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REPUBLIC HAS NOT SUFFICIENT FORCE TO SUSTAIN THEM

Berlin is Fostering Counter Move Which May Prove Effective

(By Associated Press)
Paris, October 25.—Rhineland republic today seemed as far away as ever for the Separatists. Although there are fresh conquests they appear to have insufficient forces to hold them. Loyalists in presence complete apathy, of the general public appear as retaining control without difficulty.

The movement now apparently is confronted by opposition independent of the republic engineered by burgomaster Adenauer of Cologne and fostered by Berlin which seeks to divert Separatists coup in its favor. This according to Berlin dispatches, was Chancellor Stresemann's real reason for visiting Hagen. The Le Journal's Berlin correspondent says: a republic be proclaimed within 24 hours.

COMMUNISTS REPORTED AS RUSHING TO BERLIN

(By Associated Press)
London, October 25.—A central news dispatch from Berlin says large bands of Communists are marching on to the German capital. Police rushed to intercept them.

GREEK REVOLUTION FAILS

(By Associated Press)
Athens, October 25.—Government troops have occupied Corinth and a complete failure of the revolution is assured according to advices from Peloponnesus.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams spent Wednesday in Greensboro.

Mrs. B. Frank Mabane has returned home from Blowing Rock.

Mrs. Jim Fries will entertain the Thimble Club Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. G. McCollum entertained 40 of her lady friends Wednesday afternoon at a sewing party.

While the guests sewed Mrs. Beeker recited, "The Tired Girl," Master Hill McCollum recited "Seeing Things at Night" by Eugene Fields, and Bob McCollum recited "Going to bed by Candle Light" by Robt. Louis Stevenson. The hostess served chicken salad, pineapple and tomato sandwiches, hot biscuit and butter, coffee pickles and mints.

Mrs. J. G. Farrell had as her supper guest Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flinn and Mrs. Flinn's sister Mrs. Taylor of Winston Salem.

Mrs. E. V. Hobbs entertained at supper Tuesday evening Prof. and Mrs. Weatherly and Miss Black.

Rev. J. M. Everett pastor of the Spray Baptist church will preach on the doctrine of Election next Sunday at 11 a. m. In the evening his subject will be "Bearing the Cross." Mr. Everett has made a special study of the doctrine of Election and he will have something of interest to say on the subject.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williams were in Greensboro yesterday.

Mr. J. H. Allen of Reidsville was elected County Superintendent of schools at a meeting of the county Board of Education Tuesday to succeed Prof. L. N. Hickerson, although Mr. Hickerson had been heartily endorsed by a great number of the county's school teachers.

CANADA EXPORTS MORE CREAM

(By Associated Press)
Ottawa, Ont., October 25.—Heavy increase in the exportation of dairy products, particularly cream, from Canada to the United States is shown by figures prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

In July, 1923 Canada according to the report shipped to the United States 437,879 gallons of fresh cream valued at \$695,046 as compared with 339,620 gallons in June and 245,986 gallons in July of the preceding year.

SEPARATISTS MAKE GOOD SHOWING IN MANY TOWNS

Republic Proclaimed in Number of Rhineland Cities Reports State

(By Associated Press)
Coblenz, October 25.—The Rhineland republic was proclaimed today at the former headquarters of the American forces at Andernach, ten miles northeast of here. Proclaimed also at Archweiler as well as at Soden, Birel and Gaistenheim.

Clashes occurred today between armed civilians and Separatists in Crefeld, following the hoisting of the republican flag over Rathaus, which the Separatists took yesterday, according to reports received here. The Separatists claim to be 400 strong in Crefeld. Belgian officers estimate the number at 1700.

Aix La Chappelle, October 25.—The police attacked Regierung Palace the only remaining building in the Separatists hands today. Five policemen and two Separatists were killed.

CO-OPS TESTING LAW IN STATE OF VIRGINIA

Danville, Va., October 24.—Officials of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing association moved yesterday in South Boston to put to a test the new Virginia warehouses and which requires them, among other things, to put the true name of the owner of the tobacco put on the floors. The test cases involved the right of inspectors of the association to examine tickets of tobacco. Nine warrants were sworn out by the only four of them were tried yesterday, fines being imposed in every case.

Two of the warrants were issued against the Reeves Warehouse corporation it being alleged that tobacco had been set out in the name of Chappelle and Murray without giving the initials of these men. A fine of \$50 was assessed against the warehouse owners. Another fine of \$50 was imposed on the owners on the charge that they had denied H. C. Lacy, an inspector for the association, the privilege of examining the tickets.

Two warrants were issued against the Motley Warehouse company on the charge that a pile of tobacco was put on the floor in the name of L. C. M. Elam when in reality tobacco belonged to J. S. Watson. Another pile was marked George Cox when it was charged the leaf belonged to the warehouse company. Fines were imposed in this case, but appeals were taken in every instance.

The South Boston warehousemen have agreed to allow inspectors to have full rein on the auction floors until the Halifax Circuit court has rendered a decision.

THANKSGIVING DINNERS WILL BE SERVED 378,000,000 MILES FROM SPOT ONE YEAR AGO

New York, October 25.—According to Garrett P. Serviss all of us are going to eat our Thanksgiving dinner millions of miles away from where we were last year. We may go back to the old home on Thanksgiving day, but although the old home is on the same spot on the earth, we will eat our turkeys 378,000,000 miles from the place in the universe where we ate the turkey the year before. In fact, in one year we are carried thru space a greater distance than we would have to go in circling the earth 15,000 times at the equator, where it is largest.

This is caused by the sun moving thru space in a northerly direction and dragging the earth and all the planets along with it. This astronomical fact is most graphically illustrated by comparing the sun's way to the central column of a spiral stairway and the earth's travel to the hand rail of the stair. Since primitive man appeared on earth, this globe of ours has traveled over nine trillion four hundred and fifty million miles, Mr. Serviss in the Mentor for November says.

"Hollywood" at the Colonial Theatre Leaksville, Friday admission 10 and 20 cents. All other big attractions shown at this popular playhouse for regular program prices, why pay more. (advertisement).

Walton Refuses To Get Out On Demand of Both Houses of Legislature

(By Associated Press)
Oklahoma City, October 25.—Eighth charge in the bill of impeachment against Governor Walton voted today by the lower house of the legislature. It relates to calling martial law in Tulsa. Representative Callahan was forcibly ejected when he attacked the bill, declaring grand dragon Jewett was dictating the legislation.

Oklahoma City, October 25.—With seven counts against him in the impeachment bill being perfected by the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature, Governor, J. C. Walton tonight continued his refusal to recognize the authority of a senate resolution to suspend him, and awaits hearing in the senate Supreme court to determine whether he or Lieutenant Governor M. E. Trapp is the legally empowered chief executive of the state.

At that time the court will rule on an application to make permanent its writ of prohibition which restrains Governor Walton from interfering with the duties of Lieutenant Governor M. E. Trapp as acting governor.

The house adjourned shortly before 6 p. m. concluding a day that had been replete with feverish preparations for the impending trial of the chief executive.

Seeks Counter-Order

Attorney General George Short late today went before the state Supreme court in an effort to block an injunction which would keep Lieutenant Governor M. E. Trapp from assuming the duties of the chief executive under authority of a resolution passed by the state legislature to suspend Governor Walton during his impeachment trial.

Later the court granted the attorney general permission to file application for the writ and set the hearing for 1:30 tomorrow.

Governor J. C. Walton in a statement issued late today "to the people of the visible government" declared that "a conspiracy for the express purpose of preferring impeachment charges against me" existed before the convening of the present extraordinary session of the state legislature and that whatever the future may hold for me personally I shall die as I have lived, fighting for orderly, constitutional government, honestly and fearlessly administered.

Says Klan Has Money

The governor said information had reached him that the invisible empire had large sums of money on hand—to be used to pay the expenses of members in their first attempt to meet unlawfully on the 26th day of September being disbursed by Mr. McBee present speaker which money was reported to have come from the Ku Klux Klan.

The executive's statement attacked senate chamber proceedings and the "steam roller process" and declared "I cannot and will not believe that in this enlightened and Christian age a two-thirds majority of them (members of the state senate) will so far forget their duties to their constituents and to their God and their oaths as members of this high court that they will refuse to consider or be bound by the truth."

FRANCE ALSO LACKS COOKS

(By Associated Press)
Paris, October 25.—It is not true, as many foreigners seem to believe, that domestic servants are plentiful in France. Here is an advertisement found recently in a French newspaper which proves that the servant problem is very real over there.

"Wanted, cook for family of two. Wages \$25.00 a month. Husband will do the washing, wife will clean the rooms."

LLOYD GEORGE DINES WITH PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

(By Associated Press)
Washington, October 25.—David Lloyd George British war-time Premier today came to Washington and lunched with President Coolidge. He planned to call on Woodrow Wilson.

NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY IN PHILADELPHIA MOST WORTHILY ENGAGED

(Philadelphia Evening Bulletin)
North Carolinians in Philadelphia and vicinity, said to number about five hundred are under the auspices of their association and the leadership of Mr. Jacob S. Allen, their president paying homage to one of their Revolutionary heroes today under unique circumstances. A pilgrimage is being made to Kulpville in Montgomery County and services will be held in the little Mennonite church, to the honor of General Francis Nash, whose body lies in the burying ground hard by his grave marked and honored by generations of Pennsylvanians for 145 years, and for many years distinguished by a stately monument erected by a people who were neither of his kith or kin. Only a few months ago Mr. Allen accompanied by Colonel Benajah Cameron of Stagville, North Carolina a grand-nephew of General Nash sought out his grave and conceived the thought that it would be a fitting honor for the Sons and Daughters of North Carolina to render their ancestral hero by this pilgrimage.

Colonel Francis Nash of the First North Carolina Continentals, commissioned Brigadier General in the Spring of 1777 marched his brigade finally numbering 5000 men through Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania to the succor of Washington in that critical period of the patriot cause just preceding the winter of 1777-78. With his Brigade of North Carolinians, he was at Brandywine, and again on October 4th he was at Germantown, where his command suffered severely and Nash himself was struck by a cannon ball in the thigh. He was carried off the battle ground and lingered for four or five days during which Washington sent his surgeons in anxious solicitude for his recovery. His body was taken to Kulpville and there in the burying ground of the Mennonites was given a hero's grave. Some years afterward the father of the late Governor Pennypacker led a patriotic movement for the recognition of this early hero from the Southland and raised the money in Germantown and Norristown for the erection of the monument.

A brother of General Nash became Governor of North Carolina and a nephew, a son of the Governor served long in high places of her judiciary system. It is said that at the close of the Revolutionary War Washington, visiting in North Carolina took the future Judge Nash on his knee and told him that he should be proud of his heroic uncle, whose body lay under Northern sod.

The North Carolina Society of Pa. organized but four years ago for 2 years under the Presidency of Mr. Gordon Cilley and now under that of Mr. Allen is taking a particular interest in promoting the perfection of the North Carolina Bay in the Cloister of the Colonies at Valley Forge.

WORK WEEK OBSERVED IN BULGARIAN SCHOOLS

(By Associated Press)
Sofia, October 25.—The autumn work week in all the public schools of Bulgaria was observed recently and another week will be similarly devoted in the spring. The boys and girls went to school as usual, but instead of studying employed the school hours in performing useful tasks. The girls knitted stockings and made night clothing for the children in the orphanages while the boys cleaned up the school properties applying paint where needed, digging up the school yards and repairing the pavement in front of the buildings.

This work is a part of the labor legislation by conscription, put into the statute book under the late premier, Stambouliky. It constitutes the one reform of the previous regime that the Tsankoff administration has retained.

EDITORIAL

HIGH TAXES AND RADICALISM

Why is it that high taxes seem to be an inevitable result of radical rule? When North Dakota took its plunge into state socialism, the taxes immediately went up and soon the state was groaning under a tax rate it had never known before.

Last year a Governor of Oklahoma was elected who promised great things for the poor people. Now the news comes that Oklahoma will have the highest tax rate in its history, 5 1-2 mills, and this will not be enough to keep the state on a cash basis.

The radicals have had plenty of opportunity to demonstrate what they could do in the line of government.

The experience thus far is that when radicals get into power, the people get it in the neck.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS FAIL

Anchorage, Alaska, Associated Press dispatch, September 23: "Order received from Secretary of the Interior Work direct that the pump be pulled in the Chitochana coal mine north of here and that this development work be done at a cost of \$1,000,000 be expended. It is reported that the order was issued by the Interior Department. At the Eska coal mine near the Chitochana. At each of these mines a modern town was built by the government. At the Eska mine are steam heated dormitories. Col. James G. Steed, head of the Alaska railroad and of the Alaska road commission, has received from Washington a message asking how long it would take to unscramble these two departments. This after a vain effort of the government to successfully operate coal mines. The coal is there. There is demand for coal but it seems not enough to pay expenses.

Coal is an article like any other subject to laws of supply and demand.

POPULAR SENSE AND JUSTICE

It is a remarkable fact that the masses of the people have a sense of justice and fair play that does not enter into politics always.

Public service commissions are supposed to make fares on the basis of cost of operation and capital invested in public utilities.

Here is a case where the people are voluntarily making up a deficit in fares:

Street car riders of Akron, Ohio have begun to heed the appeal of the Northern Ohio Traction and Light Co., for a six cent fare. Several weeks ago the company advertised that service was costing 5 1/2 cents a rider, while the company was being up to a 5 cent fare under terms of its franchise and asked patrons to drop an additional cent in the fare box. For a time the appeal brought little response. Of late however the company reports that a daily average of about 21,000 pennies is being deposited.

NATIONAL TAXATION POLICY

Collier's Weekly has presented for discussion the national taxation policy proposed by a notable business leader and summarized below:

- 1 Taxes should be planned primarily for their social effect.
- 2 Every person should be encouraged to earn and invest as much money as possible during his lifetime.
- 3 Large fortunes should be broken up at death.
- 4 Abolish income surtaxes. They discourage productive effort.
- 5 If we do this, tax-exempt securities will have no special value for tax-dodging. This would make unnecessary the amendment providing against tax exemption.
- 6 Put a graduated tax on all gifts and inheritances, to be computed on the amount received by each beneficiary.
- 7 Exempt small gifts and legacies tax lightly up to \$250,000; legacies of \$10,000,000 might pay as heavily as 50 per cent.
- 8 To prevent sudden depreciation in values, legatees of large sums should be given 10 to 15 years in which to pay the tax.

UNDERWOOD OPENS CAMPAIGN IN TEXAS STATING HIS VIEWS

Says Government Policy Has Lost This Nation World Leadership

(By Associated Press)
Dallas, October 25.—United States senator Oscar W. Underwood in an address here today at the Texas state fair declared America has surrendered her leadership in the world to Europe, losing herself in partisan politics and a plan duty lies ahead "to return to principles guiding America in the great war, to have an energetic definite governmental policy in Europe." Underwood opened his campaign for Democratic Presidential nomination late yesterday at Noorum he asserted Versailles peace talks didn't bring America all we hoped for but government still stood for high ideals championed during the war.

ENSUS BUREAU GIVES OUT COTTON REPORT

(By Associated Press)
Washington, October 25.—Cotton census report for October 18th totalled 5,672,745 bales, including 173,994 bales of seed cotton, 8,745 bales of American-Egyptian, and 260 bales of island cotton. The census bureau announced today, Virginia ginnings totalled 563,717.

WOMEN KISS HANDS THAT FEED THEM IN SOFIA RESTAURANT

(By Associated Press)
Sofia, October 25.—There are not many restaurants in the world where the waiter kisses the waitress' hand before he proceeds to order his dinner. But there is such a public restaurant in this city, and it is probably the only one of its kind in the world.

This restaurant, called the "Russian Restaurant," kept, waited on by Russian women of the nobility, some of whom used to have "salons" in Petrograd under the empire, to which princes, generals, diplomats and savants regarded it an honor to be admitted.

Even to the end of the earth by Bolshevik persecution, these particular "princesses, countesses, seigneurs and ladies"—as Svengali called them in "Trilby"—settled down to the business of their wrecked lives in this little corner almost beneath the shadow of the beautiful gossamer statue of the "Czar Liberator" Alexander II.

It is somewhat disconcerting to an American eye to see a tall Russian who seems to have seen better days than from his table win the waitress' smile to take the order, salute madame with his lips in the old manner of a courtier, then remove his seat and address himself to the prosaic business of ordering his meal.

And the food served in the open air under the trees in the summer—suggests, enough of an approach to American ideas of what is good to eat that Americans and Englishmen may say nothing of other "Europeans" are among the best patrons of the "Black Restaurant."

The prices are cheap, above the average to make the place rather exclusive and the waitresses are pronounced, by Americans at least, to be entirely satisfactory.

WORLD HONOR HENRI FABRE

(By Associated Press)
New York, October 25.—Admirers of Henri Fabre, the Provencal naturalist, have revived a campaign started in 1914 but interrupted by the world war, to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of his birth and to erect a monument to him at his birthplace, village of Serignan, France.

It is proposed to remove Fabre's ashes from the country churchyard and lay them at rest in his own "Harmas" the garden celebrated in his writings as the setting for the greater part of his wonderful studies in the insect world. There the monument will be placed also, under the perpetual care of the government of the republic, which has taken over his old home of Fabre's as a national museum and entomological laboratory.