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BARRETT IS SENT TO TEXAS BORDER

The Adjutant General and Colonel Markham Go to Grandfield.

PROBE WILL BE MADE

Purpose of Order, Robertson Says, Is to Make Thorough Investigation.

WILL NOT CALL ANY TROOPS

Governor Says He Has No Intention to Mobilize Guard; Deputies Named.

By Associated Press State Wire.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 29.—Adjutant General Charles F. Barrett and Colonel H. H. Markham, commander of the Second Oklahoma Infantry, left tonight for Grandfield to investigate the boundary dispute which is disturbing claimants of the oil-producing bed of the Red river between Oklahoma and Texas.

"I have not sent any troops and I have no intention of doing so," Gov. Robertson said today. "I expect General Barrett and Colonel Markham to look the situation over in order that I might have reliable information on the matter. I hope they will be able while in the district to bring about a dependable agreement with the Texas authorities to wait decision by the United States supreme commission as many deputies as might be necessary to preserve order in the state and enforce the order of the Oklahoma by Governor Robertson to Austin Perryman, sheriff of Tillman county.

"It is your duty to protect lives and properties in your county," Robertson said. "However, I am expecting you to use discretion and good judgment."

The chamber of commerce of Grandfield sent the governor today a copy of resolutions commending his attitude in refusing to call out national guards to defend the claims of Oklahoma citizens on the Red river border.

A. M. Stewart, attorney for the Oklahoma claimants to the territory, who has been here for several days urging action in the interest of his clients, said with reference to the Fredrick resolution:

"They are 25 miles away from the trouble and don't understand how serious it is."

Oklahoma still are holding the Burk divide well over which the contest is going on now in greatest intensity, Stewart said tonight.

In spite of opposition by Texas ranchers, the governor today today, Oklahoma went forward with the erection of a tank for the storage of all from the well. It is estimated the well is flowing at the rate of 3,000 barrels a day, all of which is running down the bed of the river.

TO RAISE RELIEF FUND

Impressed With Miss Morgan's Message, Committee Plans Solicitation of Money to Aid France.

Tulsa is going to do its share in the raising of funds for the relief of devastated France, urged by Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of J. P. Morgan, during her recent visit in this city. At a dinner at Hotel Tulsa at 11 o'clock last night by W. E. Brown, president of the Union National bank and chairman of a local committee to raise funds for the movement, ministers, representatives of all civic clubs, and representatives of every bank in the city discussed plans for the soliciting of contributions here.

Although they fully realized the fact that the public is weary of drives and campaigns, the Tulsans who assembled at the banquet last night had been so impressed with the message that Miss Morgan brought to the city that they determined to give all who wished an opportunity to give what they could for the restoration of the war stricken portions of France.

Four years the children living in the war zones of the heroic nation have been unable to attend school and have been retarded that much in many other ways. This and other considerations moved the ministers, bankers, civic club members last night to do all in their power to aid their cause. Contributions to the relief fund will be taken by a representative of the committee in every bank of the city.

JUDGE SWANK IS ENDORSED

Cleveland County Bar Association Backs Him for Congress.

By Associated Press State Wire.

NEWMAN, Jan. 29.—The candidacy of Fletcher B. Swank, judge of the Cleveland county district court, for democratic nomination to congress for the fifth district, was endorsed by the Cleveland County Bar association at its meeting here tonight.

Those elected: John E. Luttrell, president; J. D. Holland, vice president; County Judge George Allen, secretary-treasurer.

Robbed of Payroll.

At PABO, Texas, Jan. 29.—James E. An American superintendent of the Santa Mining company at PABO, Mex., was held up and robbed of the mine payroll of several thousand dollars Saturday last while proceeding to the mine from Chihuahua City, according to a report received here today.

World's News Told in Condensed Form for Hurried Readers

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 29.—General J. W. Loring was the guest of Pasadena today.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Wholesale and retail prices for eggs have dropped from 10 to 8 cents a dozen here this week.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 29.—Influenza cases in Michigan reached 11,910 this afternoon according to reports to the state board of health.

BUDAPEST, Jan. 29.—Thurgay will be a monarchy and the new king will be chosen immediately after the national assembly convenes, said Premier Harsanyi speaking at a weekly's cabinet meeting.

TOPKA, Kan., Jan. 29.—Salina was also the point at which the national assembly convened today at a meeting of the republican state committee. March 23 was the date set.

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 29.—Three hundred and five men are drifting out of the border in Mexico at a rate of 223 a day, according to advice received here today by Alberto Roldan, acting consul general for Mexico.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Childe company, operators of private theaters, will throughout the country, set a record for earnings in the year ending November 30, 1919, the total net profits being \$1,057,000, according to its annual report made public today.

ST. FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—The army transport Mount Vernon, reported during the night in a sinking condition, is coming out of San Francisco and fast coast steamer which left Los Angeles for her old home turned back. This is the official naval word here today.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—An agreement on all the principal points of the strike has been reached by the strikers and the management of the London railway, according to a Central News dispatch from Rome today. The strike is expected to be ended by the strikers will return to work immediately.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 29.—Bonnie W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railroad and son of the late James W. Hill, announced this afternoon that he will retire from active management of the road shortly after it is received to private ownership. Hill stated that Ralph Budd would direct the management.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Japan exported more goods to the United States through the port of New York than any other country in the world, according to a report made public at the customs house today. The Japanese business amounted to \$29,862,240. The competitor was England with \$26,753,340.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 29.—A resolution accepting 450 acres of land near Chandler has been passed by the state land commissioner. It was announced today. This land was used previously in the war as a military rifle range and training camp site. It is to be appraised and leased for an agricultural school.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 29.—The price of eggs today is 12 1/2 cents a dozen. Today, produce men today are paying \$14.00 a case and predict the price will continue to rise. The price of eggs today is 45 cents a dozen. Retailers today are selling fresh eggs as low as 42c a dozen, a drop of 20c to 25c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The widespread influenza epidemic which has been making New Yorkers are reported to be making noticeable progress at home has been spreading to other parts of the country. Agents in several cities here tonight. They say the virus which are usually made in Japan, were delivered by parcel post.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 29.—The Florida republican state convention today endorsed the leadership of Senator Lodge in the treaty fight and nominated Judge John B. H. Brown, president of the Union National bank and chairman of a local committee to raise funds for the movement, ministers, representatives of all civic clubs, and representatives of every bank in the city discussed plans for the soliciting of contributions here.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Canadian government has been notified by the United States that has been lifted by the paper controller at Ottawa. It was stated today in effect of the day compared with 774 sheets of paper are being made to the United States as rapidly as they can be loaded into cars. It was further stated.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The American foreign administration has notified the state department that thousands of packages of food sent by persons in America to starving relatives and friends in south central and eastern Europe, have been rotting in huge piles in Baltic sea ports since summer. There is no prospect of added cargo being reaching their destinations.

RICHMOND, Ind., Jan. 29.—Forty persons were injured, 10 of them fatally, when an Ohio electric trolley, inbound, leaped the tracks at a curve on a hill at the city of Richmond, Ind., today. The car, according to passengers, was traveling down grade at a high rate of speed when it was derailed.

LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 29.—Threatening conditions here have been reported by District Attorney John A. Vails since he committed himself before the senate subcommittee on the Mexican border. A recent letter written to Senator Hays threatened "to get him" for his failure to take any action against the "Kingswood Oil Co." Mr. Vails said he was "making no attempt to do the threat."

Wood for President Pledge

I favor the election of Leonard A. Wood President of the United States.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to J. B. Messer, President Leonard A. Wood for President, 325 Kennedy Bldg., Tulsa.

NOTED MURDERER IS ELECTROCUTED

Gordon Hamby Pays Penalty for Crimes at Sing Sing Prison

KNOWN OVER NATION

Record Extends From Coast to Coast in Series of Robberies and Slayings.

DID NOT WANT REPRIEVE

Expresses Relief When Final Efforts Fail: "Go Ahead Boys," Last Words.

By Associated Press.

OSISSING, Jan. 29.—Gordon Fawcett Hamby, murderer, bank robber and gang leader, whose crime record reached from coast to coast, and culminated in the murder of two men in 1915, was electrocuted in Sing Sing prison tonight.

Hamby maintained to the last the right of his own life, and refused to accept a reprieve from the state of New York. He refused the offers of the protestant and Roman Catholic chaplains to accompany him to the chair and waited for his death unflinchingly. He refused to be reprieved.

"I want to say that anyone who had the misfortune, for it indeed was a misfortune, to come in front of my gun, had a chance and a good chance. That's all. Go ahead, boys."

From the time of his trial, Hamby had insisted that his right name was Jay B. Allen.

Hamby spent his last days in the death house writing letters in his cell, reading newspapers and "talking with the girls" here. He expressed relief when he learned that an eleventh hour effort to get Governor Smith to give him a reprieve had failed.

When asked what he wanted for his last meal, Hamby ordered lobster salad, of which he ate heartily. He then proceeded to enjoy some of the cigars and candy which his companions in the death house had furnished him. Father William E. Cashin, the Roman Catholic chaplain, spent a half hour with the condemned man this afternoon, who did not actually refuse any consolation, but he requested the priest and Rev. Dr. A. N. Peterson, the protestant chaplain, not to accompany him in his walk to the chair.

"I had my message for the youth of the country, Hamby said: "I don't wish to appear in the light of a moralist, but you can tell them for me never to start doing wrong. Once you get started in crime you can never stop."

GLASS OPPOSES FINANCE PARLEY

Secretary of Treasury Says Further Loans Out of Question.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The United States treasury department, today took with favor upon certain features of the proposed international conference, recently called by a coalition of nationally known financiers and commercial leaders in an effort to lead the world out of the financial and commercial chaos into which it was dragged by the war.

Secretary of Treasury Clegg, in a letter to a committee of the chamber of commerce of the United States, which had sought a governmental expression of the meeting that such a conference would serve "to cause confusion and revive hopes, doomed to disappointment, of further government loans."

With a note of finality, Mr. Clegg set forth the government's policy with respect to furnishing credits, stating that the treasury "is opposed to government control of foreign exchange and finance, and even more opposed to private control."

"It is convinced that the credits required for the economic restoration must come through private channels, and that the government should not assume the burden of such a task."

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PACKER LAWS ASKED

Live Stock Association Demands New Legislation—Convention at Seattle Close.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 29.—Governmental action to regulate the packing industry was endorsed in a resolution passed at the close today of the session of the American National Live Stock association's national convention. United States Senator John B. Kendrick was re-elected president of the association and El Paso, Texas, was chosen as the location for the next meeting.

Prompt return of the railroads to private control, with restoration of the full powers of the interstate commerce commission, was demanded in another resolution adopted.

Universal military training for the youth of the nation was advocated.

The treaty resolution, which specifies any particular set of reservations, declared the senate in its ratification should "safeguard American interests in the future."

"The reservations must be so strong," continued the resolution, "as to leave no doubt as to any constitutional limitations."

Failing the possibility of ratification with such safeguards, the resolutions urged congress should pass at once a declaration that the war is at an end.

DETZER'S TRIAL IS ENDED

Court Martial Concluded and Verdict Reached—Decision Withheld

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The court martial of Capt. Earl W. Detzer, for the murder of soldiers of the A. E. P. at Le Mans, France, which began at Governors Island eight weeks ago, ended today. The official court martial, which has been in progress for less than five minutes, and in accordance with military regulations their decision will not be forwarded to the war department in Washington.

THOUGHTS TO THINK ABOUT

Faith in self and faith in men gives union of strength for the doing of good.

The within and not the without, makes the man not for you, success fails.

Troubles look big "a-coming" and little "a-going"—they are passing shadows.

The ability to express by word or work what the heart thinketh is the climax of power.

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Fire Loss of \$30,000 Result at Okmulgee

OKMULGEE, Jan. 29.—Fire causing a loss of approximately \$30,000 tonight destroyed twelve automobiles and trucks belonging to the Kingswood Oil Co. here. The fire started when a Ford truck back fired, igniting gasoline on the floor of the company's garage. It spread rapidly to the machine shop, causing the explosion of several tanks of oil. No one was reported injured.

Release of Captive Aviators Is Looked for in Mexico Today

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Jan. 29.—Several aviators of the eighth aerial squadron at Brownsville, Texas, tonight were awaiting permission from the Mexican government to cross the international boundary and carry out a forced landing to Llaneros, E. Davis and J. E. Griener, who made a forced landing 30 miles below the Zapala county, Texas, border yesterday.

Major Torres, acting commander of Mexican troops in the Matamoros district, telegraphed the Mexican war department today recommending such permission be granted. So far, however, no reply had been received early tonight.

Griener and Davis are still at Guerrero, a Mexican village, 140 miles west of Matamoros, according to latest advices from Fort Brown.

It was said the two fliers probably would remain there until they are able to bring out their machine, the landing of which was forced by exhaustion of the supply of gasoline after the aviators had become lost in a fog yesterday. They are not prisoners, except in the name of Major Torres to Fort Brown, and are being shown every courtesy by Mexican officials.

"The rescue" squadron planned to proceed to Guerrero late today, but failure of Major Torres to reach a response from Mexico City to his recommendation delayed the program. It was hoped the flight might be made early tomorrow.

MARS REGARDED TOO COLD

Temperature Will Not Permit Beings Who Can Communicate Here.

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—If wireless messages are being received on the earth from some other planet, as suggested by William Marconi, it is not Mars sending the signals, but most probably Venus, said Dr. A. B. A. Abbot, director of the Smithsonian Astrophysical observatory and assistant secretary of the Smithsonian institute.

Dr. Abbot makes no claim that the waves from wireless signals do come from another planet but says if they do Mars is eliminated as a possibility because known conditions on the planet would not permit the existence of any form of living creatures.

"In the first place," says Doctor Abbot, "on account of the greater distance nearly twice as far from the sun as Mars, the average temperature there, that on the earth, is about 100 degrees below zero."

"The polar caps which are seen on Mars may be either hoar frost from the minute traces of water vapor in the atmosphere, or what is quite as probable, frozen carbonic acid gas. The so-called 'canals' of Mars are not existent except as a result of the action of such telescopic observers as Bernard Hale and others who have observed with great telescopes under well-known perfect conditions."

"It is objected, there may be other strange forms of beings which need no water or vegetation or heat. This also is reduced to impossibility by the fact that all living things must be largely of carbon compounds of carbon. While the stellar spectrum shows that there is carbon on all heavenly bodies, the atmosphere surrounding this planet, such as are required for life, mostly require temperatures above freezing to prevent rigidity. So the possibility of such beings, or even more complex organisms, is even more opposed to private control."

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PRESIDENT IS ENDORSED

Missouri Democratic Committee Calls Convention for Joplin.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 29.—The 1920 democratic state convention to elect delegates at-large to the national convention will be held at Joplin, Mo., March 21, the state central committee in session here decided late today.

It also was decided that women would have equal rights and representation with the men and that they would be permitted to select their own delegates.

The committee adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of President Wilson, the peace of nations, and the state administration.

Fashion Takers make good clothes R. E. Warner Tailor and Mens' wear, 401 E. 1st.

THINKS SIGNALS SENT BY VENUS

Smithsonian Institute Expert Discounts Mars' Attempt.

PLANET SUPPORTS LIFE

Beings Similar to Ourselves Inhabit Venus, Dr. Abbot Gives as His View.

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SEES WAGE REDUCTION

Head of Firm Predicts Action by Railroad Owners—He and Company Attack Cummins Bill.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Charles H. "Burr" Burr, president of the American Railway Union, today predicted that railroad owners would reduce wages as soon as the roads were returned to private ownership by the Cummins bill.

Mr. Burr, speaking at the meeting of the National Civic association here tonight, said that the Cummins bill now before the senate and joined with Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in an attack on the Cummins bill, referring to the Cummins bill.

"There is no danger of a strike on American railroads, unless it is provoked by such legislation as the Cummins bill or such attitude of the government as in the coal strike," the speaker said in conclusion.

Mr. Gompers, defending organized labor, asserted that the unions had done more to prevent strikes than any other agency.

M'GRAW WITHDRAWS FROM CONTEST

PROBE OF NAVY LAXITY ORDERED

Daniels Asked to Give Data on Preparedness in 1917.

SIMS MAKES REQUEST

Admiral Makes Claim That Our Forces Were Not Ready for Beginning.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Charged by Rear Admiral William R. Sims that the navy was not prepared to enter the war in 1917 are to be investigated by the senate subcommittee already entrusted with inquiry into the navy's conduct of the war which has been criticized by the same officer. Acting on written suggestion from Admiral Sims, Chairman Page of the naval committee asked Secretary Daniels today to submit full information as to the condition of the navy just previous to the entrance of the United States into the world war.

After conference with Senator Hale, chairman of the subcommittee, Senator Page wrote Mr. Daniels asking that he transmit a detailed statement showing the location of American warships two months and one month prior to the declaration of war and their location upon the actual day this country entered the war. In addition Senator Page asked for the names of the ships ready for distant service when war was declared and the names of ships not ready and the reason for their unpreparedness.

Investigation into the naval awards controversy was to have been resumed tomorrow with Secretary Daniels testifying before the committee, but owing to the illness of Senator Trammell, democrat of Florida, a subcommittee member, the hearing was postponed until Tuesday, at which time the secretary will appear. The wider inquiry into Admiral Sims' charges of unpreparedness and failure to co-operate daily with the allied navies will be made by the same subcommittee later.

BRYAN RAPPED BY EDWARDS

Jersey Governor Says Nebraska Seeks "Harmony of Death."

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 29.—William Jennings Bryan was accused of wanting to establish "the harmony of death" in the democratic party, in a statement issued tonight by Governor Edward I. Edwards.

Edwards, in reply to an attack made upon the New Jersey executive by Mr. Bryan at Hialeah, W. Va., last night, Mr. Bryan had charged Governor Edwards with being an agent of the liquor interests and with trying to disrupt the democratic party.

"Governor Edwards' statement," said Mr. Bryan, "is a statement issued tonight by Governor Edward I. Edwards, in reply to an attack made upon the New Jersey executive by Mr. Bryan at Hialeah, W. Va., last night. Mr. Bryan had charged Governor Edwards with being an agent of the liquor interests and with trying to disrupt the democratic party."

"The harmony of death," Mr. Bryan said, "is the harmony of death. If he has his way the democratic convention at San Francisco will be the program of 'death' which will be 'glorious' to the people of the world. It is a program of death. What I wish is to disturb no harmony but an intelligent grappling with the situation, so that we may have a clear definition of the issue of liberty against sectarianism. I would sooner be the angel Gabriel to call the party to life, than be an undertaker to provide at its funeral."

PACT SESSION DELAYED

Senators Welcome Calling Off of Bi-Partisan Conference Over Treaty Until Today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Negotiations between democratic and republican leaders of the senate, who apparently have approached a deadly lock on the peace treaty compromise, will not be resumed until tomorrow, the meeting of the bi-partisan committee set for today having been postponed because of the absence of Senator Leonard of Wisconsin, one of the republican leaders.

There were indications that some senators on each side welcomed the delay and there were many conferences during the day to perfect the treaty. The committee meeting which may break a final showdown on the question of continuing the negotiations.

There was much discussion of what course the treaty should take if the bi-partisan negotiations ended without an agreement. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the administration leader, has told the republicans that in such an eventuality he proposed to move to take up the treaty in the open senate, but he said today he would do that and all hope of compromise by private negotiation had disappeared.

THE WEATHER

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 29.—Maximum 57; minimum 35.

OKLAHOMA, Friday and Saturday generally fair.

KANSAS, Friday and Saturday fair, cooler Sunday night.

WEST TEXAS, Friday and Saturday, fair, cooler Sunday night.

LOUISIANA, Friday and Saturday, rain in southern portion, Saturday fair.

ARKANSAS, Friday fair, warmer in east portion, Saturday fair.

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