day generally fair, cooler to-night east portion, neavy frost early morning, moderate wester-

LOCAL: No rainfall; northerly winds; clear; maximum 70, min-imum 35, set 45; river 6 feet and

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# Ten Die In Chicago Explosion; Many Hurt

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Manageent, Not Working greements Is Need laims Lauck

esco. March 29.- The root railroad problems is not al agreements but in the s of management de-W. Jett Lauck, consulting of labor organizations, aployes exhibits before the railroad labor

servatively stated, if railmanagement was charactery reasonable efficiency and mailable for its use proper ar eredit, labor costs would hown a radical decline unagreements," . Mr. declared. "Savings in opg expenses of at least one dollars annually would be We shall demonstrate this reports prepared by reput ad engineers, and ex

seek to establish these Bemands Reasonable.

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ave become so clearly recogby both employes and emthat national agreements

is being exerted to make apulsory upon all employemployers in a given indus-

-That the former railroad mistration in entering into mil agreements therefore recognized a tendency had almost reached comevelopment prior to the way ned oninion both within and at the transportation indus-

Conspiracy Charged. That the representatives of oads have given their

ane which have been urged meeting this morning. put years to prevent the espent of human standards the railroads are now con-My and deliberately taking mage of temporary industrial and to destroy human Alleged Slayer bught and practice of the industrial nations of the

### ane Patrol Forests To

mording to a telegram reinday by State Forester El- United States district court. tum Senator McNary. The the the patrol are entirely hands of the commanding at of the ninth corps area Prancisco, according to This official will mave estimation of the patrol act to the limited appropria-ind personnel available for work. While it is expected he same territory will be at as was covered last year expected that any new Ty will be patroled this year

### John Burroughs Famous Naturalist, Overtaken by Death; Was en Route Home

POET PROTEGE OF OF BRYAN VICTCIM OF TOO MUCH ALCOHOL

Chicago, Mar. 29-Will Reed Dunroy, poet and widely known press agent, died here last right of wood alcohol poisoning. Men with whom he has been assoclated lately said that he had not taken a drink for years but yesterday he asked a friend for one to cure a cold.

Dunroy was 45 years old and in his younger days was a protege of William Jennings Bryan who paid his way through the University of Nebraska.

### **Tariff Price Basis Meets** Opposition

vide tariff taxation at American being received by members of the and means committees.

Those criticising the American valuation system contend the be best public policy, as differ at Boston, New York, San by the awards of boards of Francisco and New Orleans and of other official inflexible standards of valuation of the birds, to relieve his home- He had been held on a charge of es, it is contended, would se greater in the middle section of the country because of the transdistances from the portation neaboard.

on a New York Central train near Kingsville, Ohio, on his way home from California at 2 o'clock this morning. He had been very ill for six weeks with an abscess on the chest and heart and with kidney complications.

He was so eager to get home that the long journey was undertaken with the hope that he could survive. The end came suddenly, a few minutes after he had asked: "How John E. Mack, guardian al litem near home are we?"

the set determination of an herbal-

Promoter, Is

McFarland was released it is

Five hundred Carolina poplar

trees have been received by the

tenses.

Freed Today

The report says a woman looking the river-just about Mr. Burroughs took charge of the zation pressed a little close about remains and continued east. Mr. Burroughs boarded

the a mile or two back in the woods. train at Chicago and was bound for Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Dean of Nature Writers.

John Burroughs was the venerable dean of nature writers in the him of the secrets of nature. He United States. Through a score of never made much of the discovery books he shared with countless of new species, and nothing of readers his lifelong intimacy with birds, bees, flowers and the whole out-of-doors. His highly develop-to others the charm of close con-tact with the birds, bees and flowcharm of his interpretations were the marvel of his critics.

The essence of his philosophy was always bright, in agreement the marvel of his critics. He was born in 1837. In 1863 with Browning, that "All's well e went to Washington with some

ne went to Washington with something of an inclination to enlist in against the legislation agreed on the Union army, but he decided to seek a government office. It is related that with only a few of his poems as credentials he walked in to the treasury department and asked for a job. It was agreed senate finance and house ways that his veneral verse really smeet of the woods, and smacked of sin cerity. He would be a safe man to watch the treasury vaults. He American values of merchandise the desk, facing the huge iron tempted to promote a plan for the fant, who, Mr. Stillman alleges, differ at Boston, New York, San vault where he kept tabs on those erection of an \$80,000 cooperative was born to his wife by Fred Beau-Francisco and New Orleans and who went to handle the \$50,000, apartment house, was released vais, an Indian guide, employed by other ports of entry and that no 000 stored there, he began writing from the county jail this morning. are feasible. The price difference sickness. The result was his first obtaining money under false pre

Business Tired Him.

Some years later, after work as understood, because of an insufa treasury clerk and a national ficency of evidence to warrant bank examiner had netted him prosecution under the "blue sky Prominent republicans of the some savings, he bought a few law. congressional taxation committees acres at West Park on the Hudson, concede that there is some morit where among the loaded trailies in the objections to the valua- of a vineyard he found "more tion legislation but believe that its benefits would be much greater than any harm which would his emotional intercourse with planted at once around the fair nature, building a real house over grounds.

Stillman Father of Boy, Claim

Guardian Alleges Positive Proof of Parentage of Awaits Hearing

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Mar. 29 .for Guy Stillman, 28 months old infant, whose legitimacy is quesphysician, who was accompanying Poughkeepsie. When rural civilitioned by James A. Stillman, president of the National City bank of him, he built his "slabsides" eabin New York, in his divorce suit against the former "Fifi" Potter. He did not go at his studies with announced today that he was in possession of proof that the bankist but took life easily, and wrote er is the child's father. breezily when the spirit moved

"At the proper time," he added, "we will establish this fact by competent evidence."

Proof Held Conclusive. This statement was made while both sides were awaiting decision of Supreme Court Justice Morschauser on alimony and counsel

It was understood here that 'competent evidence' of Guy's paternity will be presented either at referee hearings or before a court by several witnesses, both men and women. Some of these, it was understood, will be servants in the Stillman household, but at least one is said to be an outsider who visited the banker's home early in 1918.

Mr. Mack had not claimed posses R. D. McFarland, arrested here sion of postive proof that the fiagreed to take the place. At a l.t. several days ago after he had at nancier was the father of the in-

## **Hun Riots** Continue

Fifteen Killed and Robbins in 1917 on her cross com-

een riotors were killed and forty others wounded in a clash with the security police here. The attempt to bring on a general strike in this

Essen, Germany, Mar. 29 .- Fif-

ing down his mill yesterday evening and refusing to arbitrate The "exemptional refusion to arbitrate The "exemptional refusion of the restriction The "exceptional status" rethe matter of the reduction of the wage scale from \$3.60 to ferredt o presumably is similar to condition of former United States \$3,00 per day, employes of the company will take steps to-

oridentical with the "non-military Senator Levi Ankeney who is \$3,00 per day, employes of the company will take steps to-ward bringing the matter before the state arbitration board at meeting to be held at the Salem Central Labor Council many affected by the communist end may come at any time, No

TO PAY HIS FARE

Paris, Mar. 29 .- Paris probably has the only futurist taxicab in the world and it occupies a prominent place near the Opera. A few nights ago an artist, returningt o his home by taxi, found that he had no money to pay his fare. He suggested to the chauffeur that he "work out" the sum by painting futurist designs on the sides of the taxi. The chauffeur consented and held a candle while the artist worked.

#### Halsey Bank **Burglars** Are Sought Here

An attempt to rob a bank at Halsey proved a failure last night. according to information received from the Linn county sheriff by Sheriff O. D. Bower here this quested to be on the look-out for a studebaker automobile owned by E. B. Penland of Halsey in which the would-be thieves are believed shoppers.

#### **Parents Contest Custody of Child**

Elizabeth Robbins, daughter of Mrs. Irene Etta Robbins-Cave and Winwood Robbins, divorced in 1917, continued in the circuit Bingham.

According to the petition filed by her mother, when the divorce decree was granted to her parents the child was given into the custody of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, who was then a resident of Marion county, but who later removed to Tygh valley, Wasto county. Since her aunt's removal the child has been, it states, in the custody of her father who allowed her mother to take her to Tygh valley on a promise that she would be returned in ten days. In getting control of the child

Unchecked Mrs. Robbins-Cave refused to return her and has petitioned the court for her custody. The divorce was granted to Mrs.

40 Wounded When plaint and charging inheman

### Is Near Death

Walla Walla, Wash., Mar. 29, -No change is reported in the hope is held out for his recovery

### Big Warehouse Is Wrecked; Police Say Bomb Cause

Building Reduced To Splintered Pile of Debris Covering Mangled Remains of Persons Caught In Catastrophe; Suspects Released After Examination

ouse at 779 Barber street today caused ten deaths and injuries to several score other persons, according to first reports received by the coroner's office. City police and firemen said they could see bodies in the ruins of the building.

morning. Local officers were restore at Twelth and Halated streets was the scene of a panic when the concussion shattered plate glass theories of the police. windows and startled clerks and

> The neighborhood confusion hampered the police and firemen until the fire lines were established, men and women running about streets screaming about

> Building Demalished. Of the building where the blast pile of broken timbers and plaster Half an hour after the explosion three bodies were taken from the ruins and four persons, severely

Two more bodies taken from the were so badly mangled that the were quartered there. coroner's assistants were uncertain whether this latter discovery actually increased the death list.

Chicago, March 29 .- An explosion which wrecked a ware-

the warehouse contained a whole-Panic Rules Streets,

Effects of the explosion were
felt for blocks. A big department

The warehouse contained a sale grocery stock, including the sale grocery stock, including the sale grocery stock, including the sale grocery stock in the warehouse contained a sale grocery stock in the warehouse contained as sale grocery stock in the war sale grocery stock, including con-That the explosion was caused by gas or a bomb were the early

The warehouse was a one story brick structure with a 35 foot frontage and about 150 feet in length. The explosion apparently occurred in the rear of the build-

Substance was given the police bomb theory when a percussion cap was found in the ruins and firemen searching the ruins were riginated there was left only a reported to have found parts of a supposed bomb.

Searchers continued to take from the ruins parts of bodies The uper half of a body so mutiinjured, were sent to the county lated that it could not be identihospital. A dozen others were fied was taken out and a mutilated court this afternoon before Judge treated at a neighboring drug leg was also found and removed to an undertaking establishment.

A branch of the Chicago pubme ruins brought the known death library was converted into an list to five. Parts of another body emergency hospital and twentywere also recovered but the corpses nine men, women and children

Harry Weil, son of Joseph Weil, proprietor of the Weil & Sons paper house, was taken into custody Bomb Theory Advanced.

The police were informed that station for questioning. by the police and taken to a police

#### Man Is Arrested On Second Charge While First Officer Waits

"All right," said W. J. McCal- the station a short while later, he plaint and charging inheman tum, of Portland, when he was was confronted by two charg treatment. The custody of the taken to the police station on a stead of one. He laughed. Radicals and Police child was granted Mrs. Taylor on speeding charge yesterday after-the stipulation of both parties, the noon by Traffic Officer Miller noon by Traffic Officer Miller he observed. father agreeing to pay \$25 a Hoon by Traffic Officer Miller month for her support. minute or so to go over and see a from the Portland when he was

> later Mr. McCallum drove around failed to appear at 10 o'clock, the corner of Liberty and Chemekcaught the attention of Patrolman not appear in the police court Porter. He jotted down the car's Decree romber.

"I've got it coming, all right,"

Twenty dollars bail was exacted taken before Judge Race. This he Approximately three minutes forfeited this morning when be

Herbert Gordon, also of Porteta streets in a manner which land, forfetted \$10 when he did this morning. Mr. Gordon, who is a member of the state house of representatives, was charged with When Mr. McCallum returned to speeding on Capitol street.

#### Man Is Jailed Twice, Pays \$75 for Spree; 'No More' Is Promise "I just took a couple of drinks he appeared in thep olice court at

to quit on and they knocked me 2 o'clock, out. But never again for me." declared W. C. Wright, a Salem you to appear before a courtauto top worker this morning you're half drunk now," Judge when he was arraigned before Po- Race accused, lice Judge Earl Race for the seced. Yesterday afternoon he paid

"How full are you?" Wright considered, "Well, I can walk straight," he declared. And

"I'm not half full, Judge."

"This is a mighty poor way for

### Miners Killed by Suffocation When **ShaftWasPlugged**

Dowell, Ill., March 29.-The bodies of seven men, entombed Among certain of the employes opinion of the supreme court there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately there is talk of placing the mill state approximately the sta the selected by them to confer with

Mr. Spanding concerning the reduction are not in favor of such a duction are not in favor of such a more and will do all in their power in prevent it, they say.

Other opinions handed down by review action by city council of live council of live in undertaking to lay was caused by asphyxiation, following scaling of the mine out and establish two streets. Opinion by Justice Brown; Judge from spreading.

Fred W. Wilson reversed.

#### result. Employes Claim Closing Of Mill Plain Lockout; Arbitration Is Sought Declaring that Charles K. Spaulding, president of the been proclaimed for Dortmund, Bochum, Gelsenkirchen and other Spaulding Lumber company has instituted a lockout by clos-

thich was sanctioned by en- Oregon Student Talks to Salem High Students Urging all students who can

possibly do so to attend some highto national rates of pay er instituion of learning, Carlton wiking conditions of engine Savage of Salem, president of the tonight. University of Oregon student body, We shall further show that adressed Salem high school stu nents of the railroads are dents at their regular student body

Savage, who is a senior at the university, is here to spend the distry and shall demonstrate spring vacation, and will return to Eugene next week.

### Of Cronkhite Is Released on Bail

New York, March 29.-Robert ing caused the murder of Major service men generally. Alexander Cronkhite at Camp Lewis, Wash., October 25, 1918, was released today by Federal the patrol in Oregon on the Judge John C. Knox on a \$25,000 return to work at the Overland Au Side as that of last year is bond. He agreed to return to tomobile plant here Monday, vice salty assured Oregon this Seattle to answer the charge President Charles B. Wilson and

Dawes To Head Investigation Of Relief Work

Washington, March 29 .- A committee of eleven, headed by the American Expeditionary poistions.

Overland Plant Reopens.

Toledo, Ohlo, Mar. 25 - Bet-ween 5000 and 7000 employes will pending against him there in the nounced today. The plant closed United States district court.

Mikado Asks Former Greek Premier to Act In American Dispute

Athens, March 29 .- Former Premier Venizelos is going to Japan to be the guest of the mikado, who has asked him to arbitrate difficulties pending between Japan and the United States, says the London dispatch to the newspaper Patris.

The employes base their state ment that Mr. Spaulding agreed to arbitrate all differences beto arbitrate all differences between them before the Salem ar-Inheritance Tax bitration board in a letter addressed to O. J. Simeral, head of the Central Labor council, after all questions of wages had been settled in October 1920. The letter

Dear Sir: You state there is ome quesiton amongst the men Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, who that we will not do what is right served as a brigadler general with served as a brigadler general with placing them back at their old served as a brigadler general with placing them back at their old tate vs. State Treasurer Hoff in Croshy Tailor vs. W. C. Buck- a fine of \$25.

Lumber company, by

Chas. K. Spaulding, president. W. F. Bramerd, vice-president, and seed that only one exemption rice.

Whiteher or not the employes of the first only one exemption rice.

Kate Hamilton vs. J. F. Hamilton will form the international took appellant; appeal from Clatton, appeal from Clatton some since the meeting last Thurs- was denied today.

tee selected by them to confer with

**Exemptions Must** Not Pass \$10,000 The supreme court this morning against a physician. Opinion by ond time within 24 hours. Wright

Forces, was appointed by President Harding today to conduct an inquiry "into the administration war risk bureau board for vocational training and care and c Wish to say if the men go back volving an interpretation of the ner and wife, appellants; appeal Rosenbluth, former United States vocational training and care and leave in to the Salem Board of the law as granted of \$10,000 for every direct deceding treatment of founded or impaired army captain, charged with having caused the murder of Major service men generally. Through the failure of the city of \$10,000 for every direct deceding the investment of founded or impaired cision.

Through the failure of the city of \$10,000 for every direct deceding the investment of founded or impaired cision.

Very truly yours, Very truly yours, very truly yours,
(Signed) Chas K. Spaulding pealed to the supreme court which cover for goods sold. Opinion by being intoxicated. Saturday night street and sewer assessments in in an opinon harded down several Justice McBride; decree of Judge he spent in jail, but he was balled Astoria are said to have been renweeks ago reversed the lower court George W. Stapleton slightly mod- out by friends Sunday. Monday dered void W. F. Bramerd, vice-president, and held that only one exemption ified.

> While the amount involved in Will Montgomery et al vs. Oant the altercation concerning the wage scale is in the bands of the employes as a whole and not the union.
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> While the amount involved in the Multinomah county; suit to collect employes as a whole and not the union.
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> While the amount involved in the Multinomah county; suit to collect regarded as of vast importance, it on lumber deal. Opinion by Justinion. Among certain of the employes opinion of the supreme court will affirmed.

Judge J. A. Eakin affirmed.

county; action for damages Fred W. Wilson reversed.