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Knowland Advocates "Extra High Wages" California Senator Would Stimulate Production By This Method Four Objectives For

WASHINGTON, May 18.—(AP)—Senator Knowland (R-Calif.) today urged "extra high wages for extra high production" to sustain prosperity.

Arnall Says South Re-Admitted To U. S.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 18.—(AP)—Charles R. Arnall, former governor of Georgia, declared today "the South has been re-admitted to the nation" as a result of the Supreme court's recent decision on freight rates.

PROGRESSIVE HAS EDGE IN PRIMARY Charles R. Savage, Wallace Followers, Defeats Truman Democrat In West

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 18.—(AP)—An avowed "progressive" former Congressman who defeated a "Truman Democrat" to become the Democratic party's nominee for Washington state's vacant Third District House seat today credited his victory to the people's will.

TWO SAILORS BADLY BURNED WHEN BLAZE DAMAGES OIL TANKER

TEXAS CITY, Tex., May 18.—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin aboard the gasoline-laden tanker Pan-Massachusetts was extinguished this afternoon after it had heavily damaged the tanker, a tug and a dock.

The Weather

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Jesse Jones Charges Railroad Magnate With "False Statements" On B&O Loan; Thousands Flee Lahore To Escape Riots

Fifteen Lose Lives Sunday

LAHORE, India, May 18.—(AP)—Thousands of persons fled from Lahore, provincial capital of the Punjab, today, seeking to escape bomb and brickbat fights between Hindu, Moslem and Sikh mobs which have caused at least 15 deaths.



FOUR ESCAPE INJURY IN CRASH. The above photo shows the demolished station wagon operated by B. D. Frankle, of the 8th Marines of Camp Lejeune, at the corner of Third and Greenfield street.

Hindu, Moslem, Sikh Mobs Battle In Streets With Bombs, Brickbats

Casualties remained uncounted when night fell, but one hospital said it had received 11 dead and 32 wounded persons and a police official reported 15 had been killed and 12 wounded in a pre-dawn battle.

SMUGGLING GROUP GETS U. S. FOODS

BERLIN, May 12.—(AP)—Existence of a smuggling group transporting food illegally from the food-scarce American occupation zone of Germany to the Russian zone has been disclosed by the fatal shooting of a German policeman who stopped a truck, it was reported today.

COMMITTEE WILL BACK GREEK LOAN

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Rep. Tabor Says Appropriations Group Wants Need Lowdown First

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Old Mississippi River Packet Runs Into Bank

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—(AP)—The Golden Eagle, one of the last of the old Mississippi river packet boats, went out of control and plowed into the bank of an island near Grand Tower, Ill., early today.

Drought Hits N. C. Vegetable, Berry Crop; Violence Claims Ten Lives Over Weekend

Potato, Strawberry Crops Damaged On Farms Of Eastern Seaboard

RALEIGH, May 18.—(AP)—A drought which has lasted for nearly a month in many sections of North Carolina has damaged some truck crops and has delayed farm operations in general, the State Department of Agriculture reported today.

"LOVE TRIANGLE" VICTIM SITS UP FOR FIRST TIME SINCE SHOOTING

LUMBERTON, May 18.—(AP)—David Miller, 27, Rowland merchant whose wife is accused of hiring a Negro man to kill him, was able to sit up in bed at Baker's Sanatorium here today for the first time since the shooting a week ago.

President's Mother Has Setback; Condition Grave

GRANDVIEW, Mo., May 18.—(AP)—President Truman's 94-year-old mother took a turn for the worse late today after an unexpected fall, leaving her condition grave.

TWO SCHOOLBOYS KILLED BY CRASH

BURLINGTON, Ia., May 18.—(AP)—A Navy pilot and two schoolboys were killed and six young persons seriously injured today when a fighter plane went out of control at an airshow and crashed on a school playground.

Along The Cape Fear

A recent press release in a New York newspaper and the Morning Star stated Wilmington's fire loss below the average and that it proved to be better than that of most cities with over 20,000 population in the United States, the National Fire Protection Association reported.

Fatalities Caused In Many Ways Over States; Car Wrecks Kill Two

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Violence claimed at least 10 lives in North Carolina during the weekend.

MARITIME DAY SET FOR MAY 22

In conjunction with National Maritime Day, authorized by congress and proclaimed by the president for May 22, the U. S. Propeller club, Port of Wilmington, will hold a special dinner meeting at the Cape Fear club at 7:15 p. m. on that day.

Prayer, Fishing Provide Privacy For Presidents

NEW YORK, May 18.—(AP)—Herbert Hoover says Americans respect the privacy of Presidents only when they are praying or fishing.

Robert Young Answers Back

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And So To Bed

A vandal with a yen for cutting up garden hoses was the object of a search last night in Maffitt Village by deputy sheriffs.

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Insurance Agents In 1897

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First Buildings To Go

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Received Letter

RECEIVED LETTER—We received a letter from a resident of Wilmington, C. C. Chadbourne, and he tells us of the story of the birth of the present paid fire department.