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MORE WARSHIPS TO CUBA

Roosevelt Pledges Aid For Higher Tobacco Prices

Keeping In Touch With Problem, He Wires Ehringhaus

Confidently Counting On
Support of Growers In
Making the New Plans
Effective

GROWERS MOVE FOR CROP CURTAILMENT

Next Monday Date Set For
Start of Sign-Up Campaign
In Both Carolinas; Parity
Prices Promised Those
Growers Who Participate
In Campaign

Raleigh, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Governor Ehringhaus announced today he had received a telegram from President Roosevelt pledging the aid of the administration in securing better prices for the cured tobacco.

"Regret exceedingly that because of heated arrival I did not see you yesterday (Tuesday). I am in touch with the tobacco problem through the secretary of agriculture, and wish to assure you and through you the growers of the cured tobacco of our deep sympathy with their situation.

"The Department of Agriculture, as you know, is moving promptly under the program designed to correct conditions, and we are confidently counting on your cooperation and that of the growers in making it effective."

GROWERS MOVE SPEEDILY TOWARD CROP REDUCTION

(By the Associated Press.)
Tobacco growers of the Carolinas moved today toward crop reduction campaigns designed to secure government price lifting aid, not only for this year, but for the next two years also.

At Columbia, Governor Ibra C. Backwood declared next Monday and Tuesday "general holidays" in the tobacco growing counties of South Carolina to allow the growers to participate in the reduction sign-up campaign.

His action followed closely on the heels of a mass meeting at Raleigh, where North Carolina growers laid plans for meetings in 57 counties at which growers will be asked to sign a blanket agreement pledging crop reduction in 1934 and 1935 not to exceed 20 percent of their average crops for 1931, 1932, 1933.

Representatives of South Carolina
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Boycott Of Ford Heard At Winston

Consumer Signers of NRA Vow Against Buying Dearborn Company's Cars

Winston-Salem, Sept. 7.—(AP)—W. L. Ferrell, general chairman of the recovery board here, today said canvassers had reported assertions by NRA signers that they would buy no more Ford automobiles, and he sent the following telegram to the Ford Motor Company at Dearborn.

Help Is Pledged By Warehousemen

Greenville, N. C., Sept. 7.—(AP)—Tobacco warehousemen of Eastern North Carolina, meeting here today, pledged their wholehearted support for the government's acreage reduction campaign, and tendered their services along with those of all warehouse employees, to aid in sign-up campaigns.

Last Detail Of Tobacco Plan Begun

Farm Administration Completing Scheme Looking To Crop Control

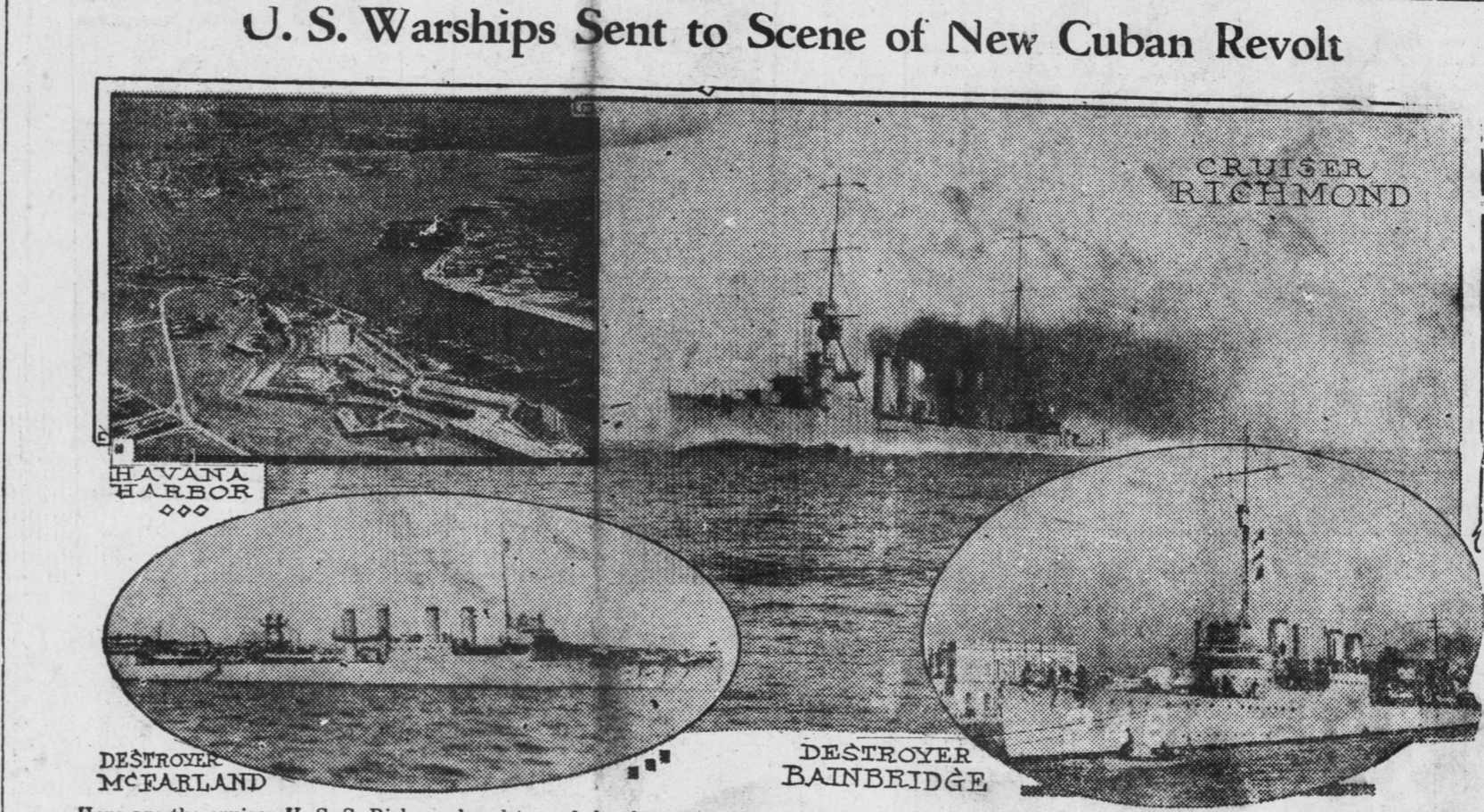
Washington, Sept. 7.—(AP)—The Farm Administration today began work on final details of its flue-cured tobacco program after assurances by the growers that they would support a plan for production control.

Etheridge Plans No Early Changes In His Policies

Raleigh, Sept. 7.—No changes in the policies of the Department of Conservation and Development are contemplated, at least at present, R. Bruce Etheridge, newly inducted director, said today in his first public statement since taking office.

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Here are the cruiser U. S. S. Richmond and two of the three destroyers ordered to Havana, following the revolutionary coup against the government of President de Cespedes by the Cuban Army, Navy and national police. While the American warships have not received orders to land any men on Cuban soil, it is felt that their presence in Havana harbor will have a beneficial effect on the tense situation. The United States' action was taken following an interchange of opinions between Ambassador Welles in Havana and Secretary of State Hull in Washington.

RAY OF TEACHERS FINALLY APPROVED

State Board of Education Ratifies School Commission's Scales

\$45 TO \$90 PER MONTH
Brummitt Opposes Schedule and
Holds Out for 10 Percent Higher
Pay; Governor Writes
Approval Resolution

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Witness At Taylorsville Bank Hold-Up Trial Tells Damaging Story

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Wilkes Farmer To Be Electrocutted

Raleigh, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Official announcement just expected in behalf of Bryan Stone, 45-year-old Wilkes county farmer, scheduled to die in the electric chair tomorrow for killing his son-in-law, Wayne Norman, 40.

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Admiral Byrd To Start Sept. 25 For South Pole

Leaves Boston on That Date
and This Time Will Take
Two Ships to Frozen
Region

SUPPLIES ARE ALL OBTAINED IN U. S.

35 Men on Each Ship To Be Carried; Will Seek To Learn Rest of Secrets of the Antarctic; His Second Trip There; Has Flown Over Both Poles

Washington, Sept. 7.—Rear Admiral Richard Evelyn Byrd and his crew of scientific adventurers will sail from Boston September 25 seeking to wrest the remaining secrets from the last great home of mystery—the enormous waste land of the Antarctic.

Federal Red Tape Delaying Highway Work Over State

Raleigh, Sept. 7.—Although the State Highway and Public Works Commission has read 32 construction projects involving the expenditure of approximately \$2,000,000 on which it is ready to call for bids, it will not be able to hold a letter on these projects until after they have been approved by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads in Washington.

Churchmen Strong For Whisky Ban

Presbyterian Synod Refuses To Modify Its Stand; Davidson Is Discussed

Greensboro, Sept. 7.—(AP)—After a vigorous debate, the Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina today adopted a resolution calling on Presbyterians to use "all legitimate means for banishment" of traffic in intoxicating liquors.

U. S. May Demand Cespedes' Return

Havana, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Soldiers set up machine guns in uptown parks this afternoon as Havana was stirred by many confusing rumors, including an insistent report that the United States would ask the two-day-old radical government to surrender power.

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WASHINGTON AIMS AT PROTECTION OF AMERICANS THERE

Sixteen More Ships Ordered
To Island as Precau-
tion Against Im-
pending Trouble

MAKES 25 IN ALL ORDERED TO SCENE

1,000 Marines Concentrated
at Quantico Ready and
Equipped for Foreign Ser-
vice; About 5,000 Ameri-
cans in Cuba; U. S. Invest-
ments One Billion

Washington, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Concentration of naval power off the shores of disturbed Cuba continued today, with 16 destroyers ordered there in event they "be needed to protect American lives."

Thus 23 combat vessels are now or soon will be near Cuba, the latest unit being of eight navy and eight coast guard destroyers.

As to the regular navy ships, Admiral William H. Standley, chief of operations, instructed these, which had been cruising with naval reservists, to disembark them immediately and take on their full complements of regular officers and men.

Simultaneously the coast guard craft—former war vessels—were dispatched from around New London and New York under orders to report to the senior naval commander in Cuba.

Meanwhile, more than 1,000 United States Marines were mobilized as the seventh regiment at nearby Quantico, Va. Equipped as an expeditionary force, they were prepared for immediate movement. The heavy cruiser Indianapolis, bearing Secretary Swanwick, is proceeding down the Atlantic coast.

ABOUT 5,000 AMERICANS IN CUBA AS RESIDENTS NOW

Washington, Sept. 7.—(AP)—American residents in Cuba numbered approximately 6,000 at the beginning of this year, but State Department officials today said the American population had been reduced in recent months, and it is not believed that now it exceeds 5,000 regular residents.

Open Probe Of Slaying At Burgaw

Solicitor Kellum In Charge of Inquiry Into Killing of Negro There

Wilmington, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Solicitor Woodus Kellum announced today that a hearing will be held in Burgaw tomorrow in the death of Doc Rogers, Negro, who was shot to death August 27 by a mob after he had wounded a deputy in a gun battle, which was precipitated by the Negro's wounding of a white woman.

WEATHER
FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Occasional showers tonight and Friday.