

HARLAN DEATHS PARADED FOR COMMITTEE

First Refugees In Bilbao Are Ready To Leave Tonight

Fleet of Passenger Liners Race to Northern Spanish City To Take Helpless Away

TEN THOUSAND ARE TO MOVE SPEEDILY

Some Will Go to France and Others to England as Insurgents Approach Ever Nearer to Basque Capital and Are About Ready for Bombardment

From St. Jean de Luz, France, May 4.—(AP)—Refugee for about 10,000 women and children from siege or bombardment in Bilbao was virtually assured today as a fleet of passenger liners raced to evacuate as many as possible before insurgent guns closed the port.

Bilbao's Basque defenders fought a last ditch fight, but insurgent dispatches said General Mola's troops were swarming into the mountainous region north of Bilbao, and their artillery already commanded a river serving as Bilbao's outlet to the Bay of Biscay.

More than 4,000 refugees, many children among them, were listed to sail tonight aboard the 10,000-ton Spanish liner Habana, the first mass migration from the harassed city.

Arrangements were made to charter another large ship to remove 4,000 more children to England. The ship's identity was kept a closely guarded secret, lest it become a prey of insurgent war vessels patrolling the Bay of Biscay.

Bordeaux, France, advised said several French steamers with a total capacity of 2,000 refugee passengers were being coaled and provisioned for a dash to Bilbao.

Basque commanders reported government soldiers were holding their ground west of Bermeo, a fishing town only about eight miles west of Bilbao.

MISSISSIPPI AREA BEING EVACUATED

Flood Waters Moving Slowly Downstream and Rising in New Madrid District

Charleston, Mo., May 4.—(AP)—Stoically accepting the age-old mandate of the Mississippi, share croppers began evacuation of the southern half of the Bird's Point-New Madrid floodway, threatened with inundation for the second time in five months.

There were some, new to the winter or with the lessons of last winter's floods still fresh in memory, who loaded their few belongings high on wagons and made for the protection of the setback levee. But the majority flood-born and inured to the ravages of the river, tied shifts to port railings, corralled livestock and waited.

The general opinion expressed by land-owners and tenants was that "if another flood comes it will have to come."

The order for immediate evacuation was issued by the flood committee yesterday

WENDEL TESTIFIES AT KIDNAP HEARING

Victim of Parkers Seated Over Objections of Defense Counsel

Proclaims Republic



Eamon De Valera

A new constitution declaring all Ireland "a sovereign, independent democratic state" has been published by President Eamon De Valera of the Irish Free State and now awaits ratification at the general elections and a plebiscite in June. The document declares the "inalienable" right of the Irish people to choose their own form of government, provides for election of a president by direct vote, Irish as the national language and Eire as official name.

SECURITY JOB IS NOT SO ENTICING

Governor Having Some Difficulty Finding Right Man for Place

Daily Dispatch Bureau, Raleigh, May 4.—The job as director of public assistance, expected to pay a salary of not less than \$5,000 a year, is not proving as attractive as some of the other State jobs already filled and indications are that Governor Clyde R. Hoey is having some trouble in finding just the type of man he wants for this post. Current reports are that it has already been offered to J. Dewey Dorsett, chairman of the Industrial Commission, that Dorsett can still have it if he wants it. It is now no secret that the job was previously offered to Capus M. Waynick at a salary of \$6,000 a year, but that Waynick turned it down like a cold potato. It may have been offered to one or two others, also.

RIVERS OF STATE REPORTED FALLING

Raleigh, May 4 (AP) Eastern North Carolina rivers were reported falling today. Weather Bureau Chief Lee Denson said the Roanoke and Tar Rivers were down half a foot each. The Neuse at Goldsboro, he said, was falling, down to 18.2 feet already, while it neared its crest at Kinston.

SLIGHT GAINS FOR COTTON ARE SHOWN

Futures Close Steady With Middling At 13.55; Foreign Buying Is More Brisk

New York, May 4.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened steady two points lower to five higher on trade and foreign buying and more favorable reports on the foreign monetary situation. July sold up from 13.02 to 13.06 and shortly after the first half hour was selling at 13.05, when prices generally showed net advances of 4 to 7 points.

July sold up to 13.13 and later was 13.11, with prices at midday generally 10 to 15 points net higher.

Futures closed steady, 5 to 11 points higher. Spots steady, middling 13.55.

Heads U. S. Chamber



George H. Davis

George H. Davis, new president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, is a Kansas City banker, farmer and merchant. He is known in the business world as a successful wheat dealer and perhaps the largest individual land owner in Kansas.

VIOLENCE APPEARS IN MOVIE STRIKES ABOUT HOLLYWOOD

Pickets Pace Before Great Walled Film Studios of Billion Dollar Film Empire

FEDERATION WILL FILM OPPOSITION

William Green Appealed to by A. F. L. Adherents Who Protest Sign-Up Efforts of Opposing Units; Luxurious Beauty Salon Splashed With Black

Hollywood, Cal., May 4.—(AP)—Friction and a flare of violence appeared as pickets paced before the gates of the walled film studios of Hollywood today.

The friction was between the striking Federated Motion Picture Crafts and the International Association of Theatrical Stage Employees, which previously had reached an agreement with the producers.

Federation spokesmen said camera squads would be posted at the studio gates to take pictures of members of the other American Federation of Labor affiliate passing through the F. M. P. C. picket lines.

Strikers telegraphed William Green A. F. L. president, protesting that the I. A. T. S. E. was trying to sign them as members. Charles Lessing, federated crafts head, said he was asking the Los Angeles Central Labor Council to condemn it "as a company union because of its anti-strike attitude."

One of Hollywood's most luxurious beauty salons was splashed with two gallons of creosote last night by three vandals

BIG PROFIT SHOWN FOR WILSON'S ABC

Wilson, May 4 (AP)—Officials of the Wilson ABC Board today reported profits for the first nine months of the year aggregated \$80,279.78 on sales totaling \$381,196.25. The profits since the stores were opened in July, 1935, totalled \$180,325.67, it was stated.

DR. W. B. MURPHY, OF SNOW HILL, PASSES

Husband of Woman Democratic State Vice Chairman Succumbs in Duke Hospital

SUPREME COURT TO HEAR ARGUMENT ON OLD AGE PENSIONS

Constitutionality of That and Insurance Section of Social Security at Issue

MAY BE RULED ON BY MONDAY, MAY 18

Government Claims Title to \$8,000,000 of Property In This Country Turned Over by Soviet Government When Red Russia Was Recognized Here

Washington, May 4 (AP)—The Supreme Court will hear arguments tomorrow on the old age section of the social security act. Lawyers said a final decision on the act's constitutionality covering both the pensions and insurance sections might be given May 17. Arguments already have been heard on the insurance aspect of the law.

Solicitor General Stanley Reed said a decision handed down by the court yesterday might establish the government's right to \$8,000,000 worth of property in this country given to it by Soviet Russia.

The court upheld the government's right to sue for \$25,438 which the Petrograd Metal Works had on deposit with Augusta Belmont & Company, New York bankers, at the time the Soviet regime took over certain private corporations.

When the United States recognized Russia in 1933, the U. S. S. R. assigned to this government the metal works assets in this country and other property.

ZARAHOFF AGENT IS ACCUSED OF MURDER

Reuben Schenzvit, Who Operated In South America, Held In Soviet Man's Death

Jappa, Palestine, May 4.—(AP)—Reuben Schenzvit, once the South American agent for the late Sir Basil Zarahoff, Europe's munitions merchant, was hurried into court today to face charges of slaying a former Soviet official in what British intelligence officers say is a fantastic mystery.

Fearing hostile demonstrations, officials brought Schenzvit from a solitary jail cell today to appear at a preliminary investigation into the clubbing of Jacob Zwanger, former Soviet vice commissar of harbors, March 10, Schenzvit denied the charges.

Investigation of the slaying disclosed an arms smuggling ring, a secret radio station, and alleged spy activities, said intelligence officers of the British royal air force.

Zwanger's widow broke down at the hearing and wept when the victim's blood-stained clothing found on his body in a shallow grave on March 12 was offered as evidence.

TWO CANDIDATES AT BRIDGETON TIED UP

Bridgeton, May 4.—(AP)—Selection of a police chief here rested with the board of aldermen today after an election in which Leo Reel, the incumbent, and W. E. Hopewell received 126 votes each. I. H. Britte was elected mayor.

Hears Parkers' Case

Judge William Clark

Judge William Clark is presiding at the trial of the Ellis Parkers, senior and junior, in federal court in Newark, N. J. The Parkers are accused of abducting Paul Wendel and forcing him to "confess" complicity in the Lindbergh baby kidnaping.

EDWARD AND WALLY FONDLY EMBRACE AT CASTLE'S ENTRANCE

Duke Leaps from Car and Dashes for Threshold of Chateau To Greet His Beloved

WALLY WORRIED BY DELAY OF EDWARD

Was Hour Overdue at Castle de Cande; Grasps Wide-eyed Wallis Tenderly in His Arms as They Enter Castle Together Arm in Arm, Near Noon

Monts, France, May 4.—(AP)—Edward, Duke of Windsor, was reunited in the moss-covered Castle de Cande today with the woman for whom he renounced an empire, Wallis Warfield Simpson.

Five months and one day of enforced loneliness for the former King Edward VIII and "the woman I love" ended at 1:45 p. m. (7:45 a. m. eastern standard time) when the gay duke reached the ancient chateau.

He came from St. Wolfgang, Austria, by train and by motor. His betrothed was free to marry him and that was what was foremost in their hearts. He had not seen her since the dark night of December 3, when she fled to France from the abdication crisis that changed crowns for a quarter of the world.

Breathless and radiant, Wallis Simpson met her beloved at the door of the chateau.

Edward was an hour overdue and his fiancée's excitement had mounted by the minute. From Verneuil, from where the duke left the Arlberg express, the motor trip consumed four long hours.

The duke leaped from the car. He dashed to the threshold.

There he took the wide-eyed Wallis tenderly in his arms. They went inside the castle arm in arm.

LIQUOR ELECTION IN COLUMBUS IS HELD

Whiteville, May 4.—(AP)—Columbus county voters went to the polls today in a local option election to decide whether to legalize the sale of liquor.

The county has been consistently dry heretofore and the dry forces have waged a vigorous campaign during recent weeks. The election is being held under the local option act passed by the last legislature.

DOCTORS OF STATE MEET AT WINSTON

Strosnider Warns of Socializing Medicine; Women Elect Leaders

Winston-Salem, May 4.—(AP)—With 550 doctors and their wives already registered and still others coming, the North Carolina Medical Society opened its annual convention here today with prospects for a record attendance.

Dr. C. F. Strassner, of Goldsboro, president, called the first general session to order and delivered the annual president's message. While hailing the advent of more medical attention for the masses, Dr. Strosnider warned against immature socialized medicine.

MRS. W. T. RAINEY NAMED PRESIDENT OF AUXILIARY

Winston-Salem, May 4.—(AP)—Mrs. W. T. Rainey, was installed as president of the Women's Auxiliary of the North Carolina Medical Society at the annual convention here this morning. She succeeds Mrs. J. R. Terry, of Lexington.

Other officers are Mrs. Terry, of Lexington, vice-president, and Mrs. George K. Mitchell, of Wilson, recording secretary.

Who Said Pacific?



The Pacific Ocean is anything but pacific (which means calm, peaceful) as the MacDonough, one of Uncle Sam's newest type destroyers rides high on a big wave during the naval maneuvers near Hawaii.

HARLAN PUBLICITY MAY NOT BE GOOD

Effect Back in Kentucky Hills Will Be Watched at Capital

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Columnist

Washington, May 4.—It will be interesting to observe whether or not the civilizations (or lack of them) of such odd, out-of-date communities as that of Harlan county, Kentucky, can be speedily modernized by such publicity as has been given to them by investigation like the La Follette senatorial quiz into civil liberty violations.

It may seem as if the ruling class in Harlan county, for example, must have been brought to a realization of the fact that its methods are re-

SCANT ADVANCE IS MADE FOR STOCKS

Late Flurry in Ralls Inspires Support Elsewhere; Turn-Over Is 850,000 Shares

New York, May 4 (AP)—Without excitement or other feverish symptoms, stock market leaders trudged into higher territory today for gains of fractions to three or more points. Trading volume was only slightly larger than yesterday's restricted aggregate and the ticker tape dozed frequently. A little profit selling was in evidence now and then and most top marks were trimmed down near the fourth hour.

Bonds and commodities were quiet. There was a late flurry in the rails, which inspired support elsewhere. Transfers were around 850,000 shares.

American Radiator 22 1-8 American Telephone 159 3-4 American Tobacco B 82 Anaconda 53 1-8 Atlantic Coast Line 48 1-4 Atlantic Refining 31 9-8 Bendix Aviation 21 1-2 Bethlehem Steel 87 1-8 Chrysler 115 1-2 Columbia Gas and Elec Co. 14 Commercial 16 Continental Oil Co 16 1-8 DuPont 155 7-8 Elec Power & Light 20 3-8 General Electric 54 1-8 General Motors 59 3-4 Liggett & Myers B 98 7-8 Montgomery Ward & Co 54 1-2 Reynolds Tob B 51 1-4 Southern Railway 83 1-2 Standard Oil Co N J 68 3-8 U. S. Steel 104

FAMILY OF SLAIN UNION ORGANIZER TELLS OF KILLING

Brother Tells How He Was Clubbed and Left by Roadside by Body of Slain Man

LAW IS SOUGHT TO REGISTER FIREARMS

Bailey in Statement Says No City, County or State Should Be Given Dollar of Federal Relief Unless It Was Helpless Itself To Meet Needs

Washington, May 4 (AP)—Members of the family of a recently slain Kentucky mine union organizer came before the Senate civil liberties committee today to relate their experiences with sudden death in the Harlan county hills.

The organizer, Lloyd Clouse, was shot to death ten days ago at Verda, Harlan county. His brother, Jasper, was one of those to take the stand.

Jasper said the fatal shots were fired by Bill Lew and Melvin Moore, two deputy sheriffs in the pay of a coal company.

The shooting occurred after the Clouse brothers had walked out of a liquor dispensary. Jasper, thin-lipped and taciturn, said he was beaten and left lying in the road beside his dead brother.

While the Senate committee concerned itself with that story of leaden death, Attorney General Cummings urged congressional leaders to enact a law requiring registration with the Internal Revenue Bureau of every rifle, shotgun, revolver or pistol.

Meanwhile, Senator Bailey, Democrat, North Carolina, said in a statement "no city, county or state ought to draw a dollar from the Federal Treasury unless it is actually unable to provide funds for unemployment relief."

"The Federal administration," Bailey said, "ought to proceed with the objective of localizing the problem and to reverse its present program of making it a permanent Federal activity."

"The problem is local and becomes general only when the local unit is

WAKE WILL VOTE ON LIQUOR NEXT MONTH

County Commissioners Request Board of Election To Order Referendum on ABC

Raleigh, May 4.—(AP)—The Wake county commissioners voted unanimously today to request the Wake County Board of Elections to order a referendum on establishment of liquor stores in the county under the 1937 local option law.

Election board members indicated they would set June 22 for the vote. Durham recently voted in favor of liquor stores and in Dare county, where dries apparently won by a narrow majority, a hearing is scheduled for tomorrow.

RASKOB AND DUPONT INTIMATE FRIENDS

Status of Their Relationships Told at Tax Hearing in New York Federal Court

New York, May 4 (AP)—The close business and personal relationships existing between Pierre DuPont and John J. Raskob was described today in the hearing of the government case to collect about \$1,800,000 taxes on the 1929 incomes of the two financiers and industrialists.

Nathan Leming, chief counsel for the Internal Revenue Bureau, brought out the details of its relationship in questioning Harold Speer, office manager and statistician for Raskob.

DENHARDT'S FATE NOW NEARING JURY

Deliberations To Be Begun Late Today or Tomorrow in Murder Case

Newcastle, Ky., May 4.—(AP)—To the steady patter of rain on an old tin roof, lawyers hammered away today at the evidence that by tonight or tomorrow may acquit or convict Brigadier General Henry Denhardt of the murder of his fiancée.

Wirt Turner, of prosecution counsel, opened with a defense of Sergeant John Messmer, Louisville police criminologist, who was attacked yesterday by Defense Counsel Rhodes

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