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# North Carolinians To Ask Ickes For Highway Routings

Want Equal Treatment With Tennessee In Sharing Smoky Mountain Park Benefits

ENGAGEMENT MADE BY SENATOR BAILEY

Though Route Has Not Been Publicly Announced, Tar Heels on the "Inside" Fear This State Is Getting Worst End of Bargain jim Allo

Washington, June 26. (AP)-Senator Bailey, of North Caronna, made arrangements todoy for a North Carolina delegation to talk with Secretary

ickes, public works administrator, Thursday about the route for the proposed scenic highway to connect the Shenandoah National Park in Virginia and the Great Smoky Mountains National Park in North Carolina and

Although the route proposed for the \$16,000,000 highway has not been made public, interested North Carolina parties have expressed fear that the location will not be favorable to their

The delegation will call on Ickes to impress upon him North Carolina's belief that it should share equally with Tennessee, Senator Bailey said.

#### FEDERAL AID FOR EDUCATION URGED

Chapel Hill, June 26. (AP)-Dr John K. Norton, of Teachers College, Columbia University, stoutly championed Federal aid for publi ceducation in an address here today before a conference on education in the national program of reconstruction.

# Seven Held In Slayings

## Three Canadian Gives Officers Clue

McAlester, Okla., June 26 (AP)-Seven persons were being held for investigation of the mysterious slaying of three Canadian Oklahoma highway workers whose bodies were found yesterday in the hill country 20 miles northeast of here, two days after they had disappeared from their home.

In the vicinity where the bodies of Homer Beasley, Hobart Watkins and Bill Gann were found, officers discovered a scribbled accusation on the back of a campaign card.

Officers theorized the note was written by Gann as he faced death. It

"Jack Rackley, Bill Moore and Geo.

Baker, killed Homer and Hobart and The three men named, also Cana-

dians, were arrested along with the wives of Moore and Baker. All denied knowledge of the crime, which officers said may have been caused by a bootlegging war.

#### A.T.& T. Questions State's Authority

Raleigh, June 26 (AP)—The American Telephone and Telegraph Company today questioned the jurisdiction of the State Utilities Commission as an investigation of loop and drop charge levied on press associations and other leased wire subscribers were reopened.

Contending that its lease, contracts, wire charges, loops and drops were all used in interstate and foreign commerce, and not in tri-State business, the company con tended that jurisdiction in the probe lay in the Federal commission's having power to regulate communications.

Over \$30,000 Daily Reaching Revenue Department In Raleigh

SALES TAX IS HIGHER

Expect To Reach \$6,000,000 Or Near That by End of Week, Which Marks Close of Fiscal Year.

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

Raleigh, June 25-License tax "Schedule B" privilege tax collections are increasing dail yas the dead line of July 1, after which they become dewell. Last week there were still 40,-000 business and professional men June 1, who had not yet paid it. But threatened sharp reaction today. during the past two days many of due. Collections from this tax so far extinction" of the auxiliary branch of this month amounted to \$379,405 up to InOklahoma this month amounted to \$379,400 up to Monday morning. But collections are now coming in at the rate of from \$30,000 to \$40,000 a day, according to George Scott, director of accounts.

the names and addresses of all those Highway Workers who have not paid their licenses taxes both for this year and for back years Found Slain; Note and they are making an effort to see as many of these delinquents as pos-

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#### Miss Tufverson May Be In India With a Poderjay

Vienna, June 26. (AP)-Police investigators today identified as a possible link between Ivan Poderjay and India the fact that his missionary brother is the Rev. Father Stanke Poderjay, who lives in the Catholic mission Bajanti via Caning, 24 Paignas, British India.

When Poderjay was first arrested here three weeks agon on "the suspicion of murder" of Miss Agnes Tu> verson of Detroit and New York, he said that he believed it possible Miss

Tufverson was in India. Miss Sallie Tufverson, the missing woman's sister, told police when the investigation first began that she believed originally that her sister might have gone to India

# Kidnapers Seek Ransom For Chicago Cafe Owner

Chicago, June 26. (AP)—A band of from his automobile and dragged him to be holding Andrew Sciacca for ran-

Oriental Cafe, was seized by five or six had ridden home with him after he men early today while he was putting had closed up his place of business for his car into his garage at his home, the night. The abductors were armed with re-

volvers and a shotgun. the band said as they wrested Sciacca warning them not to notify the police. ley.

kidnapers was believed by police today to another motor car and drove away. The victim's three children were with their father in the automobile Sciacca, 50-year-old owner of the when the "snatch" occurred. They nor O. K. Allen stuck to his announce-

summoned police. Just as they arriv- friendly with the city administration We're police officers," the leader of ed, they received a telephone call headed by Mayor T. Semmes Walms-

# STORY OF TORTURE IS BARED BY GIRL

She Is Taken To Jasper, Ala. Hospital Near Starvation at the Hands of the Woman

ARM BROKEN, WITH INFECTION IN SIDE

Though 12 Years Old, She Weighs Only 45 Pounds: Mrs: Earle Porter, Where Child Lived 16 Months After Mother's Death, Is Held In Custody

Jasper, Ala., June 26. (AP)-A 12year-old girl suffering from wounds and malnutrition was in a hospital here today while Fayette county authorities investigated her story of torture and near starvation at the hands of a woman who had her in custody.

The child, Mary Virginia Johnson, was brought here yesterday by Fayette county residents, suffering from a broken arm and infection in one side. Her daunt, skeleton-like body was covered with scars. She weighed only 45 pounds on admission to the hospital.

In Fayette county, a Mrs. Earl Porter, with whom the child had made her home for 16 months, was under bond of \$400 pending a hearing on charges of assault and battery with a

Officers said the child was placed in custody of Mrs. Porter early last year on the death of her mother, who through a period of illness had given her nine other children, one by one, into the keeping of others.

#### Hitler Threatens Sharp Retaliation To His Opponents

Berlin, June 26 (AF)-The govern linquent, draws nearer, according to ment, hearing for almost the first time Commissioner of Revenue A. J. Max-since Adolf Hitler's acendancy as chancellor the rumbles of dissatisfac-

subject to the State license tax, due tion in some sections with Naziism, Government officials indicated tothese have been remitting the taxes day they would move for "complete

> t . War Veterans League. Recent rumors said the league held secret plans to replace the Hitler regime with a military dictatorship.

#### "All of our 56 field deputies have Farmville Greek Freed of Charges In Double Murder

Raleigh, June 26. (AP)—Sam Zaharras, cafe owner of Farmville, today was ordered released from custody by Associate Justice George W. Connor, of the Supreme Court, when the justice said he could not find evidence to justify holding the man on the charge of killing Talmadge and Dalton Strick-land, filling station operators, of near

Zaharras got his freedom on a writ of habeas corpus after a Wake county coroner's jury had ordered him held for superior court in connection with thed eaths of the Stricklands. The two men were killed last January.

## Gambling Ban Hits Louisiana

New Orleans, La., June 26. (AP)hamless tiddledy winks standard to day as the words "came down the line" that it was best not to woo the gods Dean Miller, Of of chance so vigorously-at least tem-

The dice stopped rolling and the roulettte wheels ceased to spin in dozens of establishments in the city early last night. Card games, poker, black jack and others hold out a little longer, but

they, too, soon folded up. And in Baton Route, with Senator Huey P. Long back in harness, Goverment of several days ago that gambling must be run out of the State.

The tSate administration headed by One of them ran into the house and Senator Huey P. Long, is none too

### Five Picked to Rule Nation's Stock Exchanges



The men pictured above are slated to rule the stock exchanges in the nation, locations of which are shown in the map, as the Federal Securities Exchange Commission after July 1. Landis, a member of the Federal Trade Commission, was one of the framers of the act setting up the securities control; Pecora, New York lawyer, was the Senate's hired inquisitor into Wall St. practices; Mathews, a Wisconsin man, is also a member of the trade commission; Auchincloss and Witter are New York and San Francisco, respectively, investment bankers.

(Central Press)

## Bloody Battle In S. America's War Goes Unchecked

Buenos Ayres, Argentine, June 26 Avanti and Ballivian at the south end (AP)—After nearly a fortnight of steady fighting, 100,000 Bolivian and Paraguayan troops were still locked today in a prolonged bastle for Fort Ballivian, Bolivian stronghold in the Chaco Boreal.

Because of Paraguayan flanking at- to the Tilcomayo river. tempts, the line of battle is gradually nate objectives They are: 1.—To dislodge the Bolivians from stronghold.

of the line. 2. To pierce the Bolivian line in the

Canada strongest and El Carmen sectors, farther to the north, in order to drive a wedge behind Fort Ballivian

extending northward until Paraguay- Inorthern end of the line in the hope been sabotaged by the introduction of ans are attacking intermittently up of making a circle and cutting Boliand down the front with three alter, vian communications with Borbigny, the next most important Bolivian

the Advance

College Station, Raleigh, une 26 .-

year, says Dean . O. Schaub, of State

Mr. Schaub was supplied this infor-

mation by L. H. Bean, economic ad-

viser to the Agricultural Adjustment

ing this nine month period increased

38 per cent, but this increase was par-

tially offset by an increase in the cost

"Benefit payments on production ad

justment contracts contributed nearly

one-fifth of the net increase of 25 per

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Do Not Desire To

Durham, June 26 (AP)-Opposition

to the dispensing of whisky in North

Carolina by druggists was voiced by

J. C. Hood, of Kinston, president of

the North Carolina Pharmaceutical

Association, in his address delivered

as the feature of the morning session

He also made a plea fo ra reason-

Officers of the women's auxiliary

FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Fair tonight and Wednesday;

notm uch change in temperature.

able attitude on the retail sales tax

until the period of the emergency had

are to be elected this afternoon.

organization, in progress here.

Dispense Whisky

Claims Druggists

of commodities farmers buy.

#### **BUYING POWER OF** Johnson Defiant Toward Harriman

Washington, June 26 (AP)-Hugh S. Johnson today said that "without some amelioration the blue eagle is not going to be restored" to the Harriman Hosiery Mills in Benefit Payments by Government Responsible for

Johnson was bac kat his desk today after a few days at Walter Reed hospital.

The NRA chief was treated for an abscess after his return last Friday after a speaking trip to

Job That Cost State \$30,000 Years Ago Now Being Done for \$4,000

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

Raleigh, une 26.—Painting of the interior walls of the Capitol, as well as the outsi le of all doors and other exterior woodwork, is rapidly nearing completion, under the direction of A. A. Howell, supervisor of all painting projects being done in State buildings by the FERA. All of the offices on the main floor of the Capitol have been painted as well as the interior of the State Senate chamber on the second floor. Scaffolding is now being erect-

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### Duke Takes Oath For Federal Job of the 55th annual convention of the

Washington, June 26. (AP)-Justin Miller, dean of the Duke University Law cShool, today became a special assistant to the attorney general, assigned to the office of Solicitor General J. Crawford Biggs. His appointment was formally an

nounced, and he took the oath of office immediately. At the request of President Roose velt, he was granted a leave of absence by Duke

# DOZEN CCC TRUCKS

Sand Dumped Into Oiling Systems of Motors At Fort Riley, Kansas

INVESTIGATORS SHOWN

House Military Sub-Committee Ad vised of Apparent Effort To Disredit Trucks; Price Advance Denied

3.—To outflan kthe Bolivians at the dence that twelve CCC trucks had Washington, June 26. (AP)-Evigiven today to the House Military subcommittee investigating War Department expenditures.

An apparent reason for the sabotage, committee members told reporters. probably was to discredit the trucks

Submitted for the committee records by Representative Goss, Republican, Connecticut, was a letter form Brigadier-General A. G. Lott, commanding officer at Fort Riley, Kansas, to War Department officials.

General Lott recalled it had been necessary to replace the motors in 12 Fargo trucks, and adden: "A thorough investigation of the mo-

tors when they were torn down by the Swanson Motor company revealed the fact that an act of sabotage had been committeed, and from samples of resi-Farm purchasing power on the aver- due in the pans and in the oil cartage throughout the United States has ridges, it was determined that an abrabeen 25 per cent higher during the sive material conssiting of sharp first nine months in which benefit crystally sand had been poured into payments have been distributed the oil reservoir of each motor. through the provisions of the Agri-The committee also received from J

cultural Adjustment Act than in the B. Woodside of General Motors Fleet Corporation, sales agency, a letter corresponding period the previous denying that prices on Chevrolet automobiles sold to the government had increased because Henry Ford's failure to sign an NRA compliance certificate barred Ford from bidding

#### Administration, following a study of the prices farmers receive for the FACTOR FREED FROM products, compared with the cost of PRISON IN ILLINOIS commodities farmers buy. Cash income including benefit payments dur-

Washington, June 26. (AP)-Judge Evan A. Evans, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, today ordered the release of John Factor, wealthy frankness of Mrs. Roosevelt. speculator, from the Sycamore, Ill., jail where he had been held pending out Mrs. Roosevelt gave expression to the issuance of a final order for his a common sense view of the world extradition to England on charges of defrauding investors of \$7,000,000.

# PRESIDENT PLANS BEFORE HE LEAVES

Will Not Discuss Politics In Speeches on Trip Back Across The Country

STARTS SATURDAY ON HAWAIIAN TRIP

Has Stop Booked for Haiti on Way Toward Canal; President Clearing Up His Desk These Final Few Days Before Long Journey To The Pacific

Washington, June 26. (AP)—President Roosevelt will talk to the nation over the air at 9:30 p. m., eastern standard time, Thursday, presumably to give a report on the state of the nation's affairs.

He has given a few such talks since ne became President on March 4, 1933 The subject of the forthcoming address was not made known.

Returning to Washington from a trip into New England, the President emphasized that he had no intention of injecting politics into any talks he may make upon his return across the country from the west coast this summer. After making his talk to the nation, Mr. Roosevelt will clear up his desk

on Friday and depart on Saturday from Annapolis on his cruise. Mr. Roosevelt worked today on government business, which must be disposed of this week.

He signed some bills, including one authorizing formation of a corporation to insure more effective diversification of prisoni ndustries. "I am glad to approve this bill," he

said in a statement, "because it represents a distanct advance in the progress of prison industries. "Without any important competition

### Roosevelt's **Mother Sees** Queen Mary

#### They Sip Tea In Queen's Private Room and Talk Things In Common

London, June 6. (AP)—Two of the world's most talked-about women— Queen Mary and Mrs. Sarah Delano Roosevelt-sipped tea together this afternoon in her majesty's private apartment at Buckingham Palace.

King George was present, but most of the animated conversation was carried on by the mother of the American President and the queen of Great

Just two mothers—grandmothers, in fact—they found many common in-terests as they chatted merrily. Their majesties were impressed, as the prime minister and other empirel eaders had been, by the gaiety, friendliness and

She radiated pride in her famous son

### War On Gas Smuggling Puts Crimp Into Liquor Running

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

Raleigh, June 25.—The activity of the State Highway Patrol against at all the more important highway line bootleggers, but the liquor bootway Patrol.

guarding all the highways leading ever. from Virginia into North Carolina, have cars or motorcycles, it is diffilooking for liquor bootleggers too, Captain Farmer said. "The result has

been that liquor running from Virginia into North Carolina through these various gateways has virtually stopped".

Since the State Highway Patrol is gasoline bootleggers from Virginia and limited in its powers to the enforcethe fact that pairolmen are stationed ment of the motor vehicle and highway laws only, it does not have augateways from Virginia into North thority to arrest liquor runners and Carolina, is not only stopping the gaso- bootleggers unless they violate. some of the motor vehicle laws, Captain leggers as well, according to Captain Farmer explained so as long as the Charles D. Farmer of the State High- driver of a liquor car observes the motor vehicle and highway laws, he "The liquor bootleggers have evi- is immune to arrest by highway padently seen the stories in the news- trolmen He is likely to be arrested papers about the highway patrol by any county or city officers, how-But since few county officers

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