

WOODS TACKLES JOB OF AIDING WORKLESS MEN

"Race Against Misery" is Description of Task Faced in U. S.

Organization Patterned on 1921 Plan Suggested By Administrator

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The renewed efforts of the government to aid the nation's unemployed took more definite form tonight as President Hoover and the man he has named to direct the activities—Col. Arthur Woods of New York—conferred at the White House.

Col. Woods arrived late in the day and went directly to the executive mansion where the president called him in his office. Later he called upon Secretary Lamont at the latter's home. Describing the situation as a "race against human misery," the new administrator said the government "must and will win." He asserted that the problem would be met with all the information and vigor that he can summon and that he and the president's cabinet committee of seven would try to take immediately the steps needed to meet the situation.

He had accepted the post in which he will serve without pay only yesterday and declined to discuss particulars of the organization to be set up until he conferred with associations tomorrow. An organization similar to that which he directed in 1921 at the instance of President Harding is to be established, Col. Woods indicated, with changes to meet new conditions.

He said most of the work of the government probably would be in the coordination of local activities, and that plans would be adapted to the varying needs of different sections of the country. The organizations already set up throughout the country has made the task easier, he said.

While the cabinet committee awaited the coming of Col. Woods to assist the relief operations, Secretary Day at the labor department greeted a group gathered to assist in the statistical study of employment and economic matters which the government conducts.

He warned them, that they would be asked to lay down some method of determining to what degree the displacing of human labor by advanced machine designs or improved processes had contributed to unemployment.

Engineer Killed As Trains Crash

CLEVELAND, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Harvey Chase, 46, Cleveland, engineer on a Nickel Plate railroad switch engine, was killed and two members of his crew injured tonight when the engine and tender backed into the rear end of a standing Erie freight train in the Erie yards here.

Oregon Briefs

DON'T TOUCH IT!

ASTORIA, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Employer of a local laundry found a curious object in a pair of boy's trousers here today. No one knew what it was and laundry mechanics started to "dissect" it.

Just then Officer E. O. Hanson came along. Hanson had seen service with the A. E. F. and recognized the instrument as a hand grenade.

The boy in whose trouser pocket the grenade was found had picked it up after a recent fire in the armory here.

LAD HURT BEFORE

HEPPNER, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—School authorities, physicians and members of the youth's family today denied Elmer Hoke, Heppner high school athlete, died from injuries received in a football game between Heppner and Hermiston.

It was said Hoke suffered a skull injury about a year ago and his death was attributed to complications caused by that injury.

CONFERENCE OPENS

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—The regional conference of the Parent-Teachers' association opened here today. Mrs. William T. Eric, Portland, president of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, presided. Committee reports occupied the day and a banquet was scheduled for tonight. Textbook legislation will be discussed tomorrow.

BEAUTIFICATION AID

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—The Oregon federation of garden clubs has prepared an exhibit for display at the Pacific International Livestock exposition which opens here Saturday.

Senator Under Knife; Better



Senator James Couzens was operated on at Harper hospital, Detroit, for the removal of bladder stones. The Senator's condition is reported satisfactory, but he will remain in the hospital for at least three weeks.

BRYANT SENTENCE HELD TOO SEVERE

Lawyers say Demonstration By Student Prejudiced Case Against Slayer

Commutation of the life sentence imposed on Lanza Bryant, slayer of Louis M. Stickers, assistant football coach at Oregon State college two years ago, was sought in a letter received at the executive department here Wednesday from Weatherford and Wyatt, Albany attorneys.

Bryant was received at the state penitentiary here April 1, 1928, and has since been employed in the prison shops. The attorneys asked that the life sentence be reduced to from one to 15 years, which is the penalty carried in manslaughter cases.

Testimony offered at the trial (Turn to page 2, col. 7)

James Quest to Be Abandoned on Friday, Report

After more than two weeks of fruitless effort, searchers for Emery W. "Cherry" James will abandon the search tomorrow unless some clue to his whereabouts is found, officials at the police station here announced yesterday. Searchers have long since abandoned hope that James would be found alive.

The search was continued without a stop since James was last about noon, Monday, October 6, in a mountain district south and east of Roseburg. James, 65 years of age, is known to have suffered some from a heart ailment and it is thought that a sudden attack may have ended his life as he hunted in the mountains.

Live Grenade in Wash Football Isn't Cause Parent-Teachers Meet Garden Clubs Exhibit

The exhibit is directed toward improvement of the appearance of Oregon highways. One section, entitled "Before," shows a large signboard obscuring the scenery. A man is shown mounting a ladder in an effort to see the scenery beyond the signboard. The "After" section shows the signboard removed and a typical Oregon scene with trees, waterfall and shrubs is brought into view.

MURDER-SUICIDE

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Mrs. Ida Mullens, 43, and her daughter, Alma, 8, were found dead in bed in their apartment here today. All gas jets in the apartment were open.

The bodies were discovered by William Hight, manager of the apartment, who broke in the door when he smelled gas. A note found beside Mrs. Mullens said ill health was responsible for her act. John Mullens, her husband, employed at Canby, was notified and returned to Portland.

DEBATORS CHOSEN

EUGENE, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Announcement was made here today that Robert Coffey, Eugene, and Errol Sloan, Coquille, have been selected to represent the University of Oregon in a debate with the National Students Union team of England. The debate will be held here November 12.

GAME MEN TO MEET

EUGENE, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—All members of the state game commission and all department heads of the commission will be here for a sportsmen's meeting on October 29. The meeting is sponsored by the Lane county game protective association.

EXPORT GAINS FOLLOW AFTER HIGHER TARIFF

Figures to That Effect are Presented by Curtis in Pueblo Talk

New law Should be Given a Fair Trial, Asserted By Campaigner

PUEBLO, Colo., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Assailing predictions of injury to American foreign trade as a result of tariff revision, Vice-President Curtis tonight quoted figures which he said showed a gain since adoption of the Fordney-McCumber act in 1922.

Carrying into Colorado his extensive campaign speaking trip which began in the east and took him into a number of the central states, the vice-president refrained from discussing in detail conditions under the new tariff act "since the measure has not been in operation long enough to determine its true merits."

"The new law," he said, "should be given a fair trial, with full understanding that if some rates are too high or too low they can be remedied under the flexible provisions of the act."

"In my opinion the new flexible provisions will greatly speed up relief through the tariff commission if and when relief is necessary.

"Our democratic friends, disregarding the facts, have wrongly contended that by our policy of protection we have injured our foreign trade. Because they are wrong in their contention they have always refrained from giving the statistics, relying instead on general statements."

The veteran republican campaigner said the value of the United States' domestic exports increased from \$3,699,909,725 for the year ended June 30, 1922, to \$5,284,200,000 during the year ended June 30, 1929, while the country's imports in the same years increased from \$2,608,079,008 to \$4,291,608,000.

Mr. Curtis said the increase in imports did not apply to farm products. Under the Underwood-Simmons act of the Wilson administration, he said, agricultural commodities valued at \$3,129,000,000 came into the country in 1920, and the subsequent Fordney-McCumber act "with its reduced protection for agricultural products" reduced importations of farm products to \$1,905,000,000.

HEAVIER SHIPMENT SEEN IN FORECAST

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—The quarterly forecast of the regional shippers' advisory board indicates freight car requirements in the Pacific northwest will be increased for the quarter ending December 31, 1930, by 14 commodities.

The prediction, which is for the last quarter of this year, includes the following commodities: Cement, grain, flour and other mill products, hay, straw, alfalfa, non-citrus fruits, potatoes, fresh vegetables, livestock, poultry and dairy products, petroleum and petroleum products, fertilizers, paper, chemicals and canned goods.

The forecast predicts decrease in shipments of automobiles, gravel, sand, stone, lime, coal, coke, lumber, sugar, syrup, iron, steel, machinery, boilers, brick and clay products and agricultural implements.

U. S. Will Hear Voice of G. B. Also Einstein

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The Columbia Broadcasting company announced tonight that at 4:40 p. m. (EST) next Tuesday it will present to the American people for the first time on any radio the voice of George Bernard Shaw, Albert Einstein will be heard on the same program.

Shaw's talk, which will last 40 minutes, will be made at a dinner in the Savoy hotel, London, of the joint British committee for promotion of physical and economic welfare of eastern Jewry. The broadcast will be relayed through WABC and the Columbia network.

President Said Didn't Know of Voter Pamphlet

EUGENE, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP) Llewellyn A. Banks, independent candidate for United States senator, said here tonight he had received no copy of the Oregon election laws and did not know of the existence of the voters' pamphlet.

Baruch Called To White House



Bernard M. Baruch, New York financier, conferred with President Hoover on the business situation in one of a series of conferences through which the president expects to acquaint himself with the business trend.

TRANSIENT YOUTHS ARE BURNED ALIVE

Both die After Discovery By Woodchoppers; are High School Boys

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Two woodchoppers in lonely swamp lands by the Mississippi river today found two youths, bruised and beaten, burning alive in a mystery brush heap fire. One of them died late today of a head and skull injury, the other's jury investigating the cause.

Letters, a diary and an automobile key served as means of identifying the boys as Burton Hensley, 17, and Woodrow Wilson, both of Bald Creek, N. C.

About a mile from the Arkansas approach to Harahan bridge (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

ACCIDENT VERDICT IN DRAKE'S DEATH

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Death by accident was the verdict returned today by a coroner's jury investigating the death of Robert E. Drake, Portland police officer, who was found unconscious at the bottom of an elevator shaft in a Portland business building October 11.

The jury decided Drake died from an accidental fall from a door opening from the street into the elevator shaft. The door, testimony indicated, had been unlocked.

Patrolman Lander, who for several years had worked the same beat with Drake, said they often stopped to lean against the door while they made out reports. He expressed the opinion Drake had stopped to lean against the door while he made out his report that night.

VICE PRESIDENT OF ARGENTINE RESIGNS

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Enrique Santamarina, vice president of the provisional government, announced early today he was resigning his post. He assigned illness as the reason.

The vice president who was appointed to his post shortly after the revolution triumphed on September 6, was taken ill shortly afterward and at the advice of his physician, he said today, he was retiring from office, intending to recuperate at a camp residence near Buenos Aires.

He will present his resignation to President Uriburu today. It is said the resignation will be considered at a special cabinet meeting shortly, but it is not known if a successor will be appointed at once or later.

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The supreme court, justice tonight refused a writ of habeas corpus to Dr. Hipolito Irigoyen, deposed president of the republic, who has been held prisoner aboard the cruiser General Belgrano in Buenos Aires roads since his resignation from the presidency.

Banks' platform was not printed in the pamphlet.

ADVANCE UPON ALL FRONTS IS REBELS' CLAIM

Federal Lines Said Broken in Sao Paulo-Parana and Other Areas

Large Force Defeated Near Border; Prisoners are Taken, Declared

By PEDRO DAYCARD CURITYBA, Parana, Brazil, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Steady advances on all fronts, especially in the Sao Paulo-Parana sector and in the region of the railway connecting the two federal strongholds—Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo were claimed today at Brazilian revolutionary headquarters.

Getulio Vargas, generalissimo of the rebel campaign, today telegraphed the president of the rebel state Minas Geraes that revolutionary forces had broken the federal lines in Sao Paulo-Parana at Itarare and other points.

"Communique from Rio de Janeiro assert the strongly fortified federal line running through Itarare, Ribeira and Ourinhos is resisting all attacks." Rail Outlet is Cut, Announced.

Another battle sector is near the junction of the state of Minas Geraes, Sao Paulo and Rio de Janeiro. In that vicinity rebel light horse yesterday occupied Cruzeiro an important junction 125 miles from Rio de Janeiro, thereby cutting railway communication between Sao Paulo and Rio de Janeiro. A large federal force was defeated.

Today a strong revolutionary army under Lieutenant Colonel Gabriel Marques fell upon a company of federal infantry and two companies of Sao Paulo state police near Passa Quatro, defeating them decisively. Passa Quatro is a trifle north of Cruzeiro and also is an important railway point in the region between the two great federal cities.

"In this battle the rebel claimants the capture of many prisoners, including a Major Newton and three other officers; the wounding of a number of federal soldiers and the capture of rifles and machine guns.

The rebels declare federal forces which captured the towns of Murambinho and Monte Bello were driven out today. The capture of the Salto railway tunnel, on an important line in southern Minas Geraes, also was announced and was hailed as a definite strategic victory.

Cross-Word Can't Beat Voter List

Try this one on your vocal apparatus: Czaplowski Rataeyk! Or if you don't like that, try these: Sauressig; Detlev Boja; Schwekednik; Palma Kamelja; Gimbol; Smetzel; Anortmen; Okrasnik; Alois Hrdlicka; Francisca Muravie; Choquette; Blasehok; Buschowsky; Mewhlirer; Stokk; and Siasny.

Sound like a laddieful from the melting pot itself, don't they? In reality, they are just a few samples of tongue-twisters—unless you know how—found on the list of registered voters in Marion county. Here are some of the other names which one of the clerks handling the list of voters decided were as interesting as a cross-word puzzle:

Walburga Sprauer, Inval Torresal, Gottfried Neuschwarzwander, Klippenstein, Svaravari, Bjerk, Wyrach, Zitelsberger, Leopoldina Faulhaber, Josef Hufnagel, LeDoux, Demezas, Helge Plaaen (who is a man from Norway), LeRoy Theodore Gustaves Gottenberg, Spionkowski, Bjontegard, Griesenauer, Swatash, Nezhoda, Reinford, Slienhart.

Chotodo LaChapelle, Schmede, Brynjulf, Pohlschneider, Agrifina Frants, Stannias Granachl, vonFeisenstein, Francis X a vir Buchheit, Bourbonnais, Gystertus deBruyn, Mivindia (given name).

These are names of three women registered: Stefana Schabach, Herwig Schierbaum and Lukina Schmalitz. Then there are Bonavature Huesser, Wolfgang Pfaffinger, Dornie Waedenschwiler, Elphinstone Nunn—and others.

Galli Curci is Seriously Hurt

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Mme. Amelita Galli-curci was badly bruised and suffered a severe shaking up near here tonight when the automobile, bearing among others the famous soprano and her husband Homer Samuels, overturned. Their chauffeur swerved to avoid collision with another car and lost control.

London and Sydney Closer After Jaunt Of Kingsford-Smith

Makes Empire More Compact



KINGSFORD-SMITH

NEW OFFENSIVE IS PLAN OF FEDERALS

Move Aimed Against Effort Of Rebels to cut off Railroad Outlet

RIO DE JANEIRO, Oct. 22.—(AP)—With the Brazilian federal battle lines declared to be holding in the hotly-contested Sao Paulo-Parana sector, the government today announced a new offensive was being planned against the rebels in southern Minas Geraes.

The rebels now are struggling to cut off all railway communications between Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo. There have been engagements in the last two days at Cruzeiro and Passa Quatro, and are preparing to move in defense of the region.

All government communiques stress that the loyal forces of President Washington Luis are successfully opposing the revolution which began in southern states because of dissatisfaction with the string of elections.

The strongly fortified battle line in the Sao Paulo-Parana area, running through the cities of Ribeira, Itarare and Ourinhos, is declared to be holding in good fashion. Two attempts of rebel troops to cross the Sengues bridges near Itarare were repulsed.

The planes are credited with much of the government's success. They are flying constantly over interior Parana and other rebel areas, mapping the terrain and observing military preparations, while others attack in battles by bombing and machine guns starting.

Legion is Given Clean Bill by Boston Hotels

BOSTON, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The city of Boston Hotel association today gave the American Legion a clean bill. The association vigorously denied all reports of heavy property damage and wild orgies during the recent national convention of the Legion and said it would welcome the Legionnaires here again.

The hotel men said the property damage in 25 of the leading hotels which housed and fed nearly 50,000 persons amounted to less than \$500 and they "would not hesitate for a moment recommending any city in the country inviting the Legion convention."

Lost Fisherman Is Being Sought

ASTORIA, Ore., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Police today were looking for Frank Vilen, fisherman, who has been missing for the past 48 hours.

Vilen was last seen October 20 when he left his rooming house to go to his boat. Friends said he carried a fairly large sum of money at the time.

THOUSANDS OF CHINESE SLAIN IN KIAN RAIDS

Almost Incredible Stories Of Massacre Brought By Missionaries

Bodies Flow Down River in Constant Stream, as Reds Slaughter

SHANGHAI, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Eight thousand Chinese men and women have been slaughtered at Kian, province of Kiangsi, by communists in an orgy of massacre, looting and burning, said dispatches received today.

The Reds swarmed into Kian October 6, ransacked the city for plunder and ruthlessly killed 2,000 inhabitants in one day. Thousands of others were slain as the depredations continued.

First news of the massacre was brought by Bishop Migonani of the Italian Lazarist mission at Kian, who with a Chinese Lazarist priest arrived at Kiangsi today. He had been released by the Reds to attempt to raise \$100,000 Mexican (about \$2,500,000 gold) as ransom money for fourteen other missionaries held captive at Kian.

Bishop Migonani said he and the Chinese priest, after being severely beaten and paraded through streets of Kian, left the city on foot October 15 to obtain aid for their fellow missionaries. These included four Italian priests, four Italian, one French and five Chinese nuns held for ransom at communist headquarters.

When they left, no mission buildings had been fired, but buckets of gasoline had been distributed through the church properties, for use should ransom be forthcoming, or for other reasons.

Reporting the red deaths at Kian had reached 8,000, Chinese press dispatches said that immediately after capturing the city, the communists massacred the residents and started disastrous fires, the flames and smoke of which were seen many miles distant for three days.

"So many persons were murdered," said the dispatches, "that virtually a constant stream of bodies was seen floating in the Kiang river toward Nanchang. Scenes not describable were enacted."

From Pengteh, eastern Kiangsi, came reports that Father Vieux, French priest, had been murdered and three thousand reds, said Chinese press dispatches, overwhelmed the city in a surprise attack.

Thousands of terrified inhabitants paid large sums of money to shipowners to take them to Ankang and Kiangsi forests. Others were murdered by the Reds, who seized two steamers that failed to escape.

American Consul Lockhart at Hankow urged Nationalist government authorities to obtain the release of a Filipino nun, held captive by communist forces. Reports, however, stated the government was having difficulty in forcing the few nationalist soldiers in Kiangsi to fight the Reds.

Voicing the slogan, "soldiers don't fight soldiers," nationalist troops permitted looting and slaughter to go on.

Hero of Indian War Passed on

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 22.—(AP)—Col. Benjamin Harrison Cheever, U. S. A., retired, who was awarded the congressional medal of honor in the Indian wars, is dead at his home here. He was 80 years old and had been ill for several years. Death occurred late last night.

Stomach Ache now Gone Modern; Cure Different

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 22.—(AP)—Old fashioned stomach aches have gone modern, abandoning their traditional role of a simple ailment with a simple cure, as research has shown them to be frequently highly complex, the international medical assembly was told today.

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Instant recourse of that old standby, a spoonful of castor oil, is not only passe in the care of children, but may be often dangerous in view of the new picture of the significance of abdominal pains furnished by research, Dr. William D. Lower, director of the Clinic foundation, Cleveland, told delegates.

Instead of a simple digestive disturbance, the aches may be the first warning of appendicitis, of kidney ailments, or hip diseases, as well as one of many other ailments which occur with less frequency, Dr. Lower said.

As a result, administration without further diagnosis of what have been considered old reliable cures, instead of being of aid to the patient, offer possibilities of great harm, he said.

Improvement in milk supply and better care of it in the home is one of several forces which have aided to reduce greatly the loss of infants from one of the worst diseases in the past, common "summer complaint," the assembly was told by Dr. Isaac A. Abt, professor of pediatrics at the Northwestern school of medicine, Peabody, Minn. "Remains one of the most serious of diseases among young children, he said, adding that a vast educational program appears necessary to check it.

"Mothers must learn to isolate babies from adults or other children who have colds," Dr. Abt said. "If this is done, the danger of infection will be reduced. Important new knowledge regarding nutrition which makes possible more scientific feeding of babies, helps to block pneumonia by building up resistance to it."