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WASHINGTON, Tuesday

The eagerly awaited Gold Clause decision was delivered yesterday by the Supreme Court. According to the written decision the contention of the government that the gold clause does not apply to private bonds is upheld, while the decision relative to Federal bonds is adverse to the administration.

This means that companies meeting. which have issued bonds with a gold clause can pay paper dollars, sion by France to Germany of mi- Philip Gibbs, Professor Gutteridge, but on Federal bonds the government must pay 1.69 paper dollars and contains provisions for the Spender. for every dollar of interest and insurance of all French private incapital represented and held.

Early comment on the decision, district. which is of the greatest important to the financial policy of the ad- thanking the French and German international point of view, of the the result of the elections held in ministration and the nation, is to delegates for their work. He like- adoption (1) by the United Kingthe effect that it is bewildering wise expressed gratitude to Mr. dom alone and (2) by the United paper dollar.

None Suffer

The Supreme Court has decided that no citizen has been wronged by the action of the administration in setting up paper dollars for gold, thus depreciating the dollar, since none can suffer when all other dollars are suffering similarly.

The contention of Mr. Roosevelt is thus pronounced legally wrong but actually unassailable. Though the judgment is fairly involved, its issue is straightforward. That issue, which is now clarified, is that the administration's monetary policy, the bone of contention for two years, is upheld by the highest court in the land.

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SAAR TRANSFER ACCORD SIGNED IN NAPLES

NAPLES, Tuesday

An agreement on the outstanding questions concerning the return of the Saar territory to Germany was signed here yesterday. M. de Chambrun and Herr von

Hassell, French and German Anience of the Saar Committee of in the House of Commons here Three of the League of Nations yesterday. Baron Aloisi, the Italian chairman of the Committee, presided at the

The agreement covers the ces- Allen, Dame Rachel Crowdy, Sir nes, railways and other properties, Sir Kenneth Lee' and Mr. J. A.

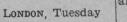
of Nations.

The German and French Am- facture and trade.» bassadors both warmly thanked the Italians for their collaboration. After the signature of the agreement the members of both delegations, the Ambassadors and the members of the Committee of Three went to Capri, where they were the guests of Baron Aloisi at uncheon.

The transfer of the Saar customs administration to Germany took place at midnight yesterday, according to a message from Saarbruecken. The local Nazi organisations paraded with their band and sang patriotic songs when the German flag was hoisted. No incidents are reported.

COMMISSION **ON ARMS** STATEMENT IN COMMONS

NAMES GIVEN



nounced the composition and ing to the first official figures pub- Agriculture, moved a resolution bassadors respectively in Rome, terms of reference of the Royal lished. His total was 462,000 votes the House of Commons yester Edit signed the agreement in the pres- Commission on the Traffic in Arms out of 550,000.

> Lord Justice of Appeal, is to be Chairman of the Commission. The

The terms of reference are, firstthe practicibility and desirability,

a state monopoly of such manu- ond reelection.

Export Control

The Commission is also «to consider and report whether there tween the President and Senhor are any steps which can usefully Salazar, the Premier, who have be taken to remove or minimise introduced a new spirit into the the kinds of objections to which administration of the country. private manufacture is stated in Senhor Salazar has frequently ments require revision, and if so acts as an upper chamber. in what directions.»

The Royal Commission will be appointed under the usual form of warrant, which gives the Commissioners powers to call persons before them to give evidence, to

BERLIN, Tuesday Itwo have already begun to serve call for information

GENERAL CARMONA AGAIN PRESIDENT **OF PORTUGAL**

LISBON, Tuesday

General Carmona has been reelected President of Portugal by an immense majority, according to the presidential election return announced here last night.

He polled about eighty-five per Mr. J. Ramsay MacDonald an- cent of all the votes cast, accord-

The General's success was much tension of the subsidy which greater in the provinces than in granted to cattle producers in Sir John Eldon Bankes, former the capital. His poll in Lisbon was United Kingdom in view of the

seventy-eight per cent of the total level of prices. number of votes cast, while in other members will be Sir Thomas many smaller towns the percentage and other cattle supplying c was between ninety and ninety- ries, with a view to reaching three.

fice in 1926, when he overthrew imports, are still proceeding don the Democratic Premier, Senhor Elliot explained that the external dividuals and workmen in the Saar ly, «to consider and report upon da Costa, and placed himself at of the subsidy would enable the head of a military dictatorship. negotiations to continue in a Baron Aloisi made a speech both from a national and from an His presidency was confirmed by endly atmosphere. 1928.

The President's popularity is due could be imposed without thech. to the plain man, since the United Geoffrey Knox, President of the Kingdom in conjunction with other principally to the fact that he has sent of the countries conca is States loses its case but keeps its Saar Governing Commission, and countries of the world, of prohib- succeeded in restoring peace and until the expiration of the Otre world, of prohibpaid tribute to the assistance rend- ition of the private manufacture order in Portugal after many years agreement, which takes plat ered by the members of the Fin- of and trade in arms and munit- of revolution. That he is popular August, 1937. Another agree ancial Committee of the League ions of war, and the institution of is sufficiently proved by his sec- prevents the imposition of a led t

> For six years Portugal has en- until November, 1936. joyed the unaccustomed luxury of liquidating its budget with a surplus. That result is attributed larg-

ely to the close cooperation be-

Article 8 of the Covenant of the been accused of exercising a virt-League of Nations to be open.» ual dictatorship, and indeed there Finally, it has «to examine the is a Fascist flavour abaut many present arrangements in force in of his enactments, notably the the United Kingdom relative to creation of a Corporative Assembthe control of the export trade in ly. That body however has not enarms and munitions of war, and croached on the functions of the to report whether these arrange- popularly elected legislature, but

More than 15,000 Catholics at-

Freddie Miller knocked out Gi- warded and assisted by the gov- also rendered Germany the Any

EXTENSION OF blish SUBSIDY a ESI **NEGOTIATIONS** Te LONDON, Tuesdatori Mr. Walter Elliot, MinisterTelep providing for a three months

CATTLE IN THE The

COMMONS

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agreement on a long term General Carmona first took of- for a levy upon or regulation

He pointed out that in the comm of the Dominions no import ment

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expe Negotiations of such far r ing importance, declared the ift co ister, could not be rushed. The de and Imperial issues inv were such that it was vitally essary that the supplying o exp ries should feel that every p le consideration was being to their views

It had been hoped, Mr. Ellio plained, that a seven months the iod of subsidies would have owed sufficient time for the GE clusion of the negotiations, (Continued on page 4)t so

GERMAN CATHOLIC CELEBRATIONS **

Frau Benita von Falkenhayn and their life terms.

Fraulein Renate von Natzmer, who Executions of spies, which is uments. were sentenced to death on Satur- what the accusation amounts to, day by the People's Court, charged during peace times is comparativwith betrayal of military secrets, ely rare, while the execution of were executed yesterday morning. women for the offense when nei-Herr Hitler was asked but dec- ther of the two countries involved lined to exercise his right to par- is at war has no precedent.

EXECUTION OF WOMEN IN REICH

don. The sentence was carried out No appeals were made in any of immediately thereafter, the accus- the cases, since the court gave no ed being beheaded.

and to call for and examine doc-

(Continued on page 4)

GIRONES - MILLER

BARCELONA, Tuesday

tended a meeting held in the Sport ening, former government iny Palace here to mark the occasion president Rick, reminded his arm of the thirteenth anniversary of ers that it was the the coronation of Pope Pius XI, pe who sent Bonifaci Special efforts were made in Ber- Germany to preach Chir^{rthle} lin and throughout Germany to and direct the untamed vita na celebrate the anniversary in a fit- the Germanic tribes to nobi Popo Pius XI, he continue trea ting manner, the efforts being for-

est services. He referred chance for any appeal to be made. ronés, the Spanish champion, in ernment. the first round of their contest in Papal Nuncio Archbishop Orsen- concordat concluded with Two Polish nationals, Georg von Herr Hitler declined to give a rea-Sosnowski and Irene von Jena, who son for his refusal to exercise his the boxing festival at the Monu- igo in his inaugural address stated ject of creating peace and in t that it was not anticipating hist- dence between the Reich alshed were also charged with the same pardoning right or his right to re- mental bullring here. The fight lasted only two minu- ory to say that the Pope had won Vatican. treason, were sentenced to life im- mit the sentences. He simply denprisonment at hard labour with no ied the applications forthwith, tes, seventeen seconds, Miller open- the love and respect of the whole Although parts of the ve t ing with an attack that ended world by his exhortations for in- dat, the speaker said, le ta chance for remittance of the sent- without any comment. The execution of the two women when he sent his opponent to the ternational peace and his unequiv- not as yet in force and on n ence or shorening of the term. The sentences were carried out is considered particularly shocking floor with a powerful left. Great ocal stand in support of the purity had still to be overcome, it d ra be hoped that the relationst ult with lightning speed, the women and has aroused excited comment disappointment is expressed at the of Christian belief and morals. sentenced to death being executed outside of Germany already. The poor showing of the national The Archbishop went on to say tween the church and the est less than 48 hours after the sent- press in Germany is of course sil- champion and the short duration that amidst the general chorus of would eventually take the e cle gratitude the voice of the German harmonious cooperation. of the long awaited match. ence was pronounced. The other lent on the subject.

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EUROPEAN PEACE

he German Government has ied to the Anglo-French decatioation which was the fruit of the the reply ever since.

first sight, there seems little the comment on. The German Govort ment has not, indeed, said very the ch.

once is doubtful, however, whether Olre was much that could be said the moment. Germany has wel-

ling to continue the negotiats to that end. Little more is to expected until someone takes initiative and places actual ft conventions before the other ties concerned.

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inv verything will depend then on ally interpretation that is placed on expression «equality of rights», ich has been recognised by the ng vernments of Italy, France and eat Britain as the only possible is on which a halt can be called the armaments race which aw eatens to overwhelm Europe. German interpretation of the i^{ons}rase is clear enough; what is e 4)t so certain is how far the Wilh-Astrasse can persuade the other wers to grant its demand.

NSTO maintain that the rearmat of Germany is the only way disarmament appears at first h^{ht} contradictory and absurd. of th the fact. ent iny agreement for the limitation his arms which does not include the theoretically disarmed Reich aci uld be impossible to secure, and thir thless if it were secured. And vits nation is prepared to disoblen to the extent to which Germy is supposed to be disarmed inue treaty. the Any possible arms conventd therefore must prescribe h ^t level of preparedness higher and an that prescribed for the vanh ²lshed by the peace treaties, and ver than that which the victors ve been permitting themselves. d, le task of getting such a conveno'n not only framed, but signed , it d ratified, will be long and difons⁵ult, but not impossible provided the essential facts and conditions he 'e clearly realised and acted upon.

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The Cunard liner, Samaria, cal-administration for the Balearic ector of a large business enter-week's best simile applies to a led in Palma on Monday of this Islands, the Count of Bayona, has prise in England. week with about three hundred returned to Palma from Ibiza. His Mrs. Harriet Gray of Springfield, knowledge of Spanish and Mallortourists, most of whom embarked wife and daughter joined the Ohio has moved to the Hotel Royal. quin is as complete as his cheru-

knows very well.

VISITORS:-

ARRIVALS:-

of Madrid.

Latest arrivals from Barcelona

of Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ro-

bert Phipps, of London, where Mr.

Phipps is a well known banker,

and Señor and Señora Daniel Rise

taking a Mediterranean tour. Lar- rival here. ge numbers of the cruiser's pas-

sengers spent the day sightseeing AMERICANS:-

in and near Palma. The vessel car-

ried many English visitors as well

outstanding planists, played sever-

al of her own compositions.

as Americans.

PIANIST:-

IBIZA:-

Recent visitors on the Island from the United States include the following: - Mrs. Elizabeth Arm- clude the following: Mr and Mrs. strong of New York City and Stan- Arthur Newsholme, Mr. John Roford, Conn. who came here from binson, Mr. Harry Sedgwick, Mr. present in the home of Don Jaime ne A. Baltzer of Wilmington, North Annie West, Miss Daphne Cornich, Mas Porcel on Sunday to hear a Carolina, an arrival last week from and Mr. Robert Keylon Letts. The ican chess marvel. special pogram of music by the New York; and Mrs. Julia L. Mc- above named are guests at the Ho-Trio de Mallorca. Don Joaquin Nin Namee of Watertown, Wiscosin, tel Mediterráneo. Culmell, who gave a piano recital who is travelling throughout Eur-

yesterday in the Palacio de la Al- ope and who came to Mallorca mudaina, was present and played from New York. Mrs. McNamee is various compositions including his stopping at the Hotel Royal in Son Rtel Europe has been commenting own Sonata. Cicely Gittes of Ge- Alegre. She will visit in Rome be- are M. Gustave Block, a French nova, a promising young English fore returning to the United Sta- industrialist, Mrs. Julia Ullmann composer and one of the Island's tes.

HERE AND THERE:-

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Rorose have left the Camp de Mar Hotel

Mrs. Louise Atkinson has left and are now living near El Terre- POLLENSA:-Ibiza and returned to El Terreno. no. Their home is at Shepperton, She spent several pleasant weeks England. the growing foreign colony in Po-

f a^{ped} the intention of France and on the smaller island. Mrs. Atkin-Mr. and Mrs. William Stredder rgetain to seek agreements on son went to the Hotel Mediterraneo of Walker Croft, Wallasey, Cheshaments and security, and is on her arrival here. ire, are stopping in Son Alegre. The chief of the Public Works Mrs. Stredder is the managing dir-



Out Of My Head by HARRY GALLAND

Apropos of nothing at all, the certain popular young man whose in New York City. The vessel is Count in Palma soon after his ar- She finds Mallorca to be superior bic face is round and his hair curto California, and the latter she ly. It seems that a dear lady saw him in Terreno a day or so ago, and later reported that she had encountered him «strutting down the street like a robin, wearing Recent visitors to El Terreno in- his breast on his face.» Well, well!

Apropos of the recent visit to Mallorca of Dr. Alekhine, the famous A small group of guests was Barcelona late last week; Miss An- Lancelot Moorsom, Miss Evelyn chess champion, is the story told by Norman Jacobsen of an Amer-

The American has since dropped out of sight and publicity blurbs, but at the time, a few years ago, he was famous. He was nine years old, and his name was Samuel Szeszceski-or words to that effect.

For a year or two Samuel astounded the chess world by his apparently effortless prowess with the knights and pawns. He not only played a game which any adult could be proud of, but he played the kind of game of which adult A new and welcome addition to champions are proud.

He appeared in a tournament or llensa is M. Marcel Arys of Brus- two, and wiped up the board with sels. M. Arys left El Terreno for his opponents. Having heard or nothe other side of the Island last ticed that the top-notchers gave week. Mr. M. Trumper of England exhibitions in which they played neously, Samuel promptly emulated them, with the greatest suc-

> At the height of his fame, when he was still nine years old, he was invited to the New York Chess Club. None of the graybeards there would risk losing a game to a nine-year-old, champion or no champion, but they all wanted to see him play. And Samuel was wil-

> This impasse was met by the suggestion that a series of twenty problems be laid out on boards, and that the child marvel should walk down the row and solve them

The suggestion was followed, the knotty problems . set, and the boards laid in a row. When all was in readiness the prodigy was told to begin as the graybeards stood by and watched.

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Samuel did his chore with his usual air of assurance. He marched straight down the line and indicated the moves to be made for each problem. At one he hesitated a moment, then passed it by and went on to the end. When he was finished he came back, looked again at the board he had not solved, and calmly said that the problem was wrong. Just like that. Well, they ran for the book from which they had taken the problems, and sure enough, they found they had set that one incorrectly. They haven't invited a child chess Mallorca prodigy to the New York Chess Club since, for some reason.

ARMY BAN ON MASONS

MADRID, Tuesday

nisation is now incompatible with having arrived. According to newsthe holding of a commission in paper reports, the opening of the the Spanish army, according to the fair is to be the signal for a new provisions of a law which has just English offensive on world mark- Expedition which is being personalbeen passed by Cortes. ets.

The ban on freemasonry is an extension of the law which forbids army officers to belong to polilodges of Continental European 41 and maximum of 51, and no ration. countries are frequently active sunshine. behind the scenes in politics, and those of Spain are reputed to be no exception to that rule.

terview here that political activity at the conclusion of the present his good offices to promote the of Masons in Spain, if it exists, is season, but Director Allison states amicable settlement of the present so slight that it is not noticeable.

The Minister confirmed the news that municipal elections are to be held in Spain next month. The Governmen't's decision on that point has been eagerly awaited, as many municipalities whose members were implicated or suspected of complicity in the October revolts are now being administered by Government appointees, and it is desired to replace these with popufarly elected councillors as early as that hope had not been fulfilled. possible.

has completed its task, and the Po- producer. lice Bill will also be pushed forward. Another bill is to enact the ed, had succeeded. Food consumpnationalisation and reorganisation tion was going up. of the Municipal Guard.

SWEEPSTAKE TICKET

An Irish Free State Hospitals' Kingdom, according to the needs Sweepstake ticket for the Grand of the market, from the proceeds the actual decision of the court National at Aintree to be run on of a levy on imports, not with a has not as yet been announced. March 29 has been found. For information concerning it call at the duction, but in order to secure a editorial offices of The Palma Post, reasonable return to the efficient Calle Lonjeta 11, or telephone 1365. producer.

WORLD EVENTS IN BRIEF

LONDON Tuesday

The twenty-first British Indus- rescuers have already presented ries Fair opened at 10 o'clock yes- themselves. Many of them are unterday morning at Olympia, 140,000 employed miners now undergoing Membership of a Masonic orga- buyers from all parts of the world oxygen mask training.

LONDON, Tuesday

FRANKFURT, Tuesday

before Saturday, but 500 volunteer

The group of the Twelfth African Urgel at the corner of the Calle de Tamarit here. ly directed by Professor Frobenius, Doña Felisa Rodríguez Serrano, left Frankfurt yesterday morning aged 40, died of her injuries on

for Suez, where the Professor will The weather yesterday was dull, meet them. The Libyan Desert will tical organisations. The Masonic with a minimum temperature of be the main group's field of explo-

LONDON. Tuesday

In the House of Commons Sir LONDON, Tuesday The Arsenal Association Football John Simon yesterday said that cribed as fairly serious. The others Nevertheless Señor Vaquero, the team has been invited to play the British Minister at Addis Absustained only cuts and bruises. Home Minister, declared in an in- matches in Leningrad and Moscow baba had from the beginning given witnesses, took place when both

there is only a remote possibility difficulties between Italy and Ethi-

of the invitation being accepted. opia. The Foreign Secretary added WREXHAM, Tuesday

that he understood conversations had begun in Addis Abbaba bet-It is considered unlikely that ween the Italian minister and the

the Gresford pit will be reopened Ethiopian government.

CATTLE IN THE COMMONS

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The Government's policy with

Senor Vaquero added that the regard to food supplies was to enparliamentary commission dealing courage the maximum supply of with the bill defining the rights and produce to the consumers at the responsibilities of the press will lowest prices consistent with reaswork without intermission until it onable renumeration to the home

That policy, the Minister claim-

The policy which the Government desired to bring into operation as soon as they were in a position to do so was to assist the livestock industry of the United

view to stimulating artificial expansion of Britain's livestock pro-

FORGET

GOLD CLAUSE DECISION

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Following the announcement of tered by the impact. As many inthe decision, which went first to juries were caused by splinters of the White House, Mr. Roosevelt glass as by the fall. and his advisers decided that no legislation or action is required. Wall Street greeted the announ- and assisted them free of the cement with relief. Immediate wreck. The injured were taken in frenzied buying was the result, and cars to the nearest first aid staa substantial rise in the market tion. was recorded. Grain market trading was temporarily suspended owing to the impossibility of handling the overwhelming activity. The decision, it is now known was by a majority of five to four. The name of the justice who wrote

COMMISSION ON ARMS

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The Commission's proceedings fiestas. and findings will be followed with ions mentioned in its terms of reference have been keenly discus sed in the press and elsewhere during the past few months. The Minister's announcement of its appointment has evidently been timed to coincide with the reassembly of the Disarmament Conference Committee on Arms Manufacture and the Arms Traffic, which takes place at Geneva today. The Committee is to consider the American proposals for making all the stages of arms manufacture and trade subject to license, which were adopted as a basis of discussion last week. Lord Stanhope, Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs and leader of the British delegation, has promised to bring forward alternative proposals.

DEATH IN TRAM COLLISION

Nine passengers were injured,

arrival at the hospital. The other

victims were Raimundo Blanco,

Antonio Fábrega, María Martínez,

Luís Pons, Ramón Cladells, Luisa

Villa, Juan Pons and Doctor Emi-

Doctor Ribes injuries are des-

The accident, according to eye-

cars were travelling at high speed.

Each driver, apparently, expected

the other to pull up and give him

the right of way, with the result

that both arrived at the street

Both cars left the rails and fell

on their sides. The crash of the

fall mingled with the shrieks and

cries for help of the imprisoned

passengers, and the tinkle of brok-

Every pane in the cars was shat-

Police and passers-by came to

Tramcar lines numbers one and

the assistance of the passengers,

crossing at the same instant.

lio Ribes.

en glass.

BARCELONA, Tuesday

THEATRE GUIDE

TEATRO PRINCIPAI

Manolesco and D'Enri-The One Man S

one of them fatally, when two 3:30 6:30 tramcars collided in the Calle de

> TEATRO LIRICO The Thin Man with

William Powell & Myrna (in English) 3:30 6:30

SALON RIALTO

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