

Business And Industry Fight Tax

Tobacco Crop Will Be Much Less Than Growers Expected

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GOVERNMENT ASKED 700 MILLION POUNDS

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Washington, July 12.—(AP)—Flue-cured tobacco production for 1935 was estimated today by the Agriculture Department at 684,240,000 pounds compared with 556,930,000 pounds last year.

Defense Of Mrs. Waley Completed

Tacoma, Wash., July 12.—(AP)—The defense in the kidnap trial of Mrs. Margaret Waley rested its case today with Mrs. Waley the only witness placed on the stand.

U. S. Fliers Will Fight In Ethiopia

Dozen Recruited In France To Aid African Kingdom Against Italians

Grasse, France, July 12.—(AP)—Hal du Burrier, former American commercial air pilot, announced today he had recruited 12 American fliers to fight for Ethiopia.

2 Die in Triple Truck Collision

Oceanan, Va., July 12.—(AP)—people were killed and two injured early today in a triple truck collision near the District of Columbia work house here.

The dead: W. F. Fraley, 48, of Salisbury, N. C., merchant, and Park Connor, 24, of Orangeburg, S. C., merchant.

FRANKLIN PLEADS IN VAIN TO JUDGE TO ALLOW VOTING

Clawson Williams Won't Vacate Injunction to Permit Liquor Election There

FRIZZELLE LIKELY TO RELENT SHORTLY

May Withdraw Order and Permit New Hanover and Greene to Go Ahead and Open Their Stores, As Both Have Voted for Liquor Control

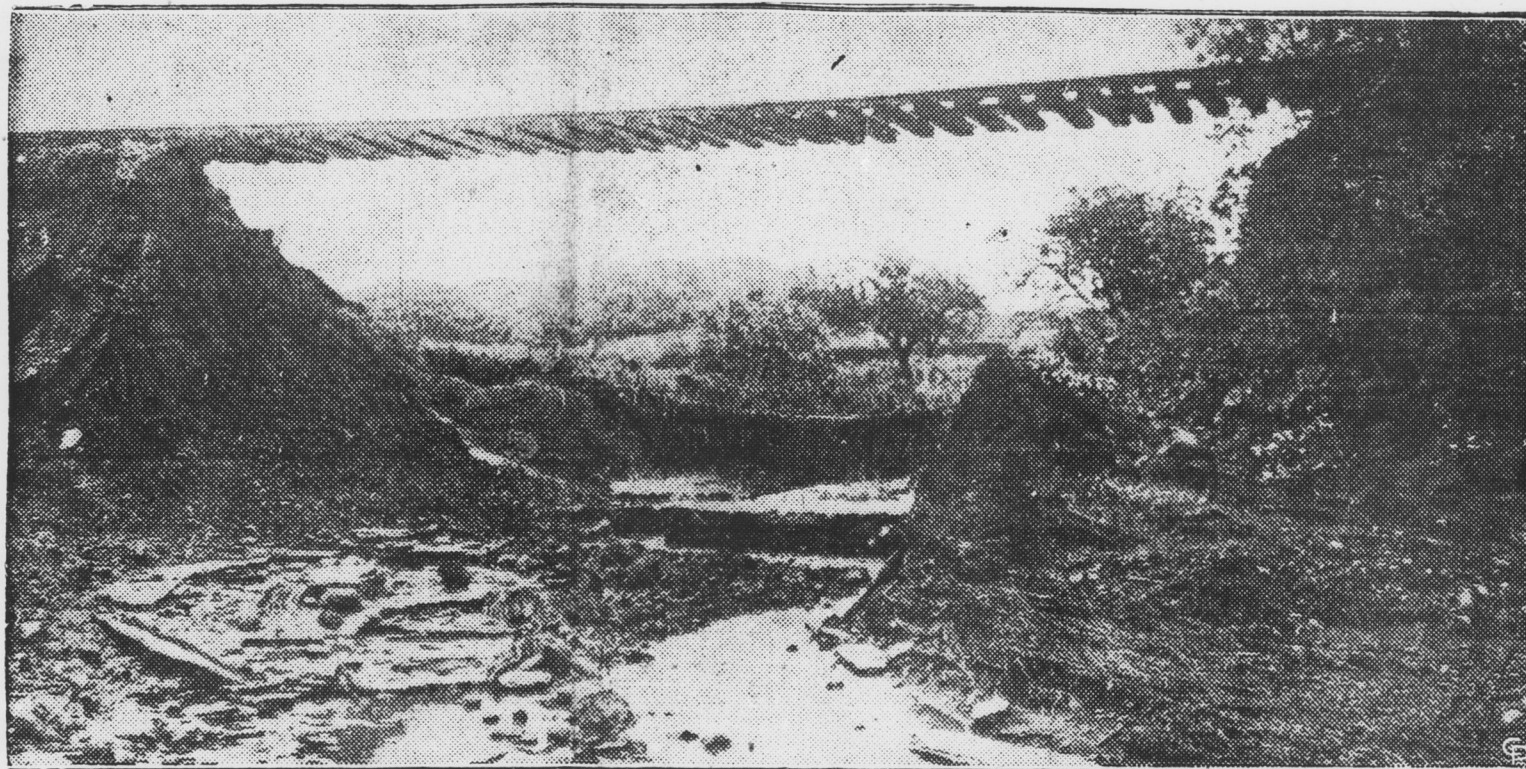
Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL. Raleigh, July 12.—Although Superior Court Judge Clawson L. Williams, who granted the permanent injunction preventing the citizens of Franklin county from even voting on liquor control, and county liquor stores continue to turn a deaf ear to all pleas to vacate his order, the belief is growing that Judge J. Paul Frizzle, who permitted New Hanover and Greene counties to vote but enjoined the opening of liquor stores, may soon vacate his order and thus permit stores to open in those counties.

BILL COVERS WILL OF MRS. DAVIDSON

Papers Filed In Carthage; Woman Found Dead At Pinehurst In Winter

Carthage, July 12.—(AP)—Objectors to the purported will of Mrs. Elva Statler Davidson, which bequeathed practically her entire estate of more than \$500,000 to her husband, H. Bradley Davidson, Jr., today filed a bill of particulars in Moore county Superior Court.

RAILROADS SUFFER AS DEATH TOLL IN NEW YORK'S FLOODS PASSES 50



Washout on Lehigh Valley railroad near Interlaken. A sample of the damage done to railroads, following upper New York state's worst floods which had claimed 50 lives and caused \$20,000,000 property damage, is pictured in this washout at Interlaken on Lehigh Valley tracks.

White Man And Negro Both Electrocuted At State Prison

Raleigh, July 12.—(AP)—Luis Sentelle, white man convicted of murder in Cleveland county, and George Whitfield, Negro, sentenced to die in Guilford for criminal assault, were electrocuted at State's Prison this morning.

Whitfield, 22, was sentenced in 1933 for criminal assault on a Guilford county white woman and lost appeals to the State and Federal Supreme Courts.

Governor Is Not Asked To Call Session

McDonald and Lumpkin Doubtless Decided Action Would Have Been Futile.

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL. Raleigh, July 12.—Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, the youthful pedagogue from Winston-Salem, lately turned politician and governmental braintruster, and Willie Lee Lumpkin, of Louisburg, the likewise youthful Franklin county attorney who has been one of the leaders of the anti-sales tax movement in last two sessions of the General Assembly, failed to call upon Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus yesterday to ask him to call a special session of the General Assembly.

Furniture Mills Decline Demands Of The Strikers

Sumter, S. C., July 12 (AP)—The Williams Furniture Company and the Williams Veneer Company early this afternoon refused to grant any of the eight requests made by the strikers yesterday.

Five More Cases Paralysis Listed

Raleigh, July 12.—(AP)—There were five new cases of infantile paralysis reported in North Carolina today as the disease continued to show a slight decline in increase.

SIX MORE IN VIRGINIA. Richmond, Va., July 12.—(AP)—Six new cases of infantile paralysis were reported today to the State health department, bringing to 99 the total since June 1, and raising to 47 the number since July 1.

New Record Attendance In Schools

In the Sir Walter Hotel, Daily Dispatch Bureau, BY J. C. BASKERVILL. Raleigh, July 12.—There were 116,849 more pupils in average daily attendance in the public schools in North Carolina this past year of 1934-35, than during the hey-day of the schools in 1923-24, when the count was 1,228,500, a year for maintaining the schools, figures obtained today from the State School Commission and the State Department of Public Instruction show. Yet the total cost of maintaining the schools this past year, including local supplements from local taxes and the amount local units pay towards the maintenance of plant, was only \$17,500,000, a difference of \$11,000,000.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Generally fair tonight and Saturday, except local thundershowers Saturday afternoon.

ENGLAND IS STILL SEEKING TO AVERT AFRICAN WARFARE

Sir Samuel Hoare, Foreign Secretary, Calls in High League Officials at London

LEAGUE SECRETARY ON PEACE MISSION

Joseph Avenol Trying To Preserve Peace Between Italy and Ethiopia; Britain Will Not Act Alone, And Will Not Order Any Blockade On Italy

London, July 12.—(AP)—The British government, persisting in its efforts to head off hostilities between Italy and Ethiopia, sought today another solution to the crisis.

MELVIN PURVIS TO QUIT GOVERNMENT

G-Man Who Got Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd and Others Resigns

Chicago, July 12.—(AP)—Melvin Purvis, head of the Chicago office of the Department of Justice's Bureau of Investigation, and the man who directed the successful hunt for John Dillinger, announced today that he has resigned from the Justice Department.

NEW DEALERS BUCK THE CONSERVATIVES

Retaliation Begun Against Those Who Bolted on Utility Bill

By CHARLES F. STEWART, Central Press Staff Writer. Washington, July 12.—Democratic revolt in the House of Representatives is worse than appeared directly after the chamber's anti-administration vote on the utilities bill.

By ROGER W. BABSON, Copyright 1935, Publishers Financial Bureau, Inc. Babson Park, Mass., July 12.—Machine tool orders have reached a new high for the recovery period. This is very significant for it means that the heavy industries such as building, machinery, equipment, iron and steel, and the like are finally beginning to take on workers. For two years the core of the unemployment problem has been in these industries.

Consumer Vs. Heavy Goods. Roughly, industry is divided into two major classes—heavy or capital goods; and consumer goods. Capital goods are those which last for a long time such as houses, bridges, locomotives and machinery. Consumer goods are those which are used up immediately such as paper, shoes, electricity, food and clothing. The consumer goods, which are mostly necessities, are by far more stable. They experienced only a relatively minor drop in activity between 1929 and 1933. Because the heavy goods are durable, purchases can be postponed temporarily until the business outlook is more favorable. Hence, the number of workers in capital goods concerns declined sharply during the depression.

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PRESIDENT STILL DEMANDS PASSAGE AT THIS SESSION

White House Is Assuming Congress Will Put Through His Tax-the-Wealth Program

AAA AMENDMENTS STOUTLY RESISTED

Lobby Probe Continues On Utilities Bill Defeat In House; Roosevelt Trying To Interest Ferdinand Pecora In Telephone Investigation

Washington, July 12.—(AP)—While organized business and industry massed opposition against President Roosevelt's tax program, word came from the White House today that the chief executive is standing by his proposal, and assumes it will be enacted before Congress adjourns.

Before a House committee conducting hearings on the legislation, a spokesman for the Ohio Chamber of Commerce called the program "one of the six major menaces that hang over the country like a black cloud."

Earlier the Chamber of Commerce of the United States had broadcast a statement attacking the proposed tax as confiscatory, destructive and a "perversion" of the Federal taxing powers.

Some Democratic leaders in Congress expressed fear that this campaign might cause a flood of telegrams to members protesting the plan. But they denied rumors that

2nd Footless Negro Tells About Camps

Corroborates Testimony of Shropshire Against Five Former Camp Guards

Charlotte, July 12.—(AP)—Footless and diminutive Robert Barnes, with his barred stumps on an untended bucket, took the witness stand here today to lay before a superior court jury his claims of mistreatment by five former prison officials.

He corroborated to a large degree the testimony yesterday of his Negro companion in the solitary cell, Woodrow Shropshire, also footless, because of what the State contends was mistreatment by the prison camp officials in placing the two short-term Negroes in unheated cells where, it is contended, their feet froze, requiring amputation.

The defense has countered with the charge that the prisoners brought on the gangrenous condition by wrapping strips of cloth around their legs and cutting off circulation.

Heavy Industry Revival Real Road To Find Jobs

Only Real Cure for Unemployment, Babson Says, Declaring Most of Unemployed Would Be Cared for by 1936 If Government Would Remove Scarecrows

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