

WEATHER
Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.



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GOOD AFTERNOON
Columbus, it is said, brought the first orange seed to America, and so planted the first seeds of battle between Florida and California.

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CANADIAN CONFESSES TO MURDER OF SIX

LEGION WOULD RESCIND RED RECOGNITION

Warriors Say So - Continues to Spread Propaganda in U. S.

LEGION SWORN IN; MAJES ARE CHOSEN

FLA., Oct. 26.—(UP).—The American Legion had aimed strength last night in opposition to two policies of the United States which would pay for immediate payment of the bonus and against Russian Communism.

The Legion, which controls 3,000,000 votes, passed by over-riding majority resolutions demanding immediate payment of the bonus and withdrawal of Soviet recognition, the latter on the grounds that Russia continues to persecute Communist propa- ganda on the American continent.

The bonus payment resolution, which may again flood Wash- ington with picketing war veterans, was adopted by a majority so decisive that a roll call was ordered only to be sure that every man has a vote in the proceedings of the convention.

The resolution urging "immediate revocation of recognition of the U. S. by the United States of America" was passed by a viva voce vote.

Adopting both resolutions, the Legion arose to a spectacular display of opposition to the administration at Washington.

Frank Belgrano, San Francisco leader, took an oath to work for the repeal of laws carrying out the resolutions before the 74th convention and then became national commander by acclamation. He presided over the convention.

The bonus legislation the Legion will attempt to force through next congress carries a demand for elimination of interests and already collected by government.

Spurred through the convention by shouts and cheers of hundreds of delegates, many of them pledged to vote to demand legislation that may cost the government almost \$3,000,000.

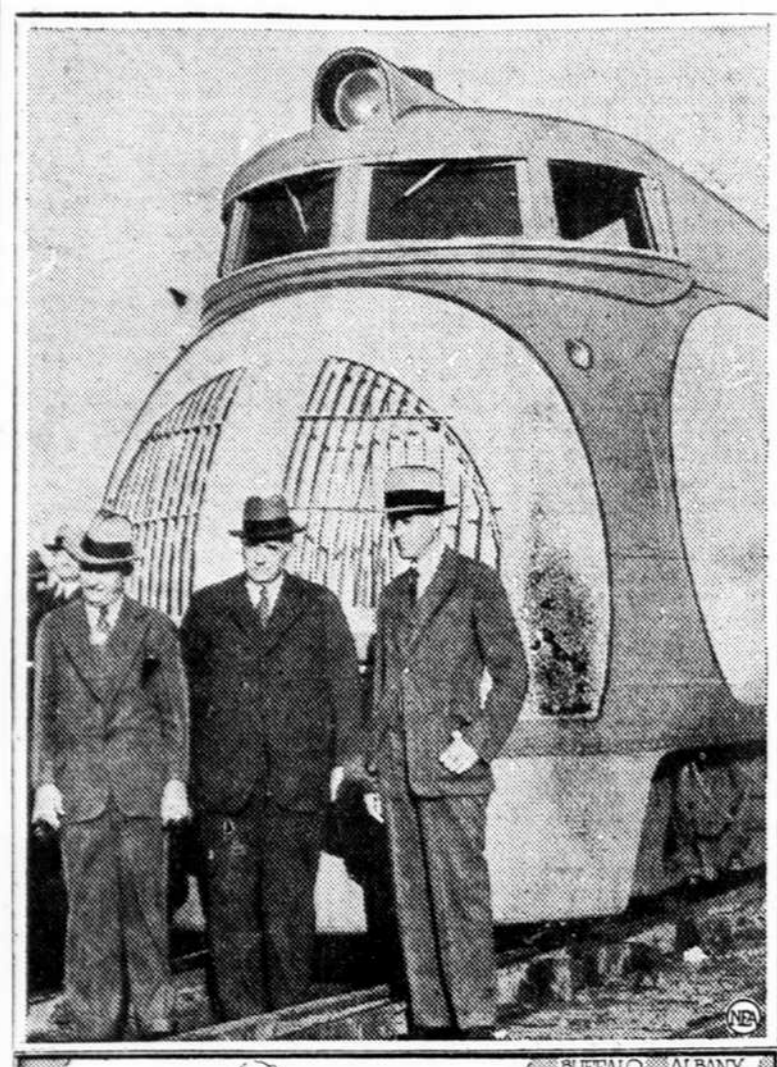
The resolution opposing recognition of the Soviet, the first original opposition to President Roosevelt's action, read:

"Whereas, the American Legion heretofore opposed the recognition of the Soviet Republic and the Communist propaganda and activities emanating from Russia directly or indirectly through the press, radio, and other means, and whereas, such activities have increased and on the contrary have decreased as is evident by the fact that the Soviet Republic is now recognized by the United States of America."

There were seven nominees, Mrs. Tom Daniels, New Bern, N. C.; Ernest L. Bell, Jr., of Raleigh, N. C., leaving no opposition to the other five:

Those elected were: J. Doherty, Warburn, N. C.; J. Warner, Toledo, Ohio; J. Kennedy, Mandan, N. D.; J. Melton, Griffin, Ga.; J. Warner, Portland, Ore.

Sets Cross-Country Mark



Above are F. W. Charske, Carl R. Gray, president of the Union-Pacific railroad, center, and W. A. Harriman, with the bullet-nosed crack streamlined train in the background, which "loafed across the country" from Los Angeles to New York, arriving there yesterday in 56 hours and 55 minutes, reaching Grand Central terminal at 9:55 a. m. Thursday. It cost \$90 to fuel the trip and vibration was felt aboard the low-slung duralumin coaches only when the Diesel-powered train paced 120 miles an hour over the Wyoming and Omaha table lands. A daily schedule will be provided if public response warrants, railroad officials declared.

KIWANIS HAS DINNER FROLIC

Affair for Teachers Has Hallowe'en Air; Asheville-William Is Speaker

A Halloween dinner party combining an address by the Rev. E. Gibson Davis, pastor of the First Baptist church, Asheville; group singing, led by Roy C. Bennett; a review of Kiwanis club activities this year, and a nail-driving contest by eighteen women was given at the Skyland hotel last night with Kiwanians, their wives and teachers of the city, Fossilfern and Blue Ridge schools and a number of other guests—125 persons in all—attending.

Mr. Davis lent a serious note to the gathering with an inspirational address on the subject, "What Are You Worth?" He dealt with the value of a man's life to himself, his church, his community, the schools, his club and other institutions rather than his worth in money or its equivalent. H. E. Mitchell, chairman, gave a report on the accomplishments of the club's underprivileged children committee, and C. M. Ogle, club secretary gave a resume of the activities of other committees. The underprivileged child committee, Mr. Mitchell said, has held five free medical clinics over the county, with 250 exam-

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Trial and Error Phase of NRA Thing of Past, Richberg Declares

NEW YORK, Oct. 26. (UP)—With the trial and error phase of the NRA a thing of the past, "the attitude and personnel of the well-balanced deliberative body now administering the act should inspire confidence and invite whole-hearted support," Donald Richberg, director of the national emergency council, told the Harvard Business School club last night.

Speaking in New York's Harvard club, Richberg, in reviewing gains under the recovery act, said that there still are two factors of uncertainty which must be considered—lack of confidence of business men in their relations with each other, and lack of confidence of employers in their relations with their employees.

PLEA MADE TO RE-ESTABLISH M. E. COLLEGE

Caldwell Methodists Want Davenport College Operated Again

GREENSBORO, Oct. 26.—A lengthy petition filed by Methodists of Caldwell county, asking revocation of the previous action of the Western North Carolina conference by which Davenport college at Lenoir was closed was expected to bring before that body the question of reopening the college before adjournment of the conference here is taken. The petition was placed with the board of Christian Education but its view of further consideration of the action by which Lenoir had been merged last year with Greensboro college has not yet been disclosed.

Yesterday's session of the conference was marked by a mass of business transactions, included among which was the withdrawal of charges against the Rev. W. A. Newell, pastor of the First Methodist church at Salisbury. Indication that he would face trial by a church court had come the opening day of the conference when the presiding officer, Bishop Paul B. Kern had barred him from voting the first day in conference procedure.

Presiding Elder C. S. Kirkpatrick arose and said that charges had been preferred against Rev. Mr. Newell and investigated by a committee which had found a trial to be necessary.

Rev. J. A. Baldwin, who was tried and convicted of slander against Rev. Mr. Newell at the 1933 conference in Charlotte and was reprimanded by Bishop Edwin Monzon at the instigation of the church trial jury, was recognized by Bishop Kern.

Reading a prepared statement, Rev. Mr. Baldwin said, "After giving very serious and prayerful consideration to the matter, I desire on my own motion to request the annual conference to give its permission for me to withdraw my charges against Rev. W. A. Newell."

On motion of Dr. W. W. Peele, seconded by the Rev. J. T. Mangum, the conference voted unanimously to allow the minister to withdraw the charges. The conference then passed upon the character of Rev. Mr. Newell, who before his present pastorate was presiding elder for the Greensboro district.

With routine work proceeding apace the conference today received the announcement of the vote cast Wednesday on the constitutional question of limiting the length of the terms of presiding elders.

The vote was as follows: For, 251; against 167. The question is being submitted to the annual conferences of the church, and the results of the poll will be reported at the next general conference. A three-fourths majority vote of the general conference is necessary to pass the measure.

Establishment of an advisory commission on general indebtedness of the church was authorized by the conference soon after it began its second day's session. The commission, which will be appointed by the presiding bishop during the present meeting, is to consist of seven men, four laymen and three clergymen. Its duties will be to work with the boards of reduce indebtedness or make plans for refinancing existing debts.

HABEAS CORPUS WILL BE ARGUED MONDAY

GOLDSBORO, Oct. 26. (UP)—A habeas corpus hearing for Mrs. Ruby Grice and her brother, Donald Sasser, held in connection with the murder of Mrs. Grice's husband, was postponed from Thursday until Monday.

Solicitor Clawson Williams, now attending court at Sanford in Lee county, requested the postponement because he would be unable to attend the hearing.

Judge R. Hunt Parker, superior court at Greenville will conduct the hearing.

Wesleyan Revival Makes Progress

A large crowd heard the message last night at the Wesleyan church as the pastor, Rev. M. R. Harvey, delivered a strong sermon from the text Lev. 6:13 "The fire shall be burning upon the altar, it shall never go out." He used as his subject: "Keeping the fire burning." The principal divisions were: Some Alters, Some Fires, How to Keep Them Burning, and When They Should Burn and the Results.

The singers are attracting considerable interest by their duets and choruses. The revival is taking on an encouraging proportion.

AUTHORITATIVE CIRCLES SEE SMALL CHANCE FOR BONUS PAYMENT BECOMING REALITY

House May Vote It, But If Senate Does Quick Veto Will Follow

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26. (UP)—Immediate payment of two billion dollar soldiers' bonus as demanded by the American Legion was seen today in authoritative circles as having small chance of becoming a reality.

Legionnaires' hopes conflict directly with the attitude of the administration which feels that veterans should take pot-luck with the rest of the nation in the recovery drive.

Legislative experts predicted that the House may pass the bonus legislation but that the senate probably will not.

Even if the senate should do a right-about-face President Roosevelt is expected to produce a quick veto. Roosevelt feels that the expenditure of such a vast sum now would wreck all attempts to balance the budget.

SOVIET OPENS LARGE PLANT

Is Built to Produce Needed Factories; Has 13 Departments

KRAMATORSK, U.S.S.R., Oct. 26. (UP)—One of the most important parts of the vast industrial structure being built by the Soviet Union, the Stalin-Kramatorsk Machine Building Plant, has just been officially opened here.

This plant occupies a fundamental position in Soviet industry, for here are being built the machines for hundreds of other factories producing everything from lace to locomotives. Its vastness may be judged from the fact that it has 13 departments, occupies 400 acres and employs 15,000 workers and 1,377 technicians.

When the Soviet regime was experiencing the first flush of success of building up industry, the mistake was made of opening plants officially long before they were ready to function. Embarrassment often followed. But this mistake was avoided at Kramatorsk. Actually this plant began production last year. But officials waited until it was functioning well in every respect before bringing on bands, banners and speeches.

The present plant is a nucleus of what will be an even larger industrial center. When all the factories are completed it will manufacture every year; six blast furnaces, 30 open hearth furnaces, three blooming mills, 16 other types of rolling mills, and many other types of heavy machinery.

HUGE STEEL FOUNDRY The steel foundry is one of the largest departments of the factory. It occupies 25 acres of floor space and has a capacity of 43,000 tons of castings. This may be compared with a capacity of 25,000 tons of the Ural Machine Building Plant, previously the largest in the Soviet Union, and 24,000 tons for the famous Krupp plant at Essen, Germany.

The plant includes two cast iron foundries. One is for casting parts up to 100 tons, the other for smaller castings up to one-half ton. These two factories occupy 39,000 square meters of floor space.

T. V. A. Purchase Of Plant Okeyed

Attorneys to Carry Fight to Higher Authority

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 26. (UP)—The Tennessee Railroad and Public Utilities commission today approved the Tennessee Valley Authority's purchase of power properties enabling the Valley Authority to place its electrical "yardstick" in Knoxville.

Attorneys for private interests objecting to the \$6,280,000 transaction immediately moved to block consummation of the sale.

ARREST 5 IN BUNCOMBE

ASHEVILLE, Oct. 26.—The sheriff's department today arrested Carl Justice, Clarence Justice, Joyce Justice, Jeter Evans and Paul Ingle, on charge of disorderly conduct in connection with a disturbance which broke up a Republican rally which had been set for Reems Creek last night, when Lawrence J. Pace was to have been the principle speaker.

Lazy Brag Wins 100 Job Offers



Mrs. Oscar Mullenax, who resides in the Mills River community, is believed by sportsmen here to be the second woman to kill a deer in Henderson county.

Mrs. Mullenax, who has often hunted small game and accompanied her husband and others on deer hunts, killed a big buck with two spikes within a hundred yards of her home.

Mrs. Mullenax said that her husband and friends had often laughed at her ambition to join the deer hunters, but she continued to say that all she needed was a fair shot to kill a deer. The buck was killed with a 25-36 Marlin rifle and only one shot was necessary to bring down the deer.

Mrs. Mullenax is said to be the second woman to kill a deer in this county. Several years ago Mrs. J. Allen Rhodes was successful in bringing down a buck in the Mills River country.

Mrs. Mullenax says that she has always been fond of rifle shooting and that as a child she learned to shoot.

Outlaws Plotted Assassination

KIRIN, Manchukuo, Oct. 26. (UP)—A purported plot against the life of the youthful Emperor Kang Teh, erstwhile "Son of Heaven" and last imperial ruler of China before the Republic, was revealed by the Manchukuo authorities yesterday.

The former "boy emperor" is on an official tour of his new realm, making an inspection visit to numerous cities in his empire.

A band of outlaws heavily armed has been seized, officials announced. Ringleaders were reported to have been apprehended hiding behind the procurator's office in Kirin, capital of Kirin Province where the 30-year-old monarch was scheduled to pause during his survey.

The purported plot was the first time any subversive movement against the youthful, scholarly emperor has been admitted by the Manchukuo or Japanese authorities, in power in the realm they handed Kang Teh following the seizure of Manchuria and the organization of Manchukuo as a separate nation in northeastern Asia.

The youth is guarded by Manchukuo and Japanese soldiers and special body guards at all times, and when travelling about Hsinking, his capital, frequently uses an American-built armoured limousine with bullet-proof glass.

INTER-RACIAL WORK IS UNION MISSION TOPIC

The Union Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Wesleyan Methodist church. The subject for the program is "Interracial Work in the Community."

WEED PRICES GOOD

DANVILLE, Va., Oct. 26. (UP)—Banks here remain open until 5 p. m. on tobacco trading days. Farmers are receiving highest prices since 1919, and the banks find it impossible to cash all checks presented within regular hours.

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ACTS SEEN AS REVENGE FOR HIS DISCHARGE

Florida Mob Seizes Negro In Alabama Who Assaulted, Killed Girl

SALEM MAN QUIZZED IN KIDNAP ATTEMPT

QUEBEC, Oct. 26.—(UP).—Rosaire Bilodeau, 45, and believed by officers to be deranged, today confessed he had killed six persons and led police to the woods where he had left four of the bodies. He was unable to remember where he had left the other bodies.

The victims were two aged sisters, Mary and Rosalie Gaston, cousins of Yvette Gaston, and Germaine Gauvin and Octave Fiset, assistant postmaster, who had recently discharged Bilodeau as clerk.

THINK NEGRO KILLER MAY BE LYNCHED

BREWTON, Ala., Oct. 26.—(UP).—One hundred armed men in 30 automobiles bearing Florida licenses stormed the county jail here today and seized Claude Neal, 23, negro, who was the confessed attacker and slayer of Miss Lola Cannady, 20-year-old Marianna, Fla. farm girl.

A spokesman for the mob declared they were going to take the negro to Marianna and turn him over to the girl's father.

Marianna authorities stated several hours later, however, that the mob had failed to show up there. Some believed that Neal had been lynched en route back to Florida.

TWO WOUNDED IN ATTEMPTED JAIL BREAK

MARIANNA, Fla., Oct. 26.—(UP).—Deputy Sheriff David Ham and Harris McKinney, convicted bank robber, were critically wounded as the result of an attempt to escape while officers were transferring three prisoners to Chopley jail.

Horace Johns, of Sneads, was charged with supplying the gun used by McKinney in attempting to liberate himself, Burford Miles, and Miles Dudley, all convicted of robbing the Malone bank of \$3,000.

QUIZ TRAVELING MAN IN GIRL'S DISAPPEARANCE

DANVILLE, Va., Oct. 26. (UP).—C. M. South, 52, Salem traveling salesman, who was jailed on a charge of attempting to kidnap Virginia Case, 9, was questioned today about the disappearance of Dorothy Distelhurst, of Nashville, several weeks ago.

South denied any knowledge of the Distelhurst case but was inquisitive as to whether Dorothy had been found.

Five Danville girls accused South of trying to get them to enter his automobile.

Mrs. Cleveland Passes Away At Home Near Here

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 26. (Special).—Mrs. Agnes Crockett Cleveland, wife of John Z. Cleveland, died this morning at 2 o'clock, following a protracted illness, at her home, Poinsette Point, in Greenville county.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 3:30 p. m., from the Church of the Advent, by the rector, the Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, with interment following in Oakwood cemetery.

Mrs. Cleveland leaves the following brothers and sisters: S. E. and Joseph E. Crockett, Wytheville, Va.; W. B. Crockett of the University of Virginia; Mrs. Mary E. Lynch, Tazewell, Va.; Mrs. W. T. Carrell, Asbury, Va.; Mrs. A. B. Carrell, Stuart's Draft, Va.; and Miss Lou Crockett, Stuart's Draft, Va.

The following will serve as active pallbearers: Alfred Moore, McFarland Cates, Dr. Frank Evans, E. M. Mathews, W. G. Willard, J. P. Fielder, Robert M. Cleveland and Conrad Cleveland, Jr.

ADMITTED TO BAR
DURHAM, Oct. 26. (UP)—Judge G. W. Cowper sat on the superior court bench here yesterday. Before him, an old college classmate presented a new member to the state bar. The newcomer was Albert W. Cowper—son of the judge.