

FASCISM AND RED RULE CAN'T ENTER U. S., SAYS LECHE

Governor States National Guard Is Surety Against Doctrines

(Special to The Times-Picayune) Alexandria, La., Aug. 16.—"Fascism, communism and bolshevism will never take hold of these United States," declared Governor Richard W. Leche in an address at Camp Beauregard this afternoon.

"We have had a very colorful day at camp today," Governor Leche continued. "We are proud to have had with us Governor Hugh P. White, the distinguished chief executive of Mississippi. He was recently elected governor of that state and he has proved himself a great executive."

Other speakers were Congressman Dan McGehee of the Seventh District of Mississippi, Congressman-designate New V. Mills of the Fifth Congressional District, General John A. O'Keefe, adjutant-general of Mississippi, and General Raymond H. Fleming, adjutant-general of Louisiana.

"Governor's Day" was observed at Camp Beauregard today. The two governors arrived early, accompanied by their wives. Later, the governors and their wives, accompanied by members of their military staffs, and a military escort from the camp, composed of a company of militia each from Louisiana and Mississippi, repaired to Camp Beauregard.

"It is something unusual," General Fleming said, "to have such distinguished visitors present at a National Guard camp. Besides the two distinguished governors, we have with us today congressmen and military officials of big rank. Never before in the history of the National Guard have we had two governors in attendance at the camp at one time."

"As commander in chief of the military forces of Mississippi," Governor Leche said, "I am glad to have the privilege and a great pleasure for me to have appeared here today with that distinguished citizen of Louisiana, Governor Richard W. Leche. He has rendered great services to the state and I know you people of Louisiana have a right to look forward to, at his hands."

'Iron God' to Rule Over Alabama



Vulcan, 60-ton iron statue, second only to the Statue of Liberty in the United States in size, will rule over Birmingham, Ala., from the heights of Red Mountain, as the 'Iron God of Forge.' WPA workers now are dismantling the statue, designed by Giuseppe Moretti, for its removal to the mountain top.

RADICALS CLAMOR AGAINST MADRID'S COURSE IN STRIFE

Communist Elements Object to Slow Conduct of Civil War

(By The Associated Press) Madrid (Via Courier to Hendaye, France, uncensored), Aug. 16.—"Russia Chica" (baby Russia). That is the ominous slogan of powerful Communist elements among Spain's government militia, now clamoring with discontent over the administration's slow conduct of the civil war.

Ever since the outbreak of the civil war caused the then premier, Sagasta Casares Quiroga, persisting and desperate, to hand out arms to anyone who would take them, the Communists have been urged by anarchist gunmen to seize complete power in Madrid.

The anarchists want "direct, brutal, violent" action for suppression of the Fascist rebellion, it is reported. Discontent has spread to the headquarters of the General Union of Workers, where the Socialist deputies, Caballero and Del Vayo, are in command.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF 4TH CENTURY IS FOUND ON NEBO

Franciscan Fathers Unearth Mosaics, Altar on Palestine Mountain

(By Universal Service) Jerusalem, Aug. 16.—An ancient Christian church dating back to the fourth century and containing rare and beautiful mosaics has just been found by Franciscan fathers on the summit of Mount Nebo, it was revealed tonight.

The discovery, made by a Franciscan expedition, is one of the most important in the recent history of archeology. A wealth of magnificent mosaic work, bearing a Greek inscription in which the name of Moses appears, was found by an altar of great antiquity.

The altar is believed to cover the spot where Moses either was buried or where he viewed the promised land, standing 2654 feet above sea level. Several other buildings of the early Palestinian Christian era were also discovered by the Franciscans, whose expedition was led by Father Sylvester Salter, a noted archeologist and an eminent Biblical scholar.

The church itself was said undoubtedly to be the sacred edifice described by the nun, St. Sylvia of Aquitaine, who visited the Holy Land in 386 and remained until 388. Existence of this church is corroborated by other early pilgrims, including Peter Eburens in the fifth century.

From the end of the building to the altar, the distance is six arms lengths, exactly as described in early records of the church. The ancient church, the mosaic work that covers the floors, and a number of crosses on capitals and pillars were in an excellent state of preservation.

Near the altar the mosaic work pictorially represents various animals, relieved by floral decorations. In the center is a quaint design, thought to represent the ark or altar, with a lion on one side and a bull on the other. The picture of a gazelle, wearing a bell around its neck, is woven into the mosaic pattern at each end.

Below the altar is another long inscription in Greek which the Franciscans have not yet deciphered because a few letters are missing, but which evidently makes reference to the bishops of the church. The entire floor of the ancient structure is covered with mosaics. Crosses were found everywhere.

On an adjoining spur of the church the Franciscans found a mosaic flooring and a Greek inscription mentioning the name of Lot. These mosaics have not yet been deciphered, agricultural scenes and the two daughters of Lot.

The region excavated by the Franciscans is believed to mark the site of the village of Nebo, referred to by early pilgrims and thought to have been a scene of great activity in the early centuries.

SEEK VIEWPOINT ON PENSION FUND LAW

Police-Firemen's Delegation to Call on Maestri This Week

An interpretation by Mayor Robert S. Maestri of police and firemen's pension fund enactments of the 1936 Legislature will be sought this week by a delegation from the Police-Firemen's Association, John Fredolin, president, announced after a meeting of the association Sunday morning.

Mr. Fredolin was authorized to name a committee to call upon Mr. Maestri after he takes office today. At the same meeting plans were discussed for the annual outing of the association, which will be held at Little Woods September 27.

FRENCH REDS SEND DEATH THREATS TO RICH NOBLEWOMAN

U. S.-Born Widow of 'King' Lehr to Return Home for Safety

(By Universal Service) Paris, Aug. 16.—Lady Decies, American-born noblewoman, who as a noted figure in New York society at the turn of the century, is planning to flee from France because of Communists' death threats written "in blood," Universal Service learned tonight.

Lady Decies has complained to the French police that she has received several letters from anonymous Communists, threatening to "burn her alive" in her mansion here. Lady Decies told her friends that because the threatening letters have continued to come, she is planning to return to New York, where she will make her permanent home.

The widow of the glittering social host, Henry Sykes "King" Lehr, Lady Decies is a member of the noted Drexel family of Philadelphia. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Drexel Dahlgren.

Shortly after the turn of the century she and her late husband were famed for their glamorous and elaborate social functions. Following Lehr's death, she was married to Lord Decies of England.

Lady Decies has been living in Paris for many years. She occupies a palace on the Rue des Saint Peres. She recently completed a biography of her late husband, which was published in America.

Her friends, it was learned, have gone directly to the headquarters of the French Communist party, attempting to halt the threats against Lady Decies' life. They pointed out to the Communist officials that Lady Decies has spent \$1,500,000 on construction work, keeping French workmen busy.

PORT and SHIPPING

ARRIVED SUNDAY Incoming Passenger and Freight Ships

Table listing ship arrivals from various ports including Tampa, St. Petersburg, and others, with ship names and agents.

EMPLOYMENT IN STEEL INDUSTRY SETS NEW PEAK 498,000 on Pay Roll in June, Records Show; Wages Increase

(By The Associated Press) New York, Aug. 16.—There were 498,000 wage earners and salaried employees in the steel industry in June, an increase of over 6000 in a month and of \$2,000 compared with one year ago, the American Iron and Steel Institute announced today.

The industry's pay rolls in June also established a new high record with a total of \$23,000,000, it was said. This was a gain of \$3,000,000 or 47 per cent compared with one year before.

Hourly rates of pay for wage earners during June rose to 86.9 cents against 82 cents one month before, the institute said. Since June, 1935, wage rates have increased nearly 20 cents an hour or over 41 per cent.

Treasure Hoard Found in Clothes, Shoe Boxes, Bags Nebraska Widow Leaves \$40,000 Cash and Bonds, \$90,000 Farm

(By The Associated Press) Royal, Neb., Aug. 16.—A treasure hoard found hidden in clothing, handbags and shoe boxes in the home of the late Mrs. Josie Hackett promised unexpected wealth today to the widow's 33 known heirs.

The fortune—\$40,000 in cash and bonds—was safe in a bank, deposited by court order after a nurse uncovered its secret hiding place.

Mrs. Floyd Cole of Royal, who cared for Mrs. Hackett, 80 years old, during her last illness, found \$30,000 in cash and bonds in a shoebox wrapped in paper and hidden in a bureau drawer. That was before Mrs. Hackett died three weeks ago.

Mrs. Cole kept the discovery secret because she said she feared a robbery, but after the widow's death she told relatives who vainly searched the home for a will. In looking, they found money stuffed in purses, handbags and clothing about the house.

Farm land totaling approximately 400 acres comprises the remainder of the estate, valued at \$90,000. Projected public works improvements in Paris, France, will cost \$133,000,000.

Prevailing Berth Rates

The following table showing the prevailing berth rates for the current week was compiled for The Times-Picayune by W. L. Richeson & Sons, 200-206 Board of Trade Building.

Table showing prevailing berth rates for various commodities like Grain, Flour, Rice, Cotton, etc., with prices per unit.

INSISTS ON ARREST, OBLIGED, PAYS \$20 (By International News Service) Klamath Falls, Ore., Aug. 16.—Playing chief of police proved expensive for Clara Carroll when she insisted on arrest of the chief's office here during the official's absence. He picked up the chief's telephone and called the desk sergeant.

DELTA LINE Mississippi Shipping Co., Inc. Next Sailings from New Orleans to Tampa and to New York and Boston Via TAMPA

GLYDE-MALLORY LINES Freight Only NEW ORLEANS TO TAMPA and to NEW YORK and BOSTON Via TAMPA

MOOREMACK GULF LINES Dependable Freight Service From New Orleans to Corpus Christi and Brownsville

LYKES LINES Operating Regular Line Service American Flag Steamers Gulf West Mediterranean Line U. S. Mail Service—Route No. 45