

U. S. JOINS LEAGUE CONDEMNING JAPAN

IL DUCE URGED TO SPEED REPLY TO NOTE

STILL STUDIES ANGLLO-FRENCH PROPOSAL

Early Answer To Conference Proposal Requested As Aid To Franco Continues.

PARIS, Oct. 6—(CP-Havas)—The Paris press today gave much space to unconfirmed London reports that Foreign Minister Delbos would go to London in the event Italy rejects the Anglo-French bid to join in tripartite talks on the Spanish volunteers question.

STUDY PROPOSAL

ROME, Oct. 6—(AP)—Government officials, still studying Italy's reply to the Franco-British note asking re-examination of the entire Spanish non-intervention question, said they did not expect the answer would be ready tonight.

Diplomatic circles here were strident, meanwhile, by the potentialities of President Roosevelt's comments on world affairs.

There was considerable speculation in Fascist circles over whether the President, in announcing more active American cooperation in the cause of world peace, was planning an international conference to halt "international anarchy and instability" and if his strength was great enough to obtain a positive

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COMING EVENTS

Buying live hogs Albany Thursday 7th, Emerald 8th, until noon. G. C. Green. L-20-65-W-1-t-w-t-f.

Bingo and Dance in C. M. B. A. Hall, Vernon River, Friday, Oct. 8th. L-27-10-6-21.

Reserve October 20th for Chicken Supper in New Glasgow Hall. L-382-10-7-11.

Whist and Dance Fortune Hall Friday, October 8th, Clifford's Music. L-359-10-7-21.

Haymakers dance, Websters Corner Friday, Transfer leaves Sunnyside 8 o'clock. L-351-10-6-31.

Meet your friends at the play "Hired Husbands", Kingston Hall tonight. L-389.

Dance at Bradalbane Hall Friday, October 8th. Music from Charlottetown. L-384-10-7-11.

Dance at Covehead School change to Friday, October 8th. Admission 25 cents. L-356-10-7-11.

Fair—Louis Fight Pictures Monday Saturday, Elmira Monday. L-342-10-6-31.

Supper and dance in Vernon Hall Monday, October 11th. L-343-10-6-31.

Protestant Orphanage Run-ways Sale, old Telephone Building, Thursday morning 10 o'clock. L-366-10-7-11.

See Hal LeRoy King and his Cowboy Entertainers in French River Hall, Oct. 6th; Freetown, Oct. 7th. L-355-10-6-21.

Valleyfield Women's Institute Dance on Monday, October 11th. Webster's Orchestra. Refreshments served. L-37-10-7-11.

Box Social, Dance, Morell Rear School, Friday, October 15th. Couples not securing boxes admission 25 cents each. L-372-101-7-11.

Buying live poultry every Tuesday and Wednesday. Store open evenings till 7:30. Saturdays 9:30. Matthew & McLean Ltd., Bridge Street. L-364-10-7-21.

Hepburn Gov't. Is Given Second Term In Ontario

Conservatives Increase Following In House — Rowe Defeated Along With Two Liberal Cabinet Ministers.

(By The Canadian Press)

TORONTO, Oct. 6—Rolling up a majority only a little short of the record high obtained in 1934, the Liberal Party won a decisive victory in today's general election.

At midnight (1 a.m. AST) the party standing was Liberals, 62; Conservatives, 21; Liberal-Progressives, 2; Independent Liberal, 1; U.F.O., 1. Liberals were leading in two of the three remaining seats and the Conservatives in the third.

Premier Mitchell Hepburn and the Government formed three and a half years ago thus secured another term of office and an endorsement of the electors on his labor, hydro and financial policies.

In the new legislature he will face a stronger Conservative opposition although his rival for the Premier's chair, Hon. Earl Rowe failed to secure a seat.

He had the satisfaction, however, of seeing his party increase its voting strength in the legislature from 17 to more than 20.

Two cabinet ministers tasted defeat along with Mr. Rowe. They were Hon. Duncan Marshall in Peel and Hon. J. A. Faulkner in Hastings West.

All the other cabinet ministers, Mr. Hepburn in Elgin, Mr. Simpson in Simcoe Centre, Hon. Paul Leduc, minister of mines in Ottawa East, Hon. Harry Nixon, provincial secretary in Brant, Hon. Peter Heenan, minister of lands and forests, in Kenora, and Hon. T. B. McQueen, minister of highways, in Hamilton-Wentworth, were re-elected.

George S. Henry, former Conservative Premier, retained his seat for York East and appeared a sure of another term as leader of the opposition unless a seat is

found for the new party leader.

Mr. Henry headed the Conservatives when they were ousted from office in 1934 and after the election resigned as party leader but continued as house leader.

Mr. Rowe was chosen leader of the party at a convention. Sharing defeat with the leader was George Drew, his chief rival at the convention. Col. Drew contested Wellington South as an Independent Conservative after breaking with Mr. Rowe over the latter's stand on labor organizations.

One of the major issues of the election was Premier Hepburn's attitude towards the Committee for Industrial Organization, headed by John L. Lewis. When the United Automobile Workers, a union affiliated with the C. I. O., called a strike in Oshawa Mr. Hepburn took a strong stand against what he termed the lawless methods of the organization.

Gordon Conant, the Liberal candidate, was elected in Ontario County which includes the city of Oshawa. At the same time the two Ministers who broke with the Premier over his stand on the Oshawa strike were re-elected as Liberals. They were Arthur Roebuck in Toronto-Bellwoods and David Croll in Windsor-Walkerville.

Comparatively few close decisions were won in today's voting. In many cases both Conservative and Liberal members of the last House were returned with increased majorities. The Premier himself won his 1934 majority of 2,700 to 5,000.

A notable exception to the general rule was York East where ex-Premier Henry's election was in doubt to the last minute. Even then Mr. Henry's majority was so small a recount appeared likely.

STALEMATE IN FIGHTING AT SHANGHAI

Former Chinese Ambassador to Washington Pleads For Boycott Of Japan.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

PEKING, Oct. 6—(Thursday)—Chinese troops dug in today along the Peiping-Hankow railway in anticipation of a Japanese drive. Resolved to stem the Nipponese tide, the Chinese were reported to have thrown all their available resources into this area for the approaching battle.

In the event they are forced to retreat, they will take up strongly-fortified positions along the Yellow River. The Chinese forces have been pushed backward 100 miles and now are in Shantung Province between the Hopeh border and the Yellow River.

Chinese hopes were partially revived when General Han Fu-Chu, Shantung warlord, whose stand in the Sino-Japanese conflict had been doubtful, cast in his lot with General Chiang Kai-Shek and dispatched a brigade of picked troops to the aid of the retreating North China troops, Chinese sources declared.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) SHANGHAI, Oct. 7—(Thursday)—Chinese forces took the offensive in a sharp counter-attack today, the 10th day in the present battle for Shanghai.

The Chinese surged from their entrenchments all along the front from the ruined Chapel native quarter on the edge of the International Settlement north almost the whole 25 miles to Lotien.

The fighting however, remained at a stalemate. Japan again struck from the air in a series of raids on cities in central and south China. None of the air attacks achieved major damage Chinese officials declared.

Chinese sources at Canton, southern port, said 66 Japanese planes participated in raids over a large area of Kwantung Province, on the south China coast.

Dr. Alfred Sze, former Chinese Ambassador to Washington, pleaded for an American boycott of Japan to bolster China's defences.

"If you boycott Japan," Dr. Sze said in a broadcast to the United States, "you will have contributed to the greatest single step of progress in history."

"You will usher in a new era of reason, fair play and world justice will triumph when the private individual shows he can prevent aggression of governments and military cliques which run

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QUEBEC, Oct. 6—(CP)—Brought back to civilization aboard the Canadian Government Ice-Breaker N. B. McLean from three isolated wireless stations on Hudson Strait, seven operators started today for their homes in the Maritime Provinces.

All were aboard the Ice-Breaker when it docked here early yesterday at King's wharf, completing its eighth season on the summer ice patrol of the far-northern shipping route. Since it started out in July from Quebec, the vessel covered more than 7,000 miles.

Three of the Maritimers—Dick Vaughan, Halifax; Art Walker, Halifax; and Frank Richards, Canso, N. S.—had been on duty July 24 last in a suburban field. Mr. Justice Wilfred Lazure sentenced Benoit to be hanged Jan. 14.

The jury returned the guilty verdict after more than 2 1/4 hours deliberation. When Benoit, handcuffed and surrounded by five guards, was brought in to hear the verdict, his face was flushed and he kept biting his lips.

"The real guilty party," he said in a choking voice, "is Lionel Gauthier."

Gauthier is co-accused with Benoit and will be tried Oct. 12. He testified for the Crown against the convicted man.

Two Ships Officers Killed In Blast

NEW YORK, Oct. 6—(AP)—Trapped in an inferno of live steam, two ship's officers were killed and six others were badly scalded today when the six-inch main valve on the Clyde Mallory liner Brazos exploded.

The blast occurred during a federal inspection of the ship.

LABOR ADOPTS WIDE PROGRAM OF REFORM

British Labor Party Stresses Nationalization And Government Control In Platform.

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

BOURNEMOUTH, Hampshire, Oct. 6—As leaders declared the party is "out to make a new society," the Labor party today adopted a broad program of nationalization and government control as the immediate aims of its policy.

The platform, adopted unanimously by the Labor party conference, called for: nationalization of the Bank of England and of land, while at the same time retaining individual ownership of homes; control of investments through a national investment board, and control of transport services, coal mines and electric power.

More generally the resolution declared the party's aims were a Socialist commonwealth, peace and a maintenance of democracy. It advocated large schemes of public works and no return to a gold standard.

"We are not out for patchwork reform," said Clement Attlee, party leader in the House of Commons, announcing the program. "We are out to make a new society. The present system puts rent, interest and profit before human life. A Socialist government will reverse that policy."

The party's policies had been thus clearly defined, he said, so that "if we have got to take power, we shall be able to deliver the goods at once." He added a Labor government would plan for the country as an economic whole, taking over such control as was necessary.

"Success in this task," Mr. Attlee declared, "will send the dictators back on the road to democracy." Approving the program, Lord Selsby said he believed it could be accomplished in the lifetime of a single parliament. He counselled the party, however, to refrain from obstructive tactics while in opposition.

Herbert Morrison, party leader in the London County Council declared it was not impossible for Labor to win a majority at the next election and claimed the party "has the largest political membership of any political party in the world."

Earlier seven members were elected to the National Executive Committee as representatives of the constituency Labor parties. They included Sir Stafford Cripp, who was criticized in earlier sessions for his advocacy of a "people's front" to unite the Labor and Communist parties.

Sir Stafford, who heads the Socialist League, yesterday announced he would abandon the plan for the present following two overwhelming votes by the conference against it. He resigned the presidency of the party's constitutional committee on the grounds it should be filled by someone who "will be less of an embarrassment to you."

Aberhart Is Called Upon To Resign

CALGARY, Oct. 6—(CP)—The Social Credit Government of Premier William Aberhart was called upon to resign today in a statement issued by the People's League of Alberta.

The statement declared action of the Lieutenant-Governor in refusing assent to Social Credit legislation would "indicate the Government no longer has his confidence and should resign." The tradition of British constitutional procedure, undoubtedly calls for the resignation of his ministers.

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Dominion Cabinet In Session Today

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Oct. 6—Prime Minister Mackenzie King has called a meeting of Cabinet Council for tomorrow afternoon but it is not anticipated he will have, by that time, text of the Alberta Legislation from which Lieut. Gov. J. C. Bowen withheld his assent yesterday.

It is quite possible, however, the meeting will deal with the three acts in question since their contents are already well-known to the government and recommendations as to their disposal could be prepared for the Governor-General in advance.

Of the three pieces of legislation, passed at Monday's session of the Legislature, two respecting banks are of a similar nature to those already disallowed by the Dominion Government. The third measure, dealing with the publication of news, is new. Lieut. Gov. Bowen delayed assent pending advice from the Governor-General.



Victorious PREMIER HEPBURN

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Oct. 6—Five more years of "Industrial peace" was promised the Province of Ontario tonight by Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn as he viewed the sweeping return to power of his Liberal Government in today's general election.

"The people of Ontario may rest assured they will have another five years of industrial peace," he stated, in the midst of a buoyant celebration in his home town constituency here.

"Ontario has given endorsement to the first jurisdiction that had enough courage openly to defy and resist the threatened C. I. O. (Committee for Industrial Organization) invasion," he said.

Party Standings

TORONTO, Oct. 7—(Thursday)—The Canadian Press reports the final party standing in the Ontario election:

- Liberal 63.
- Conservative 23.
- Lib-Prog 2.
- Ind-Lib 1.
- UFO 1.
- Total 90.

GAINS SUMMARY

TORONTO, Oct. 6—Following is the complete Canadian Press list of party gains:

- Conservative gains—9.
- From Liberal: Dufferin-Simcoe, Fort William, Hastings West, Leeds, Peel, Prince Edward-Rendel, Simcoe East, Toronto Riverdale, Victoria.
- Liberal gains—4.
- From Conservative: Peterborough, Toronto Bracondale, Toronto St. David.
- From C.C.F.: Hamilton East.

Find Torpedo Near Scene Of Attack

VALENCIA, Oct. 6—(CP Havas)—The Spanish Defence Ministry tonight announced a torpedo "similar in type to those carried by Italian submarines" was found near the spot where the British Destroyer Basilisk was reported attacked off the Spanish Mediterranean coast last Monday.

The communiqué stated the torpedo was 52 metres long and 45 metres in diameter. (A metre is equal to 3.28 feet.) The communiqué added that eight Italian submarines of the Bernardini type carry torpedoes of similar dimensions.

Seek University Men For Army

TORONTO, Oct. 6—(CP)—The War Office in London, England is seeking university men for enlistment in the various military services, with permanent commissions available to all such, according to a notice posted today at the University of Toronto.

Earl Rowe Sends Congratulations

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) ST. THOMAS, Ont., Oct. 6—From his farm home at Newton Robinson, Hon. Earl Rowe, defeated Conservative leader, tonight telegraphed Premier Hepburn, victorious in today's Ontario general election.

"Heartiest congratulations on your great victory at the polls today," "That was a sporting thing for him to do," said the Premier.

Powers Plan To Take Action In Far Eastern War

Invitations Issued To Adherents Of Nine - Power Treaty To A Conference On Sino-Japanese Conflict.

GENEVA, Oct. 6—(CP)—The League of Nations Assembly tonight formally condemned Japan for her invasion of China, voted "moral support" to China in the present conflict and issued invitations to its member states who are adherents to the Nine-Power Treaty to a conference on the Far Eastern situation.

Canada, which refrained from voting yesterday when the Far Eastern Advisory Committee of 23 nations agreed to submit to the Assembly a resolution advocating these moves, was among the approving governments tonight.

Senator Raoul Dandurand, representing the Dominion, explained yesterday he withheld his vote as he had not then received adequate instructions from Ottawa. His affirmative ballot this evening presumably was the result of communication with his government.

The Assembly adopted reports condemning Japan for invading China and agreed to urge its members to consider how far they could go toward giving China individual aid, and to refrain from any action injurious to China's power of resistance.

UNANIMOUS VOTE

The Assembly vote was unanimous, with Poland and Siam abstaining. Under League practice, nations not voting are considered absent. Promptly upon passage of the resolution invitations were issued by the Aga Khan, assembly chairman, to the conference.

Canada, which adhered to the treaty through signature of Sir Robert Borden, former prime minister, was among the group invited. The others were Great Britain, France, Italy, China, Portugal, the Netherlands, the Union of South Africa, Australia, Belgium, India and New Zealand.

The original signatories to the treaty, negotiated in Washington in 1922, were Britain, France, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal, Belgium, the United States and Japan.

As the United States and Japan are not League members, invitations to those countries to join in the conference will be made under a joint invitation to be sent by the League states invited. League circles did not believe Japan would accept.

It was believed the group also would invite the Soviet Union to take part in the conference. The Nine-Power Pact formally declared the integrity of China from foreign aggression.

Assembly Adjourns

After adoption of the resolution the Assembly adjourned indefinitely but announced it would hold itself in momentary readiness to review such decisions as the conference may make.

League circles hoped deliberations would open within two weeks. Participating powers will draw up proposals which will be submitted to the Assembly through its far eastern advisory committee. The advisory committee will meet within a month.

Some suggested the conference

Try Salada Orange Pekoe Blend

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United States Collaborates With League

(A.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) WASHINGTON, Oct. 6—The United States government formally condemned Japan tonight as a treaty violator in China, thus throwing its full moral support behind efforts of the League of Nations to halt the Far Eastern conflict.

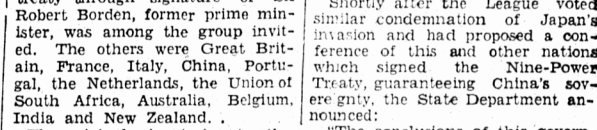
Shortly after the League voted similar condemnation of Japan's invasion and had proposed a conference of this and other nations which signed the Nine-Power Treaty, guaranteeing China's sovereignty, the State Department announced:

"The conclusions of this government with respect to the foregoing (alleged treaty violations) are in general accord with those of the assembly of the League of Nations."

Closely following President Roosevelt's appeal at Chicago yesterday for concerted international action to restore world peace, the department's statement accused Japan of violating the Nine-Power Treaty.

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EGGS ARE THE HENS' BUY PRODUCT



(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Oct. 6—Minimum and maximum temperatures:—

Dawson	44	49
Victoria	44	60
Edmonton	22	54
Regina	36	41
Winnipeg	36	46
Toronto	61	78
Ottawa	62	72
Montreal	62	78
Quebec	68	78
St. John	52	64
Halifax	52	66
Charlottetown	54	69

FORECAST
Maritime Provinces: fresh to strong southwest winds; mostly cloudy and moderately warm with occasional showers, followed by westerly winds and cooler by Friday.

High tide this afternoon at 12:40 and tomorrow morning at 12:14. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:31 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:06.

First quarter moon Tuesday, Oct. 12, 10:47 a. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY
Toronto to Charlottetown 9:45 a. m., 1 p. m., 5 p. m.
Charlottetown to Toronto 11 a. m., 2:55 p. m., 5:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m., leave Tormentine