

## RELIEF BILL'S FATE UP TO SENATE TODAY

Powerful Plea Made for Nation's Hungry Hosts  
by La Follette.

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down a barrage of fact and of precedent in support of his contention that federal funds must, and should, be made available for the needy unemployed.

He recited a long list of just such federal appropriations made from 1927 until 1928, for victims of disaster and catastrophe. He quoted from Herbert Hoover's statement when, as food administrator, he asked federal funds for German children: "Our only hope is that the next generation will be better than this one, and there will be no hope if the children are stunted by malnutrition."

And he quoted from a letter written by a California health official: "How ridiculous is the White House conference bill of rights for children when the children have no food!"

When La Follette told the senate that the President's committee on unemployment relief has no reports on conditions throughout the country except those obtained by Chairman Walter S. Gifford by telephone the day before he appeared before the senate manufactures committee, his hearers expressed amazement.

"Only two things can happen now," said La Follette.

"One is the bankruptcy of practically every city in the country. The other is that cities, to save themselves from bankruptcy, will cut off the relief they now are furnishing on a famine basis."

La Follette's most impressive argument was a compilation of letters received from mayors of 810 cities, in every part of the country, replying to questions sent by his committee.

This showed 305 cities, with population of 9,711,000, asking for federal relief, and 215 cities with population of 4,618,101, still in favor of relying on local relief.

**CHARGES DEATH THREAT**

Fred L. Brown Also Asserts Wife Is Car Vandal; Asks Divorce.

Charging his wife has an "un-governable temper," Fred L. Brown of 5707 Garfield avenue, filed suit for divorce because, his petition says, she took an ax and chopped his automobile.

Brown filed suit Monday in superior court. He charged his wife Marie had threatened to kill him. After leaving home, the suit stated, Brown came back to her "thinking his wife somewhat more peaceful."

Then the smashup occurred. She used the ax on his car and broke out his windows, Brown alleged.

They were married June 2, 1927, and separated Dec. 22, 1931.

**LAND VALUES STABLE**

Tax Board Expects Little Decrease

In Farm Assessments.

Indications that the state tax board anticipates no great lowering of assessed valuations in farm lands this year were seen today in an announcement of a tax board survey made by Chairman James A. Showalter.

The survey was disclosed at a meeting of the tax board field men. It shows that assessed valuations in thirty-seven counties average 1½ per cent below the prices brought in farm sales, he said.

In sixteen counties prices were below valuations and twenty-one above, making the 1½ per cent average.

**Gone, but Not Forgotten**

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to A. Coleman, 2105 Boulevard place, Ford coupe, 42-334 (1932), from Twenty-first and Bowery, Indianapolis. F. M. Keener, 209 North Mount street, Chevrolet coupe, 289 (1932), from 1250 North Meridian street. Mrs. Clem Keller, 327 Grace street, Wabash sedan, 114-236 (1932), from Arsenal avenue and Michigan street.

**BACK HOME AGAIN**

Stolen automobile recovered by police belongs to F. M. Van Deventer, 620 North Exeter avenue. Essex sedan, found in front of 1250 North Meridian street. J. H. Lancaster, 654 Division street, Wabash sedan, found at Maywood, Ind.

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## COOLIDGE TOOK 'DOUBLE OATH,' JUDGE REVEALS

Secret Ceremony Followed  
First by Two Weeks, to  
Insure Legality.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Calvin Coolidge may have been President of the United States illegally for 14 days 11 hours 58 minutes in August, 1923, the United Press learned.

The first oath was administered at 2:47 a. m. by Coolidge's father, a Vermont farmer and notary public, in the old family homestead at Plymouth, Vt. Coolidge, notified of the death of President Harding, lost no time in taking over the reins of government. In the old family living room, by the light of an old-fashioned oil lamp, he swore to uphold the Constitution of the United States.

A few reporters witnessed the historic scene. A flashlight boomed as the thirtieth President raised his right hand.

Coolidge returned immediately to Washington, sweltering in torrid midsummer. Fourteen days later he took a second oath.

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telephonic interview from his home in Chevy Chase, Md.

"No one was present but the President and myself."

"I promised to keep the ceremony secret. I never have mentioned the incident to any one. I would not now give details of the oath repeated by the thirtieth President, had not Harry Daugherty's book been published revealing the fact that Mr. Coolidge took two oaths to make legality of office certain."

The legality of Coolidge's first oath was considered doubtful by James M. Beck, then solicitor-general, and now Republican representative from Pennsylvania. Beck

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## FINANCE CHIEFS ARE SWORN IN

Dawes and Directors Take Oath of Office.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The \$200,000,000 reconstruction finance corporation designed to aid business with a flow of new credit, began to function officially today when the president and two directors took the oath of office.

The officials sworn in were Charles Gates Dawes, as president, Jesse Jones of Texas and Harvey Couch of Arkansas as directors.

Loans from the corporation will be made "right away" Under-Secretary Ogden Mills said after a conference with the President earlier in the day.

The oath of office was administered by J. L. Dougherty, counsel for the farm loan board. The ex-officio members of the board of directors—Eugene Meyer, Mills and Paul Bestor—were present at the ceremony, held on the ninth floor of the old Department of Commerce building, headquarters of the corporation.

"Let's get to work, men," was the

only comment of Meyer, who will be chairman of the corporation board as well as continuing as gov-

ernor of the federal reserve board.

Dawes entered the room smoking his famous undershirt pipe.

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