

STAGE SQUABBLE ON SENATE FLOOR

Sen. Nejdil Starts Row When
He Calls Up Bill For
Third Reading.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—When Sen. Nejdil of Lake county undertook to call for third reading house bill 22, providing for the establishment of a criminal court at Crown Point, Lake county, Thursday afternoon, he precipitated a parliamentary crisis such as had not been witnessed in the upper house of the general assembly this session. Notice had been posted on the senate floor, as provided in the printed rules, by Sen. Grant, that he would call this bill for third reading Thursday. Lieut. Gov. Bush ruled in favor of Sen. Kinder's point of order that Nejdil did not have a right to call for this bill except with the consent of Sen. Grant, which he did not have. All three senators are from Lake county. Sen. Nejdil then announced he would appeal from the decision of the chair, and was seconded by Sen. Van Auker, democrat, from DeKalb and Allen counties. Lieut. Gov. Bush declared he was within the rules in refusing Nejdil the floor and ordered the clerk to proceed with the roll call.

Culbertson Protests.
"Mr. President, Mr. President, Mr. President," loudly called out Democratic Floor Leader Culbertson, "you don't mean to say that from the chair?"

"I have so ordered," the clerk will proceed with the roll call," retorted the presiding officer.
"Then you'll take the consequences," shouted the democratic floor leader, and the roll call proceeded.

Afterward Culbertson denied any implied threat, but insisted the presiding officer should have recognized the appeal from his own decision.

Sen. Grant asserted that Sen. Nejdil's purpose in calling the bill was to defeat it. "He has been promised democratic support to do it, I understand," said Grant. "Sen. Kinder doesn't want the bill killed and I don't care to get into any squabble about it."

Lieut. Gov. Bush assured Sen. Nejdil that he (Nejdil) could call the bill for third reading Friday, provided he posted the necessary notice before 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, which Nejdil did not do.

Pass Conservation Bill.
The state conservation bill passed the house Thursday afternoon by a straight party vote—62 to 24. Minority Leader Cravens tried to amend the bill by having the state

HE OPPOSES DANIEL'S BATTLESHIP POLICY



DR. S. S. WHEELER

Above is a photograph of Dr. Schuyler Skaats Wheeler, president of a large manufacturing concern, who is the leader of the forces which are strenuous in their opposition to the adoption of the navy department of electricity driven dreadnaughts.

Dr. Wheeler and his associates contend that the huge weight of the machinery necessary to equip the battle monsters with electric direct drive would seriously hamper the ships from a battle standpoint.

The navy department, on the other hand, states that electric direct drive will solve the problem of speed and steady the ship greatly which will result in accurate firing in actual battle.

geologist stricken from its provisions.
"I am not opposed to this bill for political reasons," said Mr. Cravens in supporting his amendment to the bill. "I feel that when a man is elected to an office by the voters of the state, that he should be permitted to serve out his term. As I view it, it is wrong for this or any other legislature to destroy the office to which he has been elected. The general purpose of the bill meets my approval. I have been in favor of reducing the number of state bureaus and commissions and I am in sympathy with the governor in this matter and if the majority will amend the present bill so as to exclude the state geologist I will support the bill."

The house voted down the amendment and the bill was passed.

Pass 14 Other Bills.
Fourteen other bills were passed before the house adjourned. The only measure that failed to receive a majority was the bill by Rep. Montgomery providing for an annual appropriation of \$3,000 by the state to the State Corn Growers' association for the purpose of purchasing medals for prize winning corn growers. Floor Leader McGonagle, chairman of the ways and means committee, opposed the bill and it was finally defeated after long debate, 42 to 52.

Among the bills passed were the following:
McGonagle's bill providing for the deportation of non-resident inmates of the state's benevolent institutions to their home states; Curry's bill providing for the appropriation of \$200 by county councils in the counties that have no county fairs for the encouragement of corn growers; Myers' bill prohibiting the location of any hog serum laboratory within 4,000 feet of any stock yards; Millerberger's bill authorizing school trustees in cities and towns to issue bonds for payment of debts; Mosier's bill turning over to Purdue university the experimental orchard owned by the state in Lawrence county; Jimmett's bill providing a penalty for the circulation of any false statement concerning the solvency of any financial institution; Anderson's bill requiring counties to provide and pay for street lighting along property owned by the county in any city, and Hepler's bill amending the present county agents law, by providing a minimum appropriation of \$1,500 and raising the number of petitioners required to 200.

3,000 EX-ARMY AND NAVY MEN WOULD JOIN POLICE

New Yorkers Volunteer for Emergency Service in Gotham Department, Wood Announces.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Nearly 3,000 former army and navy men who live in this city have volunteered for emergency service in the police department, Commissioner Woods announced Thursday night. He stated also that the police machine gun corps, composed of a captain, four sergeants and 100 patrolmen, will spend a week in a machine gun factory to study the mechanism of machine guns and other weapons.

NAVAL RECRUITS RUSH EVANSVILLE OFFICE

International Crisis Causes Enlistments at Rate of From Three to Five a Day.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 16.—The effect of the crisis in international affairs is felt by the local navy recruiting station, which has accepted 29 men in the past two weeks. In ordinary times it would take two months to recruit this many men. They are joining at the rate of from three to five a day. The army recruiting station is receiving only a normal number of

LONGEST BRIDGE IN WORLD OPENED

Structure Over Columbia River
at Portland, Ore., is
Four Miles Long.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 16.—The longest structure spanning a stream anywhere in the world was thrown open here at noon today, when two girls, one from Portland and the other from Vancouver, Wash., cut a rope stretched across the new interstate bridge over the Columbia river and allowed a stream of traffic from the two cities to cross.

As the girls cut the rope American flags fluttered to the breeze from the tops of the 200-foot towers at the ends of the draw span. Although the ceremonies today were simple, it is planned to hold an interstate celebration in June.

The product of the latest development of the bridge builders' art is a "bridge of the gods" taking the place of that other fabled span that Indian legend declares once stretched across the Columbia.

The cost of the interstate structure is \$1,750,000, and its total length is about 23,000 feet, or more than four miles. The interstate bridge proper spans the main channel of the Columbia 3,530 feet wide, and consists of 10 truss spans, each 265.5 feet long; one girder span of 50 feet, and three truss spans 275 feet long. One of the 275-foot spans is a draw, of the vertical lift type.

Approaches to the bridge are 300 feet in length. To the south of the main bridge, on the Oregon side, Hayden island is crossed by an embankment 1,450 feet long and the Oregon slough by an 11-span bridge 1,140 feet long. From the south side of Oregon slough are two approaches, one about 10,800 feet long and the other 5,800 feet long.

A roadway 38 feet wide is provided on the bridge for vehicles, street cars and pedestrians. The bridge is an important link in the Pacific highway.

BUTTER MAY SOON BE OFF H. C. OF L. LIST

Indiana Manufacturers Predict Drop in Prices Late in April or Early May.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 16.—Butter prices may disappear from the list of high cost of living commodities late in April or early in May, according to the forecast of about 50 leading manufacturers of the product attending the first convention of the Indiana Butter Makers' association here Thursday. Prices, they said, may soon decrease slightly, but it will be many weeks before consumers will benefit by the change.

GAS BLAST THREATENS TO DESTROY VILLAGE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Four stores in the center of the village of Pulaski, Oswego county, were destroyed by fire Thursday night with a loss estimated at \$50,000. The flames originated from an explosion of gas and at one time assumed such threatening proportions that aid was summoned from surrounding towns. No one was injured.

HUGE POLICY GAME BARED BY BOOTBLACK SLEUTH

New York Italian Detective Masquerades for Three Years to Get Evidence.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Through evidence obtained by Detective Amadeo Polignano, who, for three years has been masquerading as a bootblack, the authorities declared Thursday night that they believed they had unearthed a so-called policy syndicate which, they allege, has realized in profits from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 a year here and in other American cities.

Polignano, testifying today against a man described as the head of the alleged syndicate, asserted that "21 murders have been committed within the last few years as a result of quarrels among the policy men." The winning numbers in the policy games, the detective declared, were cabled daily from Italy and distributed to policy games here and elsewhere. Several of the men with whom he had shared the shoes of laborers and others, Polignano asserted, owned automobiles and lived in fine apartments. These men, he said, acted as agents for the alleged syndicate which the police allege, operates games in thousands of cigar stores in this and other cities.

MOTHER ONCE WAS AFRAID TO GO TO BED

Spasmodic Croup Often Kept Mrs. Shepard Awake All Night.



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Pickled Pigs' Feet, 10c—3 for 25c

Pork Sausage	16c	Bologna and Liver Sausage	13c	Pressed and Mince Ham	18c
Frankfurts and Smoked Sausage	14c	Head Cheese & German Sausage	13c	Loaf	18c
Summer Sausage	22c	Salami	24c	Pig Feet	13c

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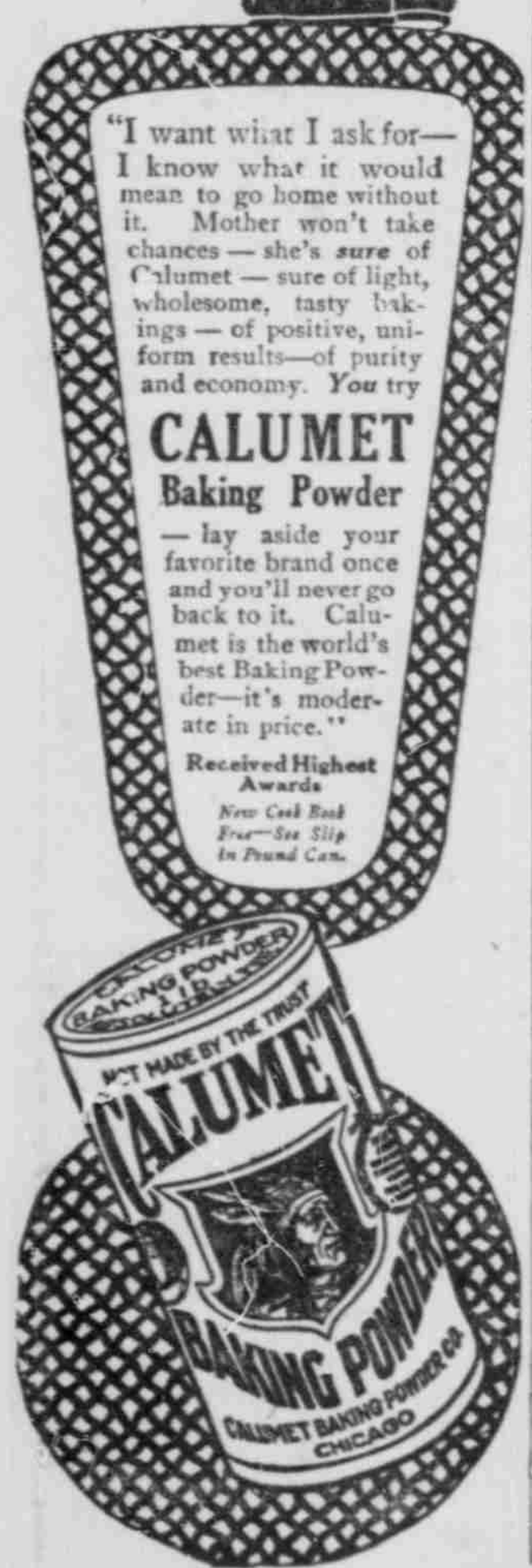
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