GERMANY AWAITS NEW PURGING AS SAAR VOTE COMES

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Earnlights in the Nazi party were reliably described today as living in fear that they will be eliminated from the party rolls before the middle of April.

"The cleansing has already started," a non-German official declared today, "although in a different way from the blood purge of June 30.

"Some have already been ousted, but the big cleanup is expected in many party circles, including the ranks of the storm troopers, within three months.

"Prussian Premier Hermann Wilhelm Goering recently asserted publicly that there won't be another June 30, so a blood purge is not to be expected."

The statement was an outgrowth of a new crop of reports circulating in well-informed circles as a result of Reichsfuehrer Hitler's mysterious meeting last Thursday, which was said unofficially to be a consultation on Hitlerism's immediate domestic and international plans.

Several of these reports concerned probabilities regarding the Saar plebiscite. It was pointed out that Nazi propaganda harps on the statement that "on Jan. 13, the Saar will return to Germany" without mentioning the fact that final Franco-German negotiations may consume several weeks.

This was interpreted in some quarters as intentionally misleading in order to have a trump up the Nazi sleeve, allowing for greater mobilization in preparation for some sort of action. Circles in which this idea was expressed, however, declared Germany does not fear France in a military way.

SWITCHMEN'S UNION IS ORGANIZED HERE

A local of the Switchmen's Union of North America was organized here Friday by G. C. Lowe, vice president of the group, working out of Buffalo. The Union is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Eighteen charter members were taken into the union, with officers elected as follows: President, F. L. Brown, Motor Route 1; vicepresident, Ira E. Lynds, Box 242, Eugene; secretary-treasurer, D. P. Boykin, Smeed hotel.

The initial meeting of the group will be January 21 at 7:00 p. m. Lowe is attempting to organize the entire Southern Pacific system, and this is the 7th lodge organized in Oregon in the past 30 days.

The purpose of the union is to give the Switchmen a means of legislating without carrying their measures through the brakemen's union.

G. A. R., W. R. C. Hold Joint Installation

Joint installation ceremonies were held for the new officers of J. W. Geary post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Women's Relief corps, auxiliary to the G. A. R., Saturday, at the armory.

T. N. Plank was installed as commander of the G. A. R. men, Chauncey Meachem, senior vice-commander, H. G. Townsend, junior vice-commander, W. H. H. Dryden, adjutant, Mrs. Rebecca Chapman, assistant adjutant, Mr. Dryden, officer of the day. Mrs. H. E. Slattery presided as installing officer for the G. A. R. men, assisted by Miss Ethel Plank as conductress.

Elective officers of the W. R. C. were installed by the following staff, Mrs. Martha Drum, installing officer, Mrs. Slattery, conductress, Mrs. Harry Balle, musician, Mrs. Maude Rouse, Mrs. Dora Turney, Mrs. Millie Kiester, Mrs. Linna Clow, color bearers.

Mrs. Gertrude Murray, president-elect, was unable to attend because of illness. Other officers installed included: Mrs. Ella Bray, senior vice-president; Mrs. Alice Green, junior vice-president; Mrs. Slattery, treasurer; Mrs. Drum, chaplain; Mrs. Elizabeth Beytien, conductress; Mrs. Jennie McCurry, assistant conductress; Mrs. Margaret Davidson, guard; Mrs. Maude Younkins, assistant guard.

Appointive officers will be installed later, the installation being held over because of the absence of the president-elect.

Preceding the election, a banquet was served, attended by more than 75.

Fall Kills Man Following Fight

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 7.—(UP)—Albert Minder, 34, formerly of Salem, was fatally injured early Sunday when he plunged off a second floor balcony of a downtown hotel following a fight.

William Harder, 43, in whose room Minder had been drinking, and who admitted fighting with the victim, and Carl Minor, who also attended the party, were arrested.

They were booked on charges of drunkenness and held for action by the district attorney.

Minder is said to have fled the room after Harder knocked him down. Minder ran to the end of a hallway, opened the balcony door and plunged over the low balustrade to the pavement 30 feet below. He died a few hours later of a fractured skull.

F. D. HAS COLD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(AP)—President Roosevelt remained in the executive mansion today with a determination to break a head cold which has persisted for the last several days. White House officials said no fever accompanied the cold and no softening was felt for the president's condition.

Flapper Fanny Says:

A tear in your eye keeps you from tearin' your hair.

PONTIAC SIX, EIGHT SHOWN AT SCHERERS

The new Pontiac for 1935! A six and an eight, all in beautiful colors and models, the latest thing in streamline design! It will be on display today at Scherer Motor company, after the grand opening Saturday, when nearly 6,000 Eugeneans viewed the new machine.

Both Pontiac chassis have ample power for the modern mode of high-speed travel. The six-cylinder engine develops 81 horsepower at 65 miles an hour, while the Straight Eight delivers 84 horsepower at 70 miles an hour.

A comparison of the Straight Eight with that of last year, reveals many improvements and refinements that also are included in the new six.

Briefly, they are: A marked change in appearance; new Fisher solid-steel "Turret-Top" bodies; built-in luggage space; concealed spare tires; "V" type windshield; greater width in both front and rear seats; divided a folding back front seats in 2-door sedans; new instrument panel; package shelf in all models; new lamps, hydraulic brakes with double and triple sealed drums; new action clutch; automatic choke in the eight; air cool generator with voltage regulator; interchangeable main and connecting rod bearings; silver alloy connection rod bearings; steel spoke wheels; increased steering gear ratio; knee-action units (except on Standard six) mounted on rigid tubular cross member, and new radiator and hood grilles.

WASHINGTON FACED WITH "EPIC" TOO

SEATTLE, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The commonwealth Builders of Washington state, whose program is closely allied with that of Upton Sinclair's "end poverty in California" plan tonight expressed a belief they had a "fighting chance" to control the Washington state legislature which meets a week from Monday.

Howard Costigan, executive secretary of the organization, said he was "under the impression" that 53 members of the house are in favor of its program and 23 or more members of the senate. Both figures constitute a majority of the chambers, which contain an overwhelming number of democrats.

The commonwealth Builders will sponsor one major bill, he said, to be known as "the production for use" bill or the "economic rehabilitation act of 1935."

Under it a state industrial commission would be set up to organize a system of state owned farms and industries "wherein those whom private industry can not employ can produce and distribute among themselves and their families."

Private Mystified Over Death Probe

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Jan. 7.—(AP)—Dismissal of the Clallam county jury today revealed that Pvt. Douglas Loghry U. S. A., was brought from his infantry station in the Phillippines last month as a material witness in the probe of a 3-year old slaying.

Loghry, member of a Port Angeles family, told an interviewer today that he's still mystified about the whole thing. He said he understands a grand jury informant testified he met Loghry at a dance in California two years ago and Loghry told him he knew who killed Alexander Gies.

Gies, Port Angeles building contractor, was found dead, his neck broken, in a creek bed beneath a railway trestle three years ago.

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GOVERNMENT MOVES TO WORK OUT RELIEF

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(AP)—As the preface to a five billion dollar drive against unemployment, the administration reached today toward the coffers of the RFC for the funds to finance its next major effort—the transition from dole to work relief.

That agency today had nearly two billion dollars in unexpended cash. Nearly half that sum is soon to be diverted to the relief program. That much will keep it going until next November.

By then, administration leaders expressed hope that the new system of providing jobs for the unemployed on public works projects of a widely varied nature may be well advanced.

The latter will be financed by direct appropriations with the total cost between the present time and the end of the next fiscal year, June 30, 1936, expected to run close to five billions.

Business Earnings Real "Insurance"

BERLIN, Jan. 7. — (AP) — Lessenings of business corporations, if used for payroll increases or for reduction of prices to consumers, would provide better insurance against a rainy day than if used for additions to surplus, in the opinion of Rexford Guy Tugwell, undersecretary of agriculture.

Even the payment of dividends would be better for the corporation than saving, says Dr. Tugwell, in his new book "The Battle For Democracy," published today by the Columbia University press. Dr. Tugwell is professor of economics at Columbia.

"God" Is Subject Of Sunday Sermon

"God" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ Scientists, on Sunday, January 6.

The Golden Text was, "Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honor and glory for ever and ever" (I Tim. 1:17).

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible: "For I know that the Lord is great, and that our Lord is above all gods" (Ps. 135:5).

The lesson-sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is individual, incorporeal. He is divine Principle, Love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence. He is all inclusive, and is reflected by all that is real and eternal and by nothing else. He fills all space, and it is impossible to conceive of such omnipresence and individuality except as infinite Spirit or Mind." (p. 331).

ONE-TIME HAVANA OFFICIAL INDICTED

HAVANA, Jan. 7. —(AP)— Judge Lopez Centellas, of the fifth court of instruction, today indicted Antonio Guiteras, former secretary of war, navy and interior, and three others, on charges of frustrated assassination in connection with the shooting of Jose Luis Penabad.

The court held that Penabad, whose condition remains serious, was shot because of a disagreement between two secret societies.

Others indicted were: Rafael Giraud, closely identified with the ernment of President Ramon San Martin last year; Alberto chez, a member of the technical and Rafael Ramos, a lesser politician.

Giraud was under arrest, but other three had not been apprehe

Penabad, a radical leader, was several nights ago and reporte the military hospital at Camp Co bia for treatment.

A short time later the army service charged Penabad and San had been sentenced to death by "court" of eight radical leaders accused both men of "treachery."

The army charged further Sanchez volunteered to execute sentence against Penabad if he self were spared.

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