

sumed during May was reported today by the Census Bureau to we totalled 530,799 bales of lint and 4.670 of linters, compared with 576,-762 and 61,450 during April this year, 470.412 and 64,583 during May last

Fountain's **Request For Probe Ends**

Board of Elections county delegation and frock-coated and nized the tall, erect, frock-coated and smiling orator from Shelby. The word Certifies Nominees smiling orator from Shelby. The word spread rapidly that Mr. Hoey was enon Basis of Official three thousand or more delegates Vote Cast

Raleigh, June 13 (AP)-The State Board of Elections certified the results of last Saturday's Democratic primary today and refused the reof R. T. Fountain, of Rocky Mount, for an investigation of the ling for the senatorial nominee.

Fountain, defeated candidate for senatorial nomination, contended record-breaking vote of 516,000 ndicated Republicans, or members some other party, voted with we Democrats in violation of the law." He cited the vote in many counties which Senator J. W. Bailey ran ad of him, and added "the results will. I believe, show that I carried most of the Democratic counties of the State, and Bailey carried those

sually Republican. Bailey was certified as the senatorial nominee, and the board took under consideration Fountain's remest that the secretary get from such county the number of absentee allots cast in the primary.

Though there was sentiment among board members, due to many requests the chairman said, to change the priary from Saturday, July 4, to Monday, July 6, no change was made after conferences with managers of gubernatorial candidates.

records.

to Judge Smith.

The board found Clyde R. Hoey led the gubernatorial race, with Dr. Ralph W. McDonald entitled to de-

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doubt that the State Democratic Convention, which met here yesterday, was overwhelmingly for Clyde R. Hoey for governor rather than for Dr. Ralph W. McDonald. It was almost impossible to find a delegate that was not wearing a "Hoey for Governor"

button on his coat lapel and many of those questioned estimated that at least 90 per cent of the more than 3,-600 delegates at the convention were for Hees and would work for him enthusiastically in the second primary campaign. When Mr. Hoey entered the conven-

entirety. tion hall to take his seat as a member of the Cleveland county delegation the proceedings of the convention were completely disrupted for a time. The cheering and applause start ed as soon as the delegates on the to liquor control at all.

side of the hall where the Cleveland county delegation was seated recogering the hall and in a moment the were on their feet cheering and yellpromote the betterment of working conditions, continued cooperation with

Raleigh, June 13.—(AP)—The Dem-ocratic party in North Carolina was pledged today to remove the sales tax from meals and basic foods. The Party's 1936 platform, adopted

in the Democrats' biennial convention yesterday, contained the first direct reference to the controversial sales tax since 1928. The convention, without qualifica-

tion, endorsed both the national and and the farm states are afire with a State administrations, and bound the State's 26 votes in the national convention to President Roosevelt. In dealing with the sales tax, the convention's platform set forth that it could not be eliminated now in its

The platform committee wrangled over a "wet" or "dry" plank, and then compromised by making no reference

Besides taking a stand on the sales tax, the convention proposed state and interstate control of crop production through legislation allowing compacts, conservation of highway funds to provide adequate maintenance of highways and improvements to local roads, a reduction of auto license costs by the 1937 legislature, enactment of State and interstate laws to

the national administration and a

"reasonable" increase in the school

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Pittsburgh's program. Mayor Object Legion Men Of Warrants Arraigned In Pittsburgh, Pa., June 13.-(AP)-Death Probe

Judge Ralph A. Smith, directed the district attorney today to swear out a warrant charging Mayor William N. McNair with malfeasance and misfeasance in office.

Detroit, Mich., June 13.-(AP)-The order came after McNair vir-Fourteen men were arraigned today on charges of conspiracy to murder tually stopped business at Pittspolitical opponents of the black leburgh's 13 police stations because Judge Smith directed a grand jury ingion Eleven of the men were charged vestigation of police conditions. Officers seized the records of a half

with a plot against the life of Arthur Kingsley, editor of a Highland dozen magistrates and Mayor McNair F. Park newspaper, and the other three were charged with a similar plot asaid they were unable to do musiness or send prisoners to jail without their gainst William W. Doisine, mayor of suburban Ecorse. The mayor himself is a magistrate

Pleas of innocence were entered for and the grand jury order for records included those of his court. all the men. Their bonds were set at Several men charged with drunken-\$25,00J each, and all were returned to

ness were brought before the mayor, jail. Among those arraigned was the forand he instructed Police Lieutenant mer mayor of Highland Park, N. Ray Walter Mullen to take the prisoners Markland, recently suspended as an Judge Smith sent for the mayor, investigator for Prosecutor Duncan C. but he failed to appear, and the order for the warrant was then issued.

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They are in a fog. Indeed they are fearful. Kansas has not been known for tolerance of eastern ideas.

MONEY The east is more fearful over money joy in their faces. than any other thing. Kansas may WHICH? balance the budget which, of course, is liked. But Kansas is a farm state



al Group Is Held To Be Destructive

Paris, June 13 (AP)-France will reject a British proposal to reorganize League of Nations members into regional groups, authoritative sources declared today, as "destructive to the entire structure of collective security." Informed sources called the suggestions, reported to have been made by

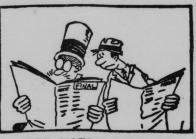
Sir George Clerk, British ambassador to Paris, to Premier Leon Blum, 'impossible" because of the League "districts" proposed. The British plan was reported to

have advanced two ideas: 1. Cancellation of sanctions against Italy on the ground the war penalties failed to halt the conquest of Ethiopia

2. Revision of the League coven-ant with particular emphasis on Article XVI, which provides obligatory

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OUR WEATHER MAN



FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, preceded by showers near the coast tonight; slightly cooler near the coast tonight; slightly warmer in central oprtion Sunday.

Made National Commit-

tee From State

jority over three other candidates.

Miss Beatrice Cobb, of Morganton,

Burke county, was re-elected national

committeewoman without opposition.

Miss Cobb is not only regarded as be-

ing one of the most popular of the

leaders among the women Democrats

but as one of the most capable Dem-

ocratic leaders in the entire State and

her handling of her post as national

women in the Democratic party in

The election of Folger as national

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the State.

committeewoman has been highly ac-ceptable to all the men as well as the T1.3.

And if you do not believe that gives anese navy arrived here today and the old line Republicans the shivers

loanded Marines. you have not met them face to face. They return to New York with no The landing of Marines, it was said

was to protect Japanese lives and property. Which man can the Big Business

A Japanese naval officer said the seven vessels were ready to proceed to Canton at a moment's notice in case of necessity.

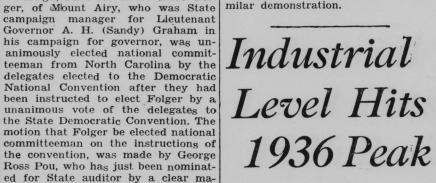
Reports of hostilities between the forces of the central (Nanking) government and of South China were received here today.

Skirmishes were said to have occurred along the Fukien border.

South China demonstrated against Haas. Japan.

In Peiping 3,000 students marched through the streets shouting epithets against Japan. In Canton, the southtern capital, 100,000 civilians, shepherded by soldiers, marched in a si-

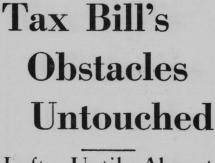
Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotes, Py J C. BASKERVILL Raleigh, June 13.—A. D. (Lon) Folmilar demonstration.



course of years."

"By suspicious," he continued, "I

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Left Until Absent Members Return Next Week; May Not Pass Coming Week

Washington, June 13 .- (AP)-Major obstacles to final action on the tax bill still remained to be overcome today as House and Senate conferees went into the fourth day of deliberations in an effort to reach a com-

Although the conferees declined to discuss the progress of closed meeting proceedings, there were indications that the chief points at issue would not be taken up until next week.

Whether this would delay plans for adjournment of Congress at the end

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dex stood at 89.4 and a year ago at Every component of the index gained, too, making new tops for this year. Steel mill activity swept ahead as buying for stock in anticipation of promise. committeeman was not only a sharp slap at C. LeRoy Shuping, whose Automobile output, dropping consid-

name was not mentioned in the enerably less for the week, tended to tire convention and for whom the buoy the steel rate by its high level. skids had long been greased, but an Freight car loadings moved in betopen gesture of courtship to the forter than seasonal volume, and coal mer supporters of Sandy Graham by shipments were sharply lower. both the Hoey and McDonald forces.

New York, June 13 (AP)-Indus

trial activity jogged into new high

ground for the year today, the seven

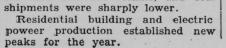
h new 1936 peak in nine weeks.

The Asociated Press index, at 90.3

this week, was above 90 per cent of

the 1929-30 average for the first time

since June, 1930. Last week the in-



Insurance Racket Hinted in Some of Nearly 50 in Massachusetts

Springfield, Mass., June 13 (AP)-A trial justice urged an investigation today of nearly 50 "suspicious" deaths in three thickly populated mill town communities near here.

While state officials scanned insurance records of three recent victims of poison, Trial Justice George B. Haas, of Ludlow, called for a "thorough going investigation not only of these present cases, but those over a

"There have been between 35 and The central government of China 50 suspicious deaths in Ludlow, Chiincreased its military preparation to-day as civilians in both North and tion of Springfield," declared Judge