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POLICE PREPARED FOR EVENTUALITY DURING MAY DAY

Watchful Eye Peeled to Discern and Prevent Disorders in Many Lands of the Earth

ON CONTINUOUS DUTY IN NEW YORK CITY

Mass Meetings and Parades Scheduled Today, As They Are Banned on Sunday; First Real Scare Reported in Vancouver as Dynamite Is Stolen

(By the Associated Press.) Plans for May Day celebrations were given their final touches today. In many lands police were watchful. Vancouver, B. C., registered the first police there said they were informed a raiding band of communists and unemployed had broken into a powder magazine at Ashcroft, 175 miles away, stolen 1,000 pounds of dynamite and started for Vancouver to celebrate May Day tomorrow. Russia, preparing for a rousing celebration, read a greeting from the revolutionary war council at Moscow, which urged that "the iron revolutionary discipline of the red army" be strengthened. In France, where Sunday is election day, the minister of interior issued the customary order to guard against May Day disorder, but he said he expected no trouble. New York police, 18,000 strong, will be on duty continuously from this morning until Monday morning. Mass meetings and parades were scheduled for today because police banned Sunday parades. Socialists and trade unionists, with Norman Thomas speaking planned a giant New York meeting, May Day—the international labor day—is celebrated by many organizations.

State's Offices On Standard Time, Despite Raleigh

Raleigh, April 30.—(AP)—All state offices will operate according to eastern standard time in Raleigh as usual, though business hours of the city will observe daylight time after tomorrow. Governor O. Max Gardner today announced that state offices would "run on regular summer schedules," according to eastern standard time, opening at 8:30 and closing at 4:30.

Hoover Off For Rapidan Camp For End of Week Rest

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—President and Mrs. Hoover and a party of friends left the White House by automobile shortly before 8 o'clock this morning for a week-end of rest at the President's Rapidan camp. White House aides termed the excursion his first "vacation" in seven months. All save one of the men in his party were members of the famous "recreation" group known as the "medical cabinet."

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE PRESIDENT ONLY 30

Annapolis, Md., April 30.—(AP)—St. John's College, one of the oldest educational institutions in the country, today officially gained one of the youngest presidents in the country. Students and educators from colleges all over the country gathered here for the inauguration of Dr. Douglas Huntley Gordon as president of St. John's, although he has been serving as chief for the past year. Gordon is but 30 years old.

LITTLETON BANK TO REOPEN ON MONDAY

Stockholder-Depositor Agreement Makes Its Resumption Possible

Raleigh, April 30.—(AP)—The Bank of Littleton, which closed January 11, 1932, will reopen Monday, Gurney P. Hood, state commissioner of banks, said today. Under an agreement by which depositors of the bank took over \$100,000 of the notes, mortgages and other paper of the old bank, and by a voluntary stock assessment of 50 percent, which netted \$7,500, the reopening was arranged.

CONVICTIONS IN HONOLULU HO NOR SLAYINGS



Here are the principals in the famous "honor slaying" trial that has come to a close in Honolulu, when four Americans were convicted of manslaughter for the killing of a Hawaiian native, Joseph Kahahawai, for assaulting the wife of a naval lieutenant, Mrs. Granville Fortescue.

Thomas H. Masse, one of the convicted quartette. The others were Mrs. Granville Fortescue, mother of Mrs. Masse, and Albert Jones and E. J. Lord, naval enlisted men. Kahahawai was one of five natives charged with attacking Mrs. Masse last September. Clarence Darrow, of Chicago, noted criminal lawyer, was the leading defense counsel. The trial throughout was marked by a terrific legal fight. In the lower right in the picture above is shown the court house in Honolulu, and the lower left is the court room, where the trial was held.

Mrs. Thelma Masse
Mrs. Granville Fortescue
Thomas H. Masse
Albert Jones
E. J. Lord
Clarence Darrow

Honolulu Convictions Condemned By Senator

Massie and Others Never Had Fair Trial, McKellar Declares, And if He Were in House He Would Move For Impeachment of Grand Jury Judge, He Says

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—Senator McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, said today in a statement he did not believe defendants in the Masse case in Honolulu "got a fair trial." "Local prejudice evidently controlled" the decision, the Tennessee senator said, adding that the judge who presided over the grand jury which returned the indictment of the four Americans "should be impeached." "And if I were a member of the House, I would move for his impeachment," the Tennessee senator said.

Honolulu, April 30 (AP)—With a recommendation for leniency, a racially mixed jury has convicted four Americans of manslaughter for the slaying of a Hawaiian. The jury reported a verdict late yesterday after more than 48 hours deliberation. The defendants are Lieutenant Thomas H. Masse, U. S. N.; Mrs. Granville Fortescue, society matron; her mother-in-law, Albert O. Jones and E. J. Lord, navy enlisted men.

ROGERS CALDWELL CASE IS REVERSED

Nashville, Tenn., April 30.—(AP)—The Tennessee Supreme Court today reversed the conviction of Rogers Caldwell, former investment banker who was given a one to three year prison sentence in a criminal court at Nashville on a charge of fraudulent breach of trust.

Elected President. Richmond, Va., April 30.—Walter W. Williams of Benton, Ill., was elected president of the National Association of Chamber of Commerce here yesterday. The 1932 convention will probably be in Chicago.

Ruth Bryan Owen To Campaign For Dry Referendum

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—Representative Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the late William Jennings Bryan, today announced she would campaign for renomination in her 550-mile long Florida district on the issue of a prohibition referendum as against direct repeal. She said she would leave Washington to make the campaign as soon as the economy legislation, last of the big controversial questions to come before the House this session, has been finished.

Public Held Responsible For Stock Market's Part In Hastening Depression

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Staff Writer
Washington, April 30.—From the testimony thus far at the senate banking and currency committee's Wall Street investigation it is difficult to draw any other conclusion than that a get-rich-quick-crazy public was mainly responsible for whatever the stock market may have had to do with causing the depression. Agreeing that the exchange folk provided the paraphernalia, it still is evident that there could not have been practically the only thing there seems to be for the senatorial inquisitors to determine is whether it was run according to Hoyle or was fixed by the "talent" to skin its customers at a swifter rate than the law

SHANGHAI BOMBER MAY BE JAPANESE

Military Officials Keeping Secret Identity of Man Being Held

ONE OF INJURED DIES Another Is In Serious Condition, But Remaining Trio Are Reported Recovering From Injuries From Explosion

Shanghai, April 30 (AP)—One of the five high Japanese officials severely injured by a bomb explosion in Hongkong park yesterday, Y. Kawabata, president of the Shanghai Residents Association, died today. Of the other four, Mamoru Shingetani, Japanese minister to China, was in the most serious danger. The other victims were recovering. Many extravagant reports, most of them unfounded, and the rest impossible to confirm, kept Shanghai in a state of excitement during the day. One report which was widely believed was that the bomb thrower was a Japanese and not a Korean. The report said the Japanese military officials were keeping it a secret. They and the consular officials refused to discuss the matter and would only say that a statement would be issued after the completion of the man's examination, which was continuing.

NO PROTEST BY JAPAN AS THE BOMBER WAS JAPANESE

Recreation to the bomb attack on Japanese officials at Shanghai yesterday was kept studiously moderate here today in all responsible quarters, and it was stated it was not expected it would affect the Sino-Japanese relations at Shanghai. No protest was contemplated by the government, since the scene of the bombing was under temporary occupation by the Japanese military, and the thrower of the bomb was a Japanese subject.

CLARKSON DAUGHTER TO WED POLLARD, JR

Charlotte, April 30 (AP)—Miss Margaret Fullerton Clarkson, of Charlotte daughter of Justice Herriot Clarkson, of North Carolina Supreme Court, and John Garland Pollard, Jr., son of the governor of Virginia, will be married in St. Peter's Episcopal church here May 21.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Cloudy, with showers tonight and in east portion Sunday; not much change in temperature.

REVENUE GREATER BUT STATE FACES SHORTAGE ANYHOW

Minimum Indicated Deficit \$2,800,000 June 30 Looms Despite Increased Income

RECEIPTS ARE OFF FROM EXPECTATIONS

More Than \$3,500,000 Lower Than Estimates; Highway Fund Income Holds Close to Estimates, With \$1,837,610 Increase For Ten Months

Raleigh, April 30.—(AP)—Though revenue collections for the general fund of the State aggregated \$15,273,721.01 for the first ten months of the current fiscal year, an increase of more than \$3,250,000 over the corresponding period a year ago, the State still faces a minimum indicated deficit of \$2,800,000 on June 30. A. J. Maxwell, commissioner of revenue, released the monthly financial statement today without comment. It showed collections for April as \$38,477.17, compared with \$374,918.26 in the same month of 1931. Henry Burke, assistant director of the budget, said the total ten months receipts were about \$3,500,000 to \$4,000,000 below the original estimated revenue for the general fund for the period.

Highway fund receipts, on the other hand, are holding close to the original estimates. Mr. Burke said, with a ten months total this year of \$18,091,172.17, or an increase of \$1,837,610 over the same period last fiscal year.

LEAGUE HAS PLAN ON CHINESE PEACE

Resolution Adopted at Geneva as Stimson Looks On From Gallery

Geneva, April 30.—(AP)—The League of Nations Assembly today adopted a resolution embodying a plan for settlement of the Sino-Japanese controversy at Shanghai. The Japanese delegates refrained from voting on the resolution, which provides that evacuation of Japanese troops shall be completed in the near future, and that the League's mixed commission is authorized to report any neglect by either China or Japan to observe the terms of the armistice agreement. Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson sat in the spectators' gallery with the American delegation during the Assembly meeting.

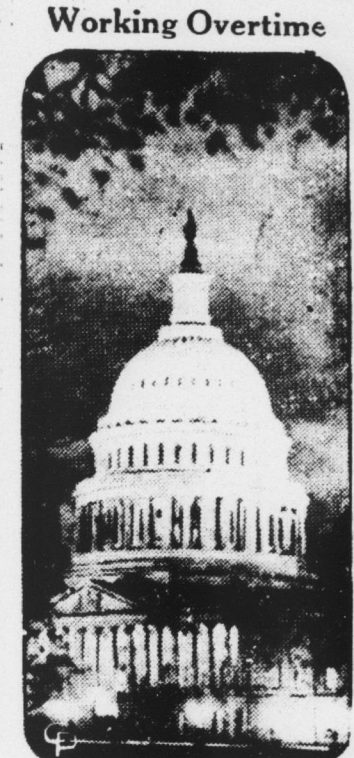
Asserts 100,000 Are Unemployed Over This State

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—An estimate that approximately 100,000 people are unemployed in North Carolina was made in a report to the joint committee on unemployment at the Ambassador hotel here today. The report made by Larry Hogan, Marion, N. C., labor organizer, said: "About 100,000 people, chiefly textile workers, are unemployed in North Carolina, and for the most part, they are begging or bumming the highways." Meanwhile, before the House labor committee, a program of "back to the farm" for the city unemployed was the theme.

Huey Long Favors Norris As Democratic Candidate

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—Senator George W. Norris, Republican independent from Nebraska, was proposed today by Huey Long, of Louisiana, as the Democratic candidate for President. Louisiana's fiery senator and Democratic national committee man, who revolted yesterday from the Senate leadership of Senator Robinson of Arkansas, announced he had withdrawn his support of Robinson, Senator Harrison of Mississippi or Speaker Garner for the Democratic candidacy. When Long first arrived in Washington, he announced that he considered these three and former Governor Smith of New York, the outstanding candidates for his party's

Finance Group In Senate Seeking To Revive Sales Tax



This beautiful night view of the capitol means that solons are working overtime to finish the vast amount of work which must be completed before the convening, in June. Photo was taken during a recent night session.

POLITICAL PARADE GATHERS UP SPEED DURING THE WEEK

Interest Centers In gubernatorial Race, Though Senate Fight Is Not Forgotten

EHRINGHAUS GAINS ARE OUTSTANDING

Maxwell Has Picked Up Further Following, But Fountain Has Lost, Observers Hold, Despite Claims by all of Them; Managers Bubbling Optimism

Raleigh, April 30.—(AP)—The political parade gathered more momentum during this week than in any week so far, with interest centering more and more in the campaign for the Democratic nomination for governor between R. T. Fountain, J. O. B. Ehringhaus and A. J. Maxwell, according to the opinion of observers here. More interest is also beginning to be shown in the campaign for the Democratic nomination for the Senate between Senator Cameron Morrison, Robert R. Reynolds, Frank D. Grist, Tam C. Bowie and Arthur Simmons. The greatest interest so far has been in the contest for governor, however. Despite the claims of all three candidates that they are all gaining steadily and that each is in the lead, most of the impartial political opinion here is that Ehringhaus continued to make substantial gains

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House Bill, Now With Finance Committee, Is Far Below Figure Fixed By The House

REED, PENNSYLVANIA, IS LEADING ATTACK

Older Heads of Committee, However, Give Him No Chance, And That Goes For Republicans And Democrats and Apparently in Senate Itself As Well

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—A quiet campaign within the Senate Finance Committee to force the general sales tax back into the revenue bill has stripped it of many millions of dollars. As the much altered House bill stands today it is far below the approximately billion dollar total that is needed, despite stiff raises that have been written into many schedules. Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania, has led the drive under which special excise taxes have been mowed down like ninepins, admitting he seeks to compel use of the sales tax, which the House rejected so vigorously. Yet older heads of the finance committee give him no chance. This goes for Republicans and Democrats, and apparently represents majority sentiment in the Senate itself. Worn and more or less baffled after a hard week spent at altering the measure, the committee is in recess for the week-end, its members individually studying further money-raising possibilities.

500 TEACHERS WILL LIKELY BE ENOUGH

School Attendance Not Expected As Large Next Year As This Year

Raleigh, April 30.—It will probably not be necessary to increase the teaching load of the teachers next year, despite the fact that the average daily attendance this year indicates that about 1,000 additional teachers will be needed, while the State does not have funds to provide more than 500 teachers, according to LeRoy Martin, secretary of the State Board of Equalization.

"It is generally agreed that the school attendance this year has been the heaviest ever known," Martin said. "It is also agreed by many of the principals and superintendents that such a heavy attendance is not likely again for several years. Factors that contributed to the unusually heavy attendance this past year have been the mild weather, the absence of any epidemics in the schools, such as whooping cough or measles, and the absence of work for older children to do, so that more have remained in school. Consequently, it is entirely possible that the average daily attendance this year has been larger than it will be next year, so that the 500 additional teachers which the State expects to allot for will be able to take care of the school enrollment without any increase in the teacher load." The number of teachers are allotted to the various schools on the basis of the average daily attendance in each school in the preceding year.

REORGANIZATION IS PERMITTED HOOVER

President Permitted in Economy Bill To Revise Federal Machine

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—President Hoover's biggest hope for reducing wasteful expenditure in the government had weathered today the worst of the congressional opposition. Alone of the important provisions in the once impressive economy bill, the section granting the President power to reorganize branches of the unwieldy Federal machine was turned unchanged by the House late yesterday. The insurgent coalition group remained firmly in the saddle, however, ridding the bill with so many amendments that reductions totalling \$67,000,000 have been thrown out so far, and only \$42,000,000 of economies approved.