

M'CALL ADMITS KIDNAP-SLAYING CASH BOY

Britain And France Plan Drastic Moves To Check Air Raids

London Tired of Shooting Protests Into Franco's Pigeon-Holes About Shipping

EXTREME MEASURES MAY BE LAUNCHED

Fifteen Neutral Ships Sunk Or Damaged In Two Weeks and Bombings Continue; French Foreign Minister Outraged by Recent Bomb Devastations

London, June 10.—(AP)—Britain, fully backed by France, and tired of shooting protests into Franco's pigeon-holes, concentrated today on finding a drastic but practical means of stopping the Spanish insurgent deadly air raids on Anglo-French shipping.

George Bonnet, the French foreign minister, was reported to have told Sir Eric Phipps, the British ambassador in Paris, that France was willing to cooperate with London in extreme measures to end the Mediterranean scourge of lead and steel, which has sunk or damaged at least 15 neutral ships in two weeks.

Sir Eric was believed to have reported to London Bonnet was outraged by the savage attack yesterday on the French freighter Brisbane at Denia, in which seven persons were killed and eight wounded.

Britons were exasperated by the series of attacks yesterday. A lone insurgent air raider, flying an Italian-made seaplane, again bombed Alicante, Denia and the British-owned port of Gandia today, Madrid reported.

The British freighter Thorpehall, which was bombed three days ago at Alicante, again was struck and started sinking stern first.

At Gandia, the "phantom" raider, repeating his practice of striking about midnight, destroyed the main warehouse of the British-owned port and sank a small Spanish coastal schooner.

At Denia, he returned to the attack on the French freighter Brisbane and dropped two bombs aboard the crippled ship.

Negro Pays With Life For Raping

Raleigh, June 10.—(AP)—Empie Baldwin, 25-year-old Columbus county Negro, was executed at State's Prison today for rape.

The Negro entered the chamber at 10:33 P. M., the gas switch was thrown at 10:36, and he was pronounced dead 12 minutes and seven seconds later.

After being seated in the chamber Baldwin asked to see John W. Hall, former Columbus county sheriff, who was in the witness chamber. Hall could not hear the Negro's words because of thick glass between them.

"Tell my mother I died and am going to Jesus," Baldwin was quoted.

Japs Sever Peiping Rail Line South

Launch New Attack Immediately, With Only Feeble Chinese Resistance

Shanghai, June 10.—(AP)—Japanese cut the Peiping-Hankow railroad for the first time south of the Yellow river today and launched an attack on Chengchow against feeble resistance as their drive inland through the heart of China gained momentum.

Chengchow is the junction of the Peiping-Hankow main line between Hankow, China's provisional capital, and the central front, and the east-west Lungtai railroad, the eastern end of which the Japanese already have captured.

Hankow-Chengchow traffic was

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Shot by Jap



Dr. Frederick Scovil (above), Cortland, N. Y., missionary, was shot and seriously wounded by an intoxicated Japanese soldier at Tsining, Shantung province, China, while protecting Chinese nurses in a hospital operated by the American Presbyterian Mission.

(Central Press)

Court Gives Ford Permit For Appeals

U. S. Court in Kentucky Denies Labor Board Right To Withdraw Order

Covington, Ky., June 10 (AP)—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals today permitted the Ford Motor Company an appeal to the Supreme Court on the National Labor Relations Board order of December 22 requiring compliance with the Wagner labor act. The court refused the board permission to withdraw records from the case until the appeal is disposed of.

The court overruled five specific Ford motions, including one seeking leave to interrogate the Labor Board members and New Deal advisors about formulation of the original order. Petition for oral arguments was denied.

Ford had proposed questioning J. W. Madden, Labor Board chairman, and Benjamin Cohen and Thomas Corcoran, advisory aides to President Roosevelt; attaches of the Detroit and Washington offices of the board, witnesses and others. The court also overruled Ford's motion for a confessed judgment against the board through the latter's failure to answer certain questions, which the board in turn contended it was not required to answer.

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MAXWELL PROGRAM WILL BE OPPOSED

Six-Point Safety Project Outlined to Conference in Asheville

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Six-Point Project

Raleigh, June 10.—The six-point safety program Commissioner of Revenue A. J. Maxwell recommended for the North Carolina Safety Conference at Asheville last night is sure to meet opposition on some of its points.

It is also sure to start agitation for some other things, outside the immediate scope of the safety program, such as removal of the State Highway Patrol (which Maxwell increased) from the control of Mr. Maxwell's department and placing it under the State Highway Commission, where so many things belong.

Other points of discussion which will be raised will be touched upon after the six points stressed by the revenue commissioner have been

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Eight Army Airmen Dead From Crash

Huge Bombing Plane Destroyed In Fall at Farm In Illinois During Bad Storm

BELIEVED STRUCK BY LIGHTNING BOLT

Bodies So Badly Mangled Identities Are Impossible Immediately; Farm Woman Says There Was Explosion, With Debris Flying Into the Air

Delavan, Ill., June 10 (AP)—Eight Army Air Corps men were killed today in the crash of a huge army bomber on the Youle farm north of here during a brief but violent storm.

Miss Laura Youle said she believed the craft was struck by lightning. "There was an explosion, debris flew in the air, and the ship came down about half a mile from our farm house," she said. "It fell on muddy ground. Wings and fuselage were badly torn. At least seven bodies were strewn around, some wearing unopened parachutes, and one was still in the plane."

An army bomber carrying three officers and five enlisted men was missing on a flight from Chanute field, Rantoul, Ill., to Denver, Col. Air Corps authorities at Rantoul would not say definitely the crashed plane was the missing bomber, but admitted they had been out of communication with the ship for hours.

Henry Houghton Delavan, undertaker, said victims were uniforms. The bodies were so badly mangled, he said, he was unable to determine immediately if there were eight or nine.

The missing bomber left Rantoul at 9:25 a. m., central standard time, on what officers said was a "routine flight" to Denver.

The three officers aboard were identified as Captain Richard Reeves, Lieutenant Norman Ives and a man listed only as Lanhen.

COTTON IS LOWER IN CLOSING PRICE

Early Strength in New York Exchange Vanishes, With Loss Slight at the End

New York, June 10.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened seven to ten points higher on reports of more rain in the Belt and complaints of Asect activity. After October had advanced to 8.28, a little realizing developed late in the first hour, and that month reacted to 8.22 with the list at net gains of six to seven points. October reacted from 8.28 to 8.15, leaving prices net unchanged to two points higher 3-round middling.

Futures closed one to four points lower; spot steady, middling 8.19.

Table with columns: Open, Close, July, October, December, January, March, May.

Labor Leaders Employing Bad Strategy At Present

Calling of Strikes at Time Like This Is Weaning Support Away; Unions Are Becoming Rackets, Babson Declares; Cites One High Type Union

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Chicago, Illinois, June 10.—The present tactics of the AFOFL and the CIO are deplorable. While there are many causes for the protracted business recession, one of the biggest is the labor controversy. The actions of labor leaders are hurting business badly and are doing permanent injury to their own members. I do not understand what these leaders are expecting to accomplish by their current "strategy". It is unpatriotic to foment labor troubles and issue strike orders at this time. Moreover, with millions of Americans out of jobs and eager to work, it seems ridiculous from labor's own standpoint.

Of course, labor troubles are much less in number today than they were a year ago. At the time conditions were almost hopeless. Until recently,

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Salisbury Daily Paper Suspended

Salisbury, June 10.—(AP)—The Morning Herald announced suspension in a front page editorial this morning. Business conditions, with no prospect of an increase in advertising appropriations, was cited as the reason for suspension. The plant will be held intact, the editorial stated, so publication may be resumed, if justified. The paper published its first issue September 1, 1937.

ROOSEVELT'S LONE FORMAL SPEECH IS AT MARIETTA, OHIO

Any Number of Informal Talks Will Be Made During Cross-Country Trip, However

HE WILL BACK UP NEW DEAL RUNNERS

PWA Plans To Assign Federal Inspectors To Speed All Projects Under New Spending Program; All Possible Delay Will Be Eliminated Quickly

Washington, June 10.—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today the only formal speech he now expects to make on his cross-country trip next month would be at Marietta, Ohio.

He indicated, however, he probably would make a number of informal talks. The trip, which will give Mr. Roosevelt numerous opportunities to express directly or indirectly his favor for Democratic primary senatorial candidates, will be through several states between the national capital and California.

The President gave no indication at his press conference, nor has any White House aide yet indicated, what part Governor A. B. Chandler, of Kentucky, who is running against Senator Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky, candidate for renomination

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DEATH AT WELDON IS BEING PROBED

Body of Norwegian Paper Mill Worker Found in Woods Near Roanoke River Thursday

Weldon, June 10.—(AP)—A coroner's jury probed today the death of Karre Strand, a Norwegian whose body was found in a woods near the Roanoke river.

A group of small boys found the body yesterday. Several handkerchiefs were tied around the neck. The man wore only trousers and a glove. His other clothing, including his overcoat, were in a bundle a few feet away.

A letter of introduction among his effects showed he was a representative of a Norwegian company, and was enroute to Plymouth, N. C., to install some machinery for a paper container manufacturing company. Deputy Sheriff Howard said the man had apparently been dead for a week.

LABOR LEADERS EMPLOYING BAD STRATEGY AT PRESENT

Calling of strikes at time like this is weaning support away; unions are becoming rackets, Babson declares; cites one high type union

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LED G-MEN TO CASH BOY'S BODY



Here is Franklin Pierce McCall, 21-year-old Princeton, Fla., truck driver, after his arrest as a suspect in the kidnaping-slaying, of James Bailey Cash, Jr., 5, whose body was found under an orchard tree less than a mile from the spot his father paid the \$10,000 ransom. J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the G-Men announced McCall admitted writing the three ransom notes and accepting the ransom money, which was found in a hole at the corner of the orchard. McCall, federal agents said, led them to the body of the boy.

Rails To Get No U. S. Help This Session

Roosevelt Contemplates No Special Message; Says It's Up to Congress

Washington, June 10.—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today he did not contemplate any special message to the current Congress urging enactment of railroad legislation. Talking to reporters at his press conference, he left the impression the question of such legislation was entirely up to Congress.

The administration learned, meanwhile, from an eleventh-hour congressional canvass, that it could not count on enacting immediate legislation to alleviate the financial plight of the railroads.

Even a new program of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to hasten operation of the bankruptcy "wringers", leaders agreed, has virtually no chance of consideration at this session.

Meanwhile, the House Rules Committee approved plans for an investigation of the radio industry and the Federal Communications Commission. Chairman O'Connor, Democrat, New York, declined to discuss the committee's favorable vote on the resolution providing the inquiry. The com-

STEEL SHIPMENTS SHOW LARGE DROP

Finished Products of "Big Steel" Decline for Month and for Year Up to Present

New York, June 10.—(AP)—Shipments of finished steel products by United States Steel Corporation subsidiaries in May decreased 36,891 tons, to 465,081 tons, and compared with 1,034,029 in May last year. The total was the lowest for any month since December, 1934.

Shipments for the first five months of the year totaled 2,532,297 tons, a decrease from 6,345,724 tons in the comparable 1937 period.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Partly cloudy, possibly local thundershowers in north portion tonight or Saturday.

HANDKERCHIEF WAS PLACED OVER EYES AND MOUTH OF BOY

Took Child to His Home and Found He Was Dead, Then Hid Body, McCall Confesses

NO CONFEDERATES IN BRAZEN CRIME

Details of Whole Procedure Outlined to G-Men by Prisoner, Says Edgar Hoover, FBI Chief, Who Declares Sensational Florida Case Is Solved

Miami, Fla., June 10 (AP)—With an eight-page written confession from Franklin McCall that he roughly snatched James Bailey Cash, Jr., from his bed, found the boy dead, and then collected \$10,000 ransom from the father, J. Edgar Hoover announced today the sensational case has been solved.

"The case is now completely solved" said the director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. "We have a full confession from the sole participant in the crime."

Hoover announced today Franklin P. McCall had confessed the entire Cash kidnaping and that he killed five-year-old James Bailey Cash, Jr. The Federal Bureau of Investigation director said McCall's admission detailed that he stole the boy from his bedroom while he slept, placing a handkerchief over the child's mouth, and another over his eyes and took the boy to his home, where he found the boy was dead.

McCall had no confederates at any stage of the case, Hoover reported. McCall said he thought at first the boy still was asleep, Hoover declared, but when he awoke after about 15 minutes he was dead, he took the child in his arms and ran and walked to a spot in the woods near his home, with which he was well acquainted from hunting trips.

There he flung the body into a dense thicket, where it was found early yesterday morning.

Having disposed of the body, Hoover continued, McCall returned to his own home to get the first of three ransom notes which he had written in advance. Then, despite the death of the little victim, he took it to the shack of a Negro, John Emanuel. Disguising his voice, McCall tried to persuade the Negro to take it to James Bailey Cash, Sr. When Emanuel became frightened and fled, McCall paced it under his door.

Earlier, State's Attorney George Worley said McCall may be charged with both the murder and the kidnaping of young Cash.

Although then no formal charge had been entered against the young truck driver, Worley said he would present evidence to a special grand jury Monday on which it might indict McCall for the two crimes, both capital offenses in this State.

ALBEMARLE YOUTH VICTIM OF CRASH

Albemarle, June 10 (AP)—Spencer Efrid, 17, died in a hospital here early today of injuries received in an automobile accident last night. Police said the car overturned on a rural road near here.

Robert Wilkinson, a companion of Efrid, jumped from the automobile and was not hurt.

Asks Board Throw Out Many Votes

Smithfield, June 10 (AP)—J. Troy Young, of Dunn, candidate for the Democratic nomination for solicitor of the fourth district, who was defeated on the face of unofficial returns, asked the Johnston Elections Board today to throw out several thousand allegedly illegal ballots cast in last Saturday's primary, and investigate the vote thoroughly.

Young presented a new petition after previously having asked a recount. His new allegations included charges that thousands of voters were registered for the primary without any party designation, which are required by law, and that the whole primary in the county should be ruled illegal and void.

The petitioner contended elimination of the illegal votes would make him the nominee in the district. Solicitor C. C. Canaday, of Benson, who defeated Young, told the board it had no power to do as Young was requested, but it did have authority to make a recount. He said he would welcome a re-canvass.

G. O. P. MIGHT GET IOWA IN NOVEMBER

Gillette Victory Over Wearin May Be Even Worse For New Deal

By CHARLES F. STEWART, Central Press Columnist

Washington, June 10.—Iowa's recent primary result is being acclaimed by anti-New Deal Democrats as a victory for their political group, but the situation is not quite as simple as that.

Representative Otha D. Wearin, seeking the Democratic senatorial nomination, presumably with the New Deal's blessing, was, indeed, badly beaten by Senator Guy M. Gillette, who was renominated under circumstances which implied that the New Deal opposed him. As a matter of fact, except on the Supreme Court issue, Wearin's and Gillette's congressional records have been much the same on the New Deal. But let that pass; assume that Gillette's victory was, as anti-New Dealers contend, a triumph for their lunch.

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Run-Off Demanded In One-to-One Tie

Kinston, June 10.—(AP)—H. C. Phillips, Lenoir county planter, who received one vote for the Republican nomination for coroner to one for his opponent, Louis Cameron, asked a run-off primary today.

County election board officials said that, after all, it didn't matter, because a second primary was necessary anyhow to choose between Rivers Johnson and Abner Barker for the Democratic nomination for the sixth district solicitorship.

The situation was described by officials as "not so funny," because they said, "in view of the necessary Democratic run-off, casting of a few ballots in a G. O. P. race would make little difference to poll holders."

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JOHN C. DANIELS, 35, TOBACCONIST, DEAD

Wilson, June 10.—(AP)—John C. Daniels, 35, a tobacconist, died in a hospital here today of injuries received Wednesday night when his automobile collided with a car being towed by another car near here.