

ant Justices Of Supreme Court To Speak At Hearing

ponents of Roosevelt Plan Wish To Have Judges Present Their Side

Receives Support

irman Of Judiciary Committee Will Permit Judges Who Want To Appear

ponents of the Roosevelt court organization plan are hopeful of

ng several members of the Supreme Court to give their views on the senate judiciary committee now holding hearings.

Very cautiously and privately

ded out on the idea, it was and the senators involved are fearful of obtaining their acquiescence and thereby giving the opposition side of the great dispute the spectacular and striking support.

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ponents of the Roosevelt sure received testimony Wednesday from Edward S. Corwin, professor of constitutional law at Princeton university.

He said that proposed revamping of the judiciary is necessary to "bring out an interpretation of the Constitution in the light of the meaning given it by the founders."

another development was a radio speech by Representative Burdick said the gist of the court controversy is "that the president has few Deal scheme which he dees to enact into law and has obtained, not because it is constitutional but because it is a part of the New Deal."

he attempt to bring members of the court before the committee given added stimulation by a party banquet address with which Associate Justice McReynolds broke the ice of judicial reverence about the tremendous confidence of good sportsmanship," he said last night, "is that a man who has had a chance to present a fair case to a fair tribunal must be a good sport and accept the outcome."

Long Cases Take Up Time Of Court

Two long drawn out, involved cases occupied the attention of the court Tuesday and Wednesday to the exclusion of all other matters.

Following this case of skin presnell vs. C. W. Brower comes up, and the remainder of today afternoon and the greater part of Wednesday was devoted to before the jury decided that the plaintiff was entitled to nothing at all.

Two Battleships Planned For 1938

Two new battleships, one of them named the "North Carolina," will be built next year if the plans of Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of naval operations, go through.

The king's message asked that Parliament provide for Queen Elizabeth as well as Princess Elizabeth, 10, and Princess Margaret Rose, 6, children of the sovereigns, and the Duke of Gloucester, the King's next younger brother.

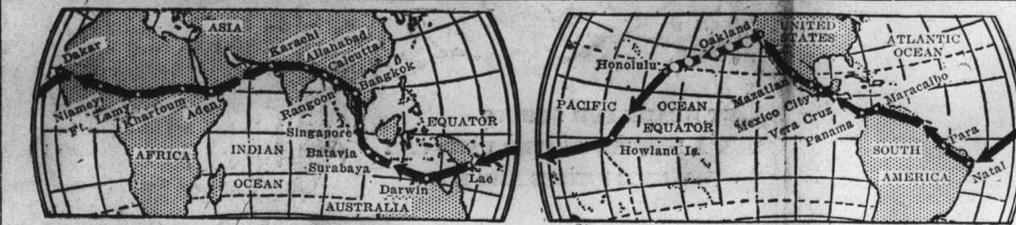
The kind also asked Parliament to provide funds "in the event of the birth of a Duke of Cornwall." The Cornwall revenues traditionally go to the King's eldest son, heir to the throne, but George and Elizabeth now have no son.

Edward, when he became King, turned over about \$125,000 of the Cornwall revenues to the Duke of York, now king. The rest of the income, totalling about \$935,000, was left untouched, as was a credit of \$200,000 set aside for the event Edward married white king.

How much income Edward now receives is speculative. He was supposed to have been given approximately \$5,000,000 by his grandmother, Queen Alexandra.

Whether he used much of that estimated amount is not known.

Amelia Aims Plane Westward To Measure World Waistline



The heavy black line across the face of the two hemispheres shows the course of Amelia Earhart's world flight. The broken line indicates how much of this course she had traversed when The Courier went to press.



Large, impressive, efficient is the big Electra which Amelia Earhart is attempting to fly across the world.

Prominent Woman Is Buried Today

Mrs. Nannie B. Craven Of Trinity Dies From Paralytic Stroke Saturday

Was Widely Known

Widow Of Dr. James Craven, Son Of Founder Of Old Trinity College

Mrs. Nannie B. Craven, 81, one of the county's most prominent women, died Wednesday at the home of a son, Dr. J. B. Craven, presiding elder of the Charlotte district of the Methodist Episcopal church, South. Mrs. Craven arrived in Charlotte a week ago from Lakeland, Fla., where she had passed the winter with another son.

Funeral service was held in the Methodist church at Trinity, her home, at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning. She had been a member of this church for more than 60 years. Rev. H. M. Robinson, pastor of the church, conducted the funeral. He was assisted by Rev. W. R. Kelly of Monroe, a former pastor of the church. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Her sons are Dr. Craven of Charlotte; H. B. Craven of Lakeland, Fla.; E. B. Craven of Lexington; Bruce and George B. Craven of Trinity. She is also survived by 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Edward Will Get No Gov't Pension

Former Ruler Will Have To Depend Upon Royal Family For Allowance

Edward of England will henceforth have to depend for his allowance upon members of the British royal family, for the government was not asked to make any provision for him in the civil list presented by King George VI this week.

Those enjoying the dinner were: E. B. Leonard, L. F. Craven, E. B. Baldwin, R. C. White, and V. C. Marley. R. E. Caveness was unable to reach the meeting at the hour assigned for the meal.

Little Tommy Thomas had the time of his short life of three years Monday when he was given a birthday party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thomas.

Mrs. Clinton Laughlin and children of Burlington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coward. Miss Ales Wrenn and Sam Bailey of Greensboro were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coward at

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Weather Hampers W. M. S. Meeting

Ramsour Glee Club Will Present An Operetta "And It Rained" Friday

Birthday Party

School Committee Meets, Has Fine Dinner Prepared By School Girls

Ramsour, March 17.—The Missionary zone meeting held at Ramsour Methodist church, was attended by forty out of town ladies.

The reports from each charge were indeed very fine. Mrs. Powell of High Point, who is president of the Greensboro district made an enlightening report on the activities of the societies. Mrs. McCain of High Point also made a wonderful address on "How We Can Serve the Lord."

An operetta, "And It Rained," will be presented by the Ramsour Glee Club Friday night, March 19, at 8 o'clock at the Ramsour school building.

Many people from all sections of the state were among the attendants at the funeral and burial service at the old Craven plot in the historic graveyard.

On Monday evening these well trained girls, whose well balanced meal of perfectly prepared food proved that the culinary art was already in their possession, served a dinner in the class room to the committee and principal.

Others reporting were Rev. H. P. Powell for the committee on churches and spiritual aims and for the reception committee; underprivileged children, Dr. R. P. Sykes; publicity, Larry Hammond; public affairs, Rufus Routh; music, Dr. L. R. O'Brian; Kiwanis Club education, E. V. Hobbs; achievement reports, Walter Yow; committee on classification of membership (composed of the directors of the club) by Walter Craven as president.

The Ladies Night committee was congratulated by President Craven for its especially good program at the preceding meeting. This committee includes O. B. Moore, J. C. Senter, R. L. Bunch, Dr. Harvey Griffin, Dr. R. P. Sykes and Walter Yow.

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Several out of town subscribers may have slipped from the list or may be getting two papers, your name or date may be wrong.

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Judge Spears Is Kiwanis Speaker

Makes Few Remarks Concerning Traffic Rules For Driver And Pedestrian

Continue Contest

Many Committee Reports Heard; Ladies Night Committee Congratulated

Judge Marshall T. Spears, who is currently holding court here, made a brief talk at the Kiwanis meeting Tuesday evening.

Most of the hour was given over to committee reports. In reporting for the attendance committee, R. L. Bunch stated that 50 per cent of the members still have a perfect record in the individual attendance which has been going on for several weeks.

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Many Attend UDC Sixth Dist. Meet

Mrs. J. D. Ross Of Asheboro Extends Welcome To Visitors From District

All Day Session

Mrs. Yancey H. Kerr, District Director, Presides; Luncheon At Noon

Mrs. J. D. Ross of Asheboro welcomed the U. D. C. members from the various chapters throughout the sixth district when they assembled at the Methodist Protestant church in Asheboro this morning.

Mrs. Yancey H. Kerr, district director, presided over the meeting which included reports from the chapters represented.

Mrs. John Anderson of Raleigh, the former Miss Lucy London of Pittsboro—a daughter of the late Major London—president of the N. C. Division U. D. C., made the principal address of the meeting.

Luncheon at noon, served in the church dining room, gave a social touch to the day's program.

Although the volume of smoke made it appear for a time as if the fire at the Standard Drug Store today might be serious, the source of the trouble was only a blaze in a pile of boxes in the storeroom and no damage was done.

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Farmers Of South Warned Against Over Production

Secretary Wallace Is Positive In His Views Before A Press Conference

Crisis Is Reached

Cotton Has Been Reduced But Is Yet 7,000,000 Bales Above Normal State

A warning was sounded today by Secretary Wallace to southern farmers against planting too much cotton, tobacco, peanuts and other similar crops this year.

Secretary Wallace said a press conference the predictions by the cotton trade of a 20-cent a pound price next fall, were "a bad thing" that would likely harm the cotton farmer.

Wallace said the recent advance in cotton prices to above 14 cents a pound "had not been of benefit to farmers" because most of their cotton was sold before the rise.

Cully A. Cobb, director of the Federal Farm program in Southern States, said reports to his office indicated a "crisis" had been reached in the South in the effort "to maintain a balanced production in our major cash crops."

In a letter to Agricultural Adjustment administration leaders Cobb said farmers had displayed "a marked tendency to increase the acreage of cotton, tobacco and peanuts."

The recent advancing prices, he said, had caused cotton growers "to forget the situation which brought about 5-cent cotton" and "starvation" prices for other commodities during the depression.

"I am convinced," Cobb stated, "we must make a further special effort to let every farmer in the (cotton) belt understand that a material increase in cotton acreage this season could place cotton producers in a position similar to that in which they found themselves in 1933."

Cobb said the carry-over stocks of United States cotton had been reduced to about 7,000,000 bales but added that this "is still two million bales above normal."

Three Million In Payrolls For N. C. Estimated From Amount Turned In For Unemployment Compensation

Figures compiled by the North Carolina Unemployment Compensation Commission reveal that North Carolina payrolls in 1936 rose considerably above the \$300,000,000 mark.

On March 16 the Unemployment Compensation Fund in the commission's office had passed the \$2,700,000 figure, paid by 4163 employers, which represents nine-tenths of one per cent of the 1936 pay rolls of employers coming under the provisions of the Unemployment Compensation Act.

By this it is seen that one per cent of the 1936 pay rolls of the included employers was \$3,000,000, and it follows that the pay rolls of these 4163 employers exceeded the \$300,000,000 mark last year.

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General Assembly Winds Up Major Items On Its Schedule In Long Session

Radio Speaker

Cleveland Thayer Has Been Invited To Tell About Living Over Gold Mine

Is Leaving Tonight

Will Be Entertained By Radio Sponsors During His Three-Day Stay

Cleveland Thayer, who is leaving tonight for New York, where he will speak on the radio program, "We, The People," gave a supper for the employees of the Carolina Power & Light company Thursday at the Old Hickory Cafe.

Those present at the banquet, in addition to Mr. Thayer, were Miss Beulah Healin, Miss Play Vuncannon, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cottrell, H. G. Willis, Henry Pike, J. R. Wham, J. B. Tunnell, W. S. Price, Clayborne B. Pence, and J. G. Sharpe.

Mr. Thayer has been invited by Phillips Lord, director of "We, The People," to recount to a nationwide audience how a vein of gold ore was found during the digging for the foundations for his new home and why he decided to go ahead with his home instead of developing the vein.

All expenses of the trip will be paid by the radio sponsor. Mr. Thayer will arrive in New York Friday morning, when he will meet with the program managers to arrange the material of his story in suitable form for radio presentation.

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Social Security Bill Major Work Passed By House

Senate Passes Four "Must" Bills; Expected To Adjourn Saturday

Defeat Amendment

Turn Down \$2,000,000 Increase For Permanent Improvements In State

Only some unusual occurrence can prevent the North Carolina general assembly from adjourning sine die sometime Saturday night, as the senate settled its last major argument Wednesday night by defeating the Gravelly amendment to the permanent improvements bond bill.

The amendment, which was urged by President Frank Graham of the University of North Carolina and the heads of other state institutions, would have increased from \$2,345,000 to \$4,390,000 the allowance for permanent improvements at state institutions.

The following pieces of major legislation were passed by the Senate and sent to the House for concurrence in amendments, bringing Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horton to predict adjournment by Saturday night if no serious differences arise between the two chambers:

1. Motor vehicle code, levying an automobile license tax of 35 cents per 100 pounds with a \$7 minimum, instead of 30 cents and \$6 as originally drawn.

2. Highway reorganization bill, providing for appointment of one commissioner from each of ten districts and amended to make the terms of the present commissioners expire on May 1, when the act becomes effective.

3. School machinery bill, amended Wednesday to allow superintendents to consult with principals regarding the election of teachers.

4. Revenue machinery bill, changed to leave the quadrennial revaluation due this year in the discretion of county commissioners and to allow revaluation in 1938 after the costs of social security are determined.

Heading the list of accomplishments by the house Wednesday was the passing of a social security appropriation bill which would provide \$1,000,000 a year for the needy blind, to be matched by \$1,000,000 from counties and \$2,000,000 from the federal government.

\$500,000 for dependent children, to be matched in equal amounts by the federal and county governments; and \$85,000 for the aged; plus a contingency equalizing fund of \$185,000 to aid poorer counties. An equalizing fund of ten per cent of state appropriations was provided in the original act.

Senator Henry L. Ingram of Randolph was the author of the only amendment to the revenue machinery bill that was adopted. Accepted without protest, it left revaluation to the discretion of the committee, permitting instead a horizontal mark-up of the tax books until revaluation by assessors can be made.

On Wednesday the senate passed Representative J. B. Vogler's bill to limit the voting hours of primaries and elections in North Carolina from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

The bill, which will be ratified into law this week, has a proviso to prevent voting after sunset if it comes prior to 7 p. m.

Previously, Mr. Vogler lost a bill to change the primary date from Saturdays to Tuesdays. His bill to limit voting hours will permit earlier announcement of election returns.

R. D. Trogon Gets Theatre Tickets

Two tickets to see Donald Woods and Jean Muir in "Once a Doctor" at the Capitol Friday or Saturday were awarded R. D. Trogon in The Courier's News Tip Contest today.

The next period in the contest starts at 8 o'clock Friday morning and ends at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon, after which two tickets will be given the winner to see Jane Withers in "The Holy Terror" at the Sunset Theatre either Monday or Tuesday.