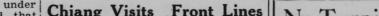


held. "So far," he asserted, "the debate



has kept fairly close to the bill under consideration." He emphasized that toring taking the emphasized that toking the emphasized the emphasize

administration is not taking sides" in the anti-lynching fight.

Barkley and other administration leaders have been hopeful some decision could be reached soon, so that the government reorganization bill, next on the Senate calendar, can be taken up.

Farm Bill Is Balked **On** Cotton

Yangtze valley fronts were reported today to have pushed back Japanese Washington, Jan. 17 .- (AP)-A joint committee seeking to compromise dif- invaders in a series of counter atferences between the Senate and tacks.

Advices through Chinese channels House farm bills struck a snag tosaid Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, day after the new cotton program. One of the conferees who declined to in a second visit to front lines, had ordered his troops "not to retreat a be quoted by name, said an agreement

might be delayed so long that the single inch." Chinese reported that: Agriculture Department would have 1. The Chinese eighth army, orto continue the 1937 program into the ganized from once outlawed communcotton planting season, which will beist units, inflicted heavy losses on Jagin soon in some localities. panese in central Shanghai province.

He said the conferees disagreed on these points:

tze river above Nanking pushed back Whether the program should appy marketing quotas would be imposed Japanese outposts, occupied two vilto the 1938 crop; whether compulsory lages near Wuhu and prepared for an attempt to recapture Wuhu itself. when a prospective crop reached 18,-3. A Chinese guerilla unit captured 000,000 bales, or 21,000,000 bales. the

Chautempts Again Trying

Blum Fails; Meantime, All France Waits Solution

of Political and Labor Problem

temps struggled in an anxious atmos- of the failure to organize a ministry.

phere today to form a new people's creased by new discoveries of hidden

front ministry to end France's four- arms in the Suret Nationale's drive

day crisis, precipitated when his own against leftist and rightist revolu-

previous ministers.

cabinet resigned Friday in the face of tionary organizations.

financial and labor troubles.

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and Orders His Men Not to Retreat Single

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vaders; Chinese Sources

Claim Enemy Beaten Back

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Planes Used

Dean Noe Asserts **COMMUNIST ARMY**

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 17.—(AP) —Dean Israel Harding Noe assert-ed with conviction today there would be no "turning back" in his **HURLS JAPS BACK** search for spiritual perfection and immortality. Inflicts Heavy Losses on In-

"Nobody who has seen me can say I am taking food on the sly," he said, "I look ghostly; you can see it.

"Dr. Fishbein (of the American on Yangtze River Also Op-Medical Association Journal) is posite Shanghai; Soviet right. No man could live on oranges alone in the natural plane. The oranges only give me energy last year. I have displaced the need for oranges by building up within the spiritual strength and energy." Shanghai, Jan. 17.-(AP)-Chinese armies of the northern central and Dean Noe spoke on the sixteenth day of his fast without food or water. He gave up his last material food except for the communion water and a sip of wine three times

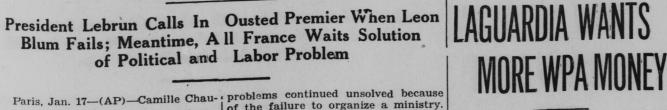
weekly on January 2.



Police Hold Back Crowds as Irish-English Peace Parley Begins

Kai-Shek's nationalist regime. London, Jan. 17 (AP)—Special po-lice details were stationed in Downing Street today to hold back hundreds Kawagoe, Japanese ambassador to China, suggested the setting up of To Form French Cabinet of Irish men and women gathered here to cheer Eamon de Valera, as the prime minister of Ireland arrived for Asia.

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New York Mayor Urges Further Federal Funds **To Resist Recession**

After his conference with Lebrun, President Albert Lebrun summoned Chautemps indicated he would at-Washington, Jan. 17.-(AP)-New the radical socialist former premier tempt to form a cabinet modeled sub-York's Mayor Laguardia advocated toafter Leon Blum, socialist leader, fail- stantially on his old people's front day a new Federal public works lended to gain support for a "national government, retaining several of his ing program to meet the business re-

of the Chamber of Deputies and was evident throughout the nation as developing to a new Chautemps cab-France's acute financial and labor inet.

Federal Judge Fred L. Wham, of East St. Louis, Ill., is pictured above. He ruled that sixty-six members of the Progressive Mine Workers of America and seven locals of the union must pay \$117,000 for damages caused by a long strike at a coal mine near Freeburg, Ill.

Relations With

Chiang; No Hope of

Terms With Leader

Tokyo, Jan. 17.-(AP)-Establish-

ment of a new central Chinese gov-

ernment centering on Shanghai was

proposed today as sequel to Japanese

withdrawal of recognition of Chiang

A statement attributed to Shigern

such a government as Japan's next move toward "pacification" of east

"It is imperative that Japan and a

new Chinese regime able to work to-

gether cooperate to tide over the dif-ficult situation," Kagawoe was quoted

in a Domei (Japanese) News agency

"I believe the atmosphere is fast de-

veloping to favor establishment of a

new regime in central China. In that

event, it would not be difficult to ad-

dispatch, adding:

vate companies, but added "the utilities have made this difficult by ask ing a price that nobody can afford to pay.

(Central Press)

Willkie said his proposal was a re-ply to President Roosevelt's suggestion that the utilities sell their distribution systems to cities in the area.

power plants Senator Norris, Independent, No-

government should make purchases

only to avoid duplicating transmis-

sion lines or other equipment of pri-

DECLINES LISTED IN COTTON PRICES Japan Seeks Disappointing Cables, Liquidation and Hedge Selling Depress Trad-ing Activity Senate Committee

Utah, objected to the government's was taken before he began a fast to

his vitality.

Meets Thursday to Start Hearings If

New Regime New York, Jan. 17 (AP)-Cotton futures opened three to five points down, on disappointing cables and un-For Chinese der liquidation and hedge selling. May reacted from 8.98 to 8.95, and shortly after the first half hour the market showed net losses of four to six points. May reached from 8.58 to 9.54, and around midday was selling at 8.55,

Sequel to Breaking with prices generally four to seven with prices generally four to seven Supreme Court. points net lower.

> WEATHER tucky, who said the sub-committee FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy tonight and Tues-day; colder Tuesday and in west and north portions tonight.

would meet Thursday "to see whether any one wants to be heard." Members of the Senate Judiciary (Continued on Page Three.)

New Dealers Are Grooming

Roosevelt For Third Term

Only He, They Reason, Can Revamp Reforms Supreme

Court Killed, and It Can't be Done During Remain-

ing Three Years of His Present Term

recreation hour at Henderson high school at 10:30 a, m. today. Their show consisted of dog and monkey prove that "man can live by spiritual food alone." After two weeks without acts and performances by birds, all braska, father of the TVA, said the food he amazed his parishioners with of which they had in their truck-trailer. They were to have given the same

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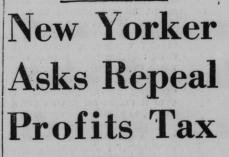
Expect No Mayor Hague Opposition Turns Down **Upon Reed** Senate Seat

Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 17.-(AP)-Governor-Elect Harry Moore offered his United States Senate seat to Mayor Frank Hague of Jersey City, as a "birthday present" today, but the mayor turned it down.

Any Are Demanded Moore, a Democrat and close ally of Democratic State Leader Hague, will be inaugurated as New Jersey's gov-

Washington, Jan. 17 (AP)-A Sen- ernor tomorrow. He had said he would ate Judiciary sub-committee called a name his successor to the Senate Wednesday. hearing today for Thursday on the

Hague, 62 years old today, declined nomination of Stanley Reed to the the Senate seat, he said, "because it would look too much as if I were run-The sub-committee was formally set ning away from a fight. He is enup by the full judiciary committee to gaged in a bitter verbal battle with consider the nomination. It is headthe Committee for Industrial Ored by Senator Logan, Democrat, Kenganization and Civil Liberties Union, having charged their leaders were communists.



No Tax More Hated or Puts More Fear In Business, Witness Declares

Washington, Jan. 17 .- (AP)-A representative of the New York Board of Trade urged the House Ways and Means Committee today to approve immediate appeal of the undistributed gress stays adequately New Dealer- profits and capital gains taxes as a "stimulant" to business.

M. L. Seidman, chairman of the board's tax committee, said no tax was "more hated and discredited or puts such fear in business.'

Seidman was the first private witsional re-drafting, tinkering, debate ness at hearings on tax revision refilibustering and what-not. Mean-All dates have passed for the Jus- while there will have been at least commendations of a ways and means

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just relations between the North China and Ceneral China regimes." dinary course of nature (not by en-(A new Japanese-inspired government of Peiping made up of Chinese vacancies on the bench) the question (Continued on Page Three.) arises: How long will it take the New Deal forces to reverse the long series of de- ish) will have to pass fresh legisla-**KALENIN HEAD OF** cisions rendered against their policies SOVIET PRESIDIUM lominantly conservative? Moscow, Jan. 17 (AP)-Michael Apparently the task will require Kalenin was chosen chairman of the Presiduum of the Supreme Soviet to-

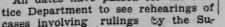
cases involving rulings by the Su-

By CHARLES P. STEWART | preme Court justices (or a majority **Central Press Columnist** of them) against the constitutionality Washington, Jan. 17.-Now that the of New Dealersishly-inspired enact-United States Supreme Court is in ments. Rehearings of judicial findings process of being liberalized in the or must be asked for speedily, or such

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tion, substantially duplicating that in the days when the tribunal was pre- which the Supreme Court previously has knocked out.

This will involve a deal of congres onsiderable time.



largement of its membership, but by findings become embalmed as permaappointments to fill normally-created nent precedents, and it is too late to

revive what already is embalmed. No, a New Deal Congress (if Con-