NATION-WIDE HUNT ON FOR PLOTTERS

Plan to Poison Meat for Army Bared by Agents, Who Are Rounding Up Germans.

INCENDIARY ACTS CHECKED

Operatives in Chicago Arrest 50 Enemy Agents and Thereby Nip Movement to Damage and Destroy Property.

CHICAGO, April 8 .- (Special.) -A

tice, have obtained evidence of plans to destroy property, to endanger life by a nefarious scheme to distribute dis-ease germs and to poison meat at the

Stockyards.
Some of the meat which was to have been infected was for the use of the United States Army. A dozen persons have been involved in plots to burn buildings and bridges. Locations of the places to be attacked are said to have been discovered in a raid on an outlying apartment in which fire bombs operated by ingenious clockwork attachments and materials to create fires were seized.

Investigation

Investigator Keeps Counsel.

Regarding the extraordinary activitles of his large force of agents, Mr. Clabaugh will say nothing. The only arrest which has become public is that Friday night of Gustav H. Jacobsen, a real estate operator known to be the personal representative of Herr Ballin.

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days with reference to the programme.

Indications are that the Administration's financial programme will meet with overwhelming support in both Houses and that the proposed bond lesue will be authorized without loss of time.

Considerable more time, it is thought will be consumed in the passage of the war revenue measure to follow. Sentiment in Congress, apparently crystallized in support of the programme of advancing an enormous loan to the allies, varies greatly as to the methods

As to what outlines the income tax law will assume upon emerging from the committee, one man's guess, an of-ficial said tonight, is as good as another's. There appears to be a general sentiment for lowering the present exemption and raising the rates heavily on large incomes. heavily on large incomes. A gradu-ated scale may be adopted in revising

the excess profits tax law. Suggestions that part of the war revenue be raised by the imposition of stamp taxes on checks and other docu-

AN UNDIGESTED DINNER

Worse than a badly cooked dinner is a dinner that you can't digest. Do you know what it is to turn away from the best food, ill-humored and without appetite, though you know that it is dinner

for food, but are able to digest it com-fortably and get benefit from it. So many dyspeptics have been helped by this simple treatment that every suf-

ferer from stomach trouble should try it.

A diet book, "What to Eat and How to Eat' will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schen-ectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or a box will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of lifty cents.

ments and that a consumption tax be placed on sugar, tea and coffe have been made in both branches of Congress and it appears likely that these will be considered.

Officials in charge of the financial

programme found themselves the center of a country-wide bombardment today of telegrams and letters of approval. From every section came assurances of support. Offers of co-operation were received from individual corporations, firms and banks.

Many Banks Offer Aid. Many of the latter offer to place at the disposal of the proper authorities all means within their power for dis-tributing and aiding in the sale of the

onds. Expecting the usual variance of opin on generally manifested with the an-nouncement of any proposed financial egislation, officials were stirred by the unanimity of the approval and by the unanimity of the approval and the unmistakeable note of patriotic support in the great volume of communications received. They expressed their satisfaction with predictions that when the big bond issue is offered for sale the response of the Nation will be such as the world has never seen before

ADVERTISING MEN OFFER AID Plan to Raise \$5,000,000,000 in Old Glory Week Suggested,

secret agen's will be made at once by a small army of secret service men, other special employes co-operating with state, city and county officials throughout the Union.

The arrest Friday picks of the Treasury McAdoo suggesting a plan for the raising of \$5,000,000,000 for the Government in one week, to be known as Old Glory week. The tales CHICAGO, April 8 .- The National Ad-Two Western of the Government in one week, to be known to have been plotting against the United States or to have been violating neutrality laws was but the beginning of a concerted movement to capture those guilty of treason before they could do more harm.

Two Western of the Government in one week, to be known as Old Glory week. The telegram asserted that the loan could be subscribed through the advertisers' plan at a saving of \$25,000,000 a year for the term of the loan by making the interest rate 3 per cent. The telegram read:

"Every advertise."

"Every advertising and other club, church, lodge, labor organization, manu-facturers' and agricultural association, More than 50 men and two women have been taken into custody in Chicago within the tast few days. Some have been under surveillance for weeker and announcement of their arrest is held in physance until their confederates are caught.

Operatives working under Hinton G. Charaltes in connection with Old Glory lean in connection with Old Glory. Operatives working under Hinton G. Glory lcan in connection with Old Glory (Clabaugh, head of the local bureau of investigation of the Department of Justines Chickens of plans sation.

"Knights of Holy Grail."

EUGENE, Or. April 8.—(Special.)— the story the Central Presbyterian Church in Eugene at its Easter services today consecrated five of its members to the the books real estate operator known to be the personal representative of Herr Ballin, director general of the Hamburg-American line and a friend of the Kaiser. The activities of the local office of the Hamburg-American line, which has no business in this country now, have had the attention of the Government for many menths.

Several German employes of the International Harvester Company, who have been watched by secret service men working among them, have been taken into custody. One was an assistant foreman of a shop. Six conductors on the surface lines also have been apprehended.

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PATRIOTIC APPEAL.

Annual Easter Devotional Programme Is Preceded by Parades-Bands Lead Way to Churches.

lies, varies greatly as to the methods to be pursued in raising revenue through taxation.

In general terms, it seems certain the Stars and Stripes were displayed that the bulk of the additional revenue will be raised through revision of the will be raised through revision of the income and excess profits tax laws. It is also likely that the tax on whisky, beer and tobacco will be raised.

Income Tax Is Uncertain.

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Tinoco if elected. Some anxiety has ben manifested in the probable position Tinoco would take, but in case the executives of the other four Central American governments join in the war any obstruction. Tinoco might set up would be of little consequence.

Germans Believed to Have Failed.

American officials continue to watch closely every move in Mexico, but lit-

The parade of Oregon Commandery No. 1 led to the First Congregational Church, where, in the annual Easter devotional services, Eminent Commander Norris R. Cox, Sir Fred A. Van in that country have falled and that Kirk, prelate; Rev. Luther R. Dyott.

D. D., and William Davis, marshal, officiated.

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pastor of the church

and the suspension of the Hawali station, it is officially announced that Japan will dircontinue the handling of public wireless messages to and form the United States.

Life and Love in Home Ideally Shown in "Little Women."

ROLES WELL INTERPRETED

Psychological Analysis Not Attempted, but Simple Story From Past Brings Pleasantly Painful. Sympathetic Tears.

Mrs. March.....Lora Rogers Meg.....Eleanor Parker JoAline MacDermott BethNancy Duncan

It is good for the soul to slip into the Baker Theater this week and sit back in the shadow-if your pride is sensitive-so that no one can see the tears trickle down your nose nor observe the surreptitious dabs of your handkerchief, and to live over again the home drama of "Little Women." with the Alcazar players, whose week in this play began last night.

There are none of the mechanics of dramatic effect that belong in the upto-the-half-second play of modern life; there is none of the masterly psychological analysis and exposition that belongs to another type of play, which

longs to another type of play, which the modern authority on things theat-rical loves to revel in.

Out of the past, the dear, sane, gen-

uine past, the story of life and love in the American home as the American home ought to be, comes "sweet and still and sudden as a bird swings in the rain." Simple Appeal Brings Response.

It may, be after all, an indication that the average of American people haven't gone so far astray after new and strange gods as some savants would have us believe, when one finds them responding them responding naturally and simply to the appeal of the little story. It isn't worth while here to review the story of "Little Women." The American of mature years who doesn't remember "Little Women" as one of the books that laid a strong and tender

SIX BILLIONS ARE ASKED

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has apparently no opportunity of recognition by the United States. Frederica inoco, who overthrew the governm of Alfredo Gonzalez in January, was elected President April 1. Official noti-fication of his election was received at the State Department yesterday.

closely every move in Mexico, but lit-tie real anxiety remains. It is be-lieved now that German machinations in that country have falled and that the worst that may be expected from

"The Greatest Triumph-of the Ages" was the theme of Dr. Dyott's sermon. He spoke of the founding of the Knights Templar and of their pilgrimages to the hold land in the middle ages.

"But." he said, "being loyal servants of God is the duty which you have always performed, and now there is another mission before you—that of helping to kindle the fires of patriotism and love of country and keeping the flames of fervor alive.

"Stand together, not so much to fight a country, but that which would in time"

Investigation by officers of the American Army showed that the reports of German reservists crossing from the United States into Mexico had been exaggerated and that the total number crossing the Rio Grande since the breaking of relations with Germany up to 10 days ago was not more than 100.

BRAZIL TO UPHOLD DIGNITY Action Depends on Result of Probe

petite, though you know that it is dinner time and those you need food to sustain you? This is nature's way of telling you have your digestion is out of order. Your stomach is not in a fit state to absorb food if you eat it, or your blood able to carrythe necessary nourishment to your nerves, brain and muscles. First of all, put off eating until you are not hungry. If you eat when you are not hungry you can't digest the food.

To put your blood in the right state to derive good from your food, take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Without any purgative or weakening effect they purify your blood and enrich it, so that you not only have an excellent appetite for food, but are able to digest it comfortably and get benefit from it.

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"Stand together, not so much to so much to fight a country, but that which would in time kill Germany itself.—Imperialism." It is something to be willing to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We must all do something to sacrifice for the cause. We may be called unto the sacrifice for the cause. We may be called unto the sacrifice for the cause. We may be called unto the sacrifice for the caus

"The Government has instructed the Japan Closes Wireless to U. S.

Brazilian Minister to France to proceed urgently with the inquiry, which will be carried on by our consulate at Cher-

Activity prevails in Rio Janeiro and special anchorage has been arranged fr.—e German ships in the port. The students have called a meeting for tomorrow to decide what attitude should be adopted in the way of reprisal in face of the German assault.

WAY REGARDED AS CLEAR Press of Uruguay Commends Action

of America.

MONEVIEDO, Uruguay, April 8 .- The MONEVIEDO, Uruguay, April 8.—The newspapers devbote many columns to the war between the United States and Germany. El Siglo says the entrance of the United States is a telling blow to Germany and that it points the way for neutrals which are still hesitating. The sinking of the Brazilian steamship Parana and similar incidents, it says, may result in the intervention of other nations on the same ground that led the United States to act.

El Diario del Plats says the action

El Diario del Piata says the action of the United States is of transcendental importance. It commends the Government and the people of the United States for the stand they have

ARGENTINA PRESS COMMENTS One Paper Forecasts Difficulties in Maintaining Commerce.

BUENOS AYRES, April 8.—All the newspapers are filling pages with articles in regard to the entrance of the United States and Cuba into the war, publishing pictures of President Wilson, President Menocal and other prominent men of the two nations. La Prensa believes one important result of Cuba's action will be to make impossible the operation of German submarines and commerce raiders from bases in the Antilles. BUENOS AYRES, April 8 .- All the

bases in the Antilles.

La Nacion says the action of the United States means that South America is confronted with a grave situa-tion and foresees difficulties in the maintenance of commerce.

MEXICAN CONGRESS TO DECIDE

Carranza May Not Make Forma

MEXICO CITY, April s.—The part Mexico will play in the world war will be decided by the newly elected Congress, according to opinions expressed tonight by men in close touch with government affairs. Both chambers now are revising the credentials of the newly-elected Services. now are revising the credentials of the newly-elected Senators and Deputies in preparation for the formal opening of Congress April 15.

It seems probable that there will be no formal expression of opinion by General Carranza before Congress is asked to deal with the matter.

CHILE IS POSSIBLE ALLY Entry Into War Against Germany Forecast by Politicians.

SANTIAGO, Chile, April 8.—The Chilean people are greatly disturbed by the course of events in Brazil in consequence of the sinking by the Germans of the Brazilian steamship

The entrance of Cuba into the war and the attitude of Panama have made and the attitude of Panama nave made a deep impression, and in political quarters the belief is expressed that eventually Chile will be compelled to join in the war against Germany,

PERUVIAN PRESS URGES ACTION

Reported Among 19 Survivors.

WASHINGTON, April 8 .- Ambassador Sharp, at Paris, notified the State Department today that 28 lives were lost The country is at pence, but prior to the election and immediately after the overthrow of Gonzalez the United States Government announced that it Naval Guard. All of the other 12 mem-Naval Guard. All of the other 12 memwould not recognize the de facto government and would not recognize bers of the guard were among the 19 Strington of elected. The dispatch follows:

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"Armed guard of Aztec all saved except J. I. Jenolucci (Eopolucci), boatswain's mate, first class. Following members of crew survivors: Captain Walter O'Brien, American; First Mate I. J. Anderson, American; Third Mate E. J. O'Brien, American; Ernest Olson beatwain Swedish; Herhest Collins boatswain, Swedish; Herbert Collins. third engineer, American; Charles Nak-olet, messman, Hawaiian; Watson Syd-ney wireless operator, American, Nineteen known survivors in all. Total complement, 47. Consular agent at Brest reports three bodies washed ashore; identified Krinsaas and Toovik, seamen, name of third given Ber-nard Boyers, which does not figure on the ship's crew list."

FOOD CONFERENCE ASKED California Agricultural Officers and

College Workers to Meet.

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—Secretary of Agriculture Houston arrived in St. Louis tonight to confer with agricul-ture experts of the Middle West on ways and means of conserving the Na-

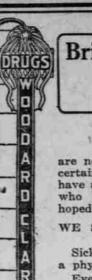
ways and means of conserving the Nation's food supply.

The Secretary sent a telegram to Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, asking him to call a conference in Berkeley Friday of the state agricultural officers and representatives of agricultural colleges of California, Arizona, Utah. Nevada, Oregon, Washing ton and Idaho, L. C. Corbett, of the United States Department of Agriculture, has been delegated to represent the department's views concerning the food situation.

GERMAN DESTROYER SUNK British Airplanes Off Belgian Coast Are Effective.

LONDON, April 8 .- A German de stroyer was sunk and another was damaged severely last night off the Belgian coast by British airplanes, the Admiralty announces.

All the machines returned safely.



Bring in the Films You Exposed Yesterday Free Development When Prints Are Ordered

men, food and finances for war pur-poses. Among its instructions and rec-ommendations were these: Instructing the Adjutant-General of

the militia to aid Army authorities in raising Idaho's quota of men when called for; urging that food and fuel supplies be stored to avoid later con-gestion of railroad service; asking re-

ports on all horses available for service: proposing that the state carry debts of men who are buying state lands if they enlist and pay for their land for their families if they

do not return from war; asking sub-scriptions to deficiency state warrants if they are needed; proposing road im-

provement; urging conservation of fruit

products and waste fuel, such as saw dust; instruction of school children against food waste.

Governor Alexander by proclamatio

asked all County Auditors to call meetings next Saturday to devise means for the planting of every avail-able acre to food crops.

CHURCH MEETING OVER

BY UNITED EVANGELICAL BODY.

Conference Also Declares in Favor of National Prohibition-Appoint-

Bowersox; conference missionary, C. C. Peling.

Old Glory Flies at Front.

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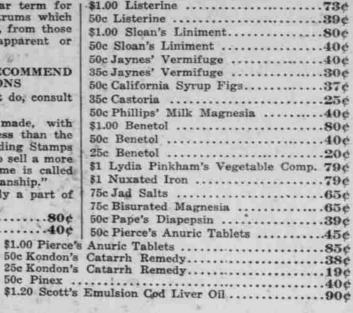
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PRESIDENT IN CONFERENCE

ples Are Indicated Among Government Employes-Espionage Bill Which Falled Once to Be Rushed

to Enactment.

WASHINGTON, April 8 .- Gratifying artment of Justice on the behavior var between the two nations. about 100 special arrests have been ordered and others are expected, Atorney-General Gregory said tonight hat so far the situation is very en-

GERMAN LINES PIERCED

Phelps; Rickreall and Middle Grove,
G. R. Stover; Salem, G. L. Lovell; Summit. V. A. Ballantyne; Warren, J.

CUBA DISMISSES GERMAN IN TWO PLACES IN BELGIUM.

Berlin Announces Repulse of Hot Attacks by French in Positions North of Solssons.

PARIS, April 8.—German positions in the region of Lombartzyde, Belgium, were penetrated at two points last hight, the War Office announces. No important action occurred be-tween the Somme and the Alsne be-fore the new German front. German attacks in the Verges and in Alsace were repulsed.

BERLIN, via London, April 8 .- The French renewed yesterday their at-tempt to gain ground near Laffaux on the new front north of Solssons, but were repulsed with heavy losses, the War Office announces. The statement adds:

"Our opponents, including Americans who were in the French aerial service long prior to the American declaration of war, lost in March 161 air-planes and 19 captive balloons. The German losses amounted to 45 planes."

15 RECRUITED AT SALEM Third Oregon Party Needs 15 More to Fill Company M.

SALEM, Or., April S.— (Special.)—
Lieutenant L. M. Compton, of the staff
of the Third Oregon Infantry, and
Sergeant May, of the Machine Gun
Company, who are here securing recruits for Company M of the Third
Oregon, have enlisted 15 recruits of the
30 needed. They hope to leave Salem
shortly before noon tomorrow with the
necessary men all recruited, but said
today the outlook was none too bright
for bringing the company to full
strength from the response so far received. They arrived in Salem yesterday.

IDAHO PLANS TO MOBILIZE

Conservation of Food and Finances Proposed for War Times.

BOISE, Idaho, April 8.—The State Board of Examiners Saturday took ac-tion to mobilize Idaho's resources of

Many Marriages Solemnized on Easter Day.

FIRST CEREMONY AT 6:30

Licenses Issued Early in Week Are Kept Over Until Sunday. Number Given Out Saturday 19-Feasts Are Held.

Easter day crowded itself up into the rank with Christmas and New Year's as a day of weddings and wedding PATRIOTIC RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED celebrations, Various knots were tied in weddings set specially for Eastertide.

Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to 19 couples and in a number of cases licenses issued earlier in the week were not used until yesterday.

An early morning Easter wedding was celebrated at Sunnyside Congregational Church, when Rev. J. J. Staub performed the ceremony for Harold M. West, of 100 Woodward avenue, and Miss Agnes Louise Flex. The ceremony

The conference also went on record as favoring National proh.bition.

The following appointments for ministers were made by the conference:
Oregon conference district—S. S. Mumey, presiding elder, Portland; First Church, J. A. Goode, Portland; First Church, J. A. Goode, Portland; Wichita, A. O. Schmalle; Adna, V. Wiblno; Acme, S. M. Wood; Brooks, C. C. Calkins; Beulah, S. A. Ramsdell; Corvallis, C. P. Yates; Dallas, W. S. Plowman; Dayton, G. E. Erskine; Eugene, F. E. Fisher; Elkins, M. J. Ballantyne; Florence, R. O. Caves; Gaston, J. L. Burns; Hillsboro, A. H. Miller; Kings Valley, L. R. Briggs; Lewisville, C. S. Poling; Leb non, S. P. Paul; Mapletor M. D. Phelps; Rickreall and Middle Grove,

Passports Handed Minister, Who Will Go to Spain.

PARIS, April 8.—The placing of the Lafayette flying corps under the American flag to symbolize the entry of the United States into the war has been discussed for several days.

The Figaro now says the Stars and Stripes are flying over the headquar-

Method of Accounting

ters of the aquadrilla which is com-posed largely of American aviators, Minister.

N the home as well as business it pays to modernize the methods of accounting through the system a Checking Account makes possible. Such an account is easy to open at The Northwestern National-and one finds the results sufficient to justify the maintaining of same consistently and continually.

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