### 1ST MASSACHUSETTS VICE-PRESIDENT IN LAST HALF CENTURY

Calvin Coolidge Has Been Active in Politics of State.

WASHINGTON, March 6. - Calvin Coolidge is the first Massachusetts man to hold the office of vice-president since Henry Wilson served in the second Grant administration, nearly half a century ago. His advent into office adds to the prominence of his state in national Government affairs, for it is regarded as almost certain that Senator Henry Cabot Lodge will be again chosen as Republican leader in the Senate, and Representative Frederick H. Gillett as speaker of the House.

nomination at Chicago last June. They pointed out that as councillor in his home city and later as city solicitor and mayor, as a member of both branches of the Legislature, including a term as president of the Senate and then as "He comes from Linne Detroud".

but all do their bit, even to mowing the lawn.

During Mr. Coolidge's official residence at Boston he and Mrs. Coolidge lived in apartments at a hotel, as they will do here in Washington, while the boys have been away at school. In dress, too, Mr. Coolidge has been not extravagant, although always immaculately attired and not given to use of the threadbare, whatever the popular impression to the contrary may be.

His coming to Washington means the best of American standards, not given much to social life, perhaps, but a thorough student, a hard worker and a clear-headed, solid American.

STRATFORD, March 5.—The mild weather and good roads made favorable was almost double the amount of produce on sale, compared with a week in political questions with the neutral function.

FROM INAUGURATION

The principle change noted was in eggs, the price of which reached a low level of 38c, less than half the price of a year ago. Butter was unchanged at 50c to 53c. Potatoes sold at \$1 in bits constant companion. The was silent a moment, and then said:

"So I hope you understand things of the middle ages. You recall Walter you der Voegelweide. The affairs of his home land were a matter of holy seriousness with him, and what wonderfully beautiful lines he has produced over the glory of his fatherland."

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government control.

Hughson Johnston, secretary of the referendum committee of the border, announced today that Ben Spence and Rev. Andrew Grant of Toronto will

MANY CIVIL SERVANTS speak within the next two weeks at mass meetings of the prohibition forces. The dates for the meetings will be announced later.

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to publish an authence fitted who had conferred with him his sexecutive offices at Boston without receiving more than monosyllables for an swers finally quit the office in disgust, exclaiming as he came out: "By George, I'd like to be that fellow's stenographer." But after all, holding public office comes naturally enough to the new vice president. For generations, ever since his forebears settled in Watertown, Mass., in 1630 and later went to the rough, backwoods section of Vermont, where he was born on Independence Day, 1872, his family has been identified with public affairs. His father served in the Vermont State Legislature and on governor's staffs and for years has been dentified with public affairs. His father served in the Vermont State Legislature and on governor's staffs and for years has been dentified with public affairs. His father served in the Vermont State Legislature and on governor's staffs and for years has been dentified with public affairs. His father served in the Vermont State Legislature and on governor's staffs and for years has been dentified with public affairs. His father served with a public affairs His father served of the father's life to witness today the inauguration of his son.

By intellectual preference Vice-Presi-

fact term as governor, attracted nation-wide attention.

The crisis which was precipitated by the strike, according to these friends, merely revealed the powers and courage of the man, and they frankly and openly seized the opportunity to press for him claims for the Republican presidential establishment of the Republican presidential firmly.

In departed.

The kaiser was in brown hunting cap with a dark grey cape and wore a small hunting cap with a dark grey cape and that capital there is so badly needed it is not safe territory.

Moscow claims gold worth \$65,000, of the war for safe keeping and to presented me the kaiser grasped my hand of the Republican presidential firmly.

MAY BE DISMISSED



DEPUTY POSTMASTER R. M. COUL-TER, who is now considering the merg-ng of several branches of the depart-ment following the Griffen-Hagen rec-mmendations, while it is estimated that 100 employees will lose their positions occause of the change. Mr. Coulter does not believe that anything like that number would be affected.

## MOSCOW PLAYS DEEP GAME TO

50.000 Red Troops Look On Bessarabia.

of Germany signified her death sale of the son.

By intellectual preference Vice-President Coolidge has since early youth demonstrated a taste for problems of statecraft. As a senior at Amherst he whole world—all evil revenges itself there on earth."

Admitted by Bentinck.

Through the good offices of Count Goldenburg Bentinck I was invited to the American Revolution. Burke and other political leaders of intellectual distinction have always been his favorites and he has studied carefully their writings.

When I entered the garden I saw the fully their writings.

court marshal.

When I entered the garden I saw the deplorable. The peasants are without ducks, 26@28c; potatoes bag, \$1.75@ When I entered the garden I saw the deplorable. The peasants are without found and the land is untilled. The of state that first attracted to him the attention of prominent Republican leaders, notably the late Senator M. Murray Crane of Massachusetts. For a number of Massachusetts. For a number of Massachusetts are successful to the development of the d

Crane of Massachusetts. For a number of years these watched the development of his career with a view to directing him into the national political arena. Their opportunity came when the spectacular Boston police strike, during his first term as governor, attracted nation-wide attention.

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"Please put on your hat and tell me about your study. You are a Hollander, but your father is German."
"He comes from Lippe, Detmold," ful that this treasure is intact, and officials believe Moscow will demand this

mayor, as a member of both branches of the Legislature, including a term as president of the Senate and then as lieutenant-governor and finally as governor he had been elected with ever increasing majorities, culminating in the vote of confidence after the police strike, when he was again elected governor by a plurality of 126,000.

Probably the most attractive part of Mr. Coolidge is his home life. Ever since his marriage 15 years ago, to Miss Grace Goodhue of Burlington, Vt., a University of Vermont graduate, whom he met as a school teacher in Northampton, he has lived a quiet, modest life most of the time in the shadow of Smith College in a house which he has rented for \$32.50 a month.

"Save, no matter what your salary may be," has always been his motto, and, as he has enjoyed beyond the income earned in public office only meagre returns from his law practice, because of pressure of public office only meagre returns from his law practice, because of pressure of public office, he cause of pressure of public office, he cause of pressure of public office only meagre returns from his law practice, the cause of pressure of public office and the time in the lawn.

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Gen. Jackson was inaugurated in 1829 it was fecessary "to stretch a ship's cable" across the Capitol steps to protect him from his enthusiastic friends. They first hemmed him in at Gadby's tavern, and it was only with difficulty that he was able to reach the Capitol. His journey to the White House was equally as difficult, and the crowds which followed him there broke into the executive mansion, smashing furniture

It is related that barrels of "orange

BUCHAREST, March 6. — Inwardly fearing a descent of boishevist armies on Bessarabla, the Rumanian Government is outwardly assuming an attitude that an invasion of the Reds is tude that an invasion of the Reds is tending the ceremonies to "observe or traveling condition, and it is tending the ceremonies to "observe or der" and that "all peace officers aid and assist in the preservation of peace and desire not to rive Russia an evenue for order."

FOREST. FOREST, March 5.—Local market quotations are as follows: Wheat, \$1.85 @1.95; oats, 45c; barley, 80c; flour, \$5.75 @6; butter, 40@50c; eggs, fresh, 37@40c; hay, \$15@20; beans, \$2.50@3; red clover, \$10@12; alsike, \$10.50@12; timothy, \$4; sweet clover, \$2@3; alfalfa, \$15@18; potatoes, bag, 80c@\$1.

LEAMINGTON. LEAMINGTON, March 5.—Butter prices are firm here at 55c to 60c per pound for dairy, and 65c for creamery. Other prices are: Wheat, \$1.60@1.85; oats, 60c; barley, 75c@\$1; timothy, \$7@8; corn 60c@\$1; live hogs, \$12.50; geese,

LISTOWEL.

LISTOWEL, March 5.—Quotations for potatoes here range from \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bag, with offerings pientiful and of fine quality. Other market prices are: Butter, 45c; eggs, 40@42c; pork, 25@30c; beef, 15@30c; veal, 20@40c; chickens, 20@30c; hens, 15@20c; bran, \$2.20; shorts, \$2.30; oats, 42@43c; barley, 75@ 180c; peas, \$1.40@1.50; wheat, \$1.85@ 1.90; horse indes, \$2.75; hides, 4c.

His coming to Washington means the presence of a man, who, his friends say, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given much to social life, personifies the best of American standards, not given the middle ages. You recall Walter von der Voegelweide. The affairs of his home land were a matter of holy seriousness with him and what wonderfully beautiful lines he has produced over the glory of his fatherland."

Anew Von Gontard intruded with a comment.

The great masses of humanity which have come to witness the induction of the ferendum control of liquor and "fetch the umbrella." The general evitous for persident Harding that the customary inaugurated in 181

village of 5,000 and writers of that day said that by 10 o'clock on the morning of March 4 Pennsylvania avenue was crowded, and that numerous slaves, the women with bright turbans, carrying bundles on their "well-poised heads," mingled with the promenaders.

On several occasions inauguration crowds have turned themselves into mobs and literally taken possession of the control of

Quickly Snapped Up. Buying and selling on the local marpunch" were placed on the White House ket on Monday morning was dull allawn to entice the crowds from the most to the point of stagnation. The BUCHAREST, March 6. — Inwardly There had been forebodings of what

remote and highly improbable.

This position is mostly likely due to a desire not to give Russia an excuse for attack, or possibly with the idea that the differences between Bucharest and Moscow may be settled diplomatically.

Another season may be that reports the country is fearing an attack might destroy Rumania's credit abroad.

For some time a certain cabinet minister in Rumania has been informing the newspapers and foreign representation to the Reasarabia bits of the country has no reason to believe it is exposed to a bolshevist invasion and as far as it knows the presence of the Red troops on the Beasarabia botto for its advantage as a winter quarters.

Americans Predict Attack.

The minister of war has informed the cabinet thin cabinet fine device from Tennesses of the comparatively unknown president cabinet from Tennesses of the comparatively unknown president cabinet from Tennesses' held at the cabinet hat the country completely soviet, or take Bessarabia from Rumania. Observers, including Americans, who have visited the front, express the belief that the Reds intend to attack. Bessarabia within a short time when the Dnlester is frozen. This year the river is open so far and it is impossible to cross against resisting currents; hence Moscow has adopted a more charged from \$250 to \$100 to \$100 to \$250 to speaker of the House.

Should Mr. Gillett succeed himself, a massachusetis man will preside over each branch of congress, a most user and the state of the state

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Beef, hinds, lb. 20
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Veal, hinds, lb. 35
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Lamb, hinds, lb. 35
do, fronts, lb. 30
Hides—
Cow hides, No. 1. 4
do, No. 2. 3
Calf skins, No. 1. 6
do, No. 2. 5
Lamb skins, each 40
Horse hides, each 2 00
Kip, per lb. 4

FLOUR. SEAFORTH.

SEAFORTH, March 5.—Butter is coming in plentifully here at 45c to 48c per pound and finds ready sale. Other quotations are: Eggs, 40c; wheat, \$1.85; an \$40c; barley, 75c; bran and shorts, bag, \$1.

per STRATFORD.

STRATFORD

\$3.30@3.60.
Shipments—53,987 barrels.
MONTREAL, March 5.—There was a steady feeling in the flour market today. The situation in the millfeed market showed no change.
Rolled oats were unchanged.
Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, \$10.50.
Rolled Oats—Per bag, 90 lbs., \$3.40.
Bran—\$36.25.

wetners, \$10/25; ewes, \$200 50; mixed sheep, \$6 5006 75.

Winnipeg, March 7.—May wheat opened %c to %c higher at \$1 8901 89%, and July %c to 1%c higher at \$1 7501 75%.

May oats %c to %c higher at 51%0 51%c, and July %c higher at 52%c.

Chicago, March 7.—Opening; Wheat—March, \$1 70%; May, \$1 61.

Corn—May, 71c; July, 73%c.

Oats—May, 46; July, 46%c.

Chicago, March 7.—Rains southwest, especially in Kansas, where there was particular need of moisture, led to a lower prices today for wheat. Country offerings, however, remained light, and European political news was disturbing to the bears. As a result, sellers became less numerous after the initial trading and the market railied. Opening prices, which ranked from %c to 1 1%c lower, were followed by moderate further setbacks and then by upturns to somewhat above the range at the start.

start.

Corn sagged with wheat. There was a good demand from the seaboard. After opening unchanged to ½c lower, the market sagged a litle further and then rallied to about Saturday's finish. Oats paralleled the action of other cereals, starting a shade to ½c off and weakening a trifle more previous to taking the up-grade. PROVISIONS.

180s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 147s 6d;

Wiltshire cut, 130@150s; short clear
tacks, 167s 6d; shoulders, square, 160s;
10, New York, 140s.

Lard—Refined, 94s.

Liverpool, March 7.—Rosin—Common 17s 6d.
Turpentine Spirits—55s.
Petroleum—Refined, 2s 3d.
War Kerosene—No. 2, 2s 4d.
London, March 7.—Closing: Calcutta
Linseed—£17 10s.
Linseed 011—29s 6d.
Sperm 011—£50.
Petroleum—American refined, 2s 3½d;
spirits, 2s 4½d.

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Turpentine Spirits—55s.
Rosin—American strained, 19s; type

20s 6d. Tallow—Australian, 37s 6d. DECLARES DIVIDEND. New York, March 7.—The Lehigh and Vilkesbarre Coal Company today de-lared a special cash dividend of 150 per ent on its \$9,210,000 stock outstanding.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. New York, March 7—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Trading on the stock exchange at the outset of today's session pointed to a continuance of last week's listless and irregular market, but dealings became more active and the undertone strengthened to a pronounced extent within the next half hour. Oils, steels and motors were the objects of builligh attention, Atlantic-Gulf, Royal Dutch, Mexican Petroleum and General Asphalt attention, Atlantic-Gulf, Royal Dutch, Mexican Petroleum and General Asphalirising 1 to 2½ points. Baldwin Locomotive, Bethlehem Steel, Steel Foundries, Chandler, Studebaker and Otis Elevator comprised the other firm to strong issues. Exchange on London was moderately higher, despite adverse cables from that centre regarding the course of the reparations conference.

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[Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.]

New York, March 7.

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Grangers— Open. High. Low. 1p.m.
Baltimore & Ohlo. 34½

Erie, 1st pfd. ... 19%

Great Western. 8

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Southerns— 

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American Wool. 64% 65½ 64% 64%
Baldwin Loco. 89% 90½ 89% 89%
Central Leather. 39 39% 39 39%
Corn Products. 71% 72% 71% 71%
Col. Fuel & Iron. 29½
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SOLONS WILL MEET Legislature Expected to Open

Farly This Month Early This Month.

It is expected that the Provincial the opposition will have the opport Legislature will meet here early this month for the second session of the new Liberal administration headed by Premier John H. Bell. Although no definite Negro Actor Is information as to what legislation will be brought down for consideration is yet available, it is thought that busi-ness this year will be comparatively ness this year will be comparatively light. Last year the government had a very heavy program on its hands, inclusive of increased taxation, roads and the establishment of an agricultural and technical high school.

A substantial increase in revenue was accurated by the apparatus of the second o

A substantial increase in revenue was secured by the passage of the new tax ation act last session, and it is quite probable that the income and expenditure of the province for the year will about balance, something that has not occurred for some time in Prince Edward Island. The opposition press since the last session has been persistently attacking the government taxation without materially increasing taxes of the most during the past year in adventure of the opposition meaning that the special education tax the government would be able to carry on without materially increasing taxes of the most during the past year in adventure of the opposition leader, Mr. A. E. Arsenault, was account of the Bank of Bengal was reduced from 7 to 6 per cent today.

Ridgetown. March 7.—Beans—Selling price, \$2 5002 2.

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with the assistance of the Don agricultural policy. This on the wh is expected that opposition will aken on the ground that the scho rural community rather than in Char ottetown, where students will be sub ected to the distractions and tempta MacLean Memorial Hospital was made connection with the recent tollege, strike at the Prince of Wales College,

Guest of Honor Drama League

New York, March 7 .- Charles Gilpin,