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HUGE GOVERNMENT PROJECT TO HELP VIGOROUSLY URGED

Herbert Quick Makes Plea Before Senate Agricultural Committee

CHAMPIONS ADOPTION OF NORRIS MEASURE

Former Member of Federal Farm Loan Board Declares that Banks in Agricultural Districts Have Reached Limits of Endurance

Washington, June 24.—Congress has no alternative than the passing of the bill, Herbert Quick, former member of the Federal Farm Loan board, declared today before a Senate committee considering the Norris measure to create a $1,000,000,000 government corporation for farm export.

"We must get some credit system to work which will move surplus farm products," Mr. Quick said. "If we don't hundreds of banks in the agricultural districts are going to have their doors shut. The people and governments of Europe will pledge everything they have got to give as securities in our advances."

Senator Ransdell, Democrat of Louisiana, asked if the proposed corporation could find a market for securities based upon credits of Poland and European countries. Farmers as a class will take the securities, rather than see their products go to waste, Mr. Quick said.

Chairman Norris and Senator Gooding, Republican, Idaho, expressed doubt that the bill could pass without further extension of government credit attached to it. Mr. Norris announced that Secretary Hoover would be asked to appear and if not the hearings would be closed Tuesday.

Peacock Arrives In Raleigh For Term

Raleigh, June 24.—Dr. J. W. Peacock of Thomasville, who was ordered by Judge T. B. Finley of Greensboro yesterday to be confined for life in the State Hospital for the criminal insane at the State prison there or until he shall have been declared sane by a competent appointed board and this report shall have been accepted by the plaintiff and defendant was brought to Raleigh last night and placed in the hospital.

Dr. Peacock was recently acquitted by a Rowan county jury at Lexington of the charge of murdering Chief of Police J. E. Taylor at Thomasville on April 16th, his defense having been that he was insane at the time of the killing.

SPEAKER'S SISTER FREED IN MANSLAUGHTER CASE

Chicopee, Mass., June 24.—Miss Katherine D. Gillette of West Field, sister of Speaker Gillette of the National House of Representatives, was discharged in district court here today after a brief hearing on a charge of manslaughter brought as the result of the death of Irene Cote, 12, who was struck by an automobile driven by Miss Gillette June 10. Only two witnesses were heard.

BOSTON WOMAN BECOMES DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH

Paris, June 24.—Gladys Marie Deacon, of Boston, this morning became the duchess of Marlborough, the second American girl to assume the title. The civil ceremony, which lasted three minutes, took place in the British consulate and was performed by the British consul. The first duchess of Marlborough before her marriage to the duke was Consuelo Vanderbilt of New York. She obtained a decree of absolute divorce from the duke May 13 last.

NEGRO IS HANGED AT RICHMOND JAIL TODAY

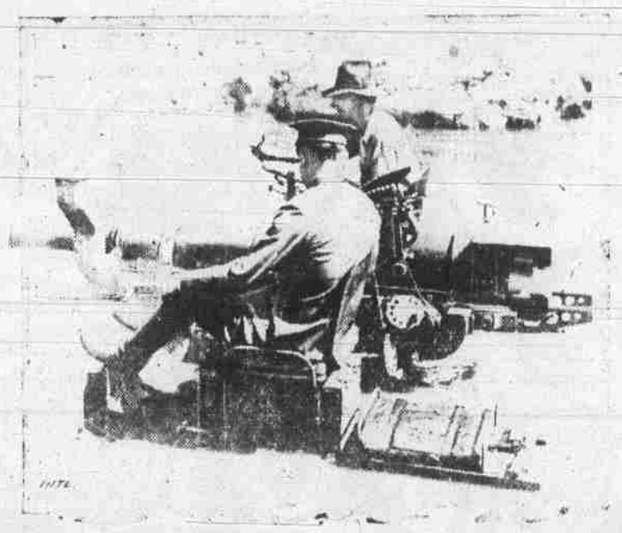
Execution of Slayer of Alexandria Torpedo Expert First in Virginia for the Past Thirteen Years

Richmond, Va., June 24.—William Turner, Alexandria negro convicted in the U. S. District court here of highway robbery and of murdering T. Morgan Moore, torpedo expert, was hanged in the Henrico county jail yard here this morning.

The trap was sprung at 6:10 and Turner was pronounced dead 20 minutes later. He made no statement before going to the scaffold. More than 500 people, mostly negroes, surrounded the jail. The hanging was the first of the kind to take place in Virginia in 13 years. Turner would have been electrocuted had his conviction and sentence been in a State court.

Turner denied the highway robbery charge but admitted that he fired the shot which killed the torpedo expert after Moore had fired upon him, striking him in the right hand and thigh. Moore, who was riding in an automobile with his fiancee, Miss Pearl Clark, private secretary to Congressman Britten of Illinois, was shot and wounded above the heart following a souffle with the negro. The slayer was charged with dragging the young woman from the scene of the crime and robbing her of her jewelry.

UNCLE SAM'S LATEST WAR TANK A WATER BUG



A new caterpillar tank was successfully tried out at Stockton, Cal., recently by U. S. army officers. The photograph shows the tractor as it appeared while executing test maneuvers in water at the Holt Testing grounds. An army officer directs the single mechanic who operates it. The new tractor can go under water and has a periscope, with which the engine breathes. The caterpillar can go thirty miles an hour on land and carries a three-inch gun. The photo shows the tractor instream, with army officer and mechanic during the recent test.

Unsettled Foreign Policy Holds Up Missionary Work Of Churches

New York, June 24.—An estimate of foreign policies of governments during the last year as never before has affected missionary enterprise is given in the 107th annual report of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society presented today at the Northern Baptist convention. Twenty departments and fields in China, Japan, impoverished Europe, Africa, Japan, the reorganization of Turkey, the great experiments in democracy, opportunities following an almost national awakening in India, and Mohammedan hostility in Africa, have been factors during most of the society's administration in a delicate period, says the report.

It adds that financial handicaps have been encountered in the industrial depression here, and in the fluctuation of money exchange rates in the Far East, food, clothing and other living costs for the missionaries jumping at cost of the same or more, in spite of. Housing has also been a problem.

During the year, says the report, John D. Rockefeller, junior, gave to the Society bearing securities. This gift was in addition with previous gifts from Mr. Rockefeller in the last two years. A permanent fund, now shown by "The John D. Rockefeller Fund," the income of which will be used for general purposes.

Relief Work in China

In China, Rehabilitation the report reports that work has been carried during the year for relief in China, and Europe.

"China's awakening," says the report, "and her determination to take her place among the nations of the world, is one of the most hopeful signs of the times. Her people are eager to become acquainted with the ideals of the Christian religion and Christian civilization. In the conflict between the forces of Christ and those of the world, the flesh and the devil, China is one of the most hopeful fields in the world. The Christian forces are now at a critical point in the history of the Republic. The Christian forces are now at a critical point in the history of the Republic. The Christian forces are now at a critical point in the history of the Republic