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## PROBE IN NAVY DENOUNCED BY SENATE COMM.

FORMER SECRETARY DANIELS AND ROOSEVELT ARE CENSURED

### INVESTIGATED WAR SCANDAL

Former Assistant Secretary Roosevelt States Republicans Fail to Give Him a Hearing

Washington, July 19.—(A. P.)—Former Secretary Daniels and former Assistant Secretary Roosevelt, of the navy, were denounced for the methods used in investigating a wartime scandal among enlisted men at the Newport training station, in a majority report of the senate subcommittee today.

At the same time Roosevelt issued a statement that the two republicans constituting the majority of the investigating committee had failed to give him hearings, after promising to do so.

## TELEPHONE COMPANY BRINGS 50 WITNESSES

Salem, July 19.—(A. P.)—The telephone company has 50 witnesses for the rate rehearing, including experts from the east. Today's testimony is largely by telephone users resisting the increase. Two days are expected to be devoted to the technical testimony.

## STATE LIME WILL BE \$4 F.O.B. GOLD HILL

The Oregon state lime board is announcing that agricultural lime is available for immediate shipment. The plant at Gold Hill is operating and the board does not expect the price of lime to exceed \$4.50 per ton which is much less than the product can be obtained in most states. To get the exact freight rate the local freight agent should be consulted.

The lime may be secured in sacks at the prevailing price plus the cost of sacks and extra labor. Less than car lots may be secured by individuals or communities, but to secure the best freight rate it is usually best to order by the car.

In compliance with state laws, a check covering the amount should accompany every order. The first 500 tons will be for sale at \$4 f. o. b. Gold Hill.

## WISCONSIN SOFT-DRINK FOUNTAINS MUST DISCARD ALL BAR FIXTURES

Madison, Wis., July 19.—(A. P.)—Wisconsin has taken upon itself the task of getting rid of all bars, fixtures, screens, stalls and other accoutrements which have gone to make up a saloon atmosphere. The order for their extermination is carried in a prohibition enforcement bill recently passed by the legislature.

The law requires that "no person having a license for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages to be sold for consumption upon the premises shall maintain a standing bar or counter of any description at which any such drinks or beverages are consumed.

"No booth, stall, or other enclosure of any kind in or connected with such place or room shall be maintained," the law further provides. It orders in addition that "the windows and doors of any such place or room shall be unobstructed

## JAPAN LIKELY TO SUBMIT POLICIES

Question of Racial Equality Probable When Abandonment of Chinese Territory Is Asked

Tokio, July 19.—(A. P.)—It is reported that Japan is likely to submit to the proposed far eastern conference, the abandonment of extra-territoriality in China and also to ask the fixing of immigration rights to countries like Canada, Australia, New Zealand and Indo-China, and in general to raise the question of racial equality.

Tokio, July 19.—(A. P.)—Negotiations have been opened for the evacuation of Siberia by the Japanese.

John Dennison, of Medford, spent the day in the city visiting friends and attending to business matters.

## JOSEPHINE MINING EXHIBIT IS ASKED

An urgent request that Josephine county be represented at the 24th annual convention of the American mining congress and national exposition of mines and mining equipment has been received by A. H. Gunnell, who had charge of the exhibition in Portland last spring. The invitation was sent by John E. Miller, superintendent of the exposition, who had charge of the Portland affair. Mr. Miller believes that the Josephine county exhibit, if sent to Chicago, would make a most favorable impression.

H. M. Parks, director of the Oregon bureau of mining and geology, has informed Mr. Miller that Oregon as a state may make an exhibit. Alaska will have an exhibit and Mr. Miller states that Mexico is prepared to make an excellent showing Idaho, Minnesota, Wisconsin and California are planning on sending exhibits.

In reference to Josephine county, Mr. Miller says, "I am particularly anxious to see Josephine county's exhibit here in competition with the rest of the world, because I know that it would stand up most favorably. Would it be possible to bring here the exhibit of the five bars of gold that were shown in Portland? That, beyond question, was the best thing at the show and created the most comment and attracted the attention of more people than anything else in the building. If it were possible to have it here, I would like to see it."

The convention, which is to be held in the coliseum from October 17 to 22, inclusive, will attract mining men from all over the country. It is not known yet what action will be taken but mining men in the county and state are working on the proposition. It would, according to Mr. Gunnell, give Josephine county a great boost to have a creditable showing at the exhibit.

by screens, blinds, paint, or other article so that a clear and unobstructed view of the interior of said place or room from the outside may at all times be had.

Thousands of Wisconsin saloons, 1,000 or more in Milwaukee also, will be affected.

All must go this month, according to edict of the prohibition commissioner, who has given the saloon keepers 30 days to comply with the law. He says he intends to enforce every feature of it.

Court battle is to follow as soon as the first arrest is made, proprietors of Milwaukee bar-rooms have said. They reported they would attack the measures' constitutionality in the supreme court. Some announced they plan in the meantime to evade the law by one method of indirection or another.

## LEADERS FIND THAT SOVIET REGIME DRAGS

LEON TROTSKY ADMITS THAT "EVENTS TAKE A SLOWER COURSE THAN LIKED"

### SAYS COMMUNE IS GROWING

Expects Women Workers to Speed Coming of World Revolution and Bolshevism

By S. D. Weyer  
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)  
New York, July 19.—(I. N. S.)—Penetrating for the first time the fog of conflicting reports and rumors as to the mental attitude of the Russian soviet chieftains—their hopes and disappointments—the International News Service is able to give exclusively today the judgment of Leon Trotsky himself as to what he thinks has been and can be accomplished by the doctrines upon which the soviet republic is founded.

In a speech before the international communist conference at Moscow, held in the latter part of June, and which has not been published, even partly, on this side of the Atlantic, the bolshevik war minister, Lenine's righthand man, admitted for the first time that the bolshevik's goal is "not so near at hand as it seemed to many of us three or four years ago." He gave what he believed to be the reasons therefor, and added an expression of confidence that the soviets would yet attain their aims. He showed at the same time that Moscow has not yet given up its hope for a "world revolution."

The text of the speech as wireless from Moscow to Berlin, was received by the International News Service in a circuitous route. It is this speech, presumably, upon which were based the many recent erroneous cable dispatches to the effect that Lenine and Trotsky had confessed to collapse of their doctrine and system. While the red war minister's speech contains no such admission, it does bear unmistakable earmarks of deep disappointment, if not partial disillusionment.

To avoid errors or garbling in transmission the speech was forwarded to New York in the original form and language—German—in which it was cabled to Berlin, neatly pasted up in strips upon profusely stamped blanks of the "Telegraphie des Deutschen Reiches," which still bear the Prussian eagle in the top center.

Proletarian Pressure Urged  
Trotsky's speech, which throws an illuminating light on the present temper of the soviet leaders, follows: "Your conference occurs at a time which is no longer as clear and well-defined as was the period immediately following the end of the war. Our enemies assert that the proletariat has proved its omnipotence and capitalism its vitality since the last two or three years capitalism has not been destroyed.

"The Third Internationale is now confronted with the question as to whether the immediate future is to be a period of the reconstruction and reestablishment of capitalism or of a growing proletarian pressure. This question I shall attempt to answer exhaustively before the plenary conference of the communist internationale.

"For the present I will only point out these facts:  
"The war has destroyed millions of lives and billions in economic value. Capitalism proposes to reestablish the shaken equilibrium.

Agitation Will Spread to U. S.  
"We cannot figure out with a pencil whether capitalism will succeed in this plan in the immediate future. We can only say that if the lessons of the war, of the Russian revolution and of the semi-revolution in Germany and Austria, if the lessons of the last seven years have made no impression upon the proletariat, and if the proletariat were to bow its head willingly under the old yoke, then the bourgeoisie would succeed in rehabilitating its former domination, and the weight of its agitation

## COURT OPENS INQUEST OVER ROSEBURG BODY

CROWDS THROUGH ROOMS THIS MORNING AS WITNESSES ARE HEARD

### CLOTHING IS IDENTIFIED

Testimony Favoring Brumfield Identification Will Come Later, Officers Pursue Suspect

Bend, July 19.—(A. P.)—Officers are pursuing a man in an automobile suspected of being Dr. Brumfield. He is believed to have turned toward the Deschutes river near Crescent. He was seen near Lapine yesterday.

Roseburg, July 19.—(A. P.)—The circuit court was crowded this morning for the opening of the inquest over the body found under Dr. Brumfield's automobile.

Witnesses differed over the identification of the body. A storekeeper told of selling Russell shoes like those on the body. Articles found were identified as those of Russell's.

Other witnesses were to claim that the body is that of Brumfield. The black Sox, overalls, gray hair, watch, fountain pen, letters and other articles found on the body were identified as the property of Russell.

Points favoring Brumfield in the identification which were expected to be presented were the ring found on the finger, the shape of the fingers, the condition of the fingernails and the contour of the body.

### DOCTORS INDUCE LEPERS TO VISIT KALIHU STATION

Honolulu, T. H., July 19.—(A. P.)—A corps of doctors is to be dispatched to the islands of the Hawaiian group of the board of health to induce persons tainted with leprosy to enter Kalihu leprosy station here for the successful chaulmoogra oil treatment.

Moving pictures of life in the Kalihu station and at the old leper colony at Kalaupapa on the Island of Molokai, showing the beneficial effect of the refined chaulmoogra specific for leprosy, will be shown in all the towns and villages of Hawaii.

### PORTLAND MARKETS

Choice steers	.....\$6.75 @ \$7.25
Hogs, prime light	.....\$14.00 @ \$14.25
East mountain lambs	.....\$7.00 @ \$7.50
Prime lambs	.....\$6.00 @ \$6.50
Eggs, buying price	.....28c @ 30c
Eggs, fancy selects	.....36c
Butter, extra cubes	.....35c
Butter, prints	.....40c

Portland, July 19.—(A. P.)—Cattle, steady; hogs, weak; sheep, slow; eggs, firm, and butter, steady.

would be transferred to America, Asia and Africa.

"The diplomats and political agents of the bourgeoisie are at work trying to realize this plan.

"Our goal in the battle against world capitalism is not as near at hand as it seemed to us three or four years ago.

"The proletariat consists of many diverse sections, all different in their past and their political education. Owing to the enormous change wrought by the war most of the oppressed and backward elements of the proletariat are today the most impatient and most revolutionary, while those sections that have long taken part in the political evolution are more cautious and more reserved and, indeed, are displaying a certain degree of conservatism.

"It is for this reason that the feminist movement has such a great significance for the development of the revolutionary struggle. The army of women wage workers has been tremendously impressed during the war and revolution."

## ULSTER PREMIER LEAVES LONDON

Departure Not Held as Break of Negotiations, May Be Recalled Soon

Belfast, July 19.—(A. P.)—The return to Belfast of Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, and the members of his cabinet, from London, must not be taken as a rupture of the negotiations, said Colonel Spender, secretary of the peace delegation, on his arrival here. The delegation may be recalled to London next week.

De Valera is regarded as visionary, and Unionists feel that no discussion will be possible until he modifies his views regarding the Irish republic.

## COMMERCIAL PLANE WILL FLY TO-MORROW

Ivan R. Gates, manager of the Gates-Morris aviation company, is in the city today arranging for a series of flights and exhibitions on the local aviation field. Captain Emmet Tanner, who gained international fame by winning the transcontinental aerial race from New York to San Francisco and back in 1919, and Jinx Jenkins, of movie fame, will give the exhibitions. During the day they will give commercial flights and in the evening at 7 o'clock the exhibitions will be given. The plane will arrive in the morning from Ashland and will be here Wednesday and Thursday.

Jenkins does stunts such as hanging on the running gear with his toes and walking on the wings of the plane while it is doing stunts. One of his favorite tricks is hanging on the wings by a wire while the plane loops the loop. Tanner served in France and has seven German planes to his credit. The plan used here will be a three-passenger, 100-horsepower Martin. It is put out by the same company that puts out the Martin bomber.

Mr. Gates is a police aviator of San Francisco and the machine is one of those used in the aerial patrol in the bay city.

### PACIFIC COAST DELEGATION WILL TOUR THE FAR EAST

Shanghai, July 19.—(A. P.)—Plans were launched early today, the summer by American organizations and American interests in Shanghai to entertain the big trade delegation from the Pacific Coast that is to visit this port in making a tour of the Far East under the auspices of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. According to notices received in Shanghai, about 200 business representatives, with members of their families, will be in the party of travelers. Chinese business interests, as well as Americans residing in China strongly endorse this move to promote closer commercial and social relationship between the western states and the Far East.

## RUSSIAN-AMERICANS DEPORTED FROM UNITED STATES TRY TO GET BACK

Riga, Latvia, July 19.—(A. P.)—Little groups of Russian-Americans, who were deported or volunteered to go from America to soviet Russia, are trickling back across the Latvian frontier from the land of the bolshevik very frequently, these days, all with the hope of getting back to the United States.

These emigrants, according to American consular officials, who hear their stories and have to tell them there is not much chance for them to get back are greatly disappointed with what they found in the "Promised Land."

They tell of starvation and long rides in trains so packed with people that there is scarcely room to breathe. Besides those who have succeeded in getting to Latvia, there are many others who have written friends in Riga asking for money from America.

## \$5,000 PAID TO HIGHER-UPS BY BERGDOLLS

MAJOR BRUCE CAMPBELL SAID TO HAVE RECEIVED CASH BRIBE

### SAYS \$100,000 FIRST ASKED

Campbell Recently Told House Investigating Committee He Received No Money

Washington, July 19.—(A. P.)—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, of Philadelphia, today told the house committee investigating the escape of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, that she gave \$5,000 to Major Bruce Campbell, an army officer at Governors Island, for use "among high officials at Washington" to help obtain his freedom.

Mrs. Bergdoll said Campbell first demanded \$100,000, but she refused. She said Campbell wanted the money, not for himself but for higher-ups. Campbell recently told the committee he did not receive one dollar from the Bergdolls.

## ASPHALT IS CHANGED TO HOUSE FREE LIST

Washington, July 19.—(A. P.)—The house today transferred asphalt from the dutiable to the free list in the Fordney tariff bill, thus disposing of the last of the five contested schedules on which separate votes were permitted.

It also voted an increase in the duty on citric acid from ten to twelve cents a pound. Representative Longworth said California lemon growers needed this protection.

## TREATY WITH GERMANY IS BEGUN AT BERLIN

Washington, July 19.—(A. P.)—Diplomatic conversations for the treaty with Germany to follow up the recently adopted peace resolution, are understood to have begun in Berlin between Loring Dressel, the American commissioner, and the German foreign office.

### GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR SHOW DECREASE

Washington, July 19.—(A. P.)—Government expenditures during the fiscal year just ended dropped off by \$9,000,000,000 as compared with last year.

The Moscow correspondent of the Riga Rundschau writes as follows about the Russian-Americans inside the country:

"The members of the Russian communists expelled from America, who with wry faces are selling their last goods and chatties on the Moscow market places are increasing every day.

"The soviet government is doing its utmost to keep these people above water to giving them even whole factories to run and to manage. But as these factories are very much run down, even American spirit and energy is not sufficiently strong to set them in operation.

"A little better off are those of the immigrants who have managed to take with them from America their tools or goods produced by their trade.