

IN WASHINGTON

WHAT IS TAKING PLACE BY

Robt. R. Reynolds, UNITED STATES SENATOR

Predicts Stalin's Fall



NEW YORK CITY... Prophecy that the Stalin regime would crumble in "maybe one, maybe two years," Alexander Kerensky, Premier of the Russian Provisional Government after the fall of the Czar, arrives here for the first time in eleven years for a lecture tour.

HAVE WE BEEN WRONG

One of the most important proposals pending in Congress is that relating to reorganization of agencies of the Federal government.

When it is considered that there are 132 separate agencies existing in our government, it is readily apparent why there is a need for consolidation, coordination and reorganization.

A vital factor in the proposed reorganization, and one which is the subject of much discussion, is the fact that some agencies more or less under the direct control of Congress are involved.

While much attention has been given to the pending reorganization bill, due to enlarged facilities for keeping the public informed, the subject is an old one.

"The Bureau of Efficiency shall investigate duplication of service in the various executive departments and establishments of the government, including bureaus and divisions, and make a report to the President thereon, and the President is hereby authorized, after such reports shall have been made to him, whenever he finds such duplications to exist, to abolish same."

As some members of Congress contend, each agency of government considers its functions most vital. Thus every pressure possible is brought into play to preserve and enlarge these functions.

If Federal expenditures are to be reduced, obviously it must come through elimination of Federal activities which are not absolutely essential.

In private business, general direction finally centers at one source, regardless of the functions and departments of the business.

It might be cited that individual Senators and members of the House, by reason of varying interests of their constituents, because of work on committees and for other reasons have a particular interest in certain Federal agencies.

But whatever the merits or demerits of particular phases of proposed Federal reorganization, the fact that the subject is being aired and given serious consideration, bespeaks future progress in adjusting government activities to the needs of our people.

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BENNETT-MORGAN

Rocky Mount.—Miss Inez Lynn Morgan and Everett Francis Bennett, both of this city, were married on Saturday morning, March 12, in Richmond, Va.

Only members of the families of the bride and bridegroom and a few intimate friends attended the ceremony.

The bride wore for her marriage a suit of cadet blue with navy accessories and shoulder corsage of tulleman roses and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Bennett is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan of Castalia. She is a graduate of the Park View School of Nursing and has practiced her profession in this city since her graduation.

Mr. Bennett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bennett of Hartford, Conn. At present he is a dental technician in Rocky Mount. Following a wedding trip North Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will make their home at 326 Sunset Avenue.

BABY DEAD

Charlie Howard Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie S. Smith, passed away on the night of February 24th while on the way to a hospital in Rocky Mount after a short illness of diphtheria.

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