

Japanese Say "No" Quickly to American Navy Curbing Plan

Other Replies All Favorable

Nippon Too Favors Slash In Sea Power But Not Upon Quota Basis

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LONDON, Dec. 9.—A quick Japanese "no" stood out in sharp relief tonight against a background of surprisingly favorable naval conference reaction from other quarters to America's proposal that the world's sea powers cut their navies 20 per cent.

But the favorable response from elsewhere raised little hope for success of the five-power conference, which began its deliberations in the historic Locarno room of the British foreign office this morning—and in a setting dark for disarmament.

The Japanese, through Admiral Osami Nagan, their principal delegate, flatly rejected the American proposal advanced by Norman H. Davis. They turned it down as a mere perpetuation of the existing ratio system.

That system they are determined to destroy, because it limits Japan to three-fifths of the naval power maintained by either the United States or Great Britain. They countered with the parity demand, the real crux of the conference.

Japanese adamant
Developments at the end of the first day of speech-making and maneuvering showed the Americans and British on one hand and the Japanese on the other hand adamant in their divergent positions on the 5-5-3 naval ratio.

The British agreed in principle to the American plan. The Italians said they would give it serious consideration. The French declared: "We already have advocated a much greater reduction at Geneva."

Yet the American scheme which experts calculated would save the taxpayers an estimated \$1 billion in naval construction costs alone appeared backed by little real optimism even by the Americans themselves.

The Japanese made it clear they favored reduction, but that it must not be tied to the ratio system.

Leslie Contracts Await Final Okeh

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L. D. Howell, architect, stated yesterday. He spent the afternoon conferring with Superintendent Silas Gaiser and members of the high school vocational staff regarding plans for the shops building, which is to be included in the building program.

Building problems are expected to consume a major portion of the board's attention at its first regular meeting of the month tonight.

Three Officers Apply For Promotion Tests Set for December 17

Three city police patrolmen have applied to take the promotion examinations to be given by A. Warren Jones, civil service examiner, December 17. He announced yesterday. Today is the closing date for applications. Jones said he did not expect more than five officers would appear for the examinations.

The Call Board

GRAND
Today—John Boles in "Red-heads on Parade."
Wednesday—Double bill, Norman Foster in "Super-speed" and Jean Arthur in "Public Menace."

ELGINORE
Today—Kay Francis in "I Found Stella Parrish" and Laurel and Hardy in "Thicker Than Water."
Wednesday—William Powell in "Rendezvous."

CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Lionel Barrymore in "The Return of Peter Grimm" and "The Quilter" with an all-star cast.
Thursday—Double bill, "Stormy" with Noah Beery, Jr., and "Sweet Surrender" with Frank Parker.

HOLLYWOOD
Today—Janet Gaynor in "The Farmer Takes a Wife."
Wednesday—Ted Lewis in "Here Comes the Band."
Friday—Double bill, John Beal in "Laddie" and "The Silver Streak" with Sally Blane.

STATE
Today—George Raft in "Every Night at Eight" and a new Disney cartoon in color, "Pluto's Judgement Day."
Wednesday—"This Woman is Mine" with Gregory Ratoff.
Thursday—Leslie Howard in "The Scarlet Pimpernel."
Saturday only—First run, Big Boy Williams in "The Law of '45."

President Takes Motor Jaunt



One of the places visited by President Roosevelt during his vacation at Warm Springs, Ga., was the rural settlement colony in Pine Valley.

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Ten Men to Face Gambling Charge

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counsel would be hired for all the men and the case strenuously fought. Phil Huth was reported to be representing some of the men arrested.

Claim books show regular gambling. It was reported that state police in their raid Sunday morning had found account books indicating that gambling had been conducted over a considerable period by some of the men taken in the raid.

Salem police did not participate in the raid and were smarting yesterday under statements to the effect that the raid Sunday was the first conducted in Salem in 15 years. They pointed to the police record since Frank Minto became chief in 1922 as showing many raids made in the city. Local police averred that state police should have allowed them to participate in Sunday's raid. Local police claimed the following record of raids: June 27, 1931, I. F. Clark, running a gambling game; November 28, 1928, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dabitz and 19 others running and visiting a disorderly house; March 6, 1926, J. C. Bragg and nine others, gambling and possession of liquor; October 1, 1925, G. A. White and three others, gambling; September 20, 1925, Richard Riddle and three others, gambling; July 24, 1924, Charles Burke and six others, gambling; February 29, 1924, M. Cherowith and five others, gambling; and January 18, 1924, 10 Chinese for gambling.

Teacher Institute at Silverton Draws Many

A large attendance at the first regional school teachers' institute held Saturday at Silverton was reported yesterday by Mrs. Mary L. Fulkerson, county school superintendent, who presided at the sessions. Speakers included Thomas Gentle of Monmouth and E. F. Carleton, editor of the Oregon Teachers' magazine, Portland. Two more institutes will be held throughout the county during this school year. Attendance is not compulsory.

Tuberculosis Hospital Bid Date Set Dec. 30

Bids for the proposed \$80,000 addition to the state tuberculosis hospital here will be opened December 30, the state board of control announced yesterday. When bids on the project were first called for none were received. The state now hopes to get a number of offers since many of the firms who would have been interested in the job have failed to win out in other competition for work.

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New Evidence In Hall Case

Witness Speeds West to Tell of Plea, Money To Make Getaway

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seated, but Everett Butts, counsel for Hall, and Ralph A. Horv, defending Mrs. Paulos, each exercised two peremptory challenges.

Attorneys in the case said they believed the jury would be impartial with an alternate, possibly tomorrow morning.

The trial opened before a packed courtroom, but the crowd was not so large as officials had expected. Lottery tickets, to determine spot winners, were distributed, but the drawing was not necessary.

Superior Judge H. G. Sutton, in whose court the case is being tried, intended to continue the trial, limiting the number of persons to the courtroom's seating capacity of about 100.

Through the day, Hall, sleekly dressed in a dark blue suit and blue shirt, studied the jurors and occasionally laughed at their responses.

He showed no strain as he talked in shorthand with his brother, Gus Hall, Seattle, and Butts at the defense table.

Earlier she had received a letter from her husband, Larry Paulos, held on a burglary charge in the Seattle jail, telling her he was through with scuffling at the "puppy love" he had felt for her.

He jeered at her for sending money to him while he was "in the walls" and said he took her letters into the prison yard where he "abused them to the fellows."

Hall said he and they enjoyed a good laugh because she was such a "sucker" as to send him money while he was in prison.

Mrs. Paulos whimpered and wiped her eyes in the courtroom.

Friday Is Loading Day Here, First December Turkey Pool on Coast

ROSEBURG, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Oregon growers' first December pool of turkeys, consigned to eastern markets, was nearing completion with loadings here today. Birds were received several days ago at other Willamette valley points.

Loading dates for the coast markets Christmas pool are as follows: Portland, Dec. 11; Canby, Dec. 12; McMinnville and Salem, Dec. 13; Albany and Lebanon, Dec. 14; Junction City, Dec. 16; Eugene, Dec. 17; Oakland and Myrtle Creek, Dec. 18; Roseburg, Dec. 19.

Snikpoh Play Will Be Presented on Friday

"Go Ahead," a three-act comedy, will be presented in the Salem high school auditorium at 8:15 o'clock Friday night following a rehearsal production at the state training school for boys. This is the Snikpoh club's annual dramatic effort. Members of the cast include Kenneth Wilson, Dean Goodman, Ruth Starrett, Harold Allen, Shirley Rogers, Alice Swift, Elizabeth Parr, Sidney Schlesinger, Marion Hultenberg and Ruth O'Neill.

League Is Agency for War, Van Zandt Avers

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—James E. Van Zandt, national commander of the veterans of foreign wars, classified the League of Nations today as an agency for war and said that United States' approval of league sanctions against Italy would mean hurling Europe into another conflict.

He spoke at the Portland chamber of commerce meeting.

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Wire News Told Briefly

Associated Press Leased Wire Service

Thaw Cracks Up But Second Plane Is On Its Way

ATLANTA, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Pilot Russell W. Thaw's flight to deliver a rescue plane to search for Lincoln Ellsworth, missing antarctic explorer, ended in a clump of trees here today, but word came from Kansas City that another ship awaited him there was a replacement. The monoplane plowed into the trees on the border of Candier field when the motor cut out on the takeoff today. Neither Thaw nor his mechanic, William Henry Klenke, Jr., was hurt.

Albert B. Fall Slightly Better; Weak Sunday

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 9.—(AP)—A slight improvement was reported tonight in the condition of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, who weakened considerably yesterday. His sinking spell is blamed to bronchial pneumonia at the base of the left lung.

530 Turkeys on Display at Oakland Show

OAKLAND, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—The northwest turkey show, declared by sponsors to be the largest exclusive turkey display in the nation, opened here today. Live bird entries totaled 530. E. G. Young, manager, said the most distance exhibit was from New Jersey.

Fishermen Plan to Sue Cities Next

ASTORIA, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Arvid Mattson, secretary of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective union, said today suits will be filed within the next week against several cities between Astoria and Eugene, charging pollution of the Columbia and Willamette rivers. The fishermen's union entered suits against 11 industrial firms on the same grounds last week. Mattson said nearly all packing firms on the Columbia had agreed to lend the union "financial and moral support" in its move to prevent river pollution.

Explains Why Notices Don't Come

SPOKANE, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Many of the men requisitioned for WPA jobs haven't received their notices. The postman explained today why. The notices are addressed to the men in "the rocks," "dogtown," "the bushes," "the gashouse district" and "shantytown."

Border Cities Said Occupied

SHANGHAI, Dec. 10.—(Tuesday)—(AP)—Japanese sources announced today "military control" had occupied the cities of Chinshai and Tacheng on the border of Hopeh and Shantung provinces, and had organized the "Shantung-Hopeh autonomous council."

Railroad Veteran Dies

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Frederick H. Fogarty, former general freight agent for the Northern Pacific who retired two years ago after 40 years of continuous service, died here today. He was 77.

Henry Berning's Funeral Is Held

MT. ANGEL, Dec. 9.—Last rites for Henry Berning, prominent in Mt. Angel affairs for many years, were held at St. Mary's Catholic church this morning. A solemn requiem high mass was said at 8:15 o'clock. The funeral music was played by Rev. Placidus Fuerst and St. Mary's choir sang.

Six grandsons acted as pallbearers: Arnold Zollner, Alfred Berning, Virgil Kline, Ivo Bauman, Prosper Berning and Lloyd Berning. Henry Berning was born in Minnesota in 1855. In 1859 he was married to Mary Tecla Zachman. They lived in Minnesota until 1906 when they came to Mt. Angel, and had taken an active part in furthering the interests of the town ever since. He died at 4:15 p. m. Friday after an illness of nine months.

Surviving are his wife and 10 children, Mrs. George Dyer of Portland, A. A. Kline, Mrs. Robert F. Zollner, Mrs. J. T. Bauman, Mrs. J. A. Kaiser, Clement J. Berning, Rudolph Berning, all of Mt. Angel; Otto Berning of Gervais and Sister Irene and Sister Alexandra of the Queen of Angels Convent, of Mt. Angel. All of the children were present at the funeral except Sister Alexandra, who is at the mission in Kakawis, B.C., an Indian residential school, and found it impossible to come.

Funeral in East
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—The body of the late Judge Russell Duncan will be sent to Russellville, Ky., for burial following the funeral service here Tuesday. Judge Duncan died Saturday.

Defective Equipment
Blamed for Wreck in Canyon of Deschutes
BEND, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—A coroner's jury at Madras held the train wreck which cost two lives last week resulted from defective equipment.

Phil J. Gallagher, conductor, and Allan Hewes, his helper, were killed when cars on a work train broke loose from an engine and careened down a grade to crash into an oncoming freight.

The probe today was shifted to Vancouver, Wash.

Recovery Conference
Notice Received Here
Local members of the International Printing Pressman's union have received notice that Major George L. Berry, their president, has called a conference at Washington, D. C., December 9 at which gathering representatives of labor, industry and investment will confer on means of accelerating recovery. Major Berry was named by President Roosevelt as coordinator of industrial cooperation.

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Cave-in After Blast Kills 16

14 Others Crawl Out on Hands and Knees to Escape Death

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full details of the explosion and its toll. Thirty men, working a slack-time schedule, were in the mine as the blast rumbled through the workings.

Two weeks ago 200 miners were working in the pit, mine officials said. Fourteen crawled long distance.

Fourteen miners, including the three injured, reached the surface. The injured men were knocked from their feet by the force of the blast. They crawled on hands and knees for 20 minutes from a point near the explosion to the mine shaft.

Attendants at the hospital where they were taken said their injuries were serious. Mine officials said they believed sparks from a telephone circuit in the mine ignited gas, causing the explosion.

The blast was the first major tragedy in the 52-year history of the Lethbridge coal fields. It brought relatives and friends rushing to the pithead.

Tropic Christmas Topic of Lecture

Summery Setting Doesn't Dampen Yuletide Spirit Garden Club Learns

Tropical weather and lack of evergreens do not dampen Christmas spirit in the Philippines. Edith Schryver told the Salem Garden club last night. She spoke on "Christmas in the Tropics" at the meeting of the club held in the Emerson room of the Unitarian church.

Miss Schryver spent last Christmas in Manila. Great hedges of poinsettias greet the holiday visitor in the islands and summer clothing is in vogue. One of her most vivid memories, the speaker said, was of the tiny native hut perched atop bamboo poles with their lighted Christmas trees within and twinkling lanterns swung across the front.

Midnight masses in the old Spanish churches climax the deep religious fervor which sweeps the people at this season of the year, Miss Schryver related.

Scenes are Painted
An artistic side of the Island Christmas is the custom of decorating books or even whole rooms to represent scenes from the first Christmas. Painted scenery, replicas of the manger and figures, many of them imported, furnish these "Bethlehems" rooms. Improvements are made each year.

A farewell picture of the holiday season in the Philippines was described by the speaker in tell-

ing of the flashing beacons streaking the sky from all the ships in the harbor on New Year's eve.

The Garden club is cooperating with the Ad club in the illumination contest this year. Attractive Christmas exhibits were arranged by Mrs. Dan Fry, Jr., Mrs. B. O. Schuecking, Miss Mabel Robertson, Mrs. W. E. Anderson, Mrs. Homer McWain, and Miss Nancy Wallace. Mrs. Gladys McIntyre Thomas sang.

Seek Fulfillment Of Hop Contract

Demanding that two contracts for the purchase of hops be enforced, Otto Seidenberg, Inc. who contracted to buy the hops, filed suit here yesterday against Henry Tauffest naming the Oregon Electric railroad, the Pacific Hop Growers, Inc. and W. J. Bishog as parties defendant.

Plaintiff asserts that Tauffest has refused to deliver the hops he has under contract, has made public his intention to sell them to parties other than the plaintiff, meanwhile being indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of \$6750 for advances on his contracts with plaintiff.

The Otto Seidenberg company asks that the hops, now held in storage here, be sold and the returns applied to the advances made by the company.

One contract, plaintiff asserts, called for delivery of 60,000 pounds of 1935 hops at 15 cents a pound; another contract called for delivery of 25,000 pounds of 1935 hops at 16 1/2 cents a pound.

The hops were not up to the standard specified by the contract, plaintiff asserts.

Legionnaires Applaud Action Upon Baer Case

Legion members, gathered at La Grande and Union last week at regional conferences, adopted resolutions commending Governor Martin for refusing to pardon Walter Baer, now awaiting deportation to Germany. Baer is at Ellis Island, New York. A convalee at Hermiston earlier in the week also commended the governor for his decision. The action of the La Grande and Union gatherings was reported by the governor's office yesterday.

Beware Coughs That Hang On

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Croomin. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Croomin, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and soothe the inflamed membranes as the germ-laden phlegm is loosened and expelled.

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