

## STATE LEGISLATURE TO MEET NEXT MONDAY

### Georgia Asks Wallace To Suspend Tobacco Penalties

#### Crop Control Law May Be Big Issue In Farming Areas

AAA Sends Agents into Cotton Belt To Combat Movement; Wheat Is Also Affected in Sentiment Rising Against Present Control Methods

Washington, August 1.—(AP)—The new crop control law may become an important issue in four major farming areas during the next few weeks. Officials of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration have sent representatives to the cotton belt to attack a "domestic allotment" program, which would permit farmers to grow all they wanted for foreign markets. Each grower would be given a share in the domestic market, for which he would receive cost of production prices.

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#### Governor In Demand On AAA Head

Face Financial Ruin Unless Action Is Taken, Rivers and George Declare

Atlanta, Ga., August 1.—(AP)—Senator Walter F. George and Governor E. D. Rivers today requested Secretary of Agriculture Wallace to suspend the tobacco marketing of flue-cured tobacco from allotted acreage without penalties. Under the national quota system, growers are limited in the amount of tobacco they may sell, whether or not the crop is produced on allotted acreage. Rivers wired that unless quotas are suspended "we face financial ruin."

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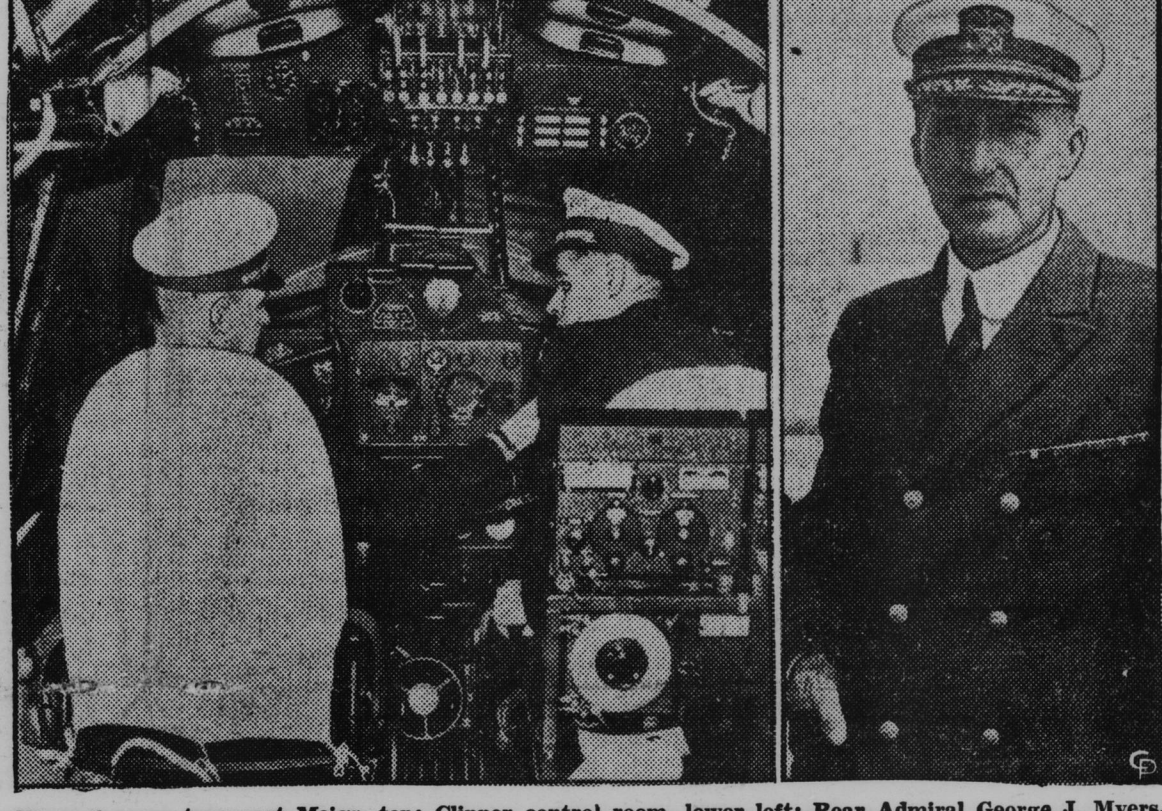
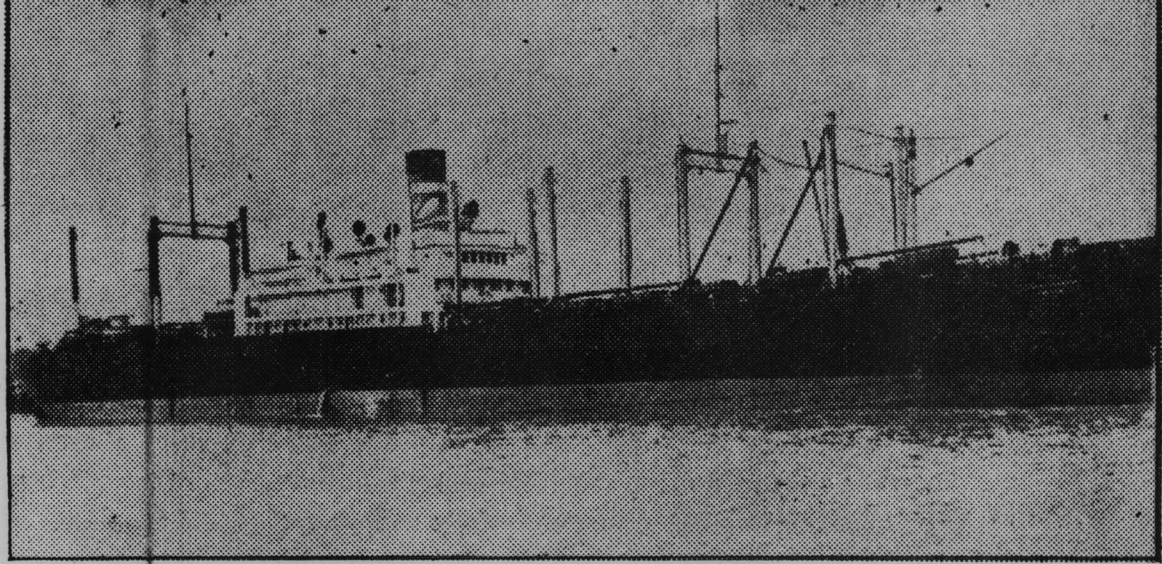
#### To Supreme Court?



Judge John P. Devaney of Minneapolis, former chief justice of the Minnesota supreme court and first president of the National Lawyers Guild, is said to be under consideration for nomination to the U. S. supreme court to fill the place left vacant by the death of Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo. Judge Devaney, a liberal Democrat, is a personal friend of President Roosevelt's.

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#### Army Ship Sights Oil Spot In Area Of Missing Plane



View of army transport Meigs, top; Clipper control room, lower left; Rear Admiral George J. Myers, lower right, directing search.

A broad oil spot on the surface of the Pacific a few miles from where the missing Hawaii Clipper last radioed its position was found by the army transport Meigs, pictured above. Greatest ocean search in history was being directed by Rear Admiral George J. Myers. At the lower left is a view of the control room of a Clipper ship. Did something go wrong here?

#### To Approve Acceptance PWA Grants

\$6,000,000 Bonds To Be Authorized To Match \$4,000,000 Government Gift

Raleigh, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Governor Hoey today called a special session of the North Carolina legislature to meet Monday, August 8, at noon. The session will consider legislation to enable North Carolina to participate in the PWA program. The formal call had not been prepared when the chief executive, by and with the consent and approval of the Council of State, issued his statement on the matter. The governor expressed hope the session would last only a week. All members of the 1937 legislature were sent telegrams to be here Monday. It will be the second special session for the assemblymen, perhaps setting a precedent. The governor said a special session "is necessary if North Carolina is to receive any aid out of the PWA appropriation for the various state institutions in the way of necessary permanent improvements and new buildings."

#### Barkley And Others Show Expenditures

Washington, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Senator Barkley told the Senate committee investigating the Kentucky Democratic primary today he had spent \$2,180 in his campaign for renomination. The Senate majority leader, who was given a warm endorsement from President Roosevelt, reported receiving contributions of \$1,915. Governor A. B. (Happy) Chandler, his opponent in the bitter Kentucky primary, last week reported expenditures of about \$1,000, and said he had received no direct contributions, though groups working in his behalf had performed "usual" services. The campaign expenditures committee, to which the reports were made, has sent representatives into Kentucky to investigate charges involving political activities by Federal and State employees. Senator Barry, candidate for renomination in the Kentucky Democratic primary, which the committee has said was marked by every kind of "questionable scheme and device," reported no contributions, and \$6,120.

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#### Court Halts Stoppage Of Pennsy Probe

Harrisburg, Pa., August 1.—(AP)—Judge Paul Schaeffer held today that the Pennsylvania legislature could not suspend a grand jury investigation of political graft and corruption charges against Governor George H. Earle and 13 others high in State Democratic ranks. Legislation to permit the General Assembly to take the projected inquiry away from a grand jury and place it in the hands of a legislative committee was passed Saturday and signed by the governor. Judge Schaeffer's opinion today was on a petition by District Attorney Carl Shelly, of Dauphin county. He is in charge of the

#### 50 Russian Planes Raid Jap Borders

Four Brought Down in Korean Territory; Moscow Reports Heavy Jap Losses

Hsinking, Manchoukuo, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The Japanese army announced today that 50 Soviet war planes inflicted slight damage on railways in an afternoon raid on Changkufeng and vicinity in the disputed border region. It said four Soviet aircraft were brought down on Korean territory, while one was believed down in Manchoukuo after the raiders dropped nearly 30 bombs. The announcement said Japanese used only anti-aircraft fire as they were too near the border to use defensive planes. In Moscow, Japan was reported to have "strongly rebuffed" in a clash on the Siberian-Manchoukuo frontier "enduring great losses both of men and material. Only brief newspaper reports of the incident were published, however. There was no specific editorial comment except in the army organ, Red Star, and Soviet circles apparently did not regard the border incidents as the beginning of a large-scale Russo-Japanese conflict.

#### Governor To Ask Sale Of Mullet Road

State Has Offer at Profit for Goldsboro-Morehead Line; Make it Pay

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#### Carry-Overs Of Cotton At Record Peak

New Orleans, La., Aug. 1.—(AP)—The 1937-38 carry-over of American cotton, including linters, was placed at the all-time high of 13,803,000 bales in the annual report of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange today. The carry-over last year was 6,108,000 bales. Various private agencies have estimated the carry-over of foreign growers at about 10,000,000 bales, which, combined with the American carry-over, gives the world a total carry-over of about 23,000,000 bales, the largest in history. Henry Plauche, secretary of the exchange, said that of this amount, the government was holding under its loan program a total of 6,796,780 bales. Cotton futures prices, now between 8 1/2 and nine cents a pound, are only about 30 points above the government loan figure. Plauche estimated consumption of American cotton, including linters, at 12,162,000 bales, compared with 14,426,000 bales last year. Exports were placed at 5,953,872 bales, compared with 5,776,000 bales.

#### Democrats Badly Split Despite Popularity Of The President Himself

By CHARLES P. STEWART, Central Press Columnist. Washington, Aug. 1.—Judging from Democratic primary results thus far the party still is split pretty wide open between "pro" and "anti" New Dealers. President Roosevelt appears to be amply popular personally. If he were to run right now for a third term the indications are that he would win handsomely, regardless of the two-term precedent. But when Democratic voters come to the selection of their senatorial, representative and state candidates they seem inclined to do their choosing without much regard for what presumably are his wishes. To be sure, some New Dealers have been renominated but there has been

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#### Ray Of Hope Is Yet Left For Clipper

Fact No Wreckage Has Been Found Is Slender Thread Observers Cling To. Manila, P. I., Aug. 1.—(AP)—A new note of optimism was sounded tonight in the apparently hopeless search for the lost Hawaii Clipper and its 15 passengers. As army and navy craft ended their fourth day of far flung search with the report "found nothing," aeronautical experts of the Philippines department of communications expressed belief that the 26-ton flying boat might still be afloat. In support of their theory, they pointed to the fact that intensive search of the area where the Clipper last was heard from had failed to disclose a single bit of wreckage. They added the Clipper's radio might have failed after its last report, and that it might have left its course for some unknown reason and landed at a spot outside the present search zone.

#### \$50,000 In Cash Taken by Yeggmen In New York Bank

New York, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Four gunmen held up a branch of the Banco di Napoli Trust Company at First Avenue and 12th Street early this afternoon. Police said they fled with \$50,000 in cash. An armed guard usually on duty in the bank was at lunch when the gunmen entered. They cowed 14 customers and nine employees. The cash they seized was to have been transferred later in the day to the banking firm's main branch on lower Broadway. The branch bank is in the heart of a push-cart district on the lower East Side.

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#### Troops Might Not Be Sent Memphis

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 1.—(AP)—A statement by Governor Gordon Browning that he would not send troops into Memphis for election day duty "unless I change my mind," eased somewhat today tense preparations for the Tennessee Democratic primary Thursday. A governor, United States senator and public utilities commissioner are to be nominated, but a break between Browning and National Committeeman E. H. Crump, leader of the powerful Shelby county political organization, far overshadowed all other activities. Memphis is the citadel of Crump, whose organization is supporting Prentiss Cooper, an attorney, against Browning's bid for renomination. The troops were held from scheduled movements into Mississippi for third army maneuvers by verbal order from Governor Browning.

#### Great Britain Protests On Japs' Attitude

Shanghai, August 1.—(AP)—Great Britain protested to Japanese authorities today against what was called the "increasingly belligerent attitude" of sentries guarding bridges from the international settlement into Japanese-controlled sections of Shanghai. The protest was the outgrowth of the alleged "rough-housing" of Miss Dorothea Lintilhac when she crossed the garden bridge on the wrong side of the street. Meanwhile, three Japanese columns, attempting to fight their way up the Yangtze river toward Hankow, China's provisional capital, were held to a

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#### WEATHER

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy, scattered shower Tuesday and possibly in west portion tonight.

#### 38 Are Hurt In Crash Of Fast Trains

New York Central's Luxury Fliers Collide Near Toledo; Three Are Serious. Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 1.—(AP)—A crash of two New York Central luxury trains, the Mercury and the Commodore Vanderbilt, left 38 injured persons in hospitals today and others with minor hurts. Three passengers were in serious condition. Sixteen were taken to Toledo hospitals, eight to Port Clinton and 14 to Cleveland. Dr. George Foe, aboard the Mercury, said he treated about 50 persons at the scene. The Mercury, bound from Detroit to Cleveland, grazed an automobile

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#### Election Reforms To Be Banned At Extra Session

Governor Wants Only PWA Loan Legislation and Will Have His Way; Reform of Election Laws Would Take Weeks To Frame and Enact

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In The Sir Walter Hotel. Raleigh, Aug. 1.—As Governor Clyde R. Hoey debates whether or not to call a special session of the General Assembly, speculation increases as to whether or not such a session could be confined to consideration of authorization of PWA grants to the State for use in construction of indispensable buildings at State institutions. In the forefront of the speculation is the matter of election law reform, a matter very much in the public eye because of the current probe of many and varied charges of fraud, corruption, connivance and neglect in the administration of the laws now on the statute books. It would appear clear that Governor Hoey isn't going to call any special session unless he has the assurance

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