



### Red Demands Create Chaos At Lausanne

Threaten to Put Levant Into War Unless Granted Full Part in Conference; Back All Turk Claims

### Break-Up Looms Over Russia's Act

Allies Confer Privately; Are Expected to Answer Soviet With Flat "No"

By Wilbur Forrest  
Special Cable to The Tribune  
LAUSANNE, Nov. 27.—Russia thrust herself menacingly before the Near East conference to-day by formally demanding full participation in the negotiations and actively espousing the claims of Turkey.

The demands were accompanied with threats that durable peace in the Levant is contingent upon complete acquiescence on the part of the powers.

Tonight the conference is in a state of chaos and, with the Allied delegations holding conversations to resemble their lines on the basis of their Paris and Territet agreements, the possibility of a break-up within a few days is apparent.

A high official in the British delegation assured the correspondent tonight that "the Allies will stand firm, and the answer to the Russians will be a flat 'No.'" He refused to forecast the result if the Russians remained equally adamant and were able to win the Turks to their side.

Near East Crisis Again Looms  
The prospect of a renewal of the Near Eastern military crisis is being openly discussed by conference observers. The Russian Republic and the British Empire are on the side of the Turks. French adherence to the Allied agreement to bar the Russians also was said to-night by Emil Barre, head of the delegation and the Italian delegate, who said to be equally as resolute, despite the alleged declaration of Premier Mussolini he would support a proposal for the admission of the Soviet delegation to the conference.

The Russian demands, which were submitted to the secretary, by Christian Rakovsky, President of the Russian Republic, and the Russian delegate to arrive, also stipulated Russia must be permitted to sign every "treaty, convention or pact" resulting from the conference.

### Mary MacSwiney Freed From Cell

Sent to Hospital on 24th Day of Hunger Strike; Fasting Sister Collapses

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DUBLIN, Nov. 27.—Mary MacSwiney was released from Mountjoy prison to-night on the twenty-fourth day of her hunger strike against the provisional government. She was removed to Mater Hospital in a very weak condition.

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### Building War Truce Today Is Foreseen

Bricklayers Accept Undermyer Proposal and the Employers Are Expected to Capitulate at Meeting

Lock-out Can Be Stopped To-night

Men Scheduled To Be Paid Off; Mason Builders Hit as Not Helping Peace

At the conclusion of a three-hour session marked by frequent, angry verbal clashes, the Lockwood Committee, intervening to prevent a tie-up of building construction in New York City, recommended yesterday to both sides in the controversy that they patch up a temporary truce until December 31, the committee meanwhile to make efforts to bring about the ending of the two rival hod-carriers' unions at the root of the dispute.

The proposal was made by Samuel Undermyer, chief counsel to the committee, by Frank C. Conover, president of the Mason Builders' Union, and Walter V. Price, head of the New York executive committee of the Bricklayers' Union. It was the action of the committee, calling strikes on several construction jobs because of its favoring the cause of the International Hod Carriers' Union, which led the Independent Hod Carriers' Union, to plan a lock-out of the bricklayers.

Complete Tie-up Possible  
This, in thirty days, would completely tie up building operations in New York and throw 125,000 men out of work. The order for a lock-out went out yesterday.

Virtual order for admission of Nancy Jordan, young unwed mother from London, and her child goes forward from Labor Department.

FOREIGN  
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### Follow Grant and Order Klan To Disband, Harding Is Urged

Senator Walsh Writes Daugherty Citing Reconstruction and I. W. W. Cases as Precedents; Says Federal Penal Code Gives Power

From The Tribune's Washington Bureau  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Senator Walsh, of Massachusetts, in a letter to Attorney General Daugherty to-day, made an emphatic demand for an investigation of the Ku-Klux Klan and "the outlawry that is daily depicted in the press of the country."

The Senator especially asked that particular consideration be given the question of President Harding issuing a proclamation to force the Klan and similar organizations to disband and cease their activities.

In his letter to the Attorney General Senator Walsh quotes from a letter he received from a former Assistant United States Attorney in a Western State. This authority finds that Klan leaders, officers and members guilty of overt acts can be indicted under the same Federal law under which the I. W. W. leaders and members were indicted. He cites the statute, section 19 of the Federal Penal Code.

According to this ex-official, the states do not have adequate laws to reach the Klan situation, but the Federal Government has.

The ex-official, whom Senator Walsh does not name, also says "there is ample authority for the President to issue his proclamation directing that the Klan disband within a certain time."

It recalls that President Grant, in addition to indicting and punishing the leaders of the old Klan, issued his proclamations and caused the Klan to disband.

Just as Haywood and his confederates, officers and those persons in the Klan responsible for overt violations of the law be indicted if instructions are sent for according to the letter quoted by Senator Walsh.

Senator Walsh looks on the letter as pointing out a plain and practical procedure for the Federal Government.

### Shoots Girl And Is Slain By Her Host

Rejected Suitor Calls to Get Back Ring and Seriously Wounds Rose Landrigger, His Former Sweetheart

Fires Again at Woman

Second Shot Misses; He Flees and Is Killed in His Car by Edgar Scudder

HUNTINGTON, L. I., Nov. 27.—John J. Leitch was shot and killed by Edgar Scudder here to-night after Leitch had shot and seriously wounded his former fiancée, seventeen-year-old Rose Landrigger, upon whom he had called at Scudder's home, ostensibly for the purpose of getting back his engagement ring.

Leitch was twenty-nine years old and lived in Northport. He and Miss Landrigger had been engaged for some time. The engagement was broken off yesterday. When they returned from their customary Sunday motor trip, the girl flung herself into the arms of Mrs. Scudder, with whom she has been staying because of a quarrel with her family, and told her that she never could marry Leitch and he was to call this evening for his ring.

His Demeanor Unchanged  
He called soon after supper and neither Mr. Scudder nor his wife noticed anything unusual in his demeanor. As was their custom, he came to see their guest, they retired to the kitchen, leaving the living room to Leitch and Miss Landrigger.

The two had been sitting there only a short time when the Scudders heard a shot. They ran into the living room, Mrs. Scudder ahead of her husband. She was almost upset by Leitch, who was rushing from the room, in which his former fiancée lay senseless on the floor, a bullet through her head.

Leitch, she says, leveled his revolver at her and pulled the trigger. Mrs. Scudder was so close to him that she deflected the bullet with her quick movement. She saw the bullet strike the wall.

By this time Scudder was in the room, his shotgun in his hand, both barrels loaded and cocked. Leitch was disappearing through the door. Scudder followed him. Leitch jumped into his automobile and Scudder fired one barrel. He aimed over Leitch's head, he said, and intended merely to scare him away.

### Tax Rebate In Ship Bill Lost, 56 to 47

Farm Bloc Defeats Section Designed to Increase Exports on U.S. Vessels; Restrict Leviathan Sale

Subsidy Ranks Hold On Other Big Issues

Absence of Many Republicans Believed Only Peril to Passage Wednesday

By David S. Kennedy  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Supporters of the shipping bill to-day succeeded in maintaining without substantial amendments the greater part of the measure, but were forced to yield to the farm bloc on one important point. By a vote of 56 to 47 the section giving taxpayers rebates from their income taxes, amounting to 5 per cent of the sums paid in transportation on American vessels, was stricken out. The amendment introduced by Representative W. J. Graham, Republican of Illinois, gained favor among the agricultural Representatives because of the belief that the farmers would not benefit from the exemption.

This action followed defeat of an amendment by the House, J. Dickinson, Republican, of Iowa, to allow the producers a rebate equal to 5 per cent of the freight money paid on such transportation at the port of exportation. The amendment was lost by a vote of 61 to 39.

Party Lines Are Held  
On other sections, such as the sales policy and the construction loan fund, the vote was divided along party lines, with the Democrats opposing the measure and the Republicans supporting it.

Administration leaders have the situation well in hand so far as most of the amendments are concerned. Practically all of the amendments proposed in the rest of the bill were taken up Wednesday before the final vote at 4 o'clock. It is evident, however, that the small attendance contains elements of danger for the bill.

More Republicans Needed  
In the vote last night on the adoption of the rule to limit debate there were 200 in favor and 110 against, making a total of 310. Opponents of the bill estimated that 45 to 50 of those voting for the bill were Republicans. According to this analysis, the vote on the measure as a whole at that time would have been 40 per cent of the bill to pass.

Elimination of the 5 per cent tax rebate was an unexpected development. Advocates of the bill regarded this as one of the features which would meet the needs of the exporters generally, giving them a powerful inducement to ship their goods on American vessels.

### 900% Stock Dividend On Atlantic Refining

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—A stock dividend of 900 per cent on the common stock of the Atlantic Refining Company, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil unit divorced by the Supreme Court in 1911, was declared here to-day.

Of the \$50,000,000 common stock authorized, only \$5,000,000 has been issued. Holders of this have been receiving dividends at the rate of \$20 a share. The directors said they expected the first quarterly dividend on the increased stock issue, payable next March, would be \$1 a share.

### Thompson Plans Attack on Aims of Clemenceau

Chicago Mayor Gives 'Tiger' Chill Greeting; Address To Be Signal for Open Indictment of France

By Boyden Sparkes  
CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Georges Clemenceau heard to-day the voices of two old friends welcoming him to Chicago. They were French "75s" that only a few years ago hurled death at the Germans and now roared a salute to France's father of victory as he de-trained at the Union Station.

In the echoes of those pieces, a part of the equipment of the 122d Illinois Field Artillery, and in the warmth of the smile of General John J. Pershing the former Premier seemed to renew his faith that he will be able to persuade the people of the United States that only their powerful presence at the council tables of Europe can avert a new war, in which civilization would be menaced by Germans, Turks and Russians.

"Be expedient I will not!" exclaimed the "Tiger" as he looked out of his car window. "The most unexpected of Ohio and Indiana sweeping to the rear. With one foot in the grave I will say only what I believe. I have never been a compromiser. At my age it is no time to starve."

Mr. Clemenceau's outburst was directed against some of his American friends, who have been urging him to "save the things America wants to hear and be expedient."

Chicago Fears Hecklers  
Chicago is rather fearful that attempts may be made to-morrow to heckle the "Tiger" when he speaks at the Auditorium. Jean Loague is here, and his chief purpose is to heckle. It is believed, it is to bait M. Clemenceau. In addition, it was reported from the City Hall that Mayor William Hale Thompson would open his campaign for reelection to-morrow night a few hours after the "Tiger's" speech at the Auditorium, with an attack on the aims which brought France's wartime Premier to this country.

The "Tiger's" speech—his third important utterance in America—is to be given from the stage of the vast Auditorium at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. It is known that Edward M. House, during their conversation on Sunday, made certain suggestions to M. Clemenceau that he stress some ideas and omit others. But as far as his accepting those suggestions there is no better prophet than Colonel House himself, who recently said: "He will say what he pleases; that is the beauty of the 'Tiger'." The old man did not seem to be much concerned about his speech when he left the train at Union Station. Hardly had he set foot on the platform before he stopped short and uttered a few words vehemently about his "baggage."

### Radicals Deal Harding Blow in Vote

Liberal-Farm Bloc Group Joins With Democrats to Send Librarian Loan Back Into Committee

Borah and France Bolt Progressives

Insurgents Now Confident Filibuster Will Block Dyer Anti-Lynch Bill

By Carter Field  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Defeating the Librarian loan bill, part of the Administration program, the radical-farm bloc won its first victory in the Senate to-day, on the first important roll call of the extra session. Despite a split because of amendments on the bill, the radical and farm Senators, by combining with the Democrats, sent the Librarian loan measure back to the Finance Committee, very probably to its death, so far as the present Congress is concerned, by a vote of 42 to 38.

The Democrats and progressives had been talking this measure to death all last week, most of the filibustering being due to a desire particularly to beat it, but largely to consume as much time as possible so as to prevent the passage of the Dyer anti-lynching bill. This is the next measure on the legislative slate of the Republican leaders.

The Southern Democrats were determined to talk forever, if necessary, to prevent passage of the Dyer anti-lynching bill. Privately Republican Senators admit that unless everything else, including not only the ship subsidy but the appropriation bills, is to be frankly abandoned, there is no hope of putting the Dyer measure through.

Harding Insists on Dyer Bill  
Several of the Senate Republican leaders have told President Harding that it would kill off everything else if they made a determined fight for the Dyer bill, but the President has been very insistent that there is no hope of putting the Dyer measure through.

As a matter of fact the defeat of the Librarian loan—also irritating to most of the Southerners because some of them regard it as playing to the negro table—was not unexpected. The bill had been loaded down with amendments, not with the usual purpose of killing it but with the idea of making amendments easier to pass. One of the amendments was for \$20,000,000 additional for irrigation of arid lands in the West. It was tacked on the bill by Senator Borah, because of the recent appointment of Cameron, Borah, Cameron, La Follette, Federal office in New Orleans. They plan to fight vigorously against his confirmation, but they realize that a filibuster in secret session is nearly always inevitable.

Senator France, of Maryland, is more interested in legislation with regard to the black republic of Liberia probably than any other man in either house of Congress. Normally he votes with the radicals, but his vote was against them to-day.

### Five Typhus Suspects Found at Brooklyn Pier

Sailors on Tramp Steamer From Persian Gulf First Thought Pneumonia Victims

Dr. Royal S. Copeland, Health Commissioner, announced yesterday that he believed five cases of typhus had been discovered in the Long Island Hospital, Brooklyn, and that a fifth victim of the disease had died there. The five affected men on the tramp steamer "Nigrota," which docked at Fulton Street, Brooklyn, on Thursday, and were passed by the Public Health Service at Quarantine as suffering from pneumonia, Commissioner Copeland said.

### No Big War Possible For Years, Says Harvey

"Dominion of Common Sense" Attained, He Asserts, and People Refuse to Fight

LONDON, Nov. 27 (By The Associated Press).—Colonel George Harvey, the American Ambassador, speaking at the Forum Club to-night, referred to what he called "the common-placeness of great events."

### Former Partner Fails to Jail Alex Carr, of 'Partners Again'

Alexander Carr played his part in "Partners Again" at the Selwyn Theatre last night, technically under arrest and with Ludlow Street jail staring him in the face. His equanimity was undisturbed, however, and he said he was sure everything would come out satisfactorily without an extra "curtain."

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### Paris to Hon - America

PARIS, Nov. 27 (By The Associated Press).—On the initiative of Cardinal Du Bois, Archbishop of Paris, a solemn service of thanks for the strengthening of the bonds uniting France and "our great allies of North America" will be celebrated Thanksgiving Day in Trinity Church, Palestrina's "Missa Papae Marcelli" will be sung. Canon Flynn will preach the sermon in English and French.

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### First Real Snow Falls Streets With Slush

1,200 Men Held Ready for Cleaning as Weather Bureau Predicts Cold

While winter isn't officially due until December 21, it opened an advance engagement in New York yesterday afternoon and evening, when six-tenths of an inch of snow fell the streets with slush, causing numerous accidents. Most of the snow failed to stick, but the Weather Bureau announced a cold spell later. This snowfall so closely equaled a former record established in 1912.

### Senate Ousts Negro Veteran Who Tries to Quiz Hitchcock

From The Tribune's Washington Bureau  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Dignity of the Senate proceedings was ruffled to-day when Lucius Jones, a lame patient of Mount Alto Hospital, near Washington, a negro veteran in uniform, stood up in the gallery and asked to be heard while Senator Hitchcock, replying to Clemenceau, was describing the alleged outrages committed by African troops along the Rhine.

Vice-President Coolidge rapped for order, and Jones sat down. Half an hour later, when Senator Hitchcock ended, Senator Hefflin, of Alabama, arose to a question of order and in dramatic fashion protested and demanded that Jones be removed from the gallery "for this insult and indignity."

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