TWENTY-THIRD YEAR

Held by Nazis

Mrs. Georgette Ross Howard

Detained at Passau, Germany, on

charges of attempting to smuggle

currency into Germany from

Czechoslovakia, Mrs. Georgette

Ross Howard, above, prominent lecturer of Washington, D. C., will

be aided by the U. S. consul in Munich, Charles M. Hathaway.

The U.S. consul has proceeded to

Passau to investigate the charges.

That May Hurl U. S. on

Brink of War

Statement of World Situation

From Viewpoint of the

United States

By LESLIE EICHEL

Central Press Staff Writer

The majority of campaign and con-

And especially who is safe with in-

The civil war in Spain is not pure-

gun in Europe-and who is safe?

the United States also?

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GLASS TO VOTE FOR ROOSEVELT, BUT MAY OF STATE COME UP NOT SPEAK FOR HIM

Never Had Any Other Idea Than To Vote for President, Aged Virginia Senator Says

HAS LENGTHY TALK **EURING FORENOON**

Tells Friends Roosevelt Did Not Ask Him To Take Stump; President Has Busy Day of Conferences Before Leaving Tonight on Drought Inspection

Washington, Aug. 25 .- (AP)-After a conference with the President, Senator Carter Glass, of Virginia, said today he would vote for Mr. Roosevelt next November, but was undecided whether he would speak in the

Glass, who has differed with the chief executive in some New Deal policies, particularly spending, told a group of supporters that his doctors had advised him not to speak. But he added that they similarly cautioned him in 1932, when he made a radio speech for the Roosevelt-Garner

The 78-year-old Democratic chairman of the appropriations committee, and one-time Treasury secretary, said: "If you want to know whether I'm going to vote for the re-election of

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LEE GRAVELY QUITS LIQUOR COMMISSION

Pressure of Private Business at This Time of Year Given as Reason for Move

Rocky Mount, Aug. 25.—(AP)—Saying that his ousiness duties made it impossible for him to serve, State Senator L. L. Gravely today tendered tion from the commission to study the liquor situation in North Carolina

'It seems to me that in order to make recommendations to the General Assembly it will be necessary for the commission to study conditions in the 17 so-called "wet" counties and in the other counties of the State; also to make a study of conditions as they exist in other states having different types of state control," Gravely said in his letter of resignation. "This is going to take a good deal of time and I do not feel that at this time of year I can afford to assume any more duties than I now have."

Asks Press To Remove Court Evil

Boston, Mass., Aug. 25 (AP)-Thos. Thatcher, former solicitor general of ly an internal issue. It is the march the season through last Friday. the United States, called upon the of fascism toward western Europe. press of the nation today to support And, because before that terror, anthe American Bar Association in rid- other terror of the other extreme ding the courts of the publicity evil. arises, due to the Fascist-instigated Referring to the Hauptmann mur- civil war, flames and counter-flames der trial as "the most shocking ex- have burst forth toward all the re-

SERIOUS PROBLEMS LAST OF THE WEEK

Road Refunds, Liquor, Gasoline Terminals and Spending of Road Surplus Crowd In

COMMISSIONS MEET TO ARGUE PROGRAM

Nearly 75 Counties Petition for Highway Refunds Estimated Around \$50,000,-000; Deadline for Filing Is Tonight Midnight; Liquor Hearings Begin

Raleigh, Aug. 25 .- (AP)-Vital problems of state, some of which have been hanging fire since the 1935 General Assembly adjourned, will be dis-cussed by four of North Carolina's more important commissioners scheduled to be in session here during the latter part of the week. The State Highway and Public

Works Commission will meet here Thursday to prepare its formal request to Governor Ehringhaus for the allocation of \$2,800,000 from the highway fund surplus. The money would be used as part of the \$10,000,000 program designed to improve secondary roads during 1936-37.

At the same time, the liquor commission, authorized by the 1935 legislature, and appointed by the governor July 18, will meet here to investigate liquor control laws in 17 "wet" counties. The commission, of which Victor Bryant, of Durham, is chairman, also is scheduled to meet in Wilson Friday and in Wilmington Saturday.

Petitions from perhaps as many as 75 counties asking that hte State refund an estimated total of \$50,000,000 will be discussed by the commission investigating county highway debts, which will be in session here Friday. Carl L. Bailey, of Washington county, chairman of the investigating body said today he had received claims totalling \$24,796,852.89 from 36 counties. The deadline for filing the peti-

DANCEDOILC CTACE tions is midnight. so to meet here Friday is the re-DANULNUU JIAUL cently appointed commission to study the advisability of the establishment of a State-owned gasoline terminals

Emotions Being Aroused Tobacco In GeorgiaHas WASHINGTON SEES 17 Roosevelt's Chautauqua Speech Clear Top Money

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 25.—(AP)— The first three weeks sales on the Georgia tobacco market brought farmers vention speeches may seem just like \$17,585,270.27, the greatest sum in the so much guff prior to the end of the history of the industry in this State. presidential campaign. The reason is Garland Bagley, statistician of the State Department of Agriculture, said clear—the magnitude of reality is overshadowing all the make-believe issales totalled 81,586,758 pounds, or an sues. A terrible conflagration has beaverage of \$21.55 per hundred pounds. Some of the markets are still in operation, but the auction season will flamatory statements being made in end throughout the belt within a few

Bagley's figures represent sales for

MOORE IS LIKELY

Association for Colored People Ready To Do Battle For Prisoner

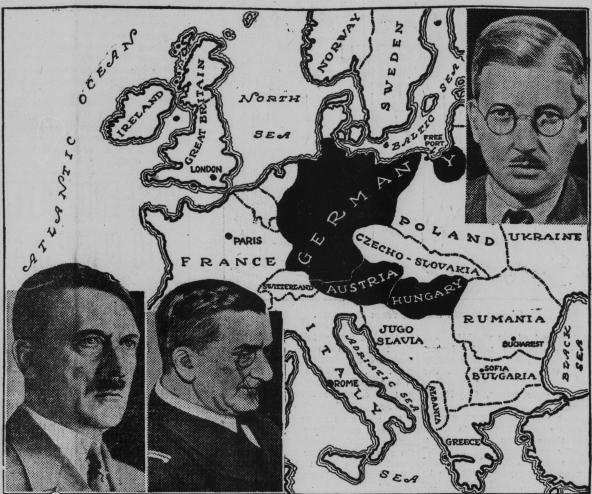
Daily Dispatch Bureau. In The Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C.-BASKERVILL Raleigh, Aug. 25.—Disputed testimony regarding the alleged confession Sunday at State's Prison by Martin Moore, convicted murderer of Helen Clevenger, banishes the official hope that the case itself is ended.

The presence in this State of many members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, guarantees on such a case as this a protracted debate. The N. A. A. C. P. has been in numerous other North case is that the prisoner was not given time for a good defense and that on the jury which tried him none on the grand jury which indict-

ed him. These would be the federal ques-

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Look to Anti-Red Bloc in Central Europe



A proposed meeting between Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg of Austria, Hitler of Germany, and Admiral Nicholas Horthy, regent of Hungary, scheduled for September, may result in an anti-Red bloc of nations in Central Europe, observers point out. Horthy, who inspired the conference, is said to be a strong foe of communism and if the tri-partite anti-communist front becomes a fact it is reported that efforts will be made to persuade Premier Mussolini of Italy to disinterest himself in the countries of the Danube in return for Spanish territory. Map shows the nations with, left, Adolph Hitler and Nicholas Horthy, and right, above. Kurt Schuschnigg. (Central Press)

16 Leaders Of Soviet Plot Executed By Firing Squads

Moscow, Aug. 25 (AP)-Death before firing squads ended today the careers of 16 confessed conspirators, many of them once high in the ranks of bolshevik leadership.

They had been convicted a little over 24 hours before the death sentences were carried out secretly. A terse statement announced the executions after the central executive | part:

committee of the Soviet Union declined an appeal for mercy. All had confessed their participation in the plot to which the exiled

Leon Trotzky, former minister of war and one-time revolutionary zealot, was linked as a leader.

been carried out. The Soviet officials did not state where or how the executions were

performed, a customary procedure. Included among those who died were Leon Kameneff and Gregory The communique announcing the Zinovieff, once member with Dictator ulfillment of sentence stated in Josef Stalin of the triumvirate at

Elections In Three States Are Awaited Raleigh Hears Clyde Hoey

New Deal Stalwarts Involved in Two States: Townsend Plan In Third

(By The Associated Press.) Primaries in three states today commanded national attention. In Mississippi the veteran Senator

Pat Harrison, after a campaign in which he stood on his record as a New Deal supporter, contested with former Governor Sennett Conner for the Democratic Senatorial nomination Conner was aided by Senator Bilbo, colleague but foe of the senior senator. The party will also nominate even representatives, one unopposed. In South Carolina there is a clear-

PLAN CONFERENCES

Series of District Gatherings Next Week Backed By Institute of Government

lina will hold a series of district con- of the machinery of the Federal govferences under auspices of the In-An announcement here said one of the meetings would be held at Tar-

OUR WEATHER MAN

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

Family Of Moore Not

Asheville, Aug. 25 .- (AP)-Members of the family of Martin Moore, Negro, convicted slayer of Helen Clevenger, New York University student said today they would not appeal the case, but local members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said they would carry

it to the Supreme Court.

Tom Moore, brother of the prison-er, said the family considered an appeal "a hopeless cause," and would not continue it.

Rev. M. L. Breeding, Negro president of the Asheville chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said the organization was going forward with plans to raise funds with which to finance the appeal.

Moore was convicted of slaying the 18-year-old student in her room at the Battery Park hotel. His death date was set for October 2, but prison officials said he probably would not die before Christmas if an appeal were

ICKES' FOSTER SON GIVEN ACQUITTAL

Secretary Charges Drunken Driving Case in Massachusetts Had Political Angle

Wonburn, Mass., Aug. 25 (AP)-Judge Arthur E. Eno, of Lowell, today acquitted Robert H. Ickes, 22, foster son of Secretary of Interior Har-old Ickes, of driving while under the influence of liquor.

Young Ickes, employed on a Public Works Administration project, pleaded innocent to the charge and declared he had one bottle of beer several hours prior to his arrest the night of August 10. Two policemen, including Sergeant

Harrold, who arrested Ickes, testified he showed no signs of being intoxicated after his car bumped another machine in parking. Harrold said only after questioning Ickes about his license and registration did he smell his breath and believed he might have

been drinking. Ickes' arrest brought from his foster father the charge that his foster son was the victim of unfair publicity, inspired by "unfair political rea-

sons. Harrold, however, denied the secretary's declaration.

DIPLOMATS TRYING TO CURB BRUTALITY SPANISH FIGHT

France and Britain Studying Proposal To Lessen Cruelties Done on **Both Sides**

ATMOSPHERE MADE MORE BREATHLESS

Two Years Compulsory Service Decreed by Nazi Chief Claimed To Be Directed at "Aggressive Soviet Russian Militarism" on Eastern Frontier

(By The Associated Press.) Diplomatic proposals designed to check brutality of Spain's fierce civil war were authoritatively reported today to be the subject of communications between France and Great Bri-The foreign affairs committee of

the British cabinet was believed to have taken the proposals under consideration. Since the war started in Spain there have been frequent reports of the mis-

treatment of civilians and prisoners by both the Socialist government and the Fascist rebels. The civil fires burned on in Spain toward their ultimate Fascist or Sociolist embers in a European atmos-

phere made suddenly more breathless by Nazi-decreed expansion of the German army. Not connected directly with the civil war, Adolf Hitler's doubling of the universal military term in the

Reich served, nevertheless, to throw the whole international conflict between right and left into sharp re-His decree of two years compulsory

service under arms was aimed directly at what the Nazis called "aggressive Soviet Russian militarism.'

Madrid dispatches told of a new purge of the capital's Fascists, including the execution of four rebel officers Loyalists and rebels broadcast conflicting claims of victory in Guadarrama mountain fighting just north of

The rebels repeated their aerial bombardment of Irun. There was little

Employment Now Highest Since 1930

Washington, Aug. 25 (AP)-A slight increase in industrial employment between June and July, described as being contrary to the usual midsummer decline, was reported today by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The gain of approximately 2,000 workers was caused, the bureau said, entirely by a pick-up in employment in 52 of 90 manufacturing industries surveyed.

The bureau said a comparison with July, 1935, showed nearly 1,000,000 more workers were employed last month than in July, 1935, and the payrolls were \$42,000,000 a week greater. The bureau said the gain of nine-

tenths percent in factory employment continued an upswing that had been in evidence since January and carried the employment index to the highest point since October, 1930.

Dual Killing Near Capital Is Reported

Estranged Husband Kills Wife's Companion and Then Takes Own Life

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 25 (AP) -A double killing, which authorities said they were told was a murder and a suicide, terminated a wild automobile ride early today in which a woman participated as an unwilling third party passenger. The two dead are Gilmer L. Sny-

der, 26, of Washington, and Clifford Thomas, 28, also of Washington.

Justice B. Wyatt Walker, and Commonwealth's Attorney Joseph A. Billingsley, of King George county,

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Much More Interest In That Than Lower Gasoline Prices or Road Refunds to Counties; Hard Fight In Next Legislature Likely Over Liquor

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C. BASKERVILL Raleigh, Aug. 25-Evidently bein it than in highway loans or in

State surveys. One is to inquire into eral election of 1924. the wisdom of port terminals for the

ings that gave no remedy to the

State. Dealers in this State say

North Carolina could reduce prices to the level of Virginia's and even to those in the District of Columbia. cause there is so much more drama | Some Virginia cities meet those prices. The establishment of a terminal on gasoline prices, vastly more interest the coast with the advantages of Carolina litigations, civil and criminal. centers in the three hearings this water freight rates would help, The point to be made in the Moore week on liquor control than on the many people think. The Morrison refund of the advancements or on a administration proposed a general Statewide reduction of gasoline prices. development of port terminals based Governor Ehringhaus some weeks upon a bond issue of \$10,000,000. That there were no negroes. There were ago named three commissions to make was defeated at the polls in the gen-

Port terminals to bring down gasodistribution of gasoline. Prices, uni- line prices would reach everybody's tions involved and while they cannot formly high in North Carolina, can- interest, but there is mighty little be regarded serious, in the opinion not be justified, Governor Ehring-concern about that commission. It of good lawyers, they will delay the haus has intimated in former hear- starts soon its work. And so does execution of the prisoner several

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CITY-COUNTY HEADS

stitute of Government next week. boro Monday.



Generally fair tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy, becoming un-settled; possibly showers in extreme north portion.

MAY GET OLD PAY

To Recommend Deferred **Payments**

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotel, By J O. BASKERVILL Raleigh, Aug. 25.—State workers have been hearing recently that Democratic Nominee Clyde R. Hoey, will when he shall have prepared his inaugural message to the General As-

sembly, recommend the return by the State of an approximate \$400,000 taken from them April, May and June of 1933. Mr. Hoey has made no public commitment to that effect, and his two

opponents did. His Republican anta-(Continued on Page Three.)

Gov. Landon Angling For N. Y. Votes

Ripley, N. Y., Aug. 25.—(AP)—Governor Alf. M. Landon moved deeper into New York today for conferences Chapel Hill, Aug. 25.—(AP)—City on presidential campaign strategy, and county officials of North Caro- after declaring that widespread use ernment "to maintain the present administration in power' created a propaganda danger.

The Republican nominee, who in a speech at Chautauqua, last night called for freedom of education, press and radio, turned toward Buffalo to discuss with party leaders plans to win New York's 47 electoral votes. Governor Landon prefaced his speech in the Chautauqua amphitheatre with the statement:

"In Kansas we believe that our schools—public, parochial and private -must be kept free of all control by the Federal government. "In Kansas we insist no teacher should be required to take any oath not required of all other citizens. In

Kansas we believe in academic freedom and practice it. "There must not be censership of what is spoken or written, and equally important, there must be no control of the source of news."