

WALTON CALLS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Resistance in Ruhr Is Abandoned

Chancellor Stresemann Announces Unconditional Withdrawal of Present Policy.

Order Work Resumed

By Universal Service. Berlin, Sept. 24.—Germany has capitulated. Following extraordinary sessions of the cabinet lasting all day Sunday, nearly all night Sunday night, and resumed early today, mixed with various conferences of officials, industrialists, laborites, bankers and political party leaders, the government tonight signed the proclamation of unconditional surrender.

Under the proclamation, the passive resistance in the Ruhr is ordered abandoned without conditions attached, although the government expects concessions from the French in the Ruhr and Rhineland, including resumption of German administration, the release of prisoners and the return of all deported Germans.

The Saxon contingent, which is regarded as the most dependable for the republic, has been concentrated at Grafenworth, and Commander-in-Chief von Seeckt has assured Chancellor Stresemann that the reichswehr will be able to crush any putsch, either from the right or left.

The Berlin police are held in readiness for any alarm. Among the important conferences was one occupying many hours in which the cabinet met with representatives of the occupied territory. Hugo Stinnes was among those present.

Food Show Ready for Inspection

Formal Opening of Immense Grocery Store at City Auditorium Tonight.

All is in readiness for the formal opening this evening of Omaha's greatest pure food show, held under the auspices of the Progressive Grocers' and Butchers' organization. Attractive booths have been put into place and the Auditorium is transformed into the largest grocery store in the city at the present time.

Demonstrators at the many booths are busy preparing appetizing dishes for the visitors. Coffee, breads, cheese, butter, and other eatables will be served. Secretary J. J. Cameron of the association, members of the committee in charge and a large crew of workmen have spent a busy morning putting the finishing touches to the show.

Bright banners and thousands of electric lights strung from the ceiling, have transformed the Auditorium into a gay show place.

Free samples of food and prize offers will be given away each night of the show, said Mr. Cameron. Features of each evening will be a basket of groceries given away free and a \$10 prize to the person holding the lucky ticket number.

Gain Show in Exports of Corn, Oats and Rye

Washington, Sept. 24.—Detailed figures of grain exports given out today at the Commerce department showed the following comparisons of shipments of last week to those of the previous week:

Barley, 305,000 bushels, against 364,000. Corn, 158,000 bushels, against 148,000. Oats, 47,000 bushels, against 23,000. Rye, 1,214,000 bushels, against 177,000. Wheat, 2,833,000 bushels, against 2,397,000. Flour, 215,400 barrels, against 232,300.

Albion Minister Is Returned to Omaha



Rev. C. N. Dawson, who is returned from Albion to Omaha by the Methodist conference.

Confetti to Fly at Ak Carnival

Street Shows Arrive and Will Start Festivities on Tuesday.

The Kings' highway, otherwise known as the realm of confetti, will be thrown open at noon today for the pleasure of Ak-Sar-Ben merry-makers.

Gates to the highway are at Sixteenth and Jones streets and Fifteenth and Jackson streets. Groups of excited kiddies were on hand this morning to watch the arrival of the Snappy Bros. Carnival company, with its 20 shows and rides.

"Wonder if there'll be any confetti this year?" was one of the oft-repeated questions from the children who watched wide-eyed as the carnival unloaded.

The answer to the question is: "Yes." King Ak ruled on this weighty matter this morning.

Turkey Will Press Moving of U. S. Craft

London, Sept. 24.—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Constantinople quotes an Angora message as stating that the Turkish government has decided to press for the withdrawal from the Straits of the flotilla.

Lutherans Will Meet in Convention at Columbus

Diller, Neb., Sept. 24.—The Evangelical Lutheran synod of Nebraska, a district synod of the United Lutheran church in America, will hold its 34th annual convention September 26-29 at Columbus. This organization is charged with the German-English work of the United Lutheran church between the Missouri river and the Rocky Mountains, and South Dakota and northern Texas. It has 100 congregations, 18,000 baptized members in good standing, and 85 pastors. Its Council Bluffs, Ia., is the Marian Luther seminary at Lincoln. It has a part interest in Tabitha Home, Lincoln, a home for orphans and aged, and in Midland college, at Fremont. Home mission work is done in South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado and Montana.

Auto Accessory Salesman Faces Charge of Perjury

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Beatrice, Neb., Sept. 24.—John Reifsnider, wanted at Lincoln on a charge of forgery, was arrested here and taken back to that place. Reifsnider is an auto accessory salesman and, according to Sheriff Sailing, shot and fatally wounded a man in Council Bluffs, Ia., last winter, after he had found him in company with his wife.

Omaha Tops List as Home Owning City

Leads All Cities in United States of Over 100,000 Population in Percentage Gain.

Is Cited in U. S. Manual

Washington, Sept. 24.—Omaha leads all other cities in the United States of a population of 100,000 or more, in the percentage of gain of families owning homes, according to figures contained in "How to Own Your Home," a guide book for home-seekers just issued to the public by the division of building and housing of the Department of Commerce.

This manual, designed to aid those eager for a home, states that Omaha registered a percentage of gain of 18.6 in home ownership in the period from 1900 to 1920. This increase tops that of all other cities.

"How to Own Your Home" was designed by John M. Gries and James S. Taylor of the Department of Commerce, to elucidate such points as financing, site selection, property considerations, etc., for the prospective home owner. It carries a foreword of encouragement to the home-seeker by Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce. It may be obtained from the superintendent of documents, Washington, D. C., for 5 cents, and is a valuable fund of practical information in the acquisition of property.

Hoover Approves. Business groups are looking at the home owning proposition in a new and more favorable light, Secretary Hoover states in the foreword to the little government manual. He says: "They see that taking a neighborly interest in developing sound financing and other machinery for the use of home seekers, and insisting on the observance of honest, straightforward methods by those who deal with home seekers is not paternalism, but good business and good citizenship. It is the square deal—and it is not only right, but essential, that the cards should not be stacked against the home seekers."

Secretary Hoover states that the automobile has given a great impulse to suburban life and an increasing possibility of home ownership.

Pioneer Nebraska Woman Passes 84th Birthday

Tekamah, Neb., Sept. 24.—More than 80 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Drury at Willow Glen farm, near here, to help her celebrate her 84th birthday. Fourteen years ago she suffered a paralytic stroke that confined her to a chair and each birthday since then has been an occasion for the gathering of a large number of friends and neighbors. She has been a resident of Burt county since 1870.

City Hall Aspirant Chooses Chewing Gum Calendar as Medium Has Unique Platform

A novel, not to say unique, manner of announcing his candidacy for city commissioner of Omaha has been adopted by Fred W. Pleuler, who is the first aspirant to enter in the race for a seat at the city hall in 1924.

A small card, bearing his photograph, name and platform appears at the top of a calendar gotten out by a well-known chewing gum firm, with its trademark stamped in bright red letters just beneath the photograph.

Boy, 6, Is Killed by Autoist at Lincoln

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Sept. 24.—Harry Grainger, 6, was killed instantly at 1 this afternoon when he was run over by an automobile driven by A. C. Hendricks of this city. The boy was carried into a drug store and was dead when a physician arrived.

Witnesses asserted that the boy darted out from behind another car and in front of the Hendricks' machine. He was on his way to school. "I was not driving fast at the time," Hendricks told police, "and the boy stepped out from behind another car, which was ahead of me. I stopped as soon as I could and picked him up. I guess he was killed instantly."

The Grainger boy was no relation to the Grainger family which was involved in the fatal accident last week when two university students were killed while riding in a car driven by Ernie Grainger.

Muscle Shoals Plant Is Sold to Power Company

Sale of Part of Property Will Force Ford to Revise Offer—Price Is \$3,400,000.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Henry Ford's much controverted offer to buy Muscle Shoals was wholly upset today when the government sold to the Alabama Power company the Gorgas steam plant—a part of the property—at a price of approximately \$3,400,000.

This development forces a revised offer from Mr. Ford, if he wishes to bid for the remainder of the project. He previously had informed congress that unless the Gorgas plant were included in the sale, his bid did not hold.

Political observers, who have professed to see some connection between Mr. Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals and the presidential boom which bears the manufacturer's name, predicted today that the next development would be a reversion of the property to the government, which possibly might develop into something bearing a relation to the coming revention campaign.

Some time ago the War department and Mr. Ford, that the Department of Justice and the coming session of congress, which possibly might develop into something bearing a relation to the coming revention campaign.

The actual price paid was \$2,472,487.25, a sum agreed on in appraisals by the ordinance division of the War department and experts of the federal power commission. The wartime commission, which was secured, retired from the field, "unencumbered by spoils, independent, unattached and unthought."

Connecting Rail Track Requested at Lawrence

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Sept. 24.—The Nebraska Co-operative Grain and Livestock association today filed a petition with the State Railway commission asking that body to force the Burlington and Missouri Pacific to build a connecting track between their lines at Lawrence.

Judge Calvin L. Brown Dies

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 24.—Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown of the Minnesota supreme court, was found dead at his home in Minneapolis. It was announced at the state capitol today.

The chief justice retired last evening apparently well. His failure to arise at his usual time today prompted his two daughters to investigate. He apparently had passed away during his sleep.

Born in Goshen, N. H., April 26, 1854, Justice Brown came to Minnesota with his parents when he was 1 year old. Governor Lipd appointed him to the supreme bench in 1898. The supreme court of the United States made extensive quotations from his opinion in the Minnesota gross earnings tax case.

Another One of Those Mysterious Errors in the Casualty List



Moral Force World's Hope, Says Coolidge

Avers Faith in Spiritual Things Tempered by Common Sense Will Guide America's Course.

Washington, Sept. 24.—A deep faith in spiritual things, tempered by a hard common sense adapted to the needs of the world is the kind of practical idealism that is represented in the history of America, President Coolidge said today in an address before the annual convention of the American Red Cross.

The idealism of which he spoke, the president said, was illustrated by the men who went to the rescue of Europe when their own liberty and the liberty of the world was in peril, but, who, after victory was secured, retired from the field, "unencumbered by spoils, independent, unattached and unthought."

Feeder Cattle Records Broken

Omaha Yards Ship Out Record Number of Cattle and Sheep to Farmers.

The number of stock cattle and feeding steers shipped from the Omaha stockyards last week is the largest of the year up to date, there being 30,739 head sent out, divided as follows: 14,528 head to points in Nebraska, 15,132 head to Iowa, 509 head to Illinois, 392 head to South Dakota, 101 head to Wyoming and 77 head to Missouri.

Women Call Equal Rights Convention

Every State in Union to Send Delegates to Capital—19th Amendment to Constitution to Be Aim.

Colorado Springs, Col., Sept. 24.—A great political convention of women, in which every state in the union will be represented, is to be held in Washington December 1, 2 and 3, when the national woman's party will concentrate all its efforts on the passage through the senate of the proposed equal rights amendment to the constitution, it was announced here.

Citizenry Ordered to Be Prepared

Troopers Will Be Given "Shoot to Kill" Order if Oklahoma House Attempts Meeting.

Governor Is Determined

By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Okl., Sept. 24.—Adj. Gen. B. H. Markham tonight was ordered by Gov. J. C. Walton to "use all force of arms necessary" to prevent the session of the lower house, of the Oklahoma legislature called for noon Wednesday.

All citizen soldiers of the state between the ages of 21 and 45 were directed in the order to hold themselves in readiness "with such arms as they possess or can obtain, to come to the assistance of the sovereign state of Oklahoma when ordered to do so by the governor."

"All male citizens of the state," between the ages named are meant is his order to citizen soldiers to be ready for duty, Governor Walton explained.

Executive Is Firm. With issuance of the military order, all doubt was removed as to the executive's determination to prevent the house session, which has been called by his legislative opponents to consider his impeachment.

The adjutant general was ordered to use all military forces of the state if necessary to disperse the assembly.

Governor Walton reiterated his charge that the proposed meeting would be an unlawful assembly, "dominated and controlled by the so called invisible empire, commonly known as the Ku Klux Klan."

He declared that since the Ku Klux Klan was proclaimed an enemy of the state of Oklahoma under his martial law proclamation of September 15, the session therefore would be in defiance of the laws of the state and an attempt to break the peace.

As a precaution against any attempt of the legislators to meet elsewhere should they be barred from the house chamber at the state capitol, the governor also directed Adjutant General Markham to disperse the meeting at "any other time or place in the state of Oklahoma."

Violence If Necessary. "The troops will be ordered to shoot to kill if that is necessary to prevent the assembly," Governor Walton told newspapermen. "I hope, however, that no such excessive measures will be necessary."

The governor denied he intended taking action in the federal court to determine the legal status of the proposed meeting.

He likewise denied that he had sought federal aid in his war on the Ku Klux Klan.

"Whenever the government steps in the issue is theirs," the executive asserted. "I would like for them to take over this fight, because it's a beef on my hands, but until they do, the state of Oklahoma is fully capable of looking after it."

Japanese Socialist Is Slain at Tokio

Tokio, Sept. 24.—Intense indignation, continues to prevail throughout Tokyo today following the shooting down of Sakae Osuki, noted Japanese socialist, by members of the gendarmerie patrolling the ruins of the capital city.

As a result of the high feeling caused by Osuki's death, Captain Amakasu of the gendarmerie was court-martialed yesterday by a board of inquiry following a general shake-up in the martial law government of Tokio. Former War Minister Yam-anashi was placed in charge of the Tokio military police.

Osuki, it became known generally today was shot down Sunday, September 23. He was widely known throughout Japan. His mistreatment by the capital police has created great antagonism among hundreds of his followers in Tokio. He had recently returned from France where he had made a study of European socialism.

"Hymn to Nebraska" May Be Broadcast From WQAW. Blair, Neb., Sept. 24.—The "Hymn to Nebraska," written by J. A. Parks of York, Neb., and sung by a mixed quartet from Blair at the old settlers' picnic at Fort Calhoun, was rendered so well that a woman from Omaha, who was present and who is getting a program to be broadcast from WQAW on authors' day, October 29, has requested the singers to repeat their performance on that occasion. The quartet is composed of the Misses Ethel Mead, a music teacher; May Cook, Dr. C. K. Mead and D. C. Van Deusen.

Former Omaha Attorney Succumbs in Wisconsin. Maj. Jesse S. Miller, for many years a resident of Omaha and a member of the Douglas county bar, died recently at the Wisconsin Veterans' Home, Wisconsin, of which he and Mrs. Miller had been members for the last 14 years. Had Major Miller lived until December 31, they would have celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Miller has been in poor health for the last 18 months. Both were members of the Calvary Baptist church of this city.

The Weather

For 24 hours ending 7 p. m. September 24, 1923:

Table with columns for Temperature, Precipitation, and Relative Humidity, Percentage.

Highest 72, lowest 48, mean 61; normal 64. Total excess since January 1, 1.69.

Relative Humidity, Percentage. As for the women of the leisure class corresponding to these men, I have found great indifference and ignorance of the subject in which I and my associates are so deeply interested.

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