

FOES BOOST SOVIET, SAYS RED PREMIER

Crisis Declared Helpful to Internationale.

LEAGUE FAILURE IS CITED

Collapse of Entire Capitalistic System Predicted—Red Representation Is Growing.

MOSCOW, July 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Nikolai Lenin, the soviet premier, speaking at the opening session of the third internationale Monday, stated that the world's economic crisis and the failure of the league of nations to reconcile and unite the interests of capitalist governments were the most important factors promoting the aims of the third internationale, one of which was to consolidate and organize world revolution.

After Lenin's address, in which he declared among other things that the entire capitalistic system of the world was threatened with collapse and that the league of nations contributed to communism, the internationale adopted a resolution calling on the workers of all nations to institute an economic blockade of Poland.

Lenin pointed out that even in countries where there were the most favorable conditions, such as America, Japan and England, the increase in the cost of living was disproportionate to the rise in wages and declared that those who benefited in all countries were an infinitely small proportion of the population.

Deportation Held Futile.

The deportation of 600 communists from America would not help the capitalistic regime while need among the laboring classes was increasing and capitalists were continuing to enrich themselves at the expense of the workers, the premier continued. The working classes were ripe for a broad revolutionary movement and the task of this internationale was to consolidate and organize world revolution, he said.

The collapse of the entire capitalistic system was threatened, Lenin said, owing to the impossibility of settling war debts without involving many countries in economic ruin and because of the hopelessness of reconstruction under a capitalistic regime. English economists such as Kent, he declared, had already advanced the idea that annulment of war debts was necessary for the re-establishment of international credit.

The league of nations, a prey to international dissensions, had furnished no protection to small nationalities, he asserted, and the imperialistic governments were placing the defeated nations in the position of colonies. Lenin cited the differences that had arisen with regard to the fate of Turkey. Thus, he said, the activities of the league of nations had facilitated the work of the communist internationale.

Red Representation Grows.

The premier pointed to the representation in the internationale for the first time of colonies, dependencies and "oppressed nations," which he declared was significant. Experience was being gained, he added, that non-capitalistic countries, such as those of Asia, were fertile fields for soviet doctrines.

Regarding international organization Lenin asserted that the social democrats were the most serious obstacle to the development of revolutionary power as a means of service to all countries, as it had been shown that they were enemies of the working class.

RED INVASION THREATENS HUNGARY BLAMES AUSTRIA FOR EXISTING CONDITIONS.

Count Paul Teleky Tells National Assembly Bolshevik Plan to Overrun Europe.

BUDAPEST, July 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—"A new earthquake in the form of a bolshevik invasion is threatening Europe," Count Paul Teleky said in the national assembly, convoked today to hear the statement of the new government, of which the count is premier. "The red offensive, the boycott and Bela Kun's escape indicate the red scheme to overrun Europe. We hold the Austrian government responsible for the boycott and also for the escape of the commissaries.

"Hungary regards herself as the fortress of the west against the Russians. If Poland is doomed to fall, the banner of Christian democracy will be defended by the Magyars. We want peace with our neighbors and are therefore accepting gratefully France's offer to act as intermediary. "If the territorial clauses of the peace treaty were revived there would be a chance of economic agreement leading to the reconstruction of eastern Europe."

BIG STRIKE POSSIBILITY

Coal Mine Situation in Central Field Held Serious.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 24.—Possibility of a general strike of bituminous coal miners throughout the central competitive field was revealed in a statement here tonight by John T. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, regarding the strike in progress in the Illinois field.

Any settlement of the Illinois strike which would modify the basic interstate agreement under which the miners of the central field are now working would result in action by the national officers to enforce an immediate shutdown of all the bituminous mines, involving a strike of 210,000 men, Mr. Lewis said.

FAWN FLEES TO YARD

Frightened Animal Turned Into Park With Old Doc.

ALBANY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—While a thunder storm was raging in the hills of the upper Calapooya valley last Tuesday a frightened ewe ran into the barnyard of John McKecheer of Crawfordville and began to fraternize with a cow. The baby deer was not only frightened but very hungry, and the theory is that someone had killed its mother and was left to shift for itself.

Mr. McKecheer fed the fawn and

REDS TO BE HUSTLED OUT

Speedy Exit for Bunch of Alien Radicals Proposed.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Thirty-five of the 43 aliens brought to Ellis Island from western and middle cities are to be deported because of their radical activities, Immigration Commissioner Wallis announced tonight. Four of them, he said, were rushed to an outboard vessel and sent to their native land.

Referring to the remaining "undesirables," Commissioner Wallis said he planned "to make quick work of these bolshevik deportees."

The deportees were brought here in

KELSO BUSINESS MAN DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.



Philip Richter, well-known merchant of Portland and Kelso, Wash., who died last Monday.

Philip Richter, 58, who was engaged in the mercantile business for many years in Portland and Kelso, Wash., died at his residence, 568 Sixth street, July 19. His death followed an illness of but a few days.

Mr. Richter was born in Ostraw, Poland, and emigrated to the United States in 1878 at the age of 16, coming to Portland in 1885. In 1900 he moved to Kelso, Wash., where he opened up a general merchandise store and was actively engaged in this business until the time of his last illness.

Mr. Richter was a member of Kelso lodge, No. 94, A. F. and A. M., an active member of Kelso chapter, No. 28, Eastern Star; a member of the Scottish Rite and Al Kader Shrine of this city; a member of Villa lodge, I. O. O. F., and a Rebekah.

His wife, Rosa Hirschfeld Richter, and three children, Morris, Ruth and Sarah, survive.

special cars from San Francisco, Seattle, Kansas City, Chicago and other western cities.

Irish Commissioner Visits Here.

Peter Golden, American commissioner on Irish independence, arrived in Portland Friday night for a brief stay here and a conference with Dr. Andrew C. Smith, state chairman of the movement in Oregon. Mr. Golden is on a tour of the northwest and expects to leave today for Seattle. He will return to Portland later, however.

Canadian Track Team Sails.

MONTREAL, July 24.—The track and field team which is to represent Canada in the Olympic games sailed for Liverpool today.

GRODNO EVACUATED BY BOLSHEVIK ARMY

Poles Report Success Also South of Pripet.

4 TOWNS REPORTED TAKEN

Favorable Turn in Battle With Enemy Cavalry in Region of Dubno Also Announced.

WARSAW, July 24.—Grodno has been evacuated by the bolsheviks, following upon the capture of the Grodno forts on the south bank of the Nieman, according to an official Polish communication issued today.

"South of the Pripet," adds the communication, "our troops have counter-attacked, driving the enemy from Rezytsa, Kachuka, Vola and Jexerow. Upon the line of the Stry to the south of this region, the enemy after heavy losses in fruitless attacks remains passive.

"In the region of Dubno and in the neighborhood of Grodno, the battle with enemy cavalry has taken a favorable turn. Large forces of the enemy which had succeeded in crossing the Shechara river in the region of Slonim continue their attacks in the neighborhood of Rozany."

GERMANS CONSIDER DEFENSE

Emergency Measures Are Ordered by President Ebert.

BERLIN, July 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Because of the Russo-Polish fighting close to the east Prussian border line and the possibility of encroachments on German neutrality by the belligerents or fugitives, President Ebert issued a decree today ordering that constitutional emergency measures be enforced immediately for the defense of that province.

The civil governor of East Prussia reported that an attack there was unlikely but that developments were being watched closely.

The governor pointed out that precautionary measures were made difficult by the fact that permission for German troops to enter the region had not yet been granted by the inter-allied commission. Meantime, he said, the local security police and mounted detachments were being reinforced and were acting as frontier guards.

He expressed the belief that they would suffice to render first aid in case of frontier encroachments.

Furthermore, the governor reported reichwehr troops had been concentrated at what was regarded as the danger point.

SOVIET FAVORS ARMISTICE

Poland Notified of Order to Begin Negotiations.

LONDON, July 24.—The soviet of Russia today notified Poland that the soviet army commanders had been ordered to begin immediately negotiations for an armistice. It is announced in a wireless demand from Moscow today.

The following telegram was dispatched by George Tchitcherine, Russian soviet minister, to Prince Sapieha, the Polish foreign minister, at Warsaw at 1:15 o'clock this morning.

The Russian soviet government has given orders to the supreme command of the Red army to commence immediately with the Polish military command negotiations for the purpose of concluding an armistice and preparing for future peace between the two countries. The Russian com-

mand will advise the Polish command as to the place and date for commencing negotiations between the military commands of the two sides."

Another message read: "The supreme command of the Red army has received the order of the soviet government to enter into negotiations with the Polish military command on the questions of an armistice and peace between Russia and Poland. The supreme command will send by representatives furnished with full power to a place which will be indicated to you by the command of the Russian front, who will inform you of the place and date when the Polish representatives will be invited to attend."

Russia's reply to Poland's application for armistice negotiations brings in sight a possible solution of one of the most serious crises which Europe has had to face since the conclusion of the armistice with the Germans in November, 1918.

The official world of allied Europe has been stirred to its depths and undisguisedly alarmed over the sweep of the soviet armies through territory held by the Poles and the Germans in Poland proper, with a menace to Warsaw and the virtual wiping out of Poland as a nation loomed for the allies as possibilities if measures were not taken to head them off by giving efficient and speedy aid to the Warsaw government.

Reds Declared Discouraged.

WARSAW, July 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Lemberg newspapers assert that bolshevik officers in the Lemberg hospital admit the present bolshevik offensive is a final effort, which will not continue for more than a fortnight, as the reds are demoralized and discouraged.

SUPPLIES ON INCREASE

WHOLESALE PRICES NOT HIGHER, SAYS U. S. BUREAU.

Potatoes, \$2 a Barrel Above Last Year's Cost, Recorded as the Only Exception.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Fruits and all forms of garden truck are now on markets in supplies between 10 and 15 per cent greater than during the same period in 1919, the United States bureau of markets reported today.

"Contrary to the general impression among consumers," the bureau declared, "wholesale prices of fruits and vegetables are not now higher than last year.

"Potatoes are an important exception, being still about \$2 a barrel higher than in most cities a year ago." Potato prices have been dropping rapidly, the review continued, in the face of increasing supplies from all sections.

BLAINE NOT CANDIDATE

Irrigation Expert Says He Has No Desire to Be Governor.

YAKIMA, Wash., July 24.—E. F. Blaine, president of the Washington Irrigation Institute, asked today regarding a report that he was a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor, said he was not and would not be a candidate.

"I can do more good for the state by promoting irrigation development than by running for governor," he said.

Carload of Fish to Be Planted.

SALLEM, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Word was received here today that another carload of Rainbow trout from the state fish hatchery at Bonneville hatchery will arrive tomorrow for planting in the little north fork of the Santiam river. The fish will be distributed from Lyons, the railroad station nearest the stream in which they are to be planted. The fish were obtained through the efforts of William A. Taylor of McLay.

FREIGHT RATES TO RISE

PORTLAND - SEATTLE HAUL SOARS 49 CENTS A HUNDRED.

North Pacific Coast Bureau Files Tariff of Proposed Advances With Service Body.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Freight rates are due for a big jump in Western Washington, according to information received today by the chamber of commerce from the public service commission of Washington. The present rate between Seattle and Portland is 37 1/2 cents and it is proposed to raise this to 86 1/2 cents per hundred. The present rate between Vancouver and Seattle is 27 1/2 cents and it is proposed to raise it to 84 cents.

The following circular was sent out by the public service commission: For your information the North Pacific coast freight bureau, representing the principal railroads of this state, has filed tariff No. 1-A, effective August 25, 1920, increasing class and commodity rates between all stations west of the Cascade mountains.

This tariff is too voluminous to attempt to list the changes. For example, the first class rates between Seattle and various distributive points in western Washington are increased as follows:

Between Seattle and—	Pre-war	Present
Portland, Or.	37 1/2	86 1/2
Chehalis, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Centralia, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Aberdeen, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Hoquiam, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Olympia, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Tacoma, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Everett, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Bellingham, Wash.	45	87 1/2
Vancouver, Wash.	27 1/2	84

Corresponding increases apply to other classes as well as to special and distance commodity rates applying to food products, fuel and various other commercial products, including ar-

ticles of manufacture and the classification thereof, in addition to the cancellation of certain commodity rates now in effect. Evidently it is the intention of the tariff to place rates in western Washington on somewhat the same level as applies in other portions of the state.

The North Pacific coast freight bureau has also filed proof copy of its proposed tariff No. 29, naming increased commodity and distance rates on saw logs, carloads, between stations on the lines of the principal railroads operating in Washington, Oregon and Idaho, and increasing the minimum carload weights applicable in connection therewith, in addition to the cancellation of various special rates now in effect.

This notice is given as a means of notifying parties who may be affected by the proposed rates in the event of desire to challenge same."

Albany Church Honors Pastor.

ALBANY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—For Rev. W. P. White, who has served as its pastor for more than 19 years,

the United Presbyterian church of Albany gave a big reception last night. Dr. White recently resigned the pastorate to become regional director for the Pacific coast of the Moody Bible institute of Chicago, and last night's event was a farewell expression of appreciation for his services to the church.

Hen Lays at 4 Months of Age.

ALBANY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—A pullet belonging to Mrs. S. B. Penny of this city has begun laying eggs at the age of four months and eight days and its owner believes it has established a record for early laying. It is a single comb White Leghorn pullet.

Picnic to Be Held Today.

ALBANY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—The Albany council of the Knights of Columbus will hold its annual picnic in Bryant park here tomorrow afternoon. The members of the Corvallis council have been invited to participate in the event.

THOMAS MEIGHAN

"The PRINCE CHAP"

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THE FEATURE

The famous star of the "Miracle Man" and "Male and Female," in a story of "Bohemian" love. It brims over with sparkle, life, the thrill of a wonderful love and the glamor of an artist's studio — all woven into a great story. It's another revelation of Thomas Meighan's wonderful acting ability. The supporting cast is composed of well-known stars.

THE FILLERS

- "IN AND OUT OF KANGOSAN" A Chester-Outing with Catherine Hilliker Titles.
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- "TANGO DANCERS" A Mutt and Jeff Frolic.

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