

British Expect To Build Three Large Cruisers

LONDON, June 26 (AP) — The first lord of the admiralty yesterday told the house of commons that supplementary estimates in the government's 1930 naval construction program would be presented shortly for three 6-inch gun cruisers, nine destroyers, three submarines, four sloops and one net layer and target-towing vessel.

Lord Alexander said orders for laying down these vessels would not be given until the last quarter of this financial year and that only a small sum would be required to be spent on the vessels specified.

"I would emphasize," remarked Lord Alexander, "that these ships are required in replacement of others which have passed the age limit and to enable the royal navy to carry out its current duties in time of peace and that the program has no relation to those of other powers."

The first lord said he thought the six-inch gun cruisers would be of 6,500 tons, but did not give the exact tonnage. He said the ultimate cost of the program, spread over three years, would be about 9,000,000 francs.

OBSERVER'S STAFF LISTS 42 PERSONS

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work the last 3 years. Miss Morton regularly contacts the people of the valley. She writes and edits all copy for her page.

Miss Alyce Cook is society editor and reporter, spending the first two hours of the day in the office writing social news and then covering regular assignments supplied by the city editor.

Mrs. Charles Paddock has a combination position, which links into both the news and advertising departments. She calls people throughout the city during the day, soliciting both news items and classified advertising. She also edits much of the community news received.

In the business organization, Miss Lenore Gibson is cashier and office manager, taking care of the book-keeping and business details of the newspaper.

Miss Kathryn Moran is advertising solicitor, and also handles the national advertising schedules and accounts. Miss Ruth Durland has charge of the circulation record, the proof reading and is the telephone attendant.

Harvey F. Matthews, business manager, is in general charge of the advertising and the business of the newspaper. He has a wealth of experience in this, equipping him thoroughly for his work.

P. B. Appleby is the editor and publisher of The Observer.

THREE KILLED IN REVOLT IN MEXICAN CITY

EL PASO, Tex., June 26 (AP) — Three state deputies were killed and more injured Wednesday during an attack made by followers of Daniel M. Prieto, candidate for the governorship of Chihuahua state, on the government palace at Chihuahua City, according to El Continental, Spanish language newspaper published here.

Gabriel Minenonex, chief of state police also was killed, the paper said, continuing:

"The fighting started when Prieto's followers attempted to take control of the palace. Those killed were Deputy Carlos Enriquez, Deputy Manuel Jesus Estrada, and Deputy Ramon Valles.

"Governor Almaden, together with his candidate for governor, Andres Brite, fled early this morning from Chihuahua City to Juarez. State-ment made by Governor Almaden to El Continental says he made the airplane trip to avoid complications and get in touch with the federal government in Mexico City."

Youth Suspected Of Gotham Killings

NEW YORK, June 26 (AP) — A youth wearing a religious medal around his neck and whose pockets contained a code with the legend "X" purported signature of the maniac murderer of two men in Queens, was arrested Wednesday in Riverside park.

He said he was Clarence James "Ratt," 21, of Chicago, lately a resident of Brooklyn. He told the policeman who picked him up that he was going to ride a freight back to Chicago.

Besides the code, police said, "Ratt" had a picture of a skull and cross bones with two X's and a marked on it, some letters, a picture of a girl and his finger prints on paper done in red ink. He also wore a ring with a religious insignia on it.

Of Criminal Origin

The word "burke," which means to smother or hush up or evade a question by indirection, was taken from the name of William Burke, who was hanged in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1829, after being convicted of complicity in the murder of 16 men and women, whom he helped to smother to death. Their cadavers were sold to medical schools for dissection.

From "Living Rock"

When it is said that a statue is carved from the living rock the expression is applied to a piece of sculpture carved from stone which is in the place it has occupied from time immemorial. This is in contrast to marble which has been quarried and carried far from its source. One would say of the tishmore memorial in South Dakota or of the Confederate memorial on Stone Mountain that it is carved from the living rock.

Comedy of Love And Intrigue Coming to State

Romantic films have a firm hold on the movie-going public. Despite the temporary vogue for realistic, sordid, and sex dramas, the average man and woman revels in entertainment that is purely on the fanciful order. It gives the jaded mind the opportunity to forget about the humdrum of daily life and take a romantic journey.

"A Royal Romance," the Columbia all-talking comedy of love and intrigue coming to the State theater Friday and Saturday is just that type of film. The character of the hero is likable and appealing. He is the type of creative genius who follows the will-o'-wisp of fancy blindly and has no practical side whatever. One accompanies him on his adventures into a fictitious foreign land where he falls in love with a beautiful and charming countess—exactly like the prince in the fairy tale.

The elements of comedy so necessary in a picture of this type have not been neglected. In every situation of the film, there is a contrast between the fanciful and the actual that makes for delightful entertainment.

Over Night News

By The Associated Press Domestic

Fargo, N. D.—Townley, non-partisan league founder, runs third in North Dakota republican primary in early returns.

Washington—Threats of a filibuster on Boulder Dam measure disappear in senate.

Arkmonk, N. Y.—William Barnes, formerly Albany county republican chief, dies.

Birmingham, Ala.—James Kimball Vardaman, former governor and United States senator from Mississippi, dies.

Pittsburgh — Congressman Stephen G. Porter critically ill.

El Paso, Tex.—Chihuahua governor flies from Chihuahua City to Juarez after fight in which four were killed; proclaims Juarez new state capital.

Foreign

La Paz, Bolivia—Troops start revolution in Oruro, government reveals.

Buenos Aires—Dispatches report 24 killed by Bolivian police after joint student-worker demonstration Sunday.

Havana—French scientist's steel tube for harnessing gulf stream power collapses when lowered into ocean.

London—House of Lords informed Maltese situation is deadlock between British government and Vatican.

Sports

Buffalo, N. Y.—Rosenbloom wins world's light heavyweight championship from Slattery by decision.

Cultivate a Hobby

Doctors are advising hobbies, especially those requiring outdoor exercise, for the "successful business man" as the best way to combat the physical and mental decline which usually follows a strenuous life.

Fashionable Audience

At a special "one-night-only" performance of a revue given recently in London in aid of a charity, the value of the ermine worn by the ladies in the audience was estimated at \$500,000, while the display of jewelry was estimated at \$500,000. Seats were bought for as much as \$1,300 each.

Lengthy Tunnels

The Upsalatta tunnel, not quite two miles long, between Los Andes and Mendoza, is now the longest in South America. The Ralces tunnel now under construction will be about three miles in length. They are both railroad tunnels in the Andes.

Flowers in Poor Soil

Such flowers as the following are suggested for growing where the soil is poor: Love, lily bleeding, prince's feather, Joseph's coat, cape marigold, godetia, dwarf nasturtium, portulaca, scotch pink, sweet nysium, garden balsam and calliopsis.

Keeping Up With the Neighbors

It's the modern wear and tear and strain that is causing so many sudden deaths from heart ailments, physicians have discovered, and usually it's nothing more than the strain of keeping up with the neighbors.—Charlotte News.

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