

GREEN'S LABOR GROUP REPORTS BIG GAINS

Great \$76,000,000 State Tax Bill Is Finally Made Law

Largest General Fund Revenue Measure Ever Passed in State Signed by Officials

ACT IS PROOF-READ FULLY FOUR TIMES

Race Track Bill For Rowan County Becomes Law With Passage by Senate Over Strong Opposition; Flannagan, of Pitt, Resists Its Passage

Raleigh, March 13 (AP)—Working hard trying to get in position to adjourn sine die next week, legislators passed more than 85 bills today and advanced a number of other measures on their legislative course.

Raleigh, March 13 (AP)—The big general fund tax bill ever passed by a North Carolina legislature actually became law today.

The \$76,000,000 revenue measure was ratified into law by being signed by the president of the Senate and speaker of the House after being carefully proof-read four times.

The General Assembly passed the Murphy-Uzzell bill to create a racing commission in Rowan county and permit pari-mutual betting if the voters approve of the act. This measure will become law when it is signed by the presiding officers.

Senator Flannagan, of Pitt, opposed Senate passage of the bill, approved in the House Wednesday night, but on motion of Gregory, of Rowan, the rules were suspended and the measure passed.

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Governor Has "Sneak Bills" Read Closely

Daily Dispatch Bureau. In the Sir Walter Hotel.

Raleigh, March 13.—Governor Clyde R. Hoey is in favor of speed and has helped to keep a full head of steam in the legislative boiler throughout the present session. But he does not believe in taking any chances or running any risks which might be costly to the State later on.

As a result, some two or three weeks ago, the governor asked the attorney general to install a safety valve and speed regulator on the legislative machine to guard against the enactment of any dangerous or improper legislation.

As a result, the attorney general has employed a temporary assistant whose business it is to read and study every bill enacted by both houses as soon as these bills reach the enrolling office and before they are enrolled and notified, in an effort to discover any defects or errors. This assistant

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Whole State To Share In Advertising

Etheridge to See That All Sections Get Publicity in \$250,000 Sum

Daily Dispatch Bureau. In the Sir Walter Hotel.

Raleigh, March 13.—All interests in North Carolina will have a part in planning a systematic advertising campaign which will be designed to serve the entire State and not any particular section or sections, according to plans of R. Bruce Etheridge, director of the Department of Conservation and Development.

Mr. Etheridge will have the task of steering the big quarter-million dollar campaign to advertise North Carolina during the next two years.

The bill authorizing this campaign was finally enacted into law at the

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Draws U. S. Protest



Anti-American attacks made in Der Angriff, official Nazi organ, controlled by German Propaganda Minister Josef Goebbels, have drawn a vigorous protest from the American government. Secretary of State Hull expressed amazement at the vile language used in the German press, following attack of Mayor Fiorello H. La Guardia of New York on Fuehrer Adolf Hitler. —Central Press

Germany States No Offense Meant By Attacks Upon U. S.

If Newspapers Exceeded Their Bounds, It Was Done in Excitement of Occasion

DRAWN FOURTH BY LAGUARDIA SPEECH

New York Mayor's Outburst Against German Regime Created "Understandable" Indignation Throughout Reich, Which Was Not Any Insult

Berlin, March 13 (AP)—Foreign Minister von Neurath, sources close to the Wilhelmstrasse said today, has answered United States Ambassador Dodd's representations against German press attacks with the explanation they were not intended to offend. Von Neurath, they said, pointed out the strictures of Mayor Laguardia of New York against the German regime and said they created "understandable" indignations throughout the Reich.

If some German newspapers exceeded proper bounds in their comments, the foreign minister was said to have asserted, it was because of their excitement over the Laguardia remarks. Von Neurath assured the ambassador no insult to the United States nation was intended, it was said.

In so far as the German government is concerned, foreign quarters said, the incident is closed.

DR. ELIHU THOMSON INVENTOR, IS DEAD

Was Contemporary of Thomas Edison and Discovered Art of Electric Welding

Swampscott, Mass., March 13 (AP)—Dr. Elihu Thompson, 83, of the General Electric Company, inventor of electric arc welding and contemporary of the late Thomas Edison, died today at his home. He had been seriously ill since January. The famous inventor, who received his first patent on electric welding in 1896, would have been 84 on March 29. Last fall engineers gathered in Detroit and Lynn, Mass., to celebrate the 50th anniversary of his discovery of electric welding. Then he exchanged greetings over a special wire with the two celebrations. It was his last public activity.

FOUR MIGHT SEEK 1939 SPEAKERSHIP

Cherry Giving Them Chance to Show Their Capacities to House

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Raleigh, March 13.—Several potential candidates for speaker of the House in the 1939 session of the General Assembly are being given work-outs by Speaker R. Gregg Cherry, which gives the house members an opportunity to see how they work—and hear how they sound—in the speaker's chair. Among those regarded as potential candidates for speaker in 1939 are Representative Robert H. House of Kinston, who occupied the speaker's chair during much of the Friday session; D. L. Ward of New Bern; Victor S. Bryant of Durham; W. E. Fenner of Rocky Mount, Nash county and Sam M. Blount of Washington, Beaufort county.

Those who have heard and seen all of these preside over the house at the invitation of Speaker Cherry—the speaker may designate any member of the House to preside at any time—most observers agree that House

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OUR WEATHER MAN



FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Mostly cloudy, occasional rain Sunday and possibly tonight; slightly warmer tonight; colder Sunday.

WEEKLY WEATHER For the Carolinas and Georgia: Occasional rain first half of week and rainy period again at end of week; colder at beginning and somewhat warmer middle of week.

SEEN AT COURT PLAN HEARING



Senators Borah, left, and Ashurst; below, left to right, Mrs. Conner, Mrs. Tydings and Mrs. Ashurst.

Among those caught by the camera in Washington at the public hearing of the senate judiciary committee on President Roosevelt's court plan are U. S. Senators William Borah, Republican, of Idaho, foe of the court change, and Henry F. Ashurst, Democrat, of Arizona, who is chairman of the judiciary committee, and favors the change. They are shown top. Below, three interested spectators, left to right, Mrs. Samuel Conner, national committeewoman from Kentucky; Mrs. Millard Tydings, wife of the Maryland senator who opposes the plan, and Mrs. Ashurst, wife of Senator Ashurst. —Central Press

Executive Reorganization Program Worries Some More Than Supreme Court Plans

Roosevelt Seeks Some Powers Now Held by Congress As Well As to Clip Wings of Supreme Court; Reference to Buchanan Are Elaborated on

Washington, March 13.—Some alarmists are more perturbed over the presidential plan to reorganize the executive branch of the Federal government than over the proposal to increase the number of United States Supreme Court justices. The judicial proposition has had practically all of the advertising but the other scheme promises to get its fair share of publicity when its advocates begin to push it vigorously, as contemplated by the administration in the near future.

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DINNER SHOWS HOW THIS STATE STANDS

Dyed-in-Wool Democrats Hear Ickes and Shout for Roosevelt

Daily Dispatch Bureau. In the Sir Walter Hotel.

Raleigh, March 13.—If there has ever been any doubt about the loyalty of most of the Democrats in North Carolina to President Roosevelt and their support of his entire New Deal program, including his plans for enlarging the Supreme Court, there is no doubt of it today, following the "correct the record" dinner here last night, attended by at least 2,000 honest-to-goodness New Deal Rooseveltian Democrats. And these Democrats applauded, shouted, yelled and even

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A. F. L. TAKES OVER ONE BIG AUTO UNIT FOR ITS CAMPAIGN

Final Agreement With General Motors Does Not Get Wage-Hour Goals for C. I. O.

INJUNCTION RULING PUT OFF TO MONDAY

Steel Conferences To Resume Monday; 18 Strikes In Chicago Involve 9,000 Workers; Police Guard Furniture Factory in Memphis, Tenn.

(By The Associated Press) Industrial union enthusiasts counted one big gain in the automotive industry today and pressed campaigns in other fields.

Final agreement in the General Motors strike, affecting 135,000 employees, brought wage, hour and other concessions to an affiliate of the C. I. O., but did not achieve the national minimum hourly wage nor 30-hour week goals. Ratification by union locals was withheld temporarily.

To the Wayne county court at Detroit was transferred temporarily the controversy between the U. A. W. A. C. I. O. union, and the Chrysler Corporation. Arguments in the corporation's plea for legal ouster of 5,000 sidowners from its plant jammed the court room and brought a picket line to the building itself. The court deferred decision until Monday. On the steel front, the Blawnox Company and four subsidiaries an-

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Seek Last Of Bodies From Mine

Logan, W. Va., March 13.—(AP)—Rescue workers dug wearily today into tons of slate blocking the way to nine bodies in the blast-torn Macbeth mine.

Nine of the 18 who lost their lives in the terrific explosion at the Hutchinson Coal Company shaft were above ground—lying in

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VESSEL ON FIRE IN MIDDLE OF PACIFIC

San Francisco, Cal., March 13.—(AP)—The British motor ship Silverlarch, with a fire in her hold and 48 persons aboard, wireless today that the flames were being kept in check as the ship raced toward the United States navy cruiser northwest of Hawaiian waters.

Globe wireless reported receipt of a message from Captain F. H. Henderson, of the Silverlarch, addressed to all ships giving the vessel's position as northwest of the Hawaiian islands.

Finding Of Redfern Now Anticipated

Expedition To Sail March 25 for Brazil To Hunt Aviator Gone Since 1927

New York, March 13.—(AP)—A prediction the secret of Paul Redfern's fate, locked up in the "green hell" heart of the Brazilian jungle, for the past ten years, will be solved in the next four months was voiced here today by Theodore Waldeck, the explorer.

"On the strength of new private information, we are perfectly convinced we can locate Redfern, living or dead"

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