

ROOSEVELT AGAINST ANY CASH BONUS AT THIS TIME

75 Graduates Get Diplomas As Henderson High School Commencement Is Finished

MANY MEDALS AND AWARDS PRESENTED FOR YEAR'S WORK

Mary Mitchell Baily Is Valedictorian and Nancy Royster Parham Is Salutatorian

EDUCATION TALKS BY SIX GRADUATES

Relation of Community and Its Schools Discussed; School Board Chairman Presents Diplomas; Payne Gives Awards; Superintendent Rollins Presides

Seventy-five boys and girls received diplomas of graduation from the Henderson high school today as the exercises of commencement came formally to a close.

Class Officers



Officers of the 1935 graduating class of the Henderson high school are: First above, William Youland Bryan, president; second, Miss Nancy Royster Parham, salutatorian and secretary; third, Ransom Harris Duke, vice-president; bottom, Miss Mary Mitchell Baily, treasurer and valedictorian.

Awards For High School Announced

Perfect Attendance Certificates Also Read by Prof. W. D. Payne

Numerous awards for excellence in achievement during the past school year were read out and presented at the graduating exercises this morning of the Henderson high school, held at the Stevenson theatre.

Prof. W. D. Payne, principal of the high school, who read and presented the awards, with one exception, also read the names of students who had a perfect attendance record for 1934-35.

Medals and awards, listed here in (Continued on Page Five)

Lawrence Death Held Accidental In Coroner Probe

Wool, Dorsetshire, England, May 21.—(AP)—Whether or not a systerious black automobile had anything to do with the death of the almost legendary "Lawrence of Arabia," a coroner's jury of seven men decided today that he met death accidentally.

Corporal Ernest Catchpole testified he saw Colonel T. E. Lawrence swerve his motorcycle at the time of the accident on May 13 to avoid an automobile colliding immediately with a butcher boy on a bicycle. Lawrence, he said, was riding along the Dorsetshire country road at a speed of from 50 to 60 miles an hour.

A man who had been a companion of the butcher boy testified he did not see the automobile described by Catchpole.

The most poignant moment in the hearing came with the testimony of Captain T. C. Allen, of the medical corps officer, who performed the postmortem on Lawrence's body.

Class of 1935

William Youland Bryan, president. Ransom Harris Duke, vice-pres. Nancy Royster Parham, secretary. Mary Mitchell Baily, treasurer. Class Colors—Blue and Gold. Motto: "Build for Character Not for Fame." Valedictorian—Mary Mitchell Baily. Salutatorian—Nancy Royster Parham. Faculty Sponsors—S. M. Crowder, Miss Maxine E. Taylor.

Class Roll: Mary Mitchell Baily, Mary Lucille Baskett, Mary Elizabeth Beard, Charles Edward Beckham, Fannie Rebecca Bowling, Ruth Peterson Branche, William Youland Bryan, Margaret Harris Candler, Mary Baxter Carroll, Lulu Sarah Carter, Kermit Victor Clayton, Jessie Elowee Clapton, Alma Lee Cooper, Edward Hope Dixon, Jr., Ransom Harris Duke, Jr., Mary Betty Dunkley, Jeanne Dunn, Elden Leroy Dupriest, Oren Thomas Eason, James Rudd Edwards, Ada Belle Ellington, Marie Vesuvia Ellington, Wilson Hamit Ellis, Donald Powell Evans, Effie Louise Flannagan, Cora Louise Flowers, Ruby Mae Hagwood, Cora Edaline Hamlet, Mary Lee Hamlet, Zenobia Lucille Hamun, Charlotte Ann Hardee, Alice McIver Harrison, Fred William Hecht, Jr., Juanita Hester, Virginia Blanche Hester, Erma Louise Hicks, Clyde Sterling Hight, Ida Pauline Jenkins, James Wiggins Jenkins, Jr., Claude William Johnson, Jr., Wallace Snead Kelley, Leona Knight, Milton Franklin Legg, Jr., Virginia Pershing Lowry, Leslie Troy May, Anne Whitehurst Mills, Panny Williams Moseley, Evelyn Murray, James Holcomb Murrell, Jr., Hodge Albert Newell, Jr., Alma Southerland Parham, Nancy Royster Parham, Thomas Benton Parham, Jr., Tempy Ruth Parrish, Ann Arendell Peace, Ruby Carolyn Polston, William Jefferson Powell, Margaret Helena Reavis, Jernan Walter Rose, Jr., Elliott Gilford Shaw, Jr., Mollie Chandler Shepherd, Paul Jones Stainback, Roscoe Franklin Stainback, Lecta Elaine Stone, Mildred Gertrude Tucker, Elvie Morris Turner, Meredith McCully Watkins, Alfred Benjamin Wester, Jr., Dorothy Marie Wiggins, Edwin Boyd Wilkinson, Jr., Mary Frances Williams, Margaret Augusta Woodlief, Blanche Hale Wortham, Turner Jones Wortham, Ellard Melton Yow.

SENIOR HONOR ROLL

(These seniors have averaged 90, or more, on all subjects for their four years of high school.) Mary Mitchell Baily, Mary Lucille Baskett, Mary Elizabeth Beard, Ruth Peterson Branche, Ransom Harris Duke, Jr., Jeanne Dunn, Effie Louise Flannagan, Charlotte Ann Hardee, Alice McIver Harrison, Fred William Hecht, Jr., Erma Louise Hicks, James Wiggins Jenkins, Jr., Wallace Snead Kelley, Leona Knight, Anne Whitehurst Mills, Evelyn Murray, Hodge Albert Newell, Jr., Nancy Royster Parham, Tempy Ruth Parrish, Ann Arendell Peace, Ruby Carolyn Polston, Margaret Helena Reavis, Roscoe Franklin Stainback, Meredith McCully Watkins, Alfred Benjamin Wester, Jr., Dorothy Marie Wiggins, Mary Frances Williams, Ellard Melton Yow.

WEATHER

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair tonight and Wednesday, cooler in south and in extreme east portions tonight.

PRESIDENT PLANS PATMAN BILL VETO WITH ANY OTHERS

Majority Leader Robinson Wants Some Sort of Bonus Legislation Adopted

ROOSEVELT SPOKE FLATLY ON MONDAY

An Emphatic "No" Was Given to Callers To Learn If He Would Change His Mind, According to Reports; To Address Congress at 12:30 Wednesday

Washington, May 21.—(AP)—The word was passed in informed circles today that President Roosevelt has asserted that, after vetoing the inflationary Patman bonus bill, he also would reject any other proposal for full and immediate cash payment of the \$2,000,000,000.

This disclosure shared interest with a remark by Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, holding out apparent hope to those who want to see some bonus legislation passed. He said yesterday he would like to see some bonus legislation worked out and passed after the Patman bill had been killed, and added that he would be glad to "contribute" toward that end.

"But I don't know whether it is possible or not," he said.

Whether Robinson, an administration leader, had in mind some compromise that would not call for payment in full immediately was not disclosed. But the White House was described in informed quarters as opposed to any plan-for such full payments.

These informants gave this version of the bonus "steering committee" of legislators paid yesterday to President Roosevelt in a vain attempt to get him to change his mind about vetoing the Patman bill tomorrow.

Mr. Roosevelt said he would be glad (Continued on Page Two)

Meeting Of Congress On Veto Halted

Senator Says It's Unconstitutional And Only Stage Setting For President

Washington, May 21 (AP)—As the Capitol heard today that President Roosevelt would reject any proposal for full and immediate cash payment of the bonus, plans for a joint congressional session tomorrow to receive the veto message on the Patman bill were blocked, temporarily at least, by Senators Steiwer, Republican, Oregon, and Long, Democrat, Louisiana.

Steiwer held up action on the resolution to authorize the joint session for almost an hour with a speech denouncing it as unconstitutional and merely "a stage setting."

He said the idea was "contrary to (Continued on Page Two)

Wagner Labor Bill Is Nearer Passage

Bonus Leaders Hold Another Strategy Meeting, Resulting In Conflicting Claims; Donald Richberg Accused of Trying to Dictate To Congress on NRA

Washington, May 21.—(AP)—The Wagner labor disputes bill, long a center of controversy, moved closer to congressional enactment today when the House Labor Committee gave its unanimous approval.

Fought by organized business groups, the measure would set up a permanent labor relations board, insure employees the right to bargain collectively, and outlaw company-dominated unions. The bill has been passed by the Senate.

Represents Ethiopia



Italian government may reject Dr. Pitman Benjamin Potter (above) as one of Ethiopia's arbiters on conciliation commission. He is American citizen and professor of international law at the University of Geneva, Switzerland, where he has long acted as advisor to Abyssinian delegates to League of Nations. (Central Press)

BURGESS PROBABLY TOMORROW TO GIVE PLAN OF THE DRYS

Formal Statement on Procedure to Halt Liquor Elections Promised by Leader

INJUNCTION WOULD BE TEMPORARY ACT

Upon Expiration of Restraining Order, Advocates of Election Could Then Proceed, but Not Until After Drys Had Chance to Work Up Their Campaign.

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

Raleigh, May 21.—Cale K. Burgess, generalissimo and chief political strategist of the United Dry Forces, will issue a formal statement sometime Wednesday outlining the course which the drys intend to pursue in an effort to prevent the holding of liquor elections in the 18 counties and two townships which the recent General Assembly said may hold elections, he said today. Burgess would not give any indication as to what the statement would contain and denied that he had made any statement yet as to what the United Drys intend to do about the present situation. He admitted, however, that he had talked "informally" with several persons and partially indicated what he thought might be done.

It is expected, however, that Burgess and the United Drys will make no effort to obtain a restraining order in every county which calls an election under the new statutes and prevent the holding of the elections, according to those to whom he has already talked "informally." No move (Continued on Page Two)

LABOR HEAD WARNS SOCIAL UNREST MAY FOLLOW WAGE CUTS

Tax Board Shakeup?



The federal government's efforts to collect more than \$3,000,000 in back taxes and penalties from Andrew Mellon, former secretary of the treasury, may indirectly lead to a reorganization of the tax enforcement machinery. The action of Ernest Van Fossan, above, Republican chairman of the three-man "court" trying Mellon, in excluding evidence hostile to the multi-millionaire defendant did not go unnoticed by congressional scrutineers. In 1932 the government won only 43 per cent of cases handled by the tax board.

HITLER DECLARES GERMANY IS MUCH FOR WORLD PEACE

And It's Neither Through Cowardice Nor Weakness, Reichfuhrer Says In Speech

MOMENTOUS TALK BEFORE REICHSTAG

"We Decry Every War For The Subjugation of Foreign People," He Says; Message Heralded As Of Great Import; Hundreds of Thousands Cheer Him

Berlin, May 21.—(AP)—Reichfuhrer Hitler told the Reichstag—and all the world—today that "the Germany of today favors peace x x x neither out of weakness nor cowardice x x x we decry war for the subjugation of foreign people." Der Fuehrer made his address, long awaited as a definite statement of Germany's relationship to the rest of (Continued on Page Two)

SAYS BUSINESS IS ANXIOUS TO START

Just "Rarin'" To Go, but Shackles Are Holding It Back, Is Claim

By CHARLES F. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer Washington, May 21.—Business is "rarin'" to go. General Counsel James A. Emery of the National Association of Manufacturers say its is, anyway. It is having a deal or trouble in getting started, however, he adds, owing to the fashion in which it is hob-

Green Attacks President's Action in Slashing Scales Under Works-Relief Program

SENATOR McCARRAN JOINS IN CRITICISM

May Launch Fire on Roosevelt Move on Floor of Senate; Administration Spokesmen Deny New Scales Will Wreck Pay Structure; Ickes Defends New Order

Washington, May 21.—(AP)—Asserting that he feared "great social unrest" would spring from the work-relief wage rate President Roosevelt has fixed, President William Green of the American Federation of Labor, said he had called federation leaders to a session today to decide on a course of action.

"Inequitable" and "unsound" were some of the adjectives Green flung at the wages which will apply on many of the \$4,000,000,000 works programs. The wages will range from a low \$19 a month to a high of \$94, depending on the type of labor and the locality.

Earlier Senator McCarran, Democrat, Nevada, had directed sharply worded criticism at the schedule. McCarran, leader of the derelict drive to force the payment of wages prevailing in private industry, asserted that President Roosevelt's executive order "would completely wreck the country's wage scale." He indicated that he was preparing to attack the wages on the floor of the Senate.

Administration officials denied the new rate, which represents a slash as compared with PWA scales, would "wreck" the pay structure.

Although issuing no immediate formal statement over their signatures, they contended the schedule is higher than it may seem at first glance, because those affected will work for 12 consecutive months. Because of long (Continued on Page Two)

Georgia Sees Court Battle Over Liquor

Atlanta, Ga., May 21 (AP)—A court battle on Wednesday's repeal referendum was launched today in Fulton Superior Court in mandamus proceedings seeking to force Secretary of State John B. Wilson to certify the result as of midnight Saturday, at which time the vote, lacking three counties, stood: for repeal 81,324; against repeal, 81,049.

The action, brought by City Councilman W. G. Hastings, charges that the results from the three counties were certified to Wilson after midnight Saturday, therefore, too late, under the law, to be counted in the final total.

The law firm of Carpenter and Ellis presented its petition to Judge John D. Huhphreys, who called a hearing for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Estate Of Reynolds Is On Calendar

Heavy Docket Being Heard by State Supreme Court At Week's Sitting

Raleigh, May 1 (AP)—The state Supreme Court today started hearing appeal arguments on cases from the tenth and eleventh judicial districts, with indications the settlement of the \$25,000,000 estate of the late Zachary Smith Reynolds would be reached late tomorrow or Thursday. The court heard all decisions today (Continued on Page Two)

LIGGETT & MYERS CITED UNDER CODE

Adjudged in Violation Of Collective Bargaining Provisions

Atlanta, Ga., May 21.—(AP)—The Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company today was held by the regional labor board to have violated collective bargaining provisions of the national recovery act and the code of fair competition for the cigarette industry. Representatives of the union at the company's plant in Durham, N. C., sought to obtain a contract through collective bargaining early this year to govern working conditions. The Durham plant employs approximately 4,000 workers. The regional board's decision said (Continued on Page Eight)