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DEFENSE TO ASK ACQUITTAL

Honolulu.—A jury composed of six nationalities Monday will begin hearing evidence in the trial of Mrs. Granville Fortescue, New York society matron, and the three naval men charged with the lynching of Joseph Kahahawai, young Hawaiian, Clarence Darrow, leader of the defense, refreshed by a swim at Waikiki Beach, has indicated he is ready for the prosecution to open. There was no further hint Sunday of the possible use by the defense of two witnesses who arrived here Thursday. They are Dr. Edward Williams and Dr. James Orblson, both of Los Angeles. John C. Kelley, public prosecutor, indicated he was ready for the defense to open. He was ready to prosecute Mrs. Fortescue and her companions were insane or temporarily unbalanced when they shot Kahahawai.

It seemed certain the defense will ask a directed verdict of acquittal when the prosecution completes presentation of its evidence. So far as known the evidence against the four is purely circumstantial. If there were witnesses to the shooting of the Hawaiian, the fact has not been made public. The legal fight is expected to bring to light facts in Hawaii's unrest that has grown since Mrs. Massie was attacked six months ago.

Journal Want-Ads get results!

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The undersigned will sell at Public Auction on the Alex Campbell farm four miles east of Murray, Nebraska, on—

Saturday, April 16

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Hoover Hopeful for Economies of 200 Million

Asks That Congress Join All Moves in One Bill—Calls for Curtailment of Expenditures.

Washington, April 10.—The full weight of administration influence was felt throughout the government today in a concerted drive to effect economies to help the revenue bill balance the 1933 budget.

President Hoover was reported as "extremely hopeful" that congress could create a single huge omnibus bill—labeled "a national economy program"—by which at one stroke at least 200 million dollars may be saved through legislative changes at this session.

Members of the house economy committee who attended the White house conference Saturday and agreed to a tentative plan of retrenchment, made known they expect to submit three broad bills calling for curtailment of expenditures through legislative changes, consolidations and appropriations.

Salary Battle Tuesday.

Chairman McDuffie called the group to meet Monday with J. C. Hoop, budget director. They will consider President Hoover's proposed five-day week for per diem federal employes and furloughing for one month without pay of regular workers, along with McDuffie's plan for a wage cut.

The first house battle on the salary issue comes Tuesday when the legislative supply bill including pay for members of congress is considered.

The Alabama democrat said he would ask the committee to decide on whether it would sponsor the chief executive's plan, expected to save 45 million dollars, or his projected 11 per cent cut, with a one thousand dollar exemption, estimated to net 67 million dollars.

McDuffie for Separation.

The senate Monday is to act on the flat 10 per cent cuts ordered on the supply bills for the interior, state, justice, commerce and labor departments, estimated to save about \$17,400,000.

House leaders close to the chief executive reported today that he was firmly convinced that unless the items agreed upon Saturday to save between 160 million and 210 million dollars, are rounded out into a single bill, the program would emerge emaciated, with parts of it smothered under individual protests and delayed by legislative technicalities. They said Mr. Hoover would exert his full power to gain this end and to create public sentiment for it.

Speaker Garner of the house has taken a similar position. But McDuffie said he felt it best to separate legislative changes, reductions in appropriations and consolidation proposals.

"By dividing the program," the Alabama democrat said, "we would be more able to prevent blocs joining blocs in a united effort that might kill the entire program."—World-Herald.

RED CROSS MEETING AT WASHINGTON TODAY

Washington, April 10.—More than one thousand delegates are expected here tomorrow for the opening of the annual convention of the American Red Cross. They will review the full year of relief work undertaken by Red Cross chapters in drought and unemployment emergencies, wheat distribution, tornado relief and in behalf of war veterans.

FIND SUICIDE'S BODY

Iowa City, Ia., April 11.—The body of Ray Will, 49, of Cherokee was found caught in the branches of a fallen tree in the Iowa river six miles south of here today. Will ended his life by leaping into the river February 21.

VICTORY OVER COMMUNISTS

Shanghai.—Reports from Hankow Sunday from Chinese sources said the nationalist forces in opposing the communist armies of Lo Lung, west of Hankow had scored a big victory and killed 4,000 red troops. Ho Lung avowed communist with 60,000 troops reported to be under his command, formerly was a confidant of China's principal generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek. Civil war in the central provinces under Ho's leadership had been forecast for several weeks, as has another attack on the Nanking government from the north, directed from Shantung province.

Drastic List of Savings by the U. S. Presented

House Economy Committee Would Retrench by Over \$200,000,000 Plan—Consolidations.

Washington, April 9.—A list of drastic governmental economies estimated to be capable of saving considerable more than \$200,000,000, was submitted to the president by the house economy committee.

The program, drafted by Chairman McDuffie, with the aid of the entire committee, was laid before the president at the opening of his conference with the group at the white house.

Every department and bureau of the government would be affected in some way by the proposed economies. They called for lopping \$83,611,725 off the annual appropriation bills and making legislative changes that would save an additional \$116,964,048. Numerous additional changes were proposed to swell the savings, but the amount was unestimated.

The largest departmental savings would be from the funds allotted to the agriculture, treasury and war departments, largely by cuts in road and public building and river and harbor funds. The chief economies accomplished thru legislative changes would be thru a pay cut for federal employes, changes in retirement regulations and leave allowances, discontinuance of vocational education and changes in the veterans administration.

Outstanding among the items for which no estimate was given of the saving were numerous consolidations of governmental bureaus and of the war and navy departments.

The program prepared by Chairman McDuffie with bi-partisan aid, follows in brief:

Savings to be made in Appropriation Bills already Passed by the House:
Agriculture department . . . \$23,888,824
Interior department . . . 6,000,000
Commerce department . . . 4,675,000
Independent offices (vocational education) . . . 1,728,805
Treasury department (public buildings, etc.) . . . 25,000,000

Savings to be made in Supply Bills not yet before the House:
War department (trucks and trailers, etc.) . . . \$29,720,000
Navy department . . . 3,000,000

Legislative Changes Proposed:
Veterans administration (repeal or amend provisions for World war veterans not pay out of federal employes . . . 11 per cent over \$1,000) . . . 67,000,000
Reduction of superannuated employes. Reduction of 30 days leave to 15; prohibition agents filling civilian vacancies, except key positions. . . 19,000,000
Eliminate Saturday half holidays . . . 2,000,000
Vocational education. Make cooperative or repeal permanent appropriation . . . 5,761,000
Make cooperative or repeal permanent appropriation by law for agricultural extension work (40 left) . . . 2,528,048
Repeal employment stabilization act . . . 50,000
Discontinuance of Washington, D. C., new federal building (most appropriations) . . . 750,000
Abolish international water commission and transfer its duties to Mexican boundary commission . . . 25,000

TOTAL . . . \$199,705,777

Other Proposed Reductions:
Other items of the program for which there were no estimates of the savings follow:
Increase final patent fees to \$5.
Authorize charges for services of foreign and domestic affairs bureau, bureau of mines and standards, in commerce department, and to authorize the radio commission in charge for licenses to broadcasting stations.
To limit retired pay of government employes getting regular army and navy retirement pay.

Consolidations:
Consolidation of government activities were recommended as follows:
War and navy departments.
Steamboat inspection service with the navigation bureau.
Wireless enforcement division with radio commission.
All health services with public health service.
Retirement (veterans administration) to civil service.

Merge all business research bureaus into one agency.
Consolidate international boundary commission (U. S. and Canada) personnel with international joint commission.

Board of mediation with conciliation.
Other proposals included:
Reducing the shipping board, or putting it under the commerce department.
Reducing to \$10,000 all salaries of employes receiving in excess of that amount.

Abolition of the twelve offices of the surveyor general in the land office.
Cutting down congressional general parties and mileage for congressmen.
Abolition of the office of chief coordinator.

"See it before you Buy it."

Wheat Abandoned All Over Nebraska

Crop Is Estimated at Half of Last Year's Production; Condition Eighty-Seven Percent.

The condition of winter wheat is 67 percent and rye 80 percent. An unusually heavy abandonment is in prospect, says the state and federal division of agricultural statistics. Cash rents and farm wages are considerably lower. What stocks are estimated at 23 percent of last year's crop. The soil moisture supply is excellent in eastern Nebraska but still deficient in western Nebraska.

The condition of winter wheat is 67 percent as compared with 76 percent on Dec. 1 and 92 percent a year ago. The preliminary estimate of production is 28,000,000 bushels. Last year's crop amounted to 57,431,000 bushels.

April 1 estimates indicated a probable abandonment ranging from 20 percent to 25 percent. However, that was too early to determine anything definite. It is believed the abandonment will be unusually heavy. Western Nebraska wheat has suffered severely from drought, high winds and the low temperatures early in March. The prospects were excellent in eastern Nebraska and but little abandonment is expected. There is also considerable Hessian fly in central and eastern Nebraska.

Stocks of old wheat on farms are estimated at 23 percent of the crop or 13,426,000 bushels against 12,165,000 bushels last year. Unofficial estimates of stocks of corn are 30 percent of last year's crop and oats 30 percent. Unofficial estimates of stocks of corn are 51,704,000 bushels, against 81,294,000 bushels last year and oats 14,906,000 bushels against 23,781,000 bushels last year. The condition of rye is 80 percent. Most of the rye is produced in western and northern Nebraska. Conditions are very unfavorable in western Nebraska. Soil conditions in north central Nebraska last fall were unfavorable, but the winter supply of moisture was more favorable.

Cash rents are below those of last year. The average rental price of farm land is \$2.90 per acre against \$3.65 an acre last year. The average rental for plowland is \$4.35 per acre against \$5.25 per acre last year and pasture land \$1.10 per acre against \$1.30 last year.

Farm wages have dropped considerably. Present wages per month with board are \$24.75 against \$35 last year. Day labor with board is \$1.25 against \$1.95 a year ago. The farm labor supply is 123 percent of normal and the demand 64 percent of normal.

The condition of pasture is 73 percent compared with 88 percent a year ago. Pasture land is well supplied with moisture in eastern Nebraska. Pastures are about normal for this time of the year.

Condition of winter wheat for the United States is 75.8 percent as compared with 88.5 percent a year ago. The forecast of production is 457,970,000 bushels as compared with 787,465,000 bushels harvested last year.

WETS PRESENT PETITIONS

Lansing, Mich.—With considerable showmanship, antiprohibitionists placed the issue of state concurrence in bone dryness on the ballot for submission to Michigan voters next November. Accompanied by bands and a truck load of petitions, some 300 automobile loads of advocates of repeal came to the state capitol and met Frank D. Fitzgerald, secretary of state on the steps. Mrs. Frederick M. Alger, state chairman of the Women's Organization for Prohibition Reform, formally presented the petitions, which ask removal of the prohibition amendment to the state constitution, and Fitzgerald accepted them "with pleasure." The petitions, Mrs. Alger said, contained 200,000 signatures, some 114,000 more than required by law.

COALITION SUGGESTED WITH COOLIDGE, SMITH

St. Paul, Minn., April 10.—The St. Paul Pioneer-Press, an independent newspaper, in a first page editorial, suggested a "coalition of democrats and republicans in a genuine national administration with former President Calvin Coolidge as president and former Governor Alfred E. Smith as vice-president," as a means to "dispel the psychology of depression." The article says that Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Smith are available for this patriotic service if the nation as a whole calls upon them.



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