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Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, becoming unsettled Sunday with probably rain by afternoon or night; lowest temperature tonight about 28; warmer Sunday.

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PAUL-BONCOUR GOVERNMENT IN FRANCE FALLS

Cabinet Overthrown on Misconfidence Vote on Plans for Budget After All-Night Session of Chamber of Deputies.

WAR DEBT ISSUE LEFT IN MID-AIR
Herriot Remains Dominant Figure in Crisis, but Is Unlikely to Be Named Premier, Unless Others Fail.

BY RALPH HEINZEN
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PARIS, Jan. 28.—President Alfred Lebrun accepted the resignation of the cabinet of Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour early today, putting France under the necessity of forming a new administration, three days before treasury funds to pay routine expenses will be exhausted.

The government was overthrown on a misconfidence vote on the budget plans of Finance Minister Henry Cheron.

The vote, 390 to 193, was taken after an all-night session of the chamber of deputies during which the government won three votes of confidence, only to lose at the end.

Debits Question in Air

The question of war debts also was at issue in mid-air. The next premier must face a budget deficit of 10,000,000,000 francs, and the hostility of the powerful Socialist bloc as well as war veterans, who protest against reduction of their benefits and businessmen opposing increased taxes.

Fernand Bouisson, president of the chamber, convoked a meeting for Tuesday, Jan. 31, to select the new government. He hoped to find a left wing coalition capable of rushing the budget, already long overdue, through parliament.

Herriot Dominant Figure

According to parliamentary tradition the Socialists will be given the first opportunity to form a government, as they chiefly were responsible for the government's overthrow. The policy of the party has been not to accept the responsibility of assuming power and there was no indication that the policy would be changed.

The Socialists declined an invitation to form a cabinet after overthrowing Edouard Herriot on the war debts question in December. Herriot remained a dominant figure in the political crisis, but was not expected to be commissioned to form a government unless other candidates failed.

Immediate possibilities as premier-designate included Edouard Deladier and Camille Chautemps, both ministers under Herriot, and Paul Painlevé, the veteran, Paul Poincaré, and Senator Theodore Steeg.

RALPH GREGG SLATED TO BE G. O. P. BOSS

Scheduled to Be Named City Chairman at Meeting Today.

Reorganization of the Republican city committee included Ralph B. Gregg scheduled for election as city chairman, was to be effected at a meeting of precinct committeemen this afternoon at 1 p. m. in the Riley room of the Claypool.

In preparation for the 1933 municipal campaign, seven Republican groups in the city and county have been canvassed and all are reported agreeable to Gregg's selection.

All other officials will be replaced this afternoon, bringing about the retirement of Wayne Emmelman, who has served through several successive campaigns as city and county committee secretary.

Edgar Hart, county chairman, against whom Gregg was a candidate last year, will preside today. Party leaders assert the reorganization will be the most harmonious in years.

Gregg, an attorney, has been a precinct committeeman in the Fourth ward for the last six years. Gregg is married, resides at 3115 North Illinois street, is active in American Legion circles and is a member of the faculty of Benjamin Harrison law school.

VICTORY MESSAGE IS ISSUED BY DE VALERA

'National Policy Now Definitely Determined,' He Asserts.

DUBLIN, Jan. 28.—Victory of the Irish republicans in the general election for a new deal was assured on the basis of returns available today, President Eamon De Valera said in a victory message to the public.

"The national policy now is definitely determined," the message said. "May we not appeal, then, to all citizens to co-operate in the task of restoring our country to its former greatness and making it a worthy home for all our people."

In the Air

Weather conditions at 9 a. m.: West northwest wind, ten miles an hour; temperature, 27; barometric pressure, 30.15 at sea level; ceiling, overcast, light freezing mist and light fog, 700 feet; visibility, 1 1/2 miles; field, wet.

ESCAPES GANG DEATH



Mrs. Mafalda Mariote, sister of Al Capone, escaped unhurt from several men opened fire from a passing automobile on a Chicago street. Police were unable to learn whether the bullets were intended for her or for another.

Brakeman Jumps Into Path of Train, Dies Instantly

Fails to See Speeding Passenger Limited and Leaps Directly Into Engine's Drive Wheels.

Jumping from one train directly into the path of a passenger limited traveling at seventy miles an hour on the next track, Harry R. Burnett, 41, Washington street and Traub avenue, Big Four brakeman was killed instantly today.

The accident occurred near the 4400 block, Pendleton pike. Burnett's body, horribly mangled, was sent to city morgue by Dr. John E. Wytenbach, deputy coroner, who investigated.

According to fellow trainmen, Burnett is believed to have crawled between cars of a second standing on the tracks and leaped toward the ground without seeing the approaching limited.

His body is believed to have struck directly in the driving wheels of the locomotive and was thrown thirty feet against the side of the train from which he had jumped.

Burnett was working on a Peoria & Eastern train of the Big Four system, which was backing from the east, according to trainmen. The train from which he jumped was at a standstill on a siding and the limited on the next track beyond the standing train.

There were no witnesses who saw Burnett crawl between the cars, although J. O. Brown, engineer of the limited, saw him jump. The limited was stopped in about 300 feet. G. H. Hopping, 46, of 622 West Fourth street, was conductor of the train on which Burnett had been working.

58-DAY REPRIEVE IS GIVEN RUTH JUDD

Wins First Battle to Escape Gallows Feb. 17.

By United Press

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 28.—Winnie Ruth Judd, condemned slayer, won her first battle to escape the gallows today when the state pardons and paroles board recommended a fifty-eight-day reprieve.

The petition needed only Governor B. B. Moore's formal approval to extend until April 14, the hanging originally set for Feb. 17. The board urged a temporary stay to allow time for a complete hearing and investigation of Mrs. Judd's plea for clemency. Her attorneys were hopeful the action was a step toward ultimate cancellation of the death sentence.

Six Are Hurt, Two Badly, in City Auto Accidents

One Driver Held by Police, Charged With Failure to Stop.

Six persons were injured, two seriously, in traffic accidents in the city Friday night and today.

W. M. Gill, 56, of 853 Camp street, Negro, employee of Indianapolis Railways, Inc., was injured early today when he was struck by an automobile driven by Morau V. Shakelford, 44, of 2407 East Fortieth street.

At city hospital it was said Gill's leg was broken, and he had received head and chest injuries. His condition is critical.

Schakelford was not held. Fracture of the skull and a compound fracture of the right leg were suffered by Frank Krebs, 56, of 1136 Kentucky avenue, early Friday night when he was struck by an automobile in front of his home.

The automobile was driven by Charles Cauldwell, 19, of R. R. 3, Box 901. Krebs was sent to city hospital. Cauldwell was not held.

An 80-year-old man, William De Bruler, 407 East Ohio street, is in city hospital with a fractured right leg received when he stepped in front of a moving automobile at New Jersey and Ohio streets early Friday night. The driver was not held.

Robert Dilley, 30, of 2175 North Riley avenue, was cut by flying glass when his automobile was struck by

CONGRESS TODAY

By United Press

SENATE

Continues debate on treasury-postoffice appropriation bill.

Agriculture committee continues hearings on domestic allotment bill.

HOUSE

Considers state, justice, labor and commerce departments appropriation bill.

Ways and means committee continues hearings on depreciated currency legislation.

CUT MILLION OFF U. S. DRY AGENT FUNDS

House Votes to Ban Wire Tapping, Paid Spies and Buying Evidence.

ASSAIL 'STOOL PIGEONS'

Stories of Heavy Drinking by Officials Are Told in Debate.

BY THOMAS L. STOKES
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WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Prohibition enforcement funds were cut more than a million dollars, and wire tapping, paid informers and purchase of evidence were banned Friday by the house in the wet's first successful attack on federal enforcement and its methods.

In a veritable anti-prohibition field day, the house reduced appropriations for the federal prohibition bureau from \$9,599,948, recommended by President Hoover, to \$8,440,000, cut of \$1,159,948.

This represents a reduction of \$680,000 from the \$9,120,000 fund approved by the appropriations committee.

The house also amended the pending justice, state, commerce and labor department bill to prohibit use of any money appropriated for wire tapping, purchase of liquor, paid informers or "stool pigeons" and purchase of evidence, methods often criticized.

Tell of Wholesale Drinking

Echoing through the often acrimonious debate were prophecies that the law soon would be an end. Enlivening the arguments also were tales of wholesale drinking among Washington officialdom, and of a "Texas barbecue" at a nearby Maryland resort where congressmen stood up at the bar, and partook of well-larded beef.

Action was in committee of the whole without record votes. It is subject to record votes later which may upset the wet victories Friday.

All were by narrow margins. Federal Prohibition Administrator Angus Woodcock appeared on the stand discomfited by the day's work, but said it would be "poor taste" for him to comment since the cuts become effective in the next administration. They apply for the fiscal year 1934, beginning next July 1.

He referred questioners to his testimony before the appropriations committee in which he urged need of the amount recommended by the President, and defended practices barred today as essential to cope with the organized racketeers and gangsters.

Tapping Upheld by Courts

He said his bureau's effectiveness against organized criminals would be reduced. Wire-tapping, which was upheld once by the supreme court with a famous dissent by former Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, was used in only 101 of the thousands of prohibition cases last year, Woodcock explained.

It was restricted after an attack in the house last session. Attorney-General William D. Mitchell likewise has sanctioned its use in certain cases.

The enforcement fund as it now stands in the house bill is the smallest ever provided by congress. For the current year it is \$10,125,000. The move to reduce appropriations came from the Democratic side.

SWINE LITTLE CHANGED AT CLOSE OF WEEK

Cattle Nominally Steady in Dull Range; Sheep Receipts Off.

No changes of any consequence were recorded in hogs at the city yards this morning, prices holding firm with Friday's average. The bulk, 160 to 210 pounds, sold for \$3.45 to \$3.55; 210 to 250 pounds, \$3.35 to \$3.50; 250 to 300 pounds, \$3.25 to \$3.35. Heavier weights sold for \$3.15 to \$3.25. Light 140 to 160 pounds brought around \$3.40.

Slaughter pigs ranged from \$3 to \$3.25. Packing sows were priced at \$2.35 to \$2.65.

Swine receipts were 2,000. Holdovers were 173.

Trade in the cattle market was nominally steady. The close was drab. Heavy heifers, weighty steers and heavy cows were weak to 25 cent slower. Other classes were about steady.

Bulk of steers and yearlings sold for \$4 to \$5.50, top steers bringing \$6.25. Top yearlings sold for \$6.50. Butcher heifers made the market at \$4 to \$4.75. Feeder heifers sold for \$3.50 to \$4.75, a few up to \$6. Beef cows ranged from \$3 to \$3.75, a few early sales up to \$3 and \$3.25. Low cutter and cutter cows brought \$1.50 to \$2. Receipts were 50.

Vealers were 50 cents lower at \$6.50 down. Calves receipts were 50.

Hourly Temperature
6 a. m. 26 8 a. m. 28
7 a. m. 27 9 a. m. 28
7.41 a. m. 27 10 a. m. 28

9-Year-Old Boy Dashes Into Auto's Path, Killed, While Running Errand for Mother

On the way to the grocery, "running an errand" for his mother, it was the eighth fatal accident in Marion county since Jan. 1.

Jackie was struck by the right headlight of the automobile of Joe Volpert, 28, of Peru, who swerved his car in a vain effort to avoid striking Jackie. The car was stopped within twenty feet, police said, and Volpert carried the boy to a filling station.

A charge of assault and battery with an automobile was placed against Volpert, although witnesses held him blameless.

Von Schleicher Cabinet Out When Dictatorship for Germany Is Denied

Von Papen Is Called to Form Parliamentary Government.

By United Press

BERLIN, Jan. 28.—The cabinet of Chancellor General Kurt von Schleicher resigned today.

President Von Hindenburg commissioned former Chancellor Franz von Papen to negotiate with political leaders to form a parliamentary government.

The chancellor's resignation followed an interview with the president at noon. Before the conference, Schleicher was understood to be ready to risk the life of his cabinet before the reichstag, which meets Tuesday.

Schleicher asked the president for permission to dissolve the reichstag, presumably planning to set up a virtual dictatorship. Hindenburg refused.

The chancellor then offered the resignation of his entire cabinet, which was accepted.

Adolf Hitler, leader of the Nazis, was understood to have received the support of nationalistic organizations, including the steel helmets, in a bid for the chancellorship.

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At the same time, according to Courtney, a grand jury investigation of collapse of the insurance company will begin.

Stevens, as head of one of the midwest's most prominent hotel-eries and the largest life insurance company in the state, has been a prominent figure in financial circles. He also headed the Lasalle hotel here, which was linked with his other holdings.

Two police squads arrested Stevens in his palatial home. He protested when they failed to produce a warrant, but was held under guard until other officers brought the warrant. His wife stood by and his three sons chatted with friends upstairs while the warrant was read.

Two Others Accused

He was taken to detective headquarters, where he signed the arrest slip and bond, and was permitted to return to his home.

Stevens' 80-year-old father, James W. Stevens, and his brother, Raymond W. Stevens, were named in the charges as co-conspirators. It was alleged that more than \$100,000 insurance assets were frozen in operation of the two hotels. The insurance company held \$150,000 in policies.

A committee to study methods used in other cities to stimulate employment of building trades craftsmen was named.

Members are: Hugh J. Baker, president of Hugh J. Baker & Co., chairman; Otto N. Mueller, architect; Albert S. Pierson, Pierson-Lewis Hardware Company; Robert S. Foster, R. S. Foster Lumber Company, and Richard H. Shirley, W. H. Johnson & Son Company.

FARMERS OPPOSE GLASS

Bureau Sends Message to Roosevelt, Attacking Virginian.

Opposition to rumored selection of Senator Carter Glass (Dem., Va.) as treasury secretary by President-Elect Franklin D. Roosevelt was voiced Friday by the Indiana Farm Bureau in a telegram to the President-elect.

A resolution condemning Glass' opposition to currency inflation, supported by the Indiana farm bureau, was sent.

Chicago Stocks Opening

(By Abbott, Hopkin & Co.)
—Jan. 28—
Bore Warner... 8 1/2 Midwest... 2 1/2
Cord Corp... 2 1/2 U. S. Gypsum... 2 1/2
Cont. Chi. com... 1 1/2 Walgreen Stores... 1 1/2

Traded Car for Radio With Times Swap Ad

EQUITY in car for radio or model T: \$30 balance. CH-1571-M.

Walter McDonald, 2630 N. Bancroft street, placed the above swap ad in The Times. A trade was arranged quickly through the medium of The Times ad.

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To Place Your SWAP Ad, Call RI. 5551, or Bring It to The Times Want Ad Headquarters, 214 West Maryland Street.

EFFICIENCY AIM OF M'NUTT IN REORGANIZATION

No Undemocratic One-Man Rule Contemplated if Broad Powers Are Conferred on Him, Says Governor.

ECONOMY GOAL WILL BE SOUGHT

No Intention to Upset Present Plan of Boards for Institutions, States Executive; Bills Seem Assured Passage.

No undemocratic, one-man government is contemplated by the administration should the broad powers provided in the state government reorganization measure be conferred upon the chief executive, it was promised today by Governor Paul V. McNutt.

"All governmental functions will be retained and reorganization will be in the interest of economy and efficiency and not for political purposes," he pledged.

The Governor said he has no intention to upset the present plan of having boards of trustees for each of the twenty-two state penal and benevolent institutions.

These now are governed by bipartisan boards of four members. If the reorganization plan becomes law, the Governor can ignore the bipartisan feature, and make appointments either for fit-

ness or party political purposes, it was pointed out.

Retention of the individual institution trustee system is in the interest of democracy by securing services of many citizens in governmental affairs, McNutt said. He also reiterated that qualifications, and not politics, will govern his selections.

Other aspects of the proposed law which will make for democracy, the Governor pointed out, is the provision for full-time functioning of the Lieutenant-Governor, and the fact that the majority of the eight departments will be governed by active boards, the whole forming a cabinet of department heads with the chief executive.

Rein's in Governor's Hands

However, the bill, as presented in both houses Friday afternoon, does place the reins of state government squarely in the hands of the Governor.

It puts the entire personnel, with the exception of elective officers and one deputy each, into the hands of the chief executive. This gives him full authority to hire or fire any one of the thousands of state employees in any department of state or state institution, except the two universities.

As Democratic measures, the bills seem assured of passage, the senate bill being already on second reading and the house bill ready for favorable committee report Monday.

Democratic caucus approval was given the measures before they were introduced.

Appointment Attorney-General

In addition to setting up eight divisions of the state government, the bill will remove the attorney-general from the ballot, giving his appointment to the Governor.

Another bill will be introduced to combine the offices of clerk and reporter of the supreme and appellate courts and further shorten the ballot, it was said.

The judiciary, being separate from the administrative branch of the government, remains intact. Aside from that the Governor is given complete power to do almost anything he wants in the way of mergers and reorganization.

Reorganization as Planned

Present possibilities reported are as follows: Executive division, composed of the Governor only, will take over the state police, health department, criminal bureau, all inspection, poor relief, pardons and paroles, live stock sanitary board, armory board, state charities, legislative reference bureau, arson division of the fire marshal's office and all professional boards.

Division of state, composed of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and secretary of state, will take over the elections and national guard.

Audit and control, composed of the Governor, auditor of state and attorney general, with the auditor as chief administrator, will take over the board of accounts, budget control, other than legislative, insurance, banking and securities departments.

Treasury, composed of the Governor, treasurer and an appointee of the Governor, with the treasurer as chief administrator, will take over the treasury department, all licensing, gasoline tax collection and the state tax board.

Division of Work

Law division, consisting of the Governor, auditor and attorney-general, will take over all legal work.

Education division, composed of the Governor, superintendent of public instruction, lieutenant-governor and from one to five appointees of the Governor, will take over the state department of education, literary and historical bureau.

Public works, composed of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and three persons named by the Governor, will take over the state highway commission, conservation department, state fair and buildings and grounds.

Commerce and industries, composed of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and three to five appointees of the Governor, will take over the public service commission and industrial boards.