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Editorials On the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS TWO more European nations announce that they intend to default on their war debt installments due the United States on June 15.

THAT, of course, would amount to locking the stable after the horse is stolen, but locking the stable now will insure against stealing ANOTHER horse.

MRS. L. R. WYCOFF, of Sac City, Iowa, gives birth to quadruplets, increasing the number of her family to nine. She announces that she is proud of them, but at the same time feels sorry for them because they won't have the privileges they should.

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TRUE enough. Still, if they can give them healthy bodies, good common sense and willingness to work hard in order to get what they want, these children probably won't do so badly.

"AIR Crashes Kill Fifteen," we read in the headlines, and are greatly shocked. "Air travel," we say to ourselves, "is certainly dangerous."

READING farther into the paper, we discover, on an inside page, under a small headline, this dispatch from Madrid, in Spain:

"The Asturian express today struck an auto bus near Pola de Gordon, killing 18 persons and injuring six critically and four slightly."

That is to say, ONE railroad accident claims more lives than the three airplane accidents, but the three airplane accidents get the big headlines.

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POLICE, STRICKERS CLASH Darrow Board Makes New NRA Attack

General Johnson Declared Unfit to Direct Codes

"Arbitrary Exercise of Power" Charged to Administrator.

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WASHINGTON, June 12. (AP)—A new denunciation of NRA methods and codes, filed with President Roosevelt by the Darrow review board, contained a demand for searching inquiry into alleged "arbitrary exercise of power" by Hugh S. Johnson.

Johnson Scouts Changes At a press conference, Johnson labeled this charge "ridiculous." He said probably 50 per cent of the codes had to be changed before going to the president and that in every case the industry had been informed.

Copies Given Out The report, supposedly confidential until released by the (Continued on Page Eight)

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Baseball NATIONAL LEAGUE. Philadelphia 5 7 0 Chicago 6 7 1 Darrow, Johnson and Todd; Weaver, Joiner, Tinning and Hartnett.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Detroit 8 5 0 Boston 2 7 1 Bridges and Cochrane; Rhodes, Penneck and R. Ferrell. Chicago at Washington, Cleveland at Philadelphia, postponed, rain.

St. Louis at New York called in first half of fifth. West grounds. The score stood: New York 3, St. Louis 1. (Ruth's tenth homer did not count in the averages).

TRAIN WRECKERS FAIL IN AUSTRIA

Plotters Attempt to Kill Minister of Public Security.

VIENNA, June 12. (AP)—Train wreckers again today attempted to kill Emil Fey, minister of public security of Austria, by derailing the main line express.

Both Tracks Destroyed. Frequent efforts have been made to kill Fey. Today the wreckers dynamited (Continued on Page Eight)

IDAHO TO BENEFIT FROM RIVER PLAN

PORTLAND, Ore., June 12 (AP)—R. H. Kipp, executive vice-president of the Columbia Valley association, said the adoption by congress of the bill bringing the Columbia and Snake rivers under provisions of the inland waterways corporation act is of interest largely to the Lewis and Clark, Idaho, area, and of little importance to the Portland region.

JAPANESE CONSUL MISSING IN CHINA

SHANGHAI, June 12 (AP)—The Japanese government officials informed China today that it holds China responsible for the disappearance of Elmer Kuramoto, Japanese vice consul at Nanking, and reserved the right to take whatever action in the matter Japan considers appropriate.

Tax on Potato Bags Eliminated WASHINGTON, June 12 (AP)—Senator Popp (D-Idaho) was notified by the agricultural adjustment administration today that the compensatory potato tax on burlap bags used for wheat, potatoes, onions and other farm produce, had been removed.

HEAVY STORM ROARS OVER BASIN AREA

Brilliant Electrical Disturbance Occurs on Monday Night.

POWER COMPANY REPORTS DAMAGE

One Forest Fire, Started in Moss Creek District, Put Out.

Lightning flashed and thunder roared over the Klamath Basin Monday evening in one of the most brilliant electric storms ever witnessed here.

Transformers Damaged Lightning damaged many of the California Oregon Power company's transformers in all districts of the county, with several burning out completely and others merely burning out fuse plugs.

One Fire Started One forest fire in the Moss creek area west of Upper Klamath lake was started by the lightning, but was extinguished by the heavy downpour of rain which followed.

Clear Lake Reservoir reported a total precipitation of 1.10 inches of rain and hail in approximately one hour Monday evening.

High Temperature Set The thunder storm followed the highest temperature of the year, recorded at 90 degrees about noon Monday. The rain cooled the atmosphere, and Tuesday's high point was registered at 86 degrees.

The state weather bureau forecast was for fair weather tonight and Wednesday with occasional (Continued on Page Eight)

NO APPOINTMENT IN HOLC NAMED

PORTLAND, June 12. (AP)—J. P. Lipscomb, manager of the Oregon Home Owners' Loan corporation, said today no action has yet been taken toward appointment of a successor to Edward B. Ashurst, who recently resigned as district manager of the Klamath Falls HOLC office.

WHITE HOUSE GETS BANKING MEASURE

WASHINGTON, June 12 (AP)—A bill to continue bank deposit insurance in liberalized form and to authorize additional aid to depositors in closed banks was sent to the White House today by congress.

Tourist Crop for Summer Shows Rapid Gains Here A healthy 1934 tourist crop is indicated in Klamath Falls out-of-state auto registration, which is rising to a new all-time record for this station and is far outstripping other larger points in the state in the percentage of gain over last year.

Tugwell Wins Senate Vote

AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE APPROVES CANDIDACY OF F. R. MAN

WASHINGTON, June 12. (AP)—By a decisive 16 to 2 vote, the senate agriculture committee today approved the nomination of Rexford G. Tugwell to be undersecretary of agriculture.

Only Chairman Smith, demo, S. C. of the committee and Senator Hatfield, republican, W. Va., voted against promotion of Tugwell from the \$7,500 a year post of assistant secretary to the new position paying \$10,000.

Supporters of Tugwell, one of President Roosevelt's chief advisors, predicted the senate would confirm him without difficulty. A vote may be obtained tomorrow.

Republicans Seek Younger Members Fletcher to Concentrate Drive on Women and Young Voters.

WASHINGTON, June 12. (AP)—A determined G. O. P. effort to enlist support of young republicans and the woman vote was outlined today by Henry P. Fletcher, new party chairman, in his first capital press conference.

The new republican leader stressed "the absolute necessity of enlisting the younger element of the party."

New Deal Debt Studied "I am going out to do that," Fletcher said. "Also we found out in the last Pennsylvania campaign how valuable the women can be when they are really interested."

Asked what issue would be placed before the younger voters, Fletcher replied: "One issue will be that it will rest on their shoulders to pay this huge national debt being piled up."

The new chairman received newsmen in an office at committee headquarters in which the name of Everett Stearns, the last chairman, still appeared in gold letters.

Just before nearly half a hundred reporters filed in, Representative Hamilton Fish of New York remarked: "The republican party is still alive. We'll go forward to victory."

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STATE GRANGE MEETS TODAY AT ROSEBURG

Ray Gill, Master, Urges Abolishment of Lower House.

FARM PROBLEMS GIVEN THOUGHT

Local Option on Liquor Control Considered in Address.

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 12 (AP)—With more than 1,000 delegates and visitors already in attendance, the 61st annual convention of the Oregon State Grange was called to order here this morning.

The opening of the convention followed conferences for home economics committees and county deputies, and degree work by the state officers.

The convention was officially welcomed by Mayor L. E. McClintock, and the response was made by the state master. The opening formalities occupied the morning hours.

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 12 (AP)—Advocating abolishment of the lower house of the Oregon state legislature, local option by precincts in the control of intoxicating liquor, imposition of heavier taxes upon the wealthy to equalize wealth, and stress upon increased consumption rather than curtailment of farm production were among the subjects of the afternoon address.

Market Plan Backed He also urged the grange to take more aggressive action with regard to cooperative marketing and suggested amendments to the initiative and referendum (Continued on Page Five)

SPORTSMEN FAVOR SIMILAR SEASONS

The Klamath Sportsmen's association went on record Monday evening as favoring the same seasons and limits as were set last year for all county game birds and fish.

A resolution was passed by the association recommending to the Oregon fish and game commission that a portion of Crescent lake near its outlet be closed to angling. This request was made because of the fact that numerous schools of fish congregate near the outlet, and are caught by fishermen there.

THOUSANDS VISIT PORTLAND FESTIVAL

PORTLAND, June 12 (AP)—There would be no roses without buds, and today the junior pageant was the main attraction of the annual Portland rose festival.

The milling throngs continued to flock in large numbers to the Portland parks to view long tiers of roses—roses from vines drastically pruned late in the winter to keep them from blooming too soon in the unusually early spring.

Dakota Farm Exodus Starts

NEW LANDS FOUND BY GOVERNMENT FOR STRICKEN FAMILIES

WASHINGTON, June 12. (AP)—Five thousand South Dakota farm families, victims of the searing drought, are to be moved to better land within the state as one of the government's major steps toward meeting the gigantic relief problem brought by lack of rain in the Midwest.

The state government will cooperate in furnishing new farms by making available land it has taken on non-payment of taxes. Each family is to be given enough land to provide a living.

Easy Terms Set The federal government will participate by buying the farms to be abandoned as part of its sub-marginal land retirement program. It will also assist in buying the new farms by long-time, easy payment loans through the farm credit administration; by additional loans for stock, feed and planting; and by offering assistance in management.

Harry L. Hopkins, the relief (Continued on Page Eight)

ADJOURNMENT SET SATURDAY NIGHT

Congress Hopes to Turn Homeward at Close of Week.

WASHINGTON, June 12. (AP)—President Roosevelt and congressional leaders agreed to press for passage of housing legislation, considered without conclusion the disputed labor board bill and fixed Saturday night for the adjournment goal.

There were strong indications of abandonment of the Wagner labor bill until next session, and enactment instead of temporary power for the administration to handle such labor disputes as the projected steel strike.

"We discussed the labor legislation," said Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the democratic leader. "We did not reach a final conclusion. I expect there may be a definite announcement tomorrow concerning the course of this legislation."

"Housing was also discussed. It is expected this bill will go forward as speedily as possible. There is still the possibility of adjournment Saturday night."

SUSANVILLE FEARS LYNCHING ATTEMPT

SUSANVILLE, Calif., June 12. (AP)—A coroner's jury today returned a verdict of "murder" by a definite "unknown" following an inquest into the deaths of five persons slain by an apparently crazed knife killer here Sunday night.

Meanwhile sheriff's deputies maintained a strict guard at the Lassen county jail while rumors persisted that members of the Susanville Italian colony were considering a lynching attempt against Peter Aloisi, lumbermill foreman suspected of the wholesale slayings.

Aloisi was arrested shortly after the mutilated bodies of Joe Fazio, a grocer, his wife and their grown daughter and son and a neighbor woman were found slashed by knife wounds.

SHOTS FIRED ALONG DOCKS IN BAY AREA

Oakland, San Francisco Scenes of Rioting on Waterfront.

SEATTLE MAYOR ORDERS ACTION

Officials Say Shipping Will Be Resumed by Thursday.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12. (AP)—Shots were fired and police used their clubs in waterfront disturbances here and at Oakland today as renewed threats of a "fight to the finish" added tenacity to the Pacific coast's prolonged maritime strike.

A group of men surrounded a taxicab on the waterfront here and Otto Theiss was injured when a brick was thrown thru a window. His companion, Lawrence Morrin, dock superintendent, fired two shots into the air to frighten off the alleged assailants.

Police Quell Riots At Oakland, police reserves clashed with strike sympathizers at the Ninth avenue pier in a riot which began as the freighter West Mahwah anchored to load cargo with the aid of non-union workers.

Officers swung their clubs and frustrated a threatened invasion of the dock alongside the freighter. The attackers hurled stones over a wall built to protect the loading operation.

The International Longshoremen's Association demanded that the Richmond city council close the port, which would tie up extensive oil shipping operations, but the demand was refused.

SEATTLE MAYOR AROUSED SEATTLE, June 12. (AP)—Mayor Charles L. Smith declared today if the port of Seattle is not opened by 1 p. m. Thursday, he is going to take definite action to open the harbor.

He demanded both ship operators and longshore leaders to select three men each to appear at his office at 10 a. m. tomorrow to effect an immediate strike settlement.

Joseph P. Ryan, International Longshoremen's Association president, met with other union heads to draw a concrete proposal to submit to the operators.

GUARDSMEN LEAVE FOR SUMMER CAMP

By The Associated Press Threats of a nation-wide steel strike had solidified today into a concrete movement for a walk-out of the union contingent of the nation's quarter of a million raw metal workers.

By The Associated Press With the American Legion drum corps leading the way, 60 members of battery D, 249th coast artillery, the Klamath Falls National Guard unit, marched to the Southern Pacific depot last night, where the guardsmen entrained for Camp Clatsop.

Oregon Professor Honored in South REDLANDS, Calif., June 12. (AP)—Roger John Williams, instructor of biochemistry at Oregon State College, held today an honorary degree of doctor of science, awarded yesterday by the University of Redlands at its commencement exercises.