

National.

Domestic

Pacific Northwest.

Sports.

Portland and Vicinity.

without victory" speech of ex-Presi-Wilson to reduction of profits, or even a simula Clothing and Sundries Decline, American entrance into the war and Food Prices Going Up. his address on the suffrage amend-NEW YORK, Aug. 22 .- The cost of ment later. living decreased .7 of 1 per cent in It would be a sad day, the Mass-July, according to figures made pub- achusetts senator said, for the repub-

"I heard as early as 1918 that plans and are to be traffic rule violators;

were being rigged to put on defia- his instructor is a sergeant of police. tion," Mr. Wanamaker said. "This culto go lower."

'Til ask the commission to ask the down to \$0 per cent the fines will be amicably adjusted. board the amount paid out for pub- increase, but those who fail will go licity during the last 18 months, for to jail. correspondence and the distribution of newspaper material"

Financial Tyranny Charged. Federal reserve hoard policies in connection with price and currency definition are "cynical, cruel and inexcusable," and constitute "financial Avranny and commercial criminality." said Mr. Wannamaker, and he added, are "heaping up gold in the United States at the expense of all civili-

zation. Speaking, he said, for agricultural father today. producers, the witness asserted the federal board and banks were re- tas ranch, about 60 miles south of sponsible for the general price de- Hachita, N. M. cline. The board's pressure still was being exerted upon "bankers who are telegram from his brother, Cecil Boyd, afraid of their shadow, who may find who was on the ranch with him. all their loans called by the reserve banks any minute, and dare not dis Wannamaker, who asked the commis- Hillsboro, N. M. sion to recommend legislation to

general revision of the reserve board personnel. He proposed that the personnel b

from the various districts as representatives of industry instead banking, who should be appointed by the president and confirmed by the the commission recommend the incent on liberty loan collateral.

People "Servants of System."

"The federal reserve banking sysnational debt borrowed in inflated service men. dollars."

Price declines that have been ef help consumers because "they have left nothing for agricultural producers to do but combine and reduce production to so low in the future that prices will give us some margin of

profit and let us pay our debts." Investigation of the activities of the of the American Red Cross, was ar-National Grain Dealers' association rested today charged with larceny and other organizations alleged to be following an audit of , his books. "engaged in combating legislation for which showed, according to Director the relief of agriculture" was ordered Farrand, a shortage of about \$14,000. in a resolution adopted today by the The warrant specifically charged the theft of \$800, but Red Cross officials senute.

Senator Kenyon, republican, Iowa, said this was only one of a number of author of the resolution, explained charges against him. that the inquiry was sought because | According to the police, Wilson add f the report that at a convention at | mitted shortages of more than \$13,000 Cincinnati in June under the auspices and attributed his misfortune to gam-(Concluded on Page 2, Column 4.) bling on horse races.

Action Is Precautionary. Hereafter, he announced, persons result of unceasing propaganda sent sentence, then they will be called on tion was purely precautionary. He jewelry, but all of them wore nothing out to make people afraid of prices, to recite. A perfect recitation will emphasized that no action was antici-to spread the fear that prices were bring a suspended sentence; a grade pated and the belief generally was Miss Holmes as she glanced at her Federal Burners over 95 will bring a nominal fine;

> Few failures are expected, he said. the state department that there exists life."

BOY KILLED BY MEXICANS

El Paso Youth Ambushed and Mur-

dered by Outlaws.

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 22 .- Bennett Boyd, 18 years old, of El Paso, was ambushed and murdered by outlaws in Mexico on August 18, according to messages received in El Paso by his

Young Boyd was killed at the Care-The news of his death came in a

The father, J. J. Boyd, left at once for the scene and was joined at Haobey its orders," according to Mr. chita by another son, Cody Boyd, of

LEGION HAS RELIEF FUND

nposed of 12 members, nominated \$100,000 Turned Over by Red Cross for Soldlers' Benefit.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22 .- One hundred thousand dollars, collected senate. Further, he suggested that by the American Red Cross during the war for soldier relief work, was stant reduction in federal reserve re- turned over by the society today to discount rates to a basis of 31/2 per the American Legion to be used by the latter organization in searching out cases of former service men en-

titled to but failing to receive aid. The fund is to be used, together tem, created to serve the people, by with sums donated by the Y. M. C. A. its administation has made the people National Community service, Knights servants of the system," he asserted. of Columbus and Jewish welfare "Its pollcy will require the American board, in the formation of "flying people to pay with deflated dollars a squads" charged with alding needy

and other less valuable trinkets. She by a fender of the machine and hurled down. Instead, with profiteering unlost also a \$10 gold piece, a \$2.50 gold to the pavement, breaking his skull. down. Instead, with product is going The navy department, was re- piece and \$22.50 in currency and sil- He died within a few minutes. strike in 1920. We never had a buyers' the never had a buyers' banic, the traffic rules before they appear for the former department said the ac-

felt that the territorial dispute would mass of ruined hair which lay in a WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.box by the bed. It took me since I

Secretary Hughes' note to the gov- was 9 years old to grow my hair to William J. Burns of New York was ernment of Panama, published today, that length-it was 18 inches longsworn in today as director of the budefinitely declared it the opinion of and now I suppose it is ruined for reau of investigation of the depart-

ment of justice. no valid reason" for Costa Rica fur-(Concluded on Page 12, Column 2.) Whether the unusual assault and (Concluded on Page 12, Column 2.) Flynn, who resigned last week. Mr. Burns succeeds William J

up, especially rents. Ninety per cent

tenants by the profiteering and un- only 2.8 per cent lower than the peak reached in July, 1920. scrupulous landlords is blamed on the

high cost of labor during the war." which dropped 3.5 per cent, and in the question of the bonus, "we sur-The council had before it a proposal to call upon congress to take sundries, which dropped 1.1 per cent. rendered our judgment to his dictasteps to relieve the present unemploy- Food prices, the report said, went up tion." ment situation by legislation and 3 per cent.

making appropriations that would aid in speeding up public work. Action INDEX OF TODAY'S NEWS on this probably will be taken later this woek The Weather

President Harding Interested. YESTERDAY'S-Highest temperature, 77 degrees; lowest, 52; clear. TODAY'S-Fair, westerly winds. Fresident Gompers reported to the council that he had called at the

Foreign. White House and asked President Harding to take steps to have the

ors from fraudulent and fake stock chemes, to urge the continuance of schemes, to urge the continuance of the issuance of treasury savings se-curities and to make them an attrac-tive investment for the average curitius and to make them an attractive investment for the average Railroad funding bill is passed by house. Page 12.

American worker. He said that President Harding had policy of Harding on shipping upheld by markable that alarm should selze the president's mind when the soldler agreed to bring the matter to the at-Portland land office slate prepared. Page 1. tention of Secretary of the Treasury Disarmament data gathered. Page 3. Joint army and navy board admits air-plane is important factor in war. Page 18. Mellon and co-operate to bring about methods to rid the country of these The matter is fraudulent schemes.

also to be brought to the attention of the governors of the 12 federal reserve banks. Ex-service men get four rehabilitation uni-versities. Page 4. Public Victim of Swindlers.

The labor chief declared the public Prohibition is declared to be no cause of crime wave. Page 2. Samuel Compers attacks wage reductions as economic crime. Page 1. had been swindled out of about \$5,-000,000 last year by the sale of worthless and fraudulent stocks and securi-Clara Smith Hamon married. Page 1.

Mr. Gompers also reported to the committee that President Harding with whom he had conferred on the Page 18. Mrs. Obenchain and Burch win delay for murder pleas. Page 3. Eleven lives lost in hotel fire in Georgian Page 18. committee that President Harding with whom he had conferred on the Bands of liquor smugglers are reported to be on verge of wreck. Page 4. question of appointing a representative of labor on the American delegation to the coming disarmament con-Killing of Ragains puzzles Umatilla authorities. Page 5. ference, looked with favor upon the

proposition. A definite decision is ex-Return 3 per cent, says phone expert. Page 8. pected shortly, he added. Page 5. Dr. Brumfield files into rage during talk with newspaper men. Page 5. WASHINGTON MINERS CLASH

Making of squatic records described. Page 11.

Union Workers and Strike Breaker Arrested at Newcastle.

Crack tennis teams open championship doubles tournament. Page 10. SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 22 .- (Spe-McCredie turns down cash offer for Beavers. Page 10. cial.)-First trouble in the reopening of the Washington coal mines on an Playground tennis tournament gets under way. Page 11. open shop basis was reported at Newcastle, east of here, tonight, when,

Portland casters win in national tourna-ment. Page 10. Commercial and Marine following threatened violence, three men were arrested, two of them union men, on strike, and one a strike-breaker. Special guards, commissioned as deputy sheriffs, made the arrests At the county jail the men were tire stock list. Page 19.

booked as W. Geddes, a non-union mine employe; H. N. Dunbar and nated here. Page 18. Theros Melan, union mine workers on strike. A warrant charged the trio Multhomsh county victorious in budget law test. Page 9. with "using indecent language."

Geddes was released on bail of \$100 Burglar cuts off girl's braided hair. Page 1. posted by the Pacific Coast Coal com-pany, which operates the Newcastle mine. Ball in like amounts was pro-ter the other two hy William Page 20. vided for the other two by William

ship trial of Woerndie waits. Page Citizenship trial of Woerndle walts, Page 12. (Concluded on Page 2, Column 3.)

Declaring it was not necessary to "eulogize Mr. Harding," Senator Declines in July were in clothing, Borah, republican, Idaho, said that on

Precedents Held Plentiful.

"If the president wanted a precedent, there were plenty, he declared, adding that this did not change the

situation. Mr. La Follette assailed the president for what he described as executive interference with the legislative Panama ready to repel Costa Ricans branch of the government. He as-page 1. branch of the government. He asgovernment protect the small invest- Church takes hand in Irish parleys. Page 12 into the debate to prevent passage of the bill and that his action was without authority under the constitution. "It were well if that black page in stroyed and forever forgotten," Mr La Follette declared. "It was represident's mind when the soldier bonus bill was pending and appear at the senate to rescue the nation's finances from utter destruction."

President Is Defended.

145,500,000 voted by senate in shipping board deficiency bill. Page 1. Mr. Lodge declared he saw "no reason for debarring" the president from congress, and Senator Knox, republican, Pennsylvania, interjected;

"And I see no reason why congress should be barred from the White House, as has occurred in the last eight years."

Mr. Lodge also cited numerous constitutional provisions which, he said. (Concluded on Page 2, Column 1.)

***************************** EXPERT TO REPORT ON AMERICAN BUSINESS

CONDITIONS.

Richard Spillane, widely known as an expert analyst of business conditions, will make a ten weeks' tour of the United States and Canadian cities for The Oregonian for the purpose of studying and reporting on the business situation as it exists throughout the country. Mr. Spillane's articles giving the results of his investigations will be published in The Oregonian

starting within a few days. The series of articles by Mr. Spillane will embrace conditions in the world of manufacturing, agriculture, finance, transportation and merchandising. He will study labor, the housing problem, hydro-electric developments, road building, shipping prospects; in fact, every condi-

tion which in the major mense affects America's business prosperity.



INABILITY



fected lately, he declared, will not RED CROSS AGENT SHORT Assistant Treasurer's Books Said to Show \$14,000 Deficit.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22 .-- C. E. Wilson, second assistant treasurer