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Hauptmann Verdict Is Awaited

Rental Textbooks Measure Presented State Legislature

Provides for Setting Up Commission of Eight Members To Administer the Plan

DRIVER'S LICENSE IS FINISHED IN SENATE

Measure Sent to House Without Negative Vote; Six Legislators To Go To Washington With Tobacco Growers To Protest Increase in 1935 Acreage

Raleigh, Feb. 13 (AP)-Licensing automobile drivers, regulation of auty parlor operators and provision f rental textbooks for school chiliren held the center of the legislative age today.

The Senate passed without a negave vote the driver's license bill and ent it to the House. It then debated before crowded galleries for nore than an hour over creating a ew board of cosmetics examiners, nd referred the measure to a com-

Senate and House approval was roted a joint resolution naming six egislators to go to Washington toperrow with tobacco growers to proest against increasing the 1935 tohacco crop.

During Senate debate on the propo-Senator Gravely, of Nash, a tobace export man, predicted the day was oming when farmers would set their on prices for tobacco.

The House got from thre represenives-Cherry, of Gaston: Johnston, Iredell, and Blount, of Beaufortbill to create a State textbook rental sion of eight members, with State treasury to supply funds to

up the commission. This afternoon the finance comheard oil companies protest inst a proposed new chain busi-

The appropriations committee continued executive sessions considering

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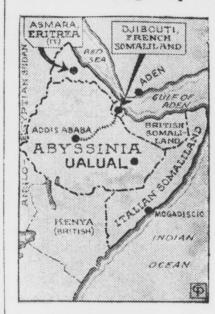
Bill Would Keep Patrol Where It Is

In the Sir Walter Hotel, Daily Disputch Bureau,

Raleigh, Feb. 13.—A State highway of 121 patrolmen and officers. would be set up under the supervision of a division of highway safety in e State Department of Revenue, uner the terms of a bill which has aleady been drawn, it was learned here oday. The bill also provides that in from time to time by the commisof revenue.'

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African Danger Spot



Map shows territory in which the latest Italo-Abyssinian clash occurred near the town of Ualual. As a result Italy began mobilizing troops on a war basis and Premier Benito Mussolini intended sending an ultimatum to Emperor Haile Selassie of Abyssinia unless Italy received "complete satisfaction."

Requested Expenditures Now Stand at \$34,500,-000, an Excess of \$3,500,000

REVENUE IN SIGHT NOW ONLY \$31,000,000

Appropriations Committee Must Cut Unless Liquor Tax Is Levied or Some Of Anti-Sales Tax Proposals Are Accepted by the General Assembly

> Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Watter Hotel.

BY J. C. DASKERVILL. Raleigh, Feb. 13.-A total of \$34. 500,000 has been requested of the House and Senate Appropriations eddition to patrolling the highways Committees by the public schools, the and enforcing the State drivers' li- institutions of higher learning and ase law, which is expected to be other agencies supported from the passed within a few days, that the State general fund as the minimum State Highway Patrol shall be sub- needed each year for the next two beet to such rules and regulations as years. Chairman Victor S. Bryant, of may be adopted and enforced by the the House committee, said today, now commissioner of revenue and shall al- that all hearings have been completo be required to perform such aded. This amount is about \$3,500,000 tional duties as may be required of more than the total general fund revenue now in sight from the revenue bill, including the \$1,000,000 a year Under this section, the patrol could which the budget revenue bill would

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RAID ON HIGHWAY Radical Revenue Measure From Anti-Sales Taxers Elimination of School Bus

They Claim Their Proposal Will Produce \$5,000,000 Additional Revenue Without Sales Tax; Burdensome Levies Would Be Imposed In Places

Daily Dispatch Bureau, in the Sir Waster Hotel, By C A. PAUL.

lease the budget revenue bill by al- of the features embodies in the anti's ales tax, provision for more adehigh spots of the anti-sales tax group's estimated revenue of \$12,361,094 would the revenue bill has been reported out ubstitute for the sales tax. As predicted by this bureau, the

antis did not produce a new bill, but offered their proposals as amendments to the present bill as drawn Raleigh, Feb. 13—A proposal to in- by the budget commission. Several

somet \$5,000,000 without imposing the program were forecast by this bureau have required adult drivers for school The antis declare that their substitute support of schools a broaden- tute sections for the revenue bill will reading Tuesday. Instead, it decided tute sections for the revenue bill will reading Tuesday. Instead, it decided of the tax base, recapturing of a raise approximately \$34,000,000, an infortion of the ad valorem tax, and a crease of about \$5,000,000 over the pre-Op-gap policy of tax levying are the sent budget bill of \$29,000,00. A total comes up for consideration and after

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WHAT WILL BELL TOLL? Death, or— Freedom?



Upon this historic old bell, in accordance with New Jersey tradition, verdict of jury in trial of Brune Richard Hauptmann will be tolled. Bell is in steeple of Hunterdon County courthouse.

U.S. Navy Dirigible Macon Is Lost In Pacific; 2 Dead

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 13.-(AP) ly air and fog 110 miles south of San and Cincinnati. -The giant dirigible Macon, destroy- Francisco. ed by a sudden mysterious disaster, cruisers of the United States fleet.

skies as she neared her Funnyvale base at sunset last night.

One or two of her 12 gas cells sud- and all but two men were picked up denly burst as she sped through squal- by the cruisers Richmond, Concord doned.

Drivers To

Daily Dispatch Bureau,

compromises with those who have ob-

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FUND IS DEFEATED

Drivers from License

Bill Means That

BY J. C. BASKERVILL.

Raleigh, Feb. 13.-Refusing to be

tricked into adopting a section that

might cost the State millions of dol-

lars and compel the diversion of from

\$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 from the high-

way fund to the school fund later on,

the Senate struck out the section in the drivers' license bill that would

buses before passing it on second

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Daily Dispatch Bureau,

In the Sir Walter Hotel,

jected to certain features.

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The delicately balanced craft nosed

futile. IInde

The exact fate of the two missing men-Radioman Ernest Daily, North lay at the tottom of the Pacific ocean abruptly skyward and the immediate Bend, Oregon, and Florentino Edtoday, while 81 survivors were eing efforts of Lieutenant Commander quiba, Filipino mess sergeant was brought into San Francisco bay by Herbert C. Wiley, skipper of the not known. Daily presumably broke Macon, and survivor of the Akron his back in a 250-foot leap from the Only two members of the crew were disaster, to talance the ship proved ship before it landed. Edquiba was last seen aboard.

of finding them made giant dirigible the navy has dirigible landed, stern first, on the alive, a cruiser division and the possessed overtook the queen of the water ten miles off Point Sur. She cruiser Milwaukee were directed to sank almost immediately, but her continue searching the waters off crew had taken to rubber lifeboats, Point Sur until noon. If they are not found by then, the hunt will be aban-

License Of MAY CALL TROOPS IN ARKANSAS AREA Bus Crash

Pass As Is Strike of Relief Workers Agitated; Legislature Is

Raleigh, Feb. 13 .- The driver's li-Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 13 (AP)-Gov cense bill will likely be enacted into law, after much delay, virtually as of Representatives today a message sub-committee of the saying from information he had re-Senate Roads Committee. Consideraceived from Fort Smith, the calling tion of the bill has been delayed at out of the National Guard to protect the motion of several senators to conlife and property in that section sider the measure at later dates. It seemed imminent. was thought for a time that perhaps

Governor Futrell told the Associatsome of them would voice serious obed Press that he had received a phone jections, but no effort to defeat the call from Mayor J. K. Jordan, of bill has been made, although some Fort Smith, this morning describing the situation there as "bad", as a amendments have been accepted as bastian county seeking to promote a One of these, offered by Senator general strike on relief projects be-Spence, roads chairman, would recause of cuts in the wage scale.

"The situation is bad and we may need help. I wanted to let you know so you could be ready," the governor quoted the mayor as saying

Fay Webb Vallee Loses Appeal for Bigger Allowance

New York, Feb. 13.-(AP)- Fay Webb Vallee today lost her attempt in supreme court to obtain a more generous slice of the income of her estranged husband, Rudy Vallee, the

Justice Salvatore Cotilla ended the action by granting a motion to dismiss the case, which hd been made by counsel for Vallee.

In his decision, Justice Cotillo ruled that Mrs. Vallee had not proved her allegation that the separation agreement with her husband had been made under duress and with coercion. The financial clause of the agree ment gives Mrs. Vallee \$100 a week

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Rain tonight and probably Thursday morning; slowly rising

Burlington Hurts Five

Burlington, Feb. 13.-(AP)- Five children were injured, one seriously, in a school truck which was struck ernor J. M. Futrell sent to the House by two trucks on the Greensboro-Burlington highway two miles west of here today.

> A truck driven by C. H. Byers, of Eufola, struck the rear of the school bus and knocked it across the highway into the path of a Richmond freight truck driven by T. E. Davis, of Richmond. The school bus was virtually de-

molished by the impact of the truck, but the nine children and driver in result of a prolonged agitation in Se- the bus, only Harold Whitsell, 8, was seriously injured. He suffered internal injuries and severe abrasions. State Highway patrolman W. W. Clark made an investigation of the wreck. No charges were filed imme diately

Correspondent Paints Dark Picture of Auto Code Aftermath

By LESLIE EICHEL Central Press Staff Writer Cleveland, Feb. 13.-In this region of steel and auto industries there is fear now that there will be industrial

warefare. Evidence tends to prove that if the administration had put through a labor bill with enforcement clauses at the last session of Congress, many of the present difficulties would have been avoided.

The Wagner bill originally was such bill—establishing a paramount tribunl for labor. Large employers thought it favored labor and killed it. At that time, Senator Robert F. La

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JURY GETS CASE AS JUDGE ENDS CHARGE OF BUT 70 MINUTES

Federal Workers Get Pay Increase

Washington, Feb. 13-(AP)-Full restoration of government salaries effective April 1 was approved today by President Roosevest, but he gave notice that Congress must provide funds to meet this and any other increases in the budget.

He called attention that restoring of the last five percent of the 15 percent cut in government salaries on April 1 instead of July 1, as he recommended, would cost the government \$16,000,000.

Not Ready, However, To Dispense With Lighter-Than-Air Craft Finally for Navy

MANEUVER AGAINST **BONUS IS EVIDENT**

President Says Any New Appropriation Must Carry Taxation To Pay It; Supreme Court Gold Ruling Anticipated by Some But Unlikely Before Monday

Washington, Feb. 12 (AP) Although Congress was in recess, the loss of the Macon, another administration maneuver against prepayment of the bonus, and the fair chance of a Supreme Court decision in the gold cases made for somewhat of a ferment in the capital today.

President Roosevelt and Secretary Swanson, rejoicing that loss of life was no greater on the dirigible, showed there would be no immediate official attempt to get funds to replace They did not consider that lighter than-air craft were to be dispensed with finally, however.

Not mentioning the bonus, the Pres ident, in a press conference, repeated his view that any increase in the budget should be accompanied by reve nues to meet the cost. His words were addressed immediately to full restoration of government salaries April 1.

Again the meeting of the Supreme Court to hear arguments in varied cases attracted some persons eager to be on hand in case it should set a precedent and announce its gold conclusions in mid-week. Informed observers were not inclined to look for a decision until Monday.

Seeking to compromise administration and organized labor differences on the \$4,880,000,000 work-relief bill. the Senate Appropriations Committee voted to require payment of prevail ing local wages on public works only when the President finds lower rates are disrupting private pay levels

CHILD IS HURT IN SCHOOL BUS CRASH

Fayetteville, Feb. 13.—(AP)— Toka Matthews, 13, of near Wade, sustained a lacerated forehead and was in a hospital this morning as the result of a school bus skidding into a ditch near here. Twenty-four other occupants of the bus were uninjured.

Lengthy Evidence Reviewed by Court in Delivery That Is Sharp and to Point

EMPHASIS PLACED ON KIDNAP LADDER

Jurors Are Told To Weigh Evidence of Dr. Condon and Lindbergh, Whose Statements Have Not Been Challenged; Warns of "Reasonable Doubt"

Flemington, N. J., Feb. 13 .- (AP3-The murder case against Bruno Richard Hauptmann was given to the jury today at 11:15 a. m.

The jury received the case after an hour and ten minutes of charge from Justice Thomas W. Trenchard. It was taken at once to a bare

room in back of the court to begin ts deliberations on the guilt or innocence of Hauptmann as the kidnap and murderer of Baby Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr. Justice Trenchard's charge, though

brief, was sharp and to the point, It eviewed a number of the defense con tentions, with conclusions of "Do you believe that?"

On the State's important ladder evidence, the court asked the jurors: "Does not the evidence satisfy you that at least a part of the wood from which the ladder was built came out of the flooring of the attic of the

"If you find that the murder was committed by the defendant in perpetrating a burglarly, it is murder n the firstd egree," the court said. Even though the killing was unin-

tentional." "If there is a reasonable doubt that the murder was convicted, by the lefendant in perpetrating a burglary he must be acquitted.

"If you find the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree, you may, if you see fit, by your verdict and as a part thereof, recommend imprisonment at hard labor for life. The jury was instructed that it may conclude from the evidence that the aby was stolen by some one who entered the nursery of the Lindbergh

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3 Verdicts Are Open To Kidnap Jury

Electric Chair, Life Term, Acquittal Is Possible; Defense Attacks Charge

Flemington, N. J., Feb. 13.— (AP)—The jury .trying Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the kidnaping and murder of Baby Charles A. .indbergh, Jr., began its deliberations before noon today, after being instructed it could return one of three possible verdicts -murder in the first degree, the same with recommendations for life imprisonment, or acquittal. The final charge of the court paid particular attention to the disputed reliability of the important State wit-

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Italy Is Ready To Spend 850 Millions In New War

Rome, Feb. 13.—(AP)—The Italian | cipitated the present crisis. overnment was said authoritatively oday to be ready to spend \$850,000,-000 on a two years military campaign in Africa in the event hostilities break

out with Ethiopia. The Italian military plans became known as Negradas Yesus, Ethiopian charge d'affaires, handed Sylvio Suvitch, under secretary of foreign affairs, Emperor Haile Salassie's defiant retort holding Italy responsible for the frontier conflict, which pre-

It was learned Italy is recruiting 5,-000 physicians for colonial services A battalion of fascists left Rome for Sicily at 7 a. m. with full colonial equipment.

AGREEMENT REACHED FOR PROVIDING NEUTRAL ZONE Addis Ababa, Feb. 13.—(AF)— The

Ethiopian and Italian governments

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