money and when he attempted to forward so swiftly that many Austrians were trapped before they could retreat from the fortress city. The Austrians assert, moreover, to have captured 4000 prisoners. The Italian counts concede that the capture of

Cavalry Presses on Rapidly. for an invasion of Austria on a wide camps who complains of conditions "is forced down and closed a trifle under front, besides cutting railroad communications to Trieste, east of the (Concluded on Page 2, Column 2,)

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## AUTO DROPS FROM ROAD; FOUR HURT

WIFE OF HUBBARD MAN MAY DIE; OTHERS BADLY INJURED

Machine Turns Out on Edge of Pacific Highway Near New Era and Goes Over Bank.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 10 .- (Spe cial.)-Frank Fish, 52, a retired farmer iving at Hubbard, is suffering sever nternal injuries; his wife has a fractured thigh, dislocated knee cap, disocation of both bones of the right timb, spinal injuries and bruises of the head, and may die, as a result of an auto accident near New Era about 9 o'clock tonight.

Another occupant of the machine Amy Pish, 15, a daughter of Frank Fish, suffered a fracture of the left leg, a deep cut on the calf of the left leg and a fracture of the left shoulder olade, while Miss Edith Johnson, 15 of Needy, sustained severe bruises an suffered from shock.

All the injured are being cared for at the hospital at Hubbard by Dr. Ed-Mr. Fish was driving south on the Pacific Highway south of New Era, when he turned his machine out of

the center of the road to pass another car, according to the reports. His car went over the edge of the grade and rolled down about 50 or 75 feet to the Southern Pacific tracks. It turned over three times, throwing the occupants out, and finally alighted on its wheels, not badly damaged. It was believed that the edge of the bank gave way, causing the car to slip off the roadway.

## HERRICK IS FAR IN LEAD

Cleveland Man Has 80,000 Votes to 32,773 for Nearest Opponent.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 10 .- Official revotes for the Republican nomination for United States Senator, while Harry M. Daugherty, of Columbus, received 32,773 and Charles Dick, of Akron,

only opponent, John J. Lentz, of Co-

### MAN HELD UP AND SHOT Highwaymen Shoot When Victim At-

tempts to Draw Gun.

DRAIN, Or., Aug. 10.—(Special.)— to changing prices, but we must soon wo men hold and shot a Mi. Dunlop, take measures of some kind to protect enemy lines while the troops advanced to the charge. The Austrians are now in disorderly retreat, pursued by the horsemen and the Bersaglieri, riding of here on the Pacific Highway.

In this evening, The bold-up came about two miles south of here on the Pacific Highway.

Pit Trading is Tumultunus.

a survey of the bee industry of Oregon.

Mr. Hoff's investigation shows that there are approximately 60,000 bee colonies in the state and they will prorobbers.

#### Crying Guards Called "Bables." SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Aug 10 .- Major.

tonight from his inspection trip along above yesterday's closing.

DOLLAR WHEAT IN OREGON.

# FLOUR KEEPS PACE

Heavy and Widespread

## TUMULT IS CAUSED IN PIT

Exciting Scenes Mark Grain Trading in Chicago.

MAY OPTION UP TO \$1.55

Reports of Frost in Alberta Inten sify Situation-Bakers Say They Will Be Compelled to Meet New Situation.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10 .- (Special.) -- Heavy dvances in the price of flour were anounced today, based on the sudden and sensational rise in wheat. Wheat quocrop shortage, gained new verification, the 10 and 11-cent advances recorded to face with the prospect of an increased price of bread. Large bakers declared, wever, that no immediate change in submarine line. the price of that commodity is con

A leading milling firm of Minneap-

#### Flour May Advance Further. "Further advances will have to b

choed this statement and called atof flour had advanced \$2 a barrel in the last two months. "We shall have to do something, that is certain," said a prominent baker.

Pit Trading is Tumultuous. The tumult which marked yesterday's trading in the pit was intensified today. Opening quotations disclosed a slight break in September wheat over

st few minutes of

Then a spell of furious bidding drove figures up to and beyond yesterday's General Tasker H. Bliss, chief of staff May wheat, half an hour after bid-of the United States Army, arrived here ding began, reached \$1.55, two cents the border and to General Perahing's advance was recorded in the grain for The fall of Gorinia opens the way be and soldier in the National Guard Later in the morning the market was

yesterday's final figures.

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# OF SKIRT LEADS TO DUEL.

Advance Is Made.

ade if the wheat market does not Senator Atlee Pomerene, Democrat, of Canton, in the same counties, received 51.718 votes to 31,121 for his against the rise in wheat yesterday, le alone against the new advance today." Officers of another milling company

We have not yet given much thought to changing prices, but we must soon

The tension was increased by reports

# WOMEN ENGAGE IN FISTIC ENCOUNTER

ALLEGED REMARK ON HEIGHT

Combatants Prominent Residents of Winchester and Merits of Case to Be Heard in Court.

ROSEBURG, Or., Aug. 10 .- (Special.) Culminating from a remark alleged have been uttered by Mrs. Flora Gilliam, a popular Winchester woman. concerning the height of dresses worr by Mrs. Hugh Pearson, the two en

gaged in a fistic encounter. Mrs. Gilliam later appeared in the Justice Court and caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of Mrs. Pearson on a charge of assault.

The complaint charges that there vas such hair pulling and slapping pefore the encounter closed that ser ious injuries were inflicted. The trial robably will be held next week. Mrs. Gilliam has denied that she nade the remark attributed to her by Mrs. Pearson. Both are prominent in their home community and the fistic event caused a sensation there.

## BREMEN AGAIN REPORTED

Submarine Believed by Germans to Be Off Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 10 .- Reports that the German submarine merchanttations, forging upward, as report of a man Bremen, sister ship to the Deutschland, is off the capes and will and the market went two cents above pass into Hampton Roads within the next 24 hours were current here toyesterday and brought consumers face night and were believed in German circles in close touch with the Eastern Forwarding Company, agents for the

One rumor that gained wide circulation and credence was that the Bremen would come in early tomorrow. The COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 10.—Official returns on Tuesday's state primary decided today by the Secretary of State from 37 of the 88 Ohio counties gave Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, 80,007 yotes for the Republican nomination.

A leading miling firm of Minneap—would come in early tomorrow. The weather is cloudy and threatening and offers an excellent opportunity, it was pointed out. for the submersible to eather the capes. the capes.

> BERLIN, Aug. 10 .- Great mystery currounds the submarine Bremen. Even official circles here profess ignorance as to whether the vessel has put to sea, or, if she has, on what date she

## BAKERS FAVOR EMBARGO and with that they rested their case.

President Asked to Restrain Exportation of Wheat Crop.

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 10. - The ational Association of Master Bakers day elected F. S. McDonald, of Memphis, president; Paul J. Stern, of Mil-waukee, vice-president; Fred S. Freund, St. Louis, treasurer, and E. J. Arnold, of Providence, R. I., and E. B. Strain, of Battle Creek, Mich., members of the executive committee. The next con-

vention city will be Chicago A resolution was adopted and sent to The Democrats used 14 players, President Wilson and to Congress, ask- Nichols, of South Carolina; Rouse, of A resolution was adopted and sent to ing that an embargo be placed on the Kentucky, and Harrison, of Mississippi,

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#### FINAL SCORE IS 18 TO 13

Speaker Clark and Minority Leader Mann Are Honorary Umpires and Uncle Joe Cannon Eats Popcorn While He Roots

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10,-The annual louse baseball game went Republican the first Democratic defeat in four

Republican Representatives The coasted after the game that their wellbalanced team was responsible for the victory, but the Democrats laid it at the doors of a country Chautauqua. They esentative Yates Webb, of North Carolina, who for years has held the Republicans at his mercy, fell over a bench while reaching out to shake hands with an admirer after a speech in Virginia yesterday and badly sprained his left arm.

### Allhi Received With Derision.

This alibi aroused decision among the Republicans, who pointed out Webb is a right-hander, but the Democrats replied that it was a left arm in jury that retired Mathewson from the game, though, he too, is a right-hander,

The Republicans appeared to be in better condition than their oppo They used only nine men, though they frequently changed positions. Repre-sentative Sydney Mudd, their Maryland pltcher, starred. He made two runs, three hits, six putouts and seven as sists, and struck out six men.

Seven Made in One Inning. Only once in the sixth was he batted hard. Democrats then scored seven runs. After that Johnson, of South Dakota, and Miller, of Delaware, relieved Mudd for a short time, but he came back strong later.

starred for them, each obtaining three trading saw a decline in all grades, vent any further advance in the mar- hits. Harrison also scored three runs, made several remarkable stops at short and held the Republicans runless while pitching the last two innings. Speaker Clark and Republican Leader Mann were honorary umpires, but they

#### Cannon consumed three boxes of poporn while he yelled encouragement to the Republicans.

Lineup of the Teams The lineup: Republicans-Mudd, Maryland, p., ef .. c., if.; Johnson, South Dakots, c. and p.; Anderson, Minnesots, 1b.; Bacharach, New Jersey, 2b.; Gray, New

ler, Delaware, lf. and p.: Farr, Pennsyl-

never left the grandstand. Uncle Jou

vania, cf.; Denison, Illinois, rf. Democrats-Nichols, South Carolina, 3b.; Harrison, Mississippi, ss. and p.; McClintic, Oklahoma, If.; Rouse, Kentucky, 1b. and c.; Oldfield, Arkansas, c. and 1h.; Scully, New Jersey, cf. and c; Kincheloe, Kentucky, rf.: Gallivan, Massachusetts, 2b, and cf.; Webb, North Carolina, p., 2b., ss.; McDermott, Illi-nois, cf. and 2b.; Cladwell, New York, rf.; Garrett, Tennessee, rf.; Sears, Flor-ida, if.; Carter, Oklahoma, if.

COUNTRY BARS CANDIDATE Dr. Irias, Nomince for President. Cannot Land in Nicaragua.

LA LIBERTAD, Republic of San Salvador, Aug. 10 .- Dr. Julian Irias, nominee of the Liberal party of Nicaragua for the Presidency, arrived today at Corinto, Nicaragua, on the steamship Ecuador from Costa Rica. The Nicaraguan authorities would not permit him to land, nor will he be allowed to enter any other Nicaraguan port. Irias will disembark at Acajutla, San

Salvador. Dr. Irias is one of the candidates in the Nicaraguan campaign, which is being contested bitterly. Charges of fliegal use of power by the govern were made by Miguel Alvarez, a Managua editor, in a recent communi that he sent to Washington.

## COURT ENJOINS EMBARGO

Judge Rules Jersey City Cannot Regulate Munitions Shipments.

BELMAR, N. J., Aug. 10 .- A prelimnary injunction restraining the Jersey. City Commissioners from enforcing an embargo on shipments of munitions by railroads which resulted from the railroads which resulted from the recent disastrous Black Tom explosion was granted by United States Judge Relistab at his home here today. He held the action of the Commis-

sioners to be illegal and that sole power to regulate the shipment of page 1... costly to Oregon. Page 16 | State Commerce Commission.

# GEN. MERCHANDISE HURRY PA ORTLAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OREGON FARMER