

Chicago, March 17 .--- (U. P.)--Packer employes voted practically unanimously in favor of a strike, union leaders said today.

Official results of the vote probably will be announced today.

Union delegates to the conference to be held in Washington next Monday will urge that the Alschuler arbitration pact, recently canceled by the packers, be enforced on the ground that it was still legally in effect.

workers decided to vest the power to call a strike in Dennis Lane, secretary of the Socialist party, who of the meat cutters and butchers' workers' union, and Attorney Redmond S. Brennan, delegate to the packing house

wage conference. A further conference of union leaders will be held in Washington Sunday, it was said.

Retired Army Man Is Tendered Place On Shipping Board

Washington, March 17 .-- (I. N. S.)---Brigadier-General Frank Hines, former. head of the army transportation service during the war and now identified with a New York shipping company, has been tendered a place on the United States shipping board, it was learned today. It is learned that General Hines may be made head of the board. General Hines retired from the army soon after the close of the war and went into the shipping business. His home is in Salt Lake City

## APARTMENT HOUSE GARDENING

Ring W. Lardner, that self appointed authority on any subject, has a flock of ideas concerning spring gardening which he will offer his readers in next Sunday's Journal. His suggestions are bound to amuse you.

## SUNDAY JOURNAL COMICS EXCEL

The Sunday Journal comic features are the prize offerings of funland. "Bringing Up Father,". "The Shenanigan Kids," "Little Jimmy," and "Mr. Dubb." each in a series of brand new antics, will entertain you next Sunday.

## FICTION FEATURE BY SAMUEL MERWIN

"The Pragmatic Sanction," by Samuel Merwin, creator of the famous Sunbury stories, will be the fiction feature of The Sunday Journal Magazine.

NEXT SUNDAY

of April.

## PICKETING PLAN DROPPED AT REQUEST OF DEBS

Atlanta, Ga., March 17 .- (I. N. S.)-Plans of Socialists to picket the White House on April 13 and 14 in behalf of Eugene V. Debs have been abandoned it was announced here today by Samuel M. Castleton, attorney for Debs, at

the request of the famous prisoner him-Word that Debs desired the plans Heads of the organizations of packer to be abandoned was taken to Castleton visited Debs. Bars against any visitors for Debs were let down long enough

President Harding

Washington, March 17 .- (I. N. S.)

President Harding today made the fol-

Attempted Robbery Of Talent Bank Fails

Medford, Or., March 17 .- Bank robbers

visiting the Talent State bank at Talent

eight miles south of Medford, Wednes-

day night, used explosives on the vault

but were unable to gain entrance to the inner compartment. They left \$70 in pennies in the outer compartment when they fied.

"San Francisco, March 17 .- (U. P.)-

The Western Union Telegraph company

Boys Cut Down \$1

Pay of Messenger

to allow a brief conference between carry out provisions of the biff.

Debs and Branstetter. Three Additional Portland. Berths Filled by

Sky Law Vetoed by

Governor L. F. Hart inal charges he is now facing, it is Oswego Friday night. All residents of Oswego and other parts of Clackamas county have been invited to attend the Olympia, Wash., March .17 .- (I. N. S.)

Washington must go at least two years whose confidence in the honesty of the and brought loss to over 3500 investors nger without a "blue sky" law to reg- head of the bankrupt institution was present. ulate the sale of securities, as a result of misplaced. Such a charge would be no ing the Oswego lake location as ideal more inconsistent, for the event. The immense acreage, Governor L. F. Hart vetoing the measure passed by the recent session of the "I admit that as a civic duty and to attractive lake and accessibility to Port-

legislature. His reasons for vetoing the avert further losses to investors. I was land are pointed out as features in favor his action is indicated today by his dis-approval of a \$13,500 appropriation to record in New Jersey before he came to posed for the exposition. Portland.

Ortland. ALFRED C. REESE." On behalf of Reese, it is stated that On behalf of Reese, it is stated that his connection with the Etheridge case St. Patrick Called The governor also vetoed an appropriation of \$10,000 for payment of premiums was in line with his employment as a to Washington exhibitors at the Pacific-International Livestock exposition at

Vote of Confidence

Water Bond Issue

member of the Telegram staff and that "the woman in the case," referred to by Mrs. Etheridge, was a young woman for whom Reese, through kindly motives, **Clemency** Is Asked sought employment with Morris Bros.

MRS, ETHEBIDGE'S STAEMENT

Mrs. Etheridge's letter, which is part

actions which have involved Etheridge

For Navy Deserter Navy Deserter Salem, Or., March 17.—Friends of Da-Washington, March 17.-Cf. N. S.)-President Harding today made the fol-lowing recess appointments:
To be first assistant secretary of the interior-Edward C. Finney of Kansa.
To be first assistant secretary of the hard office-William Spry of Uta.
Been Orr, March 17.-Friends of Da-satisfant attant secretary of the Navy Denhy for one for was more that as guidely and the sec-tion for the navy Denhy for the U.S. collier Jupice and nave purchasing a farm in the so and was purchasing a farm in the so and was purchasing a farm in the office-William Stry of Uta.
Depositary Bonding Measure Is Vetoed
Olympia, Wash, March 17.-Senat Di N. 180, requiring state deposit, was vetoed wedneeday by Governor Louis F. Hart on the synameter to the online of the deposit, was vetoed wedneeday by Governor Louis F. Hart on the state submeter
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Paris, March 17.-(I. N. S.)-A vote of confidence was given to the Briand ministry this afternoon by the cham-ber of deputies, the vote being: In File New Tariff File New Tariffs favor of the government, 491: against the government, 66. The vole was taken following debate and interpellations upon the indemnity issue, **On Lumber Rates** 

Washington, March 17 .- (WASHING-TON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)-The Interstate Commerce commission has authorized carriers, on five days

Lost in The Dalles notice, to file tariffs equalizing lumber rates through Omaha and gateways south of Minneapolis on the same basis The Dalles, May 17.-The \$250,000 as those of Minneapolis. water bond issue voted upon here. This means the Union Pacific and

today reduced the pay of messenger boys in San Francisco. Motorcycle messenger boys gers will receive \$4.50 instead of \$5.50 a day. Eicycle boys will get \$2.75 instead of \$3.10. About 150 boys are affected. A light vote was cast.

To boost for the 1925 electrical exposition and urge the location of the fair of the propaganda to win acquittal of grounds in the Oswego Lake park, a

Oswego residents are advanc-

Walla Walla, Wash., March 17 .-husband from the numerous crim- meeting will be held in the city hall a Latest estimates place the damage done by the floods in the Walla Walla valley at upwards of a half meeting as an organization is to be permillion dollars. The rains fected to work for the fair. Oregon City is expected to have a delegation

stopped this morning and by noon today the waters were receding. It is impossible accurately to estimate

the damage at this time, owing to the great amount of destruction done to farm crops, the total amount of which will active in exposing Etheridge's prison of the location over others so far pronot be known for several days. Roads

all through the southeastern section of the county are impassable and railroad connections to the city are greatly im-paired. The washing away of an abutment of an interurban bridge west of the Italian; One in Jail, city has suspended traffic on the Walla Walla Valley Interurban railway and Other in Hospital the O-W. R. & N. has reported trouble at Valley Grove, where the tracks were washed out.

CHICKENS ROOST IN TREES

Alamosa, Colo., March 17 .- (I. N. S.) Damage within the city is continually being reported. Flocks of chickens were forced into the trees to escape being drowned. In one yard an entire coop full of chickens was flooded with water and the fowls compelled to roost all day. The paving at fire station No. 2, where Mill creek went out of its banks, is seriously damaged. The water washed th

ground out from under it. Lawns were washed out, department stores compelled to move stock from their basements and hundreds of residents of the city were unable to get into

the.; homes because of the high water. Several houses and sheds built on the banks of Mill creek were washed down the stream and demolished against the concrete abutments of bridges at street crossings.

BRIDGES SWEPT AWAY

More than three inches of rain fell at the city waterworks intake, 14 miles up Mill creek, and 1.19 inches was pre-Products for Russia cipitated during the 24 hour period in this city. Several small bridges in the city were washed down, and fire station No. 2 was abandoned late in the evening

By Ed L. Keen London, March 17.-(U. P.)-British factories hummed today, turning out for Russia. terday with the soviets was marked by thousands of dollars in their various mmediate activity in several industries. districts. In some places ditches are re-Although warning had been given that ported to have been washed through greatly increased trade will not be poswheat fields to a depth of six to eight sible immediately, manufacturers hastened to prepare for the future. feet. The grain fields are badly washed and rutted in all parts of the county and Mineral and oil from the vast Russian the farmers say it will be impossible for resources were expected to be available some time to estimate closely the damto British capitalists.

age done to the 1921 wheat crop. Many say their fields are so badly washed that it will be necessary to replow and Hopgrowers Also Ask reseed in order to get a crop that can be harvested. U.S. for an Embargo

GARDENS DAMAGED The greatest damage that was done to

farm lands is reported south of the city Washington, March 17.--(WASHING-TON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)--The activity of Western senators in bealong the banks of Yellowhawk and Garrison creeks. These streams overwoman" in the triangle. flowed their banks and spread their wahalf of the embargo on wool was folters over vast areas of valuable garden and already in onlons, spinach and hubarb crops. According to city officials, greater words were like a white hot flame, burn land already in onions, spinach and rhubarb crops.

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ADMITS HAMON WAS DRUNK

gangs last summer, driving trucks. He objected to being "shanghaied" He admitted Hamon was drunk wh from Washington by Oregon officers. They shot. offered to hand him over to the Van-**GOVERNOR IS FLAYED** 

couver sheriff, whereupon he agreed to A sensationally bitter attack on Govcome peaceably. rnor J. B. A. Robertson of Oklahoma

and Attorney General S. Price Freeling, charging them with using political influ-ence to "persecute Clara Smith Hamon," was launched by J. B. Champion, defense Thomas Seeks Money For Portland School ounsel, in opening his arguments to the

ury. Champion is a twin brother of the trial judge. Washington, March 17.--(WASHING-TON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)-Champion also branded Jake L. Hamon, the dead oil king, as a "moral Clerk George B. Thomas of the Portland leper." chool board is here to enlist Senator The attorney general, I will say, is McNary in an effort to have the federal not responsible for this.

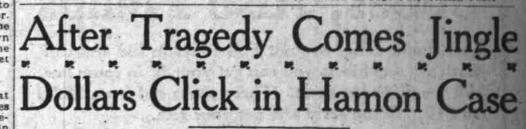
vocational board make good on its allot-GOVERNOR IS RESPONSIBLE ment of \$25,000 for the Benson Poly-"The man who is responsible is the technic school. It appears money was

actually sent to district headquarters at governor of the state who went out of Seattle one year ago, but was grabbed his way to persecute a girl and to de-fend a moral leper who debauched and stole the virtue of a country girl," by Seattle, and no part of it leaked through to Portland.

Champion charged. Champion began his argument right after court convened this morning. He branded Hamon as a "seducer" and as a man who "stole girls out of the U.S. Submarine Is Grounded Upon Reef cradle.

"The attorney general has come here to uphold the hands of a millionaire debaucher.

Westerly, Rhode Island, March 17.-(U. P.)-The United States submarine N-2 grounded on Watch Hill reef to-(U. P.)—The United States submarine N-2 grounded on Watch Hill reef to-day.' Coast guards sent to her relief uced this girl. Hamon, a man of 40. reported that Lieutenant Claude Far, seduced her when she was in her teens. mer and his crew of 12 men will remain aboard. (Concluded on Page Two, Column Four)



By Winifred Vanduzer two women who sat almost side by side at the counsel table. Universal Service Staff Correspondent (Copyright, 1921, by Universal Service)

(Copyright, 1921, by Universal Service) Ardmore, Okla., March 17.—"Like he serpent, crawling, slimy thing tealing into the nest, she went into the serpent, crawling, slimy thing stealing into the nest, she went into edged veil.

If ever she knew bitterness, dreamed of vengeance in long hours of

loneliness, it was here today. Relentless, cruel as the smile of fate and sells her body for years to come and sells her children to be-she went into truth, if such it were, horrible in stark their home to take the husband away nakedness

But only the woman wept : the girl

stared straight ahead, showing no emo out.

He pointed to the widow. "Look a this woman, look at her face-you set it as God made it. Then look at this sleep the sleep of the righteous.

"Look at her, you gentlemen of the jury." Thus, in substance, was the arraign-ment of Clara Smith Hamon, "other

other face—the face of the defendant He deciared his intention of referri to the girl accused of slaying Ham only as "defendant." not as "woman." He spoke of her lack of emotion wh LIKE WHITE HOT FLAME

she gave witness concerning the ni of tragedy and her lover's death. said: "She cooled like a dove and y who heard her cooling and singing a her painted face, her silken home a

ing out last shreds of illusion, laying bare before mortal eyes hearts of the (Concluded on Page Two, Column One)

