

LEAGUE'S COUNCIL AGREES TO SUBMIT COMPETENCY ISSUES

Two Questions on League's Attitude in International Disputes Come Up

CALANDRA CONTINUES TO REMAIN OBSCURE

Delegates Pay Tributes to America's Leadership in Opium Fight

GENEVA, Sept. 27.—(By Associated Press)—The council of the league of nations after a two hours conference Thursday agreed to submit two questions on the general aspects of the league's competency in international complications to the permanent court of international justice at the Hague.

Wait on Salandra Members of the council tried to induce Signor Salandra, the Italian member, to consent to the Hague court's passing upon whether other matters, such as incident affecting national honor are also to be excluded.

The French are seeking to act as conciliators, believing that eventually Italy will agree to a full examination of the covenant.

The disarmament commission decided definitely that in view of the divergencies of opinion on its contents, including the clause authorizing supplementary defensive alliances, the governments should be requested to send in their opinions of the pact, to the league.

Considered Humanitarian Issues The assembly of the league, which sessions both morning and afternoon, concerning chiefly humanitarian problems and measures to organize relief forces in distress.

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NORMAL APPEARANCE OF NEW YORK PAPERS HERALD STRIKE'S END

Union Men Will Vote Today Whether They Will Accept Chief's Terms

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—New York's press strike, which nominally ended Thursday with the appearance for the first time in nine days, of morning and evening newspapers, as individual entities, will, it was indicated, be definitely concluded Friday night, when the 2,200 strikers cast their expected vote for peace.

Four proposals will be voted upon at the meeting, chief among them being approval of the international union's contract with the publishers and reputation of the outlawed local 25, which called the strike.

JUDGE WILL CHARGE WARD JURY TODAY; ARGUMENTS ENDED

No Rebuttal is in Order, and Day Winds Up Assailing of Defense

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Attorney General Sherman, the state's chief prosecutor in the trial of Walter S. Ward for the murder of Clarence Peters of Haver Hill, Mass., delivered a final appeal to the jury Thursday in argument of the case.

Legislators Seek Courts In Fight Against Methods Employed by Gov. Walton

Restraining Order is Asked to Allow Assembly to Meet for Probe

HEARING IS SET FOR NEXT TUESDAY

Solons Go to Their Homes in Meanwhile to Await Further Call

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Sept. 27.—(By Associated Press)—The legislators that fled from Oklahoma a flame since Gov. J. C. Walton opened his war on the Ku Klux Klan and state legislators in turn instituted a drive to impeach the executive, began, to fade out Thursday night with a long, dull court battle in prospect.

The first move in the courts, the legality of the special session of the lower house of the legislature, called by members who hold it is their right to investigate the official acts of Governor Walton, was taken in state district court here.

Members Go Home Meanwhile the house members who gathered here and attempted to convene, only to be dispersed by military authorities acting under instructions from the governor, began to leave for their homes.

A pledge was signed by the legislators that should the courts finally decide they have authority to meet as an impeachment body, they will convene upon call of Representative W. McBea of Stephens county, one of the dissenting legislators.

Demobilization is Expected There were indications tonight that the next few days, the governor would modify his martial law regulations and retire the greater part of the troops now mobilized.

No relaxation in the investigation into cases of mob violence will follow however, it was made plain.

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RUHR REGULATIONS REMAIN IN FORCE, PENDING DECISION

Allied Authorities Desire to Wait Until They Observe Effect of Edict

PARIS, Sept. 27.—(By Associated Press)—All orders and regulations issued by the allied authorities in the Ruhr will be maintained, it was said in official circles Thursday, until the situation in Germany has improved to such a point that the allied forces can be withdrawn.

Kiwanians Celebrate Their Exposition Day

CHARLOTTE, Sept. 27.—Several hundred members of Kiwanis clubs of North and South Carolina attended the "Made in Carolina Exposition" here Thursday, "Kiwanis Day," which was featured by a luncheon given by the local club to the visitors.

Marines Win Rifle Team Match Title

CAMP PERRY, O., Sept. 27.—The United States marine corps today won the national rifle team match, the feature event of the National Rifle Association tournament, with a score of 236, sixty-two points better than that of the United States cavalry team, which finished second.

MORE EARTHQUAKE TREMORS THEERAN, Persia, Sept. 27.—Severe earthquake shocks have been felt at Kerman, where much damage has been done. Tremors also have been experienced at Bujrud, Rafsanjan, Bain and Anar. It is reported that smoke is issuing from a mountain near Bujrud.

GERMAN SITUATION PRESENTS MUDDLED, UNCERTAIN STATUS

State of Emergency is Declared By Stresemann and Bavarian Factions

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—(By Associated Press)—A state of emergency has been proclaimed by both the Stresemann government and the Bavarian government, presided over by Premier Von Knilling, and for the moment the situation in Germany is a complicated and uncertain one.

Although Herr Stresemann and his assistants were visibly nettled at the precipitate manner in which the Bavarian action was carried out, the Berlin government heads, Thursday night, professed the belief that they once more have become the victims of Bavarian "diplomacy" and seemingly realize their own ability correctly to appraise Munich psychology despite their past experience with Bavarian diplomacy.

The talk of revolt and secession by Bavaria is accounted in official circles in Berlin, where the impression is given that the two governments are in complete accord with respect to common aims and that their proclamations in no way collide.

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Curtain Rings Down Over Food And Fashion Display; Show is Ringing Success

FEDERAL RESERVE'S SURVEY GIVES DATA ON SEPT. BUSINESS

Slight Decline is Noted Although Figures Are Higher Than Year Ago

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Although production in basic industry declined slightly during August and early September, the output still is larger than a year ago, the federal reserve board said in a survey made public Thursday night.

The enthusiastic applause of the largest audience yet to attend, warm tribute to the ingenuity and careful labor of Mrs. Hattie Taylor Schiller, director, and Wilmington merchants, placed the final seal of approval on the city's third annual Food and Fashion show at the closing of the three-day exposition of beauty supreme at the city auditorium last evening.

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