

WHEAT REDUCTION WORRIES LONDON PARLEY

DRIVE FOR SLASH 1933 COTTON CROP TO START MONDAY

State College Extension Service Completes Set-Up for Contacting 90,000 Growers

QUOTA FOR STATE TO BE 363,000 ACRES

Final Instructions To Be Given County Agents and Workers Over Week-End on Return of Assistant Director From Washington With Information

Raleigh, June 24 (AP)—North Carolina's combined agricultural forces, under the direction of the North Carolina State College Agricultural Extension Service, will launch the State's cotton reduction campaign Monday in 67 cotton growing counties.

Instructional and preparatory meetings to the campaign will continue through Sunday and Monday and the actual cotton reduction sign-up of 90,000 cotton farmers will begin on Monday night.

North Carolina's quota to be returned is 363,000 acres.

Extension service forces have completed district instructional campaigns in the cotton area, and reports enthusiastic support and a gratifying reception of the cotton reduction plan by representative farmers, bankers and business men.

Final instructions will be given and other campaign workers over the county agents, vocational teachers week-end after the return of Charles A. Sheffield, assistant to the director, who was sent to Washington Friday night by Dean I. O. Schaub, director, to get answers to questions which arose at district meetings this week.

The cotton reduction contracts, with both plans for retiring acreage will be presented at community meetings Monday.

SCOTCHMAN WINNER OF GOLFING CROWN

Hoy Lake, England, June 24 (AP)—Michael Scott, 55-year-old internationalist, and member of a prominent Scottish family, today captured the British amateur golf championship for the first time, defeating Thomas Bourn, 4 and 3 in the 36-hole finals match.

SUICIDE'S VICTIM DIES OF GUN SHOT

Fayetteville, June 24 (AP)—Miss Fay Britten, wounded yesterday at Clinton by Raymond Green, who later committed suicide, died today in a Fayetteville hospital.

She was shot at close range, just below the left shoulder blade, with a shot gun.

Blood transfusions were resorted to in an effort to save her life.

Formation Of Unions Now Urged

William Green, Head of Labor Federation, Says Congress Has Paved Way

Washington, June 24 (AP)—An appeal to unorganized workers of the nation to unite "to obtain all the rights and benefits" of the national recovery act, went forth today from President William Green, of the American Federation of Labor.

Meanwhile, officials indicated that a general movement to organize in industries where the open shop or company unions prevail was already under way and directed by the federation.

"The hour has arrived when labor can be free, free to organize," Green's open letter, addressed to "wage earners and salaried workers everywhere," said. "Congress has established your legal rights to organize. Workers everywhere should avail themselves of the opportunity thus presented."

MOTHER DOOMED TO DIE IN CHAIR



Mrs. Mary Dach and her children.

The first woman to be sentenced to death in Texas is Mrs. Mary Dach, a widow, shown with her three children, above. Convicted of the murder of a hired hand on her farm near La Grange, Tex., Mrs. Dach has been sentenced to die in the electric chair. Mrs. Dach alleges she shot the man to save herself from an attack.

GRAND JURY SEEKS INVESTIGATION OF TRIO CHAIN BANKS

Guilford Jury Covers Territory of 12th Judicial District In Its Recommendation

SOLICITOR KOONTZ JOINS IN REQUEST

Would Have Governor Ehringhaus Order Probe of North Carolina, United and Page Institutions; Report of Findings Is Made to Judge A. M. Stack

Greensboro, June 24 (AP)—A State investigation of banks in the 12th judicial circuit, embracing Guilford, Davidson and Stokes counties, was asked by the grand jury of Guilford county today.

In a report to Judge A. M. Stack, the grand jury recommended that Governor Ehringhaus be requested to launch an official State probe of the banking institutions having either their home office or branches in the district.

Solicitor H. L. Kootz is on record as requesting such an investigation.

Three institutions were named by the grand jury or Kootz—the United Bank and Trust Company, the North Carolina Bank and Trust Company and the Page Trust Company.

The solicitor said it was his duty to ask the probe "because of the amount involved, the number of people interested, the territorial extent of the institutions in question and the lack of definite facts available" to him.

Conservation Camp Opens Near Durham On Next Tuesday

Raleigh, June 24 (AP)—Another civilian conservation camp, No. P-56, located three miles from Durham, will be occupied Tuesday it was announced today.

Brigadier General Manus McCloskey, commanding officer at Fort Bragg, where the men are conditioned for conservation work, telegraphed State Forester J. S. Holmes this morning that Durham's entire contingent would move into camp Tuesday, and that the camp at Stantonburg near Wilson would be completed at the same time.

Locks For Cape Fear 'Are Asked'

Washington, June 24 (AP)—Representative Hancock, Democrat North Carolina, today said he understood representative Clark, Democrat, North Carolina, had received assurances from Secretary Ickes that the construction of a \$1,500,000 lock and dam on Cape Fear river, 20 miles south of Fayetteville would be one of the projects in the public works program under the industrial recovery bill.

Before leaving yesterday, Clark conferred with Secretary Ickes on the project.

MADE NO COMMITMENTS

ICKES TELLS THE PRESS Washington, June 24 (AP)—Secretary Ickes today told newspaper men he had "made no commitments" to Representative Clark, Democrat, North Carolina, and a delegation which yesterday urged upon him inclusion in the public works program of a \$1,500,000 allocation for a lock and dam on the Cape Fear river.

Ickes, chairman of the public works board in charge of the expenditure of the \$3,800,000,000 said he had advised the group that the application for the work would have to come up through the State administrator, as yet to be appointed and that this would be the policy throughout in handling such matters.

WEATHER

FOE NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy, with showers to-night and possibly in interior Sunday; not much change in temperature.

ITALIAN PLANES POISED FOR HOP



At top are some of the 24 giant Italian amphibian planes poised at Lake Orbetello, Italy, for the mass flight across the Atlantic to the Century of Progress exposition in Chicago. Below are the members of the Italian air force who will man the fleet of planes. Inset, their leader, General Italo Balbo.

Dirigible Macon Is at Lakehurst

Lakehurst, N. J., June 24 (AP)—The dirigible Macon, blinking her lights in the early dawn, slid down out of the sky today to her new home at the naval air station here.

Officially commissioned as a navy ship of the skies, the vast dirigible flew from Akron, Ohio, where she was built at a cost of \$2,450,000. She left Akron at 8:20 p. m., eastern standard time, yesterday, arrived over this field at 3:18 a. m. and was made fast to a stub mooring mast at 4:20 a. m., just eight hours after her departure from the Ohio city.

MOREHEAD EXPECTS ITS PORT TERMINAL

Governor and Council Of State Endorse \$400,000 Loan by R. F. C.

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

Raleigh, June 24.—A port terminal at Morehead City with piers, docks and warehouse costing \$400,000, is believed assured as the result of the action taken by the Council of State here Friday in adopting a resolution for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for a loan with which to build the terminal. In this resolution, the governor and Council of State agreed to sponsor legislation in the next session of the General Assembly to provide that in case the terminal does not earn income enough to amortize the R. F. C. loan, the State will make up the difference from the rental received from the lease of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad to the Norfolk Southern. The Council of State was so enthusiastic over the plan that it would have agreed to this now but for the fact that special legislation is necessary to enable it to do so.

Now that the proposal has been endorsed by the governor and the council Representative Luther Hamilton, of Carteret county, who presented the plan to the council, and who is also representing the port commission before the Reconstruction Fi-

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N. C. BANK ASSETS PUT AT \$20,906,168

Greensboro, June 24 (AP)—Smith Medlin, conservator of the North Carolina Bank and Trust Company filed a complete statement of the bank's condition as of May 20 1933, here today. It listed assets and liabilities of \$20,906,168 for the bank and all branches.

COOPERATION FROM AUSTRALIA CAUSES CONCERN FOR U. S.

Mystery Surrounds Nature of Instructions Received Last Night by Australian Delegate

AUSTRALIA IS ONLY COUNTRY LACKING

Americans Continue Effort To Obtain Cooperation; Hull In Statement Flays Those Who Are Seeking To Force Failure of Conference Objectives

London, June 24.—(AP)—Considerable uneasiness existed today at headquarters of the American delegation to the world economic conference as to whether instructions Stanley Bruce, Australian minister to London received last night meant that his government will join other great wheat producing countries in the American scheme for the restriction of production.

Mystery surrounded the nature of the communication to Mr. Bruce, who declined to discuss the matter with newspaper men.

Americans were continuing their drive over the week-end to obtain Australian adherence. Australia is the only nation lacking among the major producers, including Canada, Argentine and Russia, which already have given the stamp of general approval to the plan.

The week-end found a decidedly more optimistic atmosphere surrounding the conference than existed a few days ago, when the stabilization battle was at its height, and some gold standard countries, including France, apparently were prepared to walk out of the parley if America should not stabilize immediately.

With that question at least temporarily solved, through a Franco-American rapprochement, achieved largely through the diplomacy of former Governor James M. Cox, of Ohio

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A. C. L. CONDUCTOR DIES OF PARALYSIS

Rocky Mount, June 24.—(AP)—Thomas Owen Bunting, Jr., 63, Atlantic Coast Line conductor of Wilmington, died in a hospital here today from paralysis.

The body will be taken to Wilmington for burial.

GOVERNOR ATTENDS ST. JOHN'S EVENTS

Raleigh, June 24 (AP)—Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus and his private secretary, Charles H. Powell of Oxford today attended the St. John's Day celebration at the Oxford Masonic Orphanage.

Major L. P. McLendon, of Durham, was the principal speaker.

Air Defense Of Germany Decided On

Mysterious Raids of Propaganda Arouse Populace of The Whole Country

Berlin, June 24.—(AP)—Air Minister Wilhelm Goering, struggling with a mass of thousands of telegrams from local chambers of commerce, trade unions and other organizations demanding air protection, decided today immediately to place an order for the construction of two fast police scouting planes.

He is convinced that these planes are necessary, it was explained in view of yesterday's mysterious air raids, in which handbills attacking the government were dropped on Berlin.

The ships will be used to pursue and establish the identity of invader foreign air raiders, it was said.

Yesterday's air attack demonstrated that our very existence is threatened," declared State Secretary Ehrhard Milch, of the air ministry, speaking in behalf of Captain Goering.

STOLEN LOCK BOX TAKEN FROM RIVER

Several \$1,000 Liberty Bonds and Other Valuables Recovered

TAKEN FROM CATAWBA

Belonged to President of Bank of Catawba; Stolen When Bank Was Robbed Last November Found Near Charlotte

Chicago, June 24.—(AP)—A lock box bearing the label of the Catawba Bank, Catawba, N. C., containing several thousand dollars worth of valuable, was found in the Catawba river today by a foreman working on the Wilkinson Boulevard bridge over that stream.

A gold watch was engraved with the initials "C. H. L."

Frank Davis, the foreman, found the box in shallow water about 100 feet from the Gaston county shore line. The river divides Mecklenburg and Gaston counties.

It contained among other things several \$1,000 Liberty bonds bank notes, notes now in force, cancelled notes, insurance policies, travelers' checks, the watch and several empty money bags that had been cut open.

The box was stowed and the key still in the lock, he contents were soaked but the box had very little rust in it.

Authorities said the box apparently had been thrown from an automobile crossing the bridge toward Charlotte. The box is about 20 inches long 12 inches wide and four inches deep.

STOLEN WHEN BANK WAS ROBBED LAST NOVEMBER

Catawba, June 24.—(AP)—The lock box found in the Catawba river near Charlotte today was stolen when the Catawba bank was robbed last November bank officials here said.

Dr. Fred Long, whose name appeared on some of the papers in the box, is president of the bank. Carlos Lowrance whose name also appeared on the papers, is Dr. Long's nephew. The gold watch found was a Lowrance heirloom.

RECOGNITION FOR RUSSIA IS SOUGHT

Washington, June 24.—(AP)—The United States Board of Trade today, in a formal statement, requested President Roosevelt to restore "full diplomatic relations with the Soviet government of Russia."

GIRL FALLS FROM AN AUTO AND DIES

Fayetteville, June 24 (AP)—Miss Lucile Kelly, 27, of Hope Mills, died in a hospital here today from injuries sustained Thursday when she fell from an automobile driven by J. W. Martin, of Hope Mills.