

Curtis Urged To Promote Public Works

Finances For Jobs Assured

Two Billion Dollars Made Available For Municipal Improvements, Loftis Says

Present indications are that approximately \$2,000,000,000 of the \$3,300,000, appropriated through the national recovery act will be available for municipal improvements, according to information received here.

It was stated that "this fact places an immediate responsibility on local public officials, architects, general contractors and others identified with the construction industry, if this vast sum is to be utilized speedily for increasing employment and stimulating business."

Provisions of the act making available an outright grant of 30 per cent of the cost of such local work also require that the responsibility for repayment of 70 per cent of the cost must be assumed by the local communities. In many instances this will require that authorization be secured from legislative bodies, taxpayers or administrative officials empowered to enter into such financing agreements.

A consistent program of promotional effort must be drawn up in all local communities throughout the country to select the projects which should go ahead at once, popularize the need proper authorizations are made and in general to get the machinery in motion for making application to the national public works administration so that funds may be secured quickly and work begun soon.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

1. Guthrie.
2. William Howard Taft.
3. Striking an iceberg.
4. From Belgium.
5. Judge-Advocate-General.
6. Famous designer of stage settings.
7. Cattle.
8. Harvard.
9. Copyright.
10. Curacao, an island in the Dutch West Indies.

TREASURY BILLS OFFERED

Washington.—Tenders were invited Tuesday by acting Secretary Acheson of the treasury for \$100,000,000 in 91-day treasury bills to be sold on a discount basis. The bills will be dated July 5, 1933, and will mature October 4, 1933, being payable without interest on that date.

FINDS DUCK IN TROUT

Jackson, Wyo.—Clarence Cook, court stenographer, combines the hunting and fishing stories. He related that, upon cleaning a big native trout he caught in a pond near Spring Green, he found a young duck in its stomach.

Black-Draught Clears Up Sluggish, Dull Feeling

"I have used Theford's Black-Draught for constipation for a long time, and find it gives relief for this trouble," writes Mrs. Frank Champion, of Wynne, Ark. "I think it is good for spells caused from gas on the stomach. If I get up in the morning feeling dull and sluggish, a dose of Black-Draught taken three times a day will cause the feeling to pass away, and in a day or two I feel like a new person. After many years of use we would not exchange Black-Draught for any medicine."

Southern Railway System Train Travel Bargain Fares ASHEVILLE, N. C.

TUESDAY, JULY 4th, 1933

Round trip fare from \$1.75—Salisbury, N. C.—\$1.75

Tickets on sale for all regular trains July 4th, final limit July 5th, 1933.

Tickets good in coaches only.

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Consult Ticket Agents R. H. Graham, Division Passenger Agent, Charlotte, N. C.

Foreigners Finding It Hard To Fool American Delegates At London Parley

The World Monetary and Economic Congress, now in session in London, represents sixty-six out of the seventy organized nations of the globe. Fifty-seven of them are members of the League of Nations, namely:

Abyssinia, South Africa, Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, India, Iraq, Irish Free State, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Persia, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Salvador, Siam, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Venezuela and Yugoslavia.

The nine nations in the conference not members of the League are Afghanistan, Brazil, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Egypt, Hedjaz, Iceland, the United States of America and the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics—in our language, Russia.

The main purposes of this great international convention are, first, to try to find some way by international action to raise the prices of commodities in foreign trade; second, to remove or modify the barriers which stand in the way of the free flow of goods from one nation to another; third, to arrive at some common basis of money so that there will no longer be great disparities between the values of the currencies of different nations.

On those general proposals all of the important nations except France, and practically all of the minor nations are in agreement. If France can be whipped into line it should be easy to work out the details.

France, as is always the case in international conferences, is the "bad boy" of the London meeting. France always goes into such conferences with a complete program—all in France's favor—and protests loudly that she won't play unless she has her own way. She usually winds up by accepting the majority verdict and then going home and lamenting loudly that she has been robbed.

Rev. Phillips Is Given Reception

Rev. C. A. Phillips, new pastor of Haven Lutheran church, was given a reception last night on the church lawn at which time several hundred members of the congregation and ministers from other churches extended to him a warm welcome.

Mr. Phillips succeeds the Rev. B. J. Wessinger, who recently accepted a call to the Lutheran churches of Spencer and East Spencer.

Prior to accepting the Haven pastorate Mr. Phillips was located in Mooresville.

She—"You drive awfully fast, don't you?" He—"Yes, I hit seventy yesterday."

She—"Did you kill any of them?"

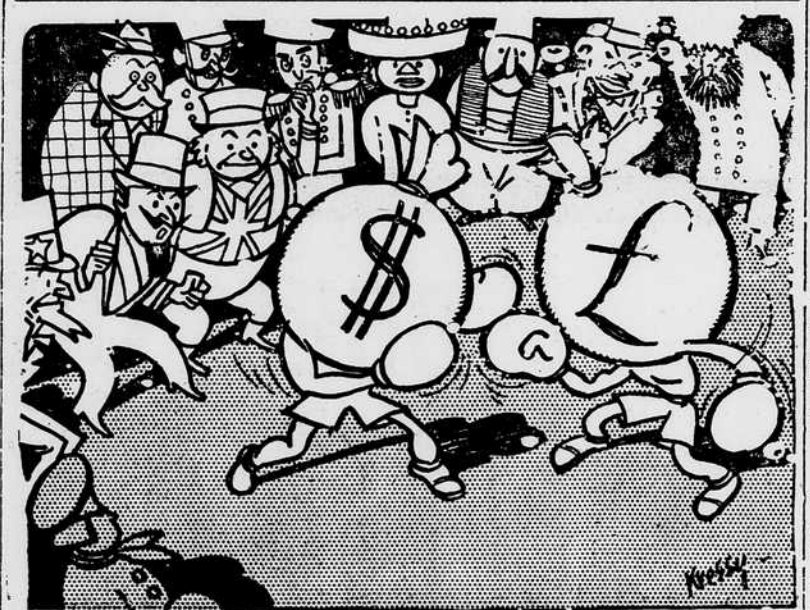
26 Salisbury Stores Agree To Close Saturdays At 9

Twenty six Salisbury stores this week agreed to close at 9 o'clock on Saturday nights and at 6 o'clock on other days.

Sponsored by the Salisbury-Spencer Merchants association, the movement gained immediate favor with local business men. Edwin Earle, Jr., president of the Salisbury-Spencer Merchants association and T. A. Foreman, director of that institution, canvassed the various merchants of the city and obtained a favorable response.

Window cards will be furnished by the Salisbury-Spencer Merchants association to show each merchant that is cooperating in the movement. These will be furnished by Mrs. W. F. Rattz, secretary, upon request.

The movement is in cooperation with the North Carolina labor department and in compliance with the new labor laws which became effective June 1, it was stated. Stores co-operating are as follows:



she has been robbed.

France started those tactics at the beginning of this conference, insisting that the moneys of the world be immediately stabilized at their present ratios. That did not suit the English, who would like to keep the dollar much higher to the pound than it is now, nor the Americans, who think the pound ought to get back to its old dollar value or higher. But the French delegation circulated the report that an agreement had been reached and dollar prices began to tumble. France wants, in short, to keep the franc just where it is, and if the pound goes much higher the French will have to go off the gold standard, like the rest of the world.

On the other hand, the Japanese are opposing stabilization because they want to keep the yen cheap. Every nation has sent its ablest men to the London conference. There are seven prime ministers among the delegates. There is no ground, however, to fear that the American delegation will be outsmarted. There are few able men in America than Secretary of State Cordell Hull, former Governor James M. Cox, Senator Key Pittman, Senator Couzens, Representative McReynolds, James M. Warburg and their economic advisers, who include such men as Professor O. M. W. Sprague and Rene Leon. They know just what America wants and they are not easily fooled by even such high politics as

Europe plays. In the first major political skirmish of the convention, the fight for the chairmanship of the Monetary Commission, the Americans won hands down and James M. Cox was elected Chairman.

America is in the best position of any of the nations in the conference, for we not only have more gold than anybody else but they all, or practically all of them owe us money.

America, too, is in better position than any of them to take its doll rags and go home if the party doesn't go to our delegates' liking. Under the new powers granted to President Roosevelt, we can put the dollar at any price relative to the pound, the franc or the yen that we like, regardless of what the other fellow does. We can keep our tariff up and reduce our currency to a point where our goods can climb over the highest tariff wall any of them can erect. We can curtail production in agriculture and industry to meet our own domestic demands and no more, if we care to do that.

These are the weapons the United States delegates to London have in their hands. Nobody wants to have to use them. Everybody would prefer an amicable international economic agreement, but if we are forced to economic nationalism, we can get along better without the other nations than they can get along without us.

State Auto Inspection Force Will Be Cut

The force of automobile inspectors will be cut from 16 to 6 men on July 1, Dr. M. C. S. Noble, executive assistant commissioner of revenue, announced this week.

Fourteen men of the sixteen present inspectors will be dismissed and four new ones appointed, Noble said.

I. G. Shoaf, of Lexington, and W. T. Landis, of Oxford, are the two who will continue in their positions.

W. C. Spruill, combination inspector and tax collector for Forsyth and Stokes counties, will be retained in the department, but not as an inspector.

When the legislature placed the state highway patrol under the department of revenue, it declared that the force of automobile inspectors should be reduced.

SCOTTSBORO VERDICT SET ASIDE

Heywood Patterson, one of nine Alabama negro boys charged with assaulting a white girl hobo, was last week granted a new trial when Judge James E. Horton, held that the conviction of Patterson on April 9 was contrary to the evidence. Eight of the boys once a faced sentence of death but won a new trial by order of the supreme court.

ESCAPES FROM LAKE

Mrs. Margaret Rennie was rescued from Lake Michigan after clinging 34 hours to a makeshift raft. Her husband and two other men had slipped from the raft to their deaths. The plane of the four on a flight to Milwaukee, encountered heavy fog and plunged into the lake.

A bombing plane enroute from Baltimore to Langley Field crashed into the James river and took four to their deaths. Albert C. Olive, Smithfield, was one of them.

Legalized Horse Racing Carries In Polk County

Legalized horse racing with pari-mutuel betting was approved in a plebiscite by voters of Polk county Tuesday.

The vote, with all precincts reported was:

For, 1,189; against, 561.

The county becomes the first in North Carolina allowed to hold races with betting, following passage of a bill at the last session of the General Assembly which legalized the sport in five counties, subject to a vote of the people.

A heated campaign, in which ministers of the county led a fight against the proposal, preceded the referendum. A racing commission, appointed under the act, headed the drive for approval.

There was no violence during the election and the voting was held in an orderly manner.

Although the races are now legalized, no plans, so far as could be learned, have been made to hold them.

CURRENCY is liquid, all right. We can tell that by the way we only get the drippings.

SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT—ROCKWELL

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage deed of trust, executed by S. B. Waggoner (unmarried) to R. W. Brown Trustee, dated March 13th, 1931, and registered in the Register's Office of Rowan County in Book of Mortgages No. 88 page 141, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and request of foreclosure having been made by the holder thereof, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for CASH, at the courthouse door in Salisbury, N. C., on Monday, July 31st, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described real estate, to-wit:

A lot of land situated in the town of Rockwell, N. C. beginning at an iron stob on Main Street at a point where the public road enters said street and runs thence South with said public road 200 feet to an iron stake; thence West 80 feet to an iron stob; thence North with variations 200 feet to Main street to a stob in said street; thence East with said Main street 80 feet to an iron stob, the place of beginning. For back title reference is hereby made to deeds recorded in Book 202 page 196 and 141 page 31.

This June 29th, 1933. R. W. BROWN, Trustee June 30—July 21.

MORTGAGE SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT—ROCKWELL

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage deed of trust, executed by Clyde L. Miller and wife, Maude Miller to R. W. Brown, Trustee, dated October 19th, 1929, and registered in the Register's Office of Rowan county in book of Mortgages No. 88 page 126, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and request of foreclosure having been made by the holder thereof, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for CASH, at the courthouse door in Salisbury, N. C., on Monday, July 31st, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described real estate, to-wit:

One house and lot in the town of Rockwell, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the North side of the New Highway No. 80, 75 feet S. 51 deg. 40' E. from the East corner of the intersection of highway No. 80 and Ridge Ave., corner of No. 3; thence with the line of lot No. 3 N. 63 deg. E. 183 feet to a stake on line of lot No. 17; thence with the line of lot No. 17 S. 51 deg. 40' E. 75 feet to a stake on line of lot No. 7; thence with line of lot No. 7 S. 63 W. 183 feet to a stake, corner of lot No. 7 on the North edge of Highway No. 80; thence with the Northerly edge of said Highway N. 51 deg. 40' W. 75 feet to the beginning, and being lots Nos. 4, 5, and 6, as shown on the map of H. W. and C. A. Bost, and part of block "F" as shown upon the property of Miller Heights. For back title see deeds recorded in Books Nos. 197 page 231; Map Book page 101.

This June 29th, 1933. R. W. BROWN, Trustee June 30—July 21.

PATTERSON ITEMS

Wayne Patterson was taken to the Mooresville hospital Monday afternoon, and operated on for appendicitis. He is getting along fine.

Mrs. James Wilson and Mrs. L. A. Garver and children visited Mrs. J. F. Litaker the first of this week.

The farmers of this community have been busy threshing wheat and other small grain.

Frank Patterson celebrated his third birthday Saturday afternoon, June 17th by having a birthday party to which he invited a large number of little friends. After a series of games directed by Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Houck, Miss Cauble and Mrs. Hinson, the little folks were invited into the dining room where ice cream, cake and candy were served, much to the delight of the little folks. Those present were: "Bunny" Davis, Audrey Turner, Leonard Litaker, "Buddy" Suther, Ruth, Billie and Sammie McCorkle, Mable, Ollie, Hubert, Leonard and Betty Lou Patterson, Francis Lyn Cauble, and Billie and Carolyn Kimball.

The Patterson ball team won an interesting game from the Grants Creek second team, Saturday afternoon, June 17.

The Rowan Pomona Grange met at Patterson hall Wed. 28.

Recent rains have certainly helped the crops.

A large crowd attended the all-day exercises held at Chapel church Sunday. The new addition to the church was dedicated at the morning service. Dinner was served on the grounds. Three young men were ordained into the church at the afternoon session.

Howard Shue is still confined to his bed with a fractured hip. We hope he will soon be up again.

FIGHT FOR MARKET SERVICE

Washington.—Proposed discontinuance of the market news service June 30 will be protested to Secretary Wallace by a group of senators and representatives headed by Senator Byrd, Democrat of Virginia.

CORRIHER ITEMS

Fishermen in our neighborhood were quite successful on June 21. They were at second creek and caught 50 pounds of fish, four bull frogs and a 10-pound cooter. Those participating in the fun were Messrs. Theo, Albert, Dizio and Foil McLaughlin, Horace Graham and Mr. Statten.

Everybody around here had a good crop of wheat, oats, etc., and owing to the dry weather are through threshing.

Quite a few neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Corriher on Saturday night, June 24th for the purpose of making and eating ice cream and enjoying themselves together. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Corriher, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Karriker and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Karriker and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McLaughlin and family, Messrs. D. L. and T. M. McLaughlin, Robert Kennerly, T. C. Corriher, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corriher and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Corriher and family.

Misses Mildred Corriher and Ethyl Graham gave a surprise birthday party for Miss Nora Graham Saturday night, June 24th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Corriher. After out-door games were played, refreshments were

Hubby Wouldn't Pose



Mrs. F. D. Griffith visited her doctor husband in New York. On the screen she is Irene Dunn. Hubby accompanied her back to Hollywood... but refused to pose with Mrs. Griffith for this photo.

Those present were: Misses Mable and Helen Corriher, Annie Lou and Gladys Deal, Mary Gertrude and Alma Corriher, Nora and Ethel Graham, Ruth Heglar, Mabel and Minnie Corriher, Mildred and Margaret Corriher, Messrs. Marvin, George and Stephen Lazenby, Brice Stewart, Lloyd Goodnight, Lewis Ritchie, John Graham, Frontis Corriher, Flo and Clyde Heglar, William West, Johnnie Earnhardt, Harry and Stanley Corriher, Kemp Thompson, Lee Sedler, Carl Leager, Ralph Potetz, Grover and Jake Corriher and Guy Deal.

Corriher Grange No. 627 will hold its regular meeting Saturday night, July 1st, at 8 o'clock. Important business to be attended to. Also a literary program, prepared by our lecturer, Mrs. C. C. Corriher, will be rendered. We hope all members will be present. Other Grangers welcome.

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Japanese Young Men and Girls Leaping to Death in the Seething Crater of the Mihara Volcano. Read About the Astonishing Epidemic of Suicides in The American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's BALTIMORE AMERICAN. Buy it from your favorite newsdealer or newsboy.

Social Leader Hires Out as a Servant. What She Found Out About the Servant Problem Told by a Society Matron in The American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's BALTIMORE AMERICAN. Buy it from your favorite newsdealer or newsboy.

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