

TWO PROSECUTION UNDER WAY

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
SECRETARY OF STATE BYRNES is off again for Paris. Before leaving by plane this morning, he says gravely that the session of the foreign ministers conference for which he is heading will be a critical one, in which failure will be disastrous for mankind, and asks for the prayers of the American people to support his efforts.

THE critical nature of the Paris meeting of foreign ministers was stated clearly yesterday by British Foreign Secretary Bevin, who told the annual conference of the British cabinet that the issue of the council of foreign ministers in Paris next week will be whether Europe is to be split into eastern and western blocs.

SENATOR CONNALLY, going along as an adviser to Byrnes, issues an appeal for extension of the draft act as he steps aboard the plane. "In view of our foreign commitments and our far-flung possessions, there is need for it," he says.

LET'S not kid ourselves about the supreme importance of remaining militarily strong in the present disturbed state of world affairs. The overwhelming desire of the American people is to be fair and just in our dealings throughout the world—but we must never forget that a strong man can be as fair and as just as a weak and helpless one, and is much more likely to make fairness and justice PREVAIL.

ANOTHER informed talker (Dr. Peters of Reed college, in Portland) speaks up. Addressing the opening session of the Northwest Institute of International Relations last night, he says: "America is already fighting a diplomatic war with Russia."

DR. PETERS isn't just a cloistered college professor, spinning theories. During the war he was chief of the morale operations branch of the U. S. Office of Strategic Services, which gave a pretty good account of itself in Europe. It was a branch of the Office of Strategic Services that brought about the surrender of the Germans in northern Italy without a costly and bloody last-ditch battle.

THE only excuse for war between us and Russia would be Russian determination to gain peace and security by the process of imposing the Soviet system (communism) on the rest of the world by FORCE.

WE common folk are inherently suspicious of diplomats and foreign policies. We have reason to be. Throughout the centuries, foreign wars have been provoked far too often to DIVERT the attention of the masses of the people away from purely domestic messes.

But the attitude of Russia since the shooting war stopped just doesn't make sense according to any rule that we understand.

Neither does it make sense to the British, who are far older and more experienced in such matters than we. The attitude of the British government, which is a LABOR government, is worth our careful attention.

Ex-Monarch Quits Italy For Lisbon

ROME, June 13 (AP)—The royal palace announced today that King Umberto II. had left Italy for exile in Portugal.

A spokesman at the Quirinale palace press office said the king's four-engine Savoia Marchetti plane, which took off from the Campino airport, would go "direct to Lisbon."

ROME, June 13 (AP)—King Umberto II. in a proclamation made public five hours after his departure for Lisbon and exile, tonight charged the Italian government with an illegal act in naming Premier Alcide De Gasperi as provisional chief of state while he still was occupying the throne.

Extension of the draft act, along with whatever else is required to keep us militarily strong, is urgently needed to convince the Russians that we mean business. It is becoming increasingly clear that STRENGTH is all that Russia respects.

Queen Maria Jose and her two children went to Portugal aboard an Italian cruiser last week, soon after it became apparent that Italy had voted to overturn the Royal House of Savoy in favor of a republic.

Earlier in the week, bloody riots had erupted in Naples, Taranto and Rome, provoked by Umberto's reluctance to quit the throne.

Because another matter was scheduled to come before the Portland chamber board, it did not schedule action on the proposed protest to the CAB against its decision to permit United Air Lines to extend service to Klamath Falls and Bend.

Redin entered a new plea of innocence today, and his attorneys, Tom E. Griffin, Seattle, and Irvin Goodman, Portland, issued a statement to the press that "the witness (Kennedy) happens to be not an American citizen but a British subject."

Justice Robert H. Jackson (left), who issued unprecedented violent criticism of Justice Hugo L. Black (right) in cablegram sent to senate and house judiciary committee from Nurnberg, brought smoldering feud between them into open. Jackson charged Black had participated in decision affecting Black's former law partner.



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Chineses Fight On As Truce Becomes 'Scrap Of Paper'

NANKING, June 13 (AP)—China's 15-day truce between warring nationalist and communist factions appeared to be reduced to a scrap of paper today.

Chinese press dispatches said without other confirmation that martial law had been proclaimed in the Shantung peninsula seaport.

Chiloquin Lad Hurt By Train
Clark Zadina, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Zadina of Chiloquin, was seriously hurt when he ran in front of an oncoming train at the Chiloquin depot about noon, Wednesday.

Chiloquin station agent, saw the child start across the track and shouted a warning when he saw the approaching train. When he heard McGhee's shout, the boy turned and attempted to run back toward the depot.

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Charges of Starting War Lie Heavily On Tojo's Shoulders



ORIENTAL stoicism falls former Premier Hideki Tojo as he hears himself charged with perpetrating the horrors of the Pacific war. Studies of Tojo, taken at courtroom of war crimes trial, Tokyo, show him maintaining traditional expressionless countenance (left); he breaks down (center) as what he hears is too much for him. He bows head (right), removes glasses in extreme emotion.

POLICE Raise Held Too Low
The \$10-a-month pay raise okayed for city policemen is not meeting with approval among the members of the department who had originally petitioned for a \$30 increase, and one veteran patrolman has resigned to go into more profitable work.

SPCA Threatens To Picket Bikini
POWELL RIVER, B. C., June 13 (AP)—Threats of a "picket line" of ships around the Bikini atom bomb test site by the Powell River branch of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals were forwarded to President Truman last night.

Byrnes Leaves For Showdown
WASHINGTON, June 13 (AP)—With a "good-bye, good luck" from President Truman, Secretary of State Byrnes left today for Paris and a showdown with Russia on European peace settlements.

USSR Can Use Navy Buildings
Klamath reclamation bureau received telegraphic notice today it could enter the naval air station for use of buildings and other facilities it had requested on that base.

Board Of Trade Halts Dealings
CHICAGO, June 13 (AP)—The board of trade today announced trading would be stopped immediately in all wheat and rye contracts, in July and September barley, and in all other grain.

WEATHER NEWS
June 13, 1946
Max. (June 13) 79 Min. 51
Precipitation in last 24 hours .00
Stream water to date 13.62
Normal 11.48 Last year 13.62
Forecast: Cloudy, possible showers tomorrow.

25 Others Hear Allies Tell Crimes

TOKYO, June 13 (AP)—The men whom the allies charge with having flung the Pacific nations into war saw their ambitious bid for an empire unraveled before them on huge 15-foot square, red-lined maps today as the prosecution opened its case before the international war crimes tribunal.

War-time Premier Hideki Tojo and 25 others who associated with him in the great Asian gamble watched intently as the maps charting Nippon's expansion and collapse in Manchuria, China, the Philippines, Thailand, Burma, New Guinea and the South Pacific were unrolled.

Tojo, a worried-looking little man with lined brows, studied each map with deep concentration. Each—on its great frame above and behind the rows of defendants—told a chapter of Japan's aggression and decline over a decade and a half.

Shipping Talks Show Progress
WASHINGTON, June 13 (AP)—Maritime negotiations shaped up closer to agreement today but Harry Bridges' west coast longshoremen remained a major threat to settlement before the strike deadline tomorrow at midnight.

British Loan Wins Approval
WASHINGTON, June 13 (AP)—The house banking committee today approved legislation ratifying the \$3,750,000,000 British loan. The vote was 20 to 5.

Liquor Store Burglarized
FORT KLAMATH, June 13—Daylight robbers, who may have intended to return at night for a major haul, broke into the state liquor commission agency here about 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Mihailovic Testifies American Officer Told Nazis To Turn Over Arms To Him
BELGRADE, June 13 (AP)—Gen. Draja Mihailovic told the Yugoslav military court today that he and Col. Robert H. McDowell, chief of a U. S. mission to Chetnik headquarters in 1944, in a conference with Germans that year proposed that they turn over their arms to the Chetnik chieftain.

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