

GENERAL SEMENOFF FAILS TO GET BAIL

3000 Persons Gather Outside New York Jail.

RESERVES ARE CALLED

Russians Subscribe \$15,000 in Cash, but That Is Not Enough, and Cossack Still Prisoner.

NEW YORK, April 17.—While 3000 persons crowded and pushed against police lines drawn a block away from Ludlow-street jail, waiting for General Gregorie Semenov to get \$25,000 bail and quit his cell, his lawyers and friends today failed for the third time to find a bondsman and the Cossack chieftain faced another night behind the bars.

Russians in the city, with a few from Connecticut and New Jersey, have raised \$15,000 in cash, but bail was set at \$25,000 and Sheriff Nagle said he could not accept a penny less. So the general probably will be missing when the hearing in the proceedings brought by the bankrupt Yournovitch Home & Foreign Trading company is called tomorrow.

About noon the crowds outside the jail became so thick, when word was passed the bail was twice, that special police reserves were called out and went into action.

Steps to hasten procedure against General Semenov were taken today when a writ of certiorari was obtained ordering Sheriff Nagle to appear before a superior court judge.

Cobalan tomorrow morning and explain his right to continue holding the Cossack chieftain in custody.

The issuance of this order does not necessitate the removal of Semenov from prison, as it does not require his presence at the hearing.

BLOW AT SOVIET IS PLANNED

Semenoff Is Declared to Be Planning to Hold Paris Conference.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—Appearing before the senate labor committee today in connection with its inquiry into the Siberian activities of General Gregorie Semenov, now under civil arrest in New York, Commissioner-General Husband of the bureau of immigration told the anti-bolshevik leader had been permitted to enter the United States at Seattle after landing at Vancouver from a steamer which he had boarded at Chinese port and submitted through official documents and messages the suggestion that Semenov intended to go to Paris to meet the Grand Duke Nicholas to lay plans for a revolution against the Russian soviet.

The suggestion of Semenov's plan for going to Paris was contained in a message from Inspector Zurbrik at Vancouver, who stated that the general's testimony before a board of inquiry at Vancouver indicated that he intended during his visits to Washington to establish connections for future use, especially as applying to the development of trade relations.

Semenoff was finally admitted to the United States "for transit purposes" on his trip to Paris and Mr. Husband, through his testimony before the committee, indicated that the immigration authorities had no alternative in the case except "arbitrary disbarment" and were powerless under the law.

IRATE MOONSHINERS MIX

MAN AND WIFE SHOT; ASSAILANT WOUNDED.

Baby Upset on Stove and Badly Burned—Police Find Grape Mash and Two Stills.

PIQUET SOUND BUREAU, Seattle, Wash., April 17.—(Special.)—While their 15-month-old baby Evelyn looked on, Peter Dico, 31, and his wife, Ruth Dico, 21, were shot today by Gregorio Fozio in a neighborhood quarrel. The shooting took place in the Dico home, in the cellar of which the police found 1000 gallons of grape mash and two fully equipped stills. Dico received two bullets through his lungs and Mrs. Dico was shot through the thigh. Fozio, the alleged assailant, got three severe scalp wounds inflicted by Dico in an effort to disarm him.

The baby, Evelyn, was badly injured, having been knocked out of her high chair and against the hot kitchen stove during the melee.

Mrs. Fozio, the wife of Gregorio, told the police that the shooting was the result of a quarrel between the two men over the liquor found in Dico's cellar, in which they were said to have been interested as partners. Other witnesses said that Dico was in the habit of beating his wife and had been warned by Fozio to quit it, not so much out of regard for the wife as because it would lead to police interference and the risk of discovery of the stills and mash.

Disregarding the warnings, Dico broke loose and chased his wife out of the house last Sunday and down the street past the Fozio home, whereupon Fozio remarked to Mrs. Dico that her husband must be drunk again. With wife's forgiveness and loyalty, Mrs. Dico reported this to her husband, and the feud was on. An exchange of threats across the fence was followed, it is alleged, by Fozio's armed invasion of the Dico residence, with results disastrous to all concerned.

TREATY STUNS POWERS

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well accustomed in reparations discussions, namely \$5,000,000,000, thus leaving a large balance in Russia's favor.

Lloyd George, whilst probably willing to allow an offset against the inter-governmental war debts, naturally cannot allow such comprehensive counter-claims, and demands that Russia repeat the formula of debt recognition in accordance with the Cannes resolutions.

Tchitcherine admits in his rejoinder that the precise amount and character of both claims and counter-claims is a proper subject for examination by experts. He proposes, therefore, that it be referred for a report to a mixed commission and that in the meantime discussions as to credits and trade arrangements be proceeded with immediately.

Lloyd George replies, "I can discuss nothing until you have definitely conceded recognition of the debts."

At this point the negotiations have been temporarily broken off for conversations with Moscow. I suppose they are likely to be resumed in a day or two by counter-proposals from Tchitcherine. Meanwhile the position is discouraging.

The only difference is that our statements, learning by experience, now put off for several years the date at which sincerity of intention is to be brought to the test.

Thus we are not asking Russia to pay her debts now. Everyone agrees that would be absurd. We only ask her to "recognize" the debts.

We act as high priests, not debt collectors. The heretics must repeat our creed. It is a religious ceremony, and we are demanding here at Genoa. Tchitcherine pays tribute to Mammon with cheap words, then we are ready to discuss with him serious business.

Payment Not Expected. Russia must recognize her debts in just the same sense of the word that France recognizes her debts to her allies. Germany recognizes her liability for reparations as fixed by the treaty. And there is just about as much likelihood of Russia's paying her theoretical liabilities in 1922 as of France paying hers or Germany paying hers. And everyone knows it.

Genoa, instead of trying to disentangle the endless coil of impossible debt, merely proposes to confuse it further with another heap of silly words. The belief that all this projects and maintains the sacredness of contract is the opposite of truth.

It would be very easy for Tchitcherine to render his service just as Germany does. The year 1922 is a long way off. Lloyd George may be suddenly astonished that he should make any difficulty about it.

What prevents him? Perhaps he has some old-fashioned pride about promising what he does not expect to perform. I do not know him well enough to say and most people will reject the idea.

But in any case he has two good reasons for caution. Even though the inter-allied debt and the reparations bonds have familiarized the peoples of western Europe with scraps of paper, the local inhabitants of Russia are behind the times and might take the matter more seriously.

The revolution has brought them suffering and disillusion, but it has also released them from many things, and amongst others from the huge obligations incurred to the foreigner by the old regime for its own purposes. How can Tchitcherine go home and say:

"I have agreed that after a five years' interval you will owe the foreigner three times as much as the old regime owed him before the war, and in return you will be allowed to buy his goods."

Stand Held Humbly. The suggestion that he should do so is a manifest absurdity. I put this dilemma to the intelligent people of western Europe: Either we mean by our demands that Russia should sincerely mean to pay the liabilities we saddle on her, in which case we are offering no adequate quid pro quo that could induce a sane bolshevik to agree, or the whole thing is a humbug on the same lines and the reparations humbug by insistence on which we may do as much harm as with the latter to ourselves and to the recovery of Europe.

The best hope is, I think, that Tchitcherine will present a counter-proposal which will allow the discussion to develop on new lines. The advantages which Russia is to secure must be considered at the same time as the concession which she is to make.

At present we are asking Russia to hand over her chief card while she is to get when she has done so.

But the counter-proposal must be on realistic lines. Tchitcherine does not intend to go to Paris with himself and his good friends and rubbush about milliards with worse rubbish about more milliards.

I think the best thing tomorrow on the constructive possibilities of the case.

PRESBYTERY SITS TODAY

Three-Day Conference to Be Held at Oregon City Church.

A three-day meeting of the Portland presbytery will open this morning at Oregon City, with Dr. W. H. Nugent, pastor of Central church, this city, as moderator. All of the churches and allied interests in this vicinity will have representation.

Tonight has been given over to Portland, and a banquet will be a big feature. Women of the Presbyterian churches will serve. Among the speakers will be Dr. Harold Leonard Bowman, pastor of First church, Portland, and Dr. Nugent. All of the churches will be held in First church, Oregon City, and all are open to the public.

CLUB MERGER ADVOCATED

Vancouver Realty Board Would Merge Civic Organizations.

TREATY WITH RUSSIA SIGNED BY GERMANY

Full Diplomatic Relations to Be Re-established.

PACT TO BE EXAMINED

Conference May Be Imperiled by Action Which Is Declared by Some to Be Disloyal.

GENOA, April 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—A treaty between Germany and Russia was signed at Rapallo yesterday, the signatories being the foreign ministers of the two countries, George Tchitcherine for Russia and Dr. Walter Rathenau for Germany.

The signing of the treaty between Germany and Russia, which nullifies the Brest-Litovsk treaty, cancels all war claims arising from the nationalization of property, and re-establishes full diplomatic relations between these two countries on a basis of equality, has caused profound astonishment and resentment among the allied delegations.

Experts to See Treaty. The ministers of the powers which convened the conference decided at a meeting held tonight to have a committee of experts examine this afternoon whether it conflicts with the Cannes resolution or the treaty of Versailles.

Subsequently the convening powers will meet with Poland, Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Yugoslavia to ascertain the views of the lesser powers and deal with the report of the experts.

The British and French delegates declared tonight that they considered the signature of the treaty a disloyal act. Apparently it may imperil the conference.

Leaders Are Surprised. It is stated that the signing of the treaty, which took place at Rapallo yesterday, was unknown to the allied leaders, when Delegates Barthou, Schanzer and Thunberg met this afternoon to consider the reply which the Russians might make to the conditions imposed on that country, but as soon as the delegates learned of the treaty, their programme was changed, and the situation, which is considered extremely grave, was fully discussed.

M. Barthou, head of the French delegation, is seeking further instructions from his government at Paris, and declared that he would not sit beside Russians in semi-official meetings.

The situation is so critical that the most prominent delegates are reserving their opinion until after the experts examine the new document, which is generally regarded in allied circles as an infringement of the Genoa agenda, because it has to do with reparations and affects existing treaties.

PACT CALLED STAB IN BACK

Germans Declared to Have Broken Spirits of Cannes Resolutions.

GENOA, April 17.—Henry Wickham Stead, editor of the London Times, referring to the Russo-German treaty in a dispatch to his paper, declared that the Germans have violated the Cannes resolutions and "have stabbed the conference in the back."

"The Russians," he adds, "thus wish to smack the allies in the face and at the same time try to force their hands with regard to debt recognition and cancellation of debts."

The Germans, continues the writer, justify their conduct by pleading that they were invited to participate in a general conference on a footing of equality, but have been thrust aside, while the convening powers negotiated privately with the bolsheviks. He believes that neither Mr. Lloyd George nor the French delegates knew of the signing of the treaty before 4 o'clock in the afternoon and asserts that by the first article Germany recognizes the bolshevik government de jure.

BURROS ARE LOOKOUTS

Moonshiners Train Animals to Stampede When Agents Appear.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—Texas bootleggers are training burros to stampede in order to give warning of approaching prohibition agents, according to reports received today by Commissioner Haynes.

The educated burros do not actually recognize the agents as dry-law enforcement officers, the reports declared, but are trained to stampede at the approach of any strangers.

This is done, the report explained, by the bootleggers feeding them sugar and then having accomplices give them a taste of the substitute causing severe pains in the stomach.

"Consequently," the reports add, "the animal becomes skeptical of the police."

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TWO THOUGHT DEAD SAFE

Supposed Flood Victims Found Clinging to Tree-top.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., April 7.—Mourned for hours as the first to lose their lives in the flood which has held this city in its grip for two weeks, Grover Dodds, 22, of Beardstown, and J. L. Lower Jr., a farmer, were rescued tonight from a tree-top in which they had clung four hours after their boat capsized.

They were nearly exhausted from exposure.

BOTTLE SMASHER FINED.

BEND, OR., April 17.—(Special.)—Charged with breaking glass on a public thoroughfare, "Chuck" Jennings, cowpuncher, was fined \$75 in police court here this afternoon. He had smashed a quart bottle of liquor on the sidewalk when ordered to halt according to Chief of Police Houston. Jack Milliron, charged with

selling liquor, entered a plea of not guilty and will be given his hearing Wednesday.

RIDGEFIELD OFFENDER PUNISHED.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 17.—(Special.)—Lawrence Fleming of Ridgefield, who celebrated Easter by imbibing too freely of moonshine and became drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to ten days in the county jail and fined \$50 by Fred Herbert, justice of the peace at Ridgefield, today.

REDUCED ROUND-TRIP FARES

On and After Saturday, April 15

OREGON ELECTRIC RY.

Tickets on Sale Daily—Return Limit Seven Days After Sale.

ALBANY	\$4.20
BEAVERTON	60
CORNELIUS	 1.35
CORVALLIS	 4.80
DONALD	 1.60
EUGENE	 6.65
FOREST GROVE	 1.50
HARRISBURG	 5.65
HILLSBORO	 1.15
JUNCTION CITY	 5.85
ORENCO	95
SALEM	 2.75
TIGARD	80
TUALATIN	80
WILSONVILLE	 1.25
WOODBURN	 1.95

Proportionate round-trip fares to all other stations south and west of Garden Home.

These fares apply in both directions.

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Third and Washington Sts., North Bank Station, Fourth and Stark Sts., Seaside Hotel, Fifth and Harrison Sts., Jefferson Street Station.

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Poslam nothing better for pimples

The sensitive skin of a young girl or boy has every little blemish—even that extra ice-cream soda—has its immediate effect in the form of a crop of pimples. But the trouble skin responds just as quickly to a touch of Poslam applied at bedtime or occasionally during the day.

Its persistent use, with good thorough cleanings with Poslam Soap, should keep the skin in a condition of which any girl may well be proud. Not only the "subtle" but her big sister as well can profit by this treatment.

50¢ all druggists

Lipman Wolfe & Co.

"Merchandise of Merit Only"

"Million Dollar Drive" Begun

Spectacular, Masterful Merchandising— Tremendous Campaign for a Million-Dollar Increase Here in 1922

—Projected and conducted by the new "Million-Dollar Club" formed by the Lipman, Wolfe buyers and other executives, this "Million-Dollar Drive" assumes an aspect that is extraordinary from every angle.

—Never has a store so reliable as Lipman, Wolfe's afforded a more remarkable demonstration of special selling. Here now are wondrous bargains and a host of bargains—just standard merchandise, and the things meeting present needs and wishes.

—Come today, if you can—the sooner the better—for some of the lots will go in a hurry. The following bargains, for instance:

American and English semi-porcelain dinner sets—

discontinued patterns---priced at one-third off

Draperies and Rugs---Odd lots at 1-3 to 1-2 Off

Luggage---trunks, suitcases and bags half price

Boys' "Manhattan" Wash Suits---special \$1.95

Polly Prim aprons, Jumper aprons and coverall

aprons---"Million Dollar Drive" sale price 69c

Stamped art needlework at one-third to one-half off

Corsets at half and less than half price---at \$3.65

All pattern hats---none excepted---now half price

Silk-and-wool canton crepe---39 to 40 inch---\$2.98

"Kayser" Mercerized Union Suits---Sale price \$1.65

"Princess May" and "Richelieu" union suits at 85c

Pure thread silk hose and full-fashioned wool

hose in heather mixtures---the sale price \$1

Men's pongee shirts with collars to match \$4.50

Men's "Porosknit" union suits---sale price \$1.10

Franklin "Fashionknit" silk ties---1-3 off---at \$1.95

—This Store Uses No Comparative Prices—They Are Misleading and Often Untrue—

strangers and stampedes at their approach.

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