

This Week IN WASHINGTON

Washington, June 19—The biggest show which Washington has ever seen wound up on Friday night, June 9, with the departure of King George and Queen Elizabeth.

On the same day the Government of Finland sent an official

notice to the Treasury that it would pay its regular semi-annual installment of \$175,000, principal and interest, on the money borrowed from the United States Government for rehabilitation of the little nation after the World War.

Only one person in Washington was rude enough to ask the King of England "what about the four thousand million dollars and more your country owes us?" He was a member of Congress who sent a telegram addressed to the King at the White House, and then told the press about it. The Congressman was so obviously seeking personal publicity by this ungracious gesture that the

newspaper men all agreed not to mention his name.

In the first place, the King of England has nothing to say about his Government's financial relations, and in the second place he and his wife were here merely as King and Queen of Canada, which doesn't owe the United States anything. Moreover, they were paying a social, not an official visit.

To ask them about the debt would have been as bad manners as to ask an invited guest at one's house when he intended to pay that \$3 you lent him in 1929.

However, there is a decided feeling in Washington official circles that the royal visit's effect is likely to have a great deal of influence in bringing about a settlement of the war debt matter, as well as strengthening the relations between the two nations.

Friendship Assured

When George VI laid a wreath with his own hands on the tomb of George Washington that settled, once for all, the question of any lurking enmity between the two nations. Those who have made the closest study of international affairs believe that friendship between the government of Great Britain and the United States is our strongest bulwark against aggression by the totalitarian powers of Europe and Japan.

It can be set down definitely that the personal contacts with the King and Queen by all manner of public officials, winding up with their reception by the Senators and Representatives in the rotunda of the Capitol, have left a strong impression of friendliness among many who had expected something like a demonstration of royal aloofness and superiority.

If the rulers of the British Empire are this sort of folks, official Washington is saying, there's no reason why the United States should not cooperate with their country to maintain world peace and friendship between the nations who speak the same language.

The King and Queen proved themselves "good fellows" in every sense of the word. They fell into the easygoing ways of America as if they were used to being treated like ordinary human beings, and seemed to enjoy it.

The King grinned like a delighted schoolboy when Vice-President Garner threw his arm around his shoulders while he talked to him, and slapped him on the back as they parted.

Seeking Third Term

Echoes of the royal visit still overshadow almost everything else in the National Capital, except the prospects for the 1940 elections.

The belief that the President is not only seeking but preparing vigorously to go after a third nomination has grown mightily in the past few days. It got its strongest support from an article in a popular illustrated magazine by Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes, in which he set forth his reasons for desiring the President's renomination, and took a crack at practically every Democrat who has been suggested as the 1940 candidate of the party.

Almost simultaneously there appeared in another widely-circulated magazine an article by Stephen Early, chief secretary to the President, which did not

mention a third term but complained bitterly about the nature of some of the criticisms which have been levelled at Mr. Roosevelt.

At the same time, however, the sentiment for the nomination of Vice-President Garner to head the party ticket is growing as fast as one of the cactus plants of his native Texas grows.

In the most recent published polls by the foremost organization which tests public sentiment, Mr. Garner is shown as having at least an equal measure of public support as has the President himself. He is certain to have the backing of powerful state political organizations not only in the South but in numerous other parts of the country.

Dewey Has Appeal

On the Republican side the belief that the man whom that party will have to beat will be Mr. Roosevelt himself, is bringing about a tightening of party discipline and much more serious consideration of the personality and vote-getting ability of prospective candidates.

Washington's judgment is still that Thomas E. Dewey has the greatest popular appeal, and that seems to be shared in the Democratic as well as the Republican ranks.

Republican politicians considering the possibilities are wondering whether it might not be better strategy to figure on Dewey for Vice-President and either Senator Taft or Senator Vandenberg for the head of the ticket.

There is pretty general agreement with Vandenberg's declaration that the candidate, whoever he may be, should be pledged by the Convention to a single term.

COOL SPRINGS

There were one hundred and forty-nine at Sunday school Sunday. Several absentees because of sickness in different families.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliam of Mountain View, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darnell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Benge and Mrs. Sallie Benge and Miss Bessie Benge were guests of Mrs. C. F. Fields Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Benge visited the Sunday school here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Holbrook a baby boy, Thursday. Miss Ethel Mathis of Durham, is visiting relatives here. She is now the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Tom Mathis.

The Cool Springs quartette visited Mountain View Methodist church, where they were guest singers in their annual children's day program. Owing to the illness of one member of the quartette, Mr. Ernest Wall, who is a patient in the veteran's hospital at Johnson City, Tenn., Miss Desser Newman, a member of the young ladies' quartette, filled the vacancy.

Crops are looking good here now. With showers and sunshine aiding us, we are getting a pretty fair start with the summer's crop.

Soil building is growing in favor here every year, and few "old fields" are turned out covered with their unsightly red galls any more.

STATE ROAD

Mr. Dock Stanley, of Laurel Springs, visited friends here during the week-end.

Mr. Carl Milan, of Jonesville, was a visitor here Saturday.

Messrs. Barney and Luther Smith visited relatives in Mooresville Saturday night.

Misses Evon Gentry and Imogene Welborn were visitors at Oak Ridge Sunday evening.

Friends of Mrs. Will Carter are glad to know she is improved from her recent illness.

FURNITURE 9 WINS OVER WEST YADKIN

The Elkin Furniture baseball team added to their laurels over the week-end by winning from the West Yadkin team by a score of 9-2 Friday afternoon at Chat-ham Park and from the North Wilkesboro team with a score of 12-0. Another game on Sunday between the local team and the Southern Dairies team in Winston-Salem was called on account of rain at the third inning with Elkin in the lead 9-3.

The local team will meet the strong Worthville nine from Greensboro on the local diamond Saturday at 3:30. A new player, Blackie Lawrence, former football, baseball and basketball star of the Children's Home, Winston-Salem, will come into the ranks of the local team and judging from his record, will add strength to the team. He is expected to play in Saturday's game.

N. C. State Highway prison camps cared for 9,577 prisoners in April, 1939.

May Chevrolet Sales Show Increase

Detroit, June 9.—For the first time since 1933, Chevrolet dealers' May deliveries of new passenger cars and trucks this year eclipsed those of April. The announcement was made at company headquarters here today, in connection with the release of figures showing the month's new deliveries as 77,125 units. This is 34.8 per cent above the total for May a year ago, comparison of the records reveals, and is the second-highest month since the 1939 models' introduction.

The figures show that Chevrolet's sales in the final 10 days of May exceeded those for both the preceding 10-day periods, and

that passenger cars and trucks both shared in the advance over corresponding periods of last month and last year.

Truck deliveries for the month were 15,474, as against 11,436 in May 1938.

Used car sales for the month totalled 157,461, a gain of 25.8 per cent over May of last year. The final 10-day period was 6,412 units above the period immediately preceding, and 11,942 units above the period ending May 10, giving the company's retail sales organization a grand total of 234,586 new and used car sales for May.

Out of a total of 105 insane persons held in N. C. county jails in April, 1939, 28 were Negro men and 12 were Negro women.

Wise Billy

Billy Battle: "Daddy, why don't you buy your grandmother an air rifle for her birthday next week?"

Dr. Battle: "Air rifle? Grandmother wouldn't want an air rifle."

Billy: "But you know how good she is about lending things."

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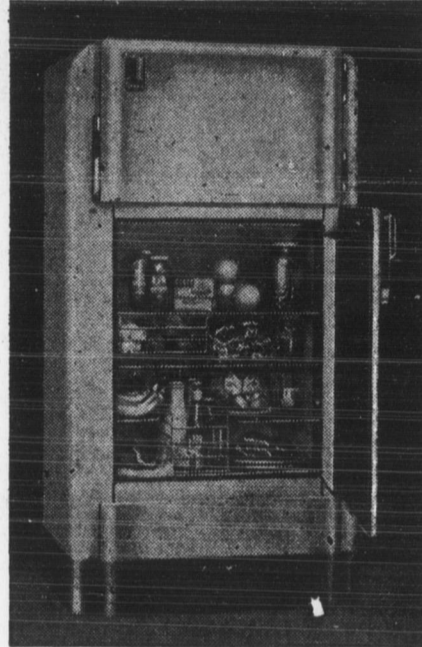
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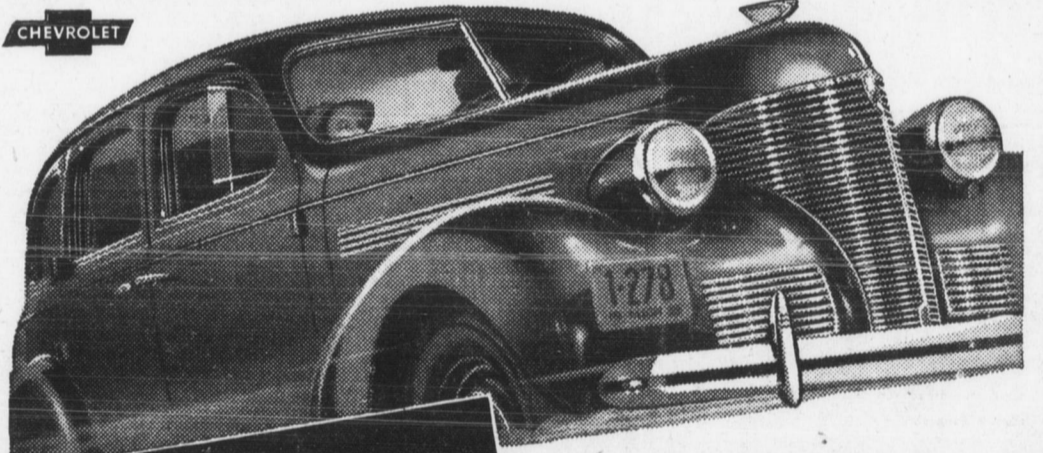
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