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## KEY CITY OF MAKALE IS TAKEN BY ITALIANS

### 17 Eastern States Shaken by Heavy Earthquake

#### MONTANA CAPITAL FEELS NEW QUAKE IN ZERO WEATHER

Damage in Series of Recent Shocks Estimated at \$3,500,000 in City of Helena

#### ALBANY TO BUFFALO TERRITORY SHAKEN

But Eastern Trembler Reaches from Three Provinces of Canada Down to Washington and from Bay of Fundy to Lake Michigan to the West

New York, Nov. 1 (AP)—The East's most serious earthquake in decades raked across 17 states and three Canadian provinces early today, but the damage was trifling.

Thousands of persons fled from their homes, many of them in night clothes, as they feared a tremor such as wrought havoc at Helena, Montana.

The quake apparently centered in Canada a short distance north of Lake Ontario. It caused the most excitement in populous up-State New York where from Albany to Buffalo 20 buildings were swayed.

Smoking mirrors and clattering dishes were reported from the Bay of Fundy to Lake Michigan, from Canada's capital to the District of Columbia.

#### QUAKE STRIKES MONTANA CAPITAL IN ZERO WEATHER

Helena, Mont., Nov. 1 (AP)—Mont. (Continued on Page Two.)

#### DEPUTIES KILL TWO NEGROES IN CELLS

Held in New Orleans Jail For Assault; One Fired Upon Sheriff

New Orleans, La., Nov. 1 (AP)—Henry "Buddy" Freeman, 34, and Dave Hart, 22, Negroes, held on charges of attack on a white girl, were shot and killed here today in a prison cell by sheriff's deputies after the pair had slightly wounded Sheriff Frank Clancy with a smuggled revolver.

Deputies of Jefferson parish, who poured a fusillade of shots into the cell and riddled them to pieces, said they believed the pistol which one of the Negroes fired was smuggled in to them by the wife of one of the prisoners.

Sheriff Clancy was only slightly hurt, his deputies said. He could not be located immediately.

The two Negroes, Jefferson parish officers said, had been identified by the motorists as the pair who held them up on Lake Shaw highway, robbed them and attacked them when they were alone.

#### Trio Youths Take \$1,000 Apex Bank

Daring Daylight Hold-Up Staged by Men Between Ages of 20-25 Years

Apex, Nov. 1 (AP)—Three youthful men held up two bank employees and two customers at the Apex branch of the Durham Loan and Trust Company here this afternoon and escaped with total \$1,000.

The three young men, described to Apex police as being about 20 (Continued on Page Two.)

#### MILITIA GUARDS SOUTH CAROLINA STATE OFFICES



Militia on guard at state building office following the ousting of 15 state highway department commissioners of Gov. Olin D. Johnston at Columbia, S. C., national guard sentries patrol the portals of the state office building as pictured above. Gov. Johnson used the militia in ousting highway commissioners who opposed him.

### Premier of China Shot By Enemy of Japan, Who Is Slain by Bodyguards

Raleigh, Nov. 1 (AP)—Applicants for drivers' licenses in North Carolina under the 1935 law were charged \$1 each today as the period during which permits could be secured free of charge expired yesterday.

G. C. Scott, director of accounts of the revenue department, said strict enforcement of the license law will begin around November 15, as less than 200,000 permits have been issued to some 800,000 applicants.

#### WPA's Goal 34,000 Men May Be Had

With Speedy Approvals of Projects, Coan Expects to Reach Objective

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

Raleigh, Nov. 1—With additional projects being approved almost daily by Comptroller General McCarl in Washington, State WPA Administrator George W. Coan Jr., is now confident that the full quota of 34,000 former relief clients can be at work on WPA projects in the State by November 18, or at least by the end of November, he indicated today.

During the past three days, projects which will provide work for more than 8,000 workers have already been approved, with the result that at least 10,000 former relief clients should actually be employed on WPA projects by the end of this week. The number should amount to at least 15,000 by the first of next week and to 20,000 by Armistice Day, it was indicated.

Since the state WPA has received an actual cash allotment of only about \$6,000,000, all present projects are be-

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#### Drivers' License Fee Now Charged

Premier, Hit by Three Bullets, Is Hurried Away to Hospital Seriously Wounded

HIS CHIEF AIDE IS ALSO NEAR DEATH

Would-Be Assassin Was Reporter for Chinese News Agency and Used Camera as Shield for Pistol; Tokyo Hints at Serious Consequences

Nanking, China, Nov. 1 (AP)—An assassin's bullet today wounded Premier Wang Ching-wei, generally regarded as a pro-Japanese leader, and three other officials of the Chinese Nationalist government, gathered to consider Japan's advance in North China.

The assassin, believed by authorities to be a Chinese identified with the Cantonese faction, which long has been critical of the premier's attitude, was killed either by his own hand or by others as bodyguards returned the fire.

Ching-wei, 50, was struck by at least three bullets and was removed to the Central hospital in a critical condition.

His principal aide, Chun-Min, vice (Continued on Page Five.)

#### ROAD GUARDS AGAIN BLOCK PROCESSORS

South Carolina's New Highway Force Has Not Yet Been Enjoined

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 1 (AP)—deputy sheriff was turned away from Governor Olin Johnston's office and troops hastily shut State Highway Department doors to prevent service of a legal order halting the governor's militia-made road board into the Supreme Court.

Joe Calus, of Spartanburg, executive manager of road affairs since the governor's coup Monday, flatly declared that he did not consider himself served with the order, and gave (Continued on Page Two.)

#### Back From Europe



Former Mayor James J. Walker of New York was given a rousing welcome in the metropolis Thursday when he returned home after a self-imposed exile in Europe for the last three years.

#### ROOSEVELT'S SNUB OF SMITH IS SEEN

Praise of Byrnes at Charleston Looks on As Coolness to Smith

HE IS RATED AS FOE

Many Other So-Called Anti-New Deal Senators Up for Re-Election Next Year in Portions of Country

Washington, Nov. 1—President Franklin D. Roosevelt will attend and participate in the annual Armistice Day ceremonies of the American Legion at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington. The President will deliver an important (Continued on Page Four.)

#### OUR WEATHER MAN

FOR NORTH CAROLINA Cloudy, occasional rain Saturday, and in east and central portions to night; colder in west portion Saturday afternoon and night.

### Liquor Law Is Upheld

Raleigh, Nov. 1—In a decision handed down late this afternoon, the North Carolina Supreme Court upheld the constitutionality of the liquor law enacted by the 1935 General Assembly. The court heard oral arguments on the issue in September. Seventeen counties voted for county-owned liquor stores as the result of the 1935 act.

### SUPREME COURT IS TO RULE TODAY ON MAJOR LITIGATION

Decision on Liquor Laws Expected To Be Handed Down Late in the Afternoon

EXPECT RULING ON REYNOLDS ESTATE

Compromise Distribution of \$30,000,000 Tobacco Fortune Involved in Case Believed Near Solution; To Swear in Judge Devin Tomorrow Morning

Raleigh, Nov. 1 (AP)—It was indicated this afternoon the Supreme Court might hand down opinions late today.

Edward Murray, clerk, said the members of the court had not announced a decision as to when the opinions, due to have come down Wednesday, would be given out, but he said it was "likely" they would be released by night.

The court did not hand down the opinions when due on account of the death of Associate Justice W. J. Brogden.

It was thought in well-informed court circles that decisions on the case involving a compromise distribution of the \$30,000,000 estate of the late Smith Reynolds, as well as those involving the constitutionality of North Carolina's 1935 liquor laws, would be among the opinions next given out, whether it is today or next week.

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the court will sit for the induction of Judge William A. Devin, of Oxford, who was appointed an (Continued on Page Seven.)

### Italy Talks Peace At Geneva as Bans Are Drawn Nearer

To Supreme Court



JUDGE W. A. DEVIN

### MID-WEST TO RULE G. O. P. CONVENTION

And Next Year's Gathering Will in All Likelihood Be in Chicago

IT IS HOME OF KNOX

But Landon of Kansas Is Looming as Nominee; New Labor Line-Up Will Oust William Green As Leader

New York. The mid-west will rule the Republican national convention, Chicago seems to be destined to get the convention. Choice will be made in December.

In Chicago, three men will be strong—Knox of Illinois (although some look upon him as a New Englander), Landon of Kansas and Vandenberg of Michigan.

They probably will combine first (Continued on Page Seven.)

### Durham Man Likely For Devin Post

Raleigh, Nov. 1 (AP)—Governor Ehringhaus today worked on the selection of a Superior Court judge to succeed Judge William A. Devin, of Oxford, as resident jurist of the tenth judicial district due to the elevation (Continued on Page Seven.)

Not Hunting It But Not Refusing To Negotiate, Mussolini's Spokesman Says

### ITALIAN HOSTILITY TO BRITAIN GROWS

Menacing Situation in Rome Necessitates Heavier Guard At British Embassy There; Hoare, Laval and Aloisi May Decide on the Future of Europe

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, Nov. 1 (AP)—An unofficial announcement said today the Italians captured Makale, their next major objective on the northern front, at dawn.

ITALY GOES TO GENEVA IN SEARCH OF PLAN FOR PEACE (By The Associated Press)

Italy went to Geneva today talking peace.

"We are not hunting after peace," said a Mussolini spokesman at the League of Nations headquarters, "but we are not refusing to negotiate."

There had been earlier some talk that with the sabre of a sanctions hanging over his head, Premier Mussolini was even ready to consider withdrawing from such border conquests as his armies have made in Ethiopia, but this was not borne out in the unofficial statement of his spokesman at Geneva, who said:

"Any peace terms to acceptable to us must recognize, first, our security needs, and second, our expansionist requirements. That means the actual territory so desperately needed for the expansion of our people."

The League of Nations Assembly met in committee to fix the date for the application of the economic sanctions, which it already has voted to bring down upon Italy. There were (Continued on Page Two.)

### Telephone Company Offering Data Of Technical Nature

Raleigh, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company today continued presentation of technical evidence by L. H. Hill, its depreciation engineer, in trial of its suit in Wake Superior Court contesting an order reducing its telephone rates in North Carolina.

Hill explained the manner in which the company's accounts are segregated for operating expenses and non-operating costs.

The engineer also attempted to show that operating expenses of the company have kept at practically the same level during the past five years while subscribers dropped considerably due to the depression.

### Cotton Drop Blamed On The Brokers

Sudden Decline of \$9 Per Bale Last March Figures in Memphis Inquiry

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 1 (AP)—Charges that private cotton brokers were responsible for a break in the market last March were in the record today of Senator McKellar's investigation of the financial and business structure of cotton co-operatives.

N. C. Williamson, president of the American Cotton Co-operative Association, declared as a witness that "something is wrong with the cotton (Continued on Page Two.)

### Says Social Credit Plan Is Only Patent Medicine

Babson Says Scheme, Based on Something-for-Nothing Idea, Cannot Possibly Work; Calls It Backwash of Depression and Nothing to Worry Over

By ROGER W. BABSON Copyright 1935 by Publishers Financial Bureau, Inc. Babson Park, Mass., Nov. 1—I am the last person in the world to stand in the path of any economic program which would bring increased happiness and a higher standard of living. All my life I have been interested in aiding my fellow citizens to attain security in their old age through building up a nest-egg during their active years. Hence, a long time before today's tag-word, Social Credit, was ever dreamed of, I pledged my adjustment to the principles of (Continued on Page Two.)

social security. Social Credit, however, whether the brand recently projected in Alberta, Canada, was literally nothing to do with social security.

Both the highbrow formulas of the Social Credit groups and the roar of the Townsend crowds come from the same source—Hunger for security. This is a worthy desire, but these people will discover sooner or later that social security is Social Credit, how any perpetual motion plan. The un-

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