

# F. R. VICTORY GREATEST IN HISTORY

## Watchman To Publish Page Funnies

**Four Cartoons, Four Comics, to Run Weekly**

**Features Are Considered Outstanding Cartoons And Comics In Weekly Field.**

Beginning this week, The Watchman will carry in each issue a full page more of comics and cartoons.

They are as follows: "Little Buddy," "Detective Riley," "Dash Dixon," "The Goofus Family," "Facts You Never Knew," "Our Puzzle Corner," "Crossword Puzzle," "Your Health Comes First."

This will mean the addition of eight new features to be published weekly by The Watchman in its future issues.

Exclusive rights to publish these cartoons and comics in Rowan County have been granted The Watchman under contract with Lincoln Newspaper Features of New York.

These features have been added in furtherance of the policy of the publishers of The Watchman to make it a readable and interesting weekly newspaper.

### All Democrats Elected To Fill State Offices

The following Democratic state ticket was swept into office with unprecedented majorities:

Governor: Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby.

Lieutenant-Governor: Wilkins P. Horton, Pittsboro.

Secretary of State: Thad Eure, Winton.

Auditor: George Ross Pou, Raleigh.

Treasurer: Charles M. Johnson, Raleigh.

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Clyde A. Erwin, Raleigh.

Attorney-General: A. A. F. Seawell, Chapel Hill.

Commissioner of Agriculture: W. Kerr Scott, Haw River.

Commissioner of Labor: A. L. Fletcher, Raleigh.

Commissioner of Insurance: Dan C. Boney, Raleigh.

Associate Justices of the Supreme Court: George W. Conner, Wilson and William A. Devin, Oxford.

Tenth District Court Judge: Marshall T. Spears, Durham.

Fifteenth District Supreme Court Judge: Frank M. Armstrong, Troy.

Senate: Josiah W. Bailey, Raleigh.

House of Representatives—First District: Lindsay C. Warren, Washington.

Second District: John H. Kerr, Warrenton.

Third District: Graham A. Barden, New Bern.

Fourth District: Harold D. Cooley, Nashville.

Fifth District: Frank W. Hancock, Jr., Oxford.

Sixth District: William B. Umstead, Durham.

Seventh District: J. Bayard Clark, Fayetteville.

Eighth District: Walter Lambeth, Thomasville.

Ninth District: Robert L. Doughton, Laurel Springs.

Tenth District: A. L. Bulwinkle, Gastonia.

Eleventh District: Zebulon Weaver, Asheville.

Two car loads of lime, purchased cooperatively, were delivered to Mitchell County farmers last week.

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### Democrats Sweep Rowan

Democrats swept Rowan county Tuesday and carried 26 of the 33 precincts in the county and State races, and 27 in the national contest. A record-breaking total of over 17,000 votes was noted.

President Roosevelt carried the county by more than three to one, his vote being 13,086 compared with 4,170 for Governor Alfred M. Landon.

In the Governor's race, Clyde Hoey, Democratic nominee, was given 10,147 votes; Gilliam Grissom, his opponent, obtained 6,511.

Congressman R. L. Doughton led his Republican foe, Watt Gragg, 11,401 to 4,812.

Incumbents in county officers were re-elected and include: Sheriff J. H. Krider, who led the ticket with 11,910 votes against 4,722 for his opponent; W. D. Kizziah, register of deeds; J. E. Haynes, auditor; R. L. Bernhardt, T. M. Byrd, J. T. Graham, O. L. Linn and C. A. Long, commissioners; Dr. W. L. Tatum, coroner; J. D. Justice, surveyor.

E. C. Gregory was sent to the State Senate; while the representatives in the house will be George Uzzell, incumbent, and Walter "Pete" Murphy, veteran legislator, who served last in the 1933 legislature. W. V. Harris, county judge, and John C. Kesler, solicitor, were Democratic nominees unopposed.

### GOP Birthplace Wrecked!

Ripon, Wis.—Vandals early Tuesday ripped the front steps from the small schoolhouse on the Ripon college campus that is claimed locally as the birthplace of the Republican party. Windows of the building were broken and lime was thrown on the walls.

### Ship's Crew Rescued

London.—A surfboat Tuesday took off the last of the 33 members of the crew from the stricken American freighter, Bessemer City of New York. Driven hard on the rocks at Penderis Point, the vessel's keel was broken, and Capt. A. Herman, the last to leave his ship, said, "she's lost."

### Wallace Denies Reports

Chicago.—Denying reports that he favored limiting corn prices to \$1 a bushel, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace asserted he was interested in "maintaining the income of corn belt farmers at as high a level as possible year in and year out without injustice to other sections."

### MURDER AND SUICIDE

Tampa, Fla.—Peace Justice Leo Walters said three children arriving home late from school found the bodies of their mother, Mrs. Louise Green, 35, and a boarder, Edward D. Akins, 40, sprawled on the kitchen floor. Walters said the two deaths were cases of murder and suicide.

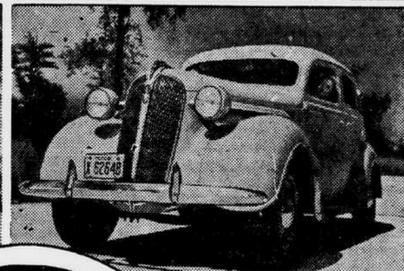
### SOVIET PROPOSAL 'INSULT'

London.—Francisco Caheiros, Portuguese delegate to the London Spanish non-intervention committee at a sub-committee meeting termed Russia's proposed blockade of Portuguese ports an "insult."

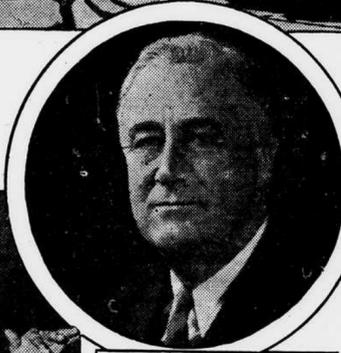
## In The WEEK'S NEWS



**PREPARED FOR WAR EMERGENCIES** — Not quite a peaceful home scene as mother and daughter, wearing gas masks, continue at their knitting during the recent rehearsal of air raid defenses in Paris.



**NEW INNOVATIONS** — Some of the 1937 cars show many new innovations. Pictured here is the 1937 Plymouth with new radiator grille, bigger bodies on new rubber-poise mountings, safety-styling, complete soundproofing, "air-plane" shock absorbers and hypoid rear axles are other Plymouth innovations this year.



**FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT** re-elected President of the United States.



**"EVERYTHING** — including hair from the neighbor's dog" was found in the dirt filtered from a residence in New York. J. J. Donovan, Manager of General Electric's Air Conditioning, told the National Sales Executives Conference in New York recently. "Tiny shreds of steel rails, plaster, coke, petroleum, sulphates, and ammonia were found. Unless it is filtered out, this stuff is breathed into people's lungs."



**"YOUNG AMERICAN SINGERS** deserve to be encouraged," said Mme. Lotte Lehmann, famous grand opera soprano. "Students of every kind need the encouragement of security. I meet so many music students on my concert tours—and wish they could all have the kind of encouragement that is being offered in the Camay \$1,000 a year for life contest!"



**TUNICS FASHION FAVORITES** — Everywhere milady goes she'll run right into tunics of all descriptions. Ann Sothern wears an unusually flattering one made of wine red wool. An especially new note is the uneven hemline.

## Bob Doughton's Majority Is 26,929

### Veteran Solon Wins Easily Over Gragg

#### All of State's 11 Democratic Congressmen Re-elected By Decisive Margins, Survey Shows

Representative R. L. Doughton, chairman of the powerful ways and means committee was re-elected by the largest majority since he sought his first term 28 years ago.

His majority, based on reports from all the counties, was 26,929 over Watt H. Gragg of Boone, his Republican opponent.

All 11 of North Carolina's representatives were re-elected by overwhelming majorities over Republican opponents in Tuesday's balloting, a survey disclosed.

### Woman Clubbed To Death

Rochester, N. Y.—A middle aged grandmother was clubbed and seriously injured in her Irondequoit home while two of her grandchildren huddled in the same room. Police of the Rochester suburb said her assailant then hanged himself in the cellar of the house. Mrs. Lillian Earl, 42, was the victim. The assailant was Frank Hess, 63.

#### MOUSE WEARS DOWN SNAKE AND KILLS IT

Walsenburg, Colo.—A rattlesnake, captured at the L. A. Busch ranch for high school science classes, did very well on a diet of a mouse every two weeks until it was given a particularly agile one. The mouse, Mrs. Busch related, kept dodging the snake's lunges until it wore it down, then nibbled off its rattles and killed it.

## Red Cross Gave Disaster Relief In 39 States Last Year; Rendered Wide Range of Service to American People

The American Red Cross was called on for assistance to 131,000 families as a result of disasters in 39 states during the past year, P. D. Ross chairman of the Salisbury chapter of the Red Cross, declared yesterday in a resume of the year's work of that organization.

"On 105 occasions the Red Cross was called upon during the year to render aid in stricken communities," Mr. Ross said. "This involved assistance as a result of floods, shipwrecks, earthquakes, fires, tornadoes, hurricanes, typhoons, forest fires, epidemics, explosions, bombing, landslides, and other types of disasters."

Mr. Ross revealed that \$5,232,052.48 was spent by the Red Cross for this disaster relief, although at the close of the fiscal year relief work in the spring flood and tornado zones was not completed. Only nine states in the Union

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**GOP States Overtaken Traditionally Republican Commonwealths Slide Into Democratic Column; Landon Loses Own and Holds Only Vermont and Maine.**

President Roosevelt Tuesday piled up the biggest electoral majority any candidate ever enjoyed since the nation grew up.

So vast was his margin over Landon that followers called it a clear mandate for Mr. Roosevelt to continue his liberal policies; even some of his bitterest opponents said every real American must stand behind the President.

Some reactions were immediately visible. The stock market was thrown into a buying whirl, with some issues advancing to a new five year high and only public utility stocks the objects of heavy selling.

Just two States, Maine and Vermont, with a total of eight electoral votes stood on the Landon side. New Hampshire spent election night in the Landon column, then climbed on the Democratic bandwagon.

In the end, the President had 523 electoral votes, Landon 8. It was the nearest approach to unanimity in the electoral college since James Monroe was re-elected in 1820 with only a single vote against him.

A correspondingly top-heavy majority in House and Senate seemed likely. The Democrats appeared to be winning enough seats to give them 75 of the 96 in the Senate. House returns were slower but with something like two score of contests in doubt, the Democrats appeared sure of going beyond 300 seats. In the upsets, they had taken two Republican seats for every one the Republicans had gained from them. They had 308 members in the last House.

## Report 120 Cars Stolen In State Last Month

Raleigh.—The Motor Vehicle bureau reported there were 120 automobiles listed as stolen in North Carolina last month, the largest number in any month in several years. In September there ported.

There were 63 of the cars recovered during the month, along with 25 stolen in previous months, to make 88 recoveries.

## Government Workers Increase

Washington.—An increase of 1,438 employees in the executive branch of the Federal government during September was reported by the civil service commission. In its monthly report the commission said there were 835,704 employees September 30.

## Burglars Get Big Haul

New York.—Burglars cleaned out one of New York's most important dental supply firms over the week-end, looting the establishment of Fawcett and Fawcett, Incorporated, on Fulton street, of precious metals, cash and bonds valued in all at \$25,000.

George E. Collier of Clarkton, route 2, Columbus County, has a small acreage of fall tomatoes that he is selling rapidly at 5 cents a pound.

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