# NEW JERSEY RACE

Wood Lead 1157 on Half Returns.

HARDING AHEAD IN

Uninstructed Group Runs tions. Replies were made public to First in Massachusetts.

REPUBLICAN VOTE HEAVY

Democratic Vote Light With Ohio Governor Receiving Indorsement for President.

### TURNS IN EASTERN PRIMARIES.

Wood and Johnson neck and neck in New Jersey. Half complete returns show: Johnson, 22,319; Wood, 20,199, Ohio gives Harding 51,897.

Wood 47,817, in 2475 precincts Four unpledged delegates lead Massachusetts in half-complete

Arkansas first congressional district elects delegate to national convention instructed for Governor Lowden.

### NEWARK, N. J., April 28 .- Returns from 1115 of 2005 election districts this morning placed Wood slightly in the lead. The vote was: Johnson, 24,163; Wood, 25,320.

Johnson of California and Majoracral Leonard Wood, republican idential candidates, were running and neck in New eJrsey's first cential primary. Returns from 2005 districts give: Johnson, 19; Wood, 20,199.

In the fight for the republican "big returns from 540 districts nowed that Senators Edge and Frelvoters as expressed at the primary ernor Stokes, pleaged to General Wood and M. L. Rallard, pledged to Senator Johnson, following in that

The vote was: Frelinghuysen 12,-551, Edge 12,519, Stokes 10,305, Ballard 9130.

Other Wood and Johnson candidates diready the leaders. The vote was: Layden owned by Oregon Agricultural col- the only method by which the officials cent higher than before the war, ac-9627 (pledged to Johnson), and Will- lege. iam R. Runyon 9104, J. W. Griggs The same pen that leads the eggand Sylvester L. Corrothers, un- March, with a total of 115 eggs. pledged negro candidates, had 2022

and 1668 votes, respectively. to the candidacy of Governor Edward Texas. I. Edwards, who has announced that hibition into the San Francisco convention, was elected without oppo-

consists of Governor Edwards, R. Nugent, Frank Hague and F. W. Donnels of Trenton.

Democratic voters were not asked express any direct presidential

Contests in Nine Districts.

In addition to four delegates-attricts there were contests between in 46:24. Wood and Johnson men, in two others to go uninstructed. In the first dis- miles. trict the two delegates pledged to Wood were elected without opposi- ocean, after slowing down, to put out tion. Two delegates pledged to Sen- the flames. ator Harding of Ohio, were contesting with Wood and Johnson in the twelfth district.

BOSTON, Mass., April 27 .- The four grouped candidates for delegates at large to the republican national con-vention, Lodge, Gillett. Crane and Thurston, were leading the five un-

Frothingham, 8266; Fuller, 7429; Lawson, 4494; McCall, 7542, Wood,

7682; Pelletier, 8454; Doherty, 7404; the benefit of the doubt wherever FOUR VOTES ARE GIVEN WOOD

### Nebraska to Send 12 Votes for

Johnson to Convention. LINCOLN, Neb., April 27.—Major-General Leonard Wood will have four AID FOR CHINA URGED votes from Nebraska in the republican national convention, while 12 Nation Will Advance With Help ill be cast for Senator Johnson.
This was the announcement made here last night following a meeting of ten of the state's 16 delegates.

### Arkansan for Lowden.

blicans of the 1st congressional dis-cet today at Wayne elected one dele-"With p gate to the national convention in-

Support Given Co-operative Bar and National Conservation.

WASHINGTON, April 27,-Approve

of co-operative bargaining, improved rural credits, reduction in the "grow ing evil" of farm tenancy, and naional conservation was voiced by presidential candidates who have an swered the political questionnaire of the national board of farm organiza day from Governor Lowden, Senator Owen, James W. Gerard, former am bassador to Germany; Herber! Hoover, Major-General Leonard Wood That from William G. McAdoo has

een published. General Wood each pointed to speeches or printed articles which they said answered the questionnaire. "I believe in bringing the farme

"and in giving farmer organi zations every right and privilege which other lawfully constituted or ganizations enjoy.

"I am very doubtful concerning government ownership of railroads my doubts arising from our experinces during the war." Senator Owen approved all planks

making the nominee for secretary of agriculture acceptable to farmer organizations. Mr. Gerard's approval was blanket, plants. except the plank calling for payment of the war debt "chiefly through a

lighly graduated income tax." "I do not believe that the war debt should be paid entirely by a few people in the community," he said.

## 250 FILE AT ROSEBURG

Ex-Service Men in Large Numbers Applying for Land.

ROSEBURG, Or., April 27 .- (Spe ial.)-Approximately 250 applicants Jury. have filed on Oregon & California railroad grant lands, according to W. H. Canon, register. This number includes those who exercised squatter rights and also those who have NEWARK, N. J., April 27 .- Returns taken their preference right. A large from virtually one-half of the state portion of the applications were re-tonight indicated that Senator Hiram ceived from squatters who are filing shipbuilding activities during the on lands on which they have made

However, ex-service men are now iling in large numbers on various units and it is expected that more than 350 will have placed their applications before the drawing is held. There are only a few tracts with con fileting applications.

## nghu, sen, pledged to the choice of OREGON HENS LEAD RACE court. This action may be taken to-

Egg Contest in Washington.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL. before a higher tribunal. LEGE, Corvallis, April 27 .- (Special.) contest being held at Washington for the "big four" were close behind March 31-is a pen of Barred Rocks too, was of the opinion that this was Food pices in March were 100 per

The record is 440 eggs. \$479, Thomas L. Raymond \$492 (all producing procession also made the pledged to Wood). Isaac H. Nutter highest record for the month of Breeders entered in the contest come from Oregon, Washington, The democratic "big four" pledged Idaho, Montana, British Columbia and

Milton Covers Two Miles in 46:24; Flames Burst From Hood.

DAYTONA, Fla., April 27. - With flames bursting from beneath the hood of his 16-cylinder automobile at the finish line, Tommy Milton today further reduced his own world's record for one and two miles. The first mile was in 33:07, or at the rate of large. New Jersey sends 24 republican 156 miles an hour. The second mile district delegates. In nine of 12 dis- was in 23:17, making the two miles

Milton last week broke Ralph de there were contests between delegates Palma's marks with records of 23:56 pledged to Wood, and those desiring for the mile and 47.15 for the two

Milton steered the car into the

### NEW TRIAL DENIED CLARK Sentence on Convicted Man to Be

Pronounced Today.

EUGENE, Or., April 27.—(Special.) grouped candidates in returns from Martin A. Clark, convicted by a jury The vote, representing eight cities and 51 towns, including Boston, was: of manslaughter. Judge Skipworth rublican-Lodge, 17.920; Gillett, announced that sentence will be pro-7429; nounced at 10 o'clock tomorrow, Judge Skipworth declared that

Clark had been given a fair and im-Democrats - Walsh. 9108; Long, partial trial and that he had received doubt had arisen. Clark was found guilty of killing

### Charles L. Taylor, McKenzie bridge road supervisor, in the Cascade mountains last July.

Says U. S. Minister.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 27 .- China must not be disturbed, Charles R. Crane, American minister to China, declared in a luncheon talk here to LITTLE ROCK, Ark. April 27 .- Re- day. He will depart for China

"With peace and a helping hand ructed for Governor Lowden of China can advance and become a big

# CANDIDATES APPROVE SHIPYARD RECOPS SCIENTIST HAS NEW NECK AND NECK WOOD, LOWBEN, GERARD, ORDERED GIVEN UP

gaining, Improved Bural Credits | Court Issues Edict to Aid ture of Space and Time Analo-Federal Probe.

FIGHT IS CONSIDERED LIKELY

Refusal to Produce Books Today Would Open Way.

### Governor Lowden, Mr. Hoover and TWO CHIEFS SUBPOENAED

nearer, the consumer," General Wood Presidents of Northwest Steel and Columbia River Company to Answer Summons.

Federal Judge Bean yesterday is ued an order for J. R. Bowles, president of the Northwest Steel company. of the farmers' platform except that and Alfred F. Smith, president of the Columbia River Shipbuilding corpo ration, to appear in court with all books and records of the shipbuilding

> The order was made by virtue of subpenas duces tecum, but not until federal court convenes at 2 o'clock this afternoon will it be known definitely whether the officials named will conform to the order.

ion of United States Attorney Humphreys for a subpena duces tecum, the court yesterday handed down an ora opinion ordering the shipbuilding heads to produce their books and records for perusal by the federal grand

In his decision Judge Bean held that the subpenas were not search warrants, but on the other hand were reasonable in view of the specific request from the grand jury that the records were wanted during the progress of its investigation into loca Both Dan J. Malarkey and W. Lair

Thompson, attorneys for the shiption at the decision, but they were felony. United States circuit court of appeals business circles. is for the shippard officials to dis regard the subpena orders and place day, although Mr. Malarkey would were running a close race for the Pen From State College Highest in not say last night just what steps head of the ticket, with former Govthe legal questions involved placed

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LET'S SEE - ARENT

YOU THE FELLOW

THAT FED ME

RED PEPPERS

# THEORY OF MATTER REJECTED BY ALLIES HOUSE IN ALL-DAY

ATOM, IS OBSERVED.

gous to That of Matter.

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- A new structure analogous to that of mat- grant.

Heretofore, he sald, the usual conelectrons, molecules and particles ing over China's railroads. has called the "quantel."

It consists of two parts, he said positive and negative, present everywhere, moving in all directions with passing through matter. They constitute, he added, what was heretoand cause all of the phenomena of light, electricity, mass and energy,

"The structure of everything that is" can be built up out of his conception of the quantel, Dr. Langmui mysterious relationships heretofore known to exist between spectral lines to the discovery of many new re- as to what the outcome will be.

### Following arguments made before AUDITOR HELD FOR TRIAL Judge Bean Monday on the applica-

Charles Rathbun Is Bound Over to District Court.

BOISE, Idaho, April 27 .- (Special.) Charles Rathbun, alleged default- asking for. ing auditor of the Boise Artesian Hot and Cold Water company, waived preliminary examination in the justice court this week and was bound over to the district court for trial. A new information will be filed against his in that court.

Rathbun is said to have confessed to the embezziement of \$14,500 of the company's funds, but deeded over his the loss. The state then brought action against him for committing a the case can now be placed before the | bun's prominence in social, lodge and

### hemselves in possible contempt of COST OF LIVING RISES

Higher Than in July, 1914.

cost of living for wage-earners ad- front on the resolution. In contemplation of a refusal by vanced 7 per cent between November Oregon hens are at the head of the the shippard officials to produce their 1919, and March, 1920, according to a list in the all-northwest egg-laying books and records. United States At- report made public today by the natorney Humphreys said he would be tional industrial conference board State college, according to latest re- in readiness to start contempt pro- This makes a total of 34.8 per cent state contege, according to latest re-ports. The high pen for the period diready elapsed—November 5 to duced in court this afternoon. He, within one year, the report said.

> could obtain a ruling from a higher aged 48 per cent higher than in 1914, is the beginning of a large Catholic save a "gentle warning" that the lon yesterday afternoon at a depth vention has died away, the word is and clothing advanced 177 per cent. missionary undertaking in China. Judge Bean signed the order for the according to figures furnished by 209 dealers.

THEY SAY THAT AN ELEPHANT NEVER FORGETS.

"QUANTEL," SMALLER THAN DEFINITE STEP TAKEN TO GRANT LOAN TO CHINA.

LONDON, April 27 .- A definite step heory of the structure of matter was was taken today in the negotiations today at the concluding for a loan to China by groups of fiession of the annual gathering of nanciers of the United States, Engthe National Academy of Sciences by land, France and Japan when France Dr. Irving Langmuir of the General formally notified Great Britain she Electric company research laboratory, would join this country and the Explaining his conclusions led to a United States in declining to ac new conception of energy, force, time, quiesce in the special treatment space, magnetism and all the general Japan asked for herself. Japan wants properties of matter, Dr. Langmuir certain railroad concessions which asserted "space and time have a the other countries are unwilling to

When the proposition was first taken up by financiers in Paris, it ception of the relative order of the was tentatively agreed that the loan PLAN UPSET INDICATED components of matter has been atoms, should be secured by the lenders tak-His observations add a new division Japan presented reservations declarsmaller even than the atom, which he ing she would join only if allowed to control many strategic railroads in southern Mongolia and central Manchuria.

The United States, Great Britain the velocity of light and capable of and France, with one accord, declined to accept this; whereupon Japan pre sented the reservations considerably fore known as the "ether of space" reducing the number of lines she wanted to control individually.

Roads which Japan most desires to control are those already operated by Japanese and in conversation and correspondence Japan has maintained it said. The theory explains all of the to be very difficult for her to relinguish her hold to a joint control. There are differences of opinion in he asserted, predicting it would lead financial and political quarters here

An influential member of the British group told the Associated Press to be so whittled down as virtually to three countries, while a government official said he believed Japan ficessions, but not so much as she was The amount of the loan is reported

### to be £5,000,000. UNDERWOOD MADE LEADER

Choice Unopposed as Hitchcock Retired From Fight.

WASHINGTON, April 27.-Senator

Besides electing Mr. Underwood, the cent. he democrats agreed tentatively to would "kill the soldiers"

## American Catholic Missions Will

Undertake New Work. OMAHA, April 27.-Sixteen pricats of the Catholic mission society will bill. Mr. Clarke recalled the parof the two shipbuilding corporations cording to 2000 dealers. Rent aver- leave in a few days for China. This liamentary revolution of 1910 and struck in a well 14 miles east of Fal-A departure ceremony will be held Thursday at St. Cecilla's cathedral.

# DEBATE ON BONUS

Proposals and, Counter Proposals Made. •

### REPUBLICANS ARE DIVIDED

75 "Insurgents" Said to Favor "War Profits" Tax.

Party Revolt May Cause Delay in Programme Which Stated Passage of Relief Bill Monday.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The right the method of raising almost \$2,000,000,000 for soldier relief legislation precipitated an all-day debate n the house today, during which resublicans on one side and the combination of democrats and insurgent

their proposals. Representative Johnson, republican. South Dakota, announced that 75 republican "insurgents" favored a retroactive "war profits" tax instead of ne believed the Japanese reservations a sales tax, proposed by republicans His statement, if borne out later, conform with the ideas of the other would indicate an upset of the republican programme to pass the bil Monday without permitting action or nally would get some important con- the "war profits" tax proposal. Representative Garner of Texas, democratic whip, predicted the result of republican caucuses Friday night

### Counter-Proposal Made

Henry Rainey, democrat of Illinois, in number. ntroduced today the "war profits" tax bill, which would place an so and pages. per cent levy on the increase of ne income during the last four years home and personal property to square Underwood of Alapama was elected over that of the pre-war period. The democratic leader in the senate today plan was attacked by Representative at a conference of senate democrats. Green of Iowa and Longworth, Ohio, The case attracted wide- He was unopposed, Senator Hitchcock republicans, who declared it would agreed that the only manner in which spread attention because of Rath- of Nebraska, acting leader since the "levy taxes on taxes" and that the death of the late Senator Martin of excess earnings of individuals and Virginia; having withdrawn from the corporations during the war had already been taxed more than 50 per prison last night-scaled them from

demourate discussed briefly solidarity "To accept this plan means there action generally. The pending will be no soldier legislation." de- Whiteside county on a charge of bur-Average in March Is 94.8 Per Cent peace resolution was considered and clared Mr. Longworth, adding that it call a conference later in an effort to sides the levy on sales, which he said of living is to be in prison," said BOSTON, April 27.—The average have the minority present 2 solid "would not raise much," Mr. Long- Needham, when asked his reason for worth said all stock exchange trans- returning to the prison. actions were to be taxed, while the PRIESTS GOING TO CHINA existing levy on tobacco, incomes and real estate sales wan to be increased. NEW OIL FIELD OPENED

Time to Amend Asked. Representatives Clarke, democratic Flow Is Small but Enough to Cause leader, and Garner demanded that opportunity be given to amend the same kind of conduct that led to the not exceeding 20 barrels. upset of their machine then." Mr. Garner said the republicans

islation and would not pass it until from Reno and other towns by railafter the election. "Congress ought never to pass bill." declared Mr. Clarke in this connection, "out of which more irrita-

### SHOTS FIRED AT AUTOISTS

Edward E. Cohen and J. C. Beck by President Wilson since he became them formally indersed Senator Poinof Portland Report Attack.

ASTORIA, Or., April 27 .- (Special.) discussed. -Edward E. Cohen and J. C. Beck of Portland had a narrow escape from route over the Columbia river highway from Portland to Astoria. As they were spinning along near Sven sen, some object, apparently a rock, was hurled against the side of the car and a second later a bullet whizzed by Cohen's ear and pierced the windshield

The car was stopped just as some unidentified man yelled at the occupants and then disappeared in the thick brush. After a short search, the tourists proceeded to Astoria and reported the affair to the authorities.

### POLICE BARRACKS SEIZED Rifles and Explosives Used in 3-Hour Siege in Ireland.

TIPPERARY, Ireland, April 27 .-The Ballyander police barracks in

tacking party were wounded.

### Members of Rail Union Called to

railroad switchmen and yardmen were

Explain Walkout Activity. SAN FRANCISCO, April 27 .- Members of the organization of striking

here today to detail their strike activity. cral officials.

### LODGE SAYS COAST NAVAL BASE NEEDED

SENATOR SAYS NEXT TROUBLE TO BE ON PACIFIC.

aval Equipment of West Shore Should Equal Atlantic, Declares Senator.

OREGONIAN NEWS TUREAU

Washington, April 27.-Uncle Sam's

ext trouble will be on the Pacific oast, Senator Lodge, republican floo leader, warned the senate today, an swering criticism by Senator King of Utah of certain increased appropris tions in the naval appropriation bil Senator Lodge took the floor in defense of provisions in the bill for submarine base at Tongue Point is the lower Columbia river, near As

toria, a submarine and air base at Port Angeles, Wash, and the inves tigation of sites for a new naval bas Lodge had completed his talk al opposition was silenced and the Pa cific coast items were accepted with out dissent.

"The Pacific coast needs naval de fense more than the Atlantic and needs it now," said Senator Lodge. which caused Senator Smith of Mary land to remind him that a large fice already is stationed in Pacific waters Senator Lodge thanked the Maryland senutor for suggesting the information, but said: "And that is all the better reason for having adequate shore establishments for the operations of the navy in the Pacific. The Pacific coast should have one-half the republicans on the other explained navy and it should be a thoroughly efficient fleet, because if danger is coming it will be on that coast."

## CO-EDS TO AID DELEGATES

Ushers for Bourbon Convention to

Be Drawn From Students. SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.-Girl ushers will conduct women delegates and alternates to their seats at the democratic national convention here in June, it was announced teday. Universitles of California and Stanford would be to "whip" the insurgents will be asked to furnish 250 students for service on the convention floor and the girl ushers will be drawn Mr. Johnson and Representative from this number. They will be few

Boy scouts will act as messenger

### JAIL PREFERRED TO H. C. L. Paroled Convict Sneaks Back Into

Jollet Penitentiary. JOLIET, III., April 27. - Robert Needham, 26, scaled the walls of the the outside and sneaked back into the Needham was paroled glary.

"The only way to beat the high cost |

Much Excitement. FALLON, Nev., April 27 .- Oil was

ried to the new field and thousands behalf of Senator Poindexter's canwere "playing politics" with the leg- are coming or have arrived today didacy for president, actually give road and automobile.

### CABINET MEETING HELD Session Called by Wilson Discusses

Routine Business.

ill was held today.

### en INDEX OF TODAY'S NEWS

The Weather. FESTERDAY'S — Maximum temper 66 degrees; minimum, 46 degrees. TODAY'S—Fair; westerly winds. Foreign.

France, England and America reject Japan's reservation to Chinese railroads. Page 1. House debates all day on soldier relief measure. Page 1. Witnesses declare acts of Post's illegal. Officers of army divided over bills. Page 5.

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STRIKERS HEARD BY JURY Early gains in Chicago corn market reduced by selling. Page 21.

Portland and Vicinity. Pederal judge rules liquor trial by state bars trial by U. S. on same indictment. Page 12. Court orders shippard records produced gation. for federal probe. Page 1. irected verdict is denied Sorilie defense. called before the federal grand jury Di

### Robert D. Inman, Portland lumberman, dies. Page 9. This was an announcement by fed-Recall of highway leans may be necessary. Page 15.

# 4 DELEGATES ONLY **GIVEN POINDEXTER**

Washington Not Solidly Back of Senator.

### CONVENTION MAKES LOOPHOLE

Representatives Required to Make Show of Loyalty.

in San Francisco bay. When Senator STEERERS DODGE TRAP

One District and Possibly More Avail Themselves of Technical Ruling on Resolution.

### WASHINGTON REPUBLICAN DELEGATES ELECTED.

Delegates-at-large-Thaddeus Lane. Spokane; George H Anacortes. Alternates Mrs. Frances Haskell, Tacoma; Mrs. Sarah Weedin, Scattle; Alex Sloan, Yakima, and A. S. Cresky, Centralia.

tain E. D. Colvin and William T. Laube of King. Alternates: J. Sullivan and Mrs. Joseph Latham of King. Second district - Delegates: Perry Niles, Snohomish; Frank

First district - Delegates; Cap-

. Sefrit, Whatcom. Alternates: H. B. Gardner, Jefferson; Alaton Fairservice, Clallam. Third district - Delegates: Mark Reed, Mason; H. W. Mc-

Phail. Pacific. Alternates: Henry McCleary, Grays Harbor; Mrs. W. C. Brown, Lewis. Fourth district-Delegates: N C. Richards, Yakima; Frank E. Dement, Walla Walla, Alternates: Oliver Hall, Whitman; B.

F. Reed, Kittitas, Fifth district - Delegates: Charles Hebberd, Spokane: W. Lon Johnson, Stevens. Alternates: Sarah Flannigan, Spokane; Nels J. Bostwick, Spokane.

Presidential ejectors-J. P. Todd, Seattle; Peter McGregor, Whitman county; A. C. Rundle, Benton county; Luther Weedin, Island county; L. H. Geary, Skamania county; George J. Stewart. Okanogan county, and Mrs. Emma Smith Devoe, Tacoma.

........ BY R. G. CALLVERT. BELLINGHAM. Wash., April 27,-(Staff Correspondence ) - After all the republicans were "entering on the of 659 feet. The flow is small, so far quietly passed around that the instructions given by that body this Excited by the news, hundreds hur- afternoon to the national delegates in him only four pledged votes. That is, if the ten other delegates wish to be meah and technical about it. The four pledged votes are the delegates at large. The ten uninstructed delegates are those from the several

> congressional districts. In a word, six separate and distinct conventions were held in Bell-WASHINGTON, April 37 .- The third lingham today. Five of them were meeting of the cabinet to be called district conventions and not one of dexter or instructed district delegates It was said routine subjects were selected to vote for him first, last or any other time. The only action taken was by the convention-the main show-which instructed the delegation to use every honorable means to secure the nomination of the Washington senator. In passing, it will be noted that the delegation is not instructed to stay with Senator Poindexter until released. It is only required "loyally to use every worthy means to bring about his nomina-

### tion.' But Four Delegates Bound.

Technically this resolution binds only the four delegates-at-large. It has been so ruled by the national committee on the occasion of an important state controversy over the standards prevail in European markets. same issue which was referred to the committee for a ruling. It may be said positively that at

least the steerers in one of the district conventions, probably two of them, and perhaps more, were well aware of this fact. But they did nothing to bring about instructions explosives this morning. The siege lasted three hours.

The victors seized arms, ammunition and bicycles belonging to the garrison and burned the barracks.

Three policemen and one of the control of the series of the control of the which, as a matter of fact instructs Java-Pacific boats will call at Portland which, as a matter of fact instructs whenever freight available. Page 22 only the four delegates-at-large for Sharp rise in market for new crop boys. The third district formally instructed its two delegates also. One structed its two delegates also. One other district was induced to do like-Proposed tax legislation affects speculation wise as to Mr. Kelly, but the case of in Waii street. Page 23. Senator Poindexter was in both these districts strangely overlooked. So

> Delegates Are Novices. The care with which the fortunes

of Mr. Kelly were looked after and the carelessness with which those of (Concluded on Page 2, Column 4.)

