

FRENCH CHAMBER PASSES CURRENCY PLAN

Wallace Feels Landon Plan For Free Enterprise Is One Of Cut-Throat Competition

SAYS AGRICULTURE SCHEME ON LAW OF "TOOTH AND FANG"

Secretary's Speech To Co-operative Dairy Group in Illinois Is One of Five

REPUBLICAN PLAN BITTERLY ATTACKED

Says No One in Government Contends Employment Program Is Perfect But It Prevented Complete and Devastating Collapse of Our Economic System

Aurora, Ill., Sept. 29.—(AP)—Secretary Wallace told a farm belt audience today that "free, competitive enterprise," advocated by Governor Alf M. Landon was "cut-throat competition," and a "system of agriculture operating for the most part according to the law of tooth and fang."

Wallace said the Republicans had proposed "a combination of the Smoot Hawley tariff act and the Federal Farm Board," as an agricultural program, and that recent speeches by Landon had set forth "the governor's negative philosophy of farm policy."

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Forest Fire On Coast Is Held By Fog

Marshfield, Oregon, Sept. 29 (AP)—The elements which whipped forest fires into such a fury that they destroyed a town, caused nine deaths and \$3,000,000 damages, came to the aid today of southwestern Oregon's 400,000 smoke-covered acres.

The business district was destroyed along with about 400 homes by fire that forced the 1,500 residents to flee to the beach Saturday night. Property losses at Bandon alone were estimated at \$1,500,000.

In California, State forestry officials estimated damage in a dozen northern counties at more than \$1,000,000 in an area of 3,000 acres.

1,000 Taken In Drive Of U. S. Agents

17 Nabbed in Asheville in Nationwide Narcotic-Liquor Raid Activities

Washington, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Striking suddenly in cities from coast to coast, Treasury law enforcement agencies today had made close to 1,000 arrests and seized several hundred illicit stills in a drive against narcotic and liquor law violators.

Most of these were arrested for al-

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In Troubled China



Colonel Charles F. B. Price of Williamsport, Pa., is in command of the Fourth Marines stationed at Shanghai, China, where international complications again threaten the peace of the International settlement following the landing of Japanese Marines. Col. Price has served as an intelligence officer for the greater part of his service in China.

Gov. Landon Plans Fresh Drive West

Will Be No Slackening, G. O. P. Nominee Says; Roosevelt Speaks Tonight

Governor Alf M. Landon announced today a fourth campaign swing, while President Roosevelt made ready to discuss national issues before the Democratic State Convention at Syracuse tonight.

The Roosevelt speech will be broadcast over a nationwide hook-up at 9 p. m. Fighting words were in order in both political camps. Doing his off talking, the Republican presidential nominee said shortly after his return to Topeka "there will be no slackening."

His trip will take him before audiences in Chicago October 9, Cleveland October 12, and Detroit October 14.

Friends said the Roosevelt speech would be "straight from the shoulder" and would lay a foundation for detailed discussion of farm, budget and relief questions later. His next address comes Thursday in Pittsburgh.

Resigning his chairmanship of the social security board, former Governor John G. Winant, of New Hampshire, a Republican, drafted a defense of the old age pension, unemployment insurance law to be broadcast from New York tonight in answer to criticism by Landon.

URGES MANDATORY TERMS ON DRIVERS

Safety Officials Think Courts Should Uphold Officers of Law

Raleigh, Sept. 29.—Mandatory jail or road sentences for drunken drivers, for hit-and-run and for more aggravated types of reckless driving were recommended here today as the next step in curbing highway accidents and deaths by Ben Stroup, southern field representative of the National Safety Council. For while State drivers' license laws and State highway patrols are helping greatly to reduce the number of accidents, the effective-

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FRESH DRIVE UPON MADRID LAUNCHED BY REBEL ARMIES

Government Forces Build Giant Defensive System To Protect Its Capital City

SIEGE OF ALCAZAR TOLD IN DETAILS

Radio Communications Kept Fascists in Toledo Stronghold in Good Spirits and Food Was Dropped by Plane; Government Calls For All Manpower

(By The Associated Press.)

The terrifying epic of Toledo and the rescue of its Alcazar was unfolded bit by bit today while Spanish insurgents started a fresh drive on Madrid and the government slowed its reinforcements to Toledo to build a giant defense system before the capital itself.

In the last hours of the Fascist assault on Toledo Sunday, survivors said today 600 Catholic priests supporting the rebellion were slaughtered by frenzied leftists.

From the Alcazar came these stories of the siege and the rescue: Everything was destroyed around in the Alcazar in the 72 days of artillery fire, dynamite and flaming gasoline.

Radio advices of the advance of the insurgents kept the Alcazar's men, women and children alive and food dropped from planes "kept us going." Women and children all escaped without injury.

The charge of dynamite set off by government besiegers caused comparatively little injury, because an engineer among the self-imprisoned Fascists heard the excavation being dug and knew what part of the Alcazar would be blown up. The Fascists fled to other sections.

As for the drive on Madrid, Fascist commanders at Toledo said the "maneuver is developing" and to the north other insurgent columns were seeking to encircle government troops between Avila and Maqueda.

In Madrid a new call to arms went out for government manpower for the capital's defense.

MARTIAL LAW FOR PALESTINE READY

Britain Determines To End Terrorism by Arabs In Holy Land Area

London, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Great Britain today clamped down martial law on Palestine to end the terrorism which Arabs have waged in the Holy Land for months against Jewish immigration.

Military rule actually will be put in force by a proclamation to be issued by the Palestine high commissioner. The step was announced officially in the London Gazette.

The commissioner's proclamation will delegate virtual dictatorial power to Lieutenant General J. G. Dill, commander of the recently-augmented military forces in Palestine. The move was determined upon to quell the long continued disturbances between Arabs and Jews.



Cloudy tonight and Wednesday; occasional rain; slightly cooler tonight in east and south portions.

Crop Insurance Committee in Session



Left to right are (front row): Wayne C. Taylor, assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture; Ernest G. Draper, assistant Secretary of Commerce; (back row) Roy M. Green, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; Dr. A. G. Black, Chief of the Bureau, and H. R. Tolley, Administrator of the A. A. A., who were recently appointed to the Crop Insurance Committee formed by President Roosevelt. They are shown during their first meeting at Washington, D. C. (Central Press)

More Bonds Explained By Mr. Johnson

Debt Service Would Not Be Increased by New \$25,000,000, Treasurer Says

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel. By J. C. BASKERVILLE

Raleigh, Sept. 29.—If the State wants more and better roads, it can have them without increasing taxes by issuing some new highway bonds to provide for the rebuilding and modernization of worn out and obsolete roads, State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson told the members of the Winston-Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce last night. But if the State wants its gasoline and automobile taxes reduced more than it wants additional highways and would rather have older and worse roads and less taxes, it can easily get the latter by insisting upon a reduction in automotive taxes, Johnson pointed out.

State Treasurer Johnson did not express an opinion in favor of either.

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Local Units Save Millions In Refunding

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel. By J. C. BASKERVILLE

Raleigh, Sept. 29.—Twenty-one counties and 32 cities have either completed refunding operations or have carried them to the point where there is no longer any doubts as to whether they will be completed, State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson announced here today. These refunding operations will save these 21 counties and 32 cities a total of \$44,422,086 during the life of the bonds, which means they will have to pay the bondholders \$44,422,086 less than they

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Yanks and Giants Held By Weather

New York, Sept. 29.—(AP)—A cold, cheerless rain beat down on the Yankee Stadium and the Polo Grounds today and held the New York Giants and New York Yankees chained to their dugouts as they vainly sought for an opportunity for a final tune-up before plunging into the first all-New York World Series since 1923.

Manager McCarthy of the Yankees today nominated Charley (Red) Ruffing, burley righthander for pitching duty against the New York Giants in the opening game at the Polo grounds tomorrow. Carl Hubbell, great southpaw, will pitch for the Giants.

UNION, S. C., MILL STARTS UP AGAIN

But Most of Workers Are Still on Strike After Three Weeks

Union, S. C., Sept. 29.—(AP)—The Monarch textile mills opened at 1 p. m. today on a limited scale for the first time in three weeks as 70 heavily armed special deputies guarded its entrances.

There was no statement from the management as to the number returning to duty but a strike spokesman said it was only a small proportion of the 800 normally employed, and that all union workers were still on strike.

Magistrate J. Evers Greer said today that he would accept a bond of \$1,000 by attorneys for the release of Gordon Chastain, a textile organizer, who was arrested last night on a disorderly conduct charge.

A group of approximately 75 special deputies armed with pump guns and shotguns descended upon the strike-torn Monarch textile mill this morning.

They arrested a youth on a disorderly conduct charge and took up positions before and behind a similar number of pickets thrown across the road leading to the entrance.

There was no disorder on the part of the pickets, who merely watched the maneuvers with interest.

George Kamenow of Washington, D. C.

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9 Convicted In Trials Of Legion Men

Seven Adjudged Guilty of First Degree Murder in Famous Detroit Trial

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 29.—(AP)—Nine men were convicted today by a circuit court jury in the Black Legion kidnaping and killing of Charles A. Foote last May 12.

Seven of the defendants were convicted of first degree murder and two others of second degree murder. Herschell Gill, the tenth defendant, whose fate rested in the hands of the jury, was acquitted. Two other defendants had waived jury trial and Circuit Judge Joseph A. Moynihan did not announce his decision regarding them at once.

Those convicted of first degree murder were "Colonel" Harvey Davis, John Bannerman, Ervin D. Lee, Edgar Baldwin, Lowell Rushing, Urban Lipps and Paul R. Edwards.

The two convicted of second degree murder were Virgil Morrow and Thomas R. Craig.

The jury deliberated an hour and 25 minutes.

After the foreman of the jury had announced the count on which each of the nine convicted, Judge Moynihan found Vincent and Stephens guilty of second degree murder.

NATION CONFUSED BY ITS MANY LAWS

Monopolies and Tariffs Cumbered With Uncertainties in That Way

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer

Washington, Sept. 29.—A law, once passed in the United States, almost never is repealed. Prohibition was, but the loneliness of that exception goes to prove the rule.

If a law is passed or a policy is adopted, which fails to give satisfactory results, our American system is, not to drop the policy or rescind the law, but to modify the policy somewhat, without abandoning it, or pass a second law, making the first one semi-operative, without wiping the first one out of our statute scroll.

The result is everlasting confusion—policy conflicting with policy; law with law.

RESULT—CONFUSION For example, we legislated against monopolies. Then we decided that certain monopolies are desirable. So we tried to exempt them from the monopoly ban. Since then no one ever has been able to tell malevolent and beneficent monopolies apart.

NRA tried to define on a grand scale, but the Federal Supreme Court knocked its definition out. These conflicts generally haven't been knocked out so cleanly. The average of them have strung

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TO ADJUST FRANC WITH DOLLAR AND ENGLAND'S POUND

Measure Goes from Chamber to French Senate as Gold Exportation Is Prohibited

POUND AND DOLLAR TO BE CONTROLLED

Problem of Reopening of War Debts on New Currency Stabilization Basis Causes Secretary Morgenthau To Demur and Decline To Elaborate Policy

Paris, Sept. 29 (AP)—Adjustments of the French franc with the British pound and the United States dollar was approved today by a weary Chamber of Deputies after a 25-hour session.

The vote on the government-sponsored proposal was 350 to 221. The devaluation measure, which reduces the gold content of the franc by between one-quarter and one-third, was sent immediately to the Senate.

Exportation of gold had already been prohibited. Blum said the program was comparable to the recovery movement in the United States.

CONTROLLED RELATIONSHIP OF CURRENCIES PROBABLE

Washington, Sept. 29 (AP)—A flexible but controlled relationship between the dollar and the pound, rather than an exact ironclad ratio, appeared today to be a probable aim of the tri-power monetary agreement.

Secretary Morgenthau told a press conference late yesterday that the monetary understanding by Great Britain, France and the United States included "no definite agreement" on the dollar-pound ratio.

This question had aroused speculation since the accord was announced last Friday night; because the dollar and the pound are important measuring rods for other currencies and the relationship between them thus

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Sims To Be Buried In Arlington

Boston, Mass., Sept. 29.—(AP)—"Taps" will sound in Arlington National Cemetery Thursday for Admiral William Snowden Sims, caustic-tongued commander of America's European fleet in the World War.

Admiral Sims, who "taught the navy how to shoot," died here late yesterday at the age of 77, ending after 14 years retirement a career which President Roosevelt described as a "remarkable period of service to his country."

That service encompassed 42 years,

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Germany's Military Is Boosted Up

Further Strengthening of Army Is Ordered in Decree by Dictator Hitler

Berlin, Sept. 29.—(AP)—A widespread increase was ordered in the German military establishment today as Nazi officials began conscription to raise their fighting forces to 800,000 men under the new two-year compulsory service rule.

Reichfuhrer Adolf Hitler declared an increase to 300,000 youths for the spare corps, the government labor service, which is the preliminary training unit of the standing army. Some 30,000 of the first draft will be inducted into the labor service October 1 simultaneously with between 200,000 and 300,000 of their slightly older comrades called to the revitalized national army—reorganized on the pre-1914 two-year compulsory model.

Hitler, taking a leaf from the

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