DISCONTINUE WAR

**Roosevelt Sends Messages to** Russia and Japan.

### SUGGESTS DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS

Offers to Help in the Preliminary Ar. rangements if Wanted by the Warring Nations.

1 Washington, June 10 .- An identical note, the text of which. by authority of the president, was made public late tonight at the White house by Secretary Loeb, has been forwarded to the governments of Russia and Japan by President Roosevelt. In the interest of humanity, the president arges the warring nations to conclude peace. It is suggested by the president that the negotiations for peace be conducted "direct- the administration of the reserves, is arms. ly and exclusively" between the belligerent nations. The note indicates the president's belief that an intermediary may not be necessary to effect conclusive negatiations, but likewise expresses the president's wilingness to do all that such operations. he properly may do to promote the preliminary arrangements for a time and place for the meeting of representernments. A formal reply to the note may not be received for several days, but, as already made clear, informal assurances that it would be welcomed are already at hand. In view of the and of the attitude toward it which both Russia and Japan have assumed, it is regarded in official and diplomatic circles as the first firm and decisive hour tonight Mr. Tapkahira, Japanese minister, had not been advised from Tokio of the delivery of the president's message to the emperor, but he was exyesterday to transmit to the president a message from the mikado that Japan was, with Russia, desirous of peace, provided it could be obtained under proper conditions. Aware of the preference of Japan to

sia directly, the president ,in the last few days has been active in counseling operations. moderation to Japan rather than in endeavoring to draw from Tokio some statement of probable terms.

At the Russian embassy tonight Count Cassini remained without advices from Sf. Petersburg, and he was unable to comment on any phase of the situation.

### EIGHT-HOUR LAW ON CANAL.

Moody Holds It Applies to Laborers ton. and Mechanics.

### READY TO SELL TIMBER. Government will Now Open Forest Reserves to Loggers.

DETHRONES

and sovereign state."

Union with Sweden.

-Prepared for War if

Necessary.

vergencies of commercial interests.

TERMS OF PEACE.

Government Wants.

der way, and it is conceded that Presi-

dent Roosevelt will in all probability act, not as a mediator, but as "the

friendly channel of communication."

Lamsdorff last week described as "the

offer of good will of the president," al-

Immediately after his return from a

time since the annihilation of the Rus-

Pope Thanks the Mikado.

to the Japanese emperor. There al-ready existed in Manchuria two apos-

Warships will Intern.

as vet no official admis

Washington, June 9 .- Following out its declared intention of developing Norwegian Storthing Dissolves forest reserves by use, the bureau of Forestry annonces, by special bulletin, that mature timber in all forest reserves is to be offered for sale. The restriction formerly laid upon the ex- CONSULAR VETO IS THE CAUSE without removing or suspending the port of timber from the states in which the forest reserves were located has been removed, and the law now places no limitation on the shipment of timber grown on any forest reserve, except those in the state of Idaho and the Black Hills reserve, in South Dakota. The effect of this change in the law, and the declared policy of the depart-

ment of Agriculture, is that the timber on the reserves may now be cut and disposed of to the highest bidder. On many of the reserves there are great flects the spirit with which the people way. quantities of mature timber, and on of Norway accept today's action of the some of them the facilities for getting it out at a reasonable cost are excellent. Storthing when it proclaimed King Oscar no longer king of Norway. it out at a reasonable cost are excellent. The forest service, which has charge of fend the step taken today by force of a xious to begin the cutting of this mature timber as soon as possible, and it is prepared to consider offers from lumbermen who wish to undertake

It is perhaps well to call attention to the department of Commerce, Navigation and Industry. the fact that this announcement does atives of the Russian and Japanese gov- not- mean that the forest reserves are tay will return immediately from Bergoing to be devastated under authority lin. It is understood that an extraof the government. On the contrary, ordinary session of the Swedish Riksdaf will be called June 26, if not earlier, as ti e distinct and definite purpose of the the result of today's action of the Storforest service is to improve the resignificant character of the document serves by utilizing the material that It is not anticipated that King Oscar is now fit for lumber. In doing so, it will consent to any prince of the house will also provide for the reproduction of Bernadotte accepting the Norwegian of the forest and the restocking of is a possibility that the throne may be crown. Should the king refuse, there step toward ultimate peace. At a late those areas upon which forest condi- offered to Prince Waldemar, the third tions are defective. Work of this kind son of King Christian, of Denmark. has been successfully carried on for The people of Denmark largely sympathize with the Norwegian demands. some years in the Black Hills forest The consular bill, while apparently pecting a cable dispatch to that effect reserve, and has been begun with the of little importance, was designed to at any moment. The minister was able greatest promise of success on the lands of the Chippewa Indians, in Northern affairs, which Norway desires to man-Minnesota, from which it is proposed age independently of Sweden. to create another National reserve.

The public in general, and lumbermen in particular, will be interested to know that in this last case the recommunicate her peace terms to Rus- strictions imposed by the forester have in no way hampered the lumbering operations. Timber sold at public sale, with full knowledge of these restrictions, brought higher prices than were obtained for white and Norwa pine in the same region, and the slash has been burned and got out of the way at a cost of about 12 cents per 1,. 000 feet board measurement.

> The supervisor of each forest reserve s authorized to receive applications for the right to cut timber; intending purchasers should communicate with him. not with the department at Washing-

#### WILL DETHRONE KING. OSCAR Norway Has Decided on Revolution ary Action.

Copenhagen, June 7 .- The Christiania correspondent of the National Tidenden savs :

It is the general opinion that r dissolution between Norway and Sweden is now inevitable, but that it cannot occur existing Norwegian legal power.

Before the end of this week the Storthing will have adopted resolutions Ready to Elect a Bernadotte as Ruler which, from the instant they come in force, will mean the dethronement of the king.

The Norwegians maintain that the The opposite side of the coop is simply plastering lath. The roof is composed king, by not revoking his veto given at Christiana, Norway, June 8 .- "Norof two doors which can be raised when Stockholm of the law for separate conway from today is a fully independent sunlight or more air is wanted than sular representation and partly by his can be had at the ends, which have a absence from Norway, has suspended This is the text of the editorials in short piece of lath at the top. . The his rights and duties as king of Nor- small door slides up and down, and the Norwegian newspapers and it recan be kept at any desired height by

> a nail being put through the hole in Under article 13 of the constitution the door into the hole in the board government, which in the absence of

Notifications of eventual changes in the constitutional situation will probably be given to the powers by special

# May Be Means of Liberating Russia's

**Oppressed** People.

continue the war, Japan is willing to meet the enemy's challenge," says the Kokumin Shimbun, a leading paper of this city, commenting on Russia's apthe responsibility rest upon Japan to decide the question, the Japanese could not afford to ignore the demands of other countries for the cessation of hos-

One of the causes of the desire in sular systems was the fact that Sweden trade, and also because of Norway's more extensive sea trade and other dipower.

powers. Japan, it adds, is ready for horse than for a poor one. The horse Japan are generally believed to be un- any war program, whether for 20, 30 of quality will consume no more feed or 100 years.



Good Chicken Coop This is especially valuable for rais-

ing early chicks. One and two are

two common window glasses, which

are fastened in grooves in the boards.

ngrel as a pure

profits are nowhere near so great, to say nothing of the pleasure derived from a nice, uniform flock of fowls.

#### Profit in Pigs.

A good way is to have pigs come in March or April, and that they may enjoy plenty to eat, feed the sows on waste milk with buckwheat meal, bran and oats ground together, or corn and pea meal. A sufficient quantity of this should in due time be put in a shallow trough, set in a separate part of the pen into which the pigs, but not the sow, can go. As soon as pasturage is ready they should be turned out to feed, and by sowing as early as possible three pounds of rape per acre on good land, preferably that which needs summer fallowing, the pigs may be put on to this with excellent results along in the latter part of summer, provided a portion is reserved for recovery after feeding, while the rest is fed down. Giving three or four pounds of corn meal apiece per day, will nicely fatten the pigs while on the last of the rape; but if so desired, they may be finished on grain, screenings, corn or peas and oats ground together. The feeding value of these grains, including barley, is improved by having them ground two or three months before using, only in that case the meal must be kept dry, and not allowed to heat or get sour. Set in barrels in a dry store room is the best place for it.

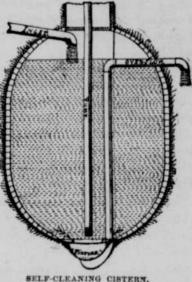
#### Feeding of Bran to Poultry.

It is certainly excellent for poultry and one point in the favor of bran is that it contains a much larger proportion of lime than any other cheap food derived from grain, and, as the shells of eggs are composed of lime, it is essential that food rich in lime should be provided, writes A. V. Meersch in

Western Poultry Journal. It may be urged that the use of oyster shells will provide lime, but it will be found that it is the lime in the food that is most serviceable because it is in a form that can be better digested and assimilated than carbonate of lime. Clover is certainly also rich in lime, and when a mash of cut clover and bran is given to the fowls they will need no oyster shells or other mineral matter as a source from which to provide lime for

Self-Cleaning Cistern.

Owing to the natural tendency of sedimentary deposits in the cistern to settle and accumulate in the bottom, all users know how difficult a matter it is to avoid stale water conditions. To



The Storthing will, if necessary, dethe king will govern in the king's name. If a prince of the house of Bernadotte should consent to occupy the throne of Norway he must give up all idea of succession to the Swedish throne. M. Anctander will be Norway's first mission.

foreign minister. He is now chief of

## JAPAN READY FOR LONG WAR. It is learned that Crown Prince Gus-

Tokio, June 7 .- "If Russia prefers to

and nothing prevents Japan from shear-

she has deprived her of her naval In this way it would be possible to liberate the czar's stricken people, who work of the farm. The farmer may have long suffered from the oppression of the autocracy, to restore independ- horse for carriage purposes, but he ence to the Poles and Finns, to estab-Russia Has Asked What the Japanese lish a free state out of the remaining class draft horse. In any event it portion of Russia and to bridge the chasm dividing that country from the no more labor to care for a good draft Washington, June 8. - Preliminary beace negotiations between Russia and

WORTHY OF GREAT EVENT.



parent stubbornness in admitting that above; if the coop is set on a board the time has arrived to arrange for end- platform it will be vermin proof. This ing hostilities. It declares that, did coop is cheap, durable and can be made of any size.

#### Best Horse to Raise.

There is no doubt that the best horse for the farmer to raise is the draft horse. 'Lue farmer needs sometimes open the whole question of foreign tilities, though based upon purely hu- to raise roadsters and driving horses; manitarian principles. As the case but in the main the draft leads all oth-stands, however, says the Kokumin ers. The demand is not so much for Shimbun, it is the enemy who desires an improved kind of horse as for a Sweden and Norway for separate con- the indefinite protraction of hostilities, first-class animal of the kinds we now have. The draft horse can be raised is for protection and Norway is for free ing Russia of her military strength as with little expense to the farmer, and he begins to pay his way before the time comes to market him. The draft the shells of eggs. colt works in easily with the general

find it difficult to sell a light harness

never has trouble in selling a first-

should be remembered that it requires

than the other, but the margin between

greater in the case of the good horse

than between the cost and selling price

very slowly in heavy walls, especially

below ground. After the wall is two

feet above ground good lime mortar

Sorting Potatoes.

cost and selling price is very much

Washington, June 10 .- The opinion of Attorney General Moody regarding the application of the eight-hour law Convention of Baptists Refuses to Enon the Isthmus of Panama was made public today. He holds that the act of August 1, 1892, which limits and rethe government of the United States or by any contractor or sub=contractor laborers and mechanics in the construction of the Panama canal.

That act, however, the attorney gen eral holds, does not apply to the office force of the Isthmian Canal commis- is out of line with the highest moralsion stationed on the Isthmus, or to ity." any of the employes of the government ing of the words "laborers and mechanics.' not limited by the territorial jurisdiction of congress.

In answer to the request of the secre tary of war for an opinion on the additional question of whether the provisions of the act mentioned apply to laborers" employed in the construc-Panama railroad and steamship line. the attorney general decides in the negative.

#### Will Agree on Morocco.

Paris, June 10 .- Herr von Flotow, ception yesterday, says he informed the Oscar. results." at the end of the week. of flowers.

#### May Smoke But Not Sell Cigarettes.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 10 .- Judge to sell or give them away.

#### Russian Loss May Be 15,000.

Chicago, June 9 .- Instructions were Gunshu Pass, June 10. - According to reports received by General Linie- received today by the Federal grand vitch from naval officers who have ar- jury which has been investigating the rived at Vladivostok, the losses of Ad- affairs of the beef industry, to continue miral Rojestvensky's fleet were from the investigation and return indict- Grand river is rising at the rate of six Each of the waves on the Chicago side 9,000 to 10,000 officers and men killed ments if the jurors find that the testior drowned, and about 5.000 prisoners. mony warrants such action.

OVERTURN THE WHITEWASH. that Russia has accepted what Count Cassini in his cablegram to Count

## dorse Rockefeller.

though instructions to the ambassador North Bend, Ind., June 9. - "Reare believed to have reached here tostricts to eight hours the daily service solved, that we express ourselvs against night in a long cablegram which was reof laborers and mechanics employed by the present tendency to criticise the great Baptist brotherhood in the person late and was laid before the ambassador upon the public works of the United of one of its most active members, and just before he retired. States, applies to the employment of this in the face of the fact that there is no evidence to prove Mr. Rockefeller Takahira, the Japanese minister, began long conference with the president, Mr

indirectly connected with conduct that government, upon which he was occupied until quite late. For the first

sian fleet the minister did not feel at This resolution caused a storm of who are not within the ordinary mean- protests today at the convention of the situation. Northern Indiana Baptists' association. Also that the scope of the act is It was voted down after vigorous comment, both in defense of it and in opposition to it.

was drawn by Rev. Mr. Wheeler, of peror of Japan, thanking him warmly the hours of labor of "mechanics and kin, of Mishawaka, also defended it. territory conquered by the Japanese, and The protests were started by Rev. C. helping them to establish their houses. tion, maintenance and operation of the R. Parker, of Laporte, who, among The 1 tter was sent through the Conother things, said:

in the most rigid way."

#### Sweden is Loyal to Oscar.

Stockholm, June 9 .- The Norwegian tolic vicorates. counsellor of the German embassy, coup d'etat was answered here tonight who was among the callers on M. by a great patriotic demonstration of Rouvier on the occasion of his first re- loyalty to and sympathy with King A great procession, accomlatter that Germany welcomed the op- panied by bands, went to Rosendal portunity to take up the Moroccan Castle, where the bands played the burg: question with France in a conciliatory national anthem. In a few minutes spirit. He added: "I congratulate the king and other members of the roymyself on the fact that the existing al family appeared on a balcony of the Effect repairs as much as possible. disposition of both parties augurs good castle and were enthusiastically cheered Frince von Radolin, the by the demonstrators, while a number German ambassador, is to return here of ladies presented the king a bouquet

#### Bring Home Paul Jones.

New York, June 9. - The second James Leathers, of the Marion county squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, Superior court, today decided in the consisting of the armored cruiser case of the State vs. W. W. Lowry, in- Brooklyn and the protected cruisers dicted for smoking a cigarette, that the Chattanooga, Galveston and Tacoma, anti-cigarette law passed by the last selected by the Navy department to legislature is constitutional, except bring home the body of John Paul state commerce law. Smokers may naval anchorage at Tompkinsville, import cigarettes from other states and Staten island, today, and will proceed smoke them, but it is held unlawful to sea on the way to Cherbourg. The Brooklyn will receive the casket.

#### No Let-Up On Beef Trust.

#### for the disposition of the Russian war- lifted up the young officer. ships and their officers and crews. Has Stolen for Years. Washington, June 7 .- General Ernst, Washington, June 8. - William W. chairman of the International Water-

Nicolai."

Karr, the accountant of the Smithson- ways commission, today received notice ian institution, and disbursing agent that the Canadian contingent had acfor the government bureaus under it, cepted the American view of the limitwas arrested here today on the charge ations on the work of the commission. of embezzlement, which, according to This action excludes the St. John river wherein it may conflict with the inter- Jones from France, assembled off the his own confession, aggregates \$46,000. from consideration. The first meeting His stealings, he confessed, have been will take place at Ottawa in the near going on for the past 15 years. He is future and headquarters will be estab-50 years old. He came to Washington lished at Toronto for the Canadiane from Memphis, and has been identified and at Buffalo for the Americans. with this institution since 1880.

Tidal Waves in Lake Michigan.

Three Thousand Men Idle. Chicago, June 7. - Shifting atmos-Grand Rapids, Mich., June 8 .- The pheric conditions on Lake Michigan flood situation in Grand Rapids is be- caused a succession of tidal waves to coming more serious tonight, and the day, two being reported in Chicago. inches an hour. Three thousand fac- of the lake rose to a height of three and tory employes have been made idle. one-half feet.

Vice President Fairbanks Speaks Praise of Portland Fair.

The Silo. King gives the following statements Chicago, June 7. - Vice President in regard to building stone silos, says and Mrs. Fairbanks arrived in Chicago Hoard's Dairyman: today from Portland, Or, where the "The portion of the silo wall which

of the inferior h

vice president went to open the expo- is below ground better be about two ceived at the Russian embassy quite sition. Tomorrow the vice president feet thick and laid in cement rather will make an address at the laying of than lime, the cement being desirable because lime mortar becomes hard so the corner stone of the new Federal building at Flint, Mich.

Mr. Fairbanks was inspired by the is or ever has been either directly or the preparation of a dispatch to his Portland exposition and he did not hes- may be used, but in this case there itate to say so.

"The exposition is in every way worthy of the event it commemorates," liberty to comment on any phase of the said the vice president. "The people inches, and if the size of stone permits this invention. In ordinary construc-

filled their ideals. The exposition has twelve inches at the top." The defense of John D. Rockefeller dressed an autograph letter to the em-builders, and the site and its surroundings are of rare beauty. The buildings Elkhart, who introduced it and made a for the liberty granted to Catholic mis- are properly grouped for purposes of speech in defense of it. Rev. Mr. Lan- sionaries in allowing them to enter the the best effect and their artistic excellence cannot be denied. It seems to me that the fair cannot fail of the success that it most certainly deserves. gregation of the Propaganda to Monsig-We had a delightful time in Portland. "Rotten things should be dealt with nor Alvarez, apostolic prefect at the the most rigid way." how the most rigid way."

### Good Work of Submarines.

London, June 7 .- The correspondent at Tokio of the Daily Telegraph says: It is officially announced that subma-Manila, June 8 .- Rear Admiral En- rines were actually used in the Tsu quist received at 1 o'clock this morn- Straits battle. During the battle Ading the following cable from St. Peters- miral Togo, on the Mikasa, displayed admirable coolness. The Mikasa ap-

the next 11/2 feet high. Nall pickets on "Remain at Manila at the disposi- proached nearer the Russians than any for first incline, and further apart on tion of the American government. other battleship. While standing in the second. This sorts them in three the conning tower a lieutenant at grades. Shovel them on the top or Togo's side was wounded with a first incline and poke them down, and Governor General Wright has re- splinter from a shell. Togo, unmoved, you have them sorted in three grades. quested Rear Admiral Train to arrange went down on his knee and tenderly

Will Discuss International Rivers.

Delivering Cream to Creameries. In the summer time, at least, cream must be delivered to the creamery every day, if a good article of butter is to be made. In the winter a system of delivering cream every other day may do well enough, but it should not be made to suit the struntion in summer. When whole mfik was hauled to the factory the farmer realized that it was necessary to haul it every day. With the hauling of the cream the work is greatly reduced, because a lighter rig may be

The patron should therefore used. be contented with this saving in cost and not try to double the saving by establishing a system of every other day defivery.

#### Abotish the Mongrel.

It costs just as much to feed and care mercial Poultry.



of the coast took a pride in the enter- of it the outer surface of the wall may tion, overflow action is intended to prise from its inception, and they ful- be drawn gradually to a thickness of merely prevent running over, consequently the top water only is drawn off, while all sedimentary elements gravitating to the bottom, remain. W. Make a box 12 feet long and 4 feet J. Slack of Fort Wayne, Ind., concelvwide, like the illustration, with three ed the idea that overflow action partitions, the back piece should be brought through and from the bottom about 4 feet high, the next 3 feet and of the cistern would prevent this trouble, "Cut" shows how automatic overflow action is brought about.

## Alfalfa for Hog Pasture.

An experiment station has stated that on good alfalfa more than 2,000 pounds of pork should be produced each season from an acre, and that half of this at least should be credited to the pasture. This being the case it is about as valuable a crop as can be grown on the land for feeding purposes .-- Farmer's Advocate

#### Change of Feeds Desirable.

Milk producing foods should be fed to the dairy eow, not fattening foods. A variety should be provided when possible. A change in the feed every few days will be quite acceptable to the datry eow.

### Chicken Notes.

Green bone should be fed three times week to the laying hens and daily to the male bird.

Remember that a lousy hen cannot give you the results that she could if free from lice.

A few drops of theture of fron in the drinking water make an excellent suring tonie for the fowls.

All deformed chicks should be killed as soon as hatched. It is a waste of time to try to raise them.

If the eggs from a certain pen are found to be largely infertile, lose no time in getting a new male to head the pen.

Never set a deformed or ill shaped egg. It is a waste of time. Select the The mongrel fowl should be given no best shaped eggs and be sure that they place either on the farm or the city lot. | are from strong, vigorous stock .-- Com-

FOR SORTING POTATOES.

