

STRONG STATE GOVERNMENTS BIG WAR AID

Praises Agencies for Service During World Conflict in Europe — Wants Freedom For City Authority.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 17.—Thirty-six governors or gubernatorial in annual conference here Monday were told by Secretary Baker that the war had proven the indispensability of strong state governments in peace as well as war times.

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physical training for young men. At the same time he pleaded that state authorities give cities more freedom to work out their individual local problems.

Farm Lands for Yanks. Secretary Houston, addressing the governors, suggested that state governments ascertain immediately what farming lands might be available for use of returning soldiers. He cautioned, however, against throwing these men indiscriminately into agricultural pursuits without previous experience or adequate training.

Reconstruction problems, particularly those relating to labor, education and public lands will be discussed by the governors at their meetings tomorrow, and at the closing sessions Wednesday they will hear addresses by Secretaries Daniels and Lane. Tonight they attended a reception at the home of Gov. Harrington, of Maryland.

Secretary Baker said his principal purpose in addressing the state executives was to express thanks for the remarkable manner in which state and local authorities, through defense councils, draft boards and other officials, had carried out the federal government's wishes throughout the war and had initiated measures of their own.

Draft boards will be disbanded at the end of this month and state branches of the council of national defense will cease functioning as federal agencies as soon as possible, Mr. Baker said. He urged that they cooperate with employment agencies in finding work for soldiers.

Secretary Houston urged states to establish strong centralized agricultural departments to define more clearly the function of land grant colleges to continue promotion of agricultural extension work, build better roads and promote campaigns in rural districts against preventable diseases.

Favors Revolving Fund. Considering the uncertainty of the future of the world's food production, Secretary Houston said: "Congress should make available a revolving fund of not less than \$500,000,000 to effectuate the government guarantee of \$2.20 a bushel for wheat, for we cannot tell at this time what the real market price will be a year from now. It may be as much as \$2.20 and it may be as much as 50 cents less than the guaranteed price."

Among those in attendance is Gov. Goodrich, of Indiana.

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UNIVERSAL TRAINING DECLARED NECESSARY

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Universal military training of American youths was advocated as "an absolute necessity" by Maj. Gen. George Barnett, commander of the United States marine corps, who discussed the lessons of the war upon his return here Monday after two and a half months in Paris and at the front.

TWO DEPUTIES ARE ARRESTED IN PORTUGAL

LISBON, Portugal, Dec. 17.—(Havas.)—Dr. Brito Camacho, leader of the unionist group in the Portuguese chamber of deputies, and Magalhaes Lima, leader of the republican party, have been arrested. Magalhaes Lima was taken into custody because, it is alleged, a letter addressed to him was found on the person of the assassin of President Paes.

M'ADOO WILL TAKE REST IN CALIFORNIA

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Dec. 17.—Former Sec'y of the Treasury William G. McAdoo R was announced here Monday has arranged to lease for three months beginning Jan. 1, a cottage and a 48 acre tract in a Santa Barbara suburb, commanding a view of the ocean.

LAST GERMAN TROOPS ARE LEAVING FINLAND

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The last German troops leave Finland Monday under the command of officers of high rank, according to an official dispatch from Stockholm. No German military instructors will be allowed to remain in the country.

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Russia Appeals To Allies For Aid In South

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Representatives of all political groups in southern Russia except the Bolsheviks and absolutists have appealed to the American and allied governments to send an expedition into southern Russia to combat the soviet and prevent anarchy there.

The appeal was made to the ministers of the associated nations at Jassy, Roumania, on Dec. 6, with the request that it be transmitted to their governments. The report from the American minister was received today at the state department.

The Russian representatives told the ministers that a renewal of bloody civil war was threatened in southern Russia, due to the occupation of this territory by the Germans and the incidental weakness of the local authorities, and urged that the associated nations send immediately such help as will prevent the otherwise certain revolt of the elements making for anarchy.

REDFIELD OPTIMISTIC REGARDING BUSINESS

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—Optimism regarding business in the United States was expressed Monday by Secretary William C. Redfield, of the department of commerce, in discussing at a business readjustment conference here some of the plans of the government to expand the foreign trade of the country.

The solution of controversies between capital and labor, he believed, would be solved by large production, which would make high wages possible. The workers would find no difficulty, he said, in getting employment and every effort would be made to see that the men who had been in service found good places.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.
BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 17.—(Havas)—A dispatch received here from Berlin says that the resignation of Dr. W. S. Solf, as imperial secretary of foreign affairs, has been accepted.

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