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FRANCE THREATENS QUIT LEAGUE



By PAUL MALLON (Copyright, 1936, by Paul Mallon)

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The economy program appears to have been mislaid lately under a pile of papers on President Roosevelt's desk. More than six weeks have passed since the program started, but the president has been dodging any talk about specific saving figures. All he has been saying is that he has been scraping the bottom of the barrel, but he will not say what came off.

The reason seems to be that he has not been able to get much worth talking about. Those who have had an opportunity to look into the barrel have noticed that the president has been encountering some difficulties.

Their tip is that the bulk of economic will be effected with a pencil rather than a scraper. That is, some of the spending bureaus have found they cannot spend as much as they thought they could. Their economies, therefore, have been effected mainly by adding up their unspendable surplus.

Moderates within Mr. Roosevelt's official family cite what has happened to Dr. Tugwell as a typical example. It seems that all of Mr. Roosevelt's advisers are against Tugwell's activities. Unanimously they personally consider his rural resettlement program economically unwarranted. They want to cut him down to nothing.

But Dr. Tugwell is supposed to have figured that he can use somewhere around \$200,000,000 of his original plan. The moderates think he could not spend the other \$100,000,000 if he tried. This amount is being listed as savings. Thus, Dr. Tugwell, up to the time this was written, had survived the scraper. That explains why he recently obtained extension of his leave from Columbia university for another year and has settled down quietly to his retooling again.

Inside his organization there is still considerable uncertainty about jobs. The only groups of his employees who figure themselves secure and safe are those performing work in which Mrs. Roosevelt is most interested.

Neat handling of congress on the tax program by the treasury was a carefully planned strategy. Most significant was the way Treasury Secretary Morgenthau ducked away from mentioning the house ways and means committee. Instead of appearing himself, he sent his lawyer, Herman Oliphant, and Internal Revenue Commissioner Helvering.

Mr. Helvering chose his words with care. When called upon to submit possible alternatives to the Roosevelt program, he selected the most objectionable one he could find. He mentioned such politically distasteful possibilities as a general sales tax, lower income exemptions and a 33-1/3 percent increase in tobacco taxes.

The tobacco suggestion was prepared especially for the effect it would have on Chairman Doughton of the committee and Speaker Byrns.

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SIDE GLANCES by TRIBUNE REPORTERS

A. S. Bliton sauntering along so absorbed in perusing some notes on slips of paper in his hand that he made three absent-minded stabs at his mouth before connecting with his pipe.

Mrs. Millicent Goldstone parking a heavy sack while a lady acquaintance stood on the curb and struck her tongue out at the laboring driver, the two then laughing and chewing the fat together.

Mrs. Mike Caddock, re. Ray Frisberg chiding her husband half to death with a towel: "If an could have got to that ring, and I have taken off my shirt and killed him with it. Ah might yet. If an ever see him again."

Bill Hutchinson, meteorologist, sitting back with a look of having done a tough job well, in chubbing up the clouds ordered by the Chamber of Commerce and the cinema industry.

H. C. Dove fixing a cold, stern eye upon the forestry service hands, since his is the job of maintaining decorum during the absence of Karl Jansson.

Stan Sherwood and Howard LeClerc pouring the city in a brand new Ford, and looking very uppity.

LOCARNO PARLEY TO GET WARNING IS PARIS REPORT

French Spokesman Says War Coming Within Two Years, Might As Well Have It Now While Ready

(Copyright, 1936, by United Press) STRASBOURG, Mar. 11.—(UP)—Conditions of actual warfare, minus only the shooting, prevailed on France's fortified eastern frontier today.

(Copyright, 1936, by United Press) PARIS, March 11.—(UP)—The French war ministry today announced that "all active frontier forces have been placed on an alarm footing."

Although the orders are but one step removed from mobilization, army commanders denied that mobilization is impending.

By John Evans Copyright, 1936, by the Associated Press

PARIS, March 11.—A high source declared today that France will quit the league of nations unless Great Britain backs her demand that Reichsfuehrer Hitler withdraw his troops from the Rhineland. This source stated that Pierre-Etienne Flanin, France's foreign minister, will take a warning of such possible action with him when he goes to London tomorrow for a conference of Locarno treaty signatories.

Officials said Flanin was prepared to tell Anthony Eden, British foreign secretary, that France was not alone in her stand against further occupation of the Rhineland by German troops.

An authoritative spokesman declared: "We know war is coming in two years anyhow. We might as well have it now, while we are prepared."

GENEVA, March 11.—(AP)—Representatives of five nations allied in the little and Balkan entente decided today to support the French protest against German reoccupation of the Rhineland.

The nations represented at the session were Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Yugoslavia composing the little entente, and Greece and Turkey, which, with Rumania and Yugoslavia, make up the Balkan entente.

The delegates took their stand at a meeting over which Nicholas Titulescu, foreign minister of Rumania, presided. Titulescu was to leave for London tonight to attend the session of the league of nations council.

Some league circles forecast a preliminary exchange of views on the proposal for peace in east Africa will also be considered at the London council session together with the Locarno situation.

GIRL DRUM CORPS IN HIGH SCHOOLS

Formation of two drum-and-bugle corps for girls, one in the Senior and one in the Junior high schools, has been completed and practice is already underway, it was announced today.

F. Wilson Welt, director of music in the Senior high school is in charge of the project, with Miss Alice Spurgin heading the Senior high corps and Miss Delille Whitehead at the helm of the Junior high corps.

First public appearance of the group will be on May Day, when they will participate in a musical celebration, and already they have been signed to take part in the Memorial Day parade and program.

Uniforms are being made by the sewing classes of the two schools.

"Fool" Cries Zioncheck, "Jackass" Ekwall Reply

WASHINGTON, March 11.—(AP)—The house was thrown into an uproar today when the epithets "fool" and "jackass" were exchanged by two representatives.

Representative Zioncheck (D. Wis.) told the house he would not object to Representative Ekwall (R. Ore.), discussing communism and free speech, "if he wants to make a fool of himself."

"If anybody has made a bigger jackass of himself this session than the gentleman from Washington, I don't know who it is," Ekwall retorted.

Last Cruise



Death created a new gap in the fast thinning ranks of British war leaders when Earl Beatty, 65, (above) world war navy hero, succumbed after a long illness.—(A. P. Photo.)

ADMIRAL BEATTY, WORLD WAR HERO, TO LAST REWARD

LONDON, March 11.—(AP)—Earl Beatty, 65, World war navy hero and former first lord of the admiralty died early today at his London home, his long illness having been aggravated by attendance at the funerals of King George V and Earl Jellicoe.

The death of the square jawed, keen eyed retired admiral of the first originator of the world-famed "Beatty-Tilly" the jaunty name at which he wore his cap, created a new gap in the fast thinning ranks of British war leaders.

War time Premier David Lloyd George and Winston Churchill among the statesmen, Field Marshal Viscount E. H. H. Allenby and Field Marshal Sir William Riddell Birdwood among the generals, and Admiral Sir Roger J. B. Keyes, representing the navy

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TURKEY BROKERS UNDER ARREST ON LOCAL COMPLAINT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—(AP)—Police arrested Clarence Molinari, 38, and Albert Micheli, 37, at their homes here Tuesday, at the request of Sheriff Syd Brown of Jackson county, Oregon.

The men, former commission merchants, are accused of failing to pay for an order of turkeys consigned to them from Oregon several weeks ago.

Extradition of Molinari and Micheli, arrested in San Francisco yesterday, on a secret indictment returned by the last Jackson county grand jury, charging larceny by embezzlement, is sought by the district attorney. Requisition papers will be filed with the governor's office at Salem. A telegram was received this morning by the sheriff's office, stating:

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SUGAR REFINERIES UP WHOLESALE PRICE 10c

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—(AP)—The Spreckels Sugar company, California beet sugar producer, and the Western Sugar refinery announced a lift of 10 cents per hundred pounds in the wholesale price of sugar today.

California Hawaiian Sugar Refining Co. also posted equal increases.

MOTHER REPORTS CHILDREN TAKEN

Mrs. Elaine James, 603 South Riverside avenue, this morning reported to city police that her two children, Dixie, 3 1/2 years and "Sonny," 2 1/2 years, had disappeared from the yard.

Neighbors stated that they saw a roadster driven by a woman, with another man and a woman in the car, drive up to the yard and take the two children away. The roadster was believed to have been equipped with white license plates, neighbors reported.

The machine was headed south when last seen. The children's father is now living in Eureka, Cal., and recently filed divorce proceedings against his wife, to which she filed objections.

DOG LICENSE PURCHASE 1000 UNDER LAST YEAR

The county clerk's office, up to the close of business yesterday issued 1861 dog licenses, approximately 1000 less than the number issued last year.

Senate Cuts Off Ocean Mail Subsidy

DORE REELECTED SEATTLE MAYOR IN SURPRISE VOTE

New Order of Cincinnati Suffers Stunning Setback — Victor Says Cincinnati Resemble Fascists

SEATTLE, Wash., March 11.—(AP)—The new order of Cincinnati, although attuned by defeat in its first major political battle in the Pacific northwest, today promised its supporters to "carry on."

Former Mayor John F. Dore, 54, in a remarkable political comeback, today, on unofficial count, was mayor-elect of Seattle by defeating Cincinnati candidate, Arthur B. Langlie, 35, by 7,000 votes—a majority unpredicted even by Dore's followers.

Two other Cincinnati candidates, Albert H. Kelley and Carlos R. Zaner, were defeated. They ran fifth and six in a field of six seeking three council seats.

Councilman Robert H. Harlin, ex-Councilman David Levine, union labor leaders, and Councilman Frank J. Laube, former University of Washington instructor, won the council race.

Three On Council The election still leaves Langlie and two other Cincinnati advocates in the nine-member council.

"We offered what we thought a constructive program for all the people of Seattle, and the support given Cincinnati candidates indicates a good number of people interested in good, clean government," said Langlie.

Fascist Tinge Seen In an interview granted the Associated Press immediately after the election, Dore said: "The election demonstrates that the American people will not turn a city over to a semi-military organization as the new order of Cincinnati would have done."

"The only difference between the Cincinnati and the Fascist is the former wear green caps and the latter colored shirts," Dore said.

It looked today as though the pilots and technicians of Columbia Pictures corporation who came all the way to Medford for clouds would be rewarded tomorrow for their long journey from Hollywood.

The meteorological bureau forecast clearing weather with showers tomorrow. The somewhat cryptic prediction, it was explained, meant cloud formations would break up, to the accompaniment of rain.

"Would that help the movie men who are looking for a special brand of clouds?" the bureau was asked. "It should give them exactly the kind of clouds they want," was the encouraging reply.

"Rain and warmer" was the forecast for tonight.

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Yesterday was the final day for the payment of dog license fees without the 1c penalty, making the fee now for male dogs or spayed female dogs, \$2 and for female dogs \$2.50.

LOBBY COMMITTEE IS BARRED FROM SCANNING WIRES

Supreme Court Enjoins Western Union Surrender of Strawn Communications — Hint Senate May Act

WASHINGTON, March 11.—(AP)—The supreme court of the District of Columbia today permanently enjoined the Western Union Telegraph company from surrendering to the senate lobby committee messages sent by the law firm of Winston, Strawn and Shaw of Chicago.

The ruling was delivered by Chief Justice Alfred A. Wheat, who said a blanket subpoena served by the senate committee upon the telegraph company, "goes beyond any legitimate exercise of senatorial powers."

The court acted after Crampton Harris, counsel for the lobby committee, had hinted that the senate itself might go ahead in the face of an injunction and order Western Union to produce the telegrams.

"The senate, not being a party to this proceeding, would not be bound by the injunction," his brief said. "In the event it should form a different opinion than that adopted by this court, it might insist on ordering the defendant (Western Union) to do the very thing which the court had enjoined the defendant from doing."

The brief noted that the senate has the right to hold in contempt any person flouting a valid subpoena.

HORSE ROUND-UP STARTS SUNDAY

Jackson county's big round-up of feral and fawn wild horses will start on the Little Applegate Sunday.

Stockmen of the area who signed a petition seeking relief from the mustang menace were today grooming their own stream-line steeds and alertness of wild horses, they were outlining their campaign of strategy in the hope of taking the wandering herd by surprise.

Lee Ford, forest ranger in charge of the round-up, was supervising the finishing touches to the big corral erected at a camp on Muddy Gulch about a mile and a half off the road. The corral is made of poles, with two long wings into which the riders of the range hope to funnel the meandering mustangs.

While the horsemen ride, the entire personnel of the Applegate CCC camp will take up strategic positions on foot in an effort to shoo the hurtling herd into the corral. There seemed to be no fear that the horses would shoo the CCC boys into the corral.

ELKS WILL DISCUSS IMPORTANT MATTER

A subject of vital importance to every Elk in the Rogue River valley will be discussed at a special meeting of the Medford lodge tomorrow night, with delegates attending from Grants Pass and Ashland, it was announced today by Exalted Ruler E. W. Winkley.

A very entertaining program has been arranged, including the high school band. A feed with beer will be provided after the meeting of the lodge.

Exalted Ruler Winkley asked that all Elks be present.

SCOTTISH RITE FEAST CELEBRATION TONIGHT

Scottish Rite Masons of southern Oregon will gather at the Masonic temple tonight in the celebration of the Kadosh feast day. Supper will be served in the temple dining room at 6:30. Talks on the origin and objects of the Kadosh will be given.

Every Scottish Rite Mason in the section is urged to be present, and to witness the conferring of the Thirty-third Degree. A full team of thirty members will participate in the work.

A ton of New Zealand eels have been shipped to England for analysis of vitamins in body and liver oils.

Slayer Undergoes Lie Test



Jerome von Braun Selz, 27, who was reported by authorities to have confessed killing Mrs. Ada French Rice, 55, with a poker at Berkeley, Calif., home is shown as he was subjected to a lie detector at Berkeley. His alleged confession was made several hours later. Questioning, left to right: Deputy Sheriff Thomas Maloney of San Mateo county, M. L. Britt, automobile theft investigator, and inspector Ralph Pidgeon of the Berkeley police. Selz, first arrested on an auto theft charge, was occupying Mrs. Rice's home. (Associated Press Photo)

ST. HELENS PUPILS ABANDON STRIKE AFTER POINT WON

ST. HELENS, Ore., March 11.—(AP)—Four hundred high school students went back to their classes today upon the plea of the superintendent for whom they struck Monday after the board of education failed to renew his contract.

Picket lines were abandoned and the two-day strike came to an end with reports that J. R. Austin, superintendent, would retain his job, although the board had notified him of his dismissal.

Austin, unsuccessful in an effort to stop organization of the strike by student body leaders, induced the pupils to abandon the demonstration by appealing to them through the local Kiwanis club, of which he is president.

Students talked freely of "walking out again" if the board refuses to reconsider its action.

At Albany college, 100 miles south of here, faculty leaders called a mass meeting tonight, at which President Thomas W. Bibb's charges of "narrow-mindedness" and "religious persecution" will be aired.

Dr. Dobb's action to remedy conditions he described as detrimental to the college and student body by naming a faculty censor for the undergraduate paper, the "Orange Peel" and creating a committee of internal affairs.

When her car skidded into the ice of Dan river stream, Mrs. Essie Collins of Madison, N. C., swam to safety.

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Hint Bachelor Monarch Considering Matrimony

By BURDETTE T. JOHNS Associated Press Foreign Staff LONDON, March 11.—(AP)—The possibility of Edward VIII, bachelor king of England, may marry was officially announced in the house of commons today in a message signed by the king.

The unmarried status of Edward, now 41 years old, long has been one of the outstanding topics of conversation in the British empire and the world at large.

As Prince of Wales, he was termed "the world's most eligible bachelor." Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, read a royal message to the assembled legislators in which Edward pointed out the necessity of revising the civil list—the amounts paid to the members of the royal family.

HEATED DEBATE PRECEDES VOTE ON LEGISLATION

Appropriation of \$26,500,000 Hit by Southern Dems—Maine Republican Voices Plea for Coin

WASHINGTON, March 11.—(AP)—The senate today passed the \$975,000,000 treasury-postoffice appropriation bill after eliminating a \$26,500,000 house item for continuation of ocean mail subsidy contracts.

The bill now goes to conference for action on the subsidy and other amendments.

There was no record vote either on the bill or the subsidy elimination. The debate, however, preceded the subsidy action. It left the impression that should new ship subsidy legislation not be enacted, the money would be provided in a later deficiency bill.

The vote came within a minute after a plea from Senator White (R., Me.) for restoration of the sum to carry on the subsidy which has in part supported the merchant marine since 1928.

The appropriation was attacked by Senators Black (D., Ala.) and Glass (D., Va.) as an indirect subsidy, while they favored payment of any subsidy directly.

White said he freely conceded the ocean mail contracts were an "indirect subsidy" of the merchant marine "but I deny they are dishonest or fraudulent."

"I concede," White said, "that many were imprudent, some were unwise and some should not have been entered into, but I deny they are illegal."

The action of the senate left advocates of ship subsidy the alternative of pushing substitute legislation through a wall of opposition or attempting to restore the ocean mail subsidy appropriation in later legislation.

TAX DRAFTERS TO KEEP TREASURY'S FIGURES SECRET

WASHINGTON, March 11.—(AP)—A house ways and means subcommittee today clamped a "gas" on any further disclosures of treasury data submitted as a basis for working out President Roosevelt's \$792,000,000 tax program.

Coincidentally, there were intimations the subcommittee was approaching an understanding that tax rates on undistributed corporate earnings will be adjusted so as to meet any loss of revenue occasioned by providing a "cutback" reserve for corporations and by exempting banks, insurance companies and fiduciary organizations from the projected corporate levy.

Some committee members estimated that higher rates in higher brackets than those originally advanced by the treasury may be resorted to if needed to assure the yield of \$620,000,000 of additional income which the administration is seeking from the corporate tax.

Emerging from a subcommittee session, Representative Vinson (D., Ky.) asserted: "I can't talk because of a gag."

Chairman Samuel B. Hill (D., of Wash.), said other members of the subcommittee had opposed his previous procedure of giving out information as it was received by the sub-

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MRS. ELDRIDGE HURT IN STAIRWAY TUMBLE

Mrs. E. N. Eldridge suffered injuries to her feet and ankles yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Helen Hulla on Florence avenue, when she slipped what she thought to be a door into another room, but which was an entrance to the basement and fell down the stairs.

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