

Italians Pressing Occupation Along Britain's Borders

Meantime, Italian Planes Fly Over Addis Ababa But Drop No Bombs on Capital

SELASSIE LEADING TROOPS TO BATTLE

Ethiopian Emperor Has 300,000 Men for Northern Front Campaign; Diplomatic Battle Rages Unrelentingly in European Peace Settlement Program

(By The Associated Press) Marshal Pietro Badoglio, Italian commander in East Africa, telegraphed from the northern front today that his troops, operating in the western section of the northern front, are pushing down along the shores of Lake Tana, center of British interests in Ethiopia.

From Addis Ababa came word that once more the populace fled the city at the approach of Italian airplanes, but gain the Fascist planes failed to bomb the Ethiopian capital.

The Italian commander reported an engagement on the southern Ethiopian front, where a small body of Italian troops defeated a relatively large body of native defenders, saying the Ethiopian losses were "considerable."

Emperor Haile Selassie, meanwhile was reported from Addis Ababa to be leading an army of fresh warriors totalling 300,000 men to battle the Fascists in the north.

Diplomatic Battle Continues The battle between the belligerents continued on the diplomatic fronts, with both Italy and Ethiopia hurling fresh charges against each other of non-observation of the rules of war on the very eve of peace negotiations.

The Italian telegram to the League of Nations said they would observe the rules of war, but would retaliate against any infringement by the Ethiopians. Emperor Haile Selassie charged the Italians of using gas in their daily attacks upon the defenders.

CAPITAL MOURNING FOR JAMES M. BECK

Noted Constitutional Lawyer Dies of Heart Attack at Home in National Capital

Washington, April 13 (AP)—The sudden death of James M. Beck, former solicitor general and noted constitutional lawyer, brought expressions of regret in the capital today.

The 75-year-old veteran of many battles at the bar and in Congress, suffered a heart attack shortly after his Easter luncheon in his home here yesterday and died within a short time.

Although Beck had been vehement in his denunciation of New Deal policies, administration leaders paid tribute to him today. "His sudden death," said Solicitor General Stanley Reed, who, as Beck's opponent, argued some recent New Deal cases in the Supreme Court, "is a great loss to the nation."

6 Manchouk Leaders Are Being Held

Group Charged With Furnishing Soviet Border Patrols Information

Tokyo, April 13.—(AP)—Six high officials of the provincial government of the Manchoukuan government have been arrested, a Domei (Japanese) News Agency dispatch said today, charged with plotting subversive movements and furnishing military information to Soviet Russia.

The dispatch said Ling Sheng, governor of north Hsing province, and five other officials—all Mongols—were seized at Hallar and brought to the capital of Manchoukuo to face a court martial.

Evidence Obtained. Japanese militarists alleged that they had obtained evidence that Ling Sheng and his Mongol subordinates informed Soviet authorities and other Mongolians of Japanese-Manchoukuan troop movements. Such information concerning activities in the northern border region, the Japanese militarists charged, gave the Outer Mongolians a valuable advantage in the series of frontier clashes which have arisen in the last six months between Manchoukuo and Outer Mongolia.

Part of Hosiery Workers Go Back

Elizabeth City, April 13.—(AP)—Operatives in all departments of the older Elizabeth City plants of the Elizabeth City Hosiery Company were back at their jobs this morning with no sign of the trouble that prevented the mills from opening last Thursday. There was no picketing, and no officers were on the scene. Operatives of the Avalon full-fashioned plant, however, remained on strike.

MCDONALD PLEDGES HE WILL KEEP TAX OFF REAL ESTATE

In Speech at Greenville He Also Demands Extra Session of State Legislature

FLAYS SALES TAX IN ADDRESS THERE

Clyde Hoey, Speaking At Winton, Promises Greater Cooperation of State With Federal Government For Betterment of Agriculture In State

Greenville, N. C., April 13.—(AP)—Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, seeking the Democratic nomination for governor, told a Pitt county audience today he had always opposed every effort to place a tax on land in North Carolina, and if elected would "under no circumstances or conditions permit any part of the tax burden to be placed back on land."

McDonald flayed the sales tax. Turning to the tobacco situation, he urged an immediate session of the legislature to consider compact legislation.

The "utter collapse of the tobacco market this fall unless something is done" was prophesied by McDonald, who said such a collapse would seriously impair general business of the State.

HOEY PROMISES TO PRESS AGRICULTURE BETTERMENT

Winton, April 13.—(AP)—Clyde R. Hoey, candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, pictured a closer cooperation between State and Federal agricultural forces as one of the major objectives of his proposed administration in a speech in the court house here early this afternoon.

"It shall be my constant purpose to strive to improve the farming industry," Hoey said, "in cooperation with the Roosevelt administration in Washington, the best friend the farmer ever had. This can be had."

Hagood Is Given Old Army Post

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—Major General Johnson Hagood was ordered restored to active duty today in command of the sixth corps area at Chicago.

Hagood was removed from command of the eighth corps area after he had criticized WPA money as "stage money." The disciplined officer conferred twice with President Roosevelt.

At Chicago he will replace Major General Frank R. McCoy. The assignment is effective May 2.

The decision to restore Hagood to active duty was made personally by President Roosevelt after a second conference with Hagood at the White House Saturday afternoon.

In army quarters it was understood that Hagood, who is the third highest ranking general officer in the army, urged President Roosevelt to send him to the second corps area, which is considered the most desirable post in the United States.

But it was known that this was opposed both by high administration officials and by General Malin Craig, army chief of staff.

At Chicago Hagood will have command of the second army, embracing troops within both fifth and sixth corps areas.

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"SWALLOWED" BY SWEEPER, BOY ESCAPES UNHURT



The boy and the sweeper which "swallowed" him. Talk about a dirty trick! Imagine a street sweeper taking up a human cargo. And a small boy at that. Yes, Alfred Zuhl, 12-year-old St. Joseph, Mich., lad, was "swallowed" by the street sweeper he is pointing to. Alfred was uninjured except for a few scratches and a begrimed face. When extricated by city mechanics, Alfred said, "Gee, it was dark in there." The accident occurred when Alfred's bicycle skidded with him and fell in front of the machine at an intersection.

Roosevelt Baltimore Talk Tonight To Open Campaign

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—Plunging into the campaign war after his rest at sea, President Roosevelt made final preparations today for his speech at a Democratic rally in Baltimore tonight.

New Deal supporters looked to the chief executive to indicate further the line the administration will follow in the big drive toward the November election.

From this address, which will be made before the State Young Democratic clubs, after an old-time torchlight procession, the party leaders are expected to take their cues for the campaign struggle.

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ROOSEVELT DEMANDS TAX BILL THAT WILL GET MONEY NEEDED

Court Postpones Ruling Two Weeks

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—The Supreme Court deferred today for two weeks its decision on the constitutionality of the Guffey coal act.

While many in the government, Congress and labor circles waited for the high tribunals view of the legislation, the justices adjourned until April 27.

No decisions were handed down, but the court did announce whether it would review a number of cases appealed from lower courts.

Arthur Loach, a southwestern outlaw sentenced to death under the Lindbergh kidnap act, lost his claim that the law was unconstitutional.

Levies Sufficient To Get Funds Required Will be Insisted on by the President

MEASURE MAY FALL SHORT OF ITS GOAL

Committee Has Already Rejected President's Request for Processing Taxes in Bill May Not Get To House Floor for More Than Week Yet

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—Presidential insistence upon a tax bill providing sufficient revenue to meet Mr. Roosevelt's estimates of Federal money requirements was forecast today by Speaker Byrnes.

Just what form the presidential insistence might take the speaker did not say. Nor did he make any mention of what might be done in the House to bring the tax bill up to the total sought by Mr. Roosevelt—\$792,000,000 over each of the first three years and \$620,000,000 thereafter.

"I think the President is going to insist on having enough revenue," he said. "I don't know what the bill will fall short. I look on that with some doubt."

His remarks were in reply to questions at his press conference on the possibility that the bill being drafted by the ways and means committee might produce 345,000,000 less over the first three years than the administration wants. The committee had rejected the President's suggestion that process taxes be levied.

The speaker said he did not expect the bill to come before the House earlier than a week from Wednesday and that it should take no more than a week to pass. He predicted it would go through "precisely" as reported out by the ways and means committee.

RELIGIOUS RITES, FASHION PARADES FOR 1936 EASTER

Millions Participate in Traditional Ceremonies of Christendom's Festival

DISTURBANCES MARK EVENT IN PLACES

Riots in Ireland and War Bombings in Ethiopia Reported; Thousands Attend Sunrise Services Sunday, Including Some 40,000 At Winston-Salem

(By The Associated Press.) Impressive religious rites and resplendent fashion parades marked Christendom's observation of Easter.

Millions of the faithful participated in traditional ceremonies. But the peace of the holy festival was disrupted by riotous scenes in Dublin and the bombing of an Ethiopian settlement.

Priests and pilgrims of many faiths joined in a colorful procession to the holy sepulchre at Jerusalem. The Vatican observed its quietest Easter in many years. Thousands of Romans repaired to St. Peter's, but the state of Pope Pius' health prevented him from celebrating mass there. Sanctions kept tourists from Italy.

Roosevelts at Church. President and Mrs. Roosevelt went to St. Thomas' Episcopal church at Washington. Intermittent drizzles dampened New York's annual fashion parade along Fifth avenue, but bright sunshine favored promenaders along Chicago's Michigan boulevard.

A parade of the Irish Republican army in Dublin, in memory of those who died in the 1916 rebellion, precipitated clashes. Scores were injured. Italian planes bombed Warra Hailu in war-torn Ethiopia. Workshippers rushed from churches. Three were reported killed.

A section of the board walk at Asbury Park, N. J., collapsed under the weight of Easter strollers. Eight persons were injured. Sunrise services attracted thousands. An estimated 40,000 witnessed the Moravian rites at Winston-Salem, N. C.

WADE HOLDING OWN IN FIGHT FOR JOB

Believed To Have Decided Advantage Over Eure and Dunnagan

Daily Dispatch Bureau. In The Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, April 13.—Stacey W. Wade, present secretary of state, is now regarded as being definitely in the lead for the nomination to succeed himself in the June primary, according to reports from different sections of the State.

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Wade Not Alarmed. But these reports did not greatly alarm Wade, who kept on quietly working in his own behalf among his friends through the State. The result has been that a majority of the more experienced political observers are

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JAPAN'S TRADE TO U. S. GROWING FAST

And Increased Relations May Bring Better Understanding Also

By LESLIE EICHEL. With one country in least American trade has been growing without much ado. While, with other countries, trade has not been growing, even with much ado.

The one country is Japan. Will trade bring understanding? It often does.

WILL STANDARDS RISE? Labor and manufacturers do not look with joy upon a flood of Japanese goods made at "coolie" wages. But export of American products, at good prices, is welcomed.

Of course, Japan could not buy if it did not sell. Hope is expressed that American ideas on living standards will infiltrate Japan—thus rectifying the "coolie" condition.

JAPAN'S GROWTH The interesting comment below is gained from The Living Age, magazine of world opinion:

"The year 1935 saw Japan break (Continued on Page Two.)"

18 Thousand At Mansion Egg Rolling

Children and Their Parents Enjoy Easter Hospitality of White House

Washington, April 13.—(AP)—The White House staff at noon today had counted 17,817 children and parents at the egg rolling on the south lawn. As the band played, Mr. Roosevelt shook hands with hundreds of the youngsters and received a basket of yellow flowers from a Girl Scout.

Earlier comers crowding about the gates before they opened were mostly first times and tourists. Washingtonians have learned that those who arrive about noon stand the best chance of seeing the President come out upon the south portico and wave to the crowd.

First at the gates were two little girls, ready for their first egg rolling. Mrs. Roosevelt made an early visit to the crowd, walking swiftly among the children and making a brief speech of welcome.

She told the crowd the President would come out to see them about 2 p. m. He came at about that time.

Soil Plans Favored By Farm Folk

Daily Dispatch Bureau. In The Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, April 13.—Completing the third week of explaining the new farm conservation program at county seat meetings held in the various counties of North Carolina, the State College agricultural extension specialists and district agents who have had the meetings in charge report heavy attendance and much interest shown by farmers.

"It has not been uncommon to have from 300 to 4,000 and more farmers at each of our county meetings, and the farm agents who then take the message to community gatherings report continued interest there," said Dean I. O. Schaub, yesterday. "At one of the meetings which I attended last week, the men present kept busy for two hours after the explanatory talk answering questions relating to their particular problems. There seems to be no doubt that a big majority of our landowners will cooperate in the new soil building program and will obtain grants for performance."

What They Are Asking. Asked what was one of the most common questions, the dean said the farmers wanted to know first if they could sell all the cash crop produce

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EHRINGHAUS FLIES TO MICHIGAN CITY

Washington, April 13 (AP)—Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus of North Carolina left here by airplane early today for Grand Rapids, Mich., where he will speak tonight at a Young Democrats Jefferson birthday celebration. The governor arrived here by plane last night.

HOWARD THURSTON, MAGICIAN, PASSES

Miami Beach, Fla., April 13.—(AP)—Howard Thurston, the magician died at his oceanside apartment here today.

OUR WEATHER MAN

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, possibly light showers in the mountains and in southwest portion; cooler Tuesday and in north portion tonight.



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