

## VANNUYS FIGHTS AID TO FINLAND, TOKYO EMBARGO

Ludlow Cites Gallup Poll as Plea for Referendum Amendment.

*Times Special*  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senator Frederick VanNuys attended the Foreign Relations Committee yesterday determined to oppose aid for Finland and any attempt to impose an embargo on Japan.

Both moves he believes are steps toward war the Senator said and his attitude is reflected in the entire Indiana delegation.

Should the Japanese embargo bill reach the Senate Floor it will be opposed there by Senator Sherman Minton also.

**Ludlow Cites Poll**  
"I see no sense in calling a special session to lift the embargo just a short time ago and now voting to impose one," Senator Minton said. He is a member of the Senate Military Affairs Committee.

Meanwhile Rep. Louis Ludlow (D. Ind.) cited the Gallup poll to show that sentiment for his war referendum amendment is increasing and urged the House to bring it to the floor for action.

The poll just announced is the fifth of the Institute of Public Opinion has taken on this subject," Rep. Ludlow said. "All five polls agree that a majority of the people in our country favor the proposal and desire to see it adopted." Congress has ratified by the states. They believe this principle of democracy becomes a part of our fundamental law so that the fathers and mothers, wives and sweethearts of our young men of military age, and our young men themselves, may decide whether the power of American manhood shall be drafted and sent overseas to die on foreign battlefields.

60 Per Cent in Favor

"This latest poll shows 60 per cent of the people favoring the proposition, with a rapidly rising tide of sentiment supporting it."

Pointing out that he has filed a discharge petition with the Speaker of the House, Rep. Ludlow urged that the required 218 signatures be promptly obtained. So far but 49 Congressmen have signed, Rep. Ludlow said.

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## JAPAN WARNED U. S. EMBARGO MOVE POSSIBLE

Vandenbergh Admits Imposition Might Constitute 'First Step to War.'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (U. P.)—Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R. Mich.) declared today that imposition of an embargo against Japan might constitute "the first step toward war" but warned Japan not to ignore possibility of such action.

Mr. Vandenberg's statement followed a charge by Chairman Key Pittman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that Japan was attempting to interfere with Congress. Mr. Pittman charged that the Japanese military was "insensitive" to American treaty rights in the Far East.

Treaty Ended Jan. 26

Mr. Vandenberg—author of the Senate resolution calling for abrogation of the U. S.-Japanese commercial treaty—described the treaty denunciation as "relatively a pacific alternative" to the embargo proposals such as that sponsored by Mr. Pittman.

He said the embargo proposed by important Administration Senators distinctly would have been the longest step to war since 1915. My resolution was an alternative," Mr. Vandenberg introduced his treaty cancellation resolution last summer.

Before the Senate took any action, the State Department served Japan a notice of cancellation, which became effective Jan. 26.

Feels Embargo Possible

Mr. Vandenberg's views were contained in a letter addressed to Walter Lippman, newspaper commentator, who has described the Vandenberg resolution as designed to force Japan to retreat from China and a preliminary to imposition of an embargo.

"Whatever our sympathies may be," said Mr. Vandenberg, "and whatever our sense of deep outrage over the conquest of China, our official responsibility as a matter of foreign policy is not to force Japan to retreat from China; it is to protect American interests."

Nonetheless, he said, the United States "may come to an embargo and Japan is ill advised if it ignores this hazard."

He started 50 years ago in the "link-in-pin" days of railroading. He's 70 years old. Although he had some narrow escapes in freight train accidents, he says he's never had an accident on a passenger train.

A family dinner will be held Sunday at the Miller residence at 32 N. Sheffield Ave. Attending the dinner will be his wife, Mrs. Ida Miller; two sons, C. O. Miller of Milwaukee and Dick; nine grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

## DELAY ARRAIGNMENT OF 5 IN WPA CASES

Arraignment of five Indianapolis persons indicted by the Federal Grand Jury on charges of conspiring to defraud the Government by diverting WPA labor to private use will not be held until in March, it was learned today.

The arraignment is being delayed so that these five may be arraigned jointly with any persons who may be indicted when the Grand Jury resumes its session in March.

Their trials are expected to be held early in the May term of court. Those indicted were Arthur V. Brown, president of the Indiana National Bank; Arthur F. Eickhoff, president of the Eickhoff Realty Co.; Charles E. Jefferson, former member of the Marion County Flood Control Board; Miss Elizabeth C. Claypool, 1734 N. Pennsylvania St., and Carl F. Kortepeter, former Marion County WPA coordinator.

Two indictments were returned, each including counts charging conspiracy to defraud the Government and unlawful diversion of Government money and labor.

Each of the defendants is at liberty under \$5000 bond.

Mr. Kortepeter, the last of the five to be arrested, surrendered to U. S. Marshal Julius Wicher at 6 p. m. yesterday. His bond was posted by the U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co.

**CALUMET HISTORY WRITTEN BY WPA**

A complete history of Indiana's Calumet district from the days of the Indians up to the present industrial scenes has been published in book form by WPA writers.

The book project was sponsored by the Gary Board of Education and the Gary Chamber of Commerce. The publication has 271 pages containing details of the rapid industrial growth of the Midwest's steel center in Hammond, Gary, East Chicago and Whiting.

The books are to be distributed among schools of the state for special study by pupils.

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## 'Glub,' Says Barrymore in Wife Vs. Daughter Feud

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like an angel. I wanted so much to have you see me in it. But at dinner one of my friends dropped gravy on it, so I went all the way home to change to this one."

Mr. Barrymore looked over her. "It is gorgeous, my dear," he said. "You are like a breath of spring." Whereupon he kissed her.

Later they left together, with Barrymore concluding that it was a "reconciliation."

Events of the evening began immediately after the show. Miss Barrie, who had had a part in the play—the role of one of Barrymore's stage daughters—until he spanked her harder than the script called for in St. Louis and she walked out on both him and the play, had been a spectator at the Broadway opening. With the final curtain, she fled to her dressing room.

There she encountered the Great Profile's 17-year-old daughter who, according to the press agents' schedule, was to have celebrated the evening with him at the Monte Carlo.

Miss Barrie ignored her stepchild and began railing Barrymore: "After all the months I put into this play and then to see somebody else in my place . . ."

Miss Barrymore made a report to Miss Barrie. They shouted at each other a few minutes, then Miss Barrymore stormed from the room and told stagehands: "If it comes to blows I will come to blows and I'm ready to fight her . . . I'm not going to let him go out with that woman if it takes all night."

Then she dashed back into the fray. She evidently was the first to sound because Miss Barrie left first. She, her father and daughter emerged and went to the night club, as scheduled. In the party were Herbert Bayard Swope and George Jean Nathan.

Scarcely had they settled around their table when the door was flung open to admit Miss Barrie and party. They got a table nearby and the crowd, knowing what to expect, edged as near as possible. Among the spectators were Tyrone Power and his wife, Annabella.

In the entire room, only Barrymore seemed oblivious. He concentrated on glasses of scotch and soda and by the time Miss Barrie got her chance to move in, he was phlegmatic. Miss Barrymore had left the table to dance, the others had wandered away, and the great lover sat alone. He looked around and his estranged fourth wife was at his side. She sat there, rooted seemingly, the rest of the evening.

Miss Barrymore came back and gave her a fierce look. Mr. Barrymore, at that point, was saying to reporters: "What's there to talk about? After all, Elaine and I are good friends."

For two hours Miss Barrymore and Miss Barrie faced each other across the table, neither budging.

It was the daughter who gave way.

EDINBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1 (U. P.)—Charged with chaining his 23-year-old daughter in a room with only a mattress to sleep on, Mike Draventa, an alien of Lilly, Pa., today was on two years probation and under court order not to remove the girl from Torrance State Hospital.

Draventa, who hasn't worked for 10 years and believes the Government must keep him, was sentenced by Judge John E. McCann after he had been found guilty. He also was ordered to pay costs.

Following the father's arrest, the girl was taken to the state hospital where she was committed several years ago.

**VALPARAISO POLICE PLAN SWIFT JUSTICE**

EDINBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1 (U. P.)—"We can catch you" is the warning levied to lawbreakers here by Chief of Police Charles H. Gilliland.

The police department has purchased a new squad car capable of traveling 110 miles an hour. Additional "gadgets" to be mounted on the machine include an extra duty generator, a siren, a radio receiving set and transmitter hook-up, gun rack and armor-plated coating to insure bullet-proof protection to the officers.

**CUPID UNDERWORKED DESPITE LEAP YEAR**

EDINBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1 (U. P.)—Services for Oad Glover, 1627 Asbury St., who died of a heart attack yesterday at the home of a friend, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow at the J. C. Wilson Mortuary, with burial at Memorial Park.

Mr. Glover, who was 68, is survived by a son, Herman R. Glover.

**OAD GLOVER, 68, DIES AT HOME OF FRIEND**

EDINBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1 (U. P.)—The United States Supreme Court may be called upon to determine if a newspaper has the right to comment editorially on court decisions before final disposition, it was indicated today.

The State Supreme Court in a split decision late yesterday, affirmed three contempt convictions against the Los Angeles Times for such comment. It reversed conviction on two counts.

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