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Fresh Russian Attacks on Finns Prove Futile

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The remainder of the German battalion was said to have escaped. The location of the clash was not given but the red force was identified as the third Siberian ski battalion.

Battle Still Rages
Heavy fighting was reported still in progress north and east of Lado, where Finnish observers

aid recapture of the Finnish town of Viikari. Finnish divisions out to flank the Mannerheim line on the Karelian isthmus.

General Osterman asserted Russian troops had failed to advance at any point beyond lines chosen by Finns for their major resistance. He declined to estimate either Russian or Finnish casualties in the two months of combat.

Finland's daily communiqués have specified a total of more than 12,000 Russian dead to date but have acknowledged no specific numbers of Finnish military casualties.

Kallio Puts Honor First
President Kallio, in an impassioned speech, repeated today Finland's offer to negotiate "an honorable peace" with Russia but said Finland would not bend before "imperialistic aims."

"We are forced to destroy people innocent of this war, people we have no reason to hate as a nation," the president said.

"For this reason we regard this barbarous attack as senseless and are ready to negotiate an honorable peace."

The president expressed Finland's thanks for foreign aid and aid.

"We sincerely hope the term humanitarian help may be made to cover civilian air defense and anti-aircraft equipment and that such help might be given us for protection of the population behind the front from an aggressor who uses the air force in a most inhuman manner against civilians."

Swedish Help Cited
Kallio mentioned particularly "our neighbor Sweden" who, he said, "has shown her identity of fate with us."

In addition to her bountiful material help, well-equipped volunteer forces have come from there to help us.

He reviewed the negotiations preceding the invasion of Finland by Soviet Russia and said Finland was ready to make "even heavy sacrifices to preserve peace" but two weeks after the negotiations came to a standstill "the Soviet government unilaterally violated every agreement concluded with

FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia

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"I dunno, Chuck—it looks pretty good. But it won't last a week if you keep puttin' stuff on it."



CLAIRE KNEELAND, left, chairman of the election board of the University of Oregon Alumni association, hands Dr. Del Standard of Eugene, Oregon, official notice of his election as president of the association. Hollis M. Johnston, Portland architect, was named vice-president.

Finland and invaded our country."

OPINION OPENS WAY FOR
NEW U. S. LOAN TO FINNS
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—State department authorities were quoted by members of the senate foreign relations committee today as holding that a non-military loan to Finland would not violate international law.

In view of this testimony, by Counselor R. Walton Moore and Solicitor Green H. Hachworth, it appeared "no clear case" committee would vote to increase the capital of the export-import bank by \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000.

Such an increase would pave the way for a new loan to Finland and possibly increase the credits China could obtain, to help them in their struggles with Russia and Japan, respectively.

Finland already has obtained \$100,000,000 in credits, and China has a loan of \$25,000,000 outstanding.

Finns Raid Air Bases
Dispatches to Finnish newspapers from Tallinn tended to support previous reports that the Finnish air forces had inflicted heavy damages on Soviet air bases in Estonia.

These reports said the Estonian government, which granted Russia extensive military rights last October, had announced several bombs were dropped on Estonian soil by a fleet of 34 Finnish warplanes Tuesday.

Finland reported the forays without giving details.

Revel dispatches said that the Soviet air base at Baltiski was taken completely by surprise and that several hangars and planes were destroyed. Now Russia has ordered all important bases and cities in Estonia blacked out at night, it was said.

Bank Directors Granted Time Extension to Quit

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The federal reserve board today granted a "final" extension of four months to persons who are directors of more than one federal reserve bank to resign from all but one of their banking connections.

The extension, the third since congress decreed a prohibition on interlocking bank directorates in 1935, was granted at the request of President Roosevelt and Senators Wagner (D., N. Y.) and Glass (D., N. Y.).

The prohibition would have gone into effect at midnight tonight if the board, at a special meeting today, had not acted.

The new extension came as a surprise to banking circles because, as late as yesterday, federal reserve officials, although recognizing their authority to grant another extension, were saying that the matter was "out of our hands."

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Grand Jury Will Meet Here Feb. 5

The Douglas county grand jury today was called to meet Monday, Feb. 5, to investigate cases which may be found triable at the regular February term of circuit court. The circuit court term will begin Feb. 19.

Several grand jury investigations are to be made in cases where charges have been filed, but it is anticipated that the work will be completed within a few days. Members of the grand jury are R. L. McLaughlin, Frank Grubbe, J. M. Winniford, V. C. Dunnavin, J. P. Brumbach, George M. Wilcox and Joe DeBernardi.

As Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly will be engaged in conducting court at Toledo for a week or ten days, starting Monday, Judge G. P. Skipworth of Eugene, will be in Roseburg Friday to receive the grand jury's report and to set cases for trial at the February term of court.

Two Shot in Dispute Over Impaired Electric Light

LA GRANDE, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Police Chief Osmond held Robert Hall, 66, in the city jail today in connection with the shooting of Mrs. Eva Mann, 51, and her son, Charles Kirkwood, 21, during a dispute over an impaired electric light.

Hospital attendants said Kirkwood's condition was critical. Mrs. Mann, Hall's housekeeper, required hospitalization but was not believed seriously wounded.

Chief Osmond quoted Hall as saying the shooting occurred after he found his bedroom light would not turn on.

Farm Bloc Will Battle to Restore Lost Items

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to this year's level.

Chairman Smith (D., S. C.) of the senate agriculture committee told reporters he would make "a vigorous fight to have parity payments written into the appropriation bill."

"This administration has asked farmers to curtail their acreage," he said, "and has promised them parity (pre-1914) prices in return. It is legally and morally bound to give them parity."

Senator Russell (D., Ga.) termed action of the house appropriations committee in clipping the farm measure to \$63,274,756 as "atrocious and unpardonable."

"They eliminated items which they know will have to be restored in order to dump the responsibility on the senate and clothe themselves with the self-righteous robes of economy," Russell said.

Secretary Wallace yesterday said

proposed \$154,000,000 reduction under budget estimates would inflict "a grave injustice" on farmers and would impair industrial activity and employment.

Although telling reporters that he did not wish to create errors toward economy, Wallace said that an "interesting" political issue would be raised unless the cuts were restored.

"I want to put the farmer on guard against attempts of some congressmen to scuttle the farm program," he said.

"I would ask the farmers this question when they went to vote, 'which way are you most likely to be taken care of in 1941?'"

Disputes on Constitution Good Sign, Hughes States

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there are expert disputants.

"The more weighty the question, the more serious the debate, the more likely is the opportunity for honest and expert disagreement."

"This is a token of vitality. It is fortunate and not regrettable that the avenues of criticism are open to all whether they denounce or praise. This is a vital part of the democratic process."

"The essential thing is that the independence, the fearlessness, the impartial thought and conscientious motive of those who decide should both exist and be recognized."

Popular Vigilance Needed
Charles A. Beardsley of Oakland, Calif., president of the American Bar association, said "there are forces at work in the world today that are inimical to the continued fulfillment by this court of the purpose for which it was created."

He said if the "desirable" for the American people to recall that this American institution will endure and that justice, under and pursuant to law, will be preserved for the American people, by their alertness, fidelity and sanity cause them to be preserved and to endure."

Conference of Liberals Still Planned by Demos

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John L. Lewis, CIO chief who has indicated friendliness to Senator Wheeler of Montana for the democratic presidential nomination, criticized the western conference idea last October as likely to launch a third term movement.

F. R. Again Parries
The third term question was put

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before Mr. Roosevelt again at yesterday's press conference, and again "it was in the form of what the president likes to call 'subtle'."

A correspondent, who could scarcely keep the grin off his face, inquired what Mr. Roosevelt intended calling the "birthday balls" next year. Up to now they have been known as the "president's birthday balls."

Smiling, the president, replied that his inquirer had just informed him he had been up all night and therefore he was excused for putting the question.

In his radio speech Tuesday night thanking the country for its contributions to the infantile paralysis fund, Mr. Roosevelt said he hoped the birthday celebrations in the future would be for the benefit of all crippled children.

Convention Plans Mullied
Plans for the meeting next Monday of the democratic national committee were understood to have been discussed at a conference yesterday between the president and Chairman James A. Farley.

Farley told reporters afterward that the meeting would select a time and place for the presidential nominating convention. There had been some talk of delegating this job to a subcommittee with

the idea of setting a date later than that chosen by the republicans, whose national committee meets here Feb. 16.

Mr. Roosevelt told reporters he would receive the national committee members for a handshake Tuesday. He added he would send no message to their session.

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Stock and Bond Averages

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Feb. 1:

	30	15	15	60
Ind's RR's	10.2	18.6	29.1	49.3
Prev. day	70.2	18.6	39.2	49.4
Month ago	74.0	29.4	40.5	52.9
Year ago	71.6	29.9	37.7	50.2
1935-40 high	77.0	23.8	49.6	53.9
1935-40 low	58.8	15.7	33.7	41.6

BONDS
Feb. 1:

	20	10	10	10
RR's Ind's	57.6	102.0	96.1	59.8
Prev. day	57.7	102.1	96.2	59.4
Month ago	58.8	102.3	96.4	59.7
Year ago	58.6	99.1	93.7	61.1
1935-40 high	64.9	102.6	97.5	64.9
1935-40 low	53.4	95.8	90.4	41.7

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