

## Orders. 3 Arrests in H. S. Building Collapse

BOMB WRECKS  
BUILDING NEAR  
LONDON BRIDGE

Two Other Unexploded Infernal Machines Found in British Capital.

## NEW IRISH OUTBREAK

LONDON, Nov. 30.—A building was wrecked in the heart of London today by the explosion of a time bomb. The explosion occurred in a leather store near London bridge at 2 o'clock.

All the streets in the vicinity of the explosion were closed to traffic for fear other bombs might have been planted by terrorists.

Scotland Yard detectives who investigated the explosion said that the deviant had been carrying into the building before the close of business Monday and left concealed in a package.

Two unexploded bombs were discovered during the morning at Rumney and Tarchell, in Monmouthshire.

## POLICE PRECAUTIONS

## MADE MORE DRATIC.

Police precautions have been made even more drastic in this city as a result of the recent London Bridge.

Scotland Yard officials said the infernal machine evidently had been constructed of TNT. No evidence was found to connect the Sinn Fein directly with the explosion, but the outrage has caused the greatest alarm.

Members of the special organization of constables organized during the war have been told that they might be called out for service.

British officials are in fear of a second Guy Fawkes plot to blow up the House of Parliament.

While government offices functioned as usual, the work was transacted behind a screen of guards and only in the presence of persons who had proved their identity and their loyalty to the government.

MANY DETECTIVES  
PLACED ON DUTY.

In the House of Parliament, many plain clothes men circulated with the express purpose of being on the alert, ready for action. The sentries occupied every point of vantage in all government buildings, but particularly in the House of Parliament. They were ordered to shoot kill if any emergency arose.

Members of Parliament known to be town in the Sinn Fein were warned by outsiders to remain away from the buildings. This was taken by many to mean that a plot was hatching, it is

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DANIELS FILES  
CABLE ANSWERGives Reason for Refusal of  
Wire Landing Permission.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today filed his answer in the district Supreme Court to the suit of the Western Union Telegraph Company, which has sought to enjoin him from interfering with the laying of certain cables across Biscayne Bay, near Miami, Fla.

Secretary Daniels stated in his answer that it has always been the policy of the Government to prevent the laying of any cable on the shores of the United States which connected with a foreign country in which the cable company had a monopoly of cable connections.

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MCRAY MEN VISIT  
ILLINOIS CAPITOL

Committee Investigates Budget System of Adjoining State.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 30.—A committee composed of three members appointed by Governor-Elect Warren T. McCray has been sent to investigate the Illinois budget system, visited the capital today to go over the code.

Governor-Elect McCray is planning to present a similar system to the next Legislature in Indiana. The committee sent here is composed of State Senator Oscar Raths, Representative Murray Barker and Fred B. Robinson. Robinson was campaign manager for the Governor-Elect in the recent election.

Polish Charge Russ  
Delay Peace Signing

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Russian delegates at Riga are delaying the signing of peace agreements, the Polish government charged today in a wireless message to the soviet government.

Going over the heads of the Russian government, Polish officials proposed directly to the government that a date be set for the signing of a permanent peace and that the two nations begin discussion of military guarantees.

Oklahoman's Widow  
Seeks Vindication

ARDMORE, Okla., Nov. 30.—Public vindication of her husband will be sought by Mrs. Jake L. Hamon, widow of the Republican national committee man and millionaire oil king, who died from a heart attack Friday, according to the widow's plans today.

Mrs. Hamon, endorsed as a candidate to succeed her husband as Republican national committee man from Oklahoma at an informal meeting of Republicans who attended Hamon's funeral yesterday, has declared her willingness to run. Her selection, she believes, would be re-pudiation of the charge that her husband had been slain by his former girl secretary, Mrs. Clara Smith Hamon, wife of Hamon's nephew.

The whereabouts of the accused woman continue a mystery.

## WEATHER

Forecast for Indianapolis and vicinity for twenty-four hours ending 7 p.m. Dec. 1: Unsettled weather with probably rain tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

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## Surgeon General

WILL INSIST  
ON RELIEF FOR  
AGRICULTURE

Capper and Others Say Situation Demands Attention of Congress.

## FRAME EMERGENCY ACT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Members of Congress from agricultural States were engaged today upon a program of emergency plans to provide immediate relief from the "price panic" which is reported to be causing American farmers great financial embarrassment and distress.

Senator Capper, Republican, of Kansas, predicted such a program would be ready to submit to Congress when it reconvenes Monday next.

The calling together of the congressional delegations from Iowa, Kansas and other agricultural States, in a series of conferences during most of the week, was planned.

Representatives of various farm organizations were also to be heard at these conferences, it was stated.

It was said he was prepared to urge the adoption of a program outlined by himself which he believed would, if adopted by Congress, do much to solve the grave problems confronting the country's agricultural interests.

FEATURES OF  
CAPPER PROGRAM.

The salient features of the proposed Capper program were outlined as follows:

1. Immediate re-establishment of the war finance corporation, about which Eugene Meyer Jr., its war-time chairman, is to confer with Senators tomorrow.

2. Immediate re-establishment of trade relations with foreign countries and the readjustment of credits so as to permit foreign markets, especially, to absorb this country's surplus products.

3. Extension of adequate credits to farmers by means of short-time and long-time loans, so as to permit them relief from the present contraction of credits from which their representatives in Congress believe they are suffering at present.

4. Fair and open markets for all farm products, free from manipulation by gamblers and speculators.

5. Congressional authorization for nation-wide, cooperative marketing by farmers, through the Capper-Hersman bill, passed by the House and favorably reported by the Senate Judiciary committee last session.

TO PROVIDE FOR  
PERSONAL CREDITS.

6. Broadening and strengthening the Federal farm loan system, so as to allow farmers personal credits.

7. An international marketing board in which the producer will be represented with power to regulate marketing and to advise and assist in stabilizing prices.

Federal regulation of the packers, especially with respect to the stockyards.

8. While it is conceded that Congress will find time to do little more at the approaching short session than to dispose of the thirteen appropriation bills necessary to finance the government during the next fiscal year, Senator Capper and other Republicans decided that the agricultural situation is so critical that Congress will simply have to pass some emergency legislation to enable the farmers to cope with it.

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## FEES REFUSAL TOLD OF

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—R. Wilmer Boling, brother-in-law of President Wilson, denied on the stand before the House congressional committee that he was instrumental in obtaining any shipbuilding contract. He further denied having knowingly received any part of the \$40,000 "fee" said to have been paid by Wallace Downey of the Wallace Downey Shipbuilding Corporation, for such a contract, as charged by Tucker K. Sands.

Boling testified that Sands paid him \$1,000 for his services in getting the shipbuilding contract, and that he had refused to accept part of a \$1,000 fee which Sands said he got from a shipbuilding corporation, but that he did not know the source of this \$900.

Boling also testified he had met "Mr. Cranor" who Sands previously had mentioned as being a member of the House and that he (Boling) had interceded with Lester Sisler, then secretary of the shipping board, to aid Cranor in facilitating the shipment of some "pending roll" machinery to Cranor's company.

Boling characterized as "absolutely false" the testimony of Benjamin F. Johnson, who said he had sent a check to Boling. Boling charged Sands to produce immediately all of Sands' checks made out to Boling, Jan. 1, 1918.

Boling read a lengthy statement to the committee which he had prepared before leaving Washington. In the main, this statement was a reiteration of the one he had made to the House yesterday and that he (Boling) had interceded with Lester Sisler, then secretary of the shipping board, to aid Cranor in facilitating the shipment of some "pending roll" machinery to Cranor's company.

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USES GASOLINE  
ON FIRE; HURT

Woman Saved by Husband, Also Injured.

Mrs. Parl Green, 30, 314 South Randolph street, was burned seriously today when she attempted to start a fire in the kitchen stove with gasoline. She was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where her condition is reported to be very grave.

Her husband, Edward Green, sustained burns on his hands and arms when he extinguished the blaze that enveloped his wife. Mrs. Green suffered severe burns to her face, head and hands.

Mrs. Green said she thought she had had a gas leak and had turned on the gas valve, but when she turned on the gas valve again, she knew she never kept gasoline about the house.

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Charles Ponzi Gets  
Five-Year Sentence

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Charles Ponzi, the "bushel basket millionaire," who defrauded hundreds of people in a "get-rich-quick" scheme here, was sentenced today and was sentenced to five years imprisonment.

The committee will meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon and probably will issue a call for a conference of members of the House and Senate representing farm States.

Government to File  
Packer Objections

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The government objections to the plans of the Chicago packers to divorce themselves from control of their stockyards and terminals will be taken over by the stockyards, it was announced at the Department of Justice this morning. These objections will deal with all four plans now before the court, it was said. The Armour and Swift proposals which are practically identical, provide for the formation of a corporation to take over the stockyards holdings of the North and Ondayda plans provide in effect that the courts shall take over the holdings until they can be sold to the general public.

Accepts Offer of  
Mediation in Armenia

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—President Wilson today accepted the offer of mediation in Armenia tendered by the assembly of the League of Nations.

Eugene Chapin, Twice  
Prohi Nominee, Dead

LONG BEACH, Cal., Nov. 30.—Eugene Chapin, 50, twice "Prohi" nominee, died yesterday in a hospital here. Chapin, who had been a member of the Prohi party, was found dead in his room at the Hotel California. Chapin, a former member of the League of Nations, was a member of the Prohi party.

Look for Booze, Get  
2 Reputed Robers

Two men, Robert Hatton, 1022 West New York street, and Fred Dobs, 1136 West New York street, charged with having broken into a Stratus Clothing Store in Connerville, early today, and stealing apparel valued at \$1,300, were caught by Motor Policemen Muns and Dilland an inbound interurban car a short distance east of South Keyston avenue.

The two men, who had been seen frequenting the car, were captured when they attempted to meet an interurban car a short distance east of South Keyston avenue.

Both men, after being questioned by the police, admitted that they were on parole from the Jeffersonville State Reformatory for larceny.

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C. L. HENRY SAYS  
STREET CAR CO.  
HAS ADVANTAGEIndianapolis Rail Hearing  
Brings Discussion by Traction Company Head.

## SPEAKS OF VALUATIONS

Charles L. Henry, president of the Indianapolis &amp; Cincinnati Traction Company, today told the public service commission, which is hearing the application of the Indianapolis Street Railway Company for a 2-cent transfer charge, that the local company holds a position of great advantage over the interurban companies centering in the city.

He made this point in elaborating on the city's claim with regard to compensation.

The city of Indianapolis is the proud

possessor of twelve new mules, bought

in 1918 in Johnson County at what

City Purchasing Agent County, Ind.

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