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## Randolph School Board Plans Survey; Enlarged Study Quarters Needed

### Asheboro Schools Included; State To Assist Local Men

Lack of Room Indicated As Individual Districts Ask Immediate Additions.

### To Sell One Building

Attendance of Pupils Has Passed Facilities; Four To Six Rooms Needed.

The Randolph county school board yesterday decided to take immediate steps towards a complete survey of educational needs in the county, particularly from the standpoint of additional room for students.

The Celeridge school representatives, yesterday called the attention of the board to the lack of facilities in that district pointing out its immediate needs. From four to six additional rooms are needed in the school the committee said.

T. Fletcher Bulla, county superintendent, and members of the board, conducted a general survey of the county proposition and decided to call in a representative of the North Carolina board of education to assist in the planned survey.

The survey will take the investigators into every school district, including the city of Asheboro. During the discussion yesterday it developed that several schools are conducting classes in auditoriums.

The lack of room is due to the ever increasing attendance of pupils and to general response to the state and county educational program which is reaching a high place in Randolph county.

The board also authorized the sale of an abandoned school building and lot at Charlotte. The pupils of that school are now attending the Tabernacle school.

## Bailey Pictures Inflation Period

Sells Worcester Newspaper Budget Must Be Balanced To Save the Country.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 2.—(AP) Senator Josiah W. Bailey, Democrat of North Carolina, declared last night that if President Roosevelt meant business he could balance the budget.

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## Returns To Handle Local Tax Suits

Commissioners Authorize I. C. Moser to Release Pending Actions.

The Randolph county commissioners, at a special session yesterday, adopted a resolution authorizing T. A. Burns, present county attorney, to assume charge of tax suits and other business matters, formerly handled by I. C. Moser.

The board exempted Edward C. Clark, Franklinville, from poll tax payments.

## Fire Destroyed By Fire Sunday Night

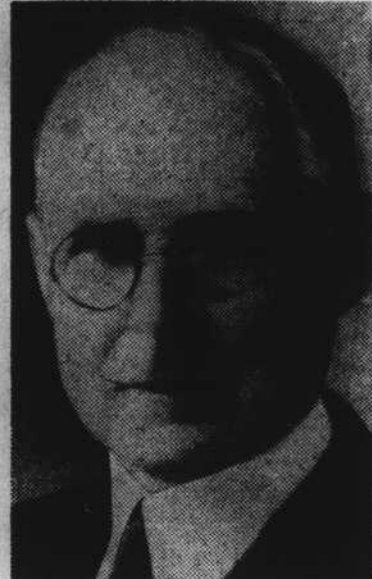
The fire alarm that shattered the hush of Sunday's midnight, according to C. Rush, fire chief, was an answer to a call on West Salisbury street where Ott Moffitt, a taxi driver, was frantically trying to do something about his burning taxi.

The fire was of such headway, however, that the fire department was unable to do much for Moffitt. The car was practically destroyed. Moffitt said his loss was partially covered by insurance.

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—President Roosevelt instructed the Reconstruction Finance corporation tonight to set up lending machinery with which loans could be made to alter the price of corn.

York, S. C., Nov. 2.—(AP)—Yegge broke into the First National bank of Sharon, rural community here, last night and stole cash valued at from \$5,500 to \$6,700.

## Supplies 'Tone' to Art, Science



Science won its place with art in the Tone family of Niagara Falls when Dr. Frank J. Tone of Buffalo, above, was awarded the 1938 Perkin medal for "valuable work in applied chemistry." Dr. Tone's contribution to the arts is his son, Franchot, film player husband of Joan Crawford.

## Unconscious Man Runs Car On Curb

Flavius Trogdon, Franklinville Suffers Heart Attack While Driving Sunday.

"Six-thirty, Winston-Salem. If anything happens to me, please notify Dr. Tiffany Barnes, Asheboro."

And that's what the people who found Flavius Trogdon, 42, of Franklinville read on the note clutched in his unconscious hand late Sunday afternoon after the car he was driving ran up on the sidewalk near the post office and remained there.

Mr. Trogdon was on his way home from the twin city and, according to Dr. Barnes, was not feeling well. Fearing something might happen to him and being alone driving, he wrote the explanatory note. And for the curious, that's what took Farlow ambulance screaming down Sunset and Fayetteville streets toward Randolph hospital. After diagnosing the case Dr. Barnes stated Mr. Trogdon was a victim of an heart attack and accompanied him to his home in Franklinville.

## Armistice Plans To Be Completed

American Legion Post Will Finish Plans Tonight; All Veterans Invited.

Dixon Post 45, American Legion, will complete plans at its meeting tonight, for the annual observance of Armistice Day, Thursday, November 11.

All ex-service men of the county are invited to attend the session. Post Commander, Dr. B. M. Weston, has called attention to the 100 percent membership record made last year and urges all ex-service men to obtain this year's cards early in order that the post may receive one of the special awards from the state department.

The Weather  
North Carolina: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Slightly warmer in the west and extreme southern portion tonight. Colder in the west Wednesday.

## Local Business Men Plan Scout Drive Tomorrow

A drive will be staged tomorrow in Asheboro to raise funds for furthering the work of the Boy Scouts in Asheboro and the county. A committee of representative business men of the town will make this drive, having lent their interests to this very fine movement for some time.

Tonight at 7:30 in the office of S. B. Stedman, local textile man of Asheboro, there will be a meeting which Dunn Hackney, scout executive of High Point, will attend and will preside over. Mr. Hackney will explain the details of the plans and give suggestions for the drive for funds which will be staged by these men on Wednesday morning in Asheboro, for scout work in the Asheboro district.

H. K. Moore will serve as chairman of the local committee who will meet with Mr. Hackney this evening and who will canvass the town for funds tomorrow. The following business men will serve with him: Rufus Routh, Jimmy Webb, Dr. G. W. Salisbury, D. W. Downum, Oscar Blalock, Cleveland Hayer, S. B. Stedman, Frank McCrary, Hinton Pearce, Harris Coffin, Hezern Cranford, J. H. Riddle, Robert Wood, Walter Craven, Francis White and a committee from the local Rotary club.

## Augusta Admiral "Clear Decks" As Jap Shells Drop

Heavy Bombardment Opens On Shanghai Waterfront; U. S. Ship in Danger Zone.

### Americans in Danger

American Flagstaff Anchored Near Tokyo Boat; Yarnell Gives "Safety Order."

Shanghai, Nov. 2.—(AP)—High projectiles from Japanese warships in the Whangpoo river burst along Shanghai's waterfront tonight, menacingly close to the United States Cruiser Augusta.

The Augusta, lying close to the cruiser Idumo, Japanese flagship, cleared her decks and battered down port holes as a precaution for the safety of her crew.

The bombardment was aimed at Chinese batteries in industrial Pootung, across the Whangpoo from the international settlement, in answer to Chinese shelling of Japanese forces in the Yangtzeppoo and Honkew sectors of the Shanghai front.

Shanghai's international settlement and the French concession, refuge of thousands of Americans and other foreigners, were shaken by intensive Japanese bombardment of the Chinese positions, only a short distance to the west.

Exploding bombs and shells shook buildings as far away as the Shanghai bund but no projectiles fell within the settlement or concession.

At St. John's University, just west of the settlement, a trench mortar shell crashed into the roof of the gym used as a barracks by the British troops but none was injured.

The tide of battle swept towards the Sicaew Catholic mission center on the southwest outskirts of the French concession.

Japanese Plan For Long Sino Conflict  
Tokyo, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Creation of a highly centralized Japanese government with all power in the hands of "imperial headquarters" of not more than 16 men was apparently in the offering today.

Official sources said they believed War minister Konyoe and the naval minister would present to the nation such a plan for taking most of the functions of parliament and the cabinet.

Some sources said the proposition to create the "imperial headquarters" indicated Japan saw the necessity of waging a long war in China or believed a third power, possibly Great Britain, might interfere in any peace plans.

Reports that some drastic government revision was developing were widely circulated as three ministers held a series of unscheduled meetings.

## Jury "Hung"; To Have Second Trial

Randleman Man Charged With Passing School Bus; Tried by Jury Monday.

The jury which heard evidence in the case of the State against T. E. Cox, near Randleman, charged with violation of the state motor traffic laws disagreed yesterday afternoon and Cox was released pending a new trial.

Cox was charged with passing a school bus which had halted on the highway. Police Justice R. A. Colvin, presided at the trial.

Roosevelt Votes  
Hyde Park, N. Y. Nov. 2.—(AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt, was voter 299 in the state, town and county election here today.

## Atlantic Flyer, Actress to Wed



Screen, love turned real for smiling, blonde Colette Lyons, top photo, movie and vaudeville actress, and Dick Merrill, transatlantic flyer. Announcement of their engagement was made in London, where they are making a movie.

## Mother Of Pastor Dies In Virginia

Mrs. Wade Smith, Mother Of Local Presbyterian Pastor, Dies at Staunton Today.

News reached Asheboro this morning of the death of Mrs. Wade R. Smith at 6:00 o'clock this morning at a Staunton, Va. hospital. Mrs. Smith is the mother of Dr. Cothran G. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Asheboro.

The message announcing her death came early this morning to John M. Neely prominent churchman and banker of the town. No funeral arrangements were announced in the message, but it is thought that funeral and burial will take place in Virginia. Mrs. Smith was, before her marriage, Miss Lapsley of Virginia.

When she was first taken ill several weeks ago, Dr. and Mrs. Wade Smith were in Staunton at their summer home. They have been residents of Greensboro for many years and for sometime Dr. Smith was pastor of a Greensboro church. For the past several years, however, he has not had a regular pastorate, but has served his denomination as evangelist for the Southern Presbyterian organization.

Dr. Wade Smith and Mrs. Smith have visited frequently in Asheboro and are well known in Asheboro as well as throughout North Carolina and Virginia.

## Business Decline Seen In Next Year

Capital Predictions May Upset President's Plan Of Balancing Budget.

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—A forecast by government agencies that the current business recession, which they said will "run well into 1938" created a thrust at President Roosevelt's plans for a balanced budget. If the forecast by the bureau of agriculture should prove accurate it would hinder plans for increase revenues and make curtailment of expenditures more difficult.

Mr. Roosevelt indicated he was counting on continued business improvement for this extra revenue and curtailment of relief and spending.

Revenue estimates, however, are based directly on calculation of the nation's income. The farm economy predict the steady rise in national income since 1933 would be broken by a drop next year below the 1937 revenue.

## Government Grants Corn Loan Of Fifty Cents On 1937 Crop

Bushel Price on Products Sealed at Farm; Must Be Tested at 50 Percent.

### 9 Cents On Cotton

Funds Forthcoming in Few Days; Four Cents Higher Than Wallace Plan.

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Informed officials in the agriculture department said today the government would lend 50 cents a bushel on this year's corn crop.

This source said details of the loan program would be announced within a few days.

They said the program would occur in general with the previous corn loan. The 50 cent loan will be on corn sealed on the farm, testing 14 and 1-2 percent moisture content or less.

The farm organizations asked a 60 cent a bushel loan on this year's crop and Secretary Wallace said a loan of about 40 cents would correspond with the 9 cent loan of the cotton crop.

President Roosevelt paved the way yesterday for the loan by the organization of machinery set up within the Reconstruction Finance corporation.

## Office Opens Here For Unemployment

Clyde Cates Will Take Charge Of Local Work; Arrives In Town Monday.

Waldo Porter, district manager of the North Carolina State Employment agency, who is located at Greensboro, was in Asheboro Monday with Clyde L. Cates who is in Asheboro to open the local branch office here. Mr. Cates, who has been trained in the Durham office, and who is a former school man and business man of some note, will be in charge of the Asheboro office.

Mr. Porter was assisting Mr. Cates in securing a location for the local office which will be located over the Standard Drug Co. and it is hoped that within a short time the office will be functioning actively.

Miss Jewel Boling, who is now with the Winston-Salem office, will return to her home county of Randolph as interviewer and Mrs. Helen Foust, of Asheboro, will be receptionist. After the first few

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## Davis Declines Brussels Crown

Refuses Presidential Seat Of Sino-Jap Conference Board.

Brussels, Belgium, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Norman H. Davis, it was learned today, has declined an offer to preside at the Brussels conference on the Chinese-Japanese conflict.

Davis, head of the American delegation to the conference declined, with thanks, the offer of leaders to make him president.

## Bailey Accuses N. C. Senator Says "Absolute Power" Aim Of F. D. R.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 2.—(AP)—United States Senator Josiah W. Bailey (D-N.C.) in an address here last night, asserted the department of agriculture was "seeking absolute control" over every farm and Washington "sought control practically of every business industry."

"The current attack upon the constitution and the Supreme court," he said, "is directed towards the destruction of local self government and the root of the constitution."

"No man could wish for a more plain example of efforts to expand centralized power than the pressure to 'have the general welfare' clause so interpreted as to give the department of agriculture absolute control of every farm and the commerce clause to give a federal board control over practically every industry and business."

"What shall be said when a president openly seeks power to mould the court's interpretations accord to his own objects."

"When a president urged a member of Congress to resolve his doubts—a veritable scuttling of the constitutional limitations?"

## Presidential Timber Expected In Today's Election Jersey And New York, 1940 Incubators



Lays Jew's Wreath on Nazi Tomb

Isidor Gennett, Jewish newsdealer and American Legionnaire from New York's Bronx, was only another wreath-layer as you see him above decorating the grave of France's Unknown Soldier in Paris. But in a similar ceremonial in Berlin, Isidor stirred a tempest in a teapot, decorating Germany's Unknown Soldier with a laurel wreath with a ribbon from "Jewish War Veterans. Maurice Krumholz Post No. 18," and securing an official guard of honor to boot.

Gennett's securing of the guard was investigated by Nazi authorities, but his wreath remained lying beside one left by Mussolini on his recent Berlin visit.

## Duke's "Man"; Wally's "Ex", Simpson, Dock In New York

New York, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Charles Bedaux, wealthy emigrant-without-portfolio for the Duke of Windsor, arrived last night to make ready for the forthcoming American visit of the abdicated British monarch and his American-born wife, the former Wallis Warfield.

Bedaux, who will help chart a public relations path for the royal couple, didn't bring the news so many had been waiting for—just what points in the United States they would visit.

That, he said by ship-to-shore telephone as the liner Europa pushed up New York harbor, would be announced by the Duke himself.

Just a few hours before Bedaux's boat docked, Ernest Simpson, the man who lost a wife to a King, stepped from another liner, the Queen Mary, as did the British ambassador to Washington, Sir Ronald Lindsay.

## Insurgent Blockade Termed Danger to European Peace

London, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Mediterranean tension was heightened today by reports that Spanish insurgents were throwing a tight air and naval blockade along the east Spanish coast to cut the Valencia government from outside help from the high seas.

General Franco's action sharply increased the danger of international complications in the Mediterranean.

He was believed planning to rely largely on planes, based on the island of Mallorca, to rule ship lanes and cut off Valencia from food and munitions.

Franco's naval commander at Palma has 35 ships at his command to build up the blockade.

While thus seeking to wall-up the government by sea and air, the insurgent forces would press to split the frontier between Valencia and France or, drive a wedge in the government lines.

## Randolph Man Charged With Murder; Held In Local Jail

Lee Jennings Confesses To Fatal Shooting of Will Cairriker Sunday.

Lee Jennings, 45, is locked up in the Randolph county jail, facing the possibility of a first degree murder charge as a result of the fatal shooting of Will Cairriker, 60, at the former's home Sunday afternoon.

Cairriker was found shot to death by Sheriff C. L. King of Randolph. The sheriff arrested Jennings at the scene. According to police reports, Jennings confessed the slaying.

## LaGuardia, Moore And Cleece May Be 1940 Possibility

Bitter Fight in Detroit; CIO And AFL Back Two Different Factions.

### Fight in New Jersey

New York Newspapers Predict Defeat For Tammany And Farley Aspirant.

(By The Associated Press)  
Voters in fifteen states cast ballots today in local elections which may prove indications of the national political trend.

Personalities, rather than national issues, dominated the off-year election of mayors in more than 30 cities, legislators in five states, governors in New York and New Jersey, and four congressmen to fill vacancies in New York and Virginia.

In Detroit, the non-partisan election shared attention with the New York mayoralty battle. Patrick H. O'Brien, endorsed by the CIO contested Richard W. Reading, supported by the AFL for the Detroit mayor's post.

Some of the winners in today's balloting may receive consideration as presidential timber in 1940, some political observers believe.

Prominently mentioned were three men, Mayor LaGuardia, seeking re-election on the combined backing of Republicans, Laborites, Socialists and communists.

U. S. Senator A. Harry Moore and State Senator Lester H. Cleece are contestants for the New Jersey governorship.

Moore, a Democrat, has been governor twice.

Opposing LaGuardia was Jeremiah T. Mahoney, running on a Democratic ticket with support of Tammany Hall and National Democratic Chairman, James A. Farley, Governor Herbert H. Lehman and Senator Robert F. Wagner.

Managers of both candidates claim victory but a majority of newspapers predict LaGuardia would win.

## Greensboro Man Talked For Post

Leroy Shuping, Prominent Greensboro Attorney And Politician, For Senate?

News reports from Greensboro for the past two days indicate that Leroy Shuping, prominent attorney and politician of that city, is entertaining an idea of announcing for the two-way senate race between Senator Bob Raynolds and Congressman Frank Hancock. The news story on Monday morning states that friends of this man were talking about the advisability of his entrance into the race.

Tuesday's news reports indicate that his record is being discussed and, with it, the ability of this man is being flouted and is proving not a bad selling point to many of his friends in Randolph. Mr. Shuping has been a national committeeman and was until 1936 when he just couldn't stand for "new deal" policies, claiming he was a Democrat and the policies of President Roosevelt were not Democratic, but entirely off color. This defeated Mr. Shuping who has maintained a silence in seven languages since that time—practicing law and leaving political matters off.

Around Raleigh, it is the general consensus of opinion that Mr. Shuping would take votes from Mr. Hancock instead of from Senator Reynolds, but this is a guess and early to prognosticate. In an article in today's press, Tom Bost, well known correspondent from Raleigh says:

Senator Bailey is in the senate largely through the discovery made by Shuping that Senator Simmons had sinned fatally in deserting the Democratic candidate for President in 1928. Shuping's fine organizing ability in managing the Bailey campaign was responsible for the Simmons defeat. But for the Shuping poll of leading Democrats it would have been impossible for any opponent of the senator to feel safe in opposing him. In making that survey Shuping borrowed the very cunning plan of Sanford Martin used against Al Smith. It was not Martin's; it was as old as the Statue of Liberty play in football, but it works in certain seasons without fail.

And having led the campaign to

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