NEW U.S. PRESIDENT TAKES OATH OF OFFICE

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REPLY TO ULTIMATUM IS

SPEECH INTIMATES THAT U.S.

New American President Declares That the United States Is Unwilling to Become Entangled in European Politics — Says Object Is Not to Impede Paths to Closer Relationship With European Countries, But to Promote a Better Understanding — Willing to Confer With Nations of the World On Any Plan That Will Tend to Abolish War. But Not Agreeable to Aiding in Reaching This End Through Present League of Nations.

Washington. March 4.—President starding, in his inaugural address, design and the starding in the sta internationality was to supersede nationality." he said, "we turned to a referendum to the American people. There was ample discussion, and there is a public mandate in manifest under-

uthority.
Promote Understanding. Promote Understanding.

"I am sure our own people will not misunderstand, or will the world misconstrue. We have no thought to impede the paths to closer relationship. We wish to promote understanding. We want to do our part in making offensive warfare so hateful that governments and peoples who resort to it must prove the righteousness of their cause or siand as outlaws before the bar of civilization.

"We are ready to associate ourselves with the nations of the world, great and small, for conference, for counsel, to seek the expressed views of world opinion, to recommend a way to approximate disarmament and relieve the crushing burdens of military and naval establishments. We elect to participate in suggesting plans for mediation, conciliation and arbitration, and would gladly join in that expressed conscience of progress which seeks to clarify and

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CONDEMNS BRITISH

RULE FOR CANADA

PARLIAMENT SUMMARY

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Ottawa, March 4.—Yesterday in
Parliament:
HOUSE OF COMMONS.

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Debate on the address continued until 4:35 this morning, when it was adopted on division, the Mackenzie King motion of no confidence in the Government being defeated by 116 to 91. The Campbell motion calling for recess until after the census is taken was defeated without a standing yets. Addresses "Friends of Irish Freedom" in Detroit Auditorium.

Windsor. March 4.—Speaking in the Auditorium, at the corner of Brush and Larned streets. Detroit. last night. Lindsay Crawford declared that Canada was awaking to the realization that no istate can be economically important unless she is politically independent. Hundreds of "friends of Irish freedom" packed the hall and cheered deliriously during the course of the impassioned address on the wrongs of Ireland.

"Why do we want independence in Ireland" he demanded. "Why will we not accept dominion home rule? Because we could not be satisfied with that form of government, any more than they are satisfied with it in Canada, or Australia, or South Africa.

"When the King of England sends a governor-general out to Canada, in what measure is he responsible to the Canadian people? What control have the people of Canada over the governor-ceneral? Why should not Canada be independent—a sovereign state to her south?

"A state cannot be economically important unless it is politically important. Canadians are beginning to realize thand they are depending upon the shadow of the Monroe Doctrine for their protection, rather than on the imperial power of England.

"In Canada, we do not recognize the king of England, but he sends his representatives to Canada, and should we desire to converse with our neighbor to the south of us, we must whisperingly skulk through the back door of the British embassy to do it."

MANITOBA GOVERNMENT taken was defeated without a standing vote.

Speakers in the last day's debate were with one exception all Liberals or Progressives, the Government side having abandoned the debate Tues. day evening.

IN THE SENATE.

The bill governing the Ontario temperance referendum was given royal assent and became law.

A bill was given second reading which provides for a Canadian board to deal with control of the water levels in the Lake of the Woods.

Today in Parliament:

SIMPLE CEREMONIES MARK INAUGURATION OF WARREN HARDING AS U.S. PRESIDENT

Thousands Witness the New Chief Executive Take Oath of Office.

AMBASSADORS PRESENT

Court Uniforms of Diplomats Add Touch of Brightness to Scene.

Washington, March 4.—Warren G. Harding of Ohlo, and Calvin Coolldge of Massachusetts, were in augurated today president and vice-president of the United States. Mr. Harding took the oath at 1:18 p.m., and Mr. Coolidge at 12:21 p.m. WASHINGTON, March 4 .- (By Canadian Press) .- Warren Gamaliel Harding was inaugurated president of the United States today with ceremonies almost as

TO OCCUPY CITY OF DUSSELDORF

War Office Is Ready to Place Division at Disposal of Foch.

REPLY IS AWAITED

Allies Stand Prepared to Act While Berlin Deliberates.

Berlin, March 4.-The text of the ultimatum given Germany by the Allies at Thursday's conference in London reached Berlin last night, after the evening papers were off the press, and the public at large remained uninformed with respect to the punitive measures an-nounced by the British premier in the course of his reply to Foreign Minister Simons. The cabinet had no definite official news from Dr. Simons, and in the absence of this confined its deliberations in last night's session which lasted until 9 o'clock, to an informal survey of the situation. Chanceller Fehrenbach, it was announced is to make a statement to the Reichstag to-

As Dr. Simons is accountable to the cabinet, it is not expected he will leave London unless the enabrupt'y terminates the

Butchers On the Other Hand Are Sorry Tariff Measure Did Not Go Through, As Lower Meat Prices Would Mean Larger Turnover.

Considerable difference seems to prevail among the farmers and dealers in London and vicinity in regard to the effects of the vetoing of the Fordney tariff bill on trade conditions. For example, in reference to the price of meat, a well-known butcher who does an extensive business on the market told The Advertiser that he would rather have seen the bill go through than otherwise.

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"It the bill had passed," he said, "it would have cheapened the price of meat and that would have meant a bigger overturn for us and of course, increased sales. When the price of meat reaches a certain high level, the

BRENER BUILDING WILL HOUSE ALL D. S. C. R. OFFICERS British Agricultural Societies

Whole Three Floors and the Basement Will Be Occupied.

CENTRALIZATION OF WORK

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Occupying Much Scattered
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SEE NO DANGER IN CANADIAN CATTLE Government Supporters Elated

Less Uncompromising in Their Opposition.

Inaugurated Today As President of U.S. W.O. NEWSPAPERMEN DAILIES AT LUNCHEON AT TECUMSEH TODAY

> Large and Representative Gathering Attend the Function.

FOURTH OF ITS KIND

noon Session.

Topics of General Interest Are Discussed During After-

There was a large and representative gathering of newspapermen in the Te cumseh House on Friday afternoon when the Western Ontario Daily Pul

the Free Press.
The program for discussion by the delegates was an extensive one, a long list of topics being dealt with.
W. B. Burgoyne gave some interesting information. w. B. Burgoyne gave some interesting information regarding the Inland Press convention at Chicago, which he attended in February.

Amongst those who led discussions on topics of particular interest to news paper publishers were J. G. McIntosh, C. S. Bean, H. B. Burgoyne, W. B. Presten, W. G. Motz, S. Stephenson, R. B. Harris and H. J. Foster.

DIVISION IN HOUSE GIVES MEIGHEN 25 OF MAJORITY

Over Results of the Voting.

[Special to The Advertiser.] London, March 3 .- By Canadian As- Ottawa, March 4 .- So far as Paris sociated Press.—Agricultural societies ment is concerned Premier Meighen and in this country appear to be growing his party have a mandate to carry on

MEETING ARE WITHDRAWN

Special Meeting of Aldermen Indorsed the Mayor's Action Today—Much Resentment Expressed at the Statements Made at Labor Meeting Last Night—Ald. F. E. Harley Says Only 400 Men Actually in Search of Work — The Speakers Objected to Are-Not Representatives of Organized Labor, Declares Ald, John Ashton,

cumsel House on Friday afternoon, when the Western Ontario Daily Publishers' Association and the Chamber of Commerce were the guests of the two London newspapers.

This is the fourth of these functions, the first having been held at Kitchener, the second at Brantford and the third at St. Catharines.

The following were amongst the delegates of the Western Ontario Publishers in attendance:

W. J. Motzz, Daily Record, Kitchener, Gorge Davis, Herald, Hamilton; W. B. Burgoyne, Standard, St. Catharines.

Garnets, Free Hress, London; A. Garnets, Free Hress, London; A. Garnets, Free Hress, London; A. Garnets, Green, Canadian Observer, Sarnia; Chas Dingman, The Herald, Stratford; W. L. Agnew, Thiese-Journa, St. Thomas; C. S. Bean, Grid, W. L. Agnew, Thiese-Journa, St. Thomas; C. S. Bean, Times-Journal, St. Thomas; C. S. Bean, Times-J

IS BOARD OF HEALTH SLOGAN

Says Dr. O. I. Cunningham, in Addressing Kiwanis Club Luncheon-Germs Give Garbage Cans the Go-By-Public Should Have More Protection.

"Soup. Soap and Education" must be the slogan of the London Board of Health claimed Dr. O. I. Cunningham. Chairman of the board, in addressing the Kiwanis Club at a luncheon in the Tecumseh House at noon today. Dr. Cunningham took as his subject. "Work of the Board of Health."

After teiling of the organization of the board and of the splendid work accomplished by the different officials and inspectors during the past year, he spoke on public health and prevention of disease in a general way. He claimed that a widespread educational campaign was most essential to the good health of the citizens of London. It was the intention of the board, he said, to institute such a campaign among the different clubs of the city. He stated the public health department had departed from the old idea that disease germs thrived and were spread by flith. He said that this was a fallacy, for a germ would not live in a garbage can. Instead of the public health inspectors spending their time in the cleaning up of ditty backyards.

The search was given up, it was fast twere located in the Royal after the inauguration of the department. The pensions office was located in the ment. The pensions office was located at Talbot and Dundas streets.

BOSTON CARBARNS

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**DESTROYED; LOSS \$400,000

Boston, March 4.—A fire of unknown origin which caused damage estimated at \$400,000 partly destroyed the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company in Amory street, in a residential district here early today. Forty-six persons, occupying houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company in Amory street, in a residential district here early today. Forty-six persons, occupying houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company in Amory street, in a residential district here early today. Forty-six persons, occupying houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company in Amory street, in a residential district here early today. Forty-six persons, occupying houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Boston Elevated Railway Company houses opposite the failuring structure were guided through the carbarns of the Libitation of labor has issued a manifest of the cap. The form addition the ment who attempted to rob Jacob The foot and the monting carbar of the monting that the monting carbar of the Boston Elevated Railural of the proprietors were ordered to be along the Sixonation of the proprietors were ordered to throw up their march upon David, capital of the proprietors were ordered to throw and of the monting and to Tro TRUST COUNTRY of TRUST COUNTRY o

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