

## U. S. May Act In Wage Talk

### Government Intervention Possible As Means Of Reviving Coal Parley

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(AP)—Government intervention to revive the broken down wage negotiations between John L. Lewis and the majority of the soft coal operators appeared likely today in view of the mounting threat of a new strike July 1.



FATHER OF YEAR—U. S. Senator Warren R. Austin, special ambassador to the United Nations, has been chosen "father of the year," the National Father's Day committee announced yesterday.

## FRENCH, EGYPTIAN RELATIONS WIDEN

### Paris Accuses Government Of Encouraging Escape Of Abd El Krim

PARIS, June 1.—(AP)—Relations between France and Egypt were strained today as French diplomatic quarters accused the Egyptian government of encouraging the onetime Moroccan rebel, Emir Abd El Krim, to jump ship at Suez.

## CITIZENS HUNTING ATTACK SUSPECT

### Feeling Runs High At Rich Square Over Second Assault Attempt

RICH SQUARE, June 1.—(AP)—Another attempted criminal assault on a white girl by a Negro man was reported today near Rich Square—scene of a similar incident ten days ago which led to the arrest of Godwin (Buddy) Bush, 21-year-old Negro, who later escaped from a masked mob.

## BRIGGS EMPLOYEES VOTE TO STRIKE

### Twenty- Thousand Body Builders May Walkout Thursday Over Wages

DETROIT, June 1.—(AP)—Strike action by more than 20,000 Briggs manufacturing co. workers was given final union approval today as a 2,700 Motor co. foremen who walked off their jobs May 21 voted to stay out.

## Escapes Mob

They hustled Bush out and put him in the back seat of an automobile. Before the car could pull off, he opened the door, jumped out and fled into the darkness.

## The Weather

FORECAST—Partly cloudy and warmer, scattered showers and thundershowers through Monday. Tuesday partly cloudy with little change in temperature. Scattered thundershowers through Wednesday.

North Carolina—Considerable cloudiness and warmer, scattered showers and thundershowers west and central portions Monday. Tuesday partly cloudy and not quite so warm. Thundershowers east Monday.

Metropolitan data for the 24 hours ending 7:30 a. m. yesterday.

Temperatures: 10 a. m., 64; 7:30 a. m., 68; 1:30 p. m., 73; 5 p. m., 73.

Humidity: 1:30 a. m., 73; 7:30 a. m., 71; 1:30 p. m., 67; 5 p. m., 67.

Precipitation: 24 hours ending 7:30 p. m., 1.0 inches.

Tides For Today: High 8:48 a. m., 3:57 p. m.; Low 2:11 a. m., 8:42 p. m.

## Opening Day Brings 20,000 To Beaches

### Carolina Official Places Crowd As Largest Long Time; Wrightsville Reports Throng Of 8,000; Others Busy

Thousands braved the chilly waters for a dip, while others basked in the sun on the strand. Concessions stands and amusement centers reported a "brisk business."

## Presbyterian Assembly Hears Defeatism Scored

### Dr. Robert A. Lapsley Calls On Church Members To Boost Religion

MONTREAL, June 1.—(AP)—A call to church members of all denominations to cast aside the spirit of defeatism and to put the church first was sounded here today by Dr. Robert A. Lapsley of Roanoke, Va., delivering the principal sermon before the 87th General assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States.

## MARTIN PREDICTS TAX SIGNING

### Speaker Of House Sure President Will Approve GOP-Sponsored Bill

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(AP)—Describing tax relief now as a bulwark against depression and inflation, Speaker Martin (R-Mass) predicted today President Truman will sign the \$4,000,000,000 annual income tax cut scheduled for final passage in Congress this week.

## SERVICES REQUIRE MEN FOR TRAINING

### Proposed Universal Military Program Needs Set At 230,000

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(AP)—The Army, Navy and Marine corps believe they will require 230,000 officers and men to carry out the proposed compulsory universal training of an estimated 900,000 youths of 18 each year.

## TWO RALEIGH FLYERS LOSE LIVES DURING STUNT AT AIRPORT

RALEIGH, June 1.—(AP)—While attempting to do a "precision spin" as part of the air show to dedicate Raleigh's new Civilian Air Patrol field, two men were instantly killed here today when their light plane crashed.

## Along The Cape Fear

GROUPS FOR HEALTH—Civic organizations are in no way connected with the city and county health department in Wilmington but they play, nevertheless, a large role in maintaining the high standard in health conditions that prevail in the community.

MALARIA CONQUERED—Malaria formerly was one of the most dreaded diseases in this community. However, the disease now has almost come to the vanishing point.

Snooty Senate Sends Snack Seekers Sacking

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(AP)—Three House members told today of getting a fast brush-off when they tried to get a fast snack in the Senate.

So they marched 700 feet through the capitol to the House eatery.

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## 28 Killed, Scores Injured By Tornado In Arkansas; Million New Homes Loom

### Creedon Sets '47 Estimate

### Housing Expediter Says Controls However, Must Be Kept On

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(AP)—Housing Expediter Frank R. Creedon said today that 1,038,000 new dwelling can be completed in 1947, including 760,000 permanent homes, if federal controls are kept for "a few more months."

## Guns Are Precious Commodity In India

### Tension Mounts Throughout Nation On Eve Of Important Conference

NEW DELHI, June 1.—(AP)—The high commands of India's rival political parties held final strategy meetings tonight on the eve of their meeting with Viceroy Lord Mountbatten to receive the British government's plan for transferring power to the Indians.

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PILOT W. E. CONEY (left) and co-pilot K. D. Willingham who lost their lives early Friday night in the crash of their Eastern Airlines DC-4 near Port Deposit, Md. 49 passengers and two other crew members also lost their lives in the ill-fated crash.

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