Russia Names a High Price, but Bargaining May Now Bring Treaty

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More About Devaluation In France

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By Associated Press
The Cabinet of Premier Salih Bey
Al Jabur of Iraq resigned last night
after 24 hours of rioting in which
70 persons were reported killed and
more than 300 wounded.
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of Salih Bey's fight for ratification.

The resignation signified collapse of Salih Bey's fight for ratification of the British-Iraqi treaty of friendship and mutual military aid he signed in London 12 days ago.
London officials said the defeat was a major blow to the British plan for sealing off Communism in the Middle East.
They pointed out that Foreign Secretary Bevin had termed the treaty a "model" on which he hoped to base a series of alliances with Middle Eastern states. An effective

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best mechanized forces recently landed in Southern Manchuria and now is swinging north rapidly. This force has been assigned the objectives of clearing the Peiping Mukden railway of Communists and recapturing Sinlitun, key branch railway city 70 miles west of Mukden and recently for the second s

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LONDON, Jan. 27 (UP)Britain

opposition to Premier Scshumar

British-Arab security system would be set up by the alliances.

It was expected generally that British representatives would work behind the scenes in Iraq to find and support a new Premier willing to labor to have the disputed alliance accepted by the people.

OTHER NATIONS

Trans-Jordan officials now are in London discussing such a treaty. Saudi Arabian officials have agreed to begin treaty talks in London later this month. And Britain had hoped to resume talks for resuming the ruptured British-Egyptian treaty revision.

All were to provide close collaboration with Britain for defense of the Middle East.

Meanwhile, it was stated authoritatively Britain would regard the 25-year British-Iraqi treaty, signed in 1931, as valid until replaced by one mutually acceptable.

Surface erupted again Monday light of a find and announced he would remain in office and fight for treaty registred and an announced he would remain in office and fight for treaty tentification.

The treaty would give Britain the right to send troops into Iraq in registration.

British rights to occupy two air fields in Iraq would be surrendered, by the British planes could use the fields. The treaty called also for continued training and equipping of the Iraq army by the British.

Demonstrators who had previously denounced the pact as "written in ink and repudiated in blood" surged into the streets of the capital.

Armed with sticks and stones and a few firearms, they battled with police.

The rioting spread to other cities in Iraq. A number of government buildings were set fire and one British building was wrecked. honorary co-chairmen, and Mrs. C. E. Rugh, secretary; Mrs. Emily Stone, Dr. W. C. Blasdale, Dr. G. D. Bonno and Dr. R. K. Cutter.

Griswold, Staff May Quit the Greek Aid Mission

Funds for Needy

Foreign Children

A school children's crusade to col-

Berkeley yesterday under the chairmanship of Fred W. Starratt. Although the Berkeley goal is only

epresent an international com-nunity chest sponsoring the activity of 30 overseas agencies dedicated to eeding and clothing of the suf-

eventually raise \$60,000,000.

In Manchuria

Meanwhile, Griswolyd said a

nations as well as in Soviet Russia.

In the Polish pact Russia under takes to ship an additional 200,00 tons of grain to Poland. This will bring to 500,000 tons the grain promised Poland in recent months.

The \$1,000,000,000 trade volum would be a considerable increase over the present level, itself martimes prewar Soviet-Polish trade.

Russia is to send ores, oil, cotton automobiles.

Yugoslavs Deny **Death Sentence** Of U.S. Woman

Uranium Deposits

Soviet Curb U.S. Ships in On Foreign Contacts

DAMASCUS, Syria, Jan. 27 (AP

Jewish Agency Calls on U. N. to Halt Aggression

Palestine to Be Searched

sh authorities tonight ordered all American ships bound for Jewish Tel Aviv to dock instead at Haifa, where they can be searched for contraband war material.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (P)— deputies would meet in the British capital "within a couple of weeks" that Russia may be willing to sign to start talking.

The question of defining German get out of there.

statute, subjects violators to punishment under the criminal code.

The purpose of the new law, said the decree, is to introduce a uniform system in relations between Soviet institutions and their officials with those of foreign states.

Exceptions may take place only with specific legal authority under an international treaty or with special permission of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Russ-Polish Pact Hailed as Reply to Marshall Plan

MOSCOW, Jan. 27 (P)—The new Russian-Polish trade treay allowing the Poles to buy \$450,000,000 worth

sest ever extended to any country by the Soviet Union. The pact providing for the exchange of more than Arms from Czechoslovakia

Reliable sources said today arabs in Palestine were being equipped with munitions obtained from Czecho-

the union with the new federation, restoring to the rulers of the Malay states many of their prewar powers. The agreement was signed January 21 at Kuala Lumpur. Malcolm MacDonald, retiring governor general of Malaya, had an audience today with the King.

India Talks on Kashmir End: No Accord

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (P)-Direct over fighting in Kashmir ended to-night without agreement.

Fernand Van Langenhove of Bel-gium, president of the United Na-tions Security Council, will report to the council tomorrow.

The council directed the two pay

Commissioner of

Malayan Union

Both Pakistan and India sub-mitted proposals, but were unable to close the gap separating them Informed quarters said the two countries offered basically the same

India Accuses Moslems of Slaying 130 in Pakistan

NEW DELHI, Jan. 27 (P)—India charged today Moslem tribesmen had killed 130 non-Moslem refugees at Parachinar, in Pakistan's north-

Setback to British Military Pact

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Crisis in Iraq

Cabinet Quits After New Rioting;

The port director's blanket order came after British officials directed a 4900-ton American ship already anchored at Tel Aviv to sail to Haife for inspection.

But the offer the Russians have made may mean the United States will have to put up at least \$100, 000,000 to get them out.

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vith a proposal. She asks:

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might come out of the resulting output. It also was pointed out here that the Austrian talks could drag on for spokesman said of the Soviet move: months if the Russians relate them "There is something positive and concrete to talk about." Authoritative London sources said Big Four many. Big Four agreement on Germany is nowhere in sight.

U. S. Produced 16,023 Light Planes in 1947

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (A) -The Aircraft Industries Association in 1946, but nearly one and one-half times as many as in 1941, the best prewar year.

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