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tive Session of Commit-

tee, With Four Members Against It

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Concurrence In House

Amendments; Two Repub-

DRIVER'S LICENSE

SENATE ACCEPTS

# WORK-RELIEF BILL TO PASS CONGRESS, SECT'Y ICKES SAYS

Deadlocking Prevailing Wage Amendment Will Be Deleted, PWA Administrator Thinks

SEES GREAT DEMAND FOR THAT MEASURE

Social Security Program, Meanwhile Claims Attention in Congress, With Bill Tied Up In Both Houses; Capital Waits Roosevelt's Return Late In Week

Washington, Feb. 26 .- (AP)-A preliction the \$4,880,009,000 work-relief would receive congressional apgrayal without the deadlocking preailing wage amendment was made Secretary Ickes.

public works administrator ve no reason for his optimism, oththan to say "there is a very great mand for a public works relief bill." With Senate advocates of the pre-ailing wage standing pat, however, iministration leaders on Capitol Hill idenced no immediate intention of ing to budge the bill from the apopriations committee.

Their concern, meanwhile, extended social security program. Still ocked in Senate and House commit-, each passing hour lessened the ances of obtaining many State supplementary security laws.

As many of the capital's activities waited President Roosevelt's return te this week, there were other de-

Ickes said the Federal tender board. agency for regulating interstate shipment of oil in Texas, would be lished under an executive orr by President Roosevelt.

declaration that the Bethlehem on World War ship construc while the country "desperately" seded ships was made by Senator Rone, Democrat, Washington, at the Senate Munitions Committee hearings

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#### Master's License Of Morro Castle's Skipper Revoked

Washington, Feb. 26.-(AP)- The master's license of Captain William F Warms, who was acting skipper of Ward liner Morro Castle when it as destroyed by fire off the Jersey has been revoked, the Comorce Department has been advised its local inspectors in New Haven.

The New Haven inspectors also susrended Eben S. Abbott, Morro Castle chief engineer, for 90 days, and A: tonie R. Buijia, first assistant en-Outlaw Barrow's kineer, for 30 days.

#### THREE LEGISLATORS TO REPRESENT STATE

Raleigh, Feb. 26 (AP) Two repre-

epresent the Senate and Representa-Meakins, of Caldwell, and Harris, ately began sentencing the 15, along of Person, will be the House delegates.

# Ruth Signs With Braves HUEY LONG CALLS For Season

#### To Be Vice-President To Meet Tonight at 10 and Manager; Is Given Release By New York Yankees

York, Feb. 26.—(AP)-Babe forth, for 21 years brightest star of he American League, today was given ees and immediately signed a oneyear contract with the Boston Braves, rival National League, as vice

president and assistant manager. Under the ter's of the contract, unounced jointly by Ruth and Emil b. Ruth will share in the profits the club, if any, and is given an option to purchase stock.

Vegotiations for his affiliation with Braves have been carried on by correspondents since Ruth rethed last week from a round-theworld cruise and were made with the owner of the Yankees.

#### Panama Demands U. S. Pay In Gold

Washington, Feb. 26. -(AP) If the United States attempts to pay in checks instead of in gold the \$250,000 due for rent of the Canal Zone, Panama is ready to

Already Panama has refused one standing on the recent Supreme Court decision, said yesterday: States can do otherwise than meet our request. We have instructed our fiscal agents in New York to return the check if it is received."

# Changes In Hill Liquor Bill Talked

Local Option Would Be Substituted for Statewide Referendum Feature.

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

Raleigh, Feb. 26.-Conceding that the outlook for the passage of the Hill liquor stores bill is not bright as long as the Statewide referendum Corporation "quibbled" over feature is left in the bill, indications now are that Senate Judiciary Com-mittee Number 2. which is now considering the bill, will make several changes in it to make it more acceptable to the members of the senderstood that Senator John Sprunt Hill of Durham, author and introducer of the bill, is entirely willing to have these changes made. Some of the suggested changes in the bill now being contemplated are as follows:

1. To eliminate the Statewide referendum provision and substitute for it the county local option plan, so that no liquor store could be opened in any county, city or town until the location of such a store has been approved by a majority vote in the re-

spective subdivisions 2. To make the bill provide that only those counties which voted a majority for repeal in the 1933 repeal

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### Relatives Given Court Sentences

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 26 (AP)-A fed- part of it." Dr. McDonald said. He entatives and one senator will rep- eral court jury today convicted 15 reresent North Carolina at the national latives and friends of the slain outegislative conference in Washington law couple, Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker, on a charge of conspiracy to crease franchise taxes as proposed in Senator Grady, of Johnston, will harbor fugitives from justice. Judge William H. Atwell immedi-

> with five other defendants in the case, who previously had pleaded guilty. Henry Methzin, one-time associate of Barrow, was given a year and a day in Federal prison.

# HIS LEGISLATURE

O'Clock To Ratify Rebate to Standard Oil

Baton Rouge, La., Feb. 26 .- (AP)-Senator Huey Long announced today that the Louisiana legislature will meet in special session tonight at 10 o'clock.

The session may be called for tonight only, Long, political spokesman release by the New York Yan- for the State administration of Governor O. K. Allen, said.

This indicated that its sole purpose was for both houses of the legislature to adopt a concurrent resolution ratifying Long's agreement with the Standard Oil Company of Louisiana Fuchs, president of the Boston for a rebate of four cents of the five cents a barrel oil refining tax. "It will be at 10 o'clock tonight,"

Long said. "It may be only for tonight." Long said yesterday that it was planned to call a one-day session "within a week or ten days," the shortest session held since he has there is one of the dreaded epidemic pent of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, been at the helm of State political control.

\$250,000 check, and its minister, "I don't see how the United

## Clinch river near Knoxville, project, being built at a cost of project will be the greatest man-Tenn., is rapidly taking form. \$34,000,000, shows various sec- made producer of electricity. Storm Heads This Way As Ships Roll In Heavy Seas

Washington, Feb. 26 .- (AP) - The VESSELS IN MANY AREAS Weather Bureau this morning issued the following storm warning:

ule, the huge Norris dam on the

"Advisory, 10:30 a.m. northwestern and Cape Hatteras. Disturbances over northern Georgia will move rapidly to northwestward and cause strong northwest winds tonight, possibly reaching gale force by tonight.'

Reach House Floor at

Beginning of Week.

Raleigh, Feb. 26 .- "My guess is

that the revenue bill will reach the

floor of the House next Monday night

-though that's purely a guess," said

Dr. Ralph McDonald today when in-

"The fight on the sales tax will ac-

tually take place on the floor of the legislature", continued the Forsyth

legislator. It was the first time he

has definitely committed himself to

that, although this bureau had pre-

dicted as long as five weeks ago that

the anti-sales taxers are beaten in

"I really don't know what the fin-

ance committee will do about our

(McDonald-Lumpkin) substitute plan,

although I do not see how it expects

to raise the revenue necessary for

the next biennium without at least

would not volunteer which portion of

the plan he thought the committee

would adopt. "But," he said, "the in-

our plan are eminently fair and we

shall, on the floor of the house, prove

Dr. McDonald criticized corporation

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Meningitis

Serious In

Salisbury

Salisbury, Feb. 26.-(AP)- Local

health authorities and the City Coun-

today for public precaution when it

became known that Henry W. Miller,

machinist at the Spencer shops, de-

and had been taken to a local hos-

The dread malady claimed the life

of William Horne, 19, sophomore at

Catawba College, and native of Jones-

ville, S. C., here last night following

Raleigh, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Dr. J. C.

Knox, State epidemiologist, went to

Salisbury today to investigate two

cases of meningitis there this week,

Information given the State Board

of Health from Salisbury did not in-

dicate whether the disease prevailing

one of which has resulted fatally.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

pital, where his condition is reported

Dr. McDonald criticized corporation for their refusal to present to the MSSING REALTOR

cil were moving in coordination here York, his son-in-law, James B. Beck,

veloped spinal meningitts last night and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James

TAKES CHARGE OF SCENE not come to until he told officails his

that they are.'

to be critical.

type or not.

an illness of six days.

the joint finance committee.

terviewed by this bureau.

Daily Dispatch Bureau

In the Sir Walter Hotel,

(By the Associated Press.) storm warning has been ordered for seething seas in many quarters of the gale, or edging their way toward por the Atlantic coast between Boston globe today as gales of the last few at the end of rescue ship tow lines. days continued to bring misfortune to weary mariners.

Far ahead of construction sched- | This new picture, portraying a | tions of the dam rising high above

part of the vast Tennessee valley | their solid rock foundation. The

Daily Dispatch Bureau,

Raleigh, Feb. 26.-A United States

senator, a governor who is regarded

haus and former Lieutenant Gover-

nor R. T. Fountain. And while Sen-

ator Bailey started out in the spot-

light, the farmers themselves focused

kept it there before the meeting was

it upon Governor Ehringhaus and

Senator Bailey received hearty and

vigorous applause when he arose and

low the lead of the United States De-

which was adopted unanimously. He

was also cheered when he urged the

Congress to reduce the tax on the

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of Boston, Found In

**Bowery Mission** 

Newton, Mass, Feb. 26.-(AP)-

lionaire Boston and Newton real es-

tate dealer, returned to his Newton

home today after being located last

night at the Bowery Mission, New

of Newton, told The Associated Press

tion by his wife, and his son-in-law

M. Beck, of Newton.

Gulesian was met at the South sta-

Beck said his father-in-law had been

placed on a Boston-bound train by of-

He said Gulesian was obviously a

victim of amesia. He could give no

ing Boston last Tuesday. The son-in-

WEATHER

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

Partly cloudy, much colder, pos-

sibly preceeded by rain on the

coast tonight; Wednesday fair,

colder in central and east portions

name in the Bowery Mission

ficial of the Bowery Mission and made

the trip to Boston unaccompanied.

In the Sir Walter Hotel.

least half a dozen merchant men in TOSS IN SEETHING SEAS the area since last Saturday. At least 15 vessels sent out messages of dis-Storm-racked vessels tossed in tress wer struggling to ride out the seething seas in many quarters of the gale, or edging their way toward port The latest craft to join the growing list of stricken steamers was the

The Bay of Biscay, off the coast of Berriby, a British staemer, which France, remains the center of the reported its steering gear carried turbulent tempests which crippled at away off the coast of Portugal.

## REVENUE BILL NOW Ehringhaus MAY RE-OPEN OLD EXPECTED MONDAY Ovation Is ISSUE OF TARIFFS ate and House who are afraid of the referendum provision. It is also un-

Can't Sell Abroad If It Buys Nothing.

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer

as a potential candidate for the seat Washington, Feb. 26 .- Dr. Mordecai now held by this United States Sen-Ezekiel's thesis that America must ator and a former Lieutenant Goverregain its old-time export trade, and nor who almost got to be Governor improve on it also, or scale its whole and who is also regarded as a caneconomic standard downward, opens didate for the seat held by this Unitup the entire question of import taxed States Senator, were all present at ation-that is to say, the protective the big rally of tobacco farmers here tariff system. Monday. They were Senator Josiah Under former conditions import liquor control bill, creating a State W. Bailey, Governor J. C. B. Ehring-

levies were, in part, a means of raising revenue; in part they served to keep the prices of imported goods at a high level in this country thus handicapping them, in competition liquor sales but are different in many with domestic goods. Finally, however, they have been

boosted to such a point that they prac tically have extinguished importation, consequently they yield comparatively ment to eliminate Texas' 16-year-old made the motion that the farmers follittle revenue. It is fair to leave them prohibition clause. The amendment out of consideration, then, as an impartment of Agriculture and the AAA, portant revenue-producing source for the federal government.

The fact remains that they confarmers to adopt a motion to request tinue to protect American producers against foreign competition. SWAPPING NECESSARY

The difficulty is that, in keeping foreign goods out, they are keeping American goods in. International trade is a matter of swapping commodities. If we have stuff to swap, but won't accept, in return, what out-

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#### RETURNS TO HOME ROAD WORK WAITS Moses Gulesian, Millionaire UPON NEW TRUCKS Maxwell Says Many Cor-

Moses H. Gulesian, 71, former mil-Highway Commission Must Get Equipment Before Starting Big Scale.

In the Sir Waiter Hotel, Daily Dispatch Bureau,

Raleigh, Feb. 26.-Because it does not have enough trucks and graders with which to do more than emergency maintenance jobs, the State Highway and Public Works Commission is going to have to wait until the 2237 trucks it had just puchased are delivered before undertaking much of in the picture. its maintenance and repair program account of his movements since leav- from the special \$3.000.000 appropriation just made by the General Assemlaw explained that he apparently did bly, Chairman Capus M. Waynick said today.

"Some of the more necessary emergency jobs are being done right now, of course," Waynick said. "But due to the utter lack of trucks, graders and other needed machinery, we will not be able to get the main program under way until the first order of trucks and graders has been deliver-

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# HILL'S LIQUOR BILL REPORTED IN SENATE 'WITHOUT PREJUDICE'

#### U. S. Cattleman Is Killed In Mexico

Douglas, Ariz., Feb. 26.-(AP)-Meagre reports of the "assassination" of a prominent American cattle buyer in a mountainous section of Mexico stirred speculation here today of renewed bandit raids in the area once ruled by Pancho

The victim was James Riggon. Exactly how or when he died was not explained in the terse telegram to relatives here. It was sent by Hilario Gabinlondo, prominet Mexican cattle buyer of the Carrettas

Riggon's death was described only as an "assassination" in the cryptic message.

Ballot Today on Three

Forms of Prohibition

Law Changes

(By the Associated Press.)

cided what to do with its 20-year-old

Three questions, including medifica-

tion of present laws, mahufacture and

sale of beer and wine and the manu-

before the Alabama electorate. A vote

Governor H. G. Jump, of West Vir-

Rival liquor legalization measures

The Texas State Senate committee

on constitutional amendments approv-

ed a proposed constitutional amend-

would authorize the legislature to re-

gulate the manufacture and sale of

approved a bill providing for a refer-

endum and local option. It was sent

intoxicating liquor.

House early in the session.

to the Senate

were passed by the Arkansas House

and Senate. Both propose package

ginia, last night signed that State's

monopoly, effective March 1.

facture and sale of hard liquor, were

of more than 175,000 was indicated.

STATE MONOPOLIES

Texas; South

Considers Plan

dry laws.

#### licans Offer Plan for State Prohibition Commission: Money Committees Labor Raleigh, Feb. 26.-(AP)-The Senate Judiciary Committee No. 2 today voted to report the Hill liquor stores bill to the Senate "without prejudice." The measure was considered in an executive session of the committee,

and it was not revealed how the individual senators stood. It was learned that four members of the committee voted for an unfavorable report on the bill. There are 14 members on the committee besides its chairman, Senator Horton, of

Chatham. The report of the liquor bill held the spotlight in committee circles. A "without prejudice" report is given by committees to bills which the Meantime, Alabama Voters members feel should be argued and considered from every angle by the entire membership of the Senate rath-

er than by a small group. A number of other committees met this morning and reported various measures.

Liquor, prohibition, inoculation of logs against rabies, regulation of jus IN WEST VIRGINIA tices of the peace and a driver's license bill held legislative attention to-

Rival Liquor Measures Pass-The Hill liquor stores bill, contained in Arkansas Legislature, ing a referendum issue, which will be fought out on the floor of the Sen-While Constitutional ate, was reported "without prejudice" Amendment Is Proposed In placed on the calendar. by a judiciary committee and was

Carolina The House Republicans introduced a bill to create a State prohibition commission empowered to set up a State dry force of up to 60 members to enforce liquor laws. An appropria-Repealists chalked up victories in tion of \$75,000 annually would four states today while Alabama de-

The House again debated at length over the Fenner bill to require the inoculation of each dog in the State against rabies

After brief debate, the Senate refused to accept a committee substitute for the Weathers bill to limit the number of justices of the peace and put them on a salary basis, and the measure went on the unfavorable calendar. It will take a twothirds vote to review it.

The Senate sent the House a bill to extend time for sales on 1932 taxes. The Senate refused to reconsider its concurrence in House amendments to the mandatory driver's license bill and ordered the measure enrolled for ratification.

The finance and appropriations committees this afternoon continued their long drawn out labors on the two big money bills. Tonight a public hearing will be held by the health committee on the Griffin bill to re-The Georgia House late vesterday quire vaccination of every infant child in the State against diphtheria.

# Two Cabinet Members In Cuba Resign

#### More Trouble Heaped On Shoulders Of President Mendieta In Grave Crisis

Havana, Feb. 26.—(AP)—More trouble was piled on the shoulders of President Calors Mendieta today when Cosme de la Torrinete, secretary of state, and Dr. Raul de Cardenas, secretary of justice and of the interior, resigned.

that they were unwilling to accept responsibility for conducting the forth coming presidential elections in the face of political opposition to the Cuban method of elections.

ed in the students' strike, which was in the nature of a general revolu-

The Marinista party, headed by nection with Mendieta's government cept a plan for a non-politic cab-inet, which is the necessary confor

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#### porations Could Not Stand McDonald Levies. Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel.

Raleigh, Feb. 26.-As State Revenue Commissioner A. J. Maxwell presented comparative tables as to tax rates in other states to the joint finance committee. Dr. Prof. McDonald. author of the substitute tax plan designed to replace the sales tax, agreed with the commissioner's figures, but pointed out that only State, and not state and local, taxes were presented

"A combination of State and local taxes paid in other states," said Dr. McDonald," will show that North Carolina's total tax rate is substantially lower than the average for all states. Figures were not available by which the contention could be proven. but McDonald said that in Virginia the property tax rate is about one and one-half times as great as in this

Commissioner Maxwell and Representative McDonald were in agree-

#### The South Carolina Senate tomorrow will take up the a State control measure, a committee substitute for the county control bill passed by the M'DONALD,MAXWELL DIFFER OVER TAXES

The two cobinet officers claimed

Part of this opposition was express-

tionary walk-out. Miguel Mariano Gomez, former mayor of Havana, decided to sever its conbecause the government did not ac-

preparing an election."