

HURLEY DEMANDS PROOF OF G. O. P. 'CONSPIRACY'



Patrick J. Hurley (right), secretary of war in the Hoover administration, demanded in Washington that a senate committee require A. V. Dalrymple, former prohibition director and now a special assistant to the attorney general, to prove his story of a "conspiracy" to keep Republicans in the prohibition service...

ARTILLERY RAKES PARAGUAY DRIVE ON BOLIVIA FORT

Third Major Offensive Harvests 2000 Dead—Just Like Old Times In Great War, And Same Tactics.

BUENOS AIRES, June 23.—(AP)—Bolivian dispatches from the Chaco war front tonight claimed 2,000 Paraguayan soldiers had been killed or wounded in an unseasonable attack on Fort Ballivan, backbone of the Bolivian defenses.

Wholesale slaughter of men under a withering artillery barrage on a front only half a mile long was reported in the advices from La Paz, which asserted Bolivian casualties totaled only 61 dead and 170 wounded.

The Paraguayan command did not put out a definite estimate of casualties and was silent beyond claiming that withering machine gun fire had caused irreparable losses to Bolivian forces.

Advices indicated the Paraguayan army had been unsuccessful, however, in its third major offensive since March against the Bolivian stronghold.

Bolivian sources said a complete Paraguayan division, led by Colonel Brituelia had smashed through a Bolivian defensive line only to run into artillery trap.

Canon of large and small calibre as well as mortars were used by the Bolivian defenders to blast the Paraguayan attackers, stalled in their attempt to encircle the fort behind Condado in the Polcomayo sector.

Military tactics were brought into play by the Paraguayan command reminiscent of World war days in Europe.

ACCUSE WOMAN IN GUM POISONING

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 23.—(AP)—A warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Virginia McKenzie charging attempt to murder was telegraphed today by District Attorney Neil McAllister to Portland, Ore. McAllister accused Mrs. McKenzie with an attempt to poison Mrs. Georgia McKenzie, her two children and Mrs. G. A. Mosher, her mother, with chewing gum.

Mrs. Virginia McKenzie is the wife of R. B. McKenzie, a former Sacramento contractor, and Mrs. Georgia McKenzie is the divorced wife of McKenzie.

Three weeks ago four sample sticks of gum were found on the porch of Mrs. Georgia McKenzie's home here. Examination, authorities said, revealed sufficient poison in the gum to have killed a dozen persons.

DEATH OUTWITTED BY EXILED BYRD

LITTLE AMERICA, Antarctica, June 23.—(AP)—Read Admiral Richard E. Byrd has described by wireless a narrow escape from carbon monoxide poisoning on June 17 in his solitary base, 123 miles south of here.

Carbon monoxide from his kerosene stove and lights and from the engines which he uses in connection with scientific work are major hazards of the admiral's "farthest south" position.

His report of the spread of rums on June 17 explained why he broke off a wireless conversation shortly that day.

"I felt rocky," he reported, "and decided it would not be wise to continue operating the small engine mounted on a shelf in one of the tunnels leading from the shack."

The door of the tunnel had been left open and the poisonous fumes were penetrating the shack.

Salvationists Meet BOISE, Idaho, June 23.—(AP)—With three high officials of the Salvation Army present, 100 young men and women members of the organization from La Grande and Baker, Ore., and Boise, Twin Falls, Pocatello and Idaho Falls, gathered here tonight for a division conference which will close tomorrow.

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"Crime Doctor" Opens at Rialto



Scorning the beaten paths of detective stories, and unfolding in a novel and daring manner, "The Crime Doctor," with Otto Kruger, Karen Morley and Nils Asther featured, plays today and Monday at the Rialto theatre.

Kruger is shown as a noted criminologist whose wife's love for another man turns him away from the side of the law, and plots a diabolical scheme for a murder, with the lover pointed to as the guilty person through a fine web of circumstantial evidence.

As each damning fact is piled on the next one, tightening the net of evidence against the innocent man, the suspense mounts, to culminate in a powerful climax.

WAR PROFITS BAN INDUSTRIAL RULE URGED BY BARUCH

WASHINGTON, June 23.—(AP)—A dictatorship over the nation's entire industrial man power and industries in war time and the elimination of all profit from war through stringent federal control were advocated today by Bernard M. Baruch, international financier and chairman of the war industries board during the World war.

In an address before the army industrial college, Baruch pictured the World war and its destructive economic aftermath as a horrible object lesson. He advocated complete national control of all industry in the event of another war.

Baruch said virtual conscription of the nation's resources as well as its citizenship was vitally essential to win a war and to prevent a repetition of the "prostrating economic and social aftermath of the war."

"Today we are suffering from the economic, social and moral aftermath of the war," Baruch said. "We try to pay for it and get rid of it, but, after 16 years, we are just seeing our way out. It is our purpose and our duty to see that it does not happen again."

"Society demands the elimination of profiteering and above all the profit incentives of war," he continued, arguing that all industry during wartime should be sharply limited to a bare margin above actual manufacturing costs.

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To Bench Vacancy OLYMPIA, June 23.—(AP)—Timothy A. Paul, Walla Walla attorney and a member of the state advisory commission on liquor control, was chosen by Governor Clarence D. Martin today to fill the vacancy created on the Walla Walla county superior court bench by the death of Judge John C. Sharpstein earlier in the week.

'Carolina' at Roxy At Studio Today



With a star-studded cast, headed by such stellar performers as Janet Gaynor, Lionel Barrymore, Henrietta Crosman and Robert Young, opens at the Roxy theater today.

Laid against a Southern background of far-reaching tobacco plantations, the story centers about a decadent southern family striving to regain its former glory. The son of the family falls in love with a poor daughter of the north who has come to raise tobacco on a portion of the land.

Although his mother and uncle object to the girl, the young man is impressed by her talk, which stirs him to ways and means of rebuilding the plantation. How the young girl breaks down the icy dignity of the aristocratic family and brings prosperity and happiness to the old southern plantation is heralded as being one of the most vivid dramatic picturizations ever to be screened.

It is "The Cat and the Fiddle," which, as you probably surmise, has nothing whatever to do with cats and very little with fiddles. It is high romance flavored with heart-drama and spiced with some of the most glorious music of recent years. "The Cat and the Fiddle" embodies such glorious harmony that, when Ramon and Jeanette sing it, it will linger in memory for many a day.

9 NEGROES KILLED IN TRUCK CRASH

GATAWBA, N. C., June 23.—(AP)—An investigation was begun today into the collision of two trucks near here last night which killed nine negroes and injured 25 others, some of whom are not expected to recover.

The negroes, all in one truck, were enroute to Mooresville, near here, to attend a celebration. The crash occurred on a sharp curve. The other truck driven by Ed Alford of Mount Airy, was carrying a consignment of rayon.

Neither Alford nor C. H. Setzer, of Newton, driver of the truck which was transporting the negroes, was injured. The two drivers, both white men, were held under bonds of \$2,500 each pending investigation.

Heads Nominally RIVERSIDE, Cal., June 23.—(AP)—Lieut. Col. H. H. Arnold, commander

of March field, army air base near here, will leave tomorrow for Wright field, Dayton, Ohio, preparatory to taking over command of the army's announced flight from Washington to Nome, Alaska. He will board a commercial air liner at a Los Angeles field.

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Attention I.O.O.F.

Charles F. Poole, grand master, will make his official visit to our lodge Tuesday evening, June 28. He will be accompanied by Brig. Gen. John Oliver, department commander P. M. All members and visiting members requested to be present. Refreshments. A. M. CLARK, Noble Grand.

POST DILLINGER AND AIDE REWARD

WASHINGTON, June 23.—(AP)—Attorney General Cummings today offered a reward of \$10,000 for the capture of John Dillinger, the desperado, and \$5,000 for his fellow-gangster, Lester M. Gillis, alias George "Baby Face" Nelson.

He also announced \$5,000 would be paid for information leading to Dillinger's arrest and \$2,500 for similar information about Gillis.

Posting of the rewards followed a conference of justice department officials at which plans were made for beginning a comprehensive campaign against crimes of violence that fell under federal statutes.

In this they will be aided by a number of laws passed at the last session of congress.

FIX LUMBER RATE TO CURB EVASION

WASHINGTON, June 23.—(AP)—To eliminate possible evasions of the NRA minimum prices on bids for lumber to be shipped to the Panama canal zone, the lumber code authority today set a freight rate of 88 a thousand feet from the west coast division to the canal.

To this rate, which will become effective June 28, the authority ruled, will be added other delivery costs as provided in previous orders on minimum prices for Douglas fir and west coast hemlock.

DEBT TALKS BID CHEER GERMANY

BERLIN, June 23.—(AP)—Distinctly encouraged by the British invitation to talk over the problem of foreign debts, German government officials, led by Chancellor Hitler himself, devoted their attention today to a series of conferences on the problem.

The chancellor was understood to be taking an active part in the deliberations, and it was evident that eventually Germany will accept the British proposal, after a policy has been decided upon and negotiations named.

The British invitation, coming in the midst of threats to collect interest on the Dawes and Young loans by impounding a distinct victory for Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank.

Jury Disagrees Again PORTLAND, Ore., June 23.—(AP)—The second trial of Mrs. Hazel Matton, 37, charged with the first degree murder for shooting her estranged husband, ended today when the jury disagreed and was discharged.

OFFICIAL'S WIFE ESCAPES AFTER WILD AUTO RIDE

where to find them in the store. While Ward was in the store, Mrs. Dillard made her escape.

A farmer told the police that Ward was hiding in a barn. Officers searched several buildings but found no trace of Ward.

One of the officers looked up the highway and saw Ward trying to break into another car.

Just as Ward had opened the car, by breaking one of the door handles, and as he was searching through Mrs. Abella's purse, the officer ordered him to halt. Ward started to put up his hands, then he suddenly reached for his gun. The policeman hit Ward over the head with a flashlight, then forced him into the car and brought him into Eugene.

Officers tracing the Dillard machine, said tracks showed that the car had been driven wildly, careening from one side to the other. They were at a loss to account for Ward's sudden actions, but pointed out that he had been arrested frequently on various liquor charges in the past here.

BACK BROKEN IN DESPONDENT LEAP

CARLTON, Ore., June 23.—(AP)—Mrs. Dotsey Hurner, 38, was found in a few inches of water 30 feet below a bridge between here and Lafayette late today, with her back broken, apparently in a jump from the bridge in the dark. A six-pound sledge hammer and a mackinaw with the sleeves pinned behind the back were found near her. She was taken to a McMinnville hospital.

Mrs. Hurner had been despondent because of a separation from her husband, officers said.

MEDFORD EAGLES WIN MIXED DRILL

MARSHFIELD, Ore., June 23.—(AP)—On competitive drills of the Eagles convention the Portland team took first honors, with Salem second. Medford's mixed drill team took first place, and the Pendleton women's team was declared a winner, with Cottage Grove second.

The Cottage Grove aerial took first in class A ritualistic work with a drill team, and Klamath Falls took first place in Class B.

GRAFT CHARGES IN MINNESOTA CWA

MINNEAPOLIS, June 23.—(AP)—Charging that men employed on federal public work projects "have been forced to contribute to the farm labor association," republican leaders today requested Secretary L. Ickes, public works administrator, to investigate the handling of federal funds in Minnesota.

Ward P. Senn, chairman of the Hennepin county (Minneapolis) Republican committee, demanded that Governor Floyd B. Olson, farmer labor, submit to the taxpayers of Minnesota "a detailed statement" covering the expenditure of approximately \$24,000,000 in federal funds which, G. O. P. leaders claim, passed through the governor's hands.

CAMAS ENDS WILD PIONEER SPREE

CAMAS, Wash., June 23.—(AP)—Some 12,000 Oregon and Washington residents today were present at the third and climatic days of Camas' wild spree. Feature of the day was a mile-long parade with prairie schooners, stage coaches and other remnants of the old west in prominent positions.

A rodeo, whiskey contest and a dance were included in the day's program. The celebration will close Sunday.

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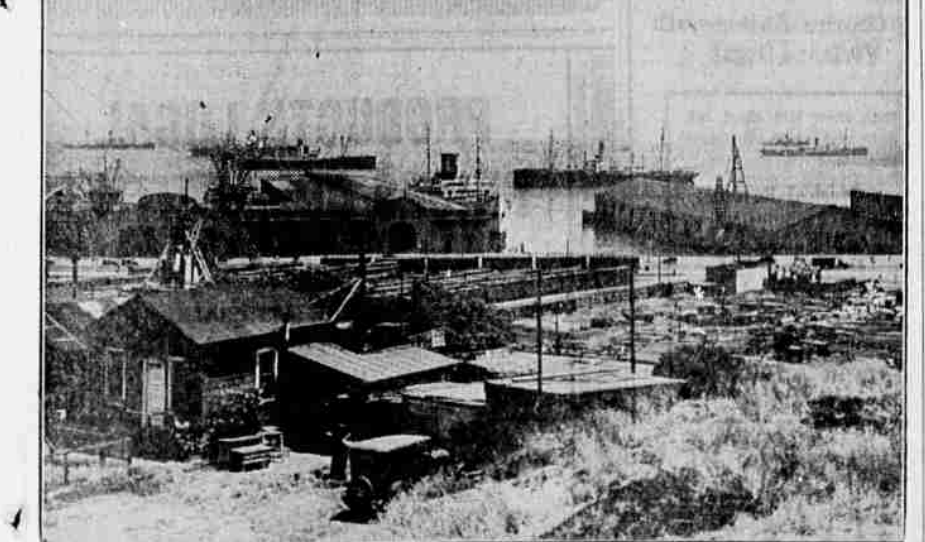
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SHIPS ARE TIED UP IN HARBOR IN DOCK STRIKE



More than 60 cargo vessels were laid up in San Francisco bay due to the longshoremen's strike which has affected all ports between Canada and Mexico on the Pacific coast. A section of the San Francisco waterfront is shown with ships at piers and anchored in the stream to save wharfage charges. (Associated Press Photo)

Hotel San Pablo advertisement listing amenities like 'Convenience and Economy', 'FREE GARAGE', and 'MODERN COFFEE SHOP'. Includes address: San Pablo Ave. at 20th St., Oakland, Calif.

Advertisement for The First National Bank featuring a 'SAVINGS BANK' table with columns for 'DATE' and 'WITHDRAWN'. Includes the slogan 'A HAPPY MARRIED LIFE DEPENDS ON...' and 'Having the wisdom to have saved enough money to establish a little home...'.

Advertisement for Madrona Dairy featuring the slogan 'How's everybody?' and 'The Madrona Dairy's pure, raw milk is a tempting treat for everyone in the family...'.