

FRESH CONTACT WITH KIDNAPERS REPORTED

Six-Point Relief Plan Is Proposed By Robinson At Democratic Luncheon

WOULD ABANDON HIGH TARIFF AND LOWER EXPENSES

Senator Robinson Also Opposes Cancellation of Debts, and Would Use Money at Home

HIGHER COMMODITY PRICES ARE URGED

Wants Anti-Trust Laws Rigorously Enforced; Others Join in Arrangement of Republican Policies, and Jersey Woman Congressman Also Raps Prohibition

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—Arthur O'Brien, of Washington, D. C., was elected today as treasurer of the Democratic "Victory Fund" organization. He succeeds James W. Gerard, who resigned recently as treasurer of the Democratic National Committee.

Smith was virtually the only change in the money raising organization during an executive session of the "Minute Men" in charge of the \$1,500,000 drive.

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—A six-point economic relief program including abandonment of "prohibitive" tariffs and some reduction in the cost of government, was advanced today by Senator Robinson of Arkansas at the Jefferson day luncheon rally of the nation's leading Democrats.

Joining Representative Rainey, of Illinois, the House majority leader; Representative Mary T. Norton, of New Jersey, and Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, vice-chairman of the party's national committee, in a severe arraignment of Republican promises and policies, the Senate Democratic leader also called for:

Rigid enforcement of the anti-trust laws, use of American capital at home in a policy of non-cancellation of foreign debts, and no readjustment of domestic production and other processes.

All the other leaders let loose critical charges at the administration tariff and relief measures, but only one Representative, Norton, took a fling at prohibition.

Fighting abandonment of the prohibition bureau, she said the "noble experiment" has cost the American people \$370,000,000 for enforcement, not counting the revenue "which could be had from a legalized tax on beer and wines; while the cost in murders, suicides, corruption, crime and prisons and insane asylums up-keep cannot be estimated."

Red Cross Will Ask For Larger Member Rosters

Washington, April 13 (AP)—With relief demands upon it continually increasing, the need of the Red Cross for a greater membership to carry forward its humanitarian service was stressed today at its annual convention here.

James K. McClintock, vice-chairman of finance, said the people have come to expect of the Red Cross instant and effective action and to meet the need increasing financial support is necessary. He said the central committee believes a reasonable increase in the endowment fund as a guarantee of permanent and continuous organization, and a larger membership were necessary.

JOB DRIVE NEARLY AT HALF WAY MARK

New York, April 13 (AP)—A "top nearer the half way mark" was reported today by officials of the United Action Campaign to find a million jobs for unemployed wage earners. They said that 122 communities yesterday reported 8,017 placements in positions, bringing the grand total to 466,720.

Exchange Head at Senate Quiz



Photographed in Washington while appearing before the Senate investigating committee, Richard Whitney, President of the New York Stock Exchange, is shown testifying. Whitney was subpoenaed as the chief witness in the Senate's "Black Saturday" investigation which grew from reports that a billion dollar bear raid was projected for last Saturday on the New York Exchange.

Hoover Relief Program Embodies Five-Day Week

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—President Hoover's revised plan for staggering employment as a means of saving \$95,000,000 was laid before the House economy committee today by J. C. Roop, budget director.

The program calls for the introduction of the principle of the five-day week, or its equivalent, throughout the government service.

vice, the elimination of all annual leaves with pay, and the elimination of allowances to rural mail carriers for vehicle maintenance. Roop told the committee that for per diem employees the principle of the five-day week could be applied directly by the elimination of work on Saturday morning, and reducing pay proportionately.

U. N. C. SOPHOMORE COMMITS SUICIDE

John A. Nicholson, of Raleigh, Apparently Took Poison to End Life

Chapel Hill, April 13.—(AP)—A coroner's jury today gave a verdict that John A. Nicholson, of Raleigh, University of North Carolina sophomore, who was found dead in his room here yesterday, "probably committed suicide."

Dr. F. A. Nathan, coroner, said the verdict was based on evidence found in the students' room in a boarding house here. On a table was found a soft drink bottle and a chemical beaker, which he jury said probably had been used for drinking glass. University chemistry professors analyzed the beaker and reported traces of poison.

Laboratory officials said a check-up revealed a shortage of a quantity of poison like that of which traces were found in the beaker.

The jury advanced no motive for the death. Last night the body was taken to Raleigh, but the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David N. Nicholson, had not announced funeral arrangements. They said they knew of no reason their son should have taken his life.

CONGRESSMEN IN ILLINOIS RETURN

Chicago, April 13.—(AP)—Almost without exception, Illinois veteran and best-known congressmen were re-nominated in Tuesday's elections, returns showed today.

The closest contest attracting major attention in the Congressional race was between Congressman William E. Hull and Everett M. Dirksen, Republican in the sixteenth district. With 134 of the 252 precincts in, Dirksen had 15,271 votes and Hull 12,447.

MORRISON FACING DEFEAT UNLESS HE RETURNS TO STATE

His Friends Think Reynolds and Grist Are Making Inroads on Senator's Strength

BOWIE ATTACKING SENATOR'S WEALTH

Cropping Up of Bonus Issue Is Playing Into Hands of Grist and Reynolds, While Morrison Is Silent on That Question Up to the Present

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILLE.

Raleigh, April 13.—Friends of Senator Cameron Morrison here are becoming somewhat worried at developments in the senator's campaign and are reluctantly admitting the outlook right now does not seem to be so favorable for the Senator. With the three other candidates for the senatorial nomination—Robert R. Reynolds, Frank D. Grist and Tam C. Bowie—hammering away at him constantly day after day in various sections of the State, and with Morrison in Washington, unable to conduct a personal campaign here at home, his friends are becoming not a little concerned. The entry of a fifth candidate into the contest for the nomination for the Senate, who apparently is entirely unknown to a majority of the Democrats here—one Arthur Simmons of Burlington—is also not especially reassuring, though this newest comer is not regarded as boding any additional danger for Morrison.

Another factor that is causing the Morrison followers to be more worried than usual, is the manner in which recent developments have seemed to play into the hands of two of his opponents, Reynolds and Grist with regard to the immediate payment of bonus compensation to war veterans. Morrison has been silent on this matter so far, while both Reynolds and Grist have been demanding immediate payment of this compensation to the veterans by the government. The recent upheaval in the ranks of the veterans all over the country, demanding payment of the bonus now, will likely rebound more to the benefit of Grist, who is a war veteran, and Reynolds, who has been advocating this move, than to Morrison, many are inclined to believe. "With these other three or four candidates going up and down the State every day and every night, at-

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'Jafsie' in Lindy Case



Dr. John F. Condon After weeks of mystery as to his identity, "Jafsie," the man who played the role of intermediary between Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and the supposed kidnappers of his child, emerged as Dr. John F. Condon, above, a 72-year-old lecturer at Fordham university. "Jafsie" advertised repeatedly in New York newspapers as he negotiated with the kidnappers. Colonel Lindbergh finally made the ransom payment of \$50,000 through "Jafsie's" efforts but the baby was not returned.

WEATHER

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair tonight, possibly light frost in interior; Thursday, partly cloudy, with rising temperatures.

Dr. John Condon Convinced He Is On The Right Track One Of \$20 Notes Is Found

NEW FIGURES IN LINDBERGH CASE



Smith



Woods

B. Hunt Bancroft Smith, left, president of the Eastern Aeronautical corporation, has admitted that he flew with Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on several secret flights recently in connection with the search for the kidnapped Lindbergh baby. W. O. Woods, right,

of the U. S. treasury department, supplied all banks throughout the country with the serial numbers of the bills used in payment of the \$50,000 ransom after the kidnappers "double-crossed" Lindbergh. They failed to produce the child following payment.

Senator Resents Criticism Of "Big Business" Leaders On Government's Expenses

By CHARLES P. STEWART
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Washington, April 13.—It is all very well, said, in effect, Senator Otis F. Glenn of Illinois, addressing his fellow senators the other day, for "the country's great business men" to refer scathingly to congressional extravagance during the post-war period of so-called prosperity. But demanded the senator, were these same "miracle workers," as he termed them, themselves any less extravagant than congress during that identical period?

"No," exclaimed the Prairie State lawmaker. "Almost every private business, industry and corporation," Senator Glenn asserted, "expanded its plant, increased its payroll and placed its executives upon extremely high salaries, expecting the flow of gold to continue forever and ever and ever."

"Now they cry out the loudest, condemning the government for extravagance at a time when they were at their own peak of extravagance and folly."

"It is hardly fair," the question whether it is fair or not probably will not particularly interest the average victim of the depression. Nevertheless, there is a significance

In the admission by a legislator such as Senator Glenn, who, as an ultra-conservative, generally is regarded as representative rather of Illinois capitalistic than proletarian sentiment, that big business really believed that boom conditions would continue indefinitely.

There certainly were many economists who regarded the boom at least with grave misgivings long before it burst in October, 1929.

It was as far back as the spring of 1925 (I recall that President Cool-

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FOLGER TO OPPOSE HANCOCK, IS RUMOR

Latter's Vote For Federal Sales Tax Given As Cause of Trouble

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILLE.

Raleigh, April 13.—John A. Folger, of Mount Airy, Surry county, will probably become a candidate for Congress in the fifth district, opposing Congressman Frank Hancock, of Oxford, Granville county, according to reports reaching here.

If Folger runs, and indications are that he will—he will seek the nomination on a straight out anti-sales tax platform. In spite of Hancock's position as being favorable to revision of the prohibition laws, which called down the wrath of numerous ministerial associations, as did his advocacy of the bill to permit the dissemination of birth control information, the basic reason for the wave of opposition to him in the fifth district seems to be his vote in favor of the national sales tax plan.

The Democrats in the fifth district—especially those counties which now compose the fifth district, Surry, Forsyth, Stokes, Rockingham, Caswell, Person and Granville—have been very friendly to a sales tax, least of all a general sales tax, with the exception of Forsyth. When the sales tax issue was up in the 1931 General Assembly, the members of the State Senate bitterly opposed the general sales tax. Folger, as a member of the State Senate from Surry, bitterly fought both sales tax proposals in the senate and was one

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MYSTERY MESSAGE TO POLICE CAUSES SEARCH AT DOCKS

But Search Reveals Nothing of Importance, Though Investigation Is Being Continued

SUSPICIOUS MAN IS NABBED IN ONTARIO

Carries Letters Addressed to Lindbergh and Mrs. Morrow and Carbon Copies of Telegrams; 'Jafsie' Makes Another Mysterious Journey

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—One of the \$20 notes paid to the Lindbergh kidnappers was reported here today to have been passed in New York City and turned over to the New York police department by the secret service.

Secret service agents in New York City identified the bill and reported their finding to the police to enable the latter to attempt to trace the note. It was added, however, that it probably would be impossible to trace the note to its source in New York.

Newark, N. J., April 13.—(AP)—The News said today that the first authentic bill from the Lindbergh ransom money to come into the hands of the authorities was in possession of secret service operators in New York City.

The operatives were said to be trying to trace the note, a \$20 bill to its source. The story is based on what the News calls "unimpeachable authority."

Stockholm, Sweden, April 13.—(AP)—Police received orders today to search the city for the kidnapped Lindbergh baby. Pictures of the missing child appeared on the front page of all the leading newspapers.

St. Thomas, Ontario, April 13.—(AP)—A man claiming to be D. D. Dickerson, of New York City, was arrested here today in connection with the Lindbergh kidnapping. Police said he carried letters addressed to Colonel Lindbergh and Mrs. Dwight Morrow, mother of Mrs. Lindbergh, together with carbon copies of telegrams believed to have been sent to Colonel Lindbergh.

NEW YORK POLICE WITHOUT KNOWLEDGE OF DICKERSON New York, April 13.—(AP)—Police said today they had no knowledge of any D. D. Dickerson, of New York, the name given by a man arrested in St. Thomas, Ontario, in connection with the Lindbergh kidnapping.

They said they had not been informed of the arrest or asked for any information regarding the prisoner.

NEGOTIATIONS RENewed BY DR. CONDON, HE ANNOUNCED Hopewell, N. J., April 13.—(AP)—Dr. John M. Condon indicated today that he had renewed negotiations with the kidnappers of the Lindbergh baby, to whom he has already paid a \$50,000 ransom, and police disclosed they had received a "mystery message" telling where definite information of the baby's whereabouts might be obtained.

"I'm convinced I had contact with the kidnappers and I still have contact with them," Dr. Condon, who negotiated with the criminals through a series of advertisements signed "Jafsie," said early today, after a mysterious night's journey.

A few hours later Colonel H. Norman Schwarzkopf, superintendent of State police, who is in general charge of the police investigation, issued the usual morning bulletin, and in it announced the latest clue.

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KANE WILL RECEIVE FATHER'S PROPERTY

Kane, Pa., April 13.—(AP)—Elisha Kent Kane III, former University of Tennessee and University of North Carolina professor, who was acquitted of drowning his wife, inherits the home and hospital of Dr. Evan O'Neill Kane, who died last week.