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GUFFEY COAL BILL SIGNED BY ROOSEVELT

FIXES LITTLE NRA FOR COAL INDUSTRY IN UNITED STATES

Will Afford Further Test For Government's Power To Regulate Nation's Business

SIGNATURE PLACED ON LIQUOR MEASURE

Sets Up New Board To Control That Industry; President Is Wading Slowly Through Stack of Bills In Hope of Finishing and Leaving by Saturday Night

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Material for a new test for the government's power to regulate industry was placed on the statute books today when President Roosevelt signed the Guffey bill setting up a "little NRA" for the soft coal industry.

The law is designed to allow soft coal producers to fix prices under Federal supervision. Proponents contend this will assure the industry sufficient income to pay higher wages.

President Roosevelt today signed the bill establishing a new alcohol control agency to replace the one crippled by the Supreme Court's NRA decision.

President Roosevelt concentrated today on a stack of bills he must sign or veto to clear his desk.

He chose to sign the Guffey bituminous coal stabilization bill first and then to act on other measures he has been studying since Congress adjourned. He also planned last-minute conferences with his aides on domestic and foreign problems. Mr. Roosevelt hopes to leave Saturday night for his home in Hyde Park, N. Y.

Among other measures still before him is the liquor control bill, setting up a new commission to supervise the liquor agency.

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Politics continued to be a lively subject.

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Knox-Borah Battle Now Seems Sure

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Seeking to discern the dim and uncertain outlines of 1936, some Republican leaders figured today that there might be a memorable contest between Colonel Frank Knox, Chicago publisher, and Senator Borah, of Idaho, for the party's presidential nomination.

They agreed that it is too soon to make a definite prediction; that much can happen to change the picture again and again before decisive events occur.

Nevertheless, while leaders are (Continued on Page Five.)

200,000 Are Taken From Relief Rolls

WPA Program Is Speeding Up and 3,500,000 Expected at Work by November

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Government statistics showed today that there are now 200,000 fewer people at work on relief jobs than there were six months ago.

High relief authorities, while declaring that this figure was correct, added that the new works-relief program is speeding up, and that Harry L. Hopkins will attain his goal—which is to have 3,500,000 persons at work in November.

They said Hopkins had been wading out many work projects conducted under the old relief set-up aiming to substitute "more desirable" work made possible by larger summing for materials and more careful planning. During the transition period the number of jobs has decreased.

Death Claims First Victim As Long Air Race Is Begun

CECIL ALLEN DIES WHEN PLANE FALLS AFTER TAKING OFF

Eight Other Fliers Soar Away from Burbank, Cal., for Cleveland Ignorant of Crash

EARHART AND TURNER ENTERED IN FLIGHT

Woman Aviatix Says, However, She Is Not Competing for \$12,500 Bendix Trophy; Some Planes May Continue On to New York and Set Continent Record

(By The Associated Press) Seven racing fliers were in the air in the annual Bendix trophy race from Burbank to Cleveland today; one had been killed and another forced down.

Cecil Allen was killed a mile from Burbank airport, when his tricky ship failed to gain altitude and struck a power line.

Amelia Earhart, Colonel Roscoe Turner and Earl Ortman were reported past Albuquerque, and Royal Leonard has been sighted over Winslow, Arizona.

The other entrants, Russell Thaw and Roy O. Hunt, were unreported.

BENNIE HOWARD WINS BY MAKING CLEVELAND FIRST

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 30 (AP)—Bennie Howard, competing in the Bendix trophy race, landed at the municipal airport here at 1:40 p. m., eastern standard time today. He was the first of the contestants to reach Cleveland. Howard said he would not go on to New York in an effort to

REAL WAR GAME IS PLAYED BY ITALY

Actual Artillery Shells Used In Barrage Thrown Over Heads of Soldiers in Maneuvers in North So As To Accustom Them To Sound of the Shells

With the Italian Army, Bolzano, Italy, Aug. 29.—(AP)—Make-believe was abandoned in the war maneuvers on the Austrian frontier today as the Italian artillery and machine guns poured shells and bullets over the heads of thousands of advancing infantry.

EXPECT RECAPTURE ESCAPED KILLERS

Net Is Spread in Hunt For Dwight Beard and Clarence Peterson

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

Raleigh, Aug. 30.—Capture of the two killers who escaped from the Central Prison here Tuesday is expected any day by Chairman Capus M. Waynick of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, although so far no definite trace of them has been obtained, he said today. Complete descriptions of the two convicts, Dwight Beard and Clarence Peterson, have already been sent to every police department in the country, as well as their fingerprints, over the private wires of the U. S. Department of Justice and all of the "G-Men" of the U. S. Bureau of Investigation, as well as all police departments, are now actually searching for them, Waynick said.

"The only chance these two escaped (Continued on Page Two.)

WEATHER

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy tonight, Saturday fair; not much change in temperature.

Sea Drama



Passengers on New York-bound *Rea* were treated to unscheduled thrill when liner rescued five members of crew of disabled yacht, *La Dahama*, of Philadelphia, far at sea. Note distress flag still flying from stricken craft. (Central Press)

NEW STATE POLICE TAKE THEIR OATHS

Start Tomorrow for Assignments in Various Parts of the State

PAGEANT AT RALEIGH

With Shining New Uniforms, Motorcycles and Autos, Group Rides to State Capitol as Training School Ends

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

Raleigh, Aug. 30.—The final review and parade of the enlarged State Highway Patrol was held here this afternoon as the training school was dissolved at the State Fair grounds. Tomorrow morning the 120 patrolmen and officers will be on their way to their new assignments and ready to start work Sunday morning.

Following the final review at the patrol training school grounds, the entire patrol, consisting of 80 men on motor cycles and 40 patrolmen driving the new highway patrol roadsters, formed in line with Captain Charles D. Farmer at the head and proceeded from the fair grounds into Raleigh and to the State Capitol, where the oath of office was administered to the 66 new patrolmen in the hall of the House of Representatives.

HEAVY OFFERINGS ON TOBACCO MARTS

Raleigh, Aug. 30.—(AP)—The last day of the sales week found heavier offerings today on the tobacco markets of the New Bright Belt.

Rains yesterday and the day before kept receipts at a minimum, but prices remained firm with some markets reporting better prices for interior grades.

Ten Business Indicators Point Unmistakably Upward; Inevitable American Boom Is On, With "Go" Signal Blazing; "Get Ready for Prosperity!"

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Babson Park, Mass., Aug. 30.—Labor Day is the real New Year for business. Vacations are finished, schools reopen, fall shopping gets underway, sales drives are launched, crops move to market, and this year new automobile models are being introduced. People will now again get down to the everyday business of making a living after the summer letdown. In most lines an active fall season means the difference between red or black ink for the entire year. This is probably the reason why so many

have asked me to give a special summary of general business at this time. Ten Indicators Point Upward.

First, get the background straight as to what business has been doing so far this year. Last February the Babsonchart stood at 84. That was the high point for 1935. (Peak to date for the recovery was July, 1933, at 90.) From February until July activity gradually declined to 80. Just when business should have been in the worst slump of the year, it suddenly turned about in the late July and started moving vigorously upward. (Continued on Page Five.)

BELGIANS SEE BODY OF THE DEAD QUEEN WHO DIED IN CRASH

Long Lines of People Pass Bier of Astrid in Chapel of the Palace at Brussels

FUNERAL SET FOR TUESDAY MORNING

It Was Just 18 Months Ago That Belgians Filed Past Bier of King Albert, Also Killed Accidentally; Weeping Crowds Line Streets as Body Arrives

Brussels, Belgium, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Long lines of Belgians entered the royal palace in sorrow again today, paying their last homage to Queen Astrid, who was killed yesterday in an automobile accident in Switzerland.

It was 18 months ago that these same folk came to view the mortal remains of King Albert, who also died by accident.

Funeral services are to be held next Tuesday, probably at 11 a. m.

The dead Queen Astrid came back to the capital to the muffled roll of drums and the sound of bugles playing "Aux Champs"—the call usually sounded at funerals.

Banked with white flowers and lighted by six large candles, the simple coffin was placed in the palace chapel.

The special train that bore the body from Switzerland, as it drew into the station at 8:40 a. m., found a city in deep mourning.

Sorrowing crowds wept openly in the streets, and behind them doors were draped with black crepe, and shop windows were shuttered.

A deathlike hush fell over the crowd outside the station as the queen's body was lifted from the coach in which it made the overnight journey from Lucerne.

Sobs from the bareheaded crowd broke the deep silence as attendants placed the casket in the motor hearse outside the draped station and stepped back to await the start of the drive to the palace.

Council Is Undecided On Building

Raleigh, Aug. 30.—(AP)—The Council of State, after a three-hour session this morning, had not completed its study of applications presented by heads of charitable institutions with a view of ascertaining the necessity for proposed construction with State and Federal funds, and will resume study of the projects at 3:30 o'clock.

Governor Ehringhaus announced after the meeting, which was executive, that no decision had been reached.

Pensions For Aged Blocked By Congress

Aid Halted In Many States by Failure of Appropriation At Last Session

(By The Associated Press) Brand new old age pension plans were snarled in many states by Congress' failure to appropriate money to make the social security act effective.

An Associated Press survey brought responses from 31 states and the District of Columbia.

Typical replies: "We cannot start without Federal aid." "We are ready to proceed, but need Federal cooperation." "We can go ahead only on a cur-

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Woman General



As organizer of Ethiopia's woman warrior movement, Voyager Abebech (above) is prepared to lead wives and mothers to defense of country. Ethiopian women have fought against invaders in past. (Central Press)

POLITICIANS FEAR NEW DEAL ISSUE

They Think Roosevelt More Interested in Himself Than in Them

HARD ROAD IS AHEAD

President Working Up Another "Must" List of Legislation To Dump on Congress' Door-step Early in January

By CHARLES P. STEWART Washington, Aug. 30.—Many Democratic congressmen go home this year very much out of sorts with President Roosevelt. Few of them dare to admit it aloud, but there is a deal of muttering.

What they suspect is that the White House does not intend to permit the short, quiet congressional session next winter that they have been hoping for.

Rumors have been current for some time that the executive mansion will have another program of "must" legislation to submit to the lawmakers when they reconvene in January. Recent presidential letters to Chairman Harrison and Doughton, respectively of the Senate finance and representatives' ways and means committees, asking for the drafting of measures

Babson Says Now's Time To Plan To Make Money

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