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JUDGE BLACKMER CLASH AGAIN

52 Nations Cut Off All Imports From Italy

Drastic Boycott Program Launched To Halt Conflict

Mussolini Given Eleven Days to Consider Economic Steps Invoked to Terminate Spread of African Battle

GENEVA, Oct. 19. (AP)—The league of nations' general committee of 52 nations tonight voted for a drastic "buy nothing" boycott against Italy.

Rome Given 11 Days The delegates fixed October 31 as the date when the league members will decide just when to impose this sanction, the first of its kind in history, in an attempt to end the Italo-Ethiopian war.

In other words, Premier Mussolini has just 11 days left to think things over. If he has not capitulated in that time to the league's demand for peace, the league will:

- 1. Amputate 70 per cent of Italy's exports—the percentage normally sold to countries which are members of the league;
2. Extend mutual assistance to league members which are hit by the repercussions resulting from this blockade of trade;
3. Refuse to let Italy receive any "key products" used for the manufacture of war materials from league members.

The boycott, devised to a large extent by Anthony Eden, the British minister for league of nations affairs, is expected by its advocates to deal a crushing blow to Italy's incomes and seriously cripple that nation's capacity for continuing the war.

Anti-War Drive Pushed Tonight's work winds up the first big rush of sanctions decisions by the league.

It climaxes the "halt the war" drive which began with the solemn condemnation of Italy as an aggressor and continued with relentless pressure through an arms embargo, a finance blockade, and this formal approval of the buy-nothing and key-product ban.

Additional sanctions may yet be voted against Italy, but it is not expected they will be seriously considered until October 31, when the league states are requested to notify the league secretary when they can begin the actual enforcement of economic sanctions.

Before these final and drastic measures were approved by the big committee of 15, they were agreed to today by the special sanctions committee of 18 nations.

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BLACK ARMIES GET WEAPONS TO PUSH WAR

Lifting of Embargoes Sends Steady Stream Across Borders.

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More Ethiopian Chiefs Reported Surrendering to Italy.

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ASMARÁ, Eritrea, Oct. 19. (AP)—Italian sources were advised today that the Ethiopians south of the area now held by the Italian expeditionary force are preparing actively for a counter-offensive.

ADDIS ABABA, Oct. 19.—War materials, released from other countries by the league of nations' lifting of the arms embargo, flowed into Ethiopia today as government officials disclosed that Emperor Haile Selassie's armies were concentrating for serious combat against the invading Italian forces.

Quantity Not Known The arms shipments now entering were ordered by the emperor before the embargo became operative. Naturally, the government will not disclose how large the quantities are which it is receiving nor the precise points to which they are being shipped.

It is known, however, that the arms are of the most modern type. They include American machine guns and Belgian and Czechoslovakian rifles and cartridges.

Secret Sources Topped Other less modern but still highly effective equipment is filtering across Ethiopia's borders from many secret sources.

Foreign observers stationed here were in agreement that Italy will have no easy task if her armies attempt to launch an offensive against Ethiopia's mountain strongholds which are guarded with forests of implacable warriors armed with mortars, machine guns, and rifles.

Meanwhile, Italian air raids were reported continuing. The government asserted that a child (Continued on Page Three)

THE DALLES, Ore., Oct. 19. (AP)—The second death in two from food poisoning occurred today in the Burros family when Mrs. W. H. Burros of Wasco, Ore., died in a hospital here from injuries suffered in an automobile accident three weeks ago.

She was a cousin of Mrs. J. E. Burros of Condon, who died here yesterday from food poisoning.

J. E. Burros and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Courtney of The Dalles, who also suffered an attack of botulism following the eating of home-canned salmon, were still in a critical condition at a hospital today. However some hope was held for their recovery.

CONGRESSMAN DIES IN MICHIGAN TODAY

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 19. (AP)—Rep. Henry M. Kimball (R-Mich.) died today. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy last summer, while serving his first term as representative of the third Michigan district and had been ill since.

Kimball, 57, was the fifth successive representative of the district to die in office since 1920. He was born in Grand, Ind., and attended Hillsdale (Mich.) college and University of Michigan Law school. For 12 years he practiced law in Portland, Ore., before coming here. He was elected to congress last year.

Kimball is survived by his widow and a daughter.

BEAVERS LEAD TROY, 6 TO 0 WEBFOOTERS LEADING VANDALS NOTRE DAME BEATS PANTHERS

Football Pittsburgh 6, Notre Dame 0. Tulane 0, Minnesota 20. Indiana University 0, University of Cincinnati 7. Toledo 18, Case 7. Baldwin Wallace 14, Western Reserve 27.

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Grand Jury Will Again Investigate District Attorney

Prosecutor Files Affidavits of Prejudice Against Ashurst in All Pending Criminal Matters

By MALCOLM EPLEY Circuit Judge E. B. Ashurst and District Attorney Hardin C. Blackmer exchanged volleys of legal fire again Saturday in a renewal of hostilities growing out of the grand jury's gambling and graft investigation. These were the developments:

1. Judge Ashurst signed an order re-submitting malfeasance charges against Blackmer and declaring that he will appoint a disinterested attorney as special prosecutor to handle an investigation of Blackmer's office through the grand jury.

2. Blackmer filed a series of affidavits of prejudice against Judge Ashurst in every criminal case pending in circuit court, including one in which the defendant had already filed such an affidavit.

With these developments, it appeared that administration of criminal justice in Klamath county was settling down for a long legal siege.

Judge Ashurst's order of Saturday morning was interpreted as his answer to Blackmer's demand that the court make public when these bills were returned, by the grand jury at midnight, which Blackmer asserted gave his office a clean bill of health.

When these bills were returned, Judge Ashurst announced he would withhold filing them, and termed them an imposition on the jury in attempt to thwart further investigations.

Judge Points to Error In Saturday's order, Judge Ashurst pointed out that no information of a felony had been filed against Blackmer prior to the grand jury's investigation, and that he had not been bound over to the grand jury by a committing magistrate. For these reasons, he questioned the regularity of returning a not true bill on Blackmer.

Quoting directly from Oregon code of 1930, Section 13-605 that in the case an indictment is found not true and the person involved has not been held to the grand jury on a criminal charge, the not true bill, "together with the minutes and the evidence thereto, must be destroyed by the grand jury."

Thus, the judge inferred, in Blackmer's case the not true bill should have been destroyed, instead of returned.

"During said term of the grand jury several cases were investigated in which no information of a felony had been filed with a committing magistrate and in which no magistrate had bound such individuals over to the grand jury," said the order.

Ashurst Repeats Charges "In this instance, the said Hardin C. Blackmer did not take it upon himself to present 'not a true bill' to exonerate the individual," (Continued on Page Three)

ALTA MOUNT AROUSED BY SEWER NOTICE Information of Election Printed in Chiloquin Weekly.

Resentment and suspicion in Altamont prompted County Clerk Mae K. Short to make public a statement Saturday that she had nothing to do with publishing the notice of election and final order for proposed Altamont Sanitary district in the Chiloquin Review, a paper far removed from the district in question with little or no circulation there.

Mrs. Short stated that numerous complaints had reached her office over the matter, and that only Saturday a delegation came to the courthouse to find out why the notices had not been published in local papers circulating in Altamont.

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FUNDS RELEASED FOR WPA PROJECTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19. (AP)—An additional \$77,186,606 to carry out WPA projects was released today by Comptroller-General J. R. McCard as officials sought to speed the lagging works relief program.

McCard's action today brought to \$224,814,149 the total he has released for expenditure. President Roosevelt has allotted \$1,157,188,490, but each allotment must be approved by the comptroller-general before it can be used.

Allotments, by states, released today by McCard include: Idaho, \$658,519; Washington, \$1,265,243.

the house to which Robert Farrell, Jr., of Portland, a republican, has been appointed may result in the removal from the house of another republican. Several democratic members have announced that if Lew Wallace, democrat, would not be voted back to his former seat they would challenge the right of Glenn O. Taylor of Medford to sit as a member.

Wallace was eliminated by an attorney general's opinion because he had accepted another lucrative state or federal office. Senator Asby Dickson and four other members of the legislature were also declared eliminated for the same reason. Wallace and Dickson are the only two to contest the opinion.

It was brought to the attention of these men, however, that Rep. (Continued on Page Three)

PLACK KICK WINS FOR NOTRE DAME

NOTRE DAME STADIUM, South Bend, Ind., Oct. 19. (AP)—Climaxing a superb football duel that had 52,000 spectators in a delirium of excitement from start to finish, Marty Peters (Continued on Page Three)

CHILD MAY DIE IN HIT-RUN ACCIDENT

Little change in the condition of 9-year-old John Pisan, who was horribly mangled and left in the street Friday night by a hit-and-run motorist, was reported Saturday afternoon by attendants at Klamath Valley hospital. The child was said to be suffering a little less from the shock of the accident, however.

X-ray pictures were ordered for Saturday afternoon, and definite diagnosis of the injured boy's condition could not be made until after study of these pictures. His condition is said to be extremely critical, and it was feared that his strength would be inadequate for the strain of taking X-rays.

The accident occurred at the city limits on South Sixth street shortly after a 10:00 Friday evening. The car, traveling so (Continued on Page Three)

Negro Killed in Auto Accident

PORTLAND, Oct. 19. (AP)—Lorenzo Dice, 45, negro, died early today from injuries received when the taxicab in which he was riding collided head-on with a street car here yesterday.

The driver, William Frame of Vancouver, Wash., was fined \$100 and sentenced to 90 days in jail on a reckless driving conviction yesterday.

ZENGE CONVICTED OF BRUTAL MURDER

CHICAGO, Oct. 19. (AP)—Mandeville W. Zenge, convicted of the emancipation slaying of the man who married his school day sweetheart, preserved his characteristic inscrutability today as he faced the prospect of life imprisonment.

The reserve which neither the police nor his former sweetheart, Louise Shaffer, could break down, appeared almost indifferent as Zenge heard the penalty demanded for the crime which caused the death of Dr. Walter J. Bauer, 38-year-old professor at Kirksville, Mo. After the verdict was delivered Zenge walked out with his hands in the rapid, jerk; manner, head high and shoulders back, with which courtroom spectators had become familiar during the nine-day trial.

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"The people here are complaining about this publication because it certainly looks as if there is an attempt to put the project across without a large (Continued on Page Three)

Labor Leaders Swing Fists On Convention Floor; Brief Riot Halted

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 19. (AP)—A brief riot in the American Federation of Labor convention today was quickly quelled by disinterested parties to the dispute.

It started when John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers and chief of the industrial union faction in the federation, and William Hutchison, president of the Carpenters' union and one of the craft union faction leaders, got into a fist fight.

PRESIDENTS' SHIP ENTERS ATLANTIC

ABOARD THE S. S. HOUSTON, en route to the United States, Oct. 19. (AP)—President Roosevelt pulled out into the Atlantic today from the San Blas Islands for Saturday fishing, before pointing the Houston northward for home this evening.

Tonight the president will re-board the Houston, which will head north for Winward, between Cuba and Haiti. The destination is believed to be Charleston, S. C., about the middle of next week.

Clipper on Flight to Hawaiian Islands MIDWAY ISLAND (Via Pan American Airways Radio), Oct. 19. (AP)—Flying easily from the base channel waters, the 19-ton Pan American clipper seaplane departed for Honolulu at 9:32 a. m. (Pacific Standard Time) today on the semi-flying hop of her roundtrip jaunt from Alameda, Calif., to Guam. The flight distance to Honolulu is 1223 air miles and will consume about 10 hours flying time.

Editorials On the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS IS Italy's war against Ethiopia—waged so far without a formal declaration—the real thing, or is it a gigantic game of bluff?

That is an interesting question, but the chances are that nobody but Mussolini can answer it. And he won't.

ALONG that line, note this dispatch from Rome: "An official Italian communique tonight (Friday) said the doors to a peaceful settlement of the Anglo-Italian differences in the Ethiopian affair are not shut."

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