

Washington Snapshots

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to the government to comply with the National Labor Relations Act. Supporting the congressional coalition in opposing these bills is the U. S. Navy. The Navy Department says it is already hampered in its dealings with private firms by nine regulatory Federal statutes. The

doesn't want either bill passed because it would add to administrative expenses in Washington and increase costs of materials that must be purchased by the government — (and by the public, too.)

In the wage-hour and spending program fights, political strategy — pressure, patronage and promises — has already become evident as a tool to pry opponents out of the coalition camp. However, observers believe the opponents have been materially strengthened by their victories in the Supreme Court and Re-

organization Bill fights and by the support given them by the public (by telegrams and letters) in such frays.

Incidentally, as the advocates of more spending launched their campaign, the Treasury department's regular report showed the government had spent \$6,026,446,819 during the year and a half fourth of the current fiscal year — just \$1,957,644,819 more than was taken up during the same period. The report also indicated that the U. S. in the public purse now total \$37,563,358,887 or nearly three billion more than at the same time last year.

The special Senate committee studying unemployment and relief made a startling discovery during its recent investigation, and a great many persons are looking in the direction of WPA headquarters with arched brows. The committee, among many other things, reports that it found 63 per cent of the WPA relief workers in five cities occupying other positions and drawing Federal relief money at the same time!

Remember a few months back when several C. I. O. officials had some ungentlemanly things to say about the Daughters of the American Revolution? Well, the Daughters have had their inning, and although the C. I. O. was not named, Capitol spectators didn't even bother to ask who was meant by the D. A. R. blast of "subversive forces" at work in American.

Mrs. Vinton Earl Sisson, aggressive chairman of the D. A. R.'s Committee for National Patriotic Education, told her fellow-women of the D. A. R. congress in Washington that these "subversive influences have penetrated even into the agencies of the government" and then went on to say:

"It is cause for rejoicing that American labor on the whole will have nothing of radical dictatorship. American labor has its own ideas of the American way. The American system is all right."

Personals

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P. Church, S. C., of a friend, Mr. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Neal, Mrs. E. W. Neal and E. W. Neal, Jr. were spend-the-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Ruffill of Cherryville last

Friday.

Mrs. Grady King and Mrs. E. W. Griffin went to Gastonia, Tuesday, where Mrs. King was one of the judges at the Flower Show, sponsored by the Garden Club.

Miss Elizabeth Baird Vance, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Vance, of Marion, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vance, of Kings Mountain.

Mrs. Charles Weeden of High Point spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. E. B. Olive and family. Mrs. Weeden was en route home after a visit to relatives in Greenville, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Barrett of Charlotte spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barrett. They came especially to visit Mr. Barrett who is convalescing from a recent fall, when he sprained his leg.

Mrs. Grady King and Mrs. J. C. Nickels left Wednesday for Morehead City where they were called on account of the death of an uncle, Mr. Pelletier. They expect to return the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Kathryn Ruffill of Charlotte and Mrs. Elizabeth Cooksey of Blacksburg both of whom are members of the Park-Grace school faculty, left for their respective homes this week following the close of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Thomson accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Thomson of Abbeville, S. C., spent the week-end in Wilmington, N. C., with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Thomson are spending the remainder of the week in Kings Mountain.

Miss Ruth Caveny and Bill Caveny, who were called to Kings Mountain on account of the death of their grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Hill, returned to Erskine College Wednesday afternoon. They were accompanied to Due West by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caveny.

Mrs. Zeb B. Vance returned to her home in Marion Saturday after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Elam. Mrs. Vance was en route home from the annual convention of the North Carolina Federation of Women's clubs at Wilmington, where she was a convention page.

Mrs. Pratt Herndon will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fulton Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hoke of Lenoir will be the guests of Mrs. Hoke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fulton Mother's Day.

The Kings Mountain Chapter U. D. C. met last Friday at the home of Mrs. John Plunk, with Mrs. J. S. Plunk at joint hostess. After the routine business, plans were made for the 10th of May meeting, and for the district meeting which will convene here on May 17.

Mrs. Al Thomason and little son, Billy, of Charlotte came over Sunday and were joined by her mother, Mrs. Lee Harmon, and sister, Miss Virgie Harmon, who went to Rock Hill to visit a son and brother, Mr. Elbert Hower, who is in the hospital after a fall in which he injured his knee cap.

Announcement

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I hereby announce my candidacy for Clerk of Superior Court of Cleveland County, subject to the action of Democratic Primary June 4th. If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to execute the duties of this office to the best of my ability, and I will appreciate any support given me.

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