Two Proposals Before Society of Nations' Commission.

PROBLEMS ARE DIFFICULT

Question of Degree of Representation to Be Accorded Large and Small Powers at Issue.

PARIS, Peb. 4 .- (By the Associated Press.)-The supreme council at its meeting today agreed that questions in the statement of Premier Venizelos concerning Greek territorial interests in the peace settlement should be referred to a commission of experts whose duty it would be to make recom mendations for a just settlement.

The commission will be composed of two representatives each from the United States, the British empire, France and Italy,

to start for Poland was received for a final discussion of the situation. Commission to Decide.

The official statement on the proceedings of the supreme council today reads:

"The President of the United States, the Prime Ministers and Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the United States, the British empire, France, Italy and Japan met this morning at the Quai D'Orsay, from 11 to I o'clock. M. Venizelos made a statement regarding Greek territorial interests in Asia

"The following resolution was ap-

"It is agreed that the questions raised in the statement by M. Venizelos as to the Greek territorial interests in the peace offlement shall be referred for examination in the first instance to an expert committee composed of two representatives each of the United States of America, the British empire, France and Italy. It shall be t' duty of this committee to reduce the questions for dec' on within the narrowest possible limit and make recommendations for a just settlement. The committee is authorized to consult with the representatives of the peoples con-

League Plans Discussed. "The next meeting will take place tomorrow (Wednesday), February 5, at 3 P. M., when the Czecho-Slovak dele-

While there is no authoritative infor-

can be summarized as follows: Two main plans i ve been presented, which the members of the commission regard as embodying the American views, though both plans are composite, containing the best features from various sources - american, Britich, French and Italian

First Plan More Democratic.

Both plans are being considered toether. In its original form the first plan is generally regarded as more democratic, and therefore more acceptable to the small powers, whereas the revised plan is not so acceptable to the small powers, as it eliminates them from the executive branch of the proposed organization and is a long step loward the creation of an international supreme council, with a fundamental basis of codified international law. The first plan had three main features-first, a legislative branch, on which the great and small nations were equally represented each as a unit. Second, an executive branch consist-ing of two members from each of the great powers, the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, and nine members chosen from the small powers. This gave the executive body total membership of 19, of whom 10 represented the great powers and nine represented the small powers.

Arbitration Is Provided. Third, arbitration was provided for the determination of international issues. In case of a dispute between two nations, each nation named arbitrators and these two selected a third arbitra-Three arbitrators thus chosen con situated a tribunal for determining the

The foregoing, on broad lines, is the project which meets with most favor among the small nations, as they would be represented both on the legislative and executive branches. It is to be noted that such an organization would follow somewhat the lines of that of the present peace conference, as the legislative branch is analogous to the plenary session of the conference, while the executive branch is similar to the council of the great powers now holding daily sessions.

The revised plan makes several im-

The revised plan makes several important changes. The legislation branch remains the same, with the great and small nations represented. The executive branch is modified, however, so as to consist chiefly of the great powers, with two representatives from each, to which others from the small powers may be added when interests especially affecting them are at issue.

Second Proposal More Exclusive. The third branch is entirely changed go as to eliminate the plan of arbitrafors and substitute an executive council of the great powers as a tri-bunal for judging international issues

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It is the two latter features which and judicial branches in the hands of the great powers, whereas the small powers prefer the plan giving them a status on the executive branch and ar-bitration as a means of judicial deter-mination instead of a tribunal of the great powers

great powers. The question now before the com-mission is one largely between the great and small powers. Several of the small powers are understood to be preparing amendments to the revised plan with a view to giving them representatives in all branches of the organization, and it is said that the tendency among the great powers is to give every reasonable consideration to hese desires, while preserving to the major powers such voice as their larger interests and responsibilities

MEAT CONTROL ADVOCATED

PRODUCERS WANT GOVERN-MENT TO CURB MONOPOLY.

Texas Cattleman Recommends Fixing of Prices for Livestock, Meat and Labor.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—A Govern-ent regulated monopoly of the meat dustry was advocated by livestock roducers today before the Senate agrindustry producers today before the Senate agri-culture committee and the House in-terstate commerce committee as the only means of satisfying both the pro-ducer and the consumer and prevent-At the session the committee about

> P-----ROOSEVELT CARTOONS DIS-

TRIBUTED. TRIBUTED.

The Oregonian has received so many requests for copies of the Roosevelt cartoon, entitled "The Long, Long Trail," which it printed on January 10 last, that it has reprinted the cartoon on heavy art paper for general distribution. This drawing, by Darling, is one of the finest pieces of work that has been done by any cartoonist. Copies will be given to all who request them at the business office of The Oregonian today and until the supply is exhausted. A large number has been printed, but the requests will be many and it will be advisable to apply without delay. visable to apply without delay. They are free.

ing the cattle business from being destroyed.

George Armstrong, cattleman of Fort Worth, Texas, recommended to the Senate committee that legislation be enacted which would give the Government control of the entire industry and permit it to fix the prices of livestock, meat and labor. He said both producers and consumers had just grievances against the present system and that only Government intervention would prevent continued agitation.

Edward C. Lasater, member of the

3 P. M., when the Czecho-Slovak delegates will be heard. Edward C. Lasater, member of the Edward C. Lasater, member of the executive committee of the National President Wilson presided tonight over the commission of the Society of Nations, which had before it the completed project for constituting the league, discussing it article by article. While there is no authoritative information of the Food Administration, told the House committee that the cattle industry would be destroyed if the Government did not take steps immediately While there is no authoritative information concerning the details of the project, the distriction of printed drafts among the members has disclosed the mai. features, and these can be summarized as follows:

SOLDIERS' COUNCIL GIVES UP ARMS TO GOVERNMENT, .

Troops Relieved Strop Enough to Curb Interference With National Assembly.

BERLIN, Feb. 3 .- (By the Associated Press.) - The situation at Weimar, where the German National Assembly where the German National Assembly is to meet on Thursday, is showing marked improvement. The action of asked to vote blindly, without information local soldiers' council in returning mation, without knowledge, without to the vanguard of the government, the laying of the cards upon the table, troops the arms that were taken from as has been frequently suggested by the arriving force on its appearance the President, on an immense naval here early yesterday is regarded as an programme, when the information indication that the local revolutionary which would influence Congress is body does not propose to permit the situation to become acute, especially as public sentiment is showing itself op- into his confidence." posed to radical action.

Premier Ebert, Philipp Scheldemann. Gustav Noske, Herr Wissel and Her Lansberg of the government left for

Weimar this morning. COPENHAGEN, Feb. 4.-A majority f the government buildings in Koenigsborg. East Prussia, have been seized by Spartacans from Berlin. The governor of East Prussia has declared a state of siege in the Thorn district and instituted courtsmartial.

TEXTILE STRIKE SPREADS

25,000 EMPLOYES ARE OUT AT LAWRENCE, MASS.

Operatives in Other Towns Domand 48-Hour Week-Brunswick, Maine, Mills to Close.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 4 .- The strike of the textile operatives here to obtain 54 hours' pay for 48 hours' work hard, according to grew today. It was estimated tonight Munich today. that in the city's 12 mills not more than 5900 of the 20,000 workers were

BOSTON, Feb. 4 .- More than 22,000 additional operatives were granted the \$8-hour week, with 48 hours' pay, today by textile mills in Manchester and Somersworth, N. H., and Hills Grove, R. I. At Lawrence there was a standstill. Mills in Biddeford and Saco. Me., and Woonsocket, R. I., were shut down indefinitely and officials of mills in Brunswick, Me., intimated they would take similar action tomorrow. This throws about 6600 more operatives out of work. In these places the workers have asked for the 48-hour week with 48 hours' pay. week with 48 hours' pay.

In a number of other mill towns the operatives carried out the programme gun yesterday of remaining at work

Huns Name New Delegate.

only eight hours.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 4 .- General Baron Von Hammerstein, according to a dispatch from Berlin, has been ap-pointed to succeed General Von Winterfeldt, as the leading military dele-gate on the German armistice commis-

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t is the two latter features which regarded by the small powers as ding to concentrate the executive judicial branches in the hands

Congress Appealed To for Favorable Action.

REASONS ARE KEPT SECRET

House Naval Committee Chairman Refuses to Tell Text of Message Involving Foreign Policy.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Disclosure in the House today by Chairman Padgett, of the naval committee, that Prasident Wilson, in a cablegram last week to Secretary Daniels, insisted that Congress adopt the new three-year naval building programme, was followed by futile efforts of Republican members to obtain the text of the message.

Representative Padgett said the President's cablegram was responsible for the committee's unanimous recommendation of the construction of 10 dreadnoughs and 10 scout cruisers, carried in the new \$759,000,000 naval appropriation bill, consideration of which was begun today in the House. Mr. Padgett refused to make public the

Alabama Representative Opposed. The President was very insisten that the three-year programme should be carried out," declared Mr. Padgett. In substance, the President stated nothing had occurred over there to change his recommendation, but said if there were developments in the way of tribunals for disarmament and a league of nations he would be willing a proviso should be inserted to allow him to discontinue the programme."

Only one member of the House opposed the proposed naval expansion
during debate today. Representative Huddleston, of Alabama, criticised the bill as representing a policy of im-perialism that would saddle the coun-

Republican member of the naval com-nitice, urged the expansion, as did Representative M'ller, of Washington, another Republican.

Republicans Ask Cuestions. A cross-fire of questions from Re-publican Representatives disclosed that the President had sent a message urg-ing the necessity of passing the bill. Representative Gillette, of Massachu-setts, asked if the message said "that the failure of the bill would be fatal to my negotiations," and said he regard-ed such language as "intimating the United States had only one negotiator over there."
"That is not accurate," answered Mr.

Padgett. Pressed by Representative Rogers, of Massachusetts, Republican, who asked if the word "fatal" was used, Mr. Padgett said he would have to be "excused from answering as to the words that were or were not in the President's able," and adled that he would "not ffirm or deny any word in the coble-

Pennsylvanian Expresses Doubt. Representative Butler, of Pennsyl- ference between the Government price and the market price at which the vania, the ranking Republican member and the market price at which the of the naval committee, said he did not believe passage of the hill would help the situation in Europe. He explained he had voted for the programme in the committee because he "did not want to do or say anything that will embarrass any of our people in their attempt to make a peace that will settle down this world forever."

The grain dealers advocated that the grain corporation continue to function.

cable said the failure of authorizing the programme "would be fatal to my Mr. Padgett replied that all of the

Administration's Secrecy Deplored.

Mr. Padgett protested that he had Government troops are believed to be informed the House fully of the consufficiently strong to defeat any attents, but Mr. Mann replied by saying tempt to interfere with the National that Mr. Padgett "is not the Adminis-

SIGMA CHI FOUNDER DIES

Major Thomas Cowan Bell Well Known Throughout Oregon.

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 4.—Major Chomas Cowan Bell, one of the seven ounders of the Sigma Chi Fraternity, s dead at his home here, aged \$5. The fraternity was founded on June

18, 1855, at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. Moving to Oregon in 1885, Mr. Bell became successively president of Philomath College, principal of the Dallas Collegiate Institute and president of the Central Oregon State Normal School. After several years resident dence in Portland, Or., he came to Oak-land. At one time he was adjutant in Oregon for the Grand Army of the Re-

Obituary.

BASEL, Switzerland, Feb. 4. — Ex-Queen Maria Theresa, of Bavaria, died last night at the Chateau Wildenhard, according to a dispatch from

Church of Albany for many years. She shutting down of operations, was also a member of the Lady Muccathe Twenty-five Hundred. She is survived by her husband, G. C. Moon, of this city, and one son, Arthur Most. Hoquiam, Wash.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 4 .- Lieutenant-General John C. Bates, U. S. A., retired, died here today, aged 79. He entered the Army in 1861, being appointed a

Lieutenant from Missouri. CENTRALIA. Wash., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Ruby Delancy. 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Delancy, of this city. died Saturday night.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 4 .- (Spe pink.)-John H. Fletcher, 77 years old, pioneer prune orchardist of Clarke County, and a resident here since 1876, lied at his home in Vancouver Sunday night. He was a native of Fremont

County, Vermont, and came to this county in 1870. He leaves seven children—Arthur Fletcher and Albert J. Fletcher, of this city; Mrs. Lulu Ran-Fletcher, of this city; Mrs. Litiu Randles, of Portland; William R. Fletcher of The Dailes, Or.; Miss May E. Fletch-er, of Vancouver; Edward Fletcher, of Portland, and Harry H. Fletcher, of

GOLDENDALE, Wash, Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary Lefever, a pioneer resident of the Klickitat Valley, died at the Lefever homestead near the Twin Buttes east of Goldendale Sunday following a brief illness with pneumonia. Mary Lefever, who came with her husband, Winfield Scott Lefever, to the Klickitat country in 1878 was born in Maryland in 1842. The family came to the Pacific Coast from Iowa by boat around the Horn and located first in the Willamette Valley, coming to Klickitat County shortly afterward. Mr. the Williamette Valley, coming to Klick-itat County shortly afterward. Mr. Lefever succumbed in 1914. Eight child-dren survive as follows: George Le-fever, Skagway, Alaska; Frank Lefe-ver, Monmouth, Or.; Harry Lefever, Goldendale; Mrs. Nettle Nelson, Golden-dale; Richard C. Lefever, Goldendale; Jess C. Lefever, Cascade, Idaho; Dan Lefever, Goldendale; Mrs. Mary Steiner, Curry County. Oregon. Curry County, Oregon.

appropriation bill, consideration of which was begun today in the House. Mr. Padgett refused to make public the text of the message on the ground that questions of foreign policy were involved in its contents.

Alabama Representative Opposed.

OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—N. A. Harris, of Evergreen, aged 30, died at the Good Samaritan hospital, Portland, Monday from influenza. The body was brought to Oregon City.

EXPORTERS WANT RETURN TO NORMAL CHANNELS.

rry with a burden of militarism" and Dealers Ask Continuance of Grain would lead to another war.

Representative Kelley, of Michigan, Corporation in Making Good Government Guarantee.

> WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 .- Grain dealers, exporters and millers today presented to the House agriculture com mittee varied suggestions for methods of carrying out the Government's guarantee to producers of \$2.26 a bushel for the 1919 wheat crop. All agreed that the true market price, as determined by world conditions, would drop below the guaranteed rate and that the Government should make good the differernment should make good the differ

> existing United States Grain Corpora existing United States Grain Corporation or some similar body should be
> maintained as the Government's agency
> for supporting the price to growers.
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> The grain dealers proposed that the
> corporation actually buy the grain at
> \$2.26, sell it to millers or other consumers at a price dictated by world
> markets and acquire the country's surplus for export. The exporters suggested that the corporation's functions
> be limited to paying farmers the difference between the Government price and the market price at which the

this world forever."

Representative Mann, of Illinois, the Republican leader, said he did not believe Mr. Padgett would be warranted in reviewing the text of the message, but he asked about the report that the grain corporation at the guaranteed but he said the fallure of authorizing price.

Thus the dealers would collect grain of radicals in Socialist Hall.

The world, was launched at a meeting of the World, was launched at a meeting of radicals in Socialist Hall.

The new society will be called the price with a small deduction for commission, and turn over the grain to the grain corporation at the guaranteed price.

The Brait and Industrial Workers of the World, was launched at a meeting of radicals in Socialist Hall.

The new society will be called the "League for Democracy at Home," and while it is local in character in its infancy, its leaders are confident that it price.

The millers asked protection against the expected decline from the present artificial level to the open market prices, it was explained, only to keep the usual quantity in transit to consumption points necessary to maintain

creased Demand for the Metal in World Markets.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. — Congress ras urged in resolutions adopted today entatives of the copper-mine workers of Utah, Arizona and Montana men in the hall, entered the place. Fo to provide legislation for the extension a minute those in the rear of the hall of long-term credits to foreign countries to stimulate the copper market and relieve conditions in the industry characterized as critical. The resolt ons also called upon the War and avy Departments to withhold the Navy Departments to within the stocks of copper now on hand from the

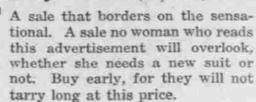
The workers, before concluding late today the conferences with Department of Labor officials which have been in progress since Friday, appointed a pernament committee to co-operate with managers of the industry in restoring normal conditions. During the confer-ences the workers presented reports showing that 30 per cent of the copper miners in the three states are idle be-cause of the decreased demand for the

metal. Accumulations of copper at mills, smelters and refinerles, resulting from the sudden termination of the war demand, were estimated by the Depart-ment of Labor today at a billion pounds valued at \$175,000,000. Sales for the was a member of the First Methodist would be required to prevent further

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LEAGUE FOR DEMOCRACY AT HOME" TO BE FORMED.

Combination of Bolshevik Elements of Socialists, Non-Partisans and I. W. W. Planned.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 4.—(Special.)

—An organizaton combining the Bolshevik elements of the Socialista, non-Partisans and industrial Workers of the World, was launched at a meeting of radicals in Socialist Hall.

The new society will be called the the new socie SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)

will rapidly spread throughout the United States. The body is to be patterned after the Russian Soviet, according to the speakers. The possibility of a soldiers' council was cautionaly discussed, but the leaders declared the time was not ripe for an attempt to form such an organization in Spokane.

COPPER MEN SEEK HELP

CONGRESS APPEALED TO FOR
BENEFICIAL LEGISLATION.

Many Miners Idle Because of Decreased Demand for the Metal

Lization in Spokane.

The "League for Democracy at Home" comes with a threat at its very inception. John L. Metcalfe, chairman of the meeting, in outlining the plans for the society, made this statement:

"I do not know whether the authorities will allow American citizens to organize in such a body, but I am inclined to think they will have to. If there are any stool-pigeons and reporters here I want them to take note of that. I want the reporters, if there are any present, to publish that state-

are any present, to publish that state The first man in uniform to enter th room was apparently known by the agi-tators. He was warmly greeted, and led to a place of honor on the plat-form. A little later, however, another soldier, seemingly unrecognized by th disregarded the speaker in nervou apprehension of the stranger.

BRITISH WAR COST HUGE Daily Telegraph Estimates Expense

at 40 Billion Pounds. LONDON, Feb 4 .- (British wireless service.)—The direct cost of the war is estimated at 40 billion pounds in a special article in the Daily Telegraph today. The author estimates the indi-

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CHARLES NOBLE IS DEAD

Portland Man Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia in France. OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Charles S. Noble, former resi-

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BEND, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Lib-erty bonds brought freedom this morn-ing to F. E. Dick, of Bend, who bought his way out of fail with two \$50 bonds. He was confined for failure to pay a \$100 fine imposed for having ventsor killed out of season in his possen-

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