

SENATE'S NRA BILL APPROVED BY ROOSEVELT

Hundreds Reported Dead In German Explosions

SOME PLACE TOTAL DEAD AT THOUSAND NEAR WITTENBERG

But Berlin Propaganda Ministry Fixes Number At Less than 100 Fatalities

ALL OF FACTORY'S WORKSHOPS RAZED

Authorities at Plant Answer Inquiries With Statement They Are Not Permitted To Say Anything; One of the Worst Catastrophes in Germany's History

Berlin, June 13 (AP)—Several hundred persons were reported killed today in a blast at the explosives factory at Rhinesdorf near Wittenberg.

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Crops Generally Are Very Good In The Whole State

Raleigh, June 13 (AP)—The State Crop Reporting Service said today there were "two distinct areas of crop conditions" in North Carolina on June 1.

Cotton, corn and tobacco were reported in good shape in the central Piedmont and poor in the east, while small grain and clovers were generally good throughout the State.

MEET TO PLEDGE RAILROAD ASSETS

Directors of A. & N. C. Railroad to Back Morehead Port Development

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

Raleigh, June 13.—The officers and board of directors of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railway, extending from Morehead City to Goldsboro, will meet in Morehead City July 6 to decide whether the railroad will pledge a portion of its profits as partial security for the Morehead City Port Terminal loan from the Public Works Administration, according to an announcement.

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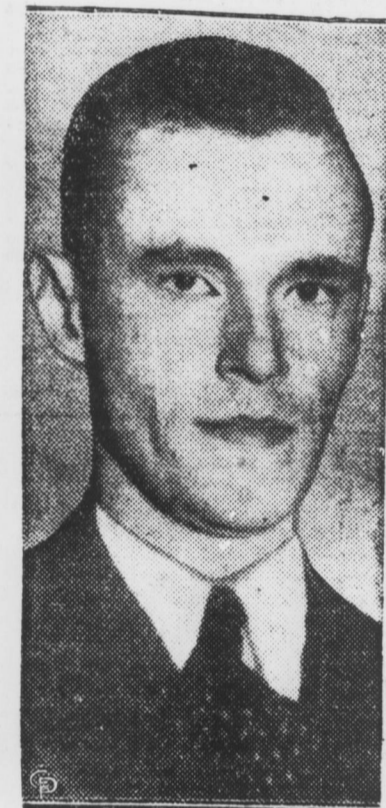
Waleys To Resist Kidnaping Charges

Tacoma, Wash., June 13.—(AP)—Temporarily escaping Washington's new death-for-kidnapers law, Harmon M. Waley and his wife, Margaret, fought for their freedom today from the less stringent Federal kidnap act for the abduction of nine-year-old George Weyerhaeuser.

Even as they nonchalantly pleaded "not guilty," department authorities pressed their search in Montana and Canada for William Mahan, bank robber and former convict, charged as the third member of the snatch gang.

Wilmington Group Of Officials Named In Speakeasy Case

Invades "Sin's Lair"



The Rev. Samuel J. Williams

Coming from Hopedale, O., to Hollywood to save Clark Gable from sinful film fame, the Rev. Samuel J. Williams, young pastor, was disappointed but not deterred when told Gable was on Catalina island making a picture.

Paralysis Is Reported At Prison

Case Suspected At Rocky Mt. Camp; 97 Cases Total Reported Since May 1

Raleigh, June 13 (AP)—The outbreak of infantile paralysis in North Carolina, which has seen 93 cases officially reported to the State Board of Health since May 1, spread today to the State Prison camp located near Rocky Mount.

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Mayor Blair, Police Chief, Patrolman and Two Others Are Indicted by Grand Jury

MAYOR ACCUSED OF THE USE OF LIQUOR

Alleged To Have Confiscated It and Used Whisky To Influence Elections; Group Said To Have Accepted Pay for Protection of the Underworld

Wilmington, June 13.—(AP)—Twenty-five indictments involving Mayor Walter H. Blair, Chief of Police Joe S. Lane, Patrolman B. D. Hare, Marshall L. Starkey, business man, and Fred Allen, were returned by a special grand jury in superior court here this morning.

The investigation came as a result of charges of Al Brandon, convicted speakeasy and gambling house operator, that money was paid for protection by New Hanover's underworld.

In the indictments, Mayor Blair is charged with confiscation of whisky ordered destroyed by the court, with the use of whisky to influence elections, and with pledging jobs to various persons in the event of his election.

He is also accused of misappropriating gasoline from the city stores for his personal use.

Lane is accused jointly with the

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Cotton Tax Denounced In Charges

Fall River, Mass., June 13 (AP)—Frank W. Dunham, chairman of the chamber of commerce committee on industrial conditions in New England, today charged the answer to New England's protest that the cotton processing tax had been propaganda and lies, and declared that rumors of liquidation presaged greater hardships for textile communities of this section.

In a statement issued by his committee, Dunham stated that it was "about time we demanded the truth about this processing tax be told," and urged continued protest against the tax.

Dunham declared employment in local textile mills had fallen off, and that rumors of further liquidation meant more unemployment.

Lea Appeal May Retard His Pardon

High Pressured Publicity of Hearing Might Delay Prisoner's Freedom.

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

Raleigh, June 13.—The elaborate and long-drawn-out hearing held here on the application for a pardon by Colonel Luke Lea, erstwhile Tennessee politician and newspaper publisher, is not likely to do his cause very much good, according to most opinion here, despite the scores of letters from prominent persons, urging clemency for him.

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HUEY LONG STYLE CAMPAIGN PLAN OF M'DONALD, LUMPKIN

Would Use Radio Amplifier Automobile and Visit in Every Nook and Corner

WOULD CARRY FIGHT THROUGHOUT STATE

Believe There Are Enough Anti-Sales Taxers and Friends of Schools in State To Put Candidates in; All They Lack Is Enough Money.

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Raleigh, June 13.—There will be plenty of color and fireworks in the coming campaign for the Democratic nomination for governor and lieutenant governor if Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, Winston-Salem school teacher, and Willie Lee Lumpkin, Louisville lawyer, get into the contest for the nomination, as many of their friends are confident they will if they can get together the necessary funds with which to conduct a campaign.

This means that Candidate McDonald and Lumpkin are planning to use all of the mechanical contraptions which have been used so successfully by Senator Huey P. Long, of Louisiana, in his campaigns both in his home State and in other states where he assisted candidates such as a radio sound truck with a generator and possibly a moving picture machine, if they finally decide to become candidates.

England, France Seek To Pacify Italy In Africa

London, June 13.—(AP)—An authoritative source said today that Great Britain and France are consulting with Italy in an attempt to draw up a formula for the protection of Italy's "special economic interests" in Ethiopia.

WAREHOUSEMEN TO TALK ABOUT CODE

Asheville Meeting To Discuss Voluntary Rules as NRA Has Gone

Asheville, June 13.—(AP)—The retention of a voluntary code for the industry is expected to be one of the main questions before the members of the National Tobacco Warehouse Association when it meets here tomorrow for a two-day session.

The program for the convention was announced in Winston-Salem yesterday by Frank Davis, of Winston-Salem, president of the association, who said Senator Bailey, Democrat, North Carolina, had accepted an invitation to address the group.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Partly cloudy, probably local thundershowers tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

CAN SERVE ONLY ONE COMPANY

Walter Gifford David Sarnoff



Sothenes Behn Newcomb Carlton

In one of the most sweeping orders of its kind ever issued by a federal regulatory body, leaders of the telegraph and telephone industry have been ordered by the Federal Communications commission to confine their official connections to a single company.

Clipper Plane In Honolulu at Dawn

Honolulu, June 13 (AP)—The Pan-American Airways clipper plane arrived at Pearl Harbor, near here, at 6:26 a. m. today 11:56 a. m. eastern standard time, from Alameda, Cal.

The giant seaplane completed the first leg of its pioneering commercial flight to Midway Islands, in just three minutes under 18 hours, which apparently was the schedule on which she was running.

She came out of the east over Diamond Head, flying very fast. The plane shot over Honolulu, circled over the air base at Pearl Harbor, then settled down in the long arm of the channel for a perfect landing.

JOBLESS STAFF OF NRA HUNTING WORK

Promised Places in New Bureaus, but Politicians Have Also

Washington, June 13.—With NRA's disintegration (not complete, but down to skeleton proportions), 2,000 to 2,500 of its staff are out of jobs in Washington, alone, to say nothing of its sub-organizations throughout the country.

True, administration spokesmen are promising that as many as possible of them will be absorbed by other

HUNT WAYNE NEGRO ON ATTACK CHARGE

Goldsboro, June 13.—(AP)—Posses of Wayne and Duplin county citizens this afternoon added officers in pushing a search for a Negro alleged to have attacked Mrs. Charlie Herring, 26, as she walked on a country road near Mount Olive. One man was arrested and brought before Mrs. Herring, but she said he was not her assailant.

LONG'S FILIBUSTER CRUSHED AND VOTE IS HAD AT 6 A. M.

Final Vote Is 41 To 13 After All-Night Session and Weary Senators Seek Sleep

HOUSE OBJECTS TO ANTI-TRUST CHANGE

One House Leader Charges Senate Democratic Chiefs Backed Out on Agreement With White House; Would Kill NRA Dead, Chairman O'Connor Says

Washington, June 13.—(AP)—Extension of NRA in a modified form until next April 1 appeared a certainty today when President Roosevelt indicated a willingness to accept changes made by the Senate after smashing an all-night filibuster by Senator Long, Democrat, Louisiana.

House Democratic leaders went to the White House for a conference a few hours after the Senate had passed the extension measure at 8:10 a. m. They said Mr. Roosevelt was willing to accept an amendment tightening enforcement of anti-trust laws.

The NRA bill will be taken up by the House tomorrow. Today it worked on minor measures, while the Senate exhausted after a nightlong session, took a day off.

Soft coal miners have been ordered to strike Monday, and it is to meet this situation that Mr. Roosevelt asked for the passage of the anti-trust bill which would create a "little NRA" in the bituminous coal industry. However, little chance was seen of heading off the beginning of the strike.

Downtown the War Department requested the Public Works Administration to spend \$17,071,388 on 36 army base construction projects from the \$4,000,000,000 fund.

NRA Bill Provides For This

Washington, June 13.—(AP)—The NRA resolution as approved by the Senate would:

- Extend a vastly reduced NRA until April 1, 1936.
Eliminate all compulsory codes.
Permit business to make agreements governing collective bargaining, minimum hours, child labor, minimum wages and competitive prices which were outlawed by existing statutes.

Two Durham Residents And New Yorker Lose Lives On Richmond-Washington Road

Alexandria, Va., June 13.—(AP)—Two truck drivers were killed and two passengers injured when a northbound Greyhound bus crashed into a parked North Carolina vegetable truck at Englewood, seven miles south of here in a fog on the Richmond highway early today.

The bus, carrying 19 passengers, was en route from Richmond to Washington.

The dead men were identified as Steve Browdy, a produce merchant of Durham, N. C., owner of the truck, and Mack Hopson, 25, also of Durham. Hopson died instantly of a fractured skull and crushed chest. Browdy died several hours later in a hospital here.

Fairfax county police arrested J. M. Perego, of Laurel, Md., driver of the bus, on a charge of manslaughter.