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SLAV ADVANCE DRIVES POLES FROM WARSAW

SOVIET ARMIES FORCE POLISH TROOPS OUT, USING HUN TURNING MOVEMENT

RUSSIANS ENCIRCLE CAPITAL

Government of Poland Being Moved From Threatened Danger Accord- ing to London Wireless

London, Aug. 9.—The Polish government is leaving Warsaw it is asserted in a wireless from Moscow received this afternoon.

Warsaw, Sunday night, Aug. 8.—Soviet forces are striking westward from the vicinity of Brest-Litovsk in their great encircling movement. They have cut through the Polish lines and have crossed the railroad running between Sokolow and Siedlce. They reached a point west of Sokolow but were counter attacked and violent fighting is proceeding, according to an official statement tonight. The Poles took some prisoners.

London, Aug. 9.—Russian bolshevik troops have broken into the town of Sokolow, about 40 miles northeast of Warsaw and have captured several points south of Brest-Litovsk, according to an official statement issued in Moscow yesterday and received here by wireless.

The Polish government is being removed to Kalisz, according to the wireless message.

POLICE SEEK CLUES IN FATAL INJURY CASE

New York, Aug. 9.—The police are today investigating how John C. Slavin, veteran musical comedy actor, was so seriously injured that he may die. Slavin was found yesterday in the street near the home of John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, suffering from a fractured skull. According to Winfield Leggett, retired naval officer, Slavin had accompanied McGraw home from the Lambs Club. McGraw was not located.

PRINCESS OLA HASSAN



Princess Ola Hassan, widow of Prince Ibrahim Hassan, who married to Captain Brodsky, Duke of the Carnivale Light before recently took a trip to the quaint church at Cozzy, England.

BULGARIA NOW AT PEACE WITH ALLIES

Treaty Made Effective by Exchange of Ratification Among the Pow- ers Party to Pact

Paris, Aug. 9.—The peace treaty with Bulgaria was today made formally effective by the exchange of ratifications among the powers party to the pact.

STAGE COACH RACE THE FEATURE HIGHWAY FIESTA

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 9.—A race between stage coaches is one of the events planned for the public celebration of completion of the paved highway between Salt Lake and Ogden at an amusement park located between the two cities. The celebration is set for August 18. The stage coaches used will be of the type used in early plains travel.

DRY ERA BRINGS ON NEW SCHEME OF FRAUD

Washington, Aug. 9.—A new counterfeiting "industry" has followed in the wake of prohibition.

"This industry," says Chief Moran of the treasury secret service, "is the counterfeiting of the strip label revenue stamp that goes over the corks, or that used to go over the corks, of whiskey bottled in bond. Those engaged in the manufacture of whiskey are prepared to use those counterfeit stamps and we have arrested three gangs already for doing it."

At present the main problems of the secret service, however, are to check note-raising, which Chief Moran says has increased to an "alarming extent" in the last year and the forgery of government checks, which he adds "has become almost an epidemic."

Records of the secret service show, according to Mr. Moran, more arrests and investigations during the last year than for any similar preceding period.

ARCHBISHOP MANNIX LANDS IN PENZANCE, ENGLAND

Penzance, England, Aug. 9.—Archbishop Mannix was landed here from a destroyer this afternoon. It was stated that he intended to proceed to London.

PALACE OPENED TO WEARY TRAVELERS

Rome, Aug. 9.—Commendatore Lusignoli, the new head of the housing commission, with a touching belief in the goodness of human nature, celebrated his appointment by sending an appeal to the aristocracy of Rome, asking them to allow any spare rooms in their splendid old palaces to be rented out to some of the weary seekers after houseroom in the Eternal City.

All with one consent began to make excuses. King Victor, however, was an exception. He has already made ten new apartments for humble families in the large stables near the Quirinal Palace which his father, King Humbert, kept full of horses, but which, since the accession of the present king have always been more or less empty. At an expense of nearly \$100,000 he plans to construct 39 more apartments.

BAVARIAN POOR AIDED IN WILL OF SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 9.—Carl F. Weber, Civil war veteran who died here recently bequeathed his \$900 estate to the burgomaster of his native village in Bavaria to be used in providing free pasturage for the goats of the poor.

The will was attacked in court but after letters from the old country telling of the hardships of relatives who had lost their goats through lack of pasturage were read the will was held valid.

UNIONS CALL STRIKE OFF IN DENVER

TRAMWAY WORKERS UNION AGREES TO GO BACK TO WORK WITH NO RESTRICTIONS

SEVEN DEATHS IS TOLL

Strike Brought Crisis in Affairs of Colorado City With Martial Law Necessary

Denver, Aug. 9.—The executive committee of the tramway workers union today appointed a committee to call on the general manager of the tramway line and inform him that the striking trainmen will return to work. The president of the union said there will be no restrictions. This action brought the official end of the strike of 1,000 trainmen. The toll of death was raised to seven with the death today of another man.

Butte Falls Banker Here—

J. W. Barker, president and cashier of the Butte Falls bank, spent Sunday here and enjoyed particularly the swimming at Riverside park. Mr. Barker was very enthusiastic over the municipal bathhouse idea, and over the opportunity Grants Pass has in Riverside park and the auto camp on Rogue river.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, Aug. 9.—Cattle weak, choice grass steers 10 to 10.50; hogs steady, prime mixed \$18 to \$18.50; sheep weak, mountain lambs \$11 to \$11.50; valley lambs, \$9. Butter steady, cubes, extra, 50c to 53c. Eggs firm, buying price 47c.

IDAHO INDIANS GET YANKEE GOLD FEVER

Pocatello, Idaho, Aug. 9.—Students of Indian lore are lamenting what they term the entry of commercialism into the dances of the Bancock Indians. These Indians lately have been holding a "pole" dance at Bannock Crossing, to which hundreds of automobile parties went as on-lookers. The Indians charged each spectator 50 cents for the privilege of watching the ceremony.

An exhibit of blankets, basketry and similar Indian products was made at the dance and visitors to it were encouraged to buy. The large attendance of tourists at a recent sun dance is believed to have prompted the Indians to hold the later ceremony.

PIPE LINES CLASSED AS COMMON CARRIERS

New Orleans, Aug. 9.—Oil pipe lines in Louisiana today became common carriers under provisions of a law enacted by the recent general assembly. The lines now come under the supervision and regulation of the state railroad commission.

The bill as passed concluded a fight of long standing between the Standard Oil Company of Louisiana and the independent oil producers of North Louisiana. The independents claimed that the nature of the business conducted by the Standard proved the transportation lines to be common carriers, while the Standard contended its lines were private property.

The term "common carriers" as defined in the law includes persons, firms or corporations engaged in the transportation of crude petroleum for hire or which may be legally held to be such from the nature of their business. It is provided that there shall be no discrimination against the owners or chippers of oil.

ALLIES WILL PUT BLOCKADE ON BOLSHEVIKI

REIMPOSITION OF BLOCKADE FOR AID OF POLAND THOUGH NO TROOPS WILL GO

EXPERTS ADVISE NO TROOPS

Not Thought Advisable to Send An Army to Aid the Poles—Allies Wish to Save Europe

Hythe, England, Aug. 9.—The allied conference here reached a complete agreement this morning on the plans for dealing with the Russo-Polish crisis. They include the reimposition of the blockade but on the advice of experts no allied troops will be employed. It is said the allies, though loath to admit it, feel there is little hope of saving Warsaw, and that saving of Poland is the main issue.

The main problems facing the premiers is the defense of western Europe. In British and French circles it is declared the hope of the soviet government is to firmly establish bolshevism at the doors of the western powers through the Polish offensive.

Miss Hazel Barrow Married—

Friends of Miss Hazel Barrow and S. F. Long, both former residents here, were surprised to learn of the marriage of the two at Klamath Falls on August 6th. Miss Barrow lived for a number of years at Murphy, and later attended high school here. Mr. Long is a brother of Mrs. T. J. Shattuck and Mrs. William Graham of this city, and will reside here. The first news of their marriage came with their arrival.

PALM TREES BURNED TO KILL INFECTION

Yuma, Ariz., Aug. 9.—Yuma people have witnessed something that reminded them of burning down the house to get rid of the mice, though they recognized it had a scientific reason back of it. It was the burning of every date palm at the state experimental station.

By the use of an electric torch, every palm was burned to the stump in order to get rid of a destructive scale. According to agriculturists at the station, there was no other way of dealing with the pest effectively. Now only bare stumps mark the place where last year a \$7,000 crop of dates was harvested from four acres of palms.

SALT LAKE TO BE RESORT FOR BIRDS

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 9.—Through the efforts of Weber County Rod and Gun Club with the cooperation of the government, a large resting ground for migratory birds will be provided soon upon the shores of the Great Salt Lake, near here.

It is planned to have all the unsurveyed land in Boxelder county surveyed and set aside as the reserve. The reserve will also take in the west shore of the lake, which is said to be the greatest resting ground for birds in the United States. Inspection of the district has shown the largest variety of water fowl ever found on any inland body of water. There are sea gulls, pelicans, cranes, geese, snipes and hundreds of other varieties.

In connection with the reserve the federal agents will gather statistics on filing and holding of private duck clubs. No additional ground will be permitted to be added to the clubs' grounds. The greater part of the clubs are located along the Bear river near its mouth.

GERMAN WARSHIPS ARRIVE IN U.S.

Boats Allotted Uncle Sam for Target Practice Anchored in Hudson River—Must Sink Soon

New York, Aug. 9.—The former German warships recently turned over to the United States by the allied powers reached quarantine late today. The vessels proceeded up the harbor to the Hudson anchorage.

INCENDIARY FIRE DESTRUCTIVE AT PENITENTIARY IN JOLIET

Joliet, Aug. 9.—The fire which destroyed one building of the penitentiary chair factory and damaged a second was under control at 2 o'clock. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. Penitentiary officials admit the fire was incendiary but unable to arrive at the specific cause.

PASSION PLAY HAS OPENED IN FRANCE

Nancy, France, Aug. 9.—France's "Passion Play," rivalling that of Götterdämmerung, has opened its season here after five years of war's interruption. It was given, as it has been since 1904, in the Passion theater, under the direction of M. Pettit, the village priest, with his parishioners as the cast. The play, costinguming, verse, music and equipment have been developed and improved since the pre-war performances.

There are 16 scenes depicting the Bible incidents from the Birth to the Resurrection. The play runs from 9 a. m. to noon and from 1:30 to 5. Intermissions between the scenes are filled by tableaux representing, principally, prophetic passages of the Old Testament bearing upon the running story.

The naturalness of the players, none of whom are professionals, critics said, was heightened by the deftness and ingenuity of the staging.

The play is to be given every Sunday until the middle of October.

FROM CAMELS TO AUTOS IN SIXTY-TWO YEARS

Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 9.—Sixty-two years ago the government imported 33 camels to furnish transportation in Arizona. The camels did not remain long enough to see their places taken by motor stages, over 100 of which are operating over lines radiating out of Phoenix and connecting nearly every town in the state.

RELIGION IS KING ON PITCAIRN ISLAND

Sydney, Australia, Aug. 9.—"Pitcairn Island is an odd place," said a recent visitor from England who had come by way of the quaint, isolated community in the South Pacific composed of descendants of the mutineers of the British ship "Bounty."

"We landed three harmoniums there," continued the traveller, "and even when we reach there we heard hymns borne to us upon the winds. The islanders sang hymns during our entire stay on the island, and the last we heard of them was 'We'll Meet in a Better Land' growing fainter and fainter as we steamed out to sea."

CAMP LEWIS GETS CAMP FOR WEST POINT TRAINING

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 9.—Army orders, received at Camp Lewis, near here, specify that a training school for soldiers who desire to enter West Point shall be established at the camp immediately. The school will prepare all soldiers of the western department of the army who desire to take the military academy entrance examination.

Ninety men are allowed to go from the ranks to West Point each year if mentally and physically qualified.

ROOSEVELT IS NOTIFIED THAT HE IS ON TICKET

CEREMONY OF NOTIFICATION IS HELD AT HYDE PARK, NEW YORK, TODAY

CUMMINS BREAKS THE NEWS

Vice Presidential Nominee of Democ- racy Lauds Cox, Who Heads Ticket

New York, Aug. 9.—Franklin D. Roosevelt was today notified officially of the fact that his name appears upon the democratic ticket as the running mate of Cox for the vice presidency. The address of notification was delivered by Homer S. Cummins, and Roosevelt replied at length the ceremony of notification taking place at Hyde Park.

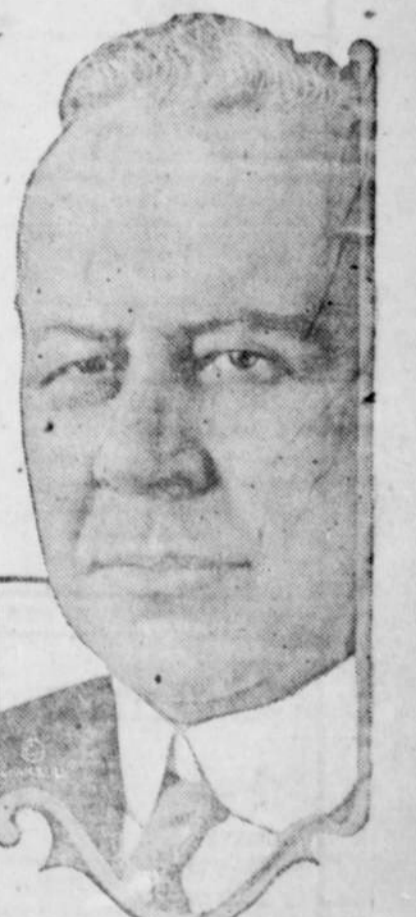
In his speech, Roosevelt endorsed the policies of James M. Cox as pronounced in his acceptance address, and eulogized the democratic nominee. Roosevelt said that two great problems will confront the next administration: "Our relations with the world, and the pressing need of organized progress at home. The latter includes a systematized and intensified development of our resources and a progressive betterment of our citizenship. These matters will require the guiding hand of a president who can see his country above his party, and who, having a clear vision of things as they are, has also the independence, courage and skill to guide us along the road to things as they should be without swerving one footstep at the dictation of narrow partisans who whisper 'Party' or of selfish interests that murmur 'Profits'."

Paris, Aug. 9.—The American note regarding the Russian situation is being delivered to the French foreign office today. It was learned in an authoritative quarter here.

TWO CHINESE HURT IN BUILDING COLLAPSE

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 9.—Two Chinese were injured seriously today when a three story building collapsed. Several persons were seen running from the building when the collapse came but the police were unable to state whether there are any bodies in the debris.

FRED B. LYNCH



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