

SOON TELEPHONE FROM ARGENTINE TO PARIS, FRANCE

BUENOS AIRES, Feb.—Wireless telephone communication between Buenos Aires and Paris is a promise of the not distant future. The government has granted a concession to the General Wireless Telegraphic company of Paris to construct on the Argentine coast a powerful radio-telegraph and radio-telephone station to communicate with France and other European countries. The company, it is stated, expects to establish telephone connection with Paris by a system of continuous waves of 800 kilowatt power and over.

The duration of the concession is for 30 years. It authorizes the company to carry on experiments in long-distance radio-telephony and if at the end of three years the experiments are considered by the Argentine government satisfactory, the concession will be extended to permit commercial exploitation of wireless telephone as well as telegraph communication. Three plants are to be erected according to the plans.

Harsum Succeeds Fall
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Mar. 11.—Governor Mechem announced today that he would appoint this afternoon H. O. Harsum United States senator to succeed A. B. Fall.

WAGE CUT ANNOUNCED
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tion at a meeting in New Haven, Conn., March 4 adopted a resolution that it was the sense of the meeting that reductions in the pay of skilled employees were not considered objectionable by the executives.

The matter then was referred to the individual roads.

From the labor side little comment was heard on the proposed reductions in unskilled employees' wages. It was said that the matter would have to come before the labor board and that the union's chief concern now was to see that the roads acted in accordance with the transportation act.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., March 11.—Officials of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company and representatives of more than 5,000 of its employees clasped as common labor, met here today to consider wage reductions similar to those proposed on other roads.

CHICAGO, March 11.—The Chi-



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ago, Burlington and Quincy railroad yesterday held a conference with representatives of its 19,000 unskilled employees with a view of bringing about wage reductions. President Hale Holden announced today. The conference adjourned until March 22 to allow the railroads' proposition to be placed directly before the employees.

The road proposed reductions of approximately 8 1/2 cents an hour, varying in certain districts, he said. This would make the pay of unskilled men approximately four cents an hour, the present rate being on an average of 48 1/2 cents an hour, he said.

TESTIMONY IS SENSATIONAL
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payment of slight drafts, and deposits. The usual objections were offered by the state, which was contested by the defense. The checks would tend to rob the allegations of the indictments, and wipe out the overdraft on which it is based, the defense claimed. The court ruled the checks were admissible.

The first witness called was Marshall Hooper, assistant superintendent of banks. In response to a question he stated that the cause of the wreckage of the Bank of Jacksonville was due to large overdrafts in the form of loans. Hooper testified his last examination of the bank books was in the fall of 1919. The witness denied that "he had reliable information that the Bank of Jack-

sonville was shaky," but when asked if his superiors at Salem had information to that effect, strenuous objections were offered by the state with the "aside that the bank examinations were not on trial." Hooper testified that bank examiners were forced to take the word of cashiers in their examinations, "otherwise it would take two years to examine a bank."

F. D. Kaylor, deputy superintendent of banks testified regarding an audit made, after the bank doors closed, and identified records, checks, and notes.

The jury seceded, after almost an entire day of questioning and cross-questioning, follows:
 E. C. Billman, merchant, Medford.
 C. C. Huntley, Fort Hubbard, merchant, Medford.
 O. F. Talner, merchant, Medford.
 F. L. Hoppin, farmer, Medford.
 W. R. Lamb, farmer, Medford.
 M. E. Young Farmer, Gold Hill.
 Jesse Taylor, farmer, Ruch.
 Elias Fleming, farmer, Gold Hill.
 Thorpan Messenger, farmer, Provoil.

F. B. Pottenger, farmer, Medford.
 H. J. Palmer, merchant, Medford.

The selection of a jury to hear the evidence in the case of Ben M. Collins, indicted in connection with failure of the Bank of Jacksonville, proceeded slowly Thursday afternoon, with both the state and defense cautiously thorough in determining the qualifications of the jurors.

The gist of the defense questions embraced the feelings towards bank officials when their bank failed if they viewed it a crime to borrow money

from a bank; if the taxes were raised as a result of the loss of county funds in the bank, they would be prejudiced against the defendant if they had discussed the bank failure; if they knew the defendant, and if they would accept his testimony.

The state's queries were devoted to jurors' views on "fraud and intent"; if they understood the state law forbidding the loaning of over 20 per cent of the capital stock of a bank to anyone man, and if they believed this law violated they would vote guilty, and if they had been influenced by any criticism of the indictments, or state officials they may have heard, and if Mr. Johnson, cashier of the defunct bank was called as a witness would they

accept his statements the same as any other witness.

J. M. Cronemiller, of Jacksonville, former county assessor, was excused on his own statement "that he did not feel he should be a juror in the case." Emil Britt, another resident of Jacksonville, was excused by the defense.

M. H. Mansfield of the Appellate, was excused from jury service when he told the court that he disliked to "sit on the trial of an old friend."

Fort Hubbard of Medford, told the court he was "a friend of Ben Collins" but his friendship would not sway him. Asked if he knew anything about the Bank of Jacksonville failure, Mr. Hubbard replied: "Nothing except that it ran out of money."

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