

**RUSSIAN RED TRY
NEW STUNT IN U. S.**

**Attempting to Gain Influence
of Some Newspapers To
Undermine Govt.**

During the past two years the Russian Soviet government has been seeking to secure recognition from the United States by holding out tempting bait in the way of profitable trade. Much of this propaganda work was cleverly executed, but some of it was overdone. The statements of the prospective business were absurd and they did not get anywhere. It now begins to be evident that this plan of securing recognition by trade bait is going to prove unsuccessful. So the report comes from Russia that a new method is to be tried.

The new scheme is to work through American newspapers, through any of our newspapers in fact which can be made to fall for the plan. The plan is to offer contracts financed by the soviet government, working through third parties, to American newspapers to make surveys of the "great trade possibilities" in Russia. The newspapers will be invited to send special representatives to Russia and to print from time to time stories coming out of Russia of these "great possibilities" and the advisability of our recognizing soviet Russia.

Of course the first thing to do will be to "catch" the newspapers, and this may not be a "soft" task as it is usually not easy to "fake in" the American press.

The recognition of Russia by Great Britain and other European governments has not proved an unmixed blessing. Since that recognition came about there has been an increase of communist propaganda in those countries, and the red flag is now flying in several places in England.

As the New York Commercial puts it:

"This attempt to win recognition for soviet Russia should get no further than those that have gone before. Until the people of Russia take possession of their government, re-establish the private property rights, recognize the right of individual contract, show a disposition to pay their debts, and stop their everlasting propaganda the world over against other governments, it would be an act of sheer insanity to give them any encouragement."

The three-cornered Republican senatorial fight in Pennsylvania would be much enjoyed by the Democrats, except for the fact that there aren't any Democrats there.

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The British are "fearful that they may have a coal strike about May 1." Why don't they get Governor Pinchot to settle it for them?

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**IMPRISONED FOR
AIDING AMERICANS**

Oliver Baldwin, son of the British Prime Minister, has just given for the first time an account of his long imprisonment in Russian Armenia, where he was assisting the work of the American Near East Relief.

Mr. Baldwin went to Armenia as a volunteer worker in 1920. Shortly after his arrival, a soviet revolution threatened to wipe out the huge orphanage work of the Near East Relief. Only a week later he was arrested, the charge being that he had criticized the new government for seizing milk sent by Americans to the starving refugee children.

For many weeks, in spite of the efforts of American relief officials, Baldwin endured the cold, hunger, filth and unspokeable cruelty of soviet guards. Then the flagging spirits of the peasants revived and the soviet government toppled. Baldwin was advised by the Americans that this uprising would be short-lived, and he left promptly, intending to make his way across Turkey to Central Europe. The Turks objected, however, and again he went to prison, there to languish for several months before his release was finally obtained.

**NATIONS MEET TO
STUDY THE PAST**

An archeological congress dealing with the antiquities of Bible lands is to be held this month in Jerusalem, Beirut and Damascus, under the patronage of the learned societies of several nations. Visits will be made to the chief excavations and historic cities in Syria and Palestine. The delegates will be the guests of the Near East Relief at the ancient cities of Sidon and Jebel. The subjects to be studied include nothing more recent than 2000 years ago.

Did you know that American pioneers sewed pigs' eyes shut to keep them under control while driving them through the country?

**NASH MOTORS SHOW
BIG BUSINESS GAIN**

**First Quarter of 1926 Marked
By Notable Growth In
Sales, Report**

The Nash Motors company recently reported that for the first quarter of its 1926 fiscal year, covering the three months ending February 28, 1926, after deducting expenses of manufacturing, including depreciation, selling, and administration, and providing for local taxes, and state and federal income taxes, the net consolidated income for the Nash Motors company and its subsidiary, the Ajax Motors company, amounted to \$4,137,508.16, as compared to \$3,099,292.92 for the same period a year ago.

In commenting on the condition of the Nash and Ajax companies and the business outlook, President C. W. Nash, said, "We regard the earning record of the initial quarter as very satisfactory although it is a fact that we were unable to manufacture all the cars for which we had orders due to changes made in design and certain physical rearrangements in the plants."


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