U. S. PEACE TREATY

Function in Berlin Takes About Ten Minutes.

THREE ARTICLES IN PACT

German Foreign Minister in Affixing Signature Expresses Gratification-Dresel Signs.

forts extending over the better part of three years to establish formal peace between the United States and

AMERICA REJECTS LEAGUE

Other Provisions of Versailles Pact Are Kept in Force, However.

treaty with Germany, which was signed today in Berlin, was made public tonight by the state department.

BOUND PROMISED. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25 .- The It puts into force the economic, reparations, military and various other provisions of the unratified treaty of Yerasilies, but provides specifically that the United States shall not be bound by the covenant of the league of nations or by other enumerated bound by the covenant of the league of nations or by other enumerated parts of the Versailles settiment.

The declarations of the peace resolution are reaffirmed in the treaty and it contains, in addition, a blanket provision that any benefit which might accrue to this country under agreed on reduced rates for iron and agreed on reduced rates for iron agreed o might accrue to this country under the Versailles pact is to be regarded as of full force. Germany's renunciation of her overseas possessions jointly to the big five powers is reaffirmed, as are the military clauses of the Versailles treaty, the sections of the Versailles treaty, the sections relating to prisoners, reparations, finance, economic settlements, com-

merce and abrogation of all other existing treaties between the two countries.

In disassociating the United States from the league of nations, the document provides not only that this government will not be bound by the covenant, but that no action of the league shall be considered as placing an obligation when a many contributions. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.—Reduction in freight rates on grain and hay asked by the western states would result in an annual loss to the western railroads of \$63,700,000 and would reduce their return on capital invested to 1.67 per cent, L. E. Wetting, manager of the bureau of stating when the coverage of the bureau of stating the considered as placing an obligation when a many contributions are considered as placing an obligation when the coverage of the states and the delay Costa Rican occupation of the district.

Hospital Patient Escapes.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 25.—(Special.)—Invested to 1.67 per cent, L. E. Wetting, manager of the bureau of stating delay coverage of the coverag league shall be considered as placing an obligation upon America. The United States also stipulates that it will not be bound by the sections of the Versailles treaty relating to the boundaries of Germany to political readjustments in Europe, to the settlements affecting China, Siam, Liberia, Morocco, Egypt, Turkey, Bulgaria or Shantung, or to the establishment of an international labor organization.

In a state department statement, issued to announce the signature of the treaty, special mention was made of the reaffirmation of this government's share in the renounced German overseas possessions, the state-

man overseas possessions, the state-ment declaring that this provision "confirms the right of the United States with respect to Yap and other former German overseas possessions upon an equality with the other howers"

The department's statement re-viewed the treaty in detail, empha-sizing that any advantage which might have been gained by ratifica-tion of the treaty of Versailles is fully preserved under the present instru-ment.

Regarding such further settlements as may be necessary between the two nations, the statement said: "It is understood that diplomatic relations will be resumed upon the exchange of ratification of the treaty. and then negotiations can be under-taken with respect to commerce and other matters through the ordinary

diplomatic channels." Administration officials are under-stood to feel, however, that commercial questions between the United States and Germany are as fully cov-ered as seems necessary for the pres-ent by the reaffirmation of the finan-cial and economic clauses of the Ver-sailes treaty. In that connection there is a provision in the sallies treaty. In that connection there is a provision in the treaty reaffirming the present attitude of this government toward the reparation commission, by declaring that the United States reserved the right to participate in the commission's deliberations, but would not be bound to any such participation except by its own decision.

CRIMINAL PLEA UNIQUE

Russian Prefers to Slave for 14-Year-Old Girl Accuser.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 25.—(Special.)—
Mathias Meyer, illiterate Russian,
who is under arrest here on a charge
preferred by a 14-year-old girl, today
made a plea in the justice court unprecedented in the annals of the local

criminal proceedings.

Meyer, recalling the practices of his Meyer, recalling the practices of his home country, appealed to the officera to allow him to slave for his accuser for ten years, with the understanding that she would receive his entire earnings. This, he said, would be preferable to standing trial on a penitentiary charge. The officers demurred to the request and Meyer will face the court in his regular turn. court in his regular turn,

LEAGUE OF NATIONS REJECTED IN PACT ESTABLISHING PEACE AGAIN WITH GERMANY

Text of Document Retains All Rights and Privileges Accorded to United States by Versailles Agreement That Failed of Ratification by Senate—Some Obligations Are Specifically Cast Aside.

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the rights and advantages stipulated for the benefit of the United States in the treaty of Versailles, which the United States shall fully enjoy, notwithstanding the fact that such treaty has not been ratified by the United States."

The signing of the peace treaty in Berlin marked the culmination of efforts extending over the better part

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Beace between the United States and Germany.

Peace Is Put Off Long.

After the prolonged negotiations at Paris in 1918 the United States became a signatory to the treaty of Versailles, making peace between Germany and the allied and associated powers, but the failure of the United States to ratify this pact left the two nations still nominally at war. To end this condition, the Porter-Hnox resolution was adopted by congress and signed by President Harding on July 2 last, declaring terminated the state of war with Germany entered into by the United States on April 6, 1917.

Shortly afterward instructions to negotiation were taken up in the Germany under this resolution were ent to Ellis Loring Dresel, United States commissioner in Berlin, and in mid-July the negotiations were taken up in the German capital.

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Recent advices from Berlin have declared that the peace treaty, while general in outline, nevertheless was a formal treaty providing for the immediate relations and consult or of all commercial, financial and economic issues involved in the resulting to a future date the adjustment of all commercial, financial and economic issues involved in the resulting to a future date the adjustment of all commercial, financial and economic issues involved in the resulting states of the deliberations of relations.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25 .- Re-

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With germany:

"Considering that the United States, acting in conjunction with its cobelligerents, entered into an armistice with Germany on November 11, 1918, in order that a treaty of peace might be concluded:

"Considering that the treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919, and came into force according to the content of the imperial claims against said governments."

America, or any of its officers, agents or employes, from any source of by any agency whatsoever, shall be retained by the United States of America and no disposition thereof made, except as shall have been here-tofore or specifically hereafter shall be provided by law, until such time as the imperial and royal Austro-Hungarian government, or their successor or successors shall have respectively made suitable provision for the satisfaction of all claims against said government and came into force according to the content of the United States in the treaty of Versailles, which the United States shall fully enjoy notwithstand the imperial and royal Austro-Hungarian government, or their successor or successors shall have respectively made suitable provision for the satisfaction of all claims against said government, or their successor of Germany under the foregoing article with respect to certain provisions in the treaty of Versailles.

and came into force according to the terms of its article 440, but has not been ratified by the United States:

"Considering that the congress of the United States adopted a joint resolution, approved by the president July 2, 1921, which reads in part as follows:

"Resolved by the senate and house of America in congress assembled."

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of wage cuts made by the railroad labor board and effective July 1, the reductions asked would be disastrous

PANAMA ALL BROKEN UP

Little Republic Dons Mourning Be cause of Lost Territory. PANAMA, Aug. 25 .- President Por ras signed a decree hast night declar-ing the republic of Panama in mourn-ing for one month. He ordered that the fiag be displayed at half-mast on

This action was taken in consequence of the award to Costa Rica of disputed territory along the frontier and the decision of the United States not to delay Costa Rican oc-

Broadway at Morrison

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"I that the United States is not bound to participate in the reparation commission established under the treaty or under any agreement supplemental thereto, the United States is not bound to participate in any such commission under the two nations prior to the outbreak if war."

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ranch of the institution in Polk county. Miller has a morose disposition and the hospital attendants fear that he may have committed suicide. Officers in Jackson county have been notified of his escape.

dry. The lowland farmers are just getting harvesting operations well started.

Industrial hearing Date Set.

OLYMPIA, Wash. Aug. 25.—(Spendal)—The Industrial hearing Date Set. today before the interstate commerce his escape from the so-called colony ommission. Earnings of western carriers on freight traffic for the current year will amount to only \$143,887,000, it was estimated.

He testified that even in the face

HIGH EXPENSE HELD OFFSET BY GREATER YIELDS.

A. P. Davis, Reclamation Director Pleads for Campaign for More Intensive Farming.

ing what is known as the South Salem, section of the Pacific highway. The improved stretch of road is approximately 8½ miles in length, with paved surface 16 feet wide. Approximately 105,000 sacks of cement, 800 cubic yards of sand and 13,000 cubic yards of gravel were used in laying this pavement, according to the highway deposition.

Rains Interfere With Harvest. KELSO, Wash., Aug. 25.—(Special.)

Rains today again stopped harvesting operations in this vicinity and farmers are becoming fearful that they may sustain heavy losses again this year unless the next month is dry. The lowland farmers are just



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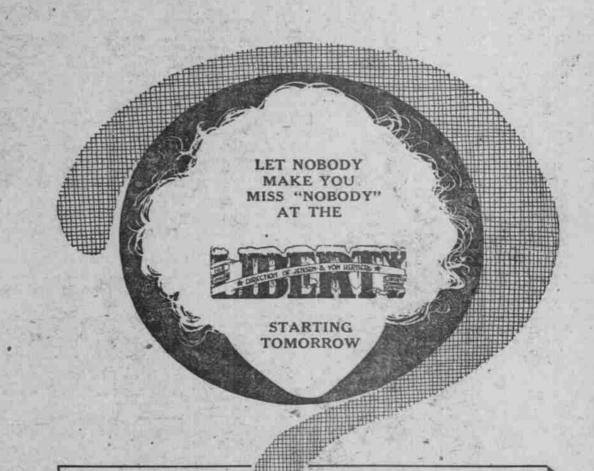
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mittee, which met yesterday in for a blanket hearing covering all tician for the department, was in-the department of labor and indus-industries. The conferees will be an-tries, set September 12 as the date nounced later. F. W. Harris, statis-



"HODGES MUST HAVE SHOT ROSSMORE-

"He was there at the time of the shooting. He threatened to get Rossmore for not coming through with the \$5000 for fake divorce evidence. Now, who's the guy that's holding us up?" The juryman looked around the jury room where eleven whined for conviction and one unknown still voted silently and stubbornly for acquittal.

"Now, who's holding out on us?" he barked again.

A man arose suddenly to face a yapping tornado.

"I AM!" HE SAID-"LET ME TELL YOU-"

> You've stirred to scenes in "Madame X," throbbed through moments of "On Trial," but you've never found such deep humanity, the conflict of love and knowledge and opportunity that pound through every reel of this

STORY OF A "NOBODY" WIFE AND A "SOME-BODY" HUSBAND

LAST TIMES TODAY WM. S. HART IN "THE WHISTLE"