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WOMAN KILLED IN TEXTILE STRIKE BATTLE

SELASSIE POLITELY ADVISES POWERS HE WILL SUIT HIMSELF

Tells British, French, Italian Ministers He Will Do As He Pleases On Concessions

ITALY'S CABINET TO AGREE UPON POLICY

Report from Correspondent of London Paper In Ethiopia Hears Rumors Italian Troops Have Already Crossed Frontier and Villagers Are Fleeing

(By the Associated Press.)
The British, French and Italian ministers to Ethiopia were told by Emperor Haile Selassie that he would do as he pleased in granting concessions.

All three of the diplomats made representations to the "king of kings" concerning the oil concessions granted to a United States corporation.

The same concessions and other repercussions. The Italian cabinet was expected to meet to formulate a national policy on the matter.

Anthony Eden, British minister for League of Nations affairs, went to Addis Ababa to confer with Premier Laval. Both will continue on to Geneva for the League Council session, which opens Wednesday.

The Reuter's correspondent at Dire-dawa, Ethiopia, said in a dispatch to London he had heard an unconfirmed report that an advance guard of 1,000 Italian troops, with 1,500 native troops had crossed the Ethiopian frontier west of Assab. The report was that the Italian force had entered the Damakil country and that the natives are abandoning their villages. A squadron of British cruisers and destroyers arrived at Haifa, Palestine from Malta, increasing the concentration of British fighting ships near the entrance to the Suez Canal.

BOB REYNOLDS OFF ON NATIONAL TOUR

Washington, Sept. 2.—(AP)—With a boyish gleam in his eyes, and a large map spread before him, Senator Robert R. Reynolds of North Carolina, pulled away from the Capitol steps today in his "land yacht." He hoped to make a nationwide tour of the United States in 30 days and on \$100.

REAL LABOR DAY AS TEXTILERS GO BACK

Gainesville, Ga., Sept. 2.—(AP)—Today was a real labor day for 750 employees of Chicope Manufacturing Corporation, a textile mill here. The employees, who left their jobs in the Mill August 8 on a strike, returned to work today.

Knox Talks Of Victory For G. O. P.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—(AP)—Colonel Frank Knox said today "higher living costs" and "higher taxes" would aid a Republican victory in 1936, because they were "uniformly fatal for the party which has to defend them."

Knox, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, and frequently mentioned as a possible Republican candidate, told a Republican rally at Riverside Park. "It costs \$1.80 today to buy the same necessities you could have purchased three years ago at your corner grocery for \$1." "This is the kind of economic facts which every one can understand. Its influence upon the voter is such that any one can understand."

New Housing Chief



Stewart MacDonald

Succeeding James A. Moffett who retired, Stewart MacDonald, new federal housing administrator, is pictured leaving the White House after conferring with President Roosevelt.

M'DONALD, LUMPKIN GREETED BY LABOR

Not Making Such a Big Hit Elsewhere, However, Reports Indicate

FIGHTING SALES TAX

And That Appeals to Labor Group, Disgruntled Anti-Sales Taxers, Unemployed and This "Again Everything"

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL.
Raleigh, Sept. 2.—Candidates Ralph W. McDonald, of Winston-Salem, and Willie Lee Lumpkin, of Louisburg, who are seeking the Democratic nomination for governor and Lieutenant

2,867 Officers Hold 3,755 Jobs In Cities And Towns

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Raleigh, Sept. 2.—How many city and town officials are there in North Carolina and how many offices do they hold? No one knows for sure, but in 304 cities and towns from which information has been obtained, there are 2,867 officers holding 3,755 offices, according to a survey just made by the North Carolina League of Municipal-

Cotton Pickers In South May Strike

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 2.—(AP)—A strike of laborers in some of the South's cotton fields appeared likely today as officials of the Southern Tenant Farmers Union disclosed that organization has decided to ask cotton picking wages of \$1 per 100 pounds of cotton picked. H. L. Mitchell, executive secretary, said the executive council of the union had decided upon an organized strike as a means of fighting for the wage demand. Local strike committees, said Mitchell, would determine dates on which strikes in their areas would begin.

THREE PERISH AS PLANE CRASHES AT LOS ANGELES PORT

Engine Trouble Develops After Take-Off and Ship Hits High Tension Wire and Burns

BOTH PILOTS AND STEWARDESS BURN

Charred Bodies Recovered by Firemen After 20-Minute Battle With Heat; 17 Sacks of Mail Aboard at Time; Pilot Tried to Make Landing Field Again

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 2 (AP)—Three persons were killed last night in the fiery crash of a Western Air Express plane a few minutes after taking off from Union Air Terminal for Salt Lake City.

The dead: George C. Sherwood, 39, pilot, Los Angeles. Fred Burlew, co-pilot, Spindale, Cal. Miss Bonnie Naylor, 22, stewardess, Burbank, Cal.

The big Boeing transport was circling toward the field with its engines apparently missing fire when it struck a high tension wire line and crashed in flames against a ranch barn. Firemen battled the heat for 20 minutes before they could recover the charred bodies.

Seventeen sacks of United States Mail were carried in the plane. A

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Ickes In Chicago For Wife's Rites; Perished in Crash

Chicago, Sept. 2 (AP)—Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes arrived in Chicago today to attend funeral services for his wife. Mrs. Ann Wilmarth Ickes, killed Saturday in an automobile accident near Velard, New Mexico.

The rites will be conducted at 3 p. m. tomorrow at the Ickes home at Winnetka, a suburb on Lake Michigan, north of Chicago. Besides Mrs. Anna Eleanor Roosevelt, wife of the President, Harry L. Hopkins, Federal relief administrator, will attend. Services at Graceland cemetery later will be private for only relatives and close family friends, it was said.

ities. A roster and directory of these city and town officials, arranged alphabetically by towns, has just been completed and printed by the league and is being mailed out today to league members, according to Patrick Healy, its executive secretary.

While rosters and directories of State and county officials have been issued for a number of years by various agencies, this is the first time

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Labor Hails Important New Laws This Year



Labor Day, 1935, finds several new labor measures on the federal statute books. And labor honors these men, among others: Senator Joseph F. Guffey, of Pennsylvania, for the Guffey-Snyder control bill for bituminous mines; Representative Robert Cresser, of Ohio, for the rail pensions' act; Senator Robert F. Wagner, of New York, for the

Wagner labor relations bill, creating a labor board with power, and Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins, who has been a consistent advocate of a social security measure. And, of course, chief respect is paid to President Roosevelt and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

PARKWAY WORK ON THREE SEGMENTS

Ickes Promises Ehringhaus Smoky Mountain Job Will Be Rushed

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL.
Raleigh, Sept. 2.—Work on the park to park skyway from the Virginia line to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, will be started simultaneously on three different segments, in order to speed the construction of the highway, it was announced here today by Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus. Several weeks ago Governor Ehringhaus wrote to Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes and suggested that in order to speed up the final

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LARGE BREAKS FOR EASTERN MARKETS

Wilson Reports Probable \$22 Average for Day As Prices Strengthen

Raleigh, Sept. 2.—(AP)—The second week of sales began on the New Bright Belt today and reports from the various tobacco centers reported large breaks.

Rainy weather kept down sales on a number of markets the latter part of the last week, but larger offerings were expected today and tomorrow. At the close of the week prices were averaging close to \$20 per 100 pounds. Upwards of 1,500,000 pounds were

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WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Cloudy, probably showers in west portion tonight and Tuesday and in east portion Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

Campbell Travels 238 Miles an Hour

Booneville Salt Flat, Utah, Sept. 2.—(AP)—Sir Malcolm Campbell, holder of the world's land automobile speed record, reached a speed of 238 miles an hour in his first test over the salt beds here today. The run on a 13-mile straightway of pure salt was not timed officially by the American Automobile Association. Sir Malcolm's speedometer told him he was traveling at 238 miles an hour, however.

CITIES PLEASED AT UPKEEP ALLOTMENT

Only Six Register Complaint About Funds for Highway Streets

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL.
Raleigh, Sept. 2.—Only six cities and towns out of more than 300 in the State to which the State Highway and Public Works Commission has already made tentative allotment of funds for street maintenance from the \$300,000 set aside for this purpose by the 1935 General Assembly, are still dissatisfied and protesting the allotments, Chairman Capus M. Waynick, of the commission, said today. And most of these six cities and towns have raised some valid points in connection with their protests so that there is a possibility that some alterations may be made. Waynick indicated.

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"SCHOOL BOY" ROWE SHOWS HIS WARES

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 2 (AP)—Schoolboy Rowe allowed Chicago only five hits as the Detroit Tigers won the morning game of the Labor Day doubleheader 6 to 1. The Tiger pitcher hit a homer in the fourth, with a mate on the bases.

NEUTRALITY ACT IS NOT SATISFACTORY

Roosevelt Wanted It But Wanted To Use Authority As He Wished

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Washington, Sept. 2.—America's stop-gap neutrality law, effective only until March 1, 1936, perhaps is better than nothing. But, in the opinion of Senator Gerald P. Nye, who is taking a leading part in the campaign to keep Uncle Sam out of the next overseas conflict, it leaves a great deal to be desired. However, it was rushed through Congress in such a hurry, just before adjournment, that the legislators hadn't time to draft it very carefully. What they were afraid of was that a war will start almost any day. Consequently they did not dare to post-pone neutrality action until January, when they will reassess. Then it is planned to get another law passed as a permanency. MANDATORY—OR NOT? There will be a big row about it, too. Senator Nye and his followers want Congress to tell the President what he must do to insure Yankee neutrality in future wars between other countries. President Roosevelt wants Congress to tell him what he may do. He has no objection to being vested with plenty of authority, but he prefers freedom to exercise it at his own discretion. The present temporary law does tell him what he must do, but he and his supporters will try to have the new one drafted more to his liking. WHY U. S. IS "SAFE" It generally is agreed that it would be easy for the United States to stay out of war exclusively between Italy and Ethiopia. The only way in which America

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YOUTH DIES FROM HIT-RUN INJURIES

Tarboro, Sept. 2 (AP)—Woodrow Peden, 21, of Falkland, died early today in a Greenville hospital after being struck by a hit and run automobile.

STRIKERS FIRE ON WORKERS TRYING TO ENTER S. C. PLANTS

500 Pistol and Rifle Bullets Estimated to Have Been Fired in Brief Struggle

SECOND DEATHS MAY FOLLOW INJURIES

Man Taking His Son to Work May Die of Wounds Received in Second Outbreak; Union Pickets Throw Rocks at Approaching Car Near Main Plant.

Pelzer, S. C., Sept. 2.—(AP)—A woman was killed and at least 15 other persons wounded in a short-lived but terrific gun battle at the strike-torn Pelzer Manufacturing Company mills here early today as workers attempted to break picket lines.

Two companies of National Guard troops called out by Governor Olin Johnston left for the scene immediately from Greenville and Greenwood under command of Major Frank H. Barnwell, of Florence.

Mrs. Bertha Kelly, 21, mother of two children, was the one slain. She was killed during the fighting at the company's main plant, situated here on a slight hill.

J. P. McDougal, a watch-maker taking his son to work, was perhaps fatally wounded in a second gun battle at the No. 4 plant, a mile from the principal plant. Witnesses said approximately 500 pistol and rifle bullets screamed through the air dur-

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Labor Has Labor Day Check-Ups

Washington, Sept. 2.—(AP)—Organized labor stopped work today to count its gains and discuss its problems.

At Labor Day rallies throughout the country union working men heard their leaders applaud enactment of the Wagner labor disputes law, the Guffey bituminous coal stabilization act, railroad pension measures and the social security program.

President Roosevelt and Congress were praised by some speakers. The President himself is spending

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Florida And Cuba Might Miss Storm

Tropical Hurricane May Pass Between Cuba and Key West With High Winds

Havana, Cuba, Sept. 2.—(AP)—Reports by the Cuba Telephone Company indicated today that a tropical storm was moving north northwest "with more damage to Key West than Havana."

A Pan-American Airways flying boat arrived from Miami at 10:30 a. m., and returned at 11 a. m., with 25 passengers. Under regular schedule it would have taken off at 3 p. m. On his arrival, the pilot said he had seen heavy dark clouds, but

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