U. S. NAVY INCREASE PLANS PROTESTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—(AP)—The first woman member of congress, opposing an $800,000,000 expansion of the navy, told congress today that "wholly abnormal" warship building by the United States would "intensify international tensions" and speed the world toward war.

Former Representative Jeannette Rankin, of Montana, legislative secretary of the National Council for Prevention of War, led off the opposition to President Roosevelt's proposal to increase the fleet 20 per cent.

She called on the committee to withhold approval "until the demands can be judged on the basis of a declared policy of defense only and of a determination of our defense needs."

"It is the responsibility of this country," Miss Rankin said, "to set the precedent of a national military policy of defense only."

She said the president's demand for "large armament increases" presents congress with an opportunity to end "the present uncertainty as to what our foreign policy is."

Charles A. Beard, historian and author, told the committee President Roosevelt had in mind maintenance of world peace "by the force of American arms and diplomacy" when he advocated the naval increase.

Although he said he "accepted Secretary Hull's statement that the United States has no alliances with foreign power, Beard said the president's program has "no meaning save as one step in the direction of applying his quarantine doctrine to Europe and Asia."

U. S. STEEL, C. I. O. RENEW AGREEMENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 9—(AP)—The United States Steel corporation and the committee for industrial organization today renewed indefinitely their working agreement, first signed a year ago.

The pact covers directly 240,000 steel workers employed by "big steel"—the U. S. Steel Corp. and its subsidiaries—and, according to union leaders, may ultimately affect a total of 800,000 should the whole industry be unionized.

Last year's pact, providing for an eight-hour day, a 40-hour week, and a $5 a day basic rate for unskilled labor, was renewed in substantially the same form.

Present wage levels were maintained despite a threatened price cutting war in the steel industry, which appeared to have broken out today. One independent company which has refused to recognize C.I.O. cut certain products today, and "big steel's" Carnegie-Illinois corporation followed suit even as the new labor contract was being closed.

MAX BAER SETTLES WITH CHORUS GIRL

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—(AP)—The Daily News said today that Adelbert Baer, the one-time Livermore, Calif., butcher boy who became heavyweight champion of the world, settled a $50,000 suit for $2,000.

The newspaper said Shirley LaBelle, 105-pound brunette chorus girl, tapped the playboy fighter for that amount "in full and final settlement" of a suit she started against him in February, 1934.

Miss LaBelle accused Baer of "luring" her to a New York hotel with a promise to get a stage job.

The News said the cash settlement was reached in the office of Baer's lawyer, Benjamin Pepper.

DAUGHTER OF DEAN NOE FACING KNIFE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—(AP)—The Rev. Israel Harding Noe's daughter, Margaret, 13, was taken to the hospital today where the clergyman is recovering from effects of 22 days of fasting.

A physician said the child had appendicitis and an operation would be necessary.

Mr. Noe was pronounced physically well enough to leave the hospital. He weighed 140 pounds, a gain of 40 pounds since his admittance Jan. 23.

Bishop James M. Maxon removed the clergyman as dean of St. Mary's Episcopal cathedral, describing his fasting as a "vagary."

Sun., Mon., Tues.

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Little Matsui, Japan's Big Gun in War On China, Army's Bright Boy for Forty Years And Ex-Chum of Man He's Now Battling

By RELMAN MORIN
(AP Foreign Service Writer)

TOKYO.—The little man with the biggest job in China today is General Iwane Matsui, Japan's "bright boy."

He commanded the Japanese army at Shanghai, smashed China's "Hindenburg line," chased a demoralized enemy up the Yangtze river to Nanking, and then pierced the massive walls of the Chinese capital and took the city.

His triumphal entry was the high spot of a notable life.

Bright From the Start

He became "the bright boy" of the Japanese army 40 years ago in the Tokyo Military academy. His instructors were not quite sure about young Matsui. They grudgingly admitted that his grades were the highest, his boots the shiniest and his solutions to strategetic problems the most brilliant in the academy. (And that against the competition of such men as Sadao Araki, who later became minister of war, and Senjuro Hayashi, one day to be prime minister.)

But Japan's "West Point" felt a vague uneasiness about this student who was so smart. His nimble brain juggled technical problems and performed military acrobatics with too great facility, his instructors reported.

The Japanese army likes its men to work hard for what they get, to encounter great difficulties in their preparation for future wars. Matsui never had to work hard.

Reputation Grows

Forty years of soldiering on the Asiatic mainland have only added to Matsui's reputation.

He was an officer in the Russo-Japanese war. He came through the terrific battle of Port Arthur without a scratch.

The next few years saw him move up the line with no better than normal speed. Not even brilliance, such as he is credited with having, can dislocate the machinery of promotion in Japanese army. Up to a certain point, the only way to climb the ladder is by having birthdays.

Matsui was a staff officer in the Japanese expeditionary forces during the Siberian adventure, after the World war. Then he campaigned in Manchuria and Mongolia.

The years passed, and he reached the supreme war council, was a delegate to the Geneva arms conference in 1931.

The outbreak of this current "incident" was Matsui's big moment.

China His Hobby

For more than ten years, he had been one of the leading formulators of Japan's China policy. He has been the backstage director of that policy ever since the Tanaka ministry in 1937. Japanese say he knows more about China, from a military, political and even a geographical standpoint, than any living man.

China has been his hobby for decades.

It is one of the paradoxes of the present campaign that Matsui has been a close friend of China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek for years. They met when Chiang, as a young student, entered military college in Japan. That friendship has been continued through the years, the two men meeting occasionally with almost fraternal affection.

Matsui is known as an expert in the intricate, treacherous game of Chinese politics. Thus, his knowing direction was seen behind "victory parade" of the Japanese troops through the International Settlement in Shanghai.

This, Japanese claim, caused Shanghai's white government to lose "face" no end with the Chinese masses.

Matsui's biggest job lies ahead. He is confronted with a hostile government, a citizenry of uncertain sentiments, an effective military force—and the whole Chinese countryside.

Shining for Last Time

He must decide how deep to penetrate the interior, how far to chase the quicksilver-like Chinese army. He must guard against a "retreat from Moscow." As his lines of communication lengthen, they grow increasingly thin, increasingly susceptible to punctures.

His victories have brought only great problems.

Likewise, because of the curious mechanism of Japanese politico-militarism, they probably will spell oblivion for him when he returns. The Japanese army does not believe in heroes. Which a man gets too big, he is shunted to some corner-pocket, or retired.

Unless some new crisis appears on the continent, Japan's "bright boy" is shining for the last time.

Matsui is scraggle-toothed, unhandsome, unsmiling, laconic. He is 59 years old, married but childless. He smokes the cheapest cigarettes obtainable and is interested in only two things, a mongrel dog he brought back from Paris—and the China problem.

CARR'S 9c SALE

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ANTI-NAZI GENERALS ASK FOR DISMISSAL

BERLIN, Feb. 9.—(AP)—Three generals were reported by reliable sources today to have asked to be dismissed from the army in protest against Reichsfuehrer Hitler's merger of the high command and the nazi party in the February 4 shakeup. Their names were withheld.

Their withdrawal would raise to 17 the number of generals removed as a consequence of the upheaval in which the fuehrer assumed direct command of the armed forces.

Hitler left Berlin Saturday for Berchtesgaden, his Bavarian retreat, apparently with serene confidence that the new regime created by his decree would be accepted without protest.

Since his departure, however, evidence has developed that the reorganized army was not willing to go as far as the nazi party would like.

Certain outstanding officers, furthermore, were said to be offended at an editorial in the Voelkischer Beobachter, Hitler's own new paper, reflecting on army morals. According to its statement February 5:

"The party henceforth will feel itself even more responsible than before for the task and morals of the German defense force."

The resignations of the three generals was said to have been one direct effect of the resentment. They would follow Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg, resigned war minister, Colonel General Werner von Fritsch, ousted chief of staff, and other generals out of the service.

LUMBER INDUSTRY CASUALTIES CITED

SALEM, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Fifty-two persons employed in the lumber industry were killed or permanently disabled during the last six months of 1937, the state industrial accident commission said today in an appeal to lumber operators to stress safety.

J. C. Joy, commission chairman, said the high rate was caused by employment of inexperienced persons in logging operations.

The industry had a payroll of $19,008,762.

About 12 per cent of all workers in the industry suffered injuries, while 25 per cent of loggers were injured.

Fatal and permanent disability claims in the logging industry totaled $239,191 last year, not including pine logging which accounted for $71,299. Claims for all types of hazardous industry during the year were $698,584.

Road construction claims totaled $47,695, dam construction $43,248, bridge building $34,344, logging railroads $29,148, and paper manufacturing and farming about $25,000 each.

RING RECOVERED BY ROOSEVELT AIDE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—(AP)—Miss Marguerite Leland, personal secretary of President Roosevelt, today was again in possession of a ring set with two diamonds and two pearls, the Christmas gift of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, which was stolen in Boston, Dec. 27.

The ring was taken from the automobile of her brother while she and other members of her family dined.

Police said they recovered the ring in a pawnshop. An overnight case, the gift of Mrs. Roosevelt, was not recovered. The ring had been secreted in the case.

School Strikes for Their Love

The right of pretty Mary Grubbs, top, 18-year-old senior, to date Coach Hugh Wynn, below, whom she plans to marry after graduation, precipitated a strike in Dothan, Alabama's, high school and threats to bomb the building. The football coach resigned on request, but after students struck he announced he would fight for reinstatement.

Second in U. S.

By special act of Congress, James Lincoln Hartley, 32, Seattle, became a United States citizen, second person ever so naturalized. Born in Michigan, his parents moved to Canada. His father became a Canadian citizen. Senator Schwellenbach introduced a special act restoring his citizenship.

BANK EMBEZZLER DRAWS 15 YEARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—(AP)—Mild, spectacled Harold J. Fenton, confessed embezzler of $52,500 from the American Trust company here, was sentenced to 15 years in federal prison by Federal Judge St. Sure today.

Before sentence was passed on his plea of guilty, Fenton told the judge that after 20 years service in the bank, during which he became foreign exchange teller, he was receiving $175 monthly salary. "I thought maybe I could get away with this," he said.

A department of justice agent related Fenton's elaborate preparations for flight and his short-lived career of prodigality in swank eastern hotels.

After making fictitious debits for two Hawaiian banks, Fenton arranged letters of credit in Chicago. He absconded Saturday, Oct. 16, said the federal man, and reached Chicago before west coast banks were open on Monday.

Then followed a tour of luxury, with a girl called "June Denver," the agent said, to whom Fenton, a married man, gave a diamond ring, a watch, fur coat and finally $32,000 in cash—whereupon she left him.

Agents recovered about $37,000 of the funds when Fenton was captured in New York, Jan. 18.

BRAIN TRUSTER GETS STATE DEPT. POST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—(AP)—President Roosevelt today nominated Adolf A. Berle, Jr., of New York, long an administration advisor, to be an assistant secretary of state.

Berle would replace Hugh Wilson, who has been assigned to a post abroad.

Berle is expected to serve as an executive assistant to Secretary Hull on trade and fiscal matters, and coordinate departmental activities. His predecessor, Wilson, has been ambassador to Germany.

The New Yorker is now professor of corporation law at Columbia University. During the early days of the Roosevelt administration when he was listed as one of the "brain trusters," Berle was special counsel for the reconstruction finance corporation.

NOTICE OF MARSHAL'S SALE. No. E-9793. In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. The Union Central Life Insurance Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Henry E. Blood and Ruby E. Blood, his wife, Defendants. By virtue of an execution, judgment order, decree, and order of sale issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 25th day of January, 1938, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said court on the 10th day of January, 1938, in favor of The Union Central Life Insurance Company, plaintiff, and against Henry E. Blood and Ruby E. Blood, his wife, for the sum of $18.57 with interest at ten per cent from March 1, 1935, $42.84 with interest at ten per cent from November 6, 1935, $126.96 with interest at ten per cent from April 11, 1936, $265.91 with interest at ten per cent from December 1, 1936, $2,967.09 with interest at six per cent from December 1, 1936, $86.69 with interest at ten per cent from April 16, 1937, $32.40 with interest at ten per cent from November 16, 1937, and the further sum of $6.00 for continuation of abstract and the further sum of $350.00 attorneys' fees and the further sum of $25.61 costs and disbursements, and the costs of and upon this writ commanding me to make sale of the following described real property situate in the County of Douglas, State of Oregon, to-wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Lot Two (2) of Section Eleven (11) Township Twenty-eight (28) South Range Five (5) West of the Willamette Meridian; thence east along the south line of said lot and the south line of the James Gilmore Donation Land Claim number Thirty-nine (39) Twenty-five (25) chains; thence north Twenty-two and five tenths (22.5) chains; thence west Twenty-five (25) chains to the west boundary line of Lot One (1) in said Section Eleven (11); thence south Twenty-two and five-tenths (22.5) chains to the place of beginning. I will on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1938, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., at the front door of the County Court House at Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, sell at public auction (subject to redemption) to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest that the above named defendants, and each and all of them in the above entitled suit, had on the 9th day of October, 1934, the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed, or since that date had in and to the above described property or any part thereof, to satisfy said execution, judgement order, and decree, interest, costs and accruing costs. Dated January 25, 1938. J. T. Summerville, United States Marshal. Date of First Publication Feb. 3, 1938. Date of Last Publication March 3, 1938.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

On the 8th day of March, 1938, at the hour of 10:00 A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Douglas County, Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which bears North eighty-five (85) degrees thirty-six (36) minutes East two thousand four hundred four and five-tenths (2404.5) feet from the northwest corner of Donation Land Claim Number Forty (40) Township twenty-seven (27) South, Range five (5) West of the Willamette Meridian; thence West three hundred fifty-one and five-tenths (351.5) feet along County Road to the middle of Deer Creek; thence North two (2) degrees thirty (30) minutes West two hundred sixty and one-tenth (260.1) feet along Deer Creek; thence North fifty-four (54) degrees twenty-one (21) minutes West three hundred fifteen and nine-tenths (315.9) feet along Deer Creek; thence North no (0) degrees fifty-nine (59) minutes West four hundred seventy-six and no tenths (476.0) feet to County Road; thence South eighty-nine (89) degrees fifty-one (51) minutes East five hundred ninety-six (596) feet along the County Road; thence South nine hundred twenty-four (924) feet to the place of beginning; being the West half (½) of Lot twenty-one (21) and a part of Lot twenty (20) in the Belden & Brooks Addition, the same being the First (1st) Brookside Addition to the City of Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, and containing ten and fifty-four one - hundredths (10.54) acres, more or less. Also, beginning at a point on the North side of the County Road from which the Northwest corner of Donation Land Claim Number forty (40) in Township twenty-seven (27) South, Range five (5) West of the Willamette Meridian, Douglas County, Oregon, bears South eighty-six (86) degrees one (01) minute West one thousand six hundred two and nine-tenths (1602.9) feet; thence North no (0) degrees twenty-two (22) minutes East one hundred ninety-four and five tenths (194.5) feet; thence North eighty-nine (89) degrees forty-eight (48) minutes West two hundred fifty-seven and eight-tenths (257.8) feet to the West line of Lot nineteen (19) in the First (1st) Brookside Addition to the City of Roseburg; thence North three hundred sixty and three-tenths (360.3) feet along the West line of said Lot nineteen (19) to the center of Deer Creek; thence South eighty-three (83) degrees fifty-one (51) minutes East one hundred thirty-two and no tenths (132.0) feet up Deer Creek; thence South sixty-eight (68) degrees fifty-three (53) minutes East two hundred fifty-six and five-tenths (256.5) feet up Deer Creek; thence South fifty-four (54) degrees twenty-one (21) minutes East three hundred fifteen and nine-tenths (315.9) feet up Deer Creek; thence South two (2) degrees thirty (30) minutes East two hundred sixty and one-tenth (260.1) feet up Deer Creek to the North side of the County Road; thence South eighty-nine (89) degrees fourteen (14) minutes West three hundred seventy-nine and five-tenths (379.5) feet along the North side of County Road and South line of Lots nineteen (19) and twenty (20) of the First Brookside Addition to the City of Roseburg, to the place of beginning, containing five and thirty-three one hundredths (5.33) acres, more or less, being part of Lots nineteen (19) and twenty (20) of the above addition. Containing in all fifteen and eighty-seven one hundredths (15.87) acres, more or less.

Said sale is made under execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Douglas to me directed in the case of The State of Oregon, represented and acting by the World War Veterans' State Aid Commission, plaintiff, vs. Carl J. Rasmussen and Bessa M. Rasmussen, his wife, and Henry Langfelt defendants.

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