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Federal Control In State of Sao Paulo Seriously Menaced

POLICEMAN KILLED BY BAYONETS SHOT

SITUATION IN BRAZIL SAID TO BE VERY CHAOTIC

Inter-state Slaughter All Through Southern Part of Country Feared.

CIVILIANS JOIN

Revolutionaries Greatly Reinvigorated by Enlistment of Volunteers.

(By United Press.)

Buenos Aires, July 14.—Roundabout reports reaching here today describe the situation in the Brazilian state of Sao Paulo, where a section of the State army is in revolt against the State and Federal Government, as extremely chaotic, with citizens enlisting in the opposing factions.

Strong Government reinforcements arrived near Sao Paulo city over the week-end, but all reports here agree the Federalists are making little progress against the well trained and splendidly equipped Sao Paulo State troops. The strength of the revolutionaries has been increased considerably by civilian volunteers.

Two Americans have arrived in Santos, the seaport of Sao Paulo city, but the only message allowed to pass the censor read: "We have seen the situation, and it is terrific."

Federal Control Menaced

Then censorship is vigorously enforced and newspaper correspondence in Santos are allowed to send only the official communications.

The impression is growing here that the Federal control of the state of Sao Paulo is seriously menaced and it seems certain that the prime purpose of the rebellion is political and aimed at the Federal regime in Rio.

Many wild rumors continue to float into Buenos Aires from the Southern Brazilian border, including reports that State troops of Rio Grande do Sul are marching northward. There is considerable dissatisfaction in Rio Grande, according to these reports, and a state of siege may be declared. Another rumor says the Federal garrison in Pelotas, Sul, has revolted openly declaring sympathy for the Sao Paulo revolutionists. "There is a strong possibility" one dispatch says "that internecine strife may extend throughout South Brazil."

President May Resign

The State of Rio Grande and Sao Paulo are two of the richest of the Brazilian Union. It is pointed out that should the Federal Government be unable to subdue them within a short time President Bernardes might be forced to resign in favor of some strong leader capable of harmonizing the discordant factions.

Reports from Americans who have reached Santos declare that the rebel army in control of Sao Paulo city last week numbered at least 20,000 men and seemed well disciplined. The bulk of the troops consisted of units of the Sao Paulo military police, which has been trained by French officers and constitutes one of the best military divisions in South America.

The rebels are well supplied with equipment and ammunition from the big stores in the Lus Barracks in Sao Paulo City, and the Federal magazines at Santa Ana.

IS REAL KICK IN IT

Whiskey Leaks From Irish "Still"—Badger Drinks and Things Hum.

(United Press)

London, July 14.—They make real whiskey in Ireland. An illicit "still" on the Antrim Coast developed a leak at a critical moment and for a while it looked like a dull week-end, but a badger sampled the stream of whiskey that made its way towards a nearby creek. It made for the main road, attacked four men walking along together and before it was killed had badly bitten two of them, torn the trousers from the third and pulled the sleeve out of the fourth's coat. A bull had a couple of drinks, charged its owner and kept him in a tree for three hours.

Burned Man Saved By Water Treatment

Baltimore, Md., July 14.—Johns Hopkins University Hospital surgeons have been remarkably successful with a new water cure for serious burns.

Although two-thirds of his body was covered with burns received in an accident at an industrial plant, Herman Major, 38 years old, will leave the hospital within a week restored to health.

Heretofore a person with one-third of the body covered with burns was regarded as a hopeless case. For six days and nights Major was kept in a bathtub filled with water, which was frequently changed. Great quantities of water were given to him to drink.

ANOTHER B. C. SEAT GOES TO LIBERALS

Count of Absentee Vote Switches Fort George From Conservative Column.

Prince George, B. C., July 14.—H. C. Perry, Liberal, was elected in Fort George constituency, according to figures given out last night by the returning officer after the absentee vote was counted. F. P. Burden, Conservative, had led by three votes.

The final vote: Perry, Liberal, 1,079; Burden, Conservative, 1,028; Shearer, Provincial, 206.

Opening of absentee ballots in Vancouver began on Saturday, but it is apparent that the actual counting may be delayed until the end of the week, as the task of checking up 3,200 separate ballots to ensure that those who cast them were entitled to vote, will be long and tedious.

A rough calculation disclosed that Vancouver has about 1,700 absentee ballots for the election, and 1,500 on the free plebiscite. Irregularities which may or may not be held to invalidate the ballots were apparent in respect of several hundred of these.

Probability of absentee votes making any considerable change has been regarded when the number cast was found to be less than at first thought, and when irregularities affecting so many were noted. However, the Liberal leader is still hopeful that Mrs. Ralph Smith, Liberal, will overcome the 68 vote lead of General A. D. McKee, Provincial.

The absentee vote may make changes in three other ridings where the result was very close—Alberni, Richmond Island and Fort St. John.

With Fort George switched to the Liberal column the standing now is: Twenty-one Liberals, 17 Conservatives, four Provincials, three Labor, two Independent Liberals, one Independent.

SAVES 3; PERISHES WITH THE FOURTH

John McGaw is Hero of Tragedy in Which Bathurst Girl Loses Life.

St. Alexis de La Grande Bale, Chicoutimi County, Que., July 14.—John McGaw, employed by Price Brothers here, gallantly gave his life on Saturday afternoon when, after saving three young women from the waters of Des Sables river, he failed to bring back a fourth one, Miss Duncan, of Bathurst, N. B., who was drowned.

Miss Duncan was visiting friends in Kenogami and on Saturday afternoon, with three companions, went on a picnic at Grande Bale. The four were on the beach preparing to go bathing when suddenly the sand caved in under them and they sank in deep water. Mr. McGaw heard the call for help and he brought back three, but in his fourth attempt, as he was trying to bring back Miss Duncan, both went down together.

The bodies have not been found. Mr. McGaw was well known in the district, and his death, as well as that of Miss Duncan, has caused great regret.

Wire Briefs

Washington, July 14.—U. S. Secretary Hughes left on Saturday to attend the baristers' gathering in London. He also will visit Paris.

Meridian, Miss., July 14.—D. S. Cleveland, a prohibition agent, was shot to death and Sheriff N. E. Cannady narrowly escaped injury in a fight with alleged moonshiners, eight miles from this city.

Selkirk, July 14.—Seized with cramps while swimming in a pond on the outskirts of Selkirk, Mike Tipnik was drowned while his wife and two children, helpless on the bank, saw him disappear after a frantic struggle for his life.

Kushiro, Island of Kokkaido, Japan, July 14.—A Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator, and his two companions on their way round the world by air, arrived here today from Minato on Honshu, the main island of Japan.

CANADIANS RUN GREAT RACE IN OLYMPIC RELAY

Billy Maynes One of Quartette Which Finishes in Fourth Place.

(Canadian Press Cable.) Olympic Stadium, Columbus, July 14.—Canada captured fourth position in the final yesterday of the 1,600-meter relay race, reaching the tape a few yards behind Butler of Great Britain, who was third. The race gave Canada six points.

A. T. Christie of Hamilton, leading the Canadian team, headed fourth place to W. Maynes of St. John, who transferred fifth place to H. Aylwin of Hamilton who carried the baton to D. M. Johnson, Rhodes scholar. Going up the far stretch Christie fought with Sweden, France and Italy and when he handed the baton to Maynes these four nations were almost abreast. Bad contact here cost a few yards but Aylwin, with his blonde hair flying, sailed magnificently down the course and Johnson, grabbing the baton, finished fourth after a neck-and-neck race with Gallier of France.

In the first series of the hop, step and jump, F. McDonald, Mississauga, covered 15.83 metres and in the second series, H. R. Shepherd of Alberta covered 12.77 metres. Both were unplaced in the final.

Cyril Coffey of Winnipeg ran the best race of his life on Saturday in his heat of the 400 metre relay in which the Canadian team won third position, thus qualifying for the finals. G. Hester of Toronto led his men by two yards.

Wine's (Toronto) leg gave out at a critical moment when rounding the first bend but L. Armstrong of Winnipeg, made up the loss of about two yards and crossed the line in third position a yard behind the second man.

Canadian Wrestler. Donald Stockton of Montreal, obtained a decision over Bacon of England on points in the early middle-weight wrestling series.

Clifford Chilcott of Toronto, feather-weight, wrestling in the eliminations, secured a fall with the cradle and leg lock against Cavallini of Italy in 8 minutes 28 seconds. The Toronto man was not called upon to extend himself. Later Chilcott was awarded the decision on points over Angelo of Australia. Both Chilcott and Stockton are still in the races for the finals.

Oscar Ruppel of Montreal on Saturday threw Bulliot, champion heavy-weight of France, using the arm and body lock, in five minutes 16 seconds. On Sunday, Spelman of the United States was given the decision over Ruppel after 10 minutes of wrestling.

Many Records Broken. Paris, July 14.—Eight new world records and thirteen new Olympic records were created by the unprecedented athletic time and distance during the Olympic track and field championships which have a new standard of brilliance for future international stars to aim at.

The 400 metre individual run and relay witnesses the most startling results against time, the records for each being lowered three times, with Liddell of Great Britain holding the former mark which Imbach of Switzerland and Pitch of the U. S. also held for a time.

In the relay the team twice out of the record figure after the British quartet (Continued on page 9, third column)

HORSES ARRIVING AT FREDERICTON

Seven Races Are Scheduled at Capital During Next Week.

Fredricton, N. B., July 14.—The first stables for the Fredericton driving and sporting club's midsummer Maine and New Brunswick Circuit races next week have already arrived here. The Conroy with his string headed by Bud Hal, 2:10 1/4, and Mac Stee with the stable owned by C. H. Benoit of Charlottetown, P. E. I., arrived from St. John during the week end.

The racing committee of the Fredericton driving and sporting club decided during the week-end upon a programme of seven races, for July 23rd and 24th. In addition to the free-for-all and the junior free-for-all, there will be a 2:14 pace, 2:16 trot and pace, 2:18 trot and pace, 2:22 trot and pace and 2:25 trot. The free-for-all will be raced Thursday, July 24th, with two other events while the junior free-for-all and three other races will be the programme for Wednesday, July 23rd.

MANY ARE NAMED

Several Applicants For Post of City Treasurer at Fredericton.

Fredricton, July 14.—(Special).—In connection with the vacant office of city treasurer of Fredericton several names are mentioned as possibilities or applicants. They include Aid. F. L. Cooper, Ex-Mayor Moses Mitchell, C. Fred Chestnut, George Bidlake, Ex-Mayor W. S. Hooper, and Fred Haviland. The latter is connected with the Finance Department.

U. S. Set New Mark For Coffee Drinking

New York, July 14.—The consumption of coffee in the United States for the year ended June 30, 1934, established a new high record for all time. It also was estimated yesterday that the consumption of sugar in the first half of 1934 was 24 per cent greater than in the corresponding period last year.

Coffee consumption for the year ended June 30, 1934, amounted to 10,750,000 bags, against 8,660,000 for the previous year, an increase of 1,097,439 bags. Estimated in pounds instead of bags the consumption amounted to 1,483,272,225 pounds, or 24 per cent greater than 1,277,595,500 pounds and 11.63 pounds, respectively.

APPEAL DISMISSED BY PRIVY COUNCIL

Ontario Loses in Matter of Speedy Trial For Home Bank Directors.

(Canadian Press Cable.) London, July 14.—The appeal of the Attorney-General of Ontario, Hon. W. F. Nickle, to the Privy Council against the judgment of Justice Middleton, of the Supreme Court of Ontario granting a speedy trial to the accused directors of the defunct Home Bank of Canada on the charge of conspiracy laid against them under the Bank Act, has failed entirely. The judgment of the Privy Council gave judgment today, dismissing the appeal.

SUES FOR \$21,000 FOR RADIUM LOAN

Executors of One Doctor Bring Action Against Estate of Another.

New York, July 14.—The settlement of the estate of Walter Phelps Shipley, capitalist and philanthropist, who died in a subway train on June 10, resulted in the filing of a suit in the Supreme Court yesterday by the executors against the estate of Dr. George Stuart Willis to recover \$21,000 for radium.

The complaint, filed against Mrs. Anna U. Mills as executrix under her husband's will, alleges that Mr. Bliss lent radium of the value stated to Dr. Willis in July last, under an agreement that Dr. Willis could buy any part of the radium in excess of fifteen milligrams at \$70 a milligram. It was understood that in the event of death of Dr. Willis the unpurchased part of the radium was to be returned to Mr. Bliss or to his estate. The complaint alleged that no part of it was bought by Dr. Willis, and that he had been unavailing.

Dr. Willis, who was one of the leading authorities on radium in Great Britain and head of the Radium Department in the Post-Graduate Hospital, died suddenly of heart disease, on March 28. He and Mr. Bliss had a common interest in the purchase of radium. Mr. Bliss was treasurer of St. Luke's Hospital and of the Society for the Ruptured and Crippled.

SCOTTISH EDITORS TOUR DOMINION

Finding Out What Canada Has to Offer For Immigrants.

Montreal, July 14.—Among the passengers arriving by the White Star liner Scotia at Montreal yesterday were five Scottish editors for a tour of the Dominion—William Adair, agricultural editor of the Weekly Herald, Glasgow; G. G. Glass, The People's Journal; J. Reid, the Dumfries and Galloway Standard; Ralph F. Topping, the Weekly Scotsman, and Col. Watt, managing editor of the Aberdeen Free Press. The tour will be made over the C. N. R. It is prompted by the changing economic conditions in Scotland which have induced widespread desire to proceed to the British dominions to establish new homes. It is to learn at first hand what Canada can offer that the five Scottish editors have come to the Dominion.

After entertainment in Montreal today the party will leave in the evening for Winnipeg. The itinerary will embrace all points of interest to the agriculturist in the prairie provinces and British Columbia. On the return to Montreal the party will be visited if time permits.

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(By H. N. MOORE) (British United Press.)

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Conditions Not Good. The number of bankruptcies and the distress throughout the congested districts of the west are said to be appalling. The immense destruction which is the result of the civil war has aroused fears that British capital will not be available for investment in Irish enterprises. The Free State is reported taking steps to interest Germany in financing several large schemes of development especially in connection with a great power scheme.

LABOR DOMINATES PARTY WORKING FOR LAFOLETTE

Observers See a Similarity Between Movements in U. S. and England.

(United Press.) Washington, July 14.—The striking similarity between the Lafolette movement and the movement whereby Labor climbed into the saddle in Great Britain is being more and more remarked here.

This is so far more the case that many observers are beginning to wonder whether the U. S. is not about due for a Labor Government.

It is true that the Lafolette movement is for both a farmer and a Labor Government. It will have great strength among the farmers in the agricultural states. But the fact remains that the men who are shaping and dominating the drive for Lafolette for President are prominent Labor leaders.

In the last few days there have been several conferences here in the interest of Lafolette. Prominent officials of the railroad brotherhoods and other organizations have dominated the conferences.

Although Senator Lafolette will be backed by farmers and by Labor, it has to be borne in mind that the Labor forces have by far the better organization and more skilled leadership. This is because the farmers until recent years have done little organizing.

It is noteworthy that the Lafolette campaign will not be broken into, for no evidence of a break was to be found. The thief may have found a door or window open and entered in that way. The police have been checking up on every one who regularly has had access to the house, but whether they have found any clue upon which to work is not known.

The pieces of jewelry missing, the nature of which has not been given out, were prized very highly by Mrs. Perry.

NO SIGN OF BREAK Shoots Two Men at Supper; Then Flees

Police Are Baffled by \$20,000 Jewel Robbery at Newport.

Newport, R. I., July 14.—Jewelry valued, it is said, at over \$20,000 belonging to Mrs. Marjorie J. Perry of Providence is missing from her summer home, Block House, on Ocean Avenue.

A robbery is believed to have been committed some time between last Sunday and Tuesday. The police have withheld information on the case.

It was learned, however, that the house was not broken into, for no evidence of a break was to be found. The thief may have found a door or window open and entered in that way. The police have been checking up on every one who regularly has had access to the house, but whether they have found any clue upon which to work is not known.

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Boy Scouts' Tribute



This wreath was the Boy Scouts' tribute to their comrade, Calvin Coolidge Jr. Robert Fulton (left) and Louis Paulin, members of Troop 46 of Washington, representing the scouts throughout the country, brought this memorial to the White House shortly before the services began.

British Flier Starts Across Pacific; U. S. Airmen In France

(By United Press.)

Tokio, July 14.—A few hours before the U. S. round the world planes were sailing westward over sunny France today, Major A. D. C. MacLaren, British world flyer, set the nose of his machine northward from Minato, Japan, and began the first stage of his trans-Pacific flight through Alaskan blizzards and the perils of the north.

Vienna, July 14.—(United Press)—The three U. S. around-the-world planes took off from Vienna for Paris, a distance of 850 miles, at 5:40 a. m. today. They expect to reach the French capital at 2 o'clock this afternoon (Vienna time).

The airmen had intended, upon their arrival at Paris, to circle over the Arc de Triomphe and drop a floral wreath upon the grave of the unknown soldier, but the flowers they ordered failed to arrive in time and they were little specks on the western horizon before the automobile delivery wagon from the florists dashed up to the airdrome.

"We are glad to see white faces again and hear our language," Lieutenant Lowell Smith, flight commander, said. "We are enjoying this business of working our way round the world, but we certainly do long for the United States."

TO GO OVER FALLS IN RUBBER BALL

Bobby Leach Plans Drop From Airplanes and Float Over Cataract.

Niagara Falls, Ont., July 14.—Bobby Leach is determined to go over the Horseshoe Falls in a rubber ball. Leach says he will make the trip either on July 26 or Aug. 3. He now says that because of prohibition he will be dropped from an airplane into the stream near the Ontario power plant on this side and allow himself to float over the cataract.

Weather Report

Toronto, July 14.—The area of low pressure which was over the Great Lakes on Sunday has passed to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and high pressure is now spreading eastward from the western States. The weather is showery in the Maritime Provinces and fine in all other parts of the Dominion. It has become warmer again in the west and cooler in Ontario and Quebec.

Fair and Cool. Maritime—Fresh west and north-west winds, clearing, becoming cooler. Tuesday, fair and cool. Northern New England—Partly cloudy tonight. Tuesday, showers; little change in temperature; gentle north to east winds. Toronto, July 14.—Temperatures: Highest during 8 a. m. yesterday, night: Victoria ..... 56 66 54 Kamloops ..... 62 98 62 Calgary ..... 54 88 50 Edmonton ..... 54 88 50 Winnipeg ..... 60 76 54 Montreal ..... 60 76 52 St. John ..... 66 36 50 Halifax ..... 76 78 60 New York ..... 68 82 66

4 MEN AND WOMEN HOLD POLICE AT BAY ALL NIGHT

Man and Two Girls are Captured; Other Man Still Free.

HAD BEEN STEALING

Patrolmen, Called to Scene, Were Met With Fusillade of Bullets.

(By Canadian Press.)

Halifax, July 14.—Patrolman Kennedy of the Halifax police force was this morning shot in a gun fight with a party of four, two men and two girls, who have been holding the police at bay in the woods bordering the North West Arm, a suburb of this city, since early last evening. Kennedy is dying.

He was shot from ambush this morning. No further casualties have been reported. All available members of the police force and of the Canadian National Railway police are in the woods searching for the unknown fugitives, who commenced their fight with the police last night, when a cottager at The Arm apprehended them in the act of stealing a camping outfit and called the city police.

When the police reached the scene last night they were met by a fusillade of bullets from a clump of trees, whereupon their attackers ran off in the darkness, leaving their booty behind.

ONE MAN BESEPPES

But one man, Bevis, remains defiant of the party of two men and two girls who held the police at bay all last evening and during the early hours of this morning, and which resulted in Policeman Kennedy being seriously wounded. The remainder of the group, both Sloughenwhite and two young girls of about 15 years of age, were captured this morning after the full police force of the city, augmented by officers from the Canadian National Railway force, were rushed to the scene where the party had taken their stand. The two girls are believed to be the sisters of the remaining man.

CAILLAUX A GAIN IN POLITICAL LIFE

Former Premier, Under Amnesty, Expected to Seek Place in Senate.

(United Press.) Paris, July 14.—The Chamber of Deputies having voted to extend amnesty to former Premier Joseph Caillaux and former Minister of the Interior Malvy, who were convicted in 1920 of wartime trafficking with the enemy, Caillaux's re-entrance into political life is expected to be immediate if the Chamber's action is approved by the upper house. He probably will ask his old constituency, the Department of the Sarthe, to send him to the Senate.

Caillaux figured in one of the great French political scandals following the murder of Gaston Calmette by Caillaux's wife in 1914. Calmette was editor of the Figaro and his paper had charged Caillaux with undue familiarity with Germany even before the outbreak of the war.

If Caillaux should enter the cabinet of Premier Herriot he probably would become Minister of Finance, a position for which he possesses marked qualifications.

Answers Wire Call; Learns Son Drowned

Des Moines, July 14.—Mrs. Edith Maloney, a telegrapher, went into a newspaper office here as a telegraph wire sounder clicked off repeatedly "Des"—the newspaper call. The regular operator was not on hand, so Mrs. Maloney answered the call. The message she received was a news story from McGregor, Iowa, saying that James Maloney, aged 12, had been drowned in the Mississippi river there. He was her son. She fainted. Hospital physicians said her condition was serious.