

GOV. CHR. STIANSON



Theodore Christianson, republican, who was elected governor of Minnesota.

FARMERS ADVISED TO REDUCE PRODUCTION

Chicago.—President Coolidge, in a speech at the International Livestock exposition here, outlined his attitude toward agriculture.

The president said that reduction of farm production was the "sound remedy" for the farmer's troubles. He stressed ultimate adjustment of American agriculture, production and marketing to improve economic conditions, economy in local and national affairs, an economic, rather than a political, solution of the farm problem and increased use by the farmer of facilities which have been created for his aid.

"The government must aid generously in developing a national agricultural policy on broadly constructive lines," the president said.

"It will support any sound program to release the farmer from the individualistic competitive conditions under which agriculture has been conducted."

The president emphasized overproduction as the root of farmers' difficulties. "It is not from any lack of government activity that the farmer is suffering," he said. "The troubles of the farmer are on the farm and in the market. They come largely from overproduction. The sound remedy is to reduce production, and that is a remedy which will automatically apply itself if there is not artificial interference."

Filipinos Pass Bill Vetoed by Wood.

Manila. — The independence fund, vetoed by Governor General Leonard Wood, was passed by the legislature complete except for the \$50,000 yearly expenses asked for Filipino delegates presenting independence petitions to the United States. Failure of the \$50,000 appropriation to pass means that the independence press bureau will be closed, it was said.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

Gene Stratton Porter, novelist and short story writer, died at Los Angeles from injuries sustained when her automobile collided with a street car.

American railroads at the end of September had 1,891,296 persons employed and paid them a total of compensation for that month of \$240,659,000.

William C. Brown, 71, former president of the New York Central railroad, died at his residence in Pasadena, Cal., following a protracted illness.

Gen. Wood Wants Las Palmas Island, Manila.—Governor General Leonard Wood has forwarded to Secretary of War Weeks recommendations that the Philippine government assert control over Las Palmas Island, 12 miles south of the Philippines, which is claimed and occupied by Holland.

Coolidge Signs Bill Giving Bonus Fund Washington, D. C.—President Coolidge Saturday signed the deficiency bill providing \$128,900,000 for administration and initial payments under the soldiers' bonus act and carrying out the recommendations of the reclamation fact finding commission.

Call for Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of School District No. 35, Ione, Oregon, for the sale of the old school house, bids to be on the new part or on the whole building. The Board of Directors reserves the bell, stoves and black boards and school furniture.

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