

THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, March 8.—The first real Presidential boom for 1940 has been launched here with the reception and banquet to Paul V. McNutt, High Commissioner to the Philippine Islands...

What especially interests Washington is that no sign of opposition to the McNutt boom has come from the White House or the Democratic National Committee...

Gov. McNutt's supporters call him "the first New Deal governor" and declare that he will withdraw from the race if Mr. Roosevelt should decide that he wants to run again...

European affairs have taken the Japanese situation out of the limelight of political interests, at least for the moment. It is no secret that the shift of England's foreign policy from one of almost defiance to one of conciliation and compromise has relieved the State Department of a considerable amount of worry...

The English reversal of policy, moreover, has gone far to set at rest the notion that any alliance with England could be counted upon. It is held here, that Britain will always act for British interests first, and calmly disregard the interests of other nations, however friendly.

Another phase of the European mess, however, is causing considerable concern; that is the growth of Fascism in Europe with the imminent possibility that the Fascist trend already noticeable in South America may grow. With German and Italian policies now controlling, or about to control, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Hungary, Roumania and the Balkan States, there will be a powerful block of Fascist governments occupying all of Central and Eastern Europe and capable of putting a powerful drive behind the demand for colonial possessions into which to expand.

The flight of the six American "flying fortresses," U. S. Army bombing planes, to Peru and Argentina is regarded here as a piece of diplomatic strategy designed to tie the South American republics more closely to the United States. It is the State Department's policy to try to build up an All-American united front against Fascism, though there are no official utterances on the subject.

The situation in Brazil still gives some of the State Department officials the jitters. Both German and Italian influences are suspected of being behind the recently proclaimed Fascist form of government in Brazil, while the number of both German and Italian colonists settling in that and some other South American countries is increasing.

Recovery Thru Lending The recent renewal of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation's offer to lend money to businesses in need of funds, is regarded as an evidence that the Administration's policy of spending money for "pump-priming" is shifting toward a policy of helping business recovery by lending. The theory that free spending by the Government results in increased purchasing power, is bitterly opposed by the Treasury, the Federal Housing Administration and the R. F. C. among others.

Opponents of spending say that money distributed in the form of wages for W. P. A. work does not "work up from the bottom" to create pools of capital, which must be created if any great revival in the capital goods industries is to come about. It is in the so-called capital goods industries that the falling off in production and in employment is the greatest. Lending Federal funds to industries to help them expand and to make jobs is now being accepted as the sound method of Government aid to recovery, by many who formerly could see no way out but actual spending.

Plans and Politics There is a sharp opposition from some Administration circles over curtailing relief. W. P. A. wants to keep on spending money, and has strong political backing

To Be Buckley vs. Day?



COLUMBUS . . . Whoever the Democrats nominate for United States Senator, whether Senator Buckley, or an opponent of the New Deal, he will have the opposition of a proved Republican vote-getter, Arthur H. Day (above), Ohio Supreme Court Justice, who has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination. Judge Day is a Cleveland lawyer and World War captain, and was elected to the Ohio Supreme Court Bench in 1934, with the highest percentage of votes cast for any state office.

in Congress from districts which have been benefiting by the influx of Federal funds. The betting now, however, is that there will be no more big spending after the \$259,000,000 just voted for relief has been used up, providing the present "repression" doesn't last beyond midsummer. The end of the filibuster against the anti-lynching bill and the pigeonholing of that measure by the Senate has cleared the way for constructive legislation. One of the important measures on which extended debate is anticipated is the wages-and-hours bill, which good prophets are predicting will be passed in a form which will be acceptable to all sections of the country. The general principle of a 40-hour week and a basic wage of 40 cents an hour is expected to be maintained, with permissible variations for certain classes of industries and sections of the country, based upon statistical analyses of the cost of living and other factors.

FANNIE HECK CIRCLE

Mesdames C. A. Ragland and F. B. Leonard entertained the members of the Fannie Heck circle of the Louisville Baptist Church, Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leonard.

The Royal Service program in charge of Mrs. George Selby was on Europe and was discussed by several members.

Mrs. Haywood White led the devotional with prayer by Mrs. Simons.

Business of various importance was taken up after which Dr. Simons gave several announcements of interest. Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. J. D. Simons, Mrs. F. L. O'Neil, Maria Perry, Edna Mitchiner, Mrs. A. W. Fowler, Mrs. George Selby, Mrs. Robt. Alston, Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Mrs. W. E. White, Mrs. Haywood White, Mrs. Ragland and Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. R. H. Strickland and Dr. Simons.

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THE MILLS HI MERRY-GO-ROUND

Of course it may be a little early yet, but... A kite flew over the campus yesterday, triumphantly, with its tail fluttering gaily in the gentle breeze. A group of youngsters were chattering over a game of marbles. They wore neither jackets nor coats. The birds begin to send their cheery notes through the air. As we hurried on our way to school, we wanted to whistle and sing and look forward to the happy days ahead.

Is it entirely too early for such optimism or shall we resort to believing in the ground hog's behavior? With all this evidence piling up, can there be any doubt left? We think it best to look forward to the good things and maybe our wishful thinking will lead us to no more winter.

Editorial

We members of the Junior Class have an important task before us. That is, improving our class morale.

Since Christmas there have been many incidents which have taken place in and around our class room which are degrading to our class as a whole. Taking the property of others, shooting fireworks indoors, breaking into the room at night—all these are public offenses.

We know that is not the class as a whole which does these things. Therefore, it is our duty to find the offenders and see that they are punished, for it is the entire Junior Class whose reputation is damaged. If we can stop this misbehavior we will be making a real contribution to the good of the school.

Library Club Has Meeting

The Library Club was entertained by Darrel Perry and Shiria Downey last Friday evening at Darrel's home. After a business session the club played games, sang, and danced. Later in the evening guests were served hot chocolate, cake, and candies.

Dr. Yarborough Gives Health Talk In Chapel Tuesday, March first, Dr. R. F. Yarborough gave the boys a health talk.

The girls were given a talk last Friday.

Dr. Yarborough stressed points on physical and mental cleanliness and the importance of disease prevention.

Quarterfinals of Franklin Tourney End in Even-Split For Mills

In one of the fastest, most thrilling games of basketball ever staged in a Franklinton gym.

Twenty Years Ago—And Today



Hitler masses his armies at the Austrian border and the "Cold Anschluss" is seen. In England, 40-year-old Anthony Eden resigns rather than accept Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's policy of bargaining with the Dictators on their own terms.

Mills Hi Girls took their victory over Franklinton at a close range last Monday night to advance to the semifinals Tuesday night in the contest with Epsom. The Franklinton-Mills score was 33-29. Mills Hi and Louisburg wants to congratulate their favorites for the best "fight a team ever fought!"

The same is true of the boys. They were in the game to the end, and we are proud of their fine playing, and especially their floor-work. Their final score gave Franklinton a 25-11 decision. Mills Hi boys play Youngsville in their next bout.

Leonard Perry's essay was selected at Mills Hi for being the best in school. "Social Security as a means of safeguarding the future" is the subject for this year's essays. Other submitter for the essay were May Davis, Francis Edens, Dorothy Person, John L. Harris, Howell Perry, and Leonard Perry.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

On Sunday, Feb. 20th a birthday celebration took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore of Louisburg Route 1. This celebration was in honor of Mrs. Eveline Strickland (Mrs. Moore's mother) who was 80 years of age the 17th of Feb. In spite of her

and Mr. and Mrs. Moore there was a daughter, Mrs. T. A. Moore and family, and a son, Miley Strickland. There are two children who were not present, Mrs. E. S. Moore and Richard Strickland. There were seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren present. There are seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren who were not present. There was also a number of invited guests one of which was Mrs. Sallie Moore, Mr. J. C. Moore's mother. She will be 90 years old in October.

The main feature of the occasion was the dinner which was served picnic style in the yard.

This was greatly enjoyed. It consisted of brunswick stew, boiled ham, sausage, eggs, salads, pickles, pies, cakes, puddings and various other things.

It was a very enjoyable occasion. Every one present wishes Mrs. Strickland a number more birthdays and a birthday dinner with each one.

Two hundred and forty-three Mitchell County farmers have received checks amounting to \$4,539.17 for participation in the 1937 Conservation program.

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