EXTRA HELP IS PROVIDED FOR

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IS GIVEN $11,050 TO PAY SALARIES AFTER DISPUTE.

MINOR'S RESOLUTION PASSED

Lawmakers Frown on Scheme to Extend Power of National Banks, Scenting Danger.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.)

Frankfort.—By a vote of 72 to 6 the house of representatives passed a bill providing for clerks and stenographers for the department of education. The court of appeals recently decided Superintendent of Public Instruction Gilbert did not have authority to employ any of the clerks and stenographers in his office, and State Auditor Greene refused to issue warrants for the salaries of the clerks and stenographers who had been employed by Gilbert. The bill authorizes the employment of a chief clerk, at $1,500 per annum; a first clerk and a second clerk, at $1,200 each; a third clerk, at $1,000; a fourth clerk, at $850—a total of five clerks, at the aggregate salaries of $5,750 per annum. Two stenographers, at $1,200 each per annum; two stenographers, at $1,000; one stenographer, at $900—a total of five stenographers, at an aggregate expense of $5,300, also are authorized, which makes a grand total of $11,050

Legislature Resumes Labors.

The legislature has convened with but nineteen days of the session left and but little in the way of constructive legislation, if anything so far accomplished. Several hundred bills, however, are ready for action in both houses and it is expected that the Covington-Newport anti-Sunday saloon bills will be passed promptly. It is probable the backers of House Bill No. 158, which is the third of the Greene bills designed to stop the violations of law in Northern Kentucky towns by the saloon men, will make an effort to call it up in the house, when the proposed substitute backed by Attorney General Logan will be offered in its place. Representative Frank C. Greene, of Carrollton, author of the measure, returned from his home and made a statement in regard to the attorney general's bill and the interview he gave out to some of the papers concerning it. Mr. Greene's statement in part follows: "Relative to the attorney general's cards bearing on the 'brewery substitute' proposed by the whisky people for House Bill No. 158, drawn early in the session by Attorney General Logan, I have nothing further to say at this time, except to extend my sympathy to General Logan because of his inexcusable position relative to remedial legislation being sought by Covington and Newport people."

Passage Refused on Tax Bill.

The special order in the senate was Senator Robertson's bill to permit non-resident children to appear in stage performances, and upon motion of Senator Robertson the bill was not taken up for passage, but was permitted to keep its position. The bill of Senator Glenn to empower the Prison Commissioners to convey land to the government for the pur-

HOUSE ARMY PLAN

MILITARY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE COMPLETES FIRST DRAFT OF DEFENSE BILL.

REGULAR FORCE OF 275,000

National Guard Will Be Federalized and Placed Under Command of President in War as Second Line of Troops—Measure Ready in March.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Under pressure to "speed up" preparedness legislation, the house military affairs committee completed the first draft of the land defense bill. It provides:

"An increase in the regular army to 147,000 men with 7,000 officers in a skeleton organization that in time of war could be expanded to 275,000.

"A reserve made up of honorably discharged regulars and militiamen retired after three years' service, officered by militia officers and graduates of a special cadet corps evolved through military educational institutions.

"The federalization of militia, with power in the president to draft it for war service, and authority in the secretary of war to supervise the selection of military officers. The militia would be given federal pay.

"The increase of the facilities at

JEAN CRONES

Jean Crones, the anarchist who has confessed to having put poison in the soup served at a banquet given in honor of Archbishop Mundelein in Chicago, still eludes capture and taunts the police in letters.

RUSSIAN ARMY CONTINUES ADVANCE IN CAUCASUS

Slavs Capture Mush and Occupy Akiem—Foe's Losses Put at 100,000.

Petrograd, Feb. 21.—The victorious

3,000 FRENCH TAKEN

BERLIN REPORTS BIG SUCCESS IN OFFENSIVE ON THE WESTERN FRONT.

ALLIES FLEE FROM HAUMONT

Teutons Pierce Enemy's Line for Two Miles—Paris Admits Evacuation of Town—Fierce Battle Raging Over Wide Front.

Berlin (via London), Feb. 24.—Announcement of another important gain in the offensive on the western front was made by the war office. The statement says that in Upper Alsace the Germans captured a position 700 yards wide and 400 yards deep.

The war office also announced that German forces had penetrated the opposing lines for a distance of three kilometers (two miles) in the northern sector of the Woevre.

Mines Damage Positions.

It is said the allies lost more than 3,000 prisoners and great quantities of material.

The text of the official statement follows:

"In the neighborhood of the trenches captured by our troops February 21 to the east of Souchez the positions of the enemy were considerably damaged by mining operations. The num-

HARRY L. GANDY

AMERICA'S DUTY IS VERY CLEAR

PRESIDENT DECLARES, IN REFUSING TO SURRENDER IN SHIP CONTROVERSY.

Honor of Nation Is at Stake, He Asserts—Will Not Consent To Any Abridgement.

Western Newspaper Union News Service

Washington.—Administration leaders succeeded in stamping into a smoldering heap the flames which broke out in favor of a resolution prohibiting Americans from taking passage on armed belligerent vessels. The house committee on foreign affairs did not report out a resolution, no effort was made on the floor to bring the subject to the attention of the house, although Representative Mondell, of Wyoming, Republican, put into the hopper a bill prohibiting United States citizens from traveling on armed belligerent vessels. In the senate an agreement was reached, after Senator Gore's attempt to introduce a resolution contrary to the administration policy was blocked, whereby only "ordinary routine business" will be transacted at the opening of the session, and thereafter the water-power bill will have the right of way.

President Wilson, at the end of the agitation in congress for some action

NOT ADEQUATELY PROTECTED.

GERMANS SINK PRIZE VESSEL.

CINCINNATI MARKETS

FISHING SCHOONER BLOWN UP.

LA FOLLETTE ENTERS RACE

FRANCIS ENVOY TO RUSSIA

CUMMINS ENTERS 1916 RACE

PAYS TRIBUTE TO TEUTONS

LEWIS FLAYS ELIHU ROOT

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Among the many statements made relative to the work of Var-ne-sis, the stomach and rheumatic remedy, none is more remarkable than that of Officer George D. Palmer, who lives at 23 Eighteenth Street, Lowell, Mass. He said:

DON'T LOSE ANOTHER HAIR

NEW GLORY WON BY BRITISH IN LEAVING ANZAC

Antipodeans' Deeds of Arms Rivaled by the Marvel of Their Retirement.

STORY OF FATEFUL NIGHT

Thrills of the Passing Hours Told by Anxious Correspondent Watching From Ship—"All Off" Comes Word at 4:15 a. m.—Gunfire Bluffs Moslems.

Sydney, Australia.—Rigid censorship has withheld the story of how the Australian and New Zealand troops quitted the Gallipoli peninsula, but now with the few other correspondents, privileged to witness that wonderful piece of work, Captain Bean, the offi-

past eight. To the south of us there is stealing off through the night mist (which fortunately hangs low over the surface of the sea) a dark shape. From ashore comes the ordinary 'pick pock' of rifles quite normal.

Watchful Monitor Steals Past.

"3:27—Another distant gray shape passing outward far to the southward. They are clearly getting away without the least hitch, and actually ahead of time.

"A big monitor has just been stealing in past us—a ship I have never seen before. She must be going in there to enfilade the Suvla trenches, if anything goes wrong.

"Some gun has flashed down near our beach. Probably it is one of the guns which we are leaving behind so that they can be fired up till the very last moment. Our old Anzac position is so small that a field gun, if placed in one of the valleys where it could be hidden from the enemy, cannot fire at the enemy's front trenches. They (the Turks) could fire at positions 4,000 yards away, but from the first, in order to enable the Australian field guns to fire on the enemy's trenches, it has been necessary to place them right on top of the hills.

Heavy Fire Causes Brief Alarm.

By this artillery bluffing the Australians and New Zealanders kept off the Turks.

From this moment the 'Apex,' the highest point on the ridge in our line which was won by the Wellington battalion on August 8, and held, though it cost Wellington 712 out of 763 men who went into the fight—from this moment the 'Apex' is free to the enemy. His fire trench there is 59 yards from ours.

"1:45 a. m.—'Beachy Bill' has fired again. The shell burst in the supply depot near 'Brighton beach.' So he is at his old games. That supply depot is the favorite target of 'Beachy Bill's' shells at night. This is the first time they will find nobody there. Two bombs at the 'Apex.' Our men have been gone from there a quarter of an hour. Those bombs must have been thrown by the Turks at our empty trenches.

"1:55 a. m.—There has just steamed silently past us the small warship which I know contains the commander of our army corps. General Birdwood was ashore at Anzac among our men today. They were in splendid heart.

"1:57 a. m.—Another bomb at the 'Apex.' We had two tunnels out far beneath the Turkish trenches there in case of need, and into these the engineers have put what explosive remains

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THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Feb. 28, 1915.

Germans advanced west of the Vosges, forcing French back four miles.

French took many German trenches in Champagne.

Russians continued successful attack along whole western front.

Turks evacuated Sinai peninsula.

German embassy at Washington denied Stegler's stories.

March 1, 1915.

Two German corps defeated at Przasnysz.

Ossowetz bombarded by Germans.

Turkish forces under Essad Pasha massed on Asiatic side of Dardanelles.

Norwegian steamer rammed off English coast.

Premier Asquith announced allies would cut off Germany from all trade with rest of the world.

Hamburg-American line officials in New York indicted for conspiring against U. S.

March 2, 1915.

British gained ground near La Bassee.

Russians won Dukla pass and took 10,000 Germans near Przasnysz.

Austrians were defeated near Stanislau but gained in the Carpathians.

Russians shelled Czernowitz.

American Red Cross sent supplies and nurses to Serbia and Germany.

March 3, 1915.

Russians advanced from the Niemen and the Dniester.

Austro-Germans driven back in Galicia.

Germans demolished two Ossowetz forts.

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