

# Johnson Gets Pay Boost; Changes Vital To NRA Policy Considered

Washington, Aug. 28.—The national recovery administration is considering vital changes in policy as a means of cutting deep slashes in the ranks of the unemployed this fall.

This became known today at the same time as it was disclosed that Hugh S. Johnson, still firmly in control despite recent rows over reorganization, has had his salary increased from \$6,000 to \$15,000 a year.

**Pay Boosted July 1**  
President Roosevelt boosted the pay of his recovery administrator last July 1, long before the differences with Donald R. Richberg, NRA general counsel, and Secretary Perkins came near the breaking point. Johnson had complained many times that he could not live on \$6,000 and would have to return to private business.

It is while Johnson is now on vacation that his aids are studying a wide variety of proposals to step up employment before winter sets in, throwing added relief burdens on the federal and state governments.

One plan which would involve a distinct departure from the previous emergency concepts of NRA would remove production restrictions in codes and attempt to put hundreds of thousands of men to work through a new economy of stimulated production and consumption made possible by greater purchasing power.

**Want Codes Changed**  
Another would seek to open additional jobs through changes in hours and wages such as was done in the cotton garment code. This method of approach would be made easier under the re-alignment of all codes into 22 groups which was announced yesterday.

With the fall season almost here, it was believed that some plan might be ready for presentation to President Roosevelt at Hyde Park, N. Y., when Johnson confers with the chief executive on the reorganization program. This meeting is less than two weeks away.

Obviously, one of the administration's major problems next winter will be that of relief, and the President's advisers are searching for every means to put as many men as possible back to work to lighten that load.

## Beaufort And Hyde to Ask State To Raise Kingsnakes

Kinston, Aug. 28.—Residents of localities in Beaufort and Hyde counties are reported seriously considering asking the state to raise kingsnakes.

The proposal would be the most unusual since the late Eugene Wood, Kinston sportsman, advocated state purchase of 10,000 goats. Wood wanted the goats distributed through the woods and swamps, where they would multiply, keep down scrub growth, eradicate vermin and provide a new game supply.

The Hyde and Beaufort county people would have the king snakes raised to war on rattlers, copperheads and moccasins, reported to be increasing in the tidewater counties. King snakes formerly numerous, are seldom seen now. The reptiles do not shun the haunts of man, and it is believed farm hands, killing them indiscriminately, have about wiped them out. Cannibalistic, king snakes prefer other snakes over any other food and unhesitatingly attack poisonous reptiles.

## Monday, Sept. 3rd, The Wilkes Valley Guards U. S. Will Celebrate 23rd Anniversary.

The public is cordially invited to attend this anniversary benefit, at 4:30 o'clock, which will take place at "Oakland," just west of this city, on the Boone Trail Highway. Come and spend an enjoyable afternoon, and renew acquaintance with our Wilkes county heroes of the War Between the States. The daughters will give a short historical program, in costume, and Misses Bert and Ila Holman and Mrs. L. M. Nelson will assist with the music. Refreshments will be served. A choice display of Confederate relics will interest the young people. Admission 25c. Space for parking cars has been arranged on top of hill, at rear of residence.—Reported.

## GOOD REVIVAL AT WILKESBORO BAPTIST

The revival service conducted at the Wilkesboro Baptist church last week resulted in a number of additions to the church and reconnections. A baptismal service will be held on Sunday evening.

The pastor, Rev. Avery Church, was assisted in the afternoon services during the week by Miss Sarah Funderburt, missionary here on a furlough from Japan. Much interest was taken in the services.

## NEMARS TO MAKE BLINDFOLD DRIVES

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without anyone being in the car with him he will weave his way through the traffic on all the streets of the business section of North Wilkesboro.

Without visible assistance he will stop at a number of stores, going in and getting useful and valuable articles which he will take out into the streets and give away in the crowds.

The Nemars explain that the drive is possible as an exhibition of their mental psychology and that he is directed by Madame Nemar in the car immediately in the rear. Following Baby Shirley's car will be a Reins-Sturdivant ambulance, so that in case anything should happen to Prof. Nemar the ambulance will be there to rush him to the hospital.

In making his drive Prof. Nemar will use Texaco Fire Chief Gasoline, furnished by S. B. Richardson, agent. Prof. Nemar drives a Hudson car that has been driven 264,000, and he claims the particular gasoline and oil he has been using has caused him to get wonderful service from his car.

This is claimed to be one of the most sensational performances that has ever been offered to the people of this section.

The extremely mystifying performance is offered absolutely free to the people of Wilkes and all Northwestern North Carolina. This is made possible through the courtesy of The Journal-Patriot and the business firms of the city who are staging the special trade event for Friday and Saturday.

The Journal-Patriot invites every man, woman, boy and girl in this part of the state to come to North Wilkesboro Friday, Saturday or both days and witness the thrilling blindfold drive.

As an additional inducement, aside from the mystifying entertainment offered by the Nemars, the merchants and business firms of the city have planned a series of outstanding bargain offerings in order that the visit of the throng of people expected will be profitable in dollars and cents as well as entertaining.

This newspaper contains the messages of the merchants who have helped to make the Nemar exhibition possible and the readers' attention is specifically called to the advertisements for further information about the stops Prof. Nemar will make during his drive and the gifts to be given away at various points.

## ENFORCE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE LAW

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ing books, clothing and lunch to the most needy cases.

These provisions, however, are not for the general public and certainly not for those who have any possible way of providing for themselves but for the most destitute cases on the relief list.

In view of the above facts, Mr. McNeill stated that parents who do not send their children to school regularly will be indicted and prosecuted.

The welfare officer is asking that all teachers make a report each week of any unexcused absences from school. In case there is not one unexcused absence a report is not required, Mr. McNeill stated.

Mrs. G. G. Foster, county relief administrator, made a short talk to the teachers in meeting Tuesday and explained the plans of her office as it affects school children this year. Lunches will be furnished relief children in much the same manner as last year.

## Liberty Theatre Has Interesting Display

The window display of the Liberty Theatre in the Brame Drug Company window is attracting much attention.

In the display are photos of such movie celebrities as Clark Gable, Marion Davies, Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Robert Montgomery and others whose night telegrams of congratulations to The Liberty Theatre on the opening of "Greater Movie Season."

"Greater Movie Season" will continue for two months, during which time Harold Kay, theatre manager, is endeavoring to secure the very best in motion pictures and has calendared a number of elaborate stage shows. The front of the theatre has been decorated in a most attractive manner, portraying vividly the advent of "Greater Movie Season" and the stars that are to appear in many of the screen hits.

Jags—"Doctor, my wife has insomnia very badly. She very often remains awake until 2 o'clock in the morning. What shall I do for her?"  
Doctor—"Go home earlier."



**NEW YORK . . .** Despite the official golf frown and ban against women players appearing in shorts for tournament play, Miss Bea Gottlieb (above), appeared at a local course here and played her game attired thusly.

## KIDNAPING GIRLS CHARGED TO PAIR

Smithfield, Aug. 29.—Charged with the kidnaping of Josephine Smith and Ofolia Barber, August 12, Miss Sarah Beasley, alias Mrs. Arthur I. Krane, with her brother, Clinton Beasley, tonight was in the Johnston county jail here pending the giving of \$5,000 bond.

The two were brought here about 6 o'clock tonight, from New York. Camella Price and Ogolia Barber, reportedly two of their victims, accompanied them here.

The two alleged victims told of being enmeshed in a complicated immoral racket. The girls said they were imprisoned as inmates of an immoral house without the privilege of corresponding with their parents and friends, and without money or clothing.

## AUSTRIA'S HANGMAN IS DRIVEN INSANE

Vienna, Aug. 28.—Too much work has driven Austria's hangman crazy, it was reported tonight.

The nervous and emotional strain connected with the execution of 12 nazis and nine socialists since February sent Johan Lang, famed as perhaps Europe's most meticulously dressed executioner, into an asylum, the reports said, and an ordinary policeman put the last nazi to death.

Lang invariably wore evening clothes to work.

It was his custom, on entering the condemned man's cell, to doff his high silk hat and introduce himself with the words: "My name is Lang. I am the government executioner."

## House Struck by Lightning; Woman's Throat Is Burned

Goldsboro, Aug. 28.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Presley Bundy in the southern part of Wayne county was struck by lightning the latter part of the week, causing painful injury to Mrs. Bundy and considerable freak damage to the house, it was reported in Goldsboro Monday.

Mrs. Bundy was alone in the house and was lowering a window when the bolt struck. The window was shattered, and she was burned in the throat, so that she could not call to the neighbors, though she saw smoke pouring from the kitchen. Neighbors saw the smoke, however, and summoned the Mount Olive fire company.

## RELIEF ALLOTMENT NEARLY \$2,000,000

Raleigh, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state relief administrator, today received notice of an allotment of \$1,879,530 for September relief work in this state.

Mrs. O'Berry stated that \$350,000 of that amount would be used to fatten "drought cattle," shipped here from the arid west, for canning purposes. Four canneries were being established, she said—one at Raleigh, another at Greensboro, a third at Asheville, and a fourth at Wilson. Products of the canneries will be used to feed unemployed and needy during the winter.

## Missed Her Aim

A man wounded in the head was taken to the hospital and the doctor asked him how it happened. "My wife threw a stone and hurt me," murmured the man.

"Well, that's the first time I ever heard of a woman hitting anything she aimed at," said the doctor.

"Oh," answered the man, wearily, "she wasn't aiming at me. She was throwing at a dog and I was behind her."

## Plans For Fair Going Forward

Bigger And Better Exposition Expected Here September 18 to 22

All indications point to a big fair here September 18 to 22, according to predictions made by W. A. McNeill, president and general manager.

Some of the logical reasons for making this prediction are: cash premiums in all classes of exhibits; Marx Greater Shows on the midway; regimental band from Fort Bragg; company of field artillery from Fort Bragg; to take part in the big opening parade; many kinds of free acts, including balloon ascension and parachute jump; and various other features that indicate a bigger exposition than in former years.

The Great Wilkes Fair is open to Wilkes and adjoining counties and has become in recent years the outstanding gala event of the year for this part of the state.

An unparalleled attraction for the fair here will be the professional auto races on Saturday, last day of the fair.

As the fall season approaches, people are becoming "fair-minded" and are making their plans to attend as much of the fair as possible.

Tuesday, September 18, will be school children's day and all children enrolled in the schools will be admitted free to the grounds with a ticket to the rides and shows.

## TEACHERS TALK THEIR PROBLEMS

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tain View; D. R. Wright, Trap-hill; George H. Hill, Ronda; and C. M. Cook, Roaring River.

Devotional was conducted by Rev. J. L. A. Bumgarner and talks were made by Supt. Eller, Mrs. G. G. Foster, county relief director, and Charles McNeill, county welfare officer.

Following the meeting supplies for the schools which opened yesterday were distributed from the office of the county superintendent.

## JOHNSTON IS AHEAD IN GOVERNOR'S RACE

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 28.—Dry votes overcame an early wet lead in South Carolina's advisory liquor referendum as Olin D. Johnston, an avowed prohibitionist, and Cole L. Blease, veteran campaigner, took a decided lead over eight other candidates seeking the nomination as governor on tabulations of the vote from showed 50,973 votes in favor of the present prohibition laws against 50,554 in favor of legalizing liquor. There are 1,474 precincts in the state.

## UPTON SINCLAIR HAS LEAD IN CALIFORNIA

San Francisco, Aug. 28.—Upton Sinclair and his "end poverty in California" platform took a sharp lead in the race for the Democratic nomination for governor on the basis of first returns tonight from the state primary election.

Out of 10,703 precincts in the state, 455 complete and incomplete, 445 of them in Los Angeles county, the widely known author for 29,834 votes.

## Nemar On Stage At Liberty Theatre For Friday Nite Performance

Prof. Nemar, who will stage his famous blindfold drive here Friday and Saturday, will appear in a special stage program at the Liberty Theatre Friday night at eleven o'clock.

His stage show will be of the spooky order and thrills abound in every act. The performance is claimed to be one of the best of its kind offered on the stage in recent years.

## Falls Into Crater

Government Camp, Ore., Aug. 28.—An unidentified Seattle mountain climber today fell 200 feet into the crater of Mount Hood, 1,000 feet below the summit.

Members of the party who attempted to rescue him were driven back by the sulphur fumes with which the crater is always filled. Virtually no hope was held for the man's life.

## Held In Shooting

Raleigh, Aug. 28.—E. S. Jennings was arrested here today deadly weapon with intent to on a charge of assault with a kill in connection with the wounding early this morning of Allen Williams, 28, as he walked with Richard Dean in an alley adjoining a Raleigh apartment building.

Little Boy—Come quick, Mr. Policeman! There's a man been fightin' my father for half an hour.

Officer—"Cause father was gettin' the best of it until a minute ago.



**WASHINGTON . . .** After twenty years of exhibition by the Smithsonian Institute as the "oldest ear of corn on earth" it has been found that the ear was moulded from clay, baked in a slow fire and is a rattle. . . . It is valuable nevertheless, showing the art of the ancients years ago.

## MARY AND DOUG HAPPY TOGETHER

Hollywood, Aug. 29.—Hollywood said today that Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks have ironed out all their difficulties and again are happy together.

"I won't deny it," said Miss Pickford with a vague smile. Her divorce suit against Doug is still pending, however.

She was told that all Hollywood is talking of a reported reconciliation.

"I can't discuss it now," she said. "I have never discussed the matter. Why should I begin now?"

## ARGUMENT IN GREEN CASE IS POSTPONED

Raleigh, Aug. 29.—Oral argument in the appeal of Bascom Green and his son, Lester Green, to the state Supreme court from a conviction of murder in Alexander county was today postponed to September 18.

The two Green men were convicted early this year for the murder of T. C. Barnes, Taylorsville bank cashier, Ed Black, convicted in the same case, is slated to die September 21 for his part in the murder, and Mike Stefanoff was electrocuted last May.

## To Advertise Land For Taxes In September

Property on which 1933 taxes have not been paid will be advertised for sale during the month of September, it was learned today from chairman of the board of commissioners.

Delinquent taxpayers are urged to pay up, save further penalty, cost of advertising, embarrassment and help the county to pay its bills.

## Marriage Licenses

Only two licenses to wed were issued during the past week from the office of Register of Deeds T. H. Settle. The two couples were John Shumate, Oakwoods, and Nellie Louise Elmore, Straw; Silas Church and Bessie Holman, both of Purlair.

## On Buying Trip

L. A. Harris, of the firm of L. A. Harris & Son, and Lee Edward Harris, of Harris Brothers Department Store, left the first of the week for New York City and other northern markets, buying fall and winter merchandise for the stores here.

## BODY OF DROWNED MAN DISCOVERED

Raleigh, Aug. 28.—During a three-day vigil, searchers today found the body of Clyde Fowler, 22, drowned Sunday afternoon when he dived into Crabtree creek near here, attempting to save a friend whom he believed drowning.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many relatives, friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness, and the help given us during the illness and death of our husband and father, Mr. W. A. Bumgarner. We also wish to thank them for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. W. A. BUMGARNER AND CHILDREN.

## TWO BROTHERS DIE WITHIN FEW HOURS

Asheboro, Aug. 28.—Two brothers, Grant, and Frank Robins, 64 and 66 years old, respectively, residents of this city for many years, died today only a few hours apart.

## WANT ADS

**MAKE DELICIOUS FRUIT drinks**—Punch and sherbet with OH-BOY, that refreshing drink; six popular flavors; 10-cent bottle makes gallon; on sale at all leading grocers. 9-3-4t

**KEEP A GOOD GRADE OF GINGER Ale** in your home. Take no risk. Be sure that it's PAR-T-PAK. 10c per 32 oz. quart (not 28 oz.) Deposit 5c. 8-9-tf

**FOR SALE**—New bushel baskets with lids and liners. Mountain Crest Orchards, H. H. Morehouse & Sons. Phone 4800-M. 8-30-4

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Elbert Rhoades Agent

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North Wilkesboro, N. C.

Raleigh, Aug. 28.—North Carolina's population and correct institutional population increased from 17,973 June 30 17,856 August 1, the state board of charities and public welfare reported today.

## BABY SHIRLEY

is having her beauty work done at our beauty parlor while in the city.

SHE SAYS: "I highly recommend the Ideal to the ladies of this community."

## Ideal Beauty Parlor

Mrs. R. J. Hinshaw, Prop.

## NEMAR SAYS:

Dine At the PRINCESS CAFE

where you get courteous service and meals like those cooked at home.

Jimmie Piperis, Proprietor

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## Nemar Says:

"We carry high quality Feeds, Flour, and Staple Groceries."

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## Farmers Feed Store

A. C. DENNIS, Proprietor  
Near Depot North Wilkesboro, N. C.

# Tomlinson's DEPARTMENT STORE

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Welcomes Prof. Nemar and the Crowds that will be here Friday and Saturday to see his Blindfold Drives

VISIT TOMLINSON'S FOR BARGAINS WHILE YOU ARE HERE

NEMAR will call by our store during his blindfold drive and get a present to be presented to someone in the crowd.