holds on the west coast and in the Pa-

equally by the two departments, comes

from a \$300,000,000 public works fund.

Some of the navy's part will be spent

along the Atlantic, but the greater part

Hawaii. The total cost of this base

fleet has been concentrated in Pacific

At a meeting of the army high com-

drews, head of the GHQ air force.

leaders have been up-

able to agree among

themselves, they insist

the plan be brought up

for consideration.

Some administration

leaders have expressed

belief such a step is

necessary to prevent a

The controversy over

possible methods of

revolt on major admin-

istration legislation.

payment is becoming increasingly bit-

ter. Representative Patman, Texas

Democrat, author of a bill to pay the

bonus certificates with an issue of new

currency, gave out a statement assert-

ing that Commander Frank N. Bel-

grano of the American Legion wanted

to finance payment with a bond issue

because the bank of which he is vice

president receives \$1,350,000 in interest

annually on \$45,000,000 worth of gov-

The American Liberty league also is-

sued a statement applauding the Presi-

dent's stand against paying the bonus.

The league said the Legion-backed Vin-

son bill to finance the bonus through

the sale of bonds was "the lesser evil,"

but asked congress to defeat both it

"The President's opposition to imme-

diate payment of the entire face value

of the bonus certificates is based on

and the Patman measure.

Patman

ernment bonds.

The decision to use most of the

is estimated at \$18,000,000.

the coast are inadequate.

Washington naval treaty.



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Breach Widens Between Administration and Labor-Hauptmann Sentenced to Death—Inquiries Into Causes of Macon Disaster Get Under Way.

> By EDWARD W. PICKARD C, Western Newspaper Union

no olive branches toward the American Federation of Labor when he signed the cigarette industry code,

which labor leaders had declared was "unsatisfactory." The breach between the administration and labor is daily growing wider.

The code, finally signed after months of argument between the tobacco industry and labor, calls for a fortyhour week and minimum wages from 25 to 40 cents an hour. Labor leaders also ob-

jected to the presence of S. Clay Williams, administration board chairman, who they declare is not in sympathy with labor. The President issued a curt statement informing the federation council that Williams' services had been satisfactory and that he had no intention of removing him without

S. Clay

The executive council of the federation, composed of William Green and presidents of the federation of seventeen international unions, states that some present administration labor policies are bringing increased unrest among workers which may reach the danger point of widespread strikes unless corrected.

Thus far, the President seems to have had the best of the argument. Labor leaders, however, are expected to push the fight for a "prevailing wage" clause in work relief legislation, thus endangering the administration program.

NQUIRIES into the causes of the "quiver" which ripped away the two gas cells and caused the giant dirigible "Macon" to plunge into the Pacific has Leen started. Even the surviving 81 officers and men of the "Sky Queen" are not certain just what caused the catastrophe, although Lieut, Com. H. V. Wiley, survivor of the Akron disaster and master of the Macon, was said to have "some ideas" about it. His findings will be placed before the board of inquiry.

Some hints were made about structural weakness of the \$2,450,000 craft, | agreement "if it is to be based on mubut naval officers refused to discuss the subject. In Washington President Roosevelt said there would be no immediate move to replace the ship.

Survivors of the crash told a dramatic story of heroism. Cruising along at a speed of 63 knors, the ship twice lowered its elevation to avoid rain squalls. A short jar was felt, the ship began to take a bow-up position, and Commander Wiley received a report that one of the 12 helium gas cells was gone. The Macon then rose rapidly to 4,600 feet, its nose sticking up at a sharp angle and then slowly sank toward the ocean as the crew made frantic efforts to right the lurching craft.

As it hit the ocean the crew slid down ropes or dived into the heavy swells. Men swam through flame where flares had ignited oil and gasoline, others rescued companions whose lifebelts were lost or broken in long leaps into the sea. The sailors watched the ship crumble under the waves and at last disappear. Only two men were lost. Cruisers rushed to the scene and picked up the survivors.

BRUNO HAUPTMANN will die in the electric chair at Trenton, N. J., during the week of March 18, unless attorneys secure a stay of execution by filing an appeal. The prisoner showed no trace of emotion as the jurors announced their verdict and did not break under the strain until after Justice Trenchard had pronounced sentence, and he was returned to the cell. There, his iron will gave way and he sobbed as he sat on his hard iron cot.

The jurors required more than 12 hours to reach their verdict. Two of the women were said to have held out for a recommendation of mercy which would have resulted in a life sentence for the man accused of the murder of the Lindbergh baby, but there was no mention of mercy when the verdict was

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT eked out a close victory in the senate appropriations committee, when the amendment to cut \$2,000,000,000 off the administration's \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill was defeated by the close vote of 12 to 11. Administration forces scored another victory by the adoption of a compromise amendment to the proposal of Senator Pat McCarran for the payment of prevailing wages on all federal projects. Witnesses testified that McCarran's amendment would have increased the cost of putting 3,500,000 men to work by more than \$2,000,000,000 and would have defeat-

ed the purpose of the bill. McCarran did not press his amendment in committee when a substitute was offered, but insists that he will do so on the senate floor. The fight the American Federation of Labor is making on this point is expected to have

DRESIDENT ROOSEVELT extended of senators, who fear the wrath of their labor constituents.

The substitute, proposed by Senator Richard B. Russell, and adopted by a vote of 14 to 9, provides that the President shall establish the prevailing rates of pay whenever an investigation discloses that the federal wages of \$50 a month are affecting adversely the rates on work of a similar nature. The matter is entirely up to the President, however, and he can take ary action or withhold any investigation, just as he sees fit, which may mean much or nothing.

PREMIER MUSSOLINI found Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia is a man not easily frightened. Il Duce's demands for indemnities for Italian colonials killed on the borders of Italian Somaliland were politely, but firmly, refused. The Ethlopians, undismayed by the vast preparations Italy has been making, declared they would fight to their last drop of blood to preserve their independence, that they would not apologize or make reparations for what they maintain is merely defense of their own country. This puts Mussolini in an embarrassing position. He must either send an expeditionary force against the Ethioplans, or back down after mobilizing troops, and that would be a bitter pill for the Italian dictator to swallow.

CHANCELLOR HITLER emerged from his hermit-like seclusion with a number of counter-proposals which he offered in reply to the Franco-Brit-

ish proposals. Der Fuehrer, a government spokesman stated, would definitely refuse to join any pact guaranteeing Austria's independence unless "the will of the Austrian people is first consulted" by means of a plebiscite to determine whether that nation desires an

Hitler

"anschluss" (union) with the German reich. Hitler will also follow Poland's stand, and will have nothing to do with the French-sponsored eastern securities tual assistance," although he is willing to join an air pact provided it allows Germany an air force equal to Soviet Russia's. Hitler seems particularly anxlous to avoid any agreement which would bind Germany to Russia and perhaps result in aiding Russia in event of war between that country and

From the tone of Hitler's demands, he evidently did not entirely believe that France and Great Britain were not preparing some trap for him. The Hitler reply demands that Germany must be given absolute equality of armaments before anything else can be discussed, and that Germany will negotiate an air pact if her relations with Soviet Russia are considered, and if England, France, Belgium and Italy agree to consult each other before any action is taken. He also insists that the general question of disarmament is allied with the air pact and must be settled at the same time.

When notified that Der Reichfuehrer would make reservations, official British sources indicated that Germany must either accept or reject the agreement in its entirety, and stated partial acceptance would not be agreeable to Great Britain. All of which may be true, or it may be just the old horsetrading spirit which seems to break out in the best diplomatic circles.

DISPATCHES from Bolivia, which must be taken with several grains of salt, indicate that the Bolivians are meeting with success in defending Villa Montes, their last important stronghold in the disputed Gran Cnaco, and that the scissors-like offensive of General Estigarribia, Paraguayan commander in chief, is seriously menaced. It was reported the Bolivians, struggling desperately to relieve the pressure on Villa Montes, had defeated the Paraguayans in the Nancorainza sector "after three days of bitter fighting." This offensive, it was thought, might force Estigarribla's northern wing to

FRANCIS BIDDLE and his national labor relations board took a hand in the controversy between the administration and the American Federation of Labor by offering a suggestion that section 7-A of the recovery act "should be clarified." William Green and his fellow leaders of the federation have long contended that the clause, guaranteeing employees rights to bargain collectively, should be enlarged to specify that the majority of employees should have the right to choose the spokesmen for all employees, and that company unions should be barred. The national labor board, which submitted a report of its first six months' work, defended the majority rule at length. As is well known, the administration desires section 7-A continued unchanged in the new NRA law which is considerable influence with a number | in the process of making.

WITH the full approval of the administration, the army and navy 'REFORM' MANIA are to receive \$40,000,000 to carry out OF GREAT CZAR a program of national defense which will consist mainly of improved strong-

Empire of Russia Made Over cific. The money, which will be shared by Peter.

Czar Peter the Great, of Russia, in will go for shipyards, dry docks and the Eighteenth century, set one of bases on the Pacific coast, at Pearl harthe best patterns in all history. Henbor, Hawaii, and at Coco Solo, Canal drick Van Loon, the historian, says: Zone, which is a submarine base. "It is not easy to give a list of the Nearly \$11,000,000 of the army's share is to be used in beginning the

construction of a great air base in difficult to keep count of them. Peter seemed to feel that everything money in the Pacific was said to have that had ever happened before was been influenced by the fact that the entirely wrong. The whole of Russia therefore must be changed' withwaters during much of the past two in the shortest possible time. The years. Navy officials stressed before old system of government had been the naval committee, that facilities on abolished over night. The duma or convention of nobles had been dis-Japan is supposed not to be alarmed missed and in its stead the czar had by this program, congressional leaders surrounded himself with an advisory having given public and careful assurboard of state officials called the senance that no "offense" is intended and ate. Russia was divided into eight that such propositions as the Hawaii large provinces. Roads were con air base would have been put forward structed. Towns were built. Induseven if Japan had not denounced the tries were created wherever it pleased the czar. Canals were dug and mines were opened in the mounmand with the military committee of tains of the East. In this land of the house these plans for defense were Illiterates, schools were founded. threshed out thoroughly. Gen. Douglas Dutch naval engineers and trades-MacArthur, chief of staff, recommendmen and artisans from all over the ed to the committee the purchase of world were encouraged to move to 800 new armored and equipped air-Russia. Printing shops were estabplanes at a cost of \$90,000,000 to give lished, but all books must be first the army the aerial armada of 2,320 read by the imperial censors. The modern aircraft recommended by the duties of each class of society were Baker aviation committee. These adcarefully written down in a new law ditional aircraft are necessary, Macand the entire system of civil and Arthur said in a memorandum, to excriminal laws was gathered into a sepand the new general headquarters air ries of printed volumes. The old force to give it 900 fighting units, for Russian costumes were abolished, its Pacific, Atlantic and central diand policemen, armed with scissors, watching all the country roads, Soon after this meeting the comchanged the long-haired Russians manders of these three divisions were suddenly into a pleasing imitation of announced by Brig. Gen. Frank M. Anthe smooth-shaven west-Europeans. While the czar was away from home Lieut. Col. H. H. Arnold, March field, a sudden rebellion sprang up. The Calif, was named commander of the ezar appointed himself executionerfirst (Pacific) wing with the rank of in-chief and the rebels were hanged brigadier general. Lieut. Col. H. C. and quartered and killed to the last Pratt, former assistant chief of air man. Sister Sophia, who had been corps, was named commander of the head of the rebellion, was locked up second (Atlantic) wing at Langley field. in a cloister. When Czar Peter was Va., with the rank of brigadier general. away on a second trip, to increase Liuet, Cot, Gerald C. Brant will comhis knowledge of the outside world, mand the third (central) wing, Fort there was another rebellion. This Crockett, Texas, with the rank of coltime the reactionaries followed the leadership of Peter's half-witted son Alexis. Alexis was beaten to death WHETHER he desires it, President Roosevelt will have to face an in his prison cell and the friends of this rebellion were marched thouearly test of his strength against that sands of dreary miles to their final of bonus payment advocates, if presdestination in the Siberian lead ent signs are read cormines. After that no further outrectly. Although bonus breaks of popular discontent took

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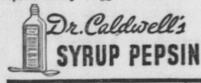
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sound principles and deserves to be upheld," the organization added. NINE old gentlemen of vast dignity, comprising the United States Supreme court, conferred together for five hours Saturday. Then, through Clerk Charles C. Cropley, Chief Justice Hughes announced that there would be no decisions handed down on the following Monday. Nothing was said about the rest of the week, but it was assumed the ruling on the gold clause cases would not be handed down before February 18. It was thought by the well informed that the delay was

dissenters were preparing their views. Meanwhile anxiety over the matter. at least in government circles, was growing less daily. Attorney General Cummings spent two hours with President Roosevelt going over the plans which have been drawn up for immediate action in the event that the decision goes against the government.

due to the slowness with which the

R OME and Tokyo were the chiet bidders for the 1940 Olympic games, and it now appears that the Japanese capital is likely to be the winner. Count Soyeshima, representative of the Japanese Olympic committee, had an interview with Premier Mussolini in Rome and talked him into a swap by which Japan will use its influence to obtain the 1944 games for Rome. The count said that at first Il Duce was not inclined to agree to the shift but softened under the plea the Olympics would mean much to Japan's celebration of the three thousand sixhundredth anniversary of the founding of the empire,

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