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Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 24.—(Special.) Tennessee's ratification of the federal suffrage amendment was en route by mail tonight to Washington. On its receipt there by Secretary of State Colby advocates expect issuance of the 19th Amendment.

EXPORTS GREATER IN JULY, IMPORTS LESS

Washington, Aug. 24.—Exports during July were \$22,000,000 greater than in June, while imports decreased by \$10,000,000. Trade figures made public today by the Department of Commerce place the value of July exports at \$81,000,000 and imports at \$71,000,000.

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CABLED PARAGRAPHS

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GIULIETTE BELIEVES ITALY ENTERED THE WAR TOO SOON

Lucerne, Switzerland, Aug. 24.—(By the A. P.) Premier Giolitti of Italy told The Associated Press that he was "still convinced Italy entered the war too soon and should have entered the same time as America." He said that the war would be long and terrible, but that it is our general staff insisted that the war would be ended within a few months with Italian aid.

UPPER SILESIA IN HANDS OF POLISH INSURGENTS

Berlin, Aug. 24.—A German official communication issued today declares that the Upper Silesian districts of Tarnowitz, Katowice, Beuteln, Pless and Rybnik are completely in the hands of Polish insurgents, who literally are "driving out the Germans." The statement charges that in contradiction of the statement of the allied committee that it would proceed to put down the rebellion, the Poles have not yet taken a single step toward disarming the invaders and that they were openly fraternizing with the Polish rebels.

COMPELLS CALLS SHUTDOWNS PART OF POLITICAL PLOT

Binghamton, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressing the meeting of the Binghamton branch today charged that shut downs in industry all over the country were a part of a political plot. He said: "The purpose is obvious to enlighten the laboring men and women. We will continue to see evidence of it from now until election. If an attempt is being made to bring about a change in the state of mind where they will vote as their employers want them to vote, the working people of the country will not be taken in by your or your organization or do your own work."

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Office Manager Says He Had No Other Source of Income Than From Investors.

Boston, Aug. 24.—A payment of less than 50 cents on the dollar to the creditors of Charles Ponz's quickship scheme, if official estimates of his liabilities are correct, was indicated by his statement of assets at the receiver's hearing today.

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BRIEF TELEGRAMS

The Costa Rican Congress passed a law giving the right to vote to women.

Dutch government has forbidden frontier markets to prevent smuggling of goods from Germany.

The dollar in Paris was quoted at 14 francs 16 centimes, as against 14 francs 13 centimes at last close.

Free use by Poland of Danzig was agreed on by England and Italy.

Explosive Trade, Ltd., of London, acquired a 250,000,000 interest in the Gen. Air Motor Corporation of America.

Bar silver in London was \$0 7-8 an ounce. New York domestic silver 97 1/2 cents.

The twenty-fourth annual convention of the National Dental Association was held at Boston, with 5,000 delegates present.

A case of smallpox developed on the steamer Alghieri during the voyage from New York to New York, the 3,500 passengers were vaccinated.

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Polish leaders at Katowice, Upper Silesia, where serious disorders occurred, accepted the interallied commission's proposals for settlements.

In order to deliver ammunition to General Wrangel a Franco-British mission left Constantinople on board the steamship Ramilies for Sebastopol.

Production of anthracite coal in week ended Aug. 14 was 1,801,000 tons against 1,756,000 tons in previous week and 1,640,000 tons in same week last year.

Lord Mayor Terence McSwiney, of Cork, who is in a British jail, is weaker, but determined not to abandon his hunger strike. He is still able to smoke.

Chief Trader, Bristol, England, pilot; John C. Nalton and Gus Jamison, of the Army Air Corps, were killed when their plane fell 300 feet.

The Rocky Mountains Limited on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad was wrecked at Coralville, three miles west of Iowa City, Iowa. Several persons were injured.

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