

ITALIAN TROOPS ON THE THRESHOLDS OF ETHIOPIAN CAPITAL

One Unconfirmed Report Says Badoglio's Men Have Actually Entered Addis Ababa

CAPITAL IN PANIC AS NATIVES FLEE

Foreigners Take Refuge In Various Legations, With Americans Entering British Compound for Safety; Squadron of Airplanes Machine-Gun Airdrome

Addis Ababa, April 30.—(AP)—Emperor Haile Selassie returned to his capital at 4 p. m. today and two hours later entered into a consultation with Cornelius Van H. Engert, minister resident and consul-general of the United States. (4 p. m. in Addis Ababa is 8 a. m. eastern standard time.) Until his sudden return to the capital toward which Italian troops were pressing in a long military parade, the whereabouts of the emperor had been a mystery to the police. Ethiopia Not Defeated. After talking to Mr. Engert, Emperor Haile Selassie received The Associated Press correspondent, and declared: "Ethiopia is not defeated. It will carry on its fight to the last man." Order will be maintained in the capital by the mayor with 10,000 police men until the Italians arrive. When the emperor came back to his palace, the capital was thrown into a panic by the report that the Italians were near.

Rome, April 30 (AP)—An unconfirmed press dispatch said Marshal Pietro Badoglio's Italian troops entered Addis Ababa at 10 a. m. today.

ETHIOPIAN CAPITOL IN PANIC AS ENEMY NEARS Addis Ababa, April 30.—(AP)—Reports that Italian troops advanced past Debra Birhan, strategic town only 75 miles northeast of Addis Ababa, threw Ethiopia's capital into panic today and the natives began an evacuation. Foreigners started to take refuge in the various legations, the Americans going to the British compound. The northern Italian army, marching in from Dessaye, was reported advancing without encountering any resistance. The advance guard of the Italian forces was expected to reach Addis (Continued on Page Seven.)

TITTERTON SLAYER PLEADS INNOCENCE

New York, April 30.—(AP)—John Fiorenza, 24-year-old upholsterer, pleaded not guilty today to an indictment charging murder in the first degree in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Nancy Evans Titterton in her Bookman Place apartment April 10. When Judge Morris Koenig, in general sessions court, gave defense counsel until May 5 to make motions, District Attorney William C. Dodge, said he would like to have the trial as speedily as possible.

Egypt King Interred In Royal Tomb

His Son, To Be New Ruler, Closeted With King Edward in London at Time

Cairo, Egypt, April 30.—(AP)—King Fuad I, Egypt's first constitutional monarch, was entombed in the royal mosque at Alrifayeh today after being borne from Abdin palace on a gun carriage, draped with the national flag, through the heart of his capital. Two squadrons of Egyptian army planes circled over the procession, in which no woman participated. King Fuad went to his last resting place unaccompanied by the new king, his son, the 16-year-old Farouk. The former crown prince, who was proclaimed king after his father's death Tuesday, went to Buckingham Palace in London while the funeral procession was passing through Cairo and was closeted with King Edward for half an hour in the English monarch's private apartments. King Farouk was expected to leave London this afternoon for Cairo, his studies in England cut short by his accession to the Egyptian throne.

In Bond Theft Trap



Bernard Klein (top) a Hungarian, and Jacob Schwartz (bottom) a Czechoslovakian, are under arrest in Paris, France, as salesmen for the international syndicate involved in the theft of \$1,462,000 in negotiable American securities from the Wall Street banking house of C. J. Devine & Co. (Central Press)

M'DONALD, DRY NOW MIGHT TURN WET IF ELECTED GOVERNOR

Speculators Wonder If He Will Turn to Liquor for His Much-Needed Revenue

WET COUNTIES ARE SOMEWHAT WORRIED Fear Lest They Will Lose Their Money From Liquor Store Sales; Present Liquor Stores Declared Netting Around Million Dollars Annually All Told

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C. BASKERVILLE Raleigh, April 30.—Will Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, now standing on the same bone dry plank as Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby, though differing with him on almost everything else, continue to stand on that plank if nominated and elected governor, or will he switch to State liquor control with the State to get all the revenue from the liquor stores as some reports now indicate? This question is being heard more and more frequently, especially in the 17 wet counties in which 64 county liquor stores are now in operation. (Continued on Page Two.)

CLAIMS TREND IS NOW TOWARD HOEY

Olive Says Visits and Messages Tell of Impression Being Made

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C. BASKERVILLE Raleigh, April 30.—Not only is Clyde R. Hoey gaining steadily throughout most of the eastern counties as a result of his speaking tour through many of these counties the past four weeks, but he is getting a big response to his present speaking tour in a number of western counties, Hubert E. Olive, his State campaign manager, said here today. "Ever since Mr. Hoey started his western speaking tour in Sparta at (Continued on Page Six.)

GOERING IS BUSINESS DICTATOR



Dr. Schacht Appointed "boss" by Fuehrer Adolf Hitler over all matters concerning raw materials and foreign currencies, Gen. Hermann Wilhelm Goering, right, Prussian premier and minister of aviation, becomes virtual "assistant dictator" of Germany. Goering thus replaces Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, economic minister and president of the Reichsbank, as the all-powerful financial and economic dictator of Germany in the climax of a long underground battle to control the nation's economic policies. Schacht's position became a matter of speculation. In some quarters it was believed his powers were strengthened rather than weakened by Goering's appointment to his new post without title. Elsewhere the move was characterized as shunting Schacht into the background. As a result, it was said, Schacht may reconsider his former intention to resign. (Central Press)

McDonald Leads Field In First Countings Of Poll

Hoey Well Up As Second and Leading in Charlotte and Asheville Areas; Graham Poor Third and McRae Not in It At All Anywhere in Entire State

Unless Ralph W. McDonald should be halted, and right sharply, the first complete statewide tabulation in The Henderson Daily Dispatch gubernatorial poll will show him leading the four-man race by a wide margin. While the results so far are somewhat scattered, they come from every section of the state. With first returns in from more than 80 of the state's 100 counties McDonald has more than 46 per cent of the total, with Clyde R. Hoey running second with a little more than 34 per cent. Graham is showing up a poor third, with 17 per cent, while McRae is garnering only two per cent of the total.

In 10 counties in the Charlotte area Hoey has a little more than 52 per cent of the total, McDonald 33 1-2, and Graham and McRae splitting the remainder about evenly. Included in the Charlotte count is Hoey's home county, Cleveland, which is returning an 87 per cent for its long-haired son, McDonald, however, is leading Hoey by more than 3 to 2 in Charlotte and Mecklenburg county. Returns from Forsyth, McDonald's home county, and eight nearby counties, show the Winston-Salem man far in the lead, polling three votes to Hoey's one, with Graham getting about one-half as many as Hoey. Only one vote out of hundreds counted in the Winston-Salem area was marked for McRae. McDonald has, apparently, covered the waterfront exceedingly well, for he is running far ahead in the (Continued on Page Four.)

Normal Business Won't Absorb All Unemployed

Labor Federation Says 7,000,000 Will Be Idle Even When Industry Returns to 1929 Levels; Jobs Not Keeping Pace With Improvement, Is Claim

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor contended today that the country still will have 7,000,000 unemployed when business reaches its 1929 level. After estimating the number of jobless last month at 12,184,000, the Federation said in its unemployment survey: "When business reached its lowest depression point in March, 1933, 11,342,000 of those who had jobs in 1929 had been laid off, and business had fallen 42 percent below normal, according to the analyst index. "With 72 percent of the business loss regained, we should have found work for 72 percent of the depression unemployed if we expect to restore employment by the time business again reaches normal. "That is, we should have re-employed 8,120,000; actually, we have re-employed only 5,270,000." The survey said that "little progress had been made toward re-employment in the first quarter of 1936," with 559,000 getting jobs from January to March. The federation blamed lengthened work hours.

U. S. Chamber Will Attack Tax Plans And Interference

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—The convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States was asked by its resolutions committee today to attack administration tax plans, condemn legislation to five labor conditions and approve a proposed survey of available jobs. The resolution on taxation said "the first step in bringing order into the finances of the Federal government should be reduction of expenditures both by Congress and by the executive to those amounts which are needed for the efficient accomplishment of purposes which are necessary and appropriate for the Federal government. On business and social security, a resolution said: "When government attempts, by legislative means or executive fiat, to impose upon business rules of conduct pertaining to such matters as wages, hours, conditions and terms of employment, or other restrictive measures interfering with the free play of economic forces, it retards both the material and spiritual progress of the nation." "Here again interference by gov- (Continued on Page Seven.)

TREASURY DEFICIT IS NEARLY SIX BILLIONS IN THIS FISCAL YEAR

Mine Negotiators Are Requested To Go To Washington

Secretary Perkins Asks Them To Transfer Parley There If Agreement Is Not Had

DEADLOCK GOES ON AFTER TWO MONTHS

Federal Labor Head Wants Meeting To Be Held In Her Department Offices In Capital Tonight if Agreement Is Not Arrived At During the Day

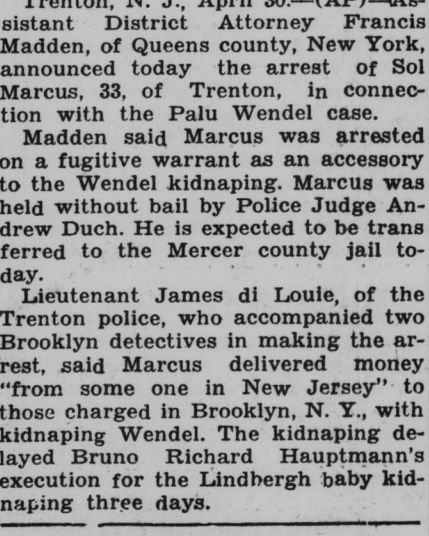
Washington, April 30 (AP)—Secretary Perkins today asked the anthracite wage conference in New York to come to Washington this afternoon unless a wage agreement was reached by that time. In a last minute effort to stave off a threatened strike in the industry, Miss Perkins sent the following telegram to the conference: "Should the joint committee of anthracite coal operators and representatives of the United Mine Workers fail to reach an agreement this morning, may I suggest that the committee adjourn to reconvene at 9 p. m., Washington time, tonight in the United States Department of Labor building at Washington." Miss Perkins sent the telegram to W. W. Ingliss, chairman of the operators conference, and to John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers. The secretary decided upon this action after repeated efforts by Edward F. McGrady, assistant secretary, had failed to bring the two groups into agreement. President Roosevelt kept in close touch with the situation through the Labor Department.

DEADLOCK CONTINUES AS CONFERENCE IS RESUMED New York, April 30.—(AP)—Anthracite operators and United Mine Workers representatives struggled against each other today in an effort to avert a tie-up in that \$600,000,000 industry. Barring eleventh hour recession by either operators or miners, the joint conference group of 14, representing the two sides, which was prepared for new conversations today, remained deadlocked on every point of the two months old wage contract impasse.

New Arrest For Wendel Kidnaping

Trenton, N. J., April 30.—(AP)—Assistant District Attorney Francis Madden, of Queens county, New York, announced today the arrest of Sol Marcus, 33, of Trenton, in connection with the Palu Wendel case. Madden said Marcus was arrested on a fugitive warrant as an accessory to the Wendel kidnaping. Marcus was held without bail by Police Judge Andrew Duch. He is expected to be transferred to the Mercer county jail today. Lieutenant James di Louie, of the Trenton police, who accompanied two Brooklyn detectives in making the arrest, said Marcus delivered money "from some one in New Jersey" to those charged in Brooklyn, N. Y., with kidnaping Wendel. The kidnaping delayed Bruno Richard Hauptmann's execution for the Lindbergh baby kidnaping three days.

OUR WEATHER MAN



FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; somewhat unsettled in north and west portions; not much change in temperature.

New Long Leader



Richard Webster Leche Governor-elect Richard Webster Leche, 37, who becomes Louisiana's chief executive, May 12, is pictured in Washington on a visit. Leche announced his administration will carry out the policies of the late Huey P. Long—"To do the most good for the most people."

LANDON NOT SURE AS G. O. P. CHOICE

If He Does Not Win Early At Cleveland, Vandenberg Is Good Bet

MANEUVERS GOING ON Much Back Stage Work Being Done, Some of It by Prominent Easterners, Who May Run in Senator Steiwer

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer Washington, April 3.—The fact that Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas undoubtedly will start with a plurality of votes at the Republicans' Cleveland convention doesn't at all prove that he finally will get a majority, presidentially nominating him. He will fall short of the nomination on the first ballot. He never may get as many votes subsequently as he probably will get the first time. STEWART'S VIEW Certainly he will get no acclamation (Continued on Page Seven)

NEGRO TO DIE FOR SLAYING OF CHIEF

20-Year-Old Youth Sentenced for Killing Scotland Neck Officer

Halifax, April 30.—(AP)—Evans (Snooks) Macklin, 20-year-old Negro, was arraigned, tried, convicted and sentenced to die for the murder of Police Chief A. P. Moore, of Scotland Neck, within 12 hours. The trial began at 9:30 a. m. yesterday. By mid-afternoon evidence was in, and the arguments started. The case went to the jury at a night session. Before 10 p. m. the jury reported. Judge E. H. Cranmer sentenced the defendant to die June 1. Chief Moore was slain shortly before dawn the morning of February 16. Two State's witnesses, Thurston Aughturn and Hillard Taylor, Negroes, said Macklin had admitted killing the police chief in conversations with them. The State sought to show the defendant bore the police chief's sense. (Continued on Page Five.)

MORGENTHAU SEES \$2,675,000,000 AS SHORTAGE IN 1937

Treasury Head Is First Witness in Senate Public Hearings on New Tax Proposal

BLAMES BONUS FOR PART OF THE DEBT

Except for That There Would Have Been Declining Deficits Both Years, He Says; Says Federal Credit Depends Upon Approach to Budget Balancing

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—A Treasury deficit of \$5,966,000,000—the largest in peace-time history—was forecast by Secretary Morgenthau for the current fiscal year today in urging congressional enactment of President Roosevelt's full tax program. Morgenthau said prepayment of the bonus was partly responsible for the huge figure by which he said expenditures would exceed income for the 12 months ending June 30. In recommending that the Senate add to the \$803,000,000 House bill the temporary processing taxes asked by President Roosevelt, Morgenthau also estimated that the 1937 deficit would be \$2,675,000,000. He said that except for the bonus payment, voted by Congress, there would have been declining deficits in both years. Appearing as the first witness as the Senate Finance Committee opened hearings on the bill passed yea- (Continued on Page Five.)

FRAZIER-LEMKE BILL ORDERED ONTO FLOOR

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—The 218 names needed on a petition to force the Frazier-Lemke farm mortgage re-financing bill to a House vote were obtained today.

Cotton Man Denies Law Is Violated

Washington, April 30.—(AP)—W. L. Clayton, Houston, Texas, cotton merchant, today branded as "a wild, irresponsible man" testimony by Louis Brooks, New York broker, that big cotton merchandising firms violated, in effect, the bucketing laws in their call sales transactions. Clayton was appearing before the Senate Agriculture Committee's cotton trading investigation. Brooks, in testifying before the committee recently, said Clayton's firm (Continued on Page Five.)

Merchants Fight Rates Duke Power

Discrimination Charged in Hearing Before State Utilities Commission

Raleigh, April 30.—(AP)—The North Carolina Merchants Association started testimony before the State Utilities Commission today, contending the Duke Power Company discriminates against its commercial customers in favor of domestic users. Herbert S. Falk, representing the merchants association, said his testimony "will show that prior to 1932 the Duke Power Company had the same lighting rate schedule for different classes of customers, but since that time has classified consumers and differentiates in rates between commercial and residential customers (Continued on Page Five.)