

### American Dollar Buys a Lot When You Visit Parea

PARIS, July 12.—(United News)—The things a dollar will buy in France, while the franc hovers between 35 and 38 for a single American greenback, amaze the horde of American tourists which is increasing daily.

High finance is the first lesson learned by the American visitors after they step from the boat train into Paris. Instead of figuring their hotel bills in fives or tens they count them in the thousands and get a thrill from the counting.

While the frenzied politicians and financiers try to stave off total collapse of exchange, an American with 100 American cents can go shopping and return to his hotel with any of the following:

- Fifteen quarts of "ordinary red or white wine."
- Six dozen eggs.
- One four pound lobster, a pair of ducks fit for roasting, or a fat turkey.
- Twenty-four pieces of French pastry which are a meal in themselves.

With his dollar the tourist may purchase 140 French daily newspapers, may ride ten miles in a taxicab, or have the best seat in any French theatre except the "profiteering" music halls.

The necessities of life come higher. Hotels do not hesitate to charge \$8 for a room and the principal restaurants and stores which attract the American trade scale their prices to fit the dollar. The shortage of silver money strikes the traveler. Paper money is the standard, and a fistful of it will amount only to a dollar.

### Rock Bottom Is Reached; Economy Is at Standstill

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Pressure of the Coolidge administration for economy appears to have reached rock bottom so far as government appropriations are concerned, and the trend again is upward.

This was forecast some time ago by President Coolidge, who anticipated that the growth of the country would require gradually increasing federal expenditures, regardless of pressure for economy.

Appropriations for the current fiscal year total \$273,603,305.34 more than those for last year, not including postoffice appropriations which are reimbursed by postal revenues.

**Substantial Cut Made**

They show total appropriations for the current year of \$9,409,377,449.25. This is a cut of \$78,682,000 under the estimates presented by President Coolidge.

"The increase of \$273,603,305.34 for 1927 over 1926 is nothing more nor less than what was expected," said Chairman Warren of the senate appropriations committee.

"At the close of the second session of the 65th congress I called attention to what I believed to be a fact—that reductions in appropriations could not reasonably be looked forward to in the near future and that I believed we were then at rockbottom figures, as our appropriations had been gradually coming down since the world war and we were then on a genuine peace basis. Good times and prosperity are immediately reflected in a demand for increased as well as new governmental functions.

**Expenditures Necessary**

"We have reached a point where increased expenditures are absolutely necessary. It is not economy or sound business sense to permit our barracks and quarters and other government building to decay for want of minor repairs and paint. It is not economy to employ people at an insufficient wage. It is not economy to house our army in tents. The time comes for governments as well as individuals to expend their money for their protection and welfare, not extravagantly, but cautiously and with a due regard for the future."

Congressman Madden, chairman of the house ways and means committee, estimated that there would be a probable surplus of \$185,000,000 on June 30, 1927, when the current appropriations expire.

**FOOD CONTAMINATED, CREW LEAVES VESSEL**

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—(United News)—When their food was contaminated by the unbelieving hands of a Buddhist, a Mohammedan crew of 29 seamen abandoned the British freighter City of Newcastle at her dock here and camped on the dock, providing their own food until the Buddhist was discharged.

For results use News Class Ad.

### Identity of Five Marines Is Made By Army Officials

BROOKLYN NAVY YARD, July 12.—(United News)—The list of the identified dead in the Lake Denmark ammunition depot explosion, near Dover, N. J., rose when officials of the marine department of identification from Washington, who arrived here by airplane, identified the bodies of five marines, bringing the total to nine.

The identified dead are:

- Lieut. Geo. W. Botts, U. S. A., Richmond, Va.
- Harry Christian Brown, Pharmacists mate, U. S. N., Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- Mrs. Frances H. Feeney, Brooklyn.
- Private Maurice Hardecker, U. S. M. C., of Galloway, Fla.

Marine privates identified Monday night:

- Mason D. Edison, Hamilton, Ohio.
- Ralph K. Graham, Fort Worth, Texas.
- Henry D. Mackert, Jr., Richmond, Va.
- Ernest Powell, Hamilton, Ohio.

The bodies of Botts, Brown, Hardecker and Mrs. Feeney were identified previously.

### NINETEEN PERISHED GREAT EXPLOSION

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ened for several hours by a change in the wind, leading to reports that a general exodus of civilians and military and naval forces was under consideration.

**Fire Dying Down**

A reconnoitering party returned from a survey of the situation shortly before 9 o'clock Monday night and reported that the fire was dying down.

The magazine which had been afire had exploded some time after 3 p. m., jarring the stricken countryside. It was from around the ruins of a similar magazine that 16 dead marines had been taken.

Verification of their deaths brought the known loss of life to 19. The flames were pointed toward sixteen unexploded magazines at this time, due to a change in the wind. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, Admiral Plunkett of the third naval district and Hudson Maxim, the inventor, joined in pointing with pride to the fact that the bodies of these marines and that of Chief Pharmacist Mate Harry Down had been found clustered about Magazine C31.

**Great Quantities TNT**

Magazine C-31, as the marines well knew, had contained an enormous amount of the dangerous TNT, the most powerful explosive on the reservation. There was no doubt, it was agreed, that they had braved death in an attempt to prevent the great disaster.

Whether more men lie dead in the north section of the reservation is uncertain. One, and perhaps more, of the depot's personnel are unaccounted for. As for civilians, no trace has been found of a Mrs. Wadhams and two boys named Marcies, who were swimming in a pond a half mile from the explosion, have been found.

**Many in Hospitals**

Sixty-four persons are still in hospitals and about 300 are believed to have been injured. The magazine which began to burn late Monday first became endangered by a shift in the wind which caused Admiral Plunkett to order the searchers to retire. Plunkett and Secretary Wilbur had just completed a three-hour inspection tour.

About 29 unexploded arsenals remained on the reservation.

The search of the marines, soldiers and sailors who surveyed the reservation for bodies during the day will be carried on hazardous conditions. As if snipers were hidden behind charred mounds and ruins, small ammunition popped within the arsenal area and often larger shells burst, throwing debris into the air.

**People Moving Back**

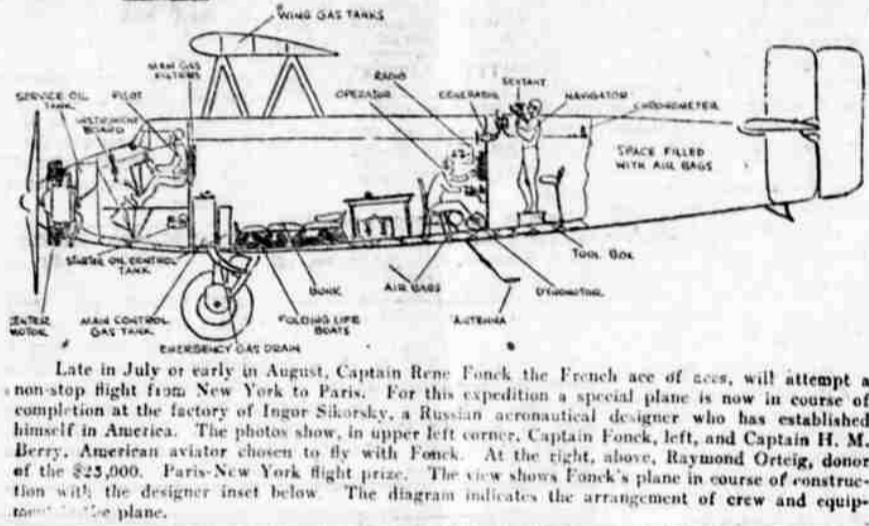
Populations have begun to move back into the five or six evacuated towns near the arsenal, and authorities are considering the plight of the 600 or 700 civilians who normally work on the army and navy reservations. Tuesday, it is hoped to reopen the Repligle steel mill at Mount Hope which employs about 500 of the refugees, and in a day or two normal conditions are expected to be resumed.

Residents of Rockaway, a hard-hit town of about 3000 are again re-entering their homes, after sleeping through Sunday night in the streets.

**OATMEAL COOKIES**

One beaten egg, one cup uncooked oatmeal, three tablespoons flour, one teaspoon vanilla. Bake in a tin lined with paper in a moderate oven for about twenty minutes.

### Flyers Prepare for Non-Stop New York-Paris Flight



Late in July or early in August, Captain Rene Fonck the French ace of aces, will attempt a non-stop flight from New York to Paris. For this expedition a special plane is now in course of completion at the factory of Igor Sikorsky, a Russian aeronautical designer who has established himself in America. The photos show, in upper left corner, Captain Fonck, left, and Captain H. M. Berry, American aviator chosen to fly with Fonck. At the right, above, Raymond Orteig, donor of the \$25,000 Paris-New York flight prize. The view shows Fonck's plane in course of construction with the designer inset below. The diagram indicates the arrangement of crew and equipment in the plane.

### Columbia River Forest Fire Is Becoming Worse

HOOD RIVER, July 12.—With a high wind sweeping the burning forest area near Mitchell's Point on the Columbia river highway today, the flames gained new impetus and are heading toward the ranch section of the valley west of the town. Shortly before noon an urgent call was sent to Hood River for at least 20 men to be sent to the fire zone and this was taken as evidence that the fire was gaining instead of being under control.

More than 10 ranch homes are directly in the path of the flames, should they proceed to the east, and already have had narrow escapes owing to the showers of burning brands carried by the high winds.

Many of the fruit growers have rigged up their spraying machines and are keeping the roofs of their homes soaked with water.

### Cows Imbibe and Drink Selves to Death at Joliet

JOLIET, Ill., July 12.—(United News)—At even fall the lowing herds come winding o'er the lea—that is generally.

But tonight it was a staggering herd that hicoughed and swayed giddily in from a pasture near here. The poetic beauty of the returning kine had been ruined by 65,000 gallons of mash seized in raids by State's Attorney Hjalmar Rehn and which had been dumped out in the pasture.

Thirty cows imbibed. Two died and the rest staggered home ready to sign the pledge.

### Stanfield Waits Word of Coolidge On Tax Refunds

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(United News)—No word has come from the president's summer retreat concerning the bill to advance taxes to Oregon counties on lands of the Oregon and California grant since the telegram sent by Senator Stanfield asking the delegation to assist in modifying it at the next session if it is signed.

The Oregon senator had hoped, after complying with the president's request they would have a return message notifying them the bill had been signed. The 10 days in which the measure must be signed, if at all, will expire Thursday.

### Weather Bureau Will Establish Balloon Station

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(United News)—Some time during this summer or fall the weather bureau plans to establish pilot balloon stations at Portland and Seattle as an aid to air mail service on the North Pacific coast.

The primary purpose is to furnish forecasts that will advise air pilots of conditions they may expect during their flights.

It is explained that the regular weather forecasts are not sufficient for the purpose, as they do not always include the exact information most valuable to the pilots.

### Starves Herself In Glass Cage to Save Her Husband

DETROIT, Mich., July 12.—(United News)—Katherine Scott, the leading lady in a drama of starvation and death, hopes that her "show" will attract enough quarters into the box office to save her husband from the hangman's noose.

The determined little woman, who weighs only 120 pounds, is starving herself in a glass cage on the platform of a Detroit theater.

"This is for the sake of my family," she says as the morbidly curious pay their admission and gather around the strange scene, where a woman is slowly sacrificing herself. "Russell is insane and must not hang. We must have funds to save him."

Some few persons pay their quarters and do not enter the theater, for many Detroiters seem to favor Russell Scott and are willing to do their bit to save him from the gallows. A little more than a year ago, the clubwomen of this city, at the instigation of Mrs. Scott, contributed enough money to have Russell defended on a plea of insanity against a hanging sentence for the murder of Joseph Maurer.

Scott was saved, but only temporarily.

Now he has been declared sane again and is once more awaiting the noose in the county jail at Chicago. And once more his faithful wife is busy in his behalf.

After being prohibited from such an exhibition in Chicago, Katherine Scott returned to Detroit and obtained an injunction against interference by police.

Thus far the receipts have not been encouraging, but Mrs. Scott's manager believes that after she begins to show her suffering the attendance will increase.

### Governor Smith Planning Visit To President

PAUL SMITH'S, N. Y., July 12.—(United News)—President Coolidge may be forced to postpone his weekend trip to his old home at Plymouth, Vermont, this week in order that he may receive Governor Al Smith of New York, scheduled to be the first visitor at White Pine camp.

The President, when he thanked Governor Smith for a fishing license, sent him when the summer White House opened, invited him to visit the Coolidge family on July 13 or 14.

Governor Smith wired back that pressing business at Albany would make acceptance on those days impossible.

Now the President has extended the invitation to Friday and the chance for a trip to the Vermont homestead is slim.

### State Attorneys Of Nation Meet Colorado Capital

DENVER, July 12.—(United News)—Describing crime in the United States as "appallingly on the increase," George M. Napier, attorney general of Georgia and president of the national association of attorney generals, urged "drastic control" in an address today at a preliminary meeting of the organization's convention.

It is believed that Napier's address sounded the "keynote" of the convention, and that before it ends the last of the week, the men who hold high positions in law enforcement will have contributed much valuable information regarding the cause and the cure for crime.

Napier painted a vivid picture of the crime situation, but he made no effort to account for conditions. He said there are more than 10,000 murders each year in the United States; that prisons now confine 20,000 slayers and that more than 100,000 killers are at liberty.

**SECRETARY JARDINE IS INVITED TO PORTLAND**

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(United News)—Senator McNary, wired Secretary Jardine to accept an invitation extended by the Oregon co-operative council to address that body in Portland this fall.

He was informed that Jardine would be in New England until early September and had no engagements before that date.

### John W. Weeks Is Dead at Home at Lancaster, N. H.

LANCASTER, N. H., July 12.—(United News)—Funeral services for former Secretary of War John W. Weeks, who died at his summer home early this morning, will be held from the home of his son, Sinclair Weeks in West Newton, Mass., at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The body will be brought to West Newton Tuesday. Following the funeral it will be placed temporarily in a receiving vault to be transferred later to a permanent resting place in Arlington national cemetery.

Scores of messages of sympathy from national and state officials were received during the day, including one from President and Mrs. Coolidge.

### Realty Transfers

Fillings from 4 p. m. July 10 to 4 p. m. July 12, 1926.

Hattie H. Haynes et ux to T. B. Watters, Fairview Addition No. 2, W 1/2 of lots 4, 5, block 4.

Klamath Corporation to E. C. & Arthur W. Jolly, \$50 IRR, Darrow Addition, lot 15, block 303.

N. I. Shortt et ux to Fred W. Hillman et ux, (M. & B. Description), Buena Vista Addition, Pl. lots 6, 7, 8, block 73.

R. P. Kelley et ux to Irl Davis, \$8000 consideration, E 1/2 of section 15, township 39, range 11.

A. L. Wishard et ux to Arthur T. Tappan, Altamont Acres, lot 11, block 5.

Nassau Co. to A. L. Wishard & C. T. Darley, First Addition to Altamont Acres, lot 23, block 2.

Nassau Co. to A. L. Wishard, Altamont Acres, lot 16, block 3.

Geo. D. Grizzle, Admr. of Est of Lydia A. Smith to Jacob Hirvi, Jr. Administrator's Deed, \$9000.00 consideration, Nichola Addition, Ely 20 feet of lot 3, block 48.

Antonio Manera et ux to Jasper Bennett, \$10 etc. Industrial Addition, lot 21, block 2.

Harold V. Dames, single, to John F. Goldsworthy et ux, Altamont Acres, lot 5, block 5.

### Czar Hays' Edict Is Taken Lightly By Movie Element

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., July 12.—(United News)—"The industry" is not unduly concerned over Will Hays' restrictive edict that the prohibition act must be observed in films and titles.

So far, Hollywood production companies have displayed little or no emotion over the "film ordinance." In fact, the very idea that they must be reminded of the thing is considered an affront.

The larger studios, all of which are members of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc., headed by Czar Hays, feel that the edict call only for a display of dignity and ease.

"The ruling does not effect us in the least," loftily said an official of one of the largest companies.

"Our directors will not have to change their methods a iota. Anyone who has followed our films for the last year could not cite a single instance of 'drinking scenes' or evidence of liquor being manufactured or sold, or its effects being shown.

"As far as I can see," he added, "the only persons who will be affected will be the title writers, who have made the Volstead act the butt of practically everything, and the smaller companies, who have in some cases been exploiting this type of material."

The title writers, to whom the buck is thus passed, are not particularly annoyed.

**NAVY DEPARTMENT SENDS ITS SYMPATHY**

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(United News)—A message of sympathy went from the navy department today to Mrs. John W. Weeks, whose husband was a graduate of the naval academy, who was called by death early this morning.

The assistant Secretary Douglas Robinson, in the name of the navy department and the officers and men of the navy expressed their greatest sympathy.

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