

## Tar Heel Congressmen Will Be Affected In Committee Changes

WASHINGTON—North Carolina legislators, when they return to Washington next January, will scarcely recognize Congress as the place in which they have served in the past.

They will probably see three members of their delegation lose patronage-laden committee chairmanships. Two of the bereft chairmen, however, may find themselves heading totally new committees.

The reason is the LaFollette-McNary reorganization bill, passed in the last flurried days of an election-minded Congress anxious to get home. The result will be the biggest shuffling in Congressional committee lineups in history.

The new law, shuffling Senate committees from 33 to 15 and House committees from 48 to 19, caused probably Washington's biggest surprise of the year when it won passage, despite the fact it laid a heavy hand on coveted committee chairmanships.

The effect of the law apparently will be to deprive Senator Josiah W. Bailey of his chairmanship of the powerful Senate Commerce committee, which handles all rivers and harbors and flood control measures and which he has headed for eight years, but may give him another important chairmanship.

Rep. Graham A. Barden of New Bern will lose chairmanship of the House Education committee, but may become chairman of a newly established committee on House administration.

Rep. Herbert C. Bonner of Washington will return to find that the House committee on Elections of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, of which he is chairman, has been wiped off the map.

Technically, committee chairmen are elected by the members. But

if seniority is not observed in will cause a bigger surprise than that which occurred when Congress handing out the chairmanships, it agreed to the stream-lining measure.

**New Commerce Head**  
Bailey would be outranked on the enlarged Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee only by Senator Alben W. Barkley (D. Ky.). However, if Barkley declined to permit chairmanship of a major committee to interfere with his duties as Senate majority leader, Bailey would win the chairmanship.

Each Senator may serve on two major committees. In addition to the two new ones already named, Bailey would have the choice of Finance and Civil Service.

Senator Clyde R. Hoey could retain his membership in the undisturbed District of Columbia Committee and still hold two other committee seats.

He could probably choose from Agriculture, untouched by the new law, Judiciary, because his seat on the Immigration Committee will be absorbed by that committee, and Interstate and Foreign Commerce if Bailey does not choose that committee.

**Barden Loses**  
Barden's Education chairmanship will go over to Rep. Mary T. Norton (D. N. J.), when her Labor committee is combined with Education to become Education and Labor. As the picture stands now, Barden would be fourth man on the new committee.

But it may work out that he will become chairman of the new committee on House Administration by virtue of his assignment to the tiny Library committee when he came to Congress as a freshman member in 1933.

The committee on House Administration, which will take over the duties of Bonner's committee on elections and supervise all matters pertaining to federal elections, is to be composed of six minor committees.

Because chairmen of the new committees will be chosen not on the basis of seniority in the House but on the basis of seniority in the merged committees, Barden is apparently in line for the chairmanship. He has longer service on the Library committee than any member of the six merged committees except members who are already in line for other attractive chairmanships.

Barden now holds seats on seven committees. If he chooses either House Administration or the committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, he may serve on three committees. Otherwise, he will be limited to two.

In addition to these two, he will probably get a chance to choose between Education and Labor, Civil Service, and an expanded committee on Public Works, set up to handle legislation for highways, rivers, and harbors, and flood con-

## Mrs. R. L. Allen Named As Publicity Chairman State Group

Mrs. Rufus L. Allen has been appointed State publicity chairman of the National League of American Pen Women, Inc. for the state of North Carolina, it was learned here this week.

Mrs. Allen is also a member of the National Federation of Press Women, Inc. The League reports that Mrs. Allen is compiling the memoirs of Colonel Nimrod Beall Edmonston, of Western North Carolina, grandfather of her late husband, Dr. Rufus L. Allen.

## Brazil Plans Honors For Eisenhower

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil—A busy week of receptions faced Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as he and his wife rested after their tumultuous welcome at the Santa Dumont Airport during which they received a 21-gun salute and other honors usually reserved for chiefs of state.

Last Friday the General received from President Dutra the order of Cruzeiro do Sul (Cross of the Sun) for "distinguished service to Brazil."

Later in the week General Eisenhower will visit Army barracks, the General Staff School, the National Military Academy and the Congress. President and Mrs. Dutra will honor him with a banquet.

Included in the Chief of Staff's party are Lieut. Gen. Hoot S. Vandenberg and Maj. Gen. Alexander D. Scales, Howard M. Snyder and Wilton B. Persons.

**Shift Curtains**  
Change the position of your curtains occasionally to equalize the effects of sunlight.

**Bonner, also with seven committee seats now, two of which are abolished outright in the reorganization plan, may choose two of the following: Public Works, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, and Veterans Affairs. In addition, he may serve on either House Administration or on American activities.**

**Doughton Untouched**  
The House Ways and Means committee, in which originates all tax legislation, remains untouched under the new law, and Rep. Robert L. Doughton of Laurel Springs will not lose his chairmanship of the committee.

Committee seats untouched by the reorganization are those held by Representatives Harold D. Cooley of Nashville, as ranking member on Agriculture, J. Bayard Clark of Fayetteville on Rules, John H. Kerr of Warrenton on Appropriations, and A. L. Bullock of Gastonia on the Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee. Bullock may also serve on the House Administration committee, by virtue of his membership on the Printing committee.

## EVICTED FAMILY FINDS A HOME IN COUNTY JAIL



EVICTED FROM THEIR HOME IN APPLETON, WISC., Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Brunette and their nine children make themselves comfortable in the Outagamie County jail, the use of which they were offered by Sheriff Lyman D. Clark until they can find another place to live. The family uses the cells to continue their family activities. No relief in sight, the Brunettes prepared for a long stay. (International Soundphoto)

## Memories Of Taxpayers Jogged To The Tune Of \$170,000,000

WASHINGTON—The Treasury estimated that its drive against black marketeers and other tax evaders had lifted fiscal 1942 tax collections, of taxpayers into "sudden recollections of memory."

A record "conscience payment" of 2,000,000,000, "a certain taxpayer, his associates and his company" led the parade of additional tax payments. The Bureau of Internal Revenue said.

Neither the individuals nor the company was identified nor were names given for any of the conscience awakened taxpayers, who put in the additional \$170,000,000 in filing some 110,000 delinquent or amended returns.

Treasury policy is to assess civil penalties but not recommend criminal action against taxpayers who voluntarily admit delinquencies before investigation is instituted.

Related tax disclosures, it was said, "came in many sections of the country with the institution of investigations of individuals in firms operating in such fields as, textiles, furs, ready-to-wear goods, poultry and meats."

The fraud-investigating branch of the Internal Revenue Bureau reported investigating 2,000 cases during the fiscal year ended last June 30. It said 146 persons were newly indicted, and 149 out of 155 going to trial were convicted.

The Bureau said further that 1942 was the "first billion dollar fiscal year in the history of taxes and penalties recommended for assessment over and above original payments by taxpayers."

## Vets Pitch Tents Hit Housing Lack

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Ten homeless war veterans, three wives, and a three-year-old boy were tenting today on the Broom County Courthouse lawn.

Walter Jeffrey, President of the Tenters' Veterans Benefit Organization, said "hundreds" of area residents had signed a petition demanding Congressional action in the housing shortage.

The veterans, who bought and borrowed tents for the protest bazaar, intend to stay put "until something is done," Mr. Jeffrey said. One of the restaurants they are patronizing is turning free coffee and they have been granted use of sanitary facilities in the nearby county jail.

Their petition was presented to Representative Edwin A. Hall (R.) of New York who told the campers they would "be foolish to give up a good cause."

## Poland Is To Get Auto Plant From U. S.

WARSAW, Poland—Poland has received from the United States an automobile assembly plant valued at \$400,000.

The plant was shipped from Cheltenham, England, in more than 35,000 cases weighing more than 5,000 tons. Part of it is now being assembled in Solec Kujawski. Other parts will be located in Kalisz and Glogow in the Lodz Province.

Col. Stephen Batori, representing the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, is supervising the work.

## Radio Telephone Link Due For U. S.-Moscow

LONDON—Radio telegraphic communication will be working shortly between Moscow and the United States, Canada, and South America, Radio Moscow reports.

Normal telephone and radio telephone links also will be established soon with nearly every European capital, the Radio said. Seventeen capitals already are linked with Moscow by telephone.

## Beaverdam Church To Hold Annual Decoration Day

The annual decoration day services will be conducted at the Beaverdam church and cemetery near Canton on Sunday, August 16. It has been announced by the committee in charge of the arrangements.

No set program has been planned but those who wish may bring lunch and spend the day renewing old acquaintances. The committee will have the cemetery cleaned and the graves ready for the annual decoration.

ried meat safe position. However, if the bomb washes ashore it would be very dangerous to handle, the Coast Guard warns, and it should be disposed of by a qualified ordinance man. The bomb contains three pounds of photo-flash powder.

## Bomb To Be Dropped Off Atlantic Between 7-23

NORFOLK, Va.—A 500,000,000 candlepower photo-flash bomb, which the Coast Guard warns "is not to be mistaken for an atomic bomb," will be dropped on one or more nights between August 7 and 23, between Atlantic and Cherry Point, N. C.

The bomb will be dropped from a photo plane flying at about 10,000 feet. The flash of light will last approximately one-fifth of a second.

Last Friday night, the notice states, a photo flash bomb was dropped about ten miles off the coast near Cape Lookout, N. C. It failed to explode, but was drop-

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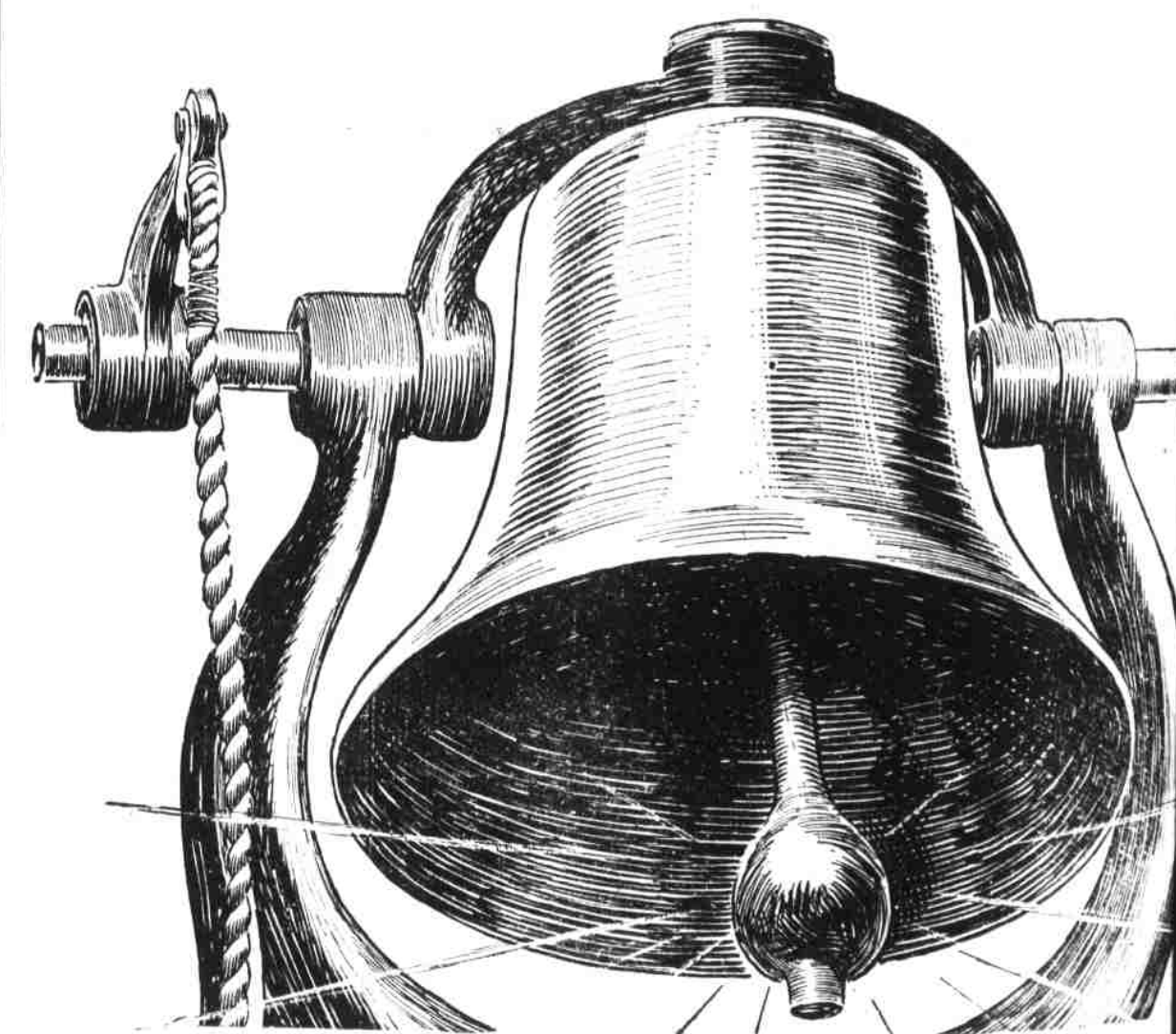
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## A Bell for Bethania



trinkets donated by the parishioners.

The other bell had traveled hundreds of thousands of miles on a Southern Railway locomotive. After many years of service it was bound for the scrap pile.

When fire swept the Bethania church in 1942, the sweet-toned bell made from coins and trinkets was destroyed. Parishioners missed its pleasant call. So, when the church was restored, a search was made for a bell of the same pure tone.

But it couldn't be found. Then a member of the

church, Frank T. Miller, recalled the beautiful of some of the locomotive bells of his boyhood days. He wrote a letter to the Southern Railway System, now, a mellow-toned old bell from a Southern Railway locomotive hangs in the belfry of the Bethania church.

We like to think of this bell of ours still serving community... still "belonging" to the people it served in another way for so many years. We like to think whole railway "belongs" in the same friendly way all the communities it serves.

Whether it's transporting freight or passengers, providing a "Bell for Bethania" is our job. We can't wait, to serve the South in every way we can.

Ernest E. ...  
President

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