

Court Opponents Say Island Party Just Nice Outing

Nothing Serious Was Talked With President On Opening Day.

Reporters Barred

Good Time Was Had By All, Says Joe Robinson As Many Return.

Washington.—With the Democratic "Peace conference" on Jefferson Island about over, five members of the Senate opposed to President Roosevelt's Supreme Court proposals yesterday stated there was not one iota of change on the fight which has tied up action on the measure.

None of the approximately 129 Senators and Representatives who attended the session at the exclusive Chesapeake bay resort "could recall" that anyone had discussed the Supreme Court or "anything serious" with Mr. Roosevelt.

"We went down for a good time and we had a good time," said Majority Leader Joe T. Robinson, "this conference has just been a big outing, I don't attribute any political significance to it whatsoever."

Only Serious Note

Van Nuys said the only serious discussion he observed did not involve the President. He said Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace talked with Senator Harry F. Byrd, Democrat, Virginia, about a marketing bill, and that there was a rehashing among members of Congress of "all the old arguments for and against the Supreme Court bill."

He said as each boatload arrived the members formed a line to greet the President, Van Nuys, who drove here from Washington with four other anti-court Senators, said all of them shook hands with the President and he greeted each one cordially. It was the first time some of the insurgents actually had spoken to the President since the court storm broke.

None of the accounts of any of the returning legislators indicated the "love feast" was anything more than that, despite the fact that newspaper men were barred from the island.

THE WEATHER

North Carolina: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, possibly with scattered thundershowers.

Contract With Burrus Clinic Continued By Randolph Institution

Hughes Partner In Tax Inquiry



Treasury officials, testifying before the Congressional committee on tax avoidance, named Richard E. Dwight, above, former law partner of Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., as one of the participants in a Nassau, Bahama Islands, insurance company formed to avoid payment of income taxes. Dwight, it was testified, "borrowed" millions from the company after negotiating for a paid up \$4,000,000 policy. "Interest" on the loan wiped out Dwight's normal income, it was said.

Water Connection In Several Homes

Scout Troop Holds Court Of Honor: Vacation Bible Schools End.

Franklinville, June 26.—The Randolph Mills are having water put in their houses from a well near the stand pipe at Mill No. 1. The residences of M. L. Alfred, J. A. Wallace and C. H. Julian will connect with this system. Others

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Hospital Has No Resident Surgeon

High Point Surgery Will Be In Charge of All Local Major Cases.

1190 Operations

Excellent Condition Shown In Reports of Officers And Superintendent.

The board of directors of the Randolph hospital, inc., at its semi-annual session Friday decided to renew its contract with the Burrus Clinic, High Point, for another year. The present contract expires July 1.

Under provisions of the contract the Burrus Clinic will have general professional supervision and handling of major surgery cases in the local hospital. This plan has been in force since the hospital opened in July 1922. At no time has there been a resident surgeon in charge.

D. B. McCrary, president, gave a brief resume of the operations of the hospital for the past five years. He spoke of the cooperation of the Burrus Clinic and the local hospital personnel in keeping the hospital up to the highest point of efficiency from the standpoint of service to patients and efficiency of operation.

He also commented upon the great assistance of the county commissioners and the city of Asheboro. The Duke endowment, he said, has donated each year towards the upkeep of charity beds and has also made a donation towards the purchase of additional equipment.

The board of directors extended its appreciation for this financial aid and also for the moral support and cooperation of the various organizations and individual in and out of the county. Without this aid, the board said, the institution could not have served its purpose.

Dr. H. L. Brockman, president of the Burrus Clinic gave a brief report of the work done by that organization in the Randolph hospital.

M. E. Johnson, chairman of the board of county commissioners, and others were heard from in reference to the operations of the hospital.

Superintendent's Report

Miss Anne Reece Quinn, superintendent, gave a detailed report of the hospital management for the past five years. She made special mention of the cooperation of the management, the doctors and the nursing staff and others connected with the institution during that period.

N. M. Cranford, treasurer, gave the financial report covering the five years operation. His report showed there was no deficit. Some permanent improvements have been made on the plant and grounds and additional equipment purchased during the five year period.

Health Officer's Report

Report of the professional work was made by Dr. G. H. Sumner, county health officer. Note below a few statistics along this line:

- Number of patients discharged, 3,686.
Number days of care, 31,075.
Percent free days, 49.27 percent.
Number major operations performed, 1,190.
Number minor operations performed, 836.
Number patients X-rayed, 1,000.
Number laboratory examinations made, 15,757.
First patient was admitted to the hospital June 22, 1932, although the formal opening was not held until July 9.

Double Building Nearing Finish

John Presnell and G. A. Patterson Will Have Modern Place in N. Asheboro.

Among the many new business buildings of the town is one in north Asheboro, a double building, now in process of erection by John Presnell and G. A. Patterson. The large, modern store building is being erected by Mr. Presnell who will operate a grocery store.

The other side is owned and will be operated by G. A. Patterson as a piano sales place. It will also house his mattress business. The Courier inadvertently mentioned Mr. Patterson in a previous article, leaving out Mr. Presnell's part of the building, which is only separated from the Patterson building by a brick wall with wall privileges for both of these business men of Asheboro.

Britain Warns Of Europe's Danger; Hopes For Peace

But "Peace at Any Price", Not Acceptable to Eden And Chamberlain.

Both Urge Caution

Germany Pleased as Eden Asks Avoidance of All Inciting Talk.

London.—Great Britain plans and is exerting every effort to maintain peace in Europe. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons yesterday but warned that the Empire does not mean "peace at any price."

Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain argued for "cool heads" and avoidance of doing or saying anything "to precipitate the disaster everyone wants to avoid." He likened Europe's present situation to that in high mountains where "a sudden exclamation may start an avalanche."

"If we can exercise patience and caution and restraint we may yet be able to save the peace of Europe," Chamberlain declared. Both he and Eden contended the situation is not hopeless, that Italy and Germany may return to full cooperation with the other nations trying to isolate the Spanish conflict.

Both, however, expressed the opinion that Great Britain while seeking continual peace would not agree to conditions dishonorable to the Empire.

Berlin Pleased

Berlin.—German officials praised the "conciliatory spirit" of British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's reference to German moderation over the Leipzig incident. They awaited the full text of the address in the House of Commons before making their comment.

The newspaper Lokai Anzeiger said Chamberlain "acknowledged the German standpoint in a measure not accorded by a single English newspaper nor any declaration in Commons during the entire treatment of the Leipzig affair."

Cannas and Iris Planted By City

Enviorns at Municipal Building Enhanced With Flowers.

The city of Asheboro is showing the way to residents in efforts to beautify property and building environment. Employees yesterday set out 450 iris and 200 cannas plants around the city hall, the reservoir and lot adjoining the city hall.

The lot, well lawned, is one of the most attractive in the city, and now, enhanced with plants which bear various colored blooms, will be one of the beauty spots here.

Tax Evasion-Bahamas Style Insurance Scheme Disclosed

Washington.—Humdrum Treasury tax officials gave the joint congressional committee yesterday a fairy-tale story of an amazing insurance company, organized under the palms and amidst the blue waters of the Bahama Islands, at Nassau, where it has been giving first-aid treatment to Americans with uncomfortably high incomes.

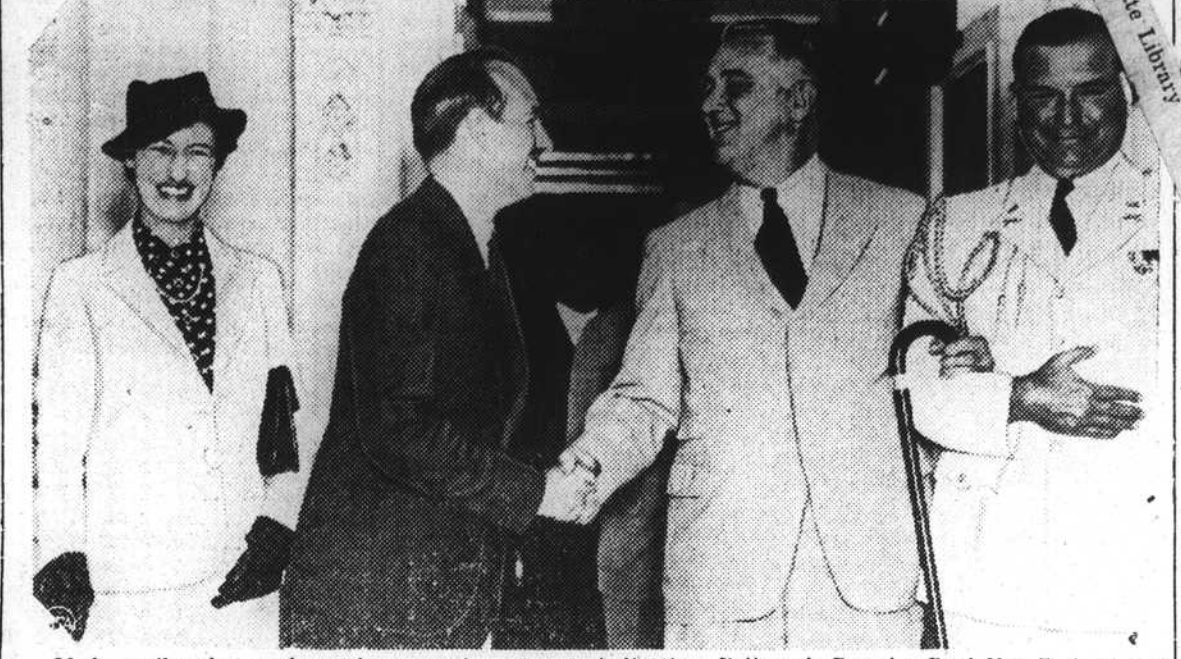
The story told of how at least six comfortably off New Yorkers managed to shrink down incomes which would otherwise have paid heavy income tax assessments, to a point where they were microscopic, or disappeared altogether, when they were written upon the prosaic legal parchment of an income tax return. But here the magic of the Bahamas Insurance company appeared, for immediately after the tax return was entered hey presto, the income of the well-to-do Americans was as large and flourishing as it had ever been.

How it Worked

This story of modern tax avoidance magic had one sequel which could not have guessed in advance. It split the New York law firm of Hughes, Schurman & Dwight, and a fortnight ago caused the firm to be dissolved, as Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., son of the Chief Justice, shook the dust of his feet from his former associate, Richard E. Dwight.

Mr. Dwight, it appeared from testimony droned out today by the prosaic Treasury lawyers, had been one of the believers in modern magic. In brief, according to Mason B. Leming, general assistant to the chief counsel of the Internal Revenue Bureau, who was the principal witness of the day, Mr. Dwight took out a \$4,000,000 life insurance at an annual premium of \$2,793.

Smiles All Around as F. D. R. Greeted Belgian Premier



If the smiles they exchanged on greeting are any indication, Belgium's Premier Paul Van Zeeland and President Roosevelt, shaking hands so cordially on the White House steps above, should get along famously. Also gay is the smile of Mrs. Van Zeeland at left, while Col. Edwin Watson, military aide, supports the President's arm, grinning broadly. The premier visited Washington, presumably, to discuss economic relations.

Bailey and McKellar Split In Peace Stressed In Southern Mills

News Flashes Everywhere

Colin Clive Dead

Hollywood.—Colin Clive, 37, distinguished English actor who was reported to have earned nearly half a half million dollars portraying characters the public wouldn't like, died in a hospital here of pulmonary disorders.

Heat Wave Broken

Chicago.—Heavy rains and shifting winds broke the season's most intense heat wave in the Midwest yesterday.

Relief came to most of the area from the Rockies to the Great Lakes after 21 deaths had been attributed to the sultry siege.

War Fears

London.—The British government and especially its foreign secretary, Anthony Eden, are working vigorously to ally Europe's latest war scare and to distract attention from a convergence of the powers' warships towards Spanish danger zone.

Confederate Memorial

Charlotte.—Officers and directors of the Southern hotel association, holding its annual convention here this week, voted to sponsor and seek the completion of the Confederate Memorial Stone Mountain, near Atlanta, Ga.

North Carolinian Wants To Question Postmaster In Strike Situation.

Washington, June 26.—Jim Farley, postmaster general, was the wedge that split the ranks of the Senate Postoffice committee apart here yesterday. Senator Bailey, North Carolina and Senator H. Styles Bridges, (R-N.H.) insisted that the postmaster general be called before the committee for questioning concerning activities of departmental employees in strike zones.

The demand was made by Senator Styles and was backed by Bailey, who had done most of the questioning during the hearing prior to yesterday. Senator Kenneth McKellar, (D-Tenn.), chairman of the committee, vigorously opposed the idea of having Farley appear as a witness. The committee will vote Monday on the proposal.

Another question on which a sharp split is anticipated was indicated earlier in the day when Senator Bailey and Acting Postmaster General W. W. Howes had a sharp exchange following Senator Bailey's statement that there had been undue delay in the indictment of six men who were Thursday arrested in Ohio for interference with the mails since the beginning of the steel strike on May 26.

When Senator Bridges made his demand for the appearance of Postmaster General Farley, who is also chairman of the Democratic National Committee, on Friday, Mr. Howes stated that he has been acting postmaster general since the strike started and has handled the matter in its entirety and was at the service of the committee for any questions which members might desire to ask.

"Some of the questions I wish to ask Mr. Farley you could not answer and I do not wish to embarrass you by asking you others," replied Senator Bridges.

Senator McKellar demanded unsuccessfully that Senator Bridges state the questions he proposed to ask, but the New Hampshire Senator declined to do so.

That refusal was regarded by Senator McKellar as an indication that the questions are political in character and he announced that he would resist the motion.

Senator Bailey placed his support of Bridges entirely on the ground that any member of the committee was entitled to summon any witness he saw fit and that right ought to be given to Bridges.

Senator McKellar also joined in the earlier clash between Senator Bailey and Acting Postmaster General Howes.

Senator Bailey spoke of the delay in arresting the six men charged with interfering with the mails, which brought Mr. Howes to his feet with a statement that he resented the charge that the Post Office Department had not done its full duty promptly.

"I think the Department has acted properly in every way; it has not taken sides with either the company or the strikers and it ought not to have done so," declared Senator McKellar.

"I want to state my views," said Senator Bailey. "The first of these incidents occurred on May 28. The arrests were not until June 23. I do not believe the delay has injured to the credit of the Post Office Department or to the benefit of the people of the United States."

James M. Barrie

Kirriemuir, Scotland.—Sir James M. Barrie, creator of Peter Pan, was buried Thursday in a rhododendron lined grave near those of his father, mother, brothers and sisters in the Kirriemuir cemetery.

Mrs. Mary J. Lowe Beloved Woman Buried Saturday

Friday Evening Followed Fall Ten Days Ago At Home of Daughter.

Was 82 Years Old

Funeral Service at First Methodist Church; Burial Local Cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Jane Lowe, 82, died Friday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter A. Bunch, after a ten days' illness following a fall which broke her hip. Mrs. Lowe was one of the best known of the older citizens of Randolph, a wife of the late Nerius Lowe, who held several political offices in Randolph. The Lowe family is originally from the western part of the county, but Mr. and Mrs. Lowe moved to Asheboro many years ago. She was the former Miss Mary Jane (or Molly) Rush, also a well known family of Randolph county.

Mrs. Lowe was unusually active until the day of her fall and was one of the county's most interesting women. She had a vast store of historic information and talked interestingly of the county "in the old days" without living in the past. Her chief interest was in the present and she took an active part in church work, always a keen interest in politics and in the event of the day.

Funeral service was conducted at the First Methodist church in Asheboro Saturday afternoon, to which Mrs. Lowe was a regular attendant. Rev. H. P. Powell, pastor of the church, was in charge of the service. Burial followed in the Asheboro cemetery.

The following children survive: Mrs. Walter Bunch of Asheboro, with whom she spent most of her time; Mrs. Herman Johnson of Farmer; Mrs. Kate Lowe Jarvis and Miss Louella Lowe of Washington, D. C.; Worth, Jack and Doak Lowe of Farmer. A large number of grandchildren survive also.

Community News Of High Point Rt.

Many Attend Memorial Service at Deep River Friends Church on Sunday.

High Point, Rt. 1, June 26.—Memorial services were held at Deep River Friends' church Sunday, June 20. There were all-day services with picnic dinner served on the grounds which was enjoyed by a large crowd, several being from a distance. Mr. Jones from High Point, was the leading speaker and Chase Idol, Jr., also of High Point, sang.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Overman with Mrs. Bondurant, Mrs. Overman's mother, all of Burlington, spent Sunday with Cecil Lowe and family.

Tuesday Mrs. Eva Thornton had as her guests Mrs. Velma Kelley and children of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wheeler and Frank Wheeler.

Philmore Underwood and son, Ray Underwood, of near Thomasville, were visitors in the home of Ben Lambeth Sunday afternoon.

Little Margie Hughes, who has been away on a vacation, has returned to her home with Mrs. Eva Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Mendenhall, formerly of Deep River community but now of California, are making an extended visit to friends here and were present for the memorial services at Deep River Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Parker of Ohio, who has been spending the winter in Florida, stopped over on her way home to visit friends and relatives here and she, too, was present for memorial services.

Theodore Cox spent the weekend with relatives in High Point and attended camp meeting at Colfax Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Hudson returned to High Point after spending several days with homefolks while recuperating from injuries received in an auto wreck sometime ago.

Plan to Attend Y. P. Conference

A number of the young people from the Asheboro Presbyterian church are planning to attend the people's conference of Orange Presbyterian church which is to be held at Elon college between June 28 and July 3. The delegates are: Miss Sara Alice Moore, Miss Catherine Patterson, Raymond Petty, Jack Staley, Hubert Causey, and Paul Blackman.

Rev. N. N. Fleming, of Mebane, is in charge of the conference and has chosen an able faculty to have charge of the various courses. The general theme for the conference is "Facing Today with the Living Christ."

Rotarians Open New Year; Rev. C. G. Smith, President

Phalti Spoon To Be Buried Today

Dies Saturday a. m. at Home Of Sister-in-Law After Three Weeks' Illness.

Phalti Spoon, 72, died Saturday morning after an illness of three weeks. Mr. Spoon suffered a stroke of paralysis three weeks ago from which he never recovered. He died at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. D. Spoon on South Fayetteville street where he made his home.

Funeral service will be held at Union Grove Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. L. R. O'Brian of the Asheboro Baptist church, in charge.

Only one sister of a large family survive the deceased, Mrs. M. C. Craven of Sanford. A large number of nephews and nieces survive. Mr. Spoon was never married. He was connected with a local service station at the time of his recent illness. Mr. Spoon was a quiet man, but well liked by many people of the town who have known him the several years he has made his home in Asheboro.

Triple Murderer Escapes Police

Robert Irwin Recognized In Cleveland; Wanted In Gedeon Case.

Cleveland.—A man believed to be Robert Irwin, sculptor, divinity student, wanted by the New York police in connection with the Gedeon triple murder, March 28, escaped capture here yesterday after he had been identified by employees in a restaurant where he had been employed.

A kitchen girl notified the police of his resemblance to a picture she had seen in a detective magazine. Irwin, going under the name of Murray suspected he had been identified and fled from the restaurant, returned to his rooming house and then disappeared with his clothing. He had not been located up to a late hour last night.