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R.'s Farm Bill Faces Trouble In Senate And House

Embracing Agriculture Measure "Desirable" By Roosevelt. Republican Favors Democrat Member Classes Proposal With AAA As Unconstitutional.

Washington.—Further difference between Senators and Representatives were indicated yesterday with the introduction of President Roosevelt's all-embracing farm bill.

Favorable and unfavorable comments were issued from congressional leaders after introduction of the bill. Representative Clifford Hope (R-Kans.) chief farm advisor in the Landon campaign, endorsed the bill, saying it followed the lines advocated by the Republicans in that campaign.

Representative Edward C. Eichner (D-Iowa) said the bill was as unconstitutional as the old AAA because, "it purchases compliance and under the Supreme Court decision is unconstitutional."

The house committee must now study this bill, as well as other bills that have been introduced and suggested from powerful farm organizations. All the legislative stages loom ahead of this measure before it can reach enactment.

The new measure—an omnibus bill, rolling together several different approaches to the farm problem, includes soil conservation, parity prices, and the ever-normal granary—was introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Martin H. Jones, chairman of the agricultural committee.

President Roosevelt has termed it "desired legislation."

Measure Outlined

The new measure, containing almost everything is outlined as follows by Representative Jones, its sponsor:

"1. It continues the present oil conservation act as a basis. The present program has worked well and should not be abandoned.

"2. Its declared objective is to establish and maintain so far as is practicable parity prices for all farm commodities and parity income for all farmers as well as to continue soil conservation.

"3. It provides an ever-normal granary, warehouse or storage reserve for the five major non-perishable commodities which are ordinarily produced in surplus quantities. This would benefit both producer and consumer.

"4. The measure provides a graduated scale of soil conservation and benefit payments so that there will be a reduction in payments to large operators.

"5. It provides a fund for research for new uses and new markets for farm commodities and the procedure thereof, including a research laboratory for each producing area.

"6. Provision is also made for the use of a fund for the purpose of disposing of our surplus commodities both at home and abroad. This would tend to promote world trade, in which the entire nation is interested.

"7. Another new feature authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to file application on behalf of farmers or co-operative organizations of farmers for adjustment in freight rate schedules. The freight rates on many farm commodities are out of proportion to the general rate schedules and absorb too large a part of the value of farm production.

"8. As to certain crops a market control provision as a further safeguard is provided."

Divorced Couple Remarried Here

"The First Love" "Is The True Love."

After twenty years of wedded life with H. C. Westmoreland, which culminated in a divorce in Superior Court here Monday, Viola Addie Westmoreland Hughes, Ramseur, remarried her first husband, Jay F. Brown of Greensboro yesterday morning. The bride is 55 and the groom 56.

Mr. Brown was the bride's first husband. The couple, as Mr. and Mrs. Brown were divorced twenty years ago. Mrs. Brown then married Mr. Westmoreland. Monday she divorced Mr. Westmoreland and Saturday saw a re-marriage at which J. T. Lambert, justice of the peace, officiated.

Auto Coupe Burns

An automobile coupe, owned by J. F. Butler, Jr., was destroyed by fire Friday night. Mr. Butler left the car parked in the northern section of Asheboro and upon his return found it in flames. It was towed to the Auman-Vestal repair shop Saturday.

Barkley and Garner Smiling Over Senate Plans



Although they are probably the two busiest men in Washington right now, Vice President John Garner threw his arm over the shoulders of Senator Alben Barkley, the new Senate majority leader, and neither let political worries interfere with their smiling good spirits as this informal picture was made. The leadership election just over, the two mapping out plans for control of a rebellious Senate, to restore party harmony and to salvage as much from the President's program as possible.

Tar Heel 40 & 8's Win High Honors

North Carolina Chapter Will Lead Parade In New York.

The North Carolina chapter of the 40 and 8, fun making unit of the American Legion, has been assigned the honor position at the head of the parade, during the national convention in New York city. The Tar Heel representatives have more than doubled their membership during the past year.

Last night, several new members of the Asheboro chapter were initiated at the state session which opened in Durham. The delegates from this county were E. B. Whitehead, Bob Hammond, George Burkhead, Henry Ingram and A. I. Ferree.

Madrid Shelled

Madrid.—Twice shelled within 24 hours and with at least 15 killed and a score injured by the insurgents' big guns, Madrid was abruptly thrown back today to the grimness of a bitter siege.

James H. Shaw Dead

James Henry Shaw, prominent Greensboro resident and since 1930 assistant tax collector of Guilford county, died at Wesley Long hospital at 8 o'clock Friday morning following an illness of three weeks. He was 67 years old.

Randolph County Library Seeks Commissioners Aid

Local Association Asks Appropriation to Carry On Work in 1938.

Miss Virginia Barker, president of the Randolph Library association, with other members of the club, appeared before the Randolph county commissioners, Friday requesting financial support for the continuation of the local library.

Miss Barker stressed the fact the library has been made possible by individual and civic and church organizations as well as the support of many influential residents of the city of Asheboro and Randolph county.

During the discussion it was pointed out that the library has acquired books valued at more than \$18,000 and with affiliated associations, it has a circulation list of more than 28,000 volumes in the city and county.

The library work, the speaker asserted, has been carried on by members of the library association, a group of young women who instituted the work a short time ago. Since that time the young women have continued to handle the problem at no cost, have gained the support of the Rotary, Kiwanis, American Legion, Legion Auxiliary, Daughters of the Confederacy and of the churches in carrying on the work of providing residents of the city and county with reading, not only for an entertainment feature but from an instructive standpoint.

Miss Barker called attention to the fact that it will be impossible to continue the library here unless the county makes some appropriation towards the expense for the ensuing year. The commissioners, headed by Chairman M. E. Johnson, stated the board would consider the request and if possible make some provision for an appropriation in the budget which will be completed in about twenty days.

Veterans Off For State Convention

Randolph County Will Be Well Represented To Parade Monday.

Asheboro's delegation to the American Legion state convention at Durham left this morning to attend the annual session, scheduled to open in that city tonight.

Dixon Post's delegates and alternates include W. H. Grimes, Henry Ingram, Fred Kearns, Harris Birkhead, Bob Bunch and R. F. Routh. Several other members of the local post plan to attend at least one or two sessions of the affair. The annual street parade will take place Monday evening and the election of officers is scheduled for the following day.

Ministers Plan For Union Meeting

A supper meeting will be held at the First Baptist church Monday night, July 26, for the purpose of setting up the organization to promote the community-wide union evangelist meeting to be held in Asheboro during the month of September. The meeting will be composed of representatives of all the churches of the city, and the pastors of each church. The supper will be served at 6:30.

Dr. Louis S. Gains, pastor of the First Baptist church, Lexington, has just gone through a month's meeting with Dr. Anderson in Lexington. He will be in this meeting Monday night. Dr. Gains is to lead the singing in September meeting in Asheboro.

President Cites Court Defeat As Partial Victory

Claims Fight Created More Favorable Action By High Justices. Presses Congress Wants Action On "Desire" Measures; Hints Call Of Special Session.

Washington.—In spite of the fact that the Supreme Court proposals of the administration have been relegated into the background of future legislative action, President Roosevelt yesterday expressed the thought that he had obtained a modicum of victory as seen in the "more tender regard of the court," manifested towards new deal legislation especially the Wagner labor relations act. It has not, he intimated, been a fruitless fight.

The administration's plea for enactment of wage and hour legislation, a farm program and a housing bill before the session closes has been renewed. In fact, it was intimated today the President was considering a call for a special session in October in event Congress adjourns before taking action of these "desired" measures.

Senator Barkley, the majority leader, outlined a program for the remainder of the session and predicted that Congress will not adjourn until the measures are enacted.

Besides the new court bill now being drafted by the Senate judiciary committee, the list included the wage and hour and housing measures and a bill to plug holes in the tax laws. Barkley did not include the farm bill, or the reorganization of the government agreed by President Roosevelt.

Meanwhile, Vice President Garner continued his efforts to close the breach which the court bill opened in the ranks of Democrats. At his suggestion, Senator Burke, Democrat, Nebraska, a leading opponent of the measure, called on President Roosevelt.

Friendly Session

While Burke reported a very happy and friendly discussion, Stephen T. Early, the President's secretary, was at pains to inform the press that the Nebraskan had been received as the result of a request from Garner.

War Cools

Peiping.—Chinese and Japanese hatreds in North China, at boiling point for 16 days appeared last night to have cooled enough to make war in the near future unlikely.

Arrest Federal Agent

Knoxville, Tenn.—Federal Agent L. B. Hood announced Frank W. Clark, 22, was arrested in Laredo, Texas, yesterday on a charge of attempting to extort \$2,000 from his wife through a kidnapping hoax.

Dr. Bozeman Dead

Enfield.—Dr. Claude A. Bozeman, 43, one of the founders of the Pine Bluff sanatorium, died suddenly Friday night of a heart attack at his home here.

According to members of the family, Dr. Bozeman was stricken during his sleep.

Fairbanks, Alaska.—Half-dressed men and women ran from homes and hotels, frame buildings swayed and merchandise tumbled to floors as a strong earthquake struck Fairbanks and the Alaskan interior yesterday.

Miami, Fla.—The Knights Templar concluded their triennial convocation yesterday with adoption of a resolution to combat communism and the election of officers, headed by Marks Norris of Grand Rapids, Mich., grand master.

Washington.—Representative Robert L. Doughton of Laurel Springs, N. C., said today that James Roosevelt, the President's son, had accepted tentatively an invitation to address the North Carolina Young Democrats' convention September 11 at Winston-Salem.

County Tax Rate Is 11 Cents Lower

The Rate For Coming Year Is \$1.12 on the Dollar Against \$1.23 Last Year.

Randolph county's tax valuation for the coming year has been set at \$1.12 on the \$100 valuation. This is a reduction of 11 cents on the hundred dollars over last year's valuation which was \$1.23. This figure was arrived at after the various funds had been computed by the county commissioners and by the county auditor.

The total budget requirement of the general county fund is set at \$63,842.05; poor relief fund, \$36,934.94; bond interest fund, \$128,279.77; school current expense fund, \$31,349.26; school debt service, \$54,982.13; special purpose fund, \$5,050.00.

Malcolm M. Davis Buried Saturday

Seagrove.—Funeral services for Malcolm M. Davis who died in a hospital in High Point, Thursday night, were conducted at the Pleasant Hill M. P. church, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Davis was 75 years of age. He was ill a short time before he was taken to the hospital. The survivors include his widow, Mrs. Carolyn Owen Davis; two sons, James Davis, High Point and Clyde Davis, Seagrove; six daughters, Esther and Ina Davis, High Point; Mrs. Walter Scott and Mrs. H. T. Hancock, Seagrove and Mrs. Sherman Venable and Mrs. Garland Brower of Asheboro.

Youthful Governor To Succeed Joe Robinson In U. S. Senate

Apology 'Rights' Peiping Incident. Bailey Named In Democratic Fight. Arkansas State Chairman Resigns; World War Vet Plans Opposition. Election Sept. 14. State Party Split Wide Open; Congressman to Offer Third Man.



Little Rock, Ark.—Carl E. Bailey, 42-year-old governor of Arkansas, yesterday was nominated to fill the vacancy in the United States Senate caused by the death of Joseph T. Robinson.

Bailey was nominated at a meeting of the Democratic state committee, which he himself will call for September 14.

Like other disturbances in national Democratic circles the nomination of Bailey met with opposition. J. Rosser Venable, Little Rock World War veteran who ran against Robinson in the 1936 primary, announced he would seek the seat as an independent.

Osro Cobb, state Republican chairman of Arkansas committee called for support of an independent Democrat or a Republican candidate, in opposition to Bailey.

Robert Prather, state committeeman who favored a primary announced he would seek to assemble a state convention to nominate a candidate to represent the Democrats of this state in the special election.

The party split badly over the question whether the Democratic committee should nominate or call a primary. Congressman Claude A. Fuller, of Eureka Springs, had announced he desired to offer for the senate in a primary election, and other possible candidates had been mentioned.

Thomas Fitzhugh, chairman of the state committee, resigned from the committee yesterday afternoon before the Bailey nomination.

Mrs. Annie Dail

Mrs. Annie Dail, 68, mother of George Dail, Asheboro, was buried in Washington, N. C., Thursday. Mrs. Dail died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Hughes, Elizabeth City.

Mrs. Dail made her home with her children since the death of her husband, William Dail, five years ago. She spent her early life in Pamlico and Craven counties. Mrs. Dail died Wednesday after an illness of over one year.

Take No Action On Teachers Pay

State Commission Appoints Committee To Study Education Plan.

Raleigh.—No action on the proposition to increase teachers salaries in North Carolina was taken by the school commission which met here Thursday evening. A sub-committee, however, was appointed to make a complete study of the subject. The committee includes A. McL. Graham, Clinton; Lloyd Griffin, and Dr. B. B. Dougherty of Boone and Edwin Pate of Laurinburg.

The commission authorized the establishment of white high schools at Speed, Edgecombe county and New Hope in Wayne county and approved the calling of a supplementary tax election at Red Springs, Robeson county.

Mystery Plane

New York.—A second radio message which appeared to confirm a report of a mystery airplane over the Atlantic towards Europe, was received here yesterday by Radiomarine Corporation.

Veterans Loan Fund Ready To Assist Local Builders

Superior Court Reopens Monday

One of the closing cases of last week's session was that of Mrs. Ellen Luck against J. A. Brady, administrator of Hettie Hogan.

The case involved a note and mortgage held by Mrs. Luck against the Hogan estate. The jury granted Mrs. Luck an unpaid balance of approximately \$1,200. The defense was based upon the statute of limitations. H. M. Robins appeared for the plaintiff and J. G. Prevette for the defendant.

Judge J. A. Rousseau will continue the calendar tomorrow.

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McCrary Hosiery Mills Plan For Wichita Exhibit

Merchants Association And Chamber Commerce To Meet Tuesday. Completing Plans Industrials Here Endorse Movement; To Advertise Asheboro.

The McCrary Hosiery Mills of Asheboro has notified the Merchants association that it is planning an exhibit of its products to be shown during the Asheboro Exhibit in Wichita, Kans., the week of August 15.

The exhibit, which is being sponsored by the association, along with a publicity campaign on the part of the Chamber of Commerce is rapidly rounding into shape.

The Merchants association, represented by Franz Strickland and Russell Parks will meet with Cleveland Thayer, representing the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday to complete joint plans for the affair.

The Chamber has already instituted a publicity campaign which includes the publication of a booklet containing facts regarding the city, its industries, business and other news of interest. The booklet will include a series of photographs of industrial plants, residents, and pictures of the new golf links.

Other industrials are now planning exhibits. The exhibits are being collected by the Merchants association where they will be listed and prepared for exhibition. Mrs. Ervin Frye, secretary of the association, Friday wrote to the association in Wichita to obtain show space in one of the larger department stores there for exhibition of the city's products.

Former Senator Visits Capital

Senator F. M. Simmons Is Warmly Welcomed on Visit To Washington.

On his second visit to Washington in almost ten years former Senator Furnifold M. Simmons was the center of considerable attention. It was the Senator's second visit to Washington since he was defeated after 30 years of service in the 1928 campaign by Mr. Josiah William Bailey of Raleigh. The good Senator just "couldn't take" Al Smith and was sufficiently frank to say so. For this he was chastised roundly by his party and Mr. Bailey has been Senator ever since.

After a conference with President Roosevelt, who paid him the unusual honor of introducing him to the 150 Washington correspondents attending his press conference, the 83-year-old ex-Senator spoke his mind on the state of the North Carolina correspondents.

Senator Simmons gave his full and enthusiastic support to President Roosevelt's proposal for new blood in the Supreme Court which was shelved by the Senate yesterday, and gave it as his opinion that the plan had the overwhelming support of the people of North Carolina. Senator Simmons stated he believed that only a small minority, whom he classified as composed largely of "lawyers, professional men and special interest people," supported the position of his successor, Senator Josiah W. Bailey, who was one of the leaders against the court bill.

Wants Tobacco Bill

Senator Simmons also declared that it would be extremely unfortunate should Congress adjourn this session without passing control legislation for tobacco. But even if the day indicated there is a probability that Congress may do just that.

Although the circumstances under which President Roosevelt manifested his high esteem for former Senator Simmons were accidental, many veteran newspaper correspondents who had known the aged North Carolinian when he was a power in Washington, and who recalled that Senator Bailey had defeated Senator Simmons on an issue of party regularity, professed to see significance in the occasion.

Senator Simmons was jokingly referred to as the President's "Exhibit A" of what happens to a Senator who leaves his party, the former Senator having been defeated because of his refusal to support Alfred E. Smith, Democratic presidential candidate in 1928.

Senator Simmons called to pay his respects to President Roosevelt shortly before the regular press conference. The two knew each other well during the Wilson administration when the former was chairman of the Senate finance committee and the latter the Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

THE WEATHER

North Carolina: Generally fair Sunday with scattered thunder-showers. Temperature range, high 88; low 66.