

HITLER'S CONTROL IN GERMANY SEEMS TO BE WEAKENING

Hindenburg Linked With Von Papen's Bitter Criticism of Nazi Extremist Policies

HITLER SPOKESMAN CONCEDES DISCORDS

Herman Goering, Aviation Minister, Says Reason For Dissatisfaction Is Clearly Justified In Isolated Instances; Von Papen Close To Hindenburg

Berlin, June 19. (AP)—Indications of a possible split between President Hindenburg and Chancellor Adolf Hitler, over Nazi policies were seen today as an aftermath of a startling blast against the government.

This criticism was made by Franz Von Papen, vice chancellor, understood to be close to Hindenburg.

Observers were quick to couple his attack on Nazi extremists with the resignation of Count Rulph Nodolny as ambassador to Russia. Count Nodolny is a friend of von Hindenburg and one of the first officials of the Nazi regime to resign.

Growing dissatisfaction of conservative elements, including von Hindenburg and von Papen, with the Nazi program was rumored.

An answer—regarded as official—by von Papen's speech was made at Potsdam by Herman Goering, minister of aviation, and premier of Prussia.

He said that "without doubt reason for dissatisfaction is clearly justified but these are isolated cases."

Describing notorious critics as a worse evil, Goering said "it is self-evident that enthusiasm which greeted us 18 months ago is not everlasting."

DARROW WILL VISIT WESTERN CAROLINA

Washington, June 19 (AP)—Clarence Darrow, chairman, and W. W. Neal, vice-chairman, of the NRA Review Board, will leave for a vacation in Western North Carolina early in July, shortly after the board completes its work. Neal's home is at Marlon, N. C. Neal said today the board's final report would be made late next week.

Japs' Fears Are Quieted At London

Norman Davis Tells Tokyo Envoy No Anglo-American Pact Is Planned

London, June 19. (AP)—A talk between Norman H. Davis of the United States and Tsuneo Matsuura, Japanese ambassador, today quieted Japan's fears—suddenly manifested in recent days—of possible Anglo-American naval plans aimed at Japan.

Ambassador Matsuura, asked the United States ambassador-at-large whether the United States and Great Britain planned "a second Rapidian" agreement that is an Anglo-American joint move, on sea arms which might be prejudicial to the interests of Japan.

The American assured the Japanese diplomat that the United States had its naval experts here entirely at the invitation of the British, and there were no joint plans of any sort. He said that America was playing an independent role in the naval situation, and was friendly to all nations.

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Believed Slain



Agnes Tufverson Poderjaj, wife of President Roosevelt, is believed to have been slain following her marriage last December to Capt. Ivan Poderjaj, Yugoslav adventurer. Questioned in Vienna, Austria, Poderjaj told police his wife disappeared immediately after wedding. (Central Press)

7 DEAD, 23 INJURED AS GASOLINE BLAZE BURNS ITSELF OUT

Investigation Begun By District Attorney of Tragedy Monday at Jamestown, N. Y.

BYSTANDERS HURT AS TANK EXPLODES

Sheets of Flame Leap Hundreds of Feet Into Air and Laughter of Crowd Turns Into Cries of Fear and Then Screams of Agony From Injuries

Jamestown, N. Y., June 19. (AP)—Fire that follows terrific explosions of gasoline tanks, which kills six persons and injures 23, burned itself out early today.

The district attorney's office began at once an investigation to determine responsibility for the tragedy. A tank truck believed to have caused the fire was found burning yesterday afternoon a moment after the driver, Herbert Johnson, started the motor. While he was calling the fire department, the flames spread, first to the office building of the wholesale distributing depot, and then quickly to three 20,000 gallon gasoline trucks.

Fifteen minutes after the fire started in the truck, two of the huge tanks exploded, almost simultaneously. An excited crowd gathered to watch the truck fire, was hardly more than 150 feet distant from the tank when the explosions occurred. They had resisted the efforts of the few policemen to drive them back out of danger.

At the terrific first explosion, which sent sheets of flame skyward for hundreds of feet, the laughter of the crowd turned to cries of fear, which quickly became screams of agony and terror as vast tongues of flame billowed out.

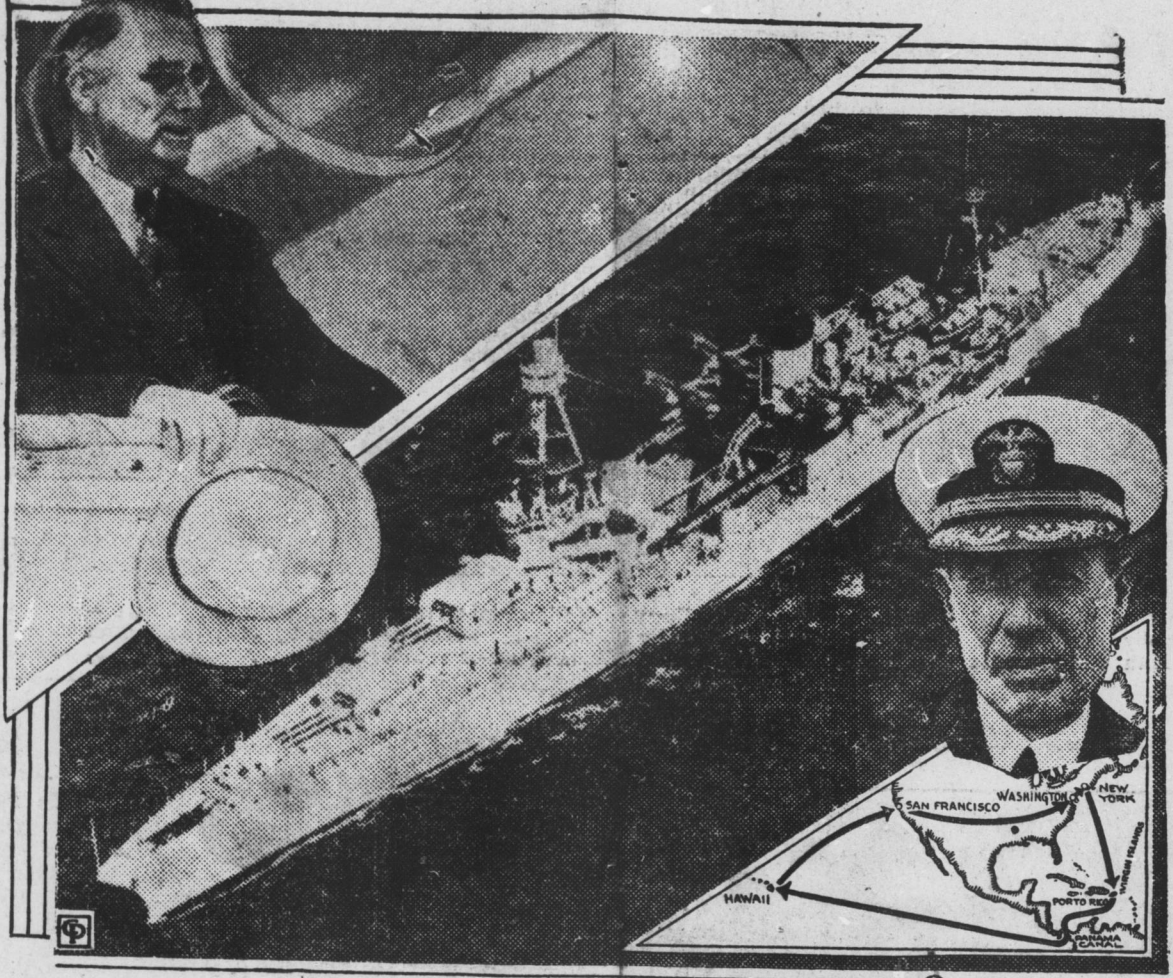
Many were knocked down in the explosion. Some were trampled as the hundreds of bystanders milled and fought to get away.

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Roosevelt Set for Voyage to Hawaiian Islands



The map in the above layout shows the route President Roosevelt will follow on his trip to the Hawaiian Islands the latter part of June, by way of the Virgin Islands and the Panama canal, returning via San Francisco. The U. S. S. Houston, above, commanded by Captain Walter B. Woodson, lower right, will carry the president to Hawaii and then to San Francisco.

Democratic Convention To Avoid Controversies

Sales Tax, Prohibition And New Constitution May Be Sidestepped Out of Fear of Stirring Hornet's Nest; Ehringhaus Still Has Many Enemies In State

Raleigh, June 19. (AP)—Congressman Lindsay C. Warren, of the first congressional district, today loomed as the most probable choice to preside over the State Democratic convention here Thursday as a permanent chairman.

Former Senator Cameron Morrison, who also served as governor, will be the keynote speaker and temporary chairman.

The name of Warren, who was lauded for his ability in presiding over the State convention four years ago, came to the fore today for the permanent chairmanship of the convention after Governor Ehringhaus, Mr. Morrison and J. Wallace Winborne, State Democratic chairman, had held long conferences.

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

Raleigh, June 19.—The State Democratic Convention is expected to elect

more than the usual Democratic pep meeting, which it usually becomes in off years, when it meets here on Thursday and is not expected to take any definite stand on any of the more controversial subjects in the State, unless it is found expedient to put a plank in the platform favoring the retention of prohibition, according to most observers here. If the Piedmont and western counties, where there is always a close contest between the Democrats and Republicans, want a prohibition plank in order to hold their counties Democratic, the chances are that prohibition will be mentioned as briefly as possible.

Hardly any one believes that the resolutions presented to the convention will mention the sales tax, the proposed new constitution, or advocate the repeal of the Turlington act, the State's prohibition enforcement law, however, since most observers agree that the mentioning of any of these

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NO LIKELIHOOD OF SPECIAL SESSION

Legislature Not Going To Meet To Raise Highway Employee Salaries

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Raleigh, June 19.—No special session of the General Assembly will be called for the purpose of providing additional funds with which to increase the salaries of employees of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, in spite of the declaration here Sunday by W. B. Flemmons, first vice president of the North Carolina Federation of Labor, that "we are looking for relief in 60 days," according to opinion here.

This statement was made before a meeting of some 150 representatives reported as representing 3,600 highway department employees now organized in 24 unions over the State.

While there is a surplus of several million dollars in the highway fund, the 1933 General Assembly appropriated only about \$6,000,000 a year to be used for maintenance of both the State

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Zollicoffer Had Campaign Outlay \$3,161, He States

Raleigh, June 19. (AP)—Jere P. Zollicoffer, of Henderson, announced today that he had spent \$3,161 in his campaign.

Zollicoffer showed no contributions in his statement, filed with Stacy W. Wade, secretary of state. He said he paid \$1,770 for managers, auto hire, workers, etc.

Growers Aided By Kerr Bill

Washington, June 19 (AP)—Representative Burch, Democrat, Virginia, whose district grows more tobacco than any other in his state, believes the Kerr compulsory crop control measure will take care of the small farmers, and at the same time bolster prices by forcing production curtailment.

The Virginian pointed today to an amendment adopted just before legislative action was completed yesterday, which empowers the agriculture secretary to increase allotment of growers whose authorized production under voluntary reduction contracts is less than 1,500 pounds. The increase for any county would be limited to six per cent.

A portion of the six per cent increase also might be allotted by the secretary to persons who have no base acre age because they did not grow the

NRA COMPLAINT MAN FOR STATE IS DEAD

Greensboro, June 19 (AP)—James Guy Steed, 63, State NRA compliance director, and State director of the National Emergency Council, with headquarters here, died this morning at 4 o'clock at the Wesley Long hospital. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

Mr. Steed, whose home was in Mount Gilead, Montgomery county, was a native of Asheboro, Randolph county.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Fair tonight and Wednesday.

NEW DEAL CONGRESS, WITH \$6,800,000,000 APPROPRIATED, ENDS

Ship Is Rescued Off Wilmington

Wilmington, June 19. (AP)—The American sloop L. E. York was picked up in a disabled condition this morning about 11 miles east of the Masonboro Inlet, on the North Carolina coast by the coast guard cutter Naugatuck, and is being towed to Southport. The boat was reported to have disappeared off Carolina Beach last night, and it was feared she had sunk. According to the wireless message received the cutter Modoc here, the York's engines were disabled and she had lost sail.

Seven Billions More of Home Mortgages and Farm Bonds Also Given Guarantee

RAIL LABOR BOARD PASSED AT CLOSE

Coup by Its Friends Puts Bill Through, Despite Administration Opposition; Over 6,000 Nominations Approved and Score of Treaties Ratified

Washington, June 19. (AP)—The 73rd (New Deal) Congress, which among other things appropriated an estimated \$8,000,000,000, passed into history today.

Its finale, which came at 11:45 o'clock last night, standard time, was marked by a dramatic coup by insurgents and an uproarious farewell volley by Senator Huey Long.

The Congress, besides appropriating nearly \$7,000,000,000—a sum without peace-time equal probably in the record of any congress or parliament in the history of the world—guaranteed an estimated seven billion dollars in home mortgages and farm bonds, set up a two billion dollar stabilization fund, passed thousands of bills, approved between 6,000 and 8,000 nominations and ratified a score of treaties.

The surprising end came last night after party independents arose in the Senate and smote opposition to the Dill-Crasser bill to set up a national board to conciliate labor and employers in their disagreements in the railway industry.

President Roosevelt and party leaders had wanted the bill to go over to the next Congress, for they feared final action would mean a prolonged session. The insurgents, however, with such senators as Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, and LaFollette, Republican, Wisconsin, in the forefront, kept riving ahead, overcoming a one-man filibuster by Senator Hastings, Republican, Delaware, and finally winning against the opposition of administration leaders.

The administration housing program providing for partial government guarantees providing for home building and repair loans and other measures to set the construction ball rolling.

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Kerr's Bill Is Approved In Congress

Awaits Only Roosevelt Signature To Become Law Regulating Tobacco

Washington, June 19. (AP)—The Kerr bill to compel tobacco crop reduction today awaited President Roosevelt's signature to make it law. Congressional action was completed yesterday when the House adopted Senate amendments.

The measure provides a tax of 25 to 33 1-3 per cent of sales price on tobacco sold in excess of quotas to be fixed by the counties by the secretary of agriculture. It would apply to the 1934-35 crop, with Maryland and Virginia leaf and cigar leaf excepted.

Producers will receive exemption warrants for the amount of their quotas. When the bill is signed, crop reduction will be compulsory for cotton, sugar and tobacco.

JOHNSON DECLINES FAT NEW YORK JOB

State Treasurer Feels His Work Here Is Not Done; Likes Home, Too

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Raleigh, June 19.—State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson has just turned down an offer of a position at a much larger salary than he is now getting, from one of the larger banks in New York City, in order to remain in North Carolina and help the counties, cities and towns work out a solution to their financial troubles, he said today. For Mr. Johnson is also Director of Local Government as well as State Treasurer, he pointed out. Mr. Johnson's salary as State Treasurer, Director of Local Government and as a member of some of fourteen various boards and commissions, is only \$4,000 a year.

"If I had only held the office of State Treasurer, I would have given the offer serious consideration, since the salary was very attractive," Johnson said. "For the finances of the State are now in such shape that no one could have said I accepted the position of State Treasurer and resigned it before I funded the State's floating debt, which I inherited; and

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Labor Pact On Steel Is Now Nearer

Workers Lay Proposal Before Roosevelt; Industry May Accept It

Washington, June 19 (AP)—Representatives of the steel workers union today placed before President Roosevelt in a letter their proposal for settlement of a threatened strike in the steel industry.

Word came from Hugh S. Johnson simultaneously that he was "very hopeful" of acceptance by the steel industry of the union's four point program for avoiding strikes.

The NRA chief said the proposal drawn by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, seemed very similar to the plan previously accepted by the industry itself.

"I'm very hopeful about it," Johnson said.

LaGuardia, Mrs. Roosevelt Are On List Of Radicals

New York, June 19. (AP)—The New York Post, which has charge that the Bureau of Criminal Investigation of the police department has been turned into a "secret police to harry radicals", today said that the department has a list of "radicals" containing 1,300 names, and including those of Mayor LaGuardia, of New York, and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The list, said the Post, is in the form of a "little red book", which is kept in the private office of Captain John Lagaranne, head of the bureau of alien investigation. He got it, the paper added, from E. F. McCrossin, described as a wealthy and prominent consulting engineer of 12 Wall Street. Mayor LaGuardia, when informed of the story, said: "It is not the first or last list I'll be on—one kind or another." Previously, both the mayor and police commissioner had denied that the bureau of criminal investigation had been turned into a "secret police", and General O'Ryan, criminal investigation chief, declared that the city was not facing "any red menace".