CIRCULATION

Spartacan Movement Sweeping Entire Germany

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Sunday night and in one conflict course of formal instructions, but dur Chairman Hale insisted. reported Sunday, twenty Spar-tacans were killed in an engagemarily executed.

In the Ruhr industrial region, immediately adjoining the allied zone of occupation there is veritable civil war fare, with opposing armies of communist and government troops drawing up their forces in line for battle. Government detachments have been defeated in some preliminary skirm-

Leipsic has quieted down after the tions of northern Germany there is

increasing unrest. Southern and eastern Germany are sported fairly quiet. There is a threat; however, of a renewal of the and coke, and in the operation of the general strike in Bavaria because of plant. dissatisfaction over some of the terms of settlement.

Murder of Cork **Mayor Produces** Stir Over Ireland

Cork. Mark. 22.-Thousands of persoms assembled at the city hall today in preparation for the funeral of Thomas MacCurtain, lord mayor of Cork, who was shot to death by an unknown as-

issin early Saturday morning.

Trains brought great crowds to the clay this morning and the shops were closed in order to afford the citizens an opportunity of testifying their respect for the late lord mayor.

London, Mar. 22.—Dispatches from Ireland show the murder of Thomas er and street railway system in 1907. MacCurtain, lord mayor of Cork, to the blackest weeks since the rebei- condition with all small gas plants of waging a more or less extensive cam-

The motive of the murder of the lord mayor continues as mysterious ward to the day when the growth of campaign literature.

As ever, Among the theories advance the business will reduce the unit cost. The candidates all declare for the as ever. Among the theories advanc-ed is one that MacCurtain was mur-of manufacturing the gas to a point maintenance dered as a warning to others because where it can be sold at a reasonable rights, pacification of the country and o recently had the courage public-to deprecate an attempt to murder "The officers of the P. R. L & P. ly to deprecate an attempt to murder

stand in their way.

supposed societies is declared possi- pany's esteemed patrons." ble owing to the "moral cowardice of the Irish republic." The crimes the phlet shows: societies commit are repungent to be better sort of Sinn Peiners, who, tons of coke, 46,000 gallons of water, however, keep silence, fearing the 5\$ K.W.H. of electricity, consequences if they condemn assas-sinations, the papers say.

Even newspapers which support home rule, while condemning what they regard as the present evil system of Jelsh She present evil system. tem of Irish government, also de-nounce Irishmen themselves for condoning methods which, they say, are

Berlin Like Admiral Benson Author Great Effort Shrine Club To Meet And Shape Armed Camp Of Anti-English Remark Sims Informs Probers Finish Drive

airal William S. Benson, then chief Rear Admiral Palmer, chief of of naval operations, was the official bureau of navigation Notwithstanding the who told Rear Admiral Sims "not to It witness told the committee that Admiral Benson repeated his admonreturn of the Ebert governeyes; we would as soon fight them as ition during a conversation the foiment to control there, still prethe Germans." Admiral Sims testified lowing day and that he made the

supply short and sanguinary fighting occurring at intervals in the suburbs. There is little in the suburbs. There is little in the strike situation.

War.

Admiral Sims said the remark was particular attention to the statement at that time, because he believed final instructions from Secretary Danderd on the suburbs. There is little is preparatory to his departure for British. He added that this belief was preparatory of the entertained generally throughout the Serious trouble occurred in Engiand on the eve of the entry of the entertained generally throughout the Serious trouble occurred in United States into the war. He added, service. The witness was reluctant to England on the eve of the entry of the entertained generally throughout the the Moabit industrial quarter however, that it was not made in the give the name of the officer.

ment and twenty four others History and Operation of Salem Gas Company Shown to Business Men Today

are greatly handicapped in their operation because of law imposed restrictions, making the public service business vastly different from the private concern, William M. Hamilton, division manager for the P. R. L. & P. com pany, and manager of the Salem Gas

Mr. Hamilton declared that the polas arbitrary. This can readily be un-derstood, he said, when it is known age, the steamer ran aground. that almost all the activities of such concerns are governed by laws of the state, providing penalties for both com panies and agents for any violation

In a pamphlet handed the business men the history of the Salem Gas company, showing its marvelous growth and enterprise as an integral of the community, is shown.

The Salem Gas company was organ ized in 1869 by C. E. Burrows, David Tuthill and others.

vember 22, 1869, The first customers were connected

September 17, 1876. P. company acquired the property, to- July 11.

"When the price of gas was \$2.50 lion of 1916. He gives a long list of the size of this one during recent years, paign.

company realize that this growth can the campaign is being waged on London newspapers declare Ireland only be brought about by supplying personalities. Obregon's supporters for the moment is largely under the good gas at the proper pressure and at declare that the Carranza administrations of the moment is largely under the good gas at the proper pressure and at declare that the Carranza administration of the campaign of the general's candidomination of secret murder societ-ies the members of which are sworn and distribution, and by giving satis-dacy and is using its resources to se to kill those whom they believe to factory personal service to the patrons cure the election of Bonillas. These of the company as well.

Mrs. Woodcock Is

and James Ian MacPherson, saying: her testimony in the trial of her hus-They are bringing about the hide- band, Edgar Woodcock, a San Franone heccasity of reconquering Ireland cisco educator, for murder, was set by force of arms," and "civil war is for Monday, April 12, by Superior Judge Louis H. Ward here today.

Alaskan Steamer Floated; Resumes Northward Voyage

Leipsic has quieted down after the government victory there. Among the company, asserted at the luncheon this reaching here today that the Pacific noon in the Commercial club of business may be company's Alaska ness men. Following the luncheon the business men visited the gas plant at which grounded Saturday near Seythe foot of Chemeketa street, and were mour Narrows on the Inside Passage schooled in the manufacture of gas to Alaska was floated last night and proceeded on her way northward un-

The Evans in the fog early Satur ley of public utilities managers are oft- day rammed and sent to the bottom entimes misunderstood and mistaken the Seattle tug City of Lund. In try

Mexican Politics Wax Warm; Three **Candidates Enter**

The franchise ordinance was passed thronged the streets yesterday to gree by the council of the city of Salem No-Ygnacio Bonillas, Mexican ambassador to the United States, who has announced his willingness to become

Newspaper comment and published interviews with other candidates and the city is made townspeople will have produced an intense, if subdued and \$3 per thousand cubic feet, and sensation throughout Ireland. This coal and labor was cheap, the plant tragedy, says the Lordon Times corpaid a satisfactory return on the investment in Dublin, closed one of the blackers where the price of gas was \$2.50 government officials indicate the surprised at the loyalty of Salem's organized labor, it is said.

The Salem General Hospital foundation with partisans of Pablo Gonzales with partisans of Pablo Gonzales providing the funds are raised with

"The owners of such plants look for- of political clubs and distribution of

of Mexican national other generalities. Platforms, how are virtually negligible, since charges, together with intimations

governor of Guanajuato, who was the an interest in the lads."

orderly elections. Vera Cruz is supporting Bonillas.

Set For April 12 campaign that the present administration would hold over has virtually tration would hold over has virtually disappeared, since entire faith has been placed in President Carranza's been so far reserced. Reservations and denounces Field Marshal French charge of perjury in connection with her testimony in the trial of her nus-

Desperate 'Red' Makes Escape From Hospital Dover, Del., Mar. 22.—The general directly home from here.

sack, allen, said by local immigration in special session at hour consider ratification of the equal sufauthorities to be one of the most desauthorities to be one of the most desperate radicals in the northwest, esfrage amendment to the federal conled to the shippards strike which bewest of Essen, after heavy losses had caped from the Good Samaritan hospital here some time last night, it
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gantic effort was being made this afternoon, and will be continued Tuesday afternoon, to complete the \$100,000 fund for the construction of the Salem participate in the imperial assaint in the construction of the Salem participate in the imperial assaint in the imperial assaint in the construction of the Salem participate in the imperial assaint in the construction of the Salem participate in the imperial assaint in the construction of the Salem participate in the imperial assaint in the construction of the Salem participate in the construction of the salem of pleasure. the construction of the Salem General Hospital.

public subscription. The county the Shriners arrive in Salem. will give \$25,000 when Salem people have contributed \$75,000
This small volunteer army therefore has to raise more than \$30.000. The drive officially ends Wednesday night.

Officers Come to Return A

The volunteers were entered into the race for funds at the noon-day luncheon of the business men in the Com-mercial club this noon. After a brief talk by Thomas B. Kay of the necessity of making a final spurt and effort to raise the funds, several rose to their feet and offered their services.

Volunteers Out.

The volunteers are: Oliver Meyers, Roy Wise, A. C. Boehrnstedt, John W. Todd, Luther J. Chapin, John F.

Busick and F. W. Jobleman. Senator Charles L. McNary has subcribed \$500 to the fund. Mr. Kay anounced at the luncheon.

by the lack of workers, Mr. Kay de-clared. Many of the committees have not yet reported and he urged that they make speedy accounts of their ac-

It was decided at a meeting of the hospital committee Saturday that the campaign should end Wednesday night. Plans were then discussed to take this last battle for aid.

Women Aid Drive. A women's committee, formed by Mrs. G. C. Bellinger, Mrs. James Elvin, Mrs. Dr. E. E. Fisher, Mrs. W. E. An-Mexico City, March 22.—Thousands derson, Mrs. W. M. Hamilton and Miss Mattle Beatty, joined with the forces thronged the streets yesterday to greet today and began active solicitation in the city. Their work is expected to bring in big results, it was stated at

campaign headquarters. Unofficial reports today showed that the presidential candidate of the laboring men of the city had not for The plant has been in continuous the presidential candidate of the laboring men of the city had not for operation since 1870. The P. R. L. & civilian party in the general elections

outrages in various parts of the island the revenues of such plants have but including five murders of policemen and others and an attempt to kill Propagate and in some instances have not fessor Stockland and the penses and in some instances have not fessor Stockland and the penses and in some instances have not fessor Stockland and the penses and in some instances have not than four months while Gonzales has contented himself with the formation of the big structure. contented himself with the formation cornerstone of the big structure, now exempted. not been decided definitely upon yet, it was said.

Lads and Dads to Feast Tonight at

dering each other. Existence of these supposed societies is declared possible owing to the "moral cowardice of the many settlement of the pany's esteemed patrons."

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Stivers, of Eugene, will be one of the principal speakers at the affair, takalso been met wifh vehement denials ing as the subject of his discourse General Frederico Monteas, former 'The importance of church taking

leading spirit in the recent conference Other speakers will be T. E. Mc Made per day—80,000 cubic feet of here of sixteen state governors, has Croskey. "What we owe to our dads"; gas, 3 % tons of coke, 2 barrels of tar. declared the sole purpose of that con- W. P. Walters, county Y. M. C. A. ference was to guarantee free and secretary, "Lost—A boy;" Reverend rderly elections.

Canido Aguilar, son-in-law of Pres- Christian church, "Lads as an investment;" Reverend R. L. Putnam, pas-The belief expressed early in the tor of the Court street Christian campaign that the present adminis-church, "The importance of Chris

McCroskey, manager of the Commerident Carranza, who recently re-signed as governor of the state of of the Y. M. C. A.

Delaware To Act Upon Suffrage

Ententainments

be made at a meeting in the Commer-cial club Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock of the Shrine club here. Reports from the various committees that have been appointed to make arrangements for With a small select team of the entertainment will be heard, and volunteer workers a final and gi-gantic effort was being made of pleasure

eneral Hospital.

Forty-five thousand dollars this meeting, as well as the others have been raised thus far by scheduled for each week until the tin

to Return Auto **Thieves South**

Bakersfield, Cal., are in the city today Bakersfield, Cal., are in the city today conferring with Governor Olcott and local police arranging for the extradition of Russell and Raymond Eyerly, brothers, who two years ago stole an auto at Bakersfield. The Eyerly brothers were arrested here last Thursday, following search throughout California and Montana that has been relentless during the past year and a half.

Deputies Yancey and Cochran arrived in Salem Saturday evening. They said W. Todd, Lucher J. Charles Bender auto at Bakersfield. The Eyerly bro-less D. D. Socolofsky, William Mc-thers were arrested here last Thurs-Gilchrist Jr., Thomas B. Kay and Wm.

ous than first believed by police here.
The pair is charged with burgiary and grand larceny. The deputies said that they broke into the garage from which they stole the machine.

Berlin. Neuokolin and Tempelhof, the workingmen's residence quarters in the suburbs, where disorders occurred Saturday, have been quieted by government troops activities.

\$24,000 Marion's Share In First **Motor Fund Split**

Marion county's share in the first mer field guns with plenty of ammunistribution of funds received through on, and are still working hard to push the registration of motor vehicles, the project over the top. When final reports of the activities of unions in the city is made townspeople will be amounted to \$24,319.45. The distribution of funds received through the registration of motor vehicles. William Major Beerfeld, a relative had dealings with Byron. Byrop's operations were those of Maximilian Hardin is commander of these troops. He was prominent in the Spartiacist troubles at the time of ment timber claims for the payment of surprised at the loyalty of Salem's or button is made semi-annually on the armistice and also in January, paid at the time of making the convenience of these troops. He was prominent in the Spartiacist troubles at the time of a sum of \$1000, \$500 of which was a sum of \$1000, \$500 of which was paid at the time of making the convenience. anized labor, it is said.

March 15 and September 15, under the 1918.

The Salem General Hospital foundaprovisions of the law of 1919 which The Salem General Hospital foundation will be laid about the first of May, provisions of the law of 1919 which to providing the funds are raised with which to erect it, according to the tentative plans of the hospital committee. It has been suggested that a half holiday in the city mark the laying of the

other three-fourths going to the credit of omission.

of the state highway fund. Christian Church receipts for the 1920 registrations agreement \$1,575,500. Of this amount \$47,805.37 are deducted for adminis-

National Labor Leaders Confer With Strikers

its chairman, James O'Connell, the executive committee of the Metal Trades department of the American Federation of Labor is due here to-day to confer with labor leaders in vious night.

Trades department of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost on the present of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings has lost of the American berg said that city was quiet on Sun- whom he has had dealings had the city was quiet on Sun- whom he had the city was quiet on Su day to confer with labor leaders in Pacific coast shipyards in regard to and other matters vital to the local defense informed the correspondent organizations. The first conference will be held tomorrow.

Labor leaders in Los Angeles. Seattle, Portland and all other importtee here. So far as is known the com-Amendment Soon mittee will not hold conferences in any other coast city but will return

HUN SHIP PURCHASED BY

TOTTERING FOR 800 YEARS

Sugmost Aligh Fairchild. Enterprise, candidate for republican nomination for date for republican nomination date for republican nomination for date for republican nom climbed down a fire escape. He was pependicula has been valous interpretion for senator from the sixteenth senabeen started between 1780 and 1785.
W. P. Myers, Bend, candidate for reCirculating libraries were first set up bullican nomination for district; at in London in 1750 and in Birmingham taken into custody were found guility bullican nomination for district; at in London in 1751. They increased so rapidly that the state syndicalism act.

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Conditions Faced by Ebert Government Growing More Serious Hourly is Report

Berlin, March 22.—Conditions in Germany were described by the minister of defense this morning as extremely serious. "You can't paint the situation throughout Germany too black," an official at the ministry declared to the correspond-ent after a survey of the reports that had come in during the night.

The situaation in Berlin itself was characterized as "bad." In one case a company of volunteers had been overpowered by Spartscan forces, its officer killed and their bodies mutilated.

125 Feet When The southern and eastern

parts of Germany are reported lin district, the outposts of the regulars have been withdrawn, leaving detach-

ments to guard the stockyards and

DEATH TOLL 8,000 Paris, March 22.—(Havas) —Eight thousand persons have been killed since the

in Salem Saturday evening. They said joined the other military units at the that they expected to leave for Bakes-field with their prisoners this evening. According to the deputies the charge that faces the brothers is more serf-that faces the brothers is more serf-

Spartacan Force Big. Paris, Mar. 22.—Spartacan forces in

the Ruhr valley of Germany number at least twenty thousand, and some es-timate them at forty thousand, accord-ing to latest advices received at the foreign office here. They are well or-ganized, being composed of old shock troops and velerans, supplied with ar-tillery, machine guns and mine throw-ers and having batteries of 77 centi-mer field suns with plenty of ammuni-

Ebert government authorities are tract, with the provision that this me

Treaty Violated.
The occupation of the Ruhr district by German troops is in direct viola-

Two German officers have been sent According to a summary of the dis- by the Ebert government to acquaint contracted with Byron for locations tribution prepared by Kozer the total the French authorities with the situation and a representative to interview him receipts for the 1920 registrations ag- tion in the Ruhr district. These official McNeils island regarding what ne

> evening. the composition of the red army in return is as follows: the Ruhr region are that it was red That the money p cruited for the most part among the Salem people is still intact and secured iron workers.

Munich, and it is expected the move- held against him. ment will extend throughout Bavaria | Protectio unless it is stopped as a result of the That Byron has made satisfactory negotiations now in progress to settle provision for the return of the full the demands of the workingmen to pay amounts paid to him by Salem people during the period they were on strike as soon as he is free to make a settle-against the Kapp regime. Meetings ment.

Hed Successes Spread. Berlin, Mar, IL.—The ministry of this morning that the conditions in the

Ruhr district were becoming worse. The towns of Oelde, Ahlen and Dren-

steinfurt, in Westphalia southeas or ant shipbuilding centers on the coust Muenster, had been taken by the com munists, it was stated, and the movenent was spreading north and east. Dover, Del., Mar. 22.—The general directly home from here.

Portland, Or., Mar. 23.—Frank Cuassembly of Delaware convened here of Connell aided in negotiating a troops had been forced to fall back on the fortress of Wesel, on the right bank here today. More than tour hundred here today. More than tour hundred here today.

> sociated Press.)-Troops from Silesia ary. SHIP PURCHASED BY
> ARGENTINA TO START RUN in the Ruhr district; and fighting with FIRE DESTROYS SPEEDWAY

125 Feet When it Strikes Another

A serious collision, in which an auto belonging to E. L. Williams, 671 Lambert street, Portland, was thrown 125 feet across the curb, sidewalk driver of the other auto, escaped

Deals Totaling High Negotiated By Byron Here

That Carlos L. Byron, convicted in That Carios L. Byrod. convicted in Seattle of using the mails with intent to defraud and now serving a Li-months' seatence at McNeils island following the withdrawal of a stay of execution, numbered smarty his pa-trons about 40 prominent merchant, professional men, school teachers and others in Salem is revealed upon the others in Salem is revealed upon the return from McNells Island of a rep-

paid at the time of making the con-

Marion county's automobile owners by German troops is in direct violation of the Ruhr district by German troops is in direct violation of his deals were negotiated with persons with whom he came in pertias of this amount \$3015.19 is charged of Versailles, it was pointed out at the sonal contact socially and no suspitation of administrative expense and of the remained one-fourth is returned to the county for road purposes, the treaty, the other violations being those news of his committees. as late as December.

Early this week the local people who cers are expected to reach Paris this intended to do toward making good evening. The foreign office advices regarding report of this representative upon his That the money paid to Byron by

A general strike has been called in many times the amount of the claims Protection Claimed

are to be held in the Wurttemburg factories by the councils of workmen to consider if similar action should be taken throughout Wurttemburg.

That Byron was convicted or using factories by the councils of workmen the mails "with intent to defraud," to consider if similar action should be and that in the 20 years he has been operating in locating people on government locating people on government. Reports received here from Nurem- ernment lands not one person with

\$40,000 to \$65,000 according to various

Reds To Be Shipped On Relief Vessels

New York, Mar. 22.—Relief ships to Pitched battles had been fought the the next month with flour for needy ministry's information showed, and countries of Europe also are going to

BEREITA POLICE LA COMPANION OF THE PARTY OF

Again; Six Others File supreme court, is the first candidate the national convention from the secto formally enter the face for nomina- and congressional district. tion as a candidate for a place on the J. F. Reddy, Medford, democratic Supreme bench. In his pettion filed candiate for delegate to the national with the secretary of state's office this convention from the state at large. Hawles Moore, Medford, candidate erning Justice Bean who is a canfor re-election declares for for the democratic nomination for dis- headquarters of the communist labor equal justice to all."

Bean to be Candidate