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MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

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ROY WON'T NAME HIDING SPOT OF MAIL TRAIN LOOT

Gardner Admits Train Robbery But Refuses to Tell Location of Loot Till After Trial—Court Threatens to Punish for Contempt.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 7.—Roy Gardner, twice convicted of attempts to rob the United States mails and now on trial here for a third alleged mail robbery...

Gardner's continued refusal to tell where he had disposed of the mail sacks stolen from the mail car at Maricopa, Ariz., on November 3, brought a statement from Judge William H. Sawtelle, presiding at the trial...

Under cross examination Gardner said that he would not tell Thomas A. Flynn, United States district attorney, nor E. B. Chance, postoffice inspector, where the stolen sacks were hidden because he did not think he had been treated right...

AUSTRIA WIZARD SURGEON CALLS OFF ALL CLINICS

Dr. Lorenz Going Home—Opposition By Medical Profession Cause—Told Not to Let 'Damn Fool Type' Worry Him—Harbors No Malice.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Dr. Adolph Lorenz, famous Austrian surgeon, announced today that in view of the opposition to his professional activities in this country from the medical profession, he would discontinue further free clinics and return to Vienna as soon as possible.

"I harbor no malice against the American profession and hope they will soon reconsider and accept the proffered hand of friendship with their Austrian brethren," Dr. Lorenz said, in a statement.

"My great mission was to thank the American people for all they have done for the starving little children of Vienna. I did not fail in this."

Dr. Lorenz, however, did not disappoint 75 crippled children who had gathered at Health Commissioner Copeland's office today, seeking his aid. He went through with the examinations, diagnosing and advising modes of treatment for the little unfortunates which will be carried out by American doctors.

When Dr. Lorenz stopped to rest and sip some tea Dr. Copeland said to him: "We have in America a type of citizen we call 'damn fools.' Don't be disturbed by them."

"I have received word that my old university, the University of Michigan, is open for you. The health officer of Newark, Dr. Charles V. Craster, is here and he wants you to go there and assist in caring for the crippled in that city."

Dr. Lorenz replied: "I have done what I could with a clear conscience and a good heart. I will continue if God assists me."

Bulls Control NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Bull pools were in control of the stock market today, but the tighter money rates and pressure against speculative favorites caused a sharp reversal before the close. Sales approximated \$50,000,000 shares.

European Hard Times Flood Nation With Phoney Art Classics

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) Hard times in Europe have resulted in the dumping of "literally thousands" of art into the American market...

PHOTO-ELECTRIC CELLS TO MAKE MOVIES SPEAK

New Discovery By Prof. Jacob Kounz Turns Light Into Electric Pulses, and Word Curves Put On Films—Improvement On Discovery.

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 7.—A discovery which it "seems possible will make the movies of the future talk" was announced by the University of Illinois today.

The photo-electric cell is a device for turning flashes of light into electric pulses and is so sensitive that it reacts to light from stars which cannot be seen with the naked eye.

"Dr. Kounz' photo-electric cell in transforming light waves into electric pulses responds immediately to a light wave even after hours and days of use."

The selenium cell was used with some success by a Swedish scientist but Dr. Kounz' cell is declared by the university announcement to be far more sensitive and promises to give the perfect "photo-phone" of the future.

STEPS TAKEN TO PROTECT HIGHWAYS FROM BIG LOADS

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 7.—A closer co-operation between the county courts and the state highway department in working out a system to eliminate damage to highways by heavy truck hauling is urged in a letter to Governor Olcott from County Judge G. A. Gardner of Jackson county.

"It seems to us after considerable study that the best procedure would be for the county courts and the state highway engineer to work out the type of roads in the several counties and place a limit according to the condition of the several roads," says the letter.

"There should be ample power given to both the county courts and the state highway commission to regulate the loads."

Resume Russian Trade WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Preparations by the department of commerce for a possible resumption of trade relations with Russia at some future date are indicated in estimates for the next fiscal year submitted to congress.

CURFEW LAW FOR JUVENILES PUT UP TO COUNCIL

Parent-Teacher Ordinance in Favor of 18 Years and Nine o'Clock As Hour—Thought Too Drastic—Copy After Salem Law.

As a result of the visit of quite a delegation consisting of the members of the council of the local parent-teacher circles and other prominent citizens last night before the city council, and their submitting a tentative draft of a curfew ordinance, the city council will later on pass such an ordinance to prohibit the boys and girls of Medford from being on the streets of Medford late at night unless properly accompanied by elders.

This draft fixes the age limit under 18. Mayor Gates and some of the other councilmen think this limit is too high and favor it being fixed as 16 and under.

The proposed ordinance is designed to do away with the Anglo-Japanese alliance and proposals have gone to Japan for cancellation of that alliance if the new agreement should be acceptable.

A tentative proposal for an agreement between the United States and other powers to replace the Anglo-Japanese alliance has been called to London as well as to Tokyo, as a result of the last meeting of the arms conference "big three."

The proposed four-power agreement to deal with the Pacific islands is said to have already been given approval in principle by British representatives at the Washington conference.

The substance of the proposed treaty, also, it was said, has been cabled to Tokyo and Paris. The formal responses of the British, Japanese and French governments still remain to be received however.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.)—The Far Eastern committee of the Washington conference resuming its sessions today after a three-day recess, adopted a resolution providing for the neutrality of China in case of a war in which China is not a party.

The committee in executive session also discussed further China's requests for removal of foreign troops and for abandonment of leased territory in China, but deferred action on these questions until tomorrow.

The resolution, with respect to territorial integrity, adopted today provides that the powers shall observe in the future the territorial integrity of China, and also declares that foreign wireless stations in China shall be used only for official messages and not for commercial purposes.

The questions at issue between the United States and Japan relating to cable facilities and other matters affecting the island of Yap are to be dealt with in a separate treaty, which was said to be near completion.

Official confirmation that the suggestion for a new international concert has taken definite form was given today by the British. Details were not revealed, but an authorized British spokesman said that "suggestions were formulated and telegraphed to London," after a conference last week between Secretary Hughes, Arthur J. Balfour and Admiral Baron Kato.

Sympathy Strike ALBERT LEA, Minn., Dec. 7.—Engineers, firemen and steamfitters at the Wilson and company packing plant here went on strike today in sympathy with the striking meat cutters and butchers. They were declared to be acting on orders from national headquarters of their union.

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4 PLY PACT PUTS END TO JAP TREATY

Framed Only for Pacific Issues and Subject to Senate Action—World Capitals Consider Proposition—Talk War Over Before Going—Not An Economical Entente.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) The four power agreement being considered by the United States, Great Britain, Japan and France, it was learned today from official American sources, would be an agreement for joint consultation on any matter affecting interests of those nations in the Pacific and not an alliance or technical entente.

The agreement is in process of being reduced to treaty form it was said and if accepted is to be submitted to the senate.

The proposed undertaking is designed to do away with the Anglo-Japanese alliance and proposals have gone to Japan for cancellation of that alliance if the new agreement should be acceptable.

As now under negotiation the agreement is to be limited to the Pacific islands. Under the tentative proposals each of the powers would agree to consult each other before going to war on any differences that might arise relating to those islands.

The agreement, American officials said, would not deal with fortifications in the Pacific nor with questions relating to the island of Yap. Neither would it deal with any matters affecting China, but only those relating to islands of the Pacific.

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GUATEMALA IN REVOLT THROES RULER CAST OFF

Provisional Regime Established With General at Head—Liberals Long Opposed to Herrera—Many Leaders Imprisoned—All Quiet Today—Only Three Killed.

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press.)—The government of President Carlos Herrera was overthrown at midnight last night after fighting in which three persons were killed and several wounded.

The president surrendered his powers to a provisional government headed by General Jose Maria Lamons, General Orelana and Miguel Larraive, former under-secretary of war.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Carlos Herrera whose government was overthrown in the Guatemala revolution, which began Monday midnight, was reported to have been arrested today by the provisional government.

The provisional government is said to have imprisoned Foreign Minister Luis Aguirre, Finance Minister Emilio Escamilla, Vice-President Zelaya, the president of the congress, Rafael Pinol, and various members of the unionist party.

The casualties came as the result of resistance to the revolutionists by the city police. The country was tranquil today.

Carlos Herrera became provisional president of Guatemala after the revolution in April, 1920, in which the government of Estrada Cabrera was overthrown.

About a dozen persons were killed in the revolution, the official advisers received here today said, and many have been arrested. The Guatemalan capital was reported quiet at the time the dispatches were filed yesterday.

The revolution began about Monday midnight and was accomplished by five a. m. Tuesday, the advisers added.

Persons here in close touch with conditions in Guatemala, but outside official circles, said the revolt was no surprise as the liberal party, which is believed here to have brought about the revolution, has long been opposed to the Herrera government, particularly in its action in adopting the pact by which Guatemala entered the recently created Central American federation.

Adoption of the pact, liberal leaders claimed, was unconstitutional, as there was not present a quorum when the Guatemalan legislature ratified the treaty.

The same persons were of the opinion that the first immediate effect of the revolution would be the disruption of the present federation and the freeing from prison of Estrada Cabrera, former president, though it was believed no effort would be made to restore Cabrera to power.

Manuel Estrada Cabrera, son of the former president, is in Washington.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Madelynne Obenchain, indicted jointly with Arthur C. Burch for the murder of J. Belmont Kennedy, a broker, predicted Kennedy's death and her own imprisonment, according to testimony at the trial of Burch today by Mrs. Mary Bailliff, wife of an employee of the Los Angeles postoffice.

Mrs. Bailliff testified to several conversations she had with Mrs. Obenchain prior to August 5, the date of the slaying.

Crime Lodge Found, Help Brother Crooks, Divide Spoils Evenly

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Secrets of the "Knights of the Golden Circle" or "Big Four Inc.," were disclosed today when three "knights" were arrested and a book of rules and a charter were found upon them. The men were charged with an attempted hold-up.

Some of the pledges contained in the books of rules were: "We will never fail to help a brother in distress."

"On money taken shall be divided equally and each shall receive an equal share, regardless of what he performs."

BUSINESS PERKS UP IN OCTOBER, PRICES DECLINE

Widespread Stimulation Building—Banking Conditions On Incline—Production Equals 1913 Mark—Gasoline to Cost More in Future.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Continued improvement in business conditions in October was reflected notably in increased output of iron and steel and textile products and also a widespread stimulation in building, a department of commerce survey showed.

While prices continued to decline slightly during October, the survey showed, the relative stability of prices, as compared with preceding months and the improved banking situation as evidenced by smaller loans and interest rates were cited as conditions favorable to continued business improvement.

With the exception of metals, production in the important industries was shown to be equal or greater than the before-the-war average of 1913, many lines, including pig iron and cotton and tobacco manufactures, showing an increase of about one-third over the minimum production for the current year.

An increase of 70 per cent over the minimum was reported in bituminous coal, while the output of wheat flour, cement and wool products was shown to have been approximately double the minimum figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Crude oil and its by-products, including gasoline, will cost more in the future than they do at present, because of the difficulty experienced in getting the oil, Frank Baskel, president of the Tidal Oil company, told the American Petroleum institute today.

He said that the first paying wells drilled in the Mid-Continent fields were shallow, but that it is now necessary to go deeper and with appropriate cost in the drilling of wells.

MADELYNNE HAD VISION OF DEATH AND PRISON TERM

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REASON'S RETURN IN IRELAND ON WAY TO SUCCESS

Dail Eireann Cabinet to Meet Tomorrow—King George Frees Political Prisoners—Predict England and Ireland Will Prosper.

DUBLIN, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) An official call for a meeting of the Dail Eireann cabinet to be held at noon tomorrow was issued this afternoon. The meeting is to consider the agreement for an Irish settlement.

The publicity department of the Dail Eireann issued the following: "In view of the nature of the proposed treaty with Great Britain, President DeValera has sent an urgent summons to the members of the cabinet in London to report immediately so that a full cabinet decision can be taken. The hour of the meeting is fixed for noon tomorrow. The Dail will be summoned later."

BELFAST, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) Cardinal Logue, primate of Ireland, today spoke of the new Anglo-Irish agreement as "a fair settlement." He declined to make any further comment.

DUBLIN, Dec. 7.—The Irish Independent is enthusiastic over the peace agreement. It says that when the terms are ratified, as they doubtless will be, all estrangements and bitterness between England and Ireland will be forgotten and they will prosper side by side.

"Reason triumphed over force," says the Cork Examiner.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) King George today issued a proclamation releasing all political prisoners interned in Ireland.

Approximately 3400 interned persons are affected by the release order, which relates to all persons under internment as distinguished from those who have been tried and convicted. It was stated by the Irish office.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) Ulster's attitude toward the establishment of the Irish free state was expected to be defined today at a meeting of Sir James' cabinet. A copy of the treaty signed by the British and Sinn Fein peace delegates reached Belfast yesterday.

It is certain that the treaty will undergo searching examination before receiving the approval of Ulster, and many modifications undoubtedly will be proposed. Her consent however, is not necessary, as under the treaty terms she is given the option of retaining her present status, after revision of her boundaries by a commission.

Favorable action by the Dail Eireann is thought to be fairly well assured, and that of the imperial parliament, which has been summoned to meet December 14, is a foregone conclusion should the Dail approve the treaty.

It is pointed out, however, that nobody has yet drawn from Eamonn De Valera, Irish republican leader a statement as to his attitude toward the plan.

In some quarters it is said that the attitude of the Irish extremists is causing anxiety to the delegates. The only opposing voice of consequence thus far is that of Sir Edward Carson, former Ulster leader, who is quoted by the Morning Post as declaring:

"I never thought that I should live to see a day of such abject humiliation for Great Britain."

The Westminster Gazette expresses the opinion that the Irish republicans now in internment may be given amnesty immediately. The old rumor is revived that one of the king's sons may be appointed the first governor general of Ireland.

Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins and the other representatives of the Dail Eireann still in London will leave for Dublin tonight.

While the chief figures in effecting the settlement are receiving praise for the accomplishment, the men who worked out the details of the agreement are still hard at work. Of these men A. W. Cope, a former custom house officer in London and now under secretary of the Irish office, is receiving wide popular recognition as among those who did much to bring about the conference and contribute notably to its happy outcome.

He represented the British in arranging the truce which permitted negotiations to begin.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By Associated Press.) King George came to London from Sandringham today to preside at a meeting of the privy council and sign a proclamation calling a special session of the parliament.

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