ROME REPLIES WITH PROMISE OF AIR RAIDS

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reported to have launched general attacks against the Italians last Saturday, but informants in the capital city said he was meeting serious resistance.

Deep Anxiety Expressed

The populace was enthused by government descriptions of victories for Ras Seyoum's forces in the Tembien sector and Ras Ayelu's followers in the Scire area, but nothing was made public concerning the activities of Ras Mulugheta.

The movements of Ras Kassa, another major Ethiopian leader at the northern front, likewise were undisclosed. Anxiety was expressed by Ethiopian circles over a large amount of new guns and ammunition sent Ras Kassa, who has failed to communicate with the government since the offensive started.

As Addis Ababa awaited word from the north anxiously, the government clarified confusion over the Italian bombardment Monday of a Swedish Red Cross ambulance unit. It termed an "odious lie" an Italian charge that two Fascist aviators who fell at Daggah Bur were decapitated.

No Explanation Planned

Informed sources in Rome said the Italian government does not consider necessary explanations to Sweden concerning the bombing. Travelers in a war zone, Fascists said, must necessarily take risks. They added that the beheading of the Fascist aviators by Ethiopian troops, which the government cited to justify the aerial attack, was witnessed by other fliers from the air.

The Stefani (official Italian) news agency related only one pilot, Tito Minniti, was captured and beheaded by the Ethiopians.

Two Reported Wounded

The Ethiopian government, which through Emperor Haile Selassie had protested to the League of Nations that Fascists employed poison gas in the attack, announced in a final report of the incident near Dolo that only two Swedes were wounded and one killed.

The casualties, said a communique issued at the Ethiopian capital, Addis Ababa, were 28 injured Ethiopians being treated in a Swedish ambulance. The Italian bombs killed them and, it was estimated by Addis Ababa officials, injured at least 50.

In Washington, Senator Elbert D. Thomas of Utah said congress should enact neutrality legislation, to replace that expiring next month, founded on the "duty" of preserving peace rather than on protection of "rights" of nations. Thomas lined up with that faction favoring greater presidential discretion in taking neutrality steps.

Classwork Resumed at High School

Klamath Union high school students and teachers resumed regular classwork Thursday morning after the Christmas-New Year's holidays. They were luckier than those in county and city schools, who went back to school on Monday morning, but were granted New Year's day as an extra holiday.

School work was also resumed in city schools Thursday morning after New Years.

Obituary

SAMUEL FELLER

Samuel Feller passed away in this city on Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1936, following a brief illness. The deceased was a native of Switzerland and was aged 66 years when called. He had resided in Klamath Falls for the past 20 years. He leaves to mourn his passing two daughters, Augustine Clark of Los Angeles and Elizabeth Pothas of San Francisco, Calif.; one brother, John, of Ripon, Calif. The remains rest in the Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High street, where friends may call. Notice of the funeral arrangements will be announced at a later date.

Funerals

LORETTA JEANETTE BOUSMAN

Funeral services for the late Loretta Jeanette Bousman, who passed away in this city Tuesday, December 31, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine street at Sixth, Friday, January 3, at 1:30 p. m., with the Rev. C. F. Purdue and Buford F. Miller of the Pentecostal church of this city officiating. Friends are invited. Commitment services and interment Linkville cemetery.

SAMUEL FELLER

The funeral services for the late Samuel Feller, who passed away in this city on Wednesday, January 1, will take place fro the chapel of the Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High street, on Friday, January 3, at 2 p. m. The Rev. J. G. Dickey of the Congregational church will officiate. The commitment service and interment will be in the Linkville cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

Women of the Reames Golf and Country club will play their January bridge tournament Friday afternoon, January 3, at 1:30 o'clock, at the Town club, according to Mrs. Leslie Avrit, who is in charge of arrangements for bridge play. Members wishing to play, and who have not been contacted, are asked to call Mrs. Avrit Thursday evening at 1093, or Friday morning at the Town club.

Confesses Hoax in 'Kidnaping'

Confessing that his "kidnaping" was a hoax designed to gain publicity and an important stage job, Caleb Milne IV, scion of a rich Philadelphia family, shown here in a new picture, faces federal charges. The 23-year-old actor, found bound and gagged in a Doylestown, Pa., ditch, denied he had accomplices or had intended to take the $20,000 ransom demanded.

BELGIAN KING PEACE MAKER

PARIS, Jan. 2. (UP)—Leopold PARIS, Jan. 1. (UP)—Leopold III, tragic young king of the Belgians, will attempt the hazardous role of Italo-Ethiopian peace maker which cost Sir Samuel Hoare of England his foreign ministry and shook the prestige of Premier Pierre Laval of France, the United Press learned Wednesday.

Rumors current in European diplomatic quarters for several weeks that Leopold was endeavoring to bridge Anglo-Italian differences were based upon fact. It now is possible to reveal details of the 34 year old king's efforts—which if successful will make him leading candidate for the Nobel peace prize.

Success Doubtful

High French officials doubt that Leopold will succeed any better than Hoare and Laval. They believe he may succeed in improving relations between Great Britain and Italy through their royal houses, but doubt if he can discover a peace formula acceptable to Italy, Ethiopia and pro-League of Nations opinion in Europe.

The king, who since February, 1934, has lost his father, King Albert, in a mountain climbing accident, and his wife, beautiful Princess Astrid, in an automobile crash, has been active for several weeks. Belgium, it was ascertained, is the "small European power, neither France nor Britain," which the Italian press has been forecasting would make early peace overtures.

Visited King George

Leopold visited King George at Buckingham palace before Sir Samuel Hoare's ill-starred visit to Paris to draw up the abortive Franco-British proposals on the week end of December 7-8. It is known now that he painted a black picture of the future if the war were not ended soon, and carried a personal message to the royal family of England from the House of Savoy of Italy.

He is believed to have asserted that there was danger of some headstrong act of retaliation against League of Nations sanctions by Italy which might risk collapse of the royal family. Leopold is interested in sustaining the Italian royal house because his sister, the princess of Piedmont, is in line to mount the throne before long.

Some diplomats believe this message was the direct cause of the British "about face" which enabled Sir Samuel to come to Paris and collaborate with Laval on the peace formula.

Assassination Toll Increased to Six

MARSEILLE, France, Jan. 2, (AP)—The fatality list in the assassination of King Alexander of Yugoslavia and Louis Barthou, French foreign minister, in 1934, was brought to six today with the death of the Gendarme Galli as a result of his wounds.

GOVERNMENT SUED

NEW YORK, Jan. 2, (AP)—The British American Tobacco company, ltd., brought suit in federal court today against the Federal Reserve bank of New York for $4,331,509.75, which it alleges it lost as a result of the executive order directing the surrender of gold bullion.

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WHITE HOUSE FOES OPPOSE F. R. TACTICS

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expectation that his conferences with Mexican officials would help those countries using silver currency, such as China.

The anti-new deal forces prepared to continue their assaults. The American Liberty league, for one, reported to the house an expenditure of almost $390,000 in 1935 and had a balance on hand of over $93,000.

Borah's Name Heard

Politics tinged much that went on. Increased mention of Senator Borah for the republican nomination caused delay in the projected organization of a "progressive middle-western committee for Roosevelt."

G. W. Kline, Nebraskan back of the move, said no action would be taken until after the June conventions because many more would join up if Borah loses out.

Congress will meet at noon tomorrow to attend to preliminaries and arrange the night session. Next week it will get down to business, with two major issues apparently slated for quick consideration. They are the bonus and neutrality.

With both houses ready for a new start, Senator Barbour (R-NJ) demanded that "before the next congress rubber-stamps additional billions, there be a full investigation of the fiscal conditions of the government, including the administration of the billions already spent."

He added that all the average person knows "is that on every side they have seen the lavish spending spree of the merry madcaps at Washington."

Senator Hayden (D-Ariz) upheld administration expenditures, adding that the Hoover administration went out with the government more than $3,000,000,000 "in the red."

"The Hoover spending," he said, "which it will be recalled did not require a Liberty league or a super committee of corporation lawyers for supervisory purposes, was ineffective because it did not go far enough or deep enough."

He said the republican administration increased the national debt from $15,000,000,000 to $21,000,000,000.

NEW HIGH PRICE SET IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 2, (AP)—New high price records since October 16, 1935, were witnessed quickly in the Chicago wheat pit today.

With all future deliveries in the Liverpool wheat market showing jumps of more than two cents a bushel compared with Tuesday, it was a virtual certainty that prices this side of the Atlantic would go higher. Big buying at Liverpool, especially of Australian wheat, was noted, but something of a bearish offset here was the fact that Winnipeg quotations today continued to lag. As a result upturns of Chicago wheat prices, although displaying pronounced strength, were temporarily checked at a rise of about 1¼ cents.

Profit taking sales at this stage were heavy in Chicago, but despite this fact the price reactions were slight.

Physical Education Work to Be Resumed at Klamath School

Girls' physical education will be re-established at Klamath Union high school at the opening of the new semester January 24. This was announced Thursday by Principal Lloyd B. Emery. He said plans for this program had been under consideration for several weeks.

An instructor to handle the girls' physical education work is to be employed. Emery said the girls will use the gymnasium and girls' locker room for indoor activities, and it is hoped to set aside part of the field for them in the spring.

Fifty or sixty new freshmen from the elementary grades are expected at the opening of the new semester.

A number of new classes will be organized at that time.

High school re-opened after the Christmas holidays Thursday.

TOM TOUHY TAKEN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2, (AP)—Postal inspectors claimed here today that the capture of Tommy Touhy by Chicago police today accounted for the last member of a gang which robbed the mails of $78,417 at Minneapolis in 1933.

Discord Upsets Italian Troops In East Africa

PARIS, Jan. 2, (U.P.)—Reliable information reaching Paris Wednesday is that harmony in the command of the Italian expeditionary force in east Africa is far from perfect.

Since the withdrawal of Marshal Emilio de Bono, veteran fascist militia commander, as commander in chief, blackshirt officers have shown increasing bitterness toward the regular army regime of Marshal Pietro Badoglio, it was reported.

This dissention recently has caused several open manifestations in the battlefields, where the Italian army is forced by approaching rains and infiltration of Ethiopian forces behind the lines to withdraw to earlier bases, according to French advices.

The nature of these "manifestations" is not specified. It is regarded as significant that one of the first acts of Marshal Badoglio was to clamp down strict military censorship, eliminating the names of individual commanders from war correspondents' stories. This was believed a cloak for transfer of officers, subordinating blackshirt leaders who had been heroes of the earlier advance.

Picture Critics Name "Informer" as Best of Year

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. (AP) — "The Informer" is the unanimous choice of the New York film critics, an organization including virtually all daily newspaper reviewers in the city, as the best moving picture of 1935.

Other selections announced today, the first of the newly organized group, were:

Best masculine performance of the year—Charles Laughton in "Mutiny on the Bounty" and in "Ruggles of Red Gap."

Best feminine performance of the year—Greta Garbo in "Anna Karenina."

Best direction of the year—John Ford for "The Informer."

Minority votes were given to Katherine Hepburn for the best feminine performance in "Alice Adams" and, for direction, to Alfred Hitchcock for "Thirty-Nine Steps" and "The Man Who Knew Too Much."

Statehood Desire Grows in Hawaii

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covered the Hawaiian islands. He was killed at Hawaii. Captain Bligh accompanied Cook on the trip, and it was after Cook's ship returned to England that Bligh became master of the Bounty.

Racial History Reviewed

Hawaiians are a branch of the Polynesian race. Their ancestors must have made the trip to the islands from the isles to the southwest. No modern exploits, Doerr said, impress him as much as the thought of those people making a 2,000-mile trip in outrigger canoes, having no idea to where they were going or what they would find.

They lived in isolation on the islands for possibly 1,000 years before Cook came, Doerr estimated.

Other races were introduced on the islands, the speaker said, chiefly in connection with development of certain industries which needed men for labor which the Hawaiians did not care to do. As a result, Hawaii has become truly a melting pot, with serious racial and social problems.

Doerr was introduced by Don Fisher, chief ranger at the Lava Beds monument.

Safety Drive Has Bad Start

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of Columbia had clear records of no automobile deaths on New Year's day this year. A year ago only 14 states were without traffic deaths.

Illinois motorists led all other states, with 13 reported deaths, 11 in Cook county (Chicago) and two down state. Michigan was second, with 11, followed by Pennsylvania 10, California 8 and Connecticut, Missouri and Ohio with 6 each. Oregon had no traffic deaths, as did Washington.

Weather Forces Project to Shut

Sloppy conditions in Moore park resulted in the temporary closing down of the WPA project there Thursday morning. The work will resume as soon as the weather improves. Thirty-five men are working on that project.

Other jobs were all going Thursday. They include road draining work in Stewart-Lennox addition and Altamont, county school grounds improvements, and improvements of the Eldorado street-The Dalles California highway link and the east end of Alameda street near Shasta Way.

BRITISH PRESS PURSUES FLIER FOR INTERVIEW

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LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2, (U.P.)—British newspapermen informed Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh Wednesday that "the war is on," and threatened to follow him all over England unless he consents to a personal interview explaining why he left the United States.

Lindbergh refused, and tonight he and his family, who thought they were going to find privacy in the British isles, were in a virtual state of siege in their Adelphi hotel suite. Little Jon played with toys on the floor of the living room, and not even a maid was admitted to take care of him.

Automobile Ride

The Lindberghs slipped out a rear exit of the hotel late today and went for a two hour automobile ride. The remainds of the day was spent in their room. Mrs. Lindbergh read. It was reported arrangements were being made in London for a refuge for the family somewhere in England, and that the Lindberghs might leave Liverpool late tonight or tomorrow.

The Lindberghs slept until 10 a. m., had breakfast in their rooms and then the flier turned his attention to the question of how to pacify the British press, whose members are becoming increasingly hostile.

First, he issued this statement:

Fails to Satisfy

"We have come here for peace, quiet and a restful time. We are perfectly fit and well and the three of us enjoyed a good voyage. We are greatly pleased with the courtesy extended to us by the British people."

That failed to satisfy British newspapermen, and Robert Gregory of the London banking firm of Morgan, Grenfell & Company, consented to be intermediary in an indirect interview. After conferring with Lindbergh, Gregory said the flier told him he had brought his family to England because of the prevalence of kidnapings and crime in the United States.

Not in Business

"Colonel Lindbergh said he intends to stay in England six months," Gregory said. "He is not here on business. When I asked him whether he came here on account of kidnapings and crime in the United States, he answered; 'When you think it all out, that almost follows.'

"I know nothing about a reported plan of Colonel Lindbergh to live in France."

It was learned that Lindbergh told immigration officials he expected to stay abroad six months, but was uncertain whether he would spend all that time in England.

Report Scorned

That strengthened belief that Lindbergh's chief reason for leaving America was to be out of the country at the time of Bruno Richard Hauptmann's execution. Gregory said Lindbergh declined to comment on Hauptmann's impending execution.

He also informed the immigration officials that he was not planning to establish a transatlantic air line.

"When I told Colonel Lindbergh there were reports he might give up his American citizenship," said Gregory, "he brushed my remark aside with a laugh. He also laughed, but made no comment when I told him it was understood that Betty Gow was going to work for him again."

Publicity

Gregory was asked whether Lindbergh received threats against members of his family before he left the United States.

"That's absolutely a personal matter with the colonel don't you think?" he replied.

British newspapermen complained bitterly to Gregory about Lindbergh's refusal to be interviewed and told him the colonel either must be an exceedingly shy man or was using some subtle means of obtaining publicity.

DECEMBER MERCURY ABOVE NORMALCY

Temperatures during the month of December were above normal, according to U. S. weather bureau figures. The mean temperature was 31.1 degrees, or .3 of a degree above average for the month. The warmest day occurred on December 22, when maximum temperature was recorded at 44 degrees. The coldest day was the fourteenth, when the mercury fell to 14 degrees above zero.

The mean maximum for the month was 37 degrees and the mean minimum 25.3.

Total precipitation for December was 1.67 inches, while the average for the month is set at 1.75.

There were eight clear days, 11 partially cloudy, and 12 entirely cloudy.

Total precipitation for the year 1935 was 11.25 inches, against the average mark of 12.51.

Public Resentment Aroused in Sweden

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tention to sparing of the Red Cross location, before the attack was launched on nearby Ethiopian troops.

The Swedish press gave as a basis for this accusation the December 27 issue of the Italian newspaper Messagero, which arrived in Stockholm yesterday from Rome.

The Messagero was said to contain an account of the bombardment from Mogadiscio, Italian Somaliland, behind the scene of the attack on the southern front at Dolo, reporting that Italians had noticed the Swedish flags.

King Gustav, in a telegram to Prince Carl, said he was "deeply moved by the report of our ambulance's sad fate in Ethiopia" and expressed his "heartfelt sympathy."

The foreign office had not decided whether to send a formal protest to Rome.

In an editorial, the Svenska Dagbladet said: "Those who knowingly broke the league covenant and the Kellogg pact are not likely to stop at a purely humanitarian convention like the Geneva Red Cross convention."

O. E. S. Social Club—The Eastern Star social club will meet on Friday afternoon at Masonic Temple. The regular business session will be held, and officers elected to serve for the ensuing year. An afternoon of cards will follow.

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CRATER LAKE ROADS CHOKED BY SNOWFALL

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through, and heavy rains stopped during the forenoon. The rainfall was exceptionally heavy on Deer Mountain.

BEND, Ore., Jan. 2 (AP)—Rain virtually flowed from the skies here last night while a snow storm raged at Sun Mountain Pass between here and Klamath Falls.

Nearly an inch and a half of rain fell during the 24-hour period ending this morning. It was the heaviest fall here since 1930, and was approximately one-eighth of last year's total precipitation.

Snow on Pass

Motorists arriving from the south reported heavy snows on the Sun Mountain Pass of The Dalles-California highway.

The storm had abated in Bend today, but heavy snow continued to swirl in the mountains to the south and to the west of here.

The rain extended northward into Jefferson county's wheat areas, but was only about a third as heavy as that recorded here.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 2 (AP)—Juicy cloudy showered 1.23 inches of rain on Portland the first 29 hours of the new year, in contrast to the entire old year when rainfall was only 29.55 inches, or 12.07 inches below normal.

The weather bureau reported that the 24-hour period ending at 5 o'clock this morning brought 1.21 inches of precipitation.

The rain ceased this morning, but skies were overcast and showers were predicted for tonight.

The New Zealand notornis bird was reconstructed from fossil bones before it was found as a living bird. Scientists had thought it was extinct.

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