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FRENCH MINISTRY FORCED TO RESIGN
Foreign Minister in Painleve Cabinet Asked by President to Act.

Paris. — Growing discontent with Premier Painleve's financial proposals, even among the government's supporters, finally brought about his fall, less than a month after he had reconstituted his ministry to meet the wishes of the radical groups in the chamber of deputies.
The defeat of the ministry came when the chamber refused by three votes to accept article 5 of the proposals providing for enforced consolidation of the short term debt, although a previous motion for the elimination of the article had been defeated.
Foreign Minister Briand provisionally accepted President Doumergue's orders to form a new cabinet.
M. Briand, who more than once has been the man of the hour in the most acute situations of his country, told the president he was extremely unwilling to head the new cabinet, although ready to help in any way out of the present complicated situations.
The impression in political circles was that eventually he would decline.
The consensus was that the second Painleve cabinet fell, like all other French cabinets during the last two years, a victim of the financial situation rather than of a political maneuver. The press of all political shades adopts a serious attitude regarding the fall of the ministry as secondary in importance to the questions now facing the country.

BANKERS HELP

The banks of Linn County Oregon, are showing more enthusiasm than ever this year in behalf of a county corn exhibit similar to that held last year at the Linn County Fair. Last year's exhibit was the result of a contest for a prize offered by a number of local banks. This was so successful that this year ten out of the eleven banks in the county will subscribe to the effort.
The Agricultural Committee of the Alabama Bankers Association has recommended that a scholarship fund be established for the education of worthy young men and women along agricultural and home economics lines. It is estimated that if each bank in the state were to contribute 25 cents per thousand capital, five to six thousand dollars per annum would be realized.
The Agricultural Committee of the Oklahoma Bankers Association, in its report, recommends that the bankers see that a competent agent is appointed in each county and that he has a degree from some agricultural college. They believe that the agricultural possibilities of the state should be better advertised and that each county bankers association should do some work along that line.

Searcy County Bankers Association, Arkansas, entertained as its guests recently some seventy-five farmers and business men. The result was the organization of the North Central Arkansas Agricultural Association. Its purpose will be to co-ordinate the efforts of the farmers and business men in promoting a better agriculture. Searcy County bankers are giving 100 settings of purebred eggs for distribution to the boys' and girls' clubs in the county.

H. S. Mowrer, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the New Jersey Bankers Association, together with H. J. Baker, director of extension work in the College of Agriculture, made a complete tour of the state this spring, calling on the state agents and agricultural committees of the various county organizations to get a definite line-up on the work done and the plans for the coming year. Ways and means for furthering the program of the state committee were considered at these conferences.

Mrs. Stella Magladry, wife of J. S. Magladry, state senator, died at Eugene after an illness of a few weeks from pneumonia.

Corn sweepstakes at the annual Marion-Polk county corn show which was held at Salem were awarded to the city of Woodburn.

C. H. Dye was elected president of the Willamette valley Chautauqua association at a meeting of the board of directors held at Oregon City.

Dependent over financial troubles and continued ill-health, Howard L. Ward, who resides about five miles south of Roseburg, shot himself.

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FIGHT OVER ST. PAUL REORGANIZATION ENDS

New York.—Revision of the reorganization terms of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, designed to meet the objections of the dissatisfied stock and bondholders, were announced by Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and the National City company, the reorganization managers.
The compromise brought to an end a spirited fight waged against the original reorganization plan by opposing factions — one representing dissenting bondholders headed by George E. Roosevelt and another acting for stockholders under the direction of Ernest Iselin. Both groups announced their approval of the modifications and called upon their followers to assent to the amended plan.
One of the outstanding provisions of the modified plan is the designation of five voting trustees, in whom the voting power of the new company's stock will be vested until January 1, 1930.
Otto H. Kuhn, partner of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., characterized the settlement as "a peace without victory" and predicted that the way would soon be cleared for a termination of the \$800,000,000 St. Paul receivership and a speedy restoration of the road to a sound financial footing with the harmonious co-operation of all its security-holders.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

Queen Mother Alexandra, widow of King Edward VII and mother of King George V of England died at Sandringham House, London.
Norwegian oil interests report they have been granted exclusive concessions by soviet Russia for working the rich Kaldak bay oil fields.
President Coolidge will make no recommendation for a ship subsidy in his annual message to congress which he plans to transmit in writing.
Receipts from national forest resources for the fiscal year, which ended June 30, totalled \$6,000,137, according to a final tabulation by the United States department of agriculture.
The year 1925 will record a \$5,000,000 building program, the largest in the history of the United States, says Herbert Nelson, executive secretary of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.
After ten days spent in efforts to unwrap the mummy of Tutankhamen, conditions found to be such that it cannot be removed from its gold coffin. Experts find the mummy firmly glued to the bottom of the coffin with dried pitch-like material, while skin and underlying tissues have become extremely thin and brittle. Experts also say X-ray pictures will be impossible.
\$336,236,000 Out in Final Tax Bill.
Washington, D. C.—A revenue bill slashing the annual federal tax burden by an amount placed by the treasury at \$336,236,000 was completed by the house ways and means committee. Drafted on a non-partisan basis, the measure was unanimously approved by the committee, which directed Chairman Green to report it to the house on the opening day of congress December 7.

The public school at Dexter has been closed on account of scarlet fever.

Construction work has been started on the new terminal grounds of the Southern Pacific company at Eugene.

The total number of children of school age in Lane county at the time the recent school census was taken is 14,809.

A Pickwick stage on the way from Treks to Roseburg struck and killed a big buck deer in the canyon south of Canyonville.

A total of 1,617,305 fish were planted in lakes and streams of Douglas county, the eggs having been hatched in the Rock creek hatchery, according to the report filed by Superintendent Hill with the state game commission.

The highway between Klamath Falls and Ashland will be kept open throughout the winter regardless of heavy snow storms. It was announced.

An effort also will be made to keep the Klamath Falls-Bend highway open.
Three children, Helen Peterson, age 8 years, "Buddy" Peterson, age 4 years and Howard Carr, age 7, suffered serious injuries at Baker as a result of the explosion of dynamite caps with which they were said to have been playing.

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