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Textile Strike Orders Are Issued

Roosevelt Watches Strike Situation, But His Course Is Not Yet Decided Upon

WHITE HOUSE NOW LAST BULWARK FOR AVOIDING CONFLICT

It Appears Inevitable That Strike Will At Least Start Before An Agreement

MANUFACTURERS ARE PREPARED TO FIGHT

Some Plan To Close Their Plants When Strike Begins, But Sloan Says Owners In General Expect To Keep Running; Says Workers Against Strike

Washington, Aug. 30.-(AP)- The cotton textile strike committee installed a special telegraph wire at its headquarters today ready to flash within a few hours a summons to 425,000 workers to leave their machines in 1,281 factories. Peace negotiations are in collapse. The summer White House appeared to be the last conceivable bulwark against a tide of economic conflict sweeping down or

the nation's cotton mills. President Roosevelt is known to h watching the situation closely, but what he will do remains to be see It appeared inevitbale that the national strike set for Friday and d. to begin actually on the day after Labor Day, would at least start. Many believe that some new peace movwill seek to halt it quickly to save the recovery program from severe

The strike committee of the United Textile Workers said its formal order would cripple factories from the Canadian border to the deep The unions' executive council ex-

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Hearing Put Off Until Sept. 7 for Evangelist Askew

Goldsboro, Aug. 30 (AP)-Preliminary hearing for R. H. Askew, 28-yearold evangelis, who admitted recently that he "kidnaped himself." has been tember 7. Commissioner E. Pearson announced today.

Askew is in jail awaiting trial on les evangelist, while he was supposed

Drive For Safe Roads Is Started

Cale Burgess Leads fic Accidents

> Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel,

Raleigh, Aug. 30.-North Carolina Safety Association, Incorporated, has started its safety drive to reduce "the number of accidents and promote safety in industry and on our public highways and streets," as Cale K. Burgess ,its organizer, describes its

Since the announcement of this lea- Mussolini's payroll since 1929." gue's purposes was first, made the death ooll appears to have been enlargd. If there have been fewer ac- fugitive from his country. tual killings and mainings, the quality

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Wallace Asserts South Must Decide Its Policy On Size Of Cotton Crop

North Carolina Is King in the South

Washington, ug. 30 (AP)-North Carolina continues to maintain its position as the most populous state in the southeast.

The State population on July 1 was estimated today by the Census Bureau at 3,301,000 compared with 3,170,276 shown by the official census of April 1, 1930.

Georgia, he State's nearest rival in the southeast, fell further behind, having an estimated population of 2,911,000 on August 1, compared with an official 1930 census of 2,908,506.

Until 1930, Georgia, the South's empire state, was th emost populous in the southeast.

Roosevelt Didn't Like Him and Doesn't Like the Prospect of Byrns

IS TOO CONSERVATIVE

Fight on Byrns, in Line for Office, Would Split Democrats Wide Open; Republicans Are Also Guessing

By CHARLES P. STEWART (Central Press Staff Writer) Washington, Aug. 30. - Speaker

Henry T. Rainey's death has set Reas well as Democrats On the Democratic side of the fence

it already becomes evident that Congressman Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee, Democratic floor leader in the Jeffersonians gained control there, is next year in spit of this year's drought by fair the steongest candidate ito succeed Rainey.

Deppite all the tears arministration folk have shed for Raney (a wonderpostponed from tomorrow until Sep- fully likeable old man, whose passing unquestionably is genuinely regretted), it is no secret, as I have had occasion to menton hertofore, that charges growing out of ransom notes they were doing their utmost to get and threats he mailed his wife and him out of the speakership in some Aimee Semple McPherson, Los Ange- such fashion as to give the impressuch afshion as to give the impression to be in the hands o abductors early that they were promoting him, on the ground that he was a bad political manager.

They are not glad he's dead (I (Continued on Page Three)

WILL BEGIN INQUIRY OF MUNITIONS RING

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)— American links in an international munitions chain were disclosed today ot be ready for open scrutiny when a senatorial inquiry into the trade opens next Tuesday. Whether To Limit Yield To Domestic Needs or Grow Surplus for World Is Issue

ANOTHER REDUCTION PROGRAM NECESSARY

Must Be Carried Out Next Year, as Carry-Over Still Is About Normal, Agriculture Secretary Declares; Surplus Better If Imports Were More

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 30 (AP)-Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of agriculture, said here today that the South must decide whether it is going to shrink its cotton production to actual domestic needs or continue to grow surplus cotton for world mar-

Secretary Wallace stopped here en route to Marianna, Ark., where he was cheduled to speak this afternoon. "It is a uestion of which policy

will bring the cotton farmer the greater opportunity," Secretary Wallace said in an interview. "Heretofore, despite objections to the contrary, we have been putting the customary "With the reduced crop this year, however, the farmers of the South

must decide whether they will con-

tinue to grow an extra eight million

bale crop and compete for foreign trade, or whether an extra six million bale crop is more profitable to them. "Personally, would prefer it if we had a way to increase imports sufficiently to go ahead with our customary world trade. It is not the duty of the southern farmers, however, to produce for foreign markets so that importers can profit by it. Unless it brings the farmer a greater prosperity, there is no use growing such sur-

Another cotton reduction program will undoubtedly be necessary again he said, since "our carryover in cotton is still about normal."

Called Together By Congressman

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)— Representative Lindsay C. Warren, the first North Carolina district, a nounced today he had called a meeting of the potato growers of this State and the eastern shore of Virginia for September 20 to be held here "to take definite action on behalf of the growers."

Warren said he favored making potatoes a basic commodity under the AAA, and was ready to lead a fight

to that end. "A condition of virtual agricultural serfdom exists in the potato belt," he said. The congressman expressed the belief that the most vital thing to be done now was to arrange for curtailment and regulation of the crop.

Campaign For the Reduction of Traf- Says Austria Is Wholly In Control Of Mussolini

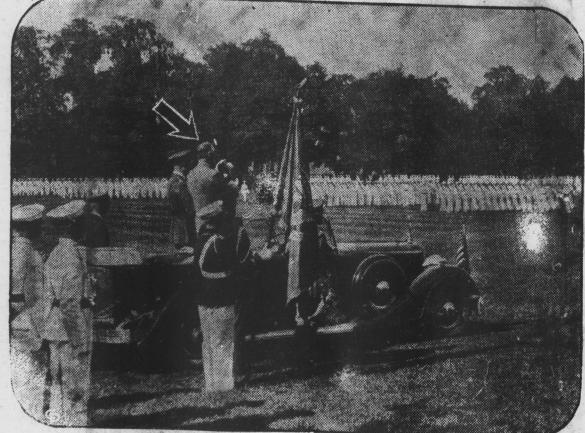
(Copyrighted by Associated Press.) against Naziism. Praha, Czechoslovakia, Aug. 30.— (AP)-Franz Winkler, former Austrian vice chancellor, charged today were on the point of an agreement that Prince Ernst von Starhemberg, 18 months ago. present vice chancellor, has "been on

In a startling interview, he listed tors to von Starhemberg's Fascist a heimwehr leader who was expelled heimwehr (home guard) in its fight from Austria in 1980.)"

Mussolini, he said, matched negotations when Germany and Austria here today, but large amounts of tips

"Von Sarhemberg has received not less than \$1,000,000 since 1929 to do perienced today. given by Mussolini to von Starhem berg was split at the time with the of the slaughter has improved, Chief the Vatican as among the contribu- notorious German Major Pabst (once

President Reviews America's Future Generals



Greenville

WorkersNot

To Walk Out

of Strike Orders

eral strike in the industry.

signed a similar pledge,

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 30 (AP)-Em

they had signed such a pledge with-

out the knowledge of the manage-

Monaghan Mill workers announced

that most of the 800 operatives had

From Ware Shoals came a report

that a secret ballot there had resulted

Of Blue Eagle in

B. Sergeant Corporation of Moun'

Airy, N. C., for alleged discrimination

Sam Squibb, of Quincy, Mass, presi-

dent of the granite cutters interna-

tional association, and R. R. Law-

the North Carolina Federation of L:

bor, appeared before the board to

Continues Upward

Rocky Mount, Aug. 30 (AP)-To-

with about half a million pounds on

Smithfield, Aug. 30 (AP)-Good to-

bacco brought up to \$60 per hundred

on the market brought the average

The largest break this year was ex

FOR NORTH CAROLINA

day; not much change in temper-

Partly cloudy tonight and Fri-

LARGEST BREAK SO FAR

down to \$26 or \$27...

In Eastern Marts

IS HAD AT SMITHFIELD

Price of Tobacco

rence, of Winston-Salem, president of

against union workers.

prosecute union claims.

Ask for Removal

narked by arrow), is shown re- along in perfect cadence on the the academy since 1922.

resident Roosevelt, standing at | viewing the nation's military | plains of West Point, N. Y. It ttention in his automobile leaders of tomorrow as they swing was the first presidential review at

Law-Making By Strikes Is Declared Big Issue

George W. Sloan as Cotton Textile Code Authority Says Coming Strike Is Equivalent To Demand for Amending a Law Under the Threat of Force

Employees of Two of Largest Mills Pledge Disregard

Authority, George A. Sloan told The Associated Press Monday that the American people are now faced with selves to dis egard the call for a gena demand, "that consideration be given to amending a law under threat of force." All employees of the Mills Mill, 476 Sloan, who is also president of the strong, issued a sworn statement that

New York, Aug. 30.—(AP.— The terday with union leaders of the Uni Cotton Textile Code Authority put the Cotton Textile Institute, refused yesquestion of law-making by strikes up ed Textile Workers of America in an effort to prevent the calling out of to the American public and the 682 600,000 cotton textile workers in a industries under NRA codes today.

Speaking as a governmental offi
"The bitterest injury will

"The bitterest injury will be incail, as chairman of the Cotton Code | flicted on the public "At the best it is industrial warfare, and it almost inevitably runs into intimidation and physical warfare." Sloan stated that the strike was pointed out not only against the cot-

ton industry but against all codified

TO HAVE OPPONENT

Let Them Down in 1933 Legislature

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel,

Raleigh, Aug. 30.-Superintendent A. T. Allen, of the State Department of Education, is back in his officme Quarry In State after many weeks of illness which probably removed his fundamental Washington, Aug. 30 .- (AP)- The National Labor Relations Board was trouble. He attended the first offiasked today to recommend removal cial meeting of the Council of State Monday of this week. of blue eagles from the North Carlina Granite Corporation and the J.

Dr. Allen's illness, which gave great anxiety to all the people in his in no worse shape than he was bebelieves he wil lbe regularly at his desk. His supporters hope so, for they prophesy stiff opposition for

him in the 1936 campaign. Former President Clyde A. Erwin, of the North Carolina Education Association, is the pick of the anti-Allen teachers, it is said. The fight would be very largely on professional lines. The opposition would come largely from teachers and their sympathizers who feel that Dr. Allen did not put up the fight against salary cuts and slashes that he should have done. In a word, the objection to him is that he stood with the administra-

bacco prices continued higher today percentage of the people generally, and particularly of the observers of the floors. Tobacco men estimated the average for the first hour about legislative action, will agree that the superintendedt did wisely and well. There was a powerful legislative bloc

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A. P. THORPE TO BE **BURIED TOMORROW**

Rocky Mount, Aug. 30.— (AP) Funeral services for A. P. Thorpe, tobacco and textile manufacturer of this city, who died in Philadelphia Wednesday, will be held from the First Presbyterian church here on nish it. Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in the family cemetery in Nash county.

in a vot of 1,786 to 47 against a walk- Lot of Teachers Think He Legislators Fear That Dry Majority Year Ago, Observers Think

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel,

Raleigh, Aug. 30.-Raleigh neighoors, co-workers and opponents of Cale K. Burgess, United Dry Forces leader of the 1933 campaign, are wond ering what Democrat or Republican courts fame, or oblivion, by championing the repea lof the Turlington act in the 1935 General Assembly.

Mr. Burgess has sent out a general as well as a specific warning that the department, apparently has left him wets are seeking to destroy the State act. Considering the fine victory that fore he went to the hospital and he Mr. Burgess won last year, and the evident wisdom of a manager who saw everything before it happened, the United Dry Forces leader is gen erally listened to, but he sees things that are invisible to most eyes. If there were such a movement there is little doubt that Mr. Burgess would detect it. The only question now is whether he would see it if it did not

He is sure that the repeal attempt will be made. Leaders on the other side do not think so. They recall the fact that the 1933 General Asembly would not try to take the Turlington act off the books and that happened at a time when everybody, including Apparently a very much greater the drys, thought the State would vote heavily for repeal of the 18th Amendment.

The revenue question conceivably could figure in the liquor agitation, but the tendency is toward raising more money all the time and the device of a liquor tax is probably a poorer appeal today than it was in 1933. The point that the nwespaper men make is that they se eno sign of a repeal effort, and do see all evidences of a dormancy of the liquor issue. Whatever time may in the future or might have been in the past, propitious fo rtampering with the State liquor laws, the 1935 General Asembly does not seem to fur-

Besides, the satires of outside

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COTTON WORKERS ORDERED TO QUIT **JOB ON SATURDAY**

11:30 p. m. Is Hour Officially Designated, But Holidays Delay It Un. til Tuesday

WOOL, SILK, RAYONS TOLD TO STAND BY

They Will Wait Orders As to What To Do; Order for Strike Sent Out Over Telegraph Key in Textile Headquarters to All Parts of Country

Charlote, Aug. 30 (AP)-Strike plans will be issued to local unions and textile workers in this territory at a conference here late to-

The meeting was called by Howard Payne, of Charlotte, district president of the textile union.

Washington, Aug. 30,—(AP)— A general strike in the cotton textile in dustry was called today to become effective at 11:30 p. m. Saturday night. Workers in the wool, silk, rayon and synthetic yarn industries were ordered to stand by for further or ders. The first working day after the

effective date will be September 4.

ory through solidarity.

The strike order follows: "To All Locals: "Strike of all cotton textile workers will begin at 11:30 o'clock your time Saturday night. Put all previous instructions into effect. Wool, silk and rayon and synethetic yarn memberships stand by for further orders. Vic-

"Francis J. Gorman. cial strike committee, United Textile Workers of America.'

The order for the strike, the largest numerically to confront the Roosevelt administration, was ticked out over a telegraph key set up in the headquarters of the strike committee. It went to the union headquarters over the country, which in tur. will transit it to their membership.

Johnson Removal Put Off by Board Until Next Week

Washington, Aug. 30 (AP)-The Na-Textile Industrial Relation Board today deferred consideration of labor's petition for removal of Theodore S. Johnson, of Raleigh, N. C., as chairman of the North Carolina Textile Industrial Relations Board on grounds he is unfair to labor.

Robert W. Bruere, chairman of the national board, said consideration scheduled for today was posponed because Major George W. Berry, a mem ber of the body, had been called out of the city. "It is a matter for the full board to

consider," Bruere said. Major Berry is not schedule dto reurn here until next week.

Steady Hand Is Needed In Washington

Johnson To Go and When He Does Blue Eagle Will Really Crack Down

By LESLIE EICHEL

(Central Press Staff Writer) New York, Aug. 30.-Newspaper readers indicate by their letters that some steadying hand is needed at Washington—some steadying hand and sound, straightforward thought. These readers evince no dseire to turn back the leaves to the "old age". They desire acton, straight ahead, for

their benefit. They presumably do not heed cries, one way or another, of disaster. To

the majority there already is disaster. (Continued on Page Four)