

YOUNG SOLDIERS OF MISFORTUNE TURN ON SPAIN

(By United News) New York, Nov. 16.—Eighty-three young volunteers who enlisted as generals in the foreign legion of Spain to fight in the somewhat sporadic war with the Moors are back in New York, searching for the Moorish consul, if such there be, to offer their fighting services to the other side of the row.

It is no breach of military confidence to say that these four score and three soldiers of misfortune are off the Spanish army and Spain and olive oil and all the things even remotely related thereto like the buttons off a laundered shirt.

COMMISSIONS SOUGHT Early in September they sailed away from New York on board the Antonio Lopez, shouting "Viva el Toro" and other sturdy Spanish war cries, to accept high commissioned rank in the Spanish foreign legion, and mop up those Moors, who were then making themselves obnoxious to the Spanish high command.

The steamship Montevideo brought them back to Europe with the notable exception of Italy, who signed as a brigadier, and who was offered the rating of a private in the rear rank at 40 cents a day with the privilege of buying his own ammunition, uniform and rifle; A. L. Marquard, a Canadian combat flyer, who was to be commander in chief of the expeditionary force, and who was offered an air marshal, and who was offered similar inducements to slaughter the Moors; Joseph Busso, late lieutenant of the royal Italian army, who was willing to be a colonel and who found the legion overstocked with all ranks except that of private.

CAPTAIN'S HOPES DASHED Captain Donald Grant, organizer of the expedition of 145 men when it sailed for Spain, in the seven others, were the only ones who enlisted on the Spanish terms. The 83 came back here and the other 57 are now hobnobbing through all parts of Europe with the notable exception of Spain. Captain Grant was to have been some sort of field marshal on the original terms, but at last reports he has turned his way up to the rank of lance corporal.

The Spanish explained briefly that the temperamental Spanish soldier would not submit to command by officers of alien birth. With the notable exception of the Spaniards in the entire expeditionary force of 62,000 rifles.

SHOOT IN SELF DEFENSE The theory of the Spaniards seems to be not to shoot except in self defense, and not even then if the running is good," explained George Dimond of New York, twice decorated for valor in the great war. "You buy your own ammunition and if you fire two rounds—bang, bang, goes a day's pay."

With the Moors in a mean frame of mind, General Dimond figured it out that in 10 years he would have the Spanish government enough to pay off the indemnity of 1898, so he resigned by stealth, leaving the barracks swiftly but quietly in the dark of the moon.

As there is no such person as a Moorish consul the legionnaires, very much athirst for Spanish gold, are threatening to invade the lower west side and clean out the chateaux carne restaurants.

Hood River Hospital Committee Named Hood River, Nov. 16.—The Tuesday Lunch club, which proposed the building of a community hospital for Hood River county, has appointed the following permanent committee: E. O. Blanchard, chairman; Truman Butler, Hugh G. Ball, C. F. McCullough and A. M. Cannon. With a donation of approximately \$5000 from Miss A. M. Spring and the assurance of county-wide support, the new committee will cooperate with the Legion committee, comprising Vent Shoesmaker, Fortham Vimbail and Fred Bell. These two organizations will shortly call for committees of all other organizations in the county and definite plans for financing the hospital will be made public.

Railway Officials Confer on Terminal L. C. Gilman, vice president of the Great Northern railway, and Judge George T. Reid, assistant to the president of the Northern Pacific, conferred with W. F. Turner, president of the C. & P. S. Tuesday. The meeting was held in connection with routine matters regarding the final contract for the use of terminals of the Northern Pacific Terminal company.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS FOUND North Bend, Nov. 16.—A well defined case of infantile paralysis has been discovered at Bay Park, the case of the 1-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sawyer.

Bend to Burns Mail Service Petition to Be Asked in Budget

Burns and Sunitex (Silver-Creek) in Harney county have prepared petitions asking for provision in the 1922 post-office budget for the funds with which to establish mail service from Bend to Burns. The petitions have been received by the State Chamber of Commerce and will be forwarded to the post-office department.

Traffic Managers Answer Charges by Service Commission

In reply to the letter of the public service commission intimating that the railroads of Oregon have shown bad faith in connection with the reduction of freight rates on intrastate traffic, the traffic managers sent a joint letter to the commission making public charges about conditions which have never been complained of to the company. The commission can cooperate to bring about a condition whereby lower freight rates can be restored, the letter avers.

Boys Face Trial on Charge of Carting Away Player Piano

Exhibit A. in larceny case against Jack Fugate, Chester Friend and Benford Fickles—one full grown, player piano, value \$1000. The three lads are now in the city jail facing charges of larceny of a piano. The musical instrument is in a warehouse at 331 Ankeny street, where it was brought in a transfer wagon operated by George La Fontaine. The three boys tried to sell the piano to the warehouse manager for \$200.

He became suspicious and called the police. Inspectors Coleman and Collins traced the piano through its recent vicissitudes and learned that first, it was bought by a man living in an apartment house at Kolha avenue and Brainerd street. The man failed to make payments to Kohler & Chase, who sold the piano. Later he moved away, leaving the instrument in the apartment house. The accused lads moved it from there to the warehouse.

Fabulous Salary Is Offered Arbuckle To Play in Europe

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—(I. N. S.)—"Fatty" Arbuckle has but to sign on the dotted line, and presto, change! A big fat contract with salaries as thick as molasses, is slowly oozing out of the European barrel.

Pioneer Merchant of Walla Walla Dies

Walla Walla, Wash., Nov. 16.—After a week's serious illness, Fred W. Kaaser, 52, pioneer merchant of this city, died this morning. He came to Walla Walla in 1837 and after serving and operating mercantile establishments here for several years, became a partner in the Davis-Kaaser department store here. He had been secretary-treasurer of the company for 25 years. He was a member of the Elks lodge and belonged to the Washington commandery of the Knights Templar lodge here and the El Klautf temple of the Shriners. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Masonic lodge Friday afternoon.

Parents Criticize Bend School Board

Bend, Nov. 16.—An attempt made by the Parents' association to bring charges before the school board in circuit court, was brought to light here Monday when County Superintendent Thompson stated that the board had no right to regard a petition asking that it institute such proceedings.

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Trinidad, Colo., Nov. 16.—(I. N. S.)—Notices of a wage reduction averaging 30 per cent were posted today in coal-mines of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company in Las Animas and Huerfano counties. The cut affects approximately 3500 men. In a statement issued by the company it was declared that no strike breakers would be imported and that if the men quit work the properties would be closed until they were ready to return.

AMERICANS READY WITH FORMULA ON FAR EAST ISSUES

PLAN ON FAR EAST (Copyright 1921 by United News) Washington, Nov. 16.—America, it is reliably reported, has a concrete program for settlement of Far Eastern questions. The framework of the program for settlement of Far Eastern questions was recently outlined in the United States.

1.—A set of principles providing for the political integrity of China and Russia, and the "open door," for equal commercial rights and opportunities for all nations in the Orient.

2.—Substitution for the present Anglo-Japanese alliance of an understanding covering the application of these principles by the powers interested in the Pacific, including China, Russia's interests are to be under trusteeship of the conference powers.

3.—Establishment of an international tribunal to pass upon questions involved in the application of the new understanding.

By Robert J. Bender United News Staff Correspondent. (Copyright, 1921, by United News) Washington, Nov. 16.—America will take the initiative in setting forth principles for solution of Far Eastern questions, even as she did in armament limitation. Secretary Hughes' procedure, however, will be different in that the advance at least toward this intricate problem will be made behind closed doors.

Expectancy over a Far Eastern formula, aroused by Hughes' bold stroke of Saturday, was followed by disappointment and uncertainty in some quarters, when Hughes and other delegates remained silent on this phase of the conference at Tuesday's open session.

JAPAN AWAITS HUGHES Reports that Japan would take the initiative on this question met with the reply that Japan could not afford to put forth her offer before Hughes, because however conciliatory it might be on the distressing questions involved, there would be the chance that it might create a furor of opposition and wreck the chance for ultimate settlement.

READY WITH CONCESSIONS As one authority expressed himself to the writer, "there exists today as good a chance for a satisfactory solution of Pacific problems as for a successful working out of the American naval proposal—if discussion is confined to quiet exchanges of views and there isn't too much fireworks. All interested parties are ready to meet on the conference are ready with enough concessions to ensure its success, providing there is no outside interference."

PROBLEM IS DELICATE Because such application, however, would involve relaxation by Japan of certain political and commercial holds she now has upon China and Russia, the problem is one of extreme international delicacy, and cannot be approached with the abruptness, it is contended, that instituted the naval program, which was relatively free from any such delicate matters.

ASSURANCE TO JAPAN So the procedure in discussion of Pacific problems will be established with an eye to assuring Japan of the full cooperation of all the powers in meeting questions which, Japan feels, place her assistance as a first class power at stake.

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EARLIER LIFE OF MILLIONAIRE IS REVEALED IN SUIT

Chicago, Nov. 16.—(I. N. S.)—A pile of golden dollars, amassed under a name that was not his own, has brought about litigation over the estate of John K. Stewart, founder and president of the Stewart-Warner Speedometer company, and has revealed the "skeleton" of an early adventurous career.

Mr. Robert E. Honeyman Jr. of New York, daughter of the late millionaire manufacturer of automobile accessories, is suing for an accounting of the estate from I. H. Lachance, chairman of the board of directors of the Stewart-Warner company and trustee of the Stewart estate. Mrs. Honeyman is the sole living heir to the estate, which is valued at more than \$5,000,000. She charges incompetence and mismanagement on the part of Lachance.

Investigations resulting from the litigation have revealed that Stewart's real name was Terence O'Brien. In his early youth he followed county fairs and, with two other men, invented a machine for clipping horses. O'Brien later used his own name, under which his speedometer was marketed. He left the West, moved to Chicago, and amassed a fortune under that name.

Uncle Sam Looks Out for Tourists In Resort Plans For the building of a resort at Union creek on the Crater lake road from Medford, the United States forest service will grant a special use permit to the bidder who makes the best offer from the standpoint of handling tourist traffic. The resort site is just opposite the forest in charge of recreation, announced today.

Disabled Veterans' Official Is Visitor Ralph A. Horr of Seattle, senior vice commander of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, arrived today for the purpose of investigating hospitals and the condition of disabled men needing medical attention in Portland. Horr stated that there are approximately 700 veterans in Portland who are in need of hospital care. The total number in the four Northwestern states exceeds \$500, according to Horr.

TEACHER TESTIFIES Miss Jean DeWitte, a school teacher, said she borrowed \$500 from a Salem bank to purchase her claim, which she has had to repay. Miss Margaret Power, another teacher, borrowed \$500 from her parents to get in on the deal, she said. Miss DeWitte also invested \$500, and so did P. J. Koonz, an attorney.

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Play in Allegory Routs Forces Who Oppose 1925 Fair

A lusty blow in behalf of civil enterprise was delivered on the part of Old Man Gloom at the Portland Ad Club luncheon Wednesday at the Benson hotel, after that worthy, aided and abetted by a crew of croaking henchmen, made a determined attack on the Ad club forces advancing the standards of the 1925 fair.

MESENGER CONFESSES Charges of larceny were placed against Cecil Bladson, Western Union messenger, who admitted to the police Tuesday that he planned a fake holdup with another man in order to divide \$200 of the company's money, according to the police. Police are looking for the companion.

PROWLERS GET \$50 Prowlers stole \$50 from the room of Alfred Thompson, Columbia hotel, early Tuesday morning. Entrance was gained with a pass key.

Confirm Caviness Surveyor General

Washington, Nov. 16.—(U. P.)—The senate late Tuesday confirmed the nomination of Robert Lewis of Colorado, United States circuit judge, Eighth circuit; Wesley W. Caviness of Vale, Or., to be surveyor general of Oregon, and John A. Gilduly of Lewiston, Mont., receiver of public moneys at Lewiston.

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