

For Lieutenant Governor



SEN. W. ERSKINE SMITH

Albemarle, Dec. 18.—W. Erskine Smith, prominent Albemarle citizen, and President Pro Tem of the North Carolina Senate, today announced that he is a candidate for Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary to be held on May 25, 1940. "I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina," Senator Smith's formal statement read. "I have represented my Senatorial district in every session of the Senate since 1927 in which Stanley County was entitled to a Senator, with one exception. I feel that this legislative experience will be helpful to me in the discharge of the duties of Lieutenant Governor. If nominated and elected, it will be my ambition to discharge the duties of this high office fairly and impartially to all, having in mind at all times the best interest of North Carolina and its entire citizenship." The candidate for Lieutenant Governor is a graduate of the Duke University Law School, having completed his law course there in 1921 when the institution was Trinity College, and when Dr. Samuel Fox Mordecai was Dean of the School. Since he completed this law course he has practiced his profession in Albemarle and is recognized as one of the most capable attorneys in the state.

He was first elected to the Senate in 1927 and has served four terms as a member of that body. His services as President Pro Tem of the Senate of 1939 mark him as an able legislator and executive.

Senator Smith is President of the Albemarle Building & Loan Association, a post to which he advanced after serving for a number of years as Vice President and Director of that organization. He is also a Director of the Cabarrus Bank & Trust Company.

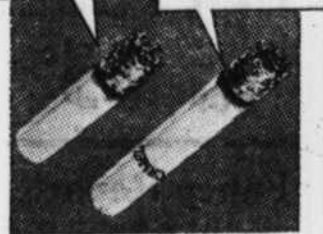
A member of Central Methodist Church, Senator Smith has been a teacher of a Sunday School class of young men for a number of years.

Stanly County citizens, long admirers and supporters of Senator Smith, are rallying to his support as a candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and they are confident that he will be victorious in the May primary. They solicit the aid and support of Senator Smith's friends all over North Carolina.

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Mr. LeCorneec said: "French potash producers are continuing to furnish potash to the American market at the same low prices

despite greatly increased transportation costs within France, shortage of labor due to the war, higher ocean freight rates and war insurance."

Heavy shipments of French potash salts have been purchased by French Potash Company, Inc., 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York and will arrive at Atlantic and Gulf ports in the early future for delivery to American fertilizer manufacturers. A number of cargoes are now enroute.

"Ships, which carry large supplies of American agricultural and industrial products to France, bring back cargoes of French potash, essential in the manufacture

of fertilizer for American farmers," continued Mr. LeCorneec. "The French potash deposits are some of the richest in the world, containing enough to supply the needs of the world for hundreds of years."

On his visit to New York, Mr. LeCorneec is accompanied by his 10-year-old daughter, Yannick, one of the youngest airplane passengers to cross the Atlantic.

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