

LEAGUE READY TO BLAME DUCE IN AFRICA WAR

Italy Is Aggressor Nation, Council Will Report to Full Assembly.

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visions of Articles XII, XIII and XV to seek by means of a remedy for grievances they believe they have against other League members.

"The adoption of measures of security by a state upon its own territory within the limits of its international accords does not authorize another state to free itself from the obligations of the covenant."

This blasts Italy's assertions that it "feared" Ethiopian aggression.

Adoption by the Council of the committee of six's report would lay a firm legal foundation for proceeding to impose penalties against Italy under Article XVI, which provides for both economic and military sanctions.

Paragraph 1 of the article provides that a covenant-breaker is automatically at war with every member of the League. Paragraph 2 empowers the League to designate what naval, air and land forces each member shall use to halt the aggressor. Ethiopia specified both of these paragraphs in invoking Article XVI.

Italy, the report indicates clearly, will not be able to escape international justice by prosecuting her invasion of Haile Selassie's kingdom without a formal declaration of war, as Japan did in her conquest of Manchuria.

"It is not necessary that war should formally be declared in order for Article XVI to be applicable," the report says.

"The League's machinery for the application of international justice endows the Council with a function approximating that of a grand jury and the Assembly with a function approximating that of the judge who pronounces sentence when guilt has been established, following the grand jury's recommendations to the Assembly, convoked by its president, Edouard Benes, foreign minister of Czechoslovakia, for Wednesday.

Today's Council meeting, therefore, is expected to make recommendations to the Assembly, convoked by its president, Edouard Benes, foreign minister of Czechoslovakia, for Wednesday.

Freedom of Action Allowed

Unanimity is not necessary for Council action when that body is operating under Article XVI. It can, by a majority vote, designate the nature of penalties and the date on which they should go into effect.

Each member of the League is free to accept or decline participation in such sanctions. That is the principal reason for calling the Assembly for Wednesday—to allow each League member an opportunity to put itself on record as to whether it is prepared to join in punitive measures against Italy.

Any state whose accredited representative states before the Assembly that his nation will participate in penalties is thereafter legally bound to apply them.

Some authoritative sources ascribed Mussolini's offer to withdraw troops from Libya in return for "certain demobilization" of British naval forces in the Mediterranean was inspired by Laval, British premier, unofficially squelched the proposal immediately, maintaining that the whole affair is in the hands of the League, but encouragement was found in the fact that the Italian dictator was again willing to talk peace.

Duce Repeats Warning

Mussolini repeated his recent and famous statement that Italy will act "with the League, without the League or against the League," but he rephrased it to say a solution of the crisis is possible "with Geneva, without Geneva or against Geneva."

He took occasion in commenting on the "wonderful" news from Ethiopia to pay a tribute to the bravery of Ethiopian warriors.

Significantly, but without elaboration, he declared that "France will continue with necessary prudence."

Deals Entirely With Principle

Roughly, France says "yes" in one paragraph and "maybe" in the next. The reply deals entirely with the "principle" involved and avoids specific reference to the current crisis. It states that Anglo-French naval co-operation would be insufficient to enforce penalties and suggests an agreement to include all the military forces of both nations.

It also declares that such an agreement must apply not only in case of invocation of the League covenant's Article I, but in applying Article IV as well. The latter article, for use in disputes between League members and non-members, would be France's bulwark in event of dispute with Germany.

Canal Board Shuns War

PARIS, Oct. 7.—No protest against possible closing of the Suez Canal was made today at the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Suez Canal Co.

"The board did not say a single word about the war in East Africa or the conditions arising from it," Michel Homolle, general secretary of the company, said.

He added that there was no discussion of the possibility of increasing tolls on troopships, as some British circles had anticipated there might be.

DOCTORS GIVE CREOMULSION FOR DANGEROUS COUGHS

Thousands of doctors use Creomulsion for colds and coughs in their own families as well as in their practice knowing how dangerous it would be to let them hang on. Creomulsion with creosote and six other important medicinal elements, quickly and effectively relieves coughs and colds that otherwise might lead to serious trouble. Creomulsion is powerful in the treatment of colds and coughs, yet it is absolutely harmless and is pleasant and easy to take. Contains

Roosevelt Bans Arms Trade, Warns Travelers; Italian Line Protests

Ordinary Exports Will Be at Shippers' Risk Under Drastic Order.

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mation legally applies equally to Italy and Ethiopia, the practical effect is to involve only Italy because this country has practically no commerce with Ethiopia.

American exports to Italy normally average about \$8,000,000 a month. Ethiopia has no ships on which Americans could travel, whereas Italy has a number of passenger boats which call regularly at American ports.

Few Americans ever have been to Ethiopia, but thousands of American tourists flock to Italy every year and spend huge sums of money.

The general view here was that the Administration's neutrality actually had provided a starting wedge for the league powers in the imposition of penalties against Italy.

Termed Excellent Strategy

In most quarters it was considered that Mr. Roosevelt had used good strategy, both politically at home and in the international field. Officials here believed the President had cut off possible criticism from anti-league circles that he was following the League's dictation in a foreign quarrel, or that his arms embargo and withdrawal of government protection from American trade with the belligerents were measures to conform with League sanctions.

In the international field, it was believed the President's actions were more favorable to the cause of peace than they would have been if he had waited until after the League voted sanctions before he announced this government's attitude.

Senator Pope Approves

The League Council can now go ahead with its consideration of the sanctions question, knowing in advance the policy of this government toward all its difficult problems.

It was felt the President's position would be approved by congressional leaders, in that he was considered to have complied with both the spirit and the letter of the recently enacted neutrality law.

Definite comment from congressional leaders was lacking because of the absence of most of the Capitol Hill contingent from the city. Senator James P. Pope (D., Idaho), the only member of the Senate foreign relations committee who could be reached.

"I'm very much pleased at the action of the President," he said. "It was a highly desirable thing to do and I am in thorough accord with it."

Italian Line Protests

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The Italian Line, operating de luxe passenger ships between New York and Mediterranean ports, expects no decrease in its passenger business due to President Roosevelt's admonition to American travelers that they patronize vessels of a country at war with their own risk.

Aroldo Palanca, general manager for the United States, said he had heard of no cancellation of passages and expected none. The Mediterranean, he said, was entirely safe for travelers.

Capt. Ugo V. d'Annunzio, acting for the Unione Italiana d'America, protested the presidential proclamation in a telegram to Mr. Roosevelt. The son of the celebrated Italian poet and novelist said he spoke for 40,000 Americans of Italian antecedents.

"We have no knowledge of Ethiopian submarines," he telegraphed. "Therefore, it must be assumed that your excellency has already information to the effect that some other nation has disclosed intention to torpedo Italian ships. If so, please confirm it to hundreds of thousands of your citizens of Italian origin, all of them devoted American citizens. If not so, then your warning is

somewhat hasty and certainly discriminating."

The Conte Di Savona, which with the Rex is the newest and most palatial liner in the Italian merchant marine, sailed Saturday with 300 passengers, normal for this season, Mr. Palanca said. The Rex will sail from New York Oct. 19. The Vulcano, now in service as a troop ship between Italy and Eritrea, will sail on a West Indian cruise from New York in December. The Roma sails Oct. 25 for a Mediterranean cruise. The Saturnia, the other first-rate Italian trans-Atlantic liner, also is a troop ship for the present.

Haile's War Chest Aided

CAIRO, Egypt, Oct. 7.—Aid was sent Ethiopia today for its defense against Italian invasion and appeals went out for more contributions.

Prince Omar Toussoun, cousin of King Fuad, and Amba Yohannes, Coptic patriarch and head of the Ethiopian church, appealed to Egyptians yesterday for funds to aid their Ethiopian neighbors. The two high officials contributed 900 Egyptian pounds for Emperor Haile Selassie's war chest.

PRISONERS TO BUILD JAIL SHOOTING RANGE

Targets Will Be Used to Develop Rifle, Pistol Skill of Deputies.

Determined to make all his deputies sharpshooters, Sheriff Ray today put prisoners to work building two modern shooting ranges in the basement of the Marion County jail.

He has told his assistants to spend their spare time squinting down the sights of their pistols and revolvers and has organized them into the Marion County Sheriff's Pistol and Rifle Club.

This club, headed by Charles E. Markey, chief jailer, will practice on the Hoosier Rifle and Pistol Club ranges in the basement of Tomlinson Hall until the jail galleries are finished. William Lewis, firearms expert, is executive officer and instructor. Two hundred deputies and special deputies belong.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION AWARDS 23 CONTRACTS

Work Costing \$2,000,000 Placed During September.

Highway and bridge contracts, costing approximately \$2,000,000, were awarded by the State Highway Commission during the month of September.

A report issued today by James D. Adams, commission chairman, shows that 23 road and bridge contracts have been placed under contract during the last month. The projects are financed by state and Federal aid funds.

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ADUWA TAKEN, FASCISTS MOVE ON 'HOLY CITY'

Aksum Is Next Objective of Jubilant Invaders of Ethiopia.

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manner as were the capture of Adigrat and Aduwa.

Three columns are expected to invest it, reaching it simultaneously for the final assault.

A stubborn defense seemed possible because of the veneration in which the soil of the old city is held.

It lies high on the plateau at an altitude of 7200 feet 12 miles west by south of Aduwa. It is thousands of years old, much older than Ethiopian history. Two thousand years ago it was the capital of the old Aksumite government to which the present government is heir. In its oldest church is supposed still to rest the Ark of the Covenant deposited there by the son of Solomon and the Queen of Sheba who founded the dynasty.

Lull Expected to Follow

With the fall of Aksum, a waiting period of about two weeks is expected on the Aduwa front.

During these two weeks laborers will thrust roads through the country from the northern frontier.

Water supplies will be assured, provisions and munition dumps will be laid out, thousands and thousands of new troops, regulars, Fascist militiamen and black Askaris, will arrive. Artillery will be brought up.

Then will come a new thrust. Ethiopian sharpshooters were busy throughout last night and early today, firing from rocks in the hills surrounding Aduwa, but the Italian positions were well protected.

The advance on the northern front may have Makale, an important caravan route town 55 miles south southeast of Aduwa, as its next objective.

These parallel columns could move southward to menace Gondar and the Lake Tana area on the west and Desaye, important strategic town 180 miles south of Makale, on the east.

Troops Jubilant Over Victory

There was wild enthusiasm among the troops when they entered Aduwa yesterday. Its occupation brought the Italian territory in Ethiopia, captured on the northern front since the zero hour last Thursday, to an area about 30 miles wide and 25 deep.

The left wing of the three Italian columns was first to enter the town, moving in from the east. It was this wing that captured Adigrat.

Airplanes, tanks, field guns, machine guns prepared the way for the infantrymen and made a real stand for the town impracticable even if a last-ditch defense had been planned by the Ethiopians under veteran Ras Seyoum.

The left wing was some six miles from Aduwa when the day's operations began, and the central corps on the north, and the right wing corps to the west were in position.

Invaders Erect Memorial

At the last moment the northern column met firm resistance by between 6000 and 7000 Ethiopians 12 miles north of the town.

Their resistance was overcome and the left wing entered the town from the east, 39 years after the slaughter of an Italian army whose memory Benito Mussolini adopted as a principal reason for his campaign.

As soon as the Italian mopping up squads had insured the evacuation of all Ethiopian fighting men, the troops erected a monument to the men killed there in 1896. The monument is a temporary one. It was erected March 1, 1896 and Oct. 6, 1935.

There was intensive preparation for the advance by aerial bombing and then the infantry, working with its baby tanks and machine gun, advanced on the town through passes in the hills, converging in the bowl-like plain on which Aduwa is built.

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District 5—Laurens L. Henderson, Harold Bredell, Ed Herrold, C. S. Ober, Frank B. Nush, G. Vance Smith, Burford Danner, Mrs. William H. Gibbs, John Roca, Vincent Ryde, Rely Adams, Vernon C. Roth, W. Miller Bennett and Joseph L. Hall.

District 6—M. Vollerath, Dan O'Neill, Earl W. Kiger, G. V. Carrier, Robert W. Foster, Paul D. Loser, E. J. Beckett, R. A. Barnard, Herbert C. Tyson and E. D. Finley.

District 7—Lloyd S. Wright, Ray DeVaney, J. F. Frisinger, Joseph W. York, William Claibough, W. B. Brass Jr., Ward Bonnell, E. R. Grissell, John D. Hughes and Ray Neff.

District 8—Henry E. Gibson, O. T. Roberts, Jack Adams, Henry H. Hines, Roger W. Kahn, Richard K. Munter, Willard Cameron, Allison E. Falender, Frank Turrell, Marion Davis, Herbert Willis, Elbert H. Davis, David Herman, Harry S. Pinkus, John Riddle and Miller L. Keller.

District 9—Francis M. Hughes, Carl Seytler, Sam W. Simpson, John Metford, John L. Butler, Herman Brecht, William Lesh, Robert Blake, Robert E. Stafford, Alex Stewart, William Florea and William Schloss.

District 10—Frances Polen, Edwin W. Wilson, Addison Dowling, Frank H. Fairchild, William H. Wemmer, J. L. Cadick, B. W. Duck Jr., Fred J. Hammer, John E. Scott, Harold W. Jones, R. W. Sizs and William H. Krieg.

Appointment of chairmen for the 10 districts in the individual gifts division also was announced. They are:

District 1, Alex Corbett Jr., E. Jackson and George D. Jones; District 2, Ben Roberts and J. R. Townsend; District 3, Harry S. Hanna and Howard E. Nyhart; District 4, Perry Meek and Pisk Landers.

Drive Starts Oct. 8

District 6, C. A. Breece and Harry S. Rogers; District 7, Dan W. Flickinger and John L. H. Fuller; District 8, Marcus Borinstein and Herman Emde; District 9, W. M. Sheppard and B. M. Spradling; District 10, Earle H. Lowe and Marcus Warrender.

This year's drive will open Oct. 18 and close Oct. 28. Arthur R. Baxter is general campaign chairman. The goal is \$724,360.

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THIRD PARTY FILES BEECH GROVE TICKET

Seeks Votes With Economy Plank in Platform.

The Beech Grove political situation was further complicated today with an independent ticket for city offices in the field against the Progressive and Democrat tickets.

The ticket was filed Saturday night as a complete surprise in political circles. It names W. E. Sparger as candidate for mayor; J. E. Adams candidate for clerk and treasurer; and L. C. Ferris, Werner Thompson, Francis E. Deane, and Carl A. Anderson candidates for city council.

Ralph Dodd is chairman of the new party; Laura Mathews, secretary, and M. L. Haynes, treasurer.

The new party placed economy as the chief plank in its platform, and pledged itself to reorganize the police and fire departments. It promised to enforce the state liquor laws, and bring about improvements in the school board, transportation facilities and playgrounds.

Election will be Nov. 3.

Discuss Housing Project

Beech Grove citizens will hold a public meeting at 7:30 tonight in the city hall to discuss the erection of several hundred low-cost dwellings for workmen with the aid of funds from the Federal Housing Administration.

Rep. William H. Larrabee of the Eleventh District will discuss the co-operation which Federal authorities are prepared to give. Two large land tracts, totaling 1200 to 1400 acres, are available as housing sites.

PLANE TO STOP HERE

TWA to Resume West-Bound Service Dropped Recently.

TWA officials today announced re-establishment of the west-bound flight discontinued several months ago. The plane leaves New York at 8:30 a. m., lands in Pittsburgh at 10:40 a. m., arrives in Indianapolis at 11:59 a. m. and leaves for the West coast at 12:10 p. m., touching at St. Louis, Kansas City and Los Angeles, and arriving at San Francisco at 2:49 a. m.

PURPLE HEART TO MEET

Military Order to Discuss State Organization Program.

A state organization of the Military Order of the Purple Heart will be planned at a meeting of the Indianapolis Chapter, No. 32, at 29 S. Delaware-st., Wednesday. Emanuel DeVey, representing national headquarters, in Newark, N. J., will speak.

AUSTRALIAN GIVEN D. D.

Degree Conferred on Alexander Main Butler.

Alexander R. Main, principal of Glen Iris College, Melbourne, Australia, today was honored with a Doctor of Divinity degree in a special chapel ceremony at the Butler University fieldhouse. The degree was conferred by President James Putnam on recommendation of Dean Frederick Kershner.

Sears Tuesday Special

This is a good time to stock up on your winter houseware needs. You'll find everything that you need right here at Sears for Tuesday.

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