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Senate Poll Favors Trade Program

Supporters of Recip-Trade Agreements Claim Program Will Pass Senate By Close Margin of

> Feb. 22.-(AP)- An nell was said austay to have indicatwould approve the reciprocal trade har margin.

iducted by Senators ewit, Kentucky: Har-mit Mississippi; and South Carolina. n administration alosing that if all 96 ared the roll call, 49 an amendment to reattrication of trade 41 would favor it and six would be in doubt. makimum strength on a amendment, support-were confident of final he program. The admintegists did not count on Republicans voting for

gainst the extension bill ert or the program as at Republicans would be

Franchises Are Granted

Feb. 22.--(AP)-The Carich Co. got franchises from Of Ipi.
Our casualties were light" said a ties commission today to op-ses from Durham via Wake

Rodgers Will Is Probated

Feb. 22.—(AP)—The will Rodgers prominent Southand for nearly 40

ount \$170,000 was listed

No "Purge" Attempts Are Expected

tion. Feb. 22.—(AP)—Sevcratic senators expressed day that President Rooseretrain from any general eleat anti-administration

ds-off attitude would con-1938 stand when he

sation in any primary without meaning to.

bett Democrat, West Vir- tion. nistration critic, said

that thought that the ad- and probably none to any city or going to "gun" for

Candy for Finnish Tots



Candy makes a big hit with Finnish child refugees sheltered temporarily at a school in Luonenjoki, out of reach of the Russian war machine. The children are wasting no time going after the sweets being distributed by the Finnish Relief Commission, which is headed by former U. S. President Herbert Hoover.

Rumanian Military Activities Speeded

Monday.

following authoritative reports that

ernment's ban on exports of avia-

Dr. Karl Clodius, German econo-

mic expert, is expected here Mon-

day for showdown conversations to

of this country's oil exports.

Germany will challenge the ban

will depend upon the outcome of Dr

Of Six Years.

States should be limited to one term

and that the term should be six years

Carolina governors to a single term.

Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

Partly cloudy and continued cold tonight and Friday, pre-

ceded by snow in the mountains this afternoon and possibly to-

tion gasoline to the Reich.

day, scratic leaders predictive than 25 Democrats linst the extension bill. to a speech in New On Frontier Of India

New Delhi, India, Feb. 22.-(AP) -Bloody combat broke out today on the troubled northwest frontier as British military forces moved into that jagged land of ambuscade and adventure to clean out marauding tribesmen and perhaps to meet again Germany was challenging the gov- Farewell Address their old and elusive foe, the Fakir

military communique. "The second of two columns encountered consider-Rocky Mount and from Ra- able opposition from tribesmen con-

get exclusive rights over and 15a between Ra-ford and Richmond, Va... mors of possible Soviet Russian in-ters. cursions through Afghanistan-and a Britain at war in Europe intends to tually general mobilization. take no unnecessary chances.

Patrol Raids On West Front

Paris, Feb. 22.-(AP) - French instanding business man machine gunners drove off three have taken to placate Britain and was proposed in the of-clerk of corporation court clerk of corporation court clerk of the estate was remembered to be provided by the composition of the composition

western front. In the sector east of the Moselle Clodius' visit, observers stated. and \$1,976,000 as per- river, they said. German troops atperty. The will was one of tempting to capture a French outever filed for probate in post were repulsed by French cross fire and retired in disorder.

Another German patrol was reof the estate were the ported to have skirmished with Merchants National Banks French gunners west of the Saar and and John D. Jenkins, an river and to have retired, leaving behind an unspecified number of

German forces along the Rhine continued to blast away at French loudspeakers broadcasting news and propaganda across the river.

Maxwell Does Favor To **Opponent**

Daily Lasuaten Bureau. In the Sir Walter Hotel. Raleigh, Feb. 22.— Wilmington's

nomination of three Senators and one ed today that one of his rivals for ed today that one of his rivals for ed today that one of his rivals for eligible for resolvetions. The President failed the gubernatorial nomination, Commissioner of Revenue Allen J. Maxfour attempts.

argued that White well, has done him a favor, although

pation in any primary without meaning to.

Tom probably also learned today contest this spring that Lieutenant Governor Wilkins that Lieutenant Governor Wilkins of the United States ought to be without meaning to.

He said he approved the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be willages in the Kaisari region of Turbular States of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought "the President of the United States ought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be will be approved to the state practice and thought to be approved to the state practice and thought to be approved to the state the Democratic presi- P. Horton thinks little of the Cooper nation if he declined to "let's all talk together" plan and less

be surprised at a New favor went to Tom in the form of a letter from Attorney General Harry on, but he felt that McMullan informing the Wilmington the no general drive of mayor that he will be able to do all the campaigning he chooses in a sound truck without having to pay possible "purges" and any license fee to state or counties-

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Russian Hammering Fails To Break Mannerheim Line; Sweden Protests Bombing

Swede Units To Fire On Army Planes

New Instructions Follow Bombing of Pajala: Swedish Minister To Moscow Protests Bombardment of Border Town.

Stockholm, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Swedish military authorities, it was announced today, have issued new instructions to all anti-aircraft units to fire on any military planes flying over Swedish territory.

The orders followed the bombing of Pajala by Russian planes yesterday, which brought indignant de-Germany Reported mands in the Swedish press that a protest to Moscow be followed by insistence on compensation and assur-ances against a repetition. Challenging Ruman-

ian Ban on Exports of Under government orders to protest bombardment of the town, the Gasoline, With Conminister to Moscow was received at

versations to Start the Kremlin late yesterday.
No injuries to any of the 3,000 residents of Pajala was reported but a number of buildings were demolish-

The incident brought predictions Bucharest Feb. 22.—(AP)— Ru- that the Swedish activities movement mania ordered her aircady large mili- for vigorous aid to Finland would tary preparations speeded up today gain new impetus.

Of Washington Is

clantic Greyhound Corporagranted a franchise to optone Norlina and Warrenapon approval of the L. C. C. get exclusive rights over the caves," it said.

The newest of nearly a century of called for March 1 to start reporting ampaigns to subdue the wild mountain mediately to concentration century. The first president's birthday anniversary, touched on at least three topics arry, touched on at least three topics arry, touched on at least three topics. currently before the nation: trade, Effective March 1, Roumania will foreign alliances and the third term Public galleries were well filled but have 1.600,000 men under arms—vir-

the diplomatic gallery was vacant al-Railways now are jammed with though Representative Sweeney. reservists moving toward frontiers Democrat. Ohio, had invited Lord that the last eight American citizens and with long trainloads of tanks, Lothian, the British ambassador, to held as Spanish civil war prisoners, The arrival of Dr. Clodius will coincide with the start of Rumanian country "seeking to embroil our natrade conversations here with Italy, tion in the European war it might be understood also to be seeking a share timely for the ambassador to hear Washington's views."

on shipments of high test aviation gasoline to the Reich—a measure which Rumania was understood to Nazi Planes

London, Feb. 22--(AP)-Two Ger- forts to have him freed. man warplanes were shot down by British fighters today, the air ministry announced, as Nazi airmen raided Britain's east coast for the section of time in three days drawing manual title Hoey Favors chine gun fire from several little trawlers which they attempted to de-Limited Term

stroy.

The downing of the two Nazi planes today brought the total German aircraft lost in such raids to an even 50, according to the British. They estimated the total value of the Governor Believes lost German planes at about \$4,000,-

President Should Royal air force planes were report-Serve One Term Only ed to have attacked German torpedo hoats in continuing reconnoissance flights over Germany's sea bases of Borkum and Helgoland. Details were not immediately available.

Rocky Mount, Feb. 22.-(AP)-The air ministry said the planes Governor Hoey, answering a question downed today were losers in battles with British fighter planes, one off thought the President of the United Scotland.

Hoey gave as his reason what he described as a tendency of elected New Temblors The question came when Hoey mentioned the limitation of North In Turkey

"let's all talk together" plan and less of his "no second primary" suggestion.

Information of the Maxwellian favor went to Tom in the form of let's all talk together" plan and less that the now has no plans for entering any primaries leveled by a series of continuing carth shocks with a loss of 70 lives. Shocks also were felt at Ankara limited likewise."

The governor spoke on North Carleveled by a series of continuing carth shocks with a loss of 70 lives. Shocks also were felt at Ankara limited likewise."

The senator said that he now has no plans for entering any primaries but that Ohio's delegates had been instructed to vote for him.

reported continuing at noon today.

On Spot in Swedish Crisis



The stand of King Gustav of Sweden (right) in support of Premier Albin Hansson (left) on refusal of military aid to Finland brought Sweden to the verge of a constitutional crisis. It was reported the Hansson government may be overthrown, and there were rumors King

Censorship Of Mail Brings New Protests

Read In House Franco Gives Up American

including Harold E. Dahl, Champaign, III., flier, had been released and would start soon for home.

Dahl and two of the Americans are to sail for New York tomorrow. The release of these last prisoners tussle in which the United States State department had sought their

freedom.

Dahi, who had been in custody since he parachuted to earth behind that we should prohibit our planes Gen. Franco's lines in July, 1937, befrom landing at Bermuda," and Scncame the most widely known American prisoner of the war as the reipaton, asserted that "if England sult of his attractive blond wife's cfdoe n't watch out she will bring

didate, Interviewed At Raleigh, Denies Agreement.

Raleigh, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Senator Taft, Ohio Republican seeking his party's presidential nomination, said today "it is absolutely untrue" that he and Senator Vandenburg of Michigan formed a coalition against light former F. Haway in the Wisconsin St. 1998. Thomas E. Dewey in the Wisconsin ally."

Chapel Hill tonight, laughed when asked about the "agreement" and said he had "heard something about Istanbul, Feb. 22.-(AP)- Four it over the radio."

The senator said that he now has

nd Andana.

Eighteen quakes were felt in quick said he favored a speedy modification of the wage-hour law with a Walter E. Brock, 65. a former Suthe labor act.

subject to Senate ratification.

sentment of British Actions at Bermuda, Where Surrender of Mail Was Forced With Bayonets.

madrid, rep. 22.—(AP)—The United States embassy announced today that the last eight American citizens Washington, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Sena censorship enforced in one instance by armed marines-reinforced their protests today with new demands for prohibiting American planes from landing at Bermuda. Senator Truman, Democrat, Mis-

souri, proposed that flights to the island be stopped and said also that brought to an end a long diplomatic English planes should be barred from landing in the United States.

Senator Clark, Democrat, Misouri, said latest disclosures bearing on the situation "only strengthen my view stor Schwellenbach, Democrat, Washabout a condition of definite antagonline to herself." British marines with fixed bay-

the first surrender of United States air mail at Bermuda January 19 after Charles A. Lorber of Baltimore, commanding a Pan-American Air-ways plane bound for Lisbon, had first refused to turn over the mail pouches. The development, coming on the

heels of State department protests against mail searches and resultant Republican Can- long delays to American vessels at Gibralter, evoked the latest expression of Congressional criticism. Truman said that if "we took a

firm stand, stopped the clipper from running, and refused to let them (Britain) land their ships in this country they would stop interfering with our mails."

'I'm not neutral but I don't like that sort of treatment," he said. "They are not making any friendships that way."

rimary.

Taft, here enroute to speak at diana, declared that it's just another

FORMER N. C. JUDGE IS FOUND DEAD IN NEW ORLEANS HOTEL

succession late yesterday, in and flat minimum wage. He criticized perior court judge and legislator of around Kaisari and temblors were the national labor relations board and North Carolina, was found dead in alone as a grand jury, has been exhis hotel room here yesterday. Coroner C. G. Cole said death was due to The Ohioan also said he approved er C. G. Cole said death was due to

coming a Superior court judge.

Finns Call Two Classes Of Reserves

Two Thousand Russian Soldiers Killed at Taipale; Finns Acknowledge They Are Pushed Back to Kamara Railway.

Helsinki, Feb. 22.—(AP)—The Red army's hammering at the Mannerheim line still is being repelled with heavy Russian losses, Finland an-nounced today as she called up a new batch of older men to bolster her forces and placed faith in a February bizzard to help hold back the Soviet military machine. Two thousand Russian soldiers

were killed at Taipale, eastern sector of the fortifications planted to plug the Karelian isthmus. The Finns acknowledged, however, that fighting on the western end had reached the Kamara railway station. A Red army attack near the sta-

tion 12 miles southeast of Viipuri was repulsed, the Finnish high command reported. Finland called the classes of 1394

and 1895—men 44 to 46 years old— to report to mobilization centers. The three preceding classes were

mobilized last week. The high command reported a few scouting flights behind the Soviet lines and bombing raids on Red army troops by night.
In continued aerial activity over

the war zone, the Finns said, several Senators Express Re- Russian formations with as many as 50 planes each had been sighted. Today's was the first admission by

the Finns that fighting had reached the neighborhood of Kamara, al-though the Russians previously had reported their forces driving through that station.

The high command declared that

fighting on both sides of the Mannerheim line had raged far into the

A large number of tanks were re-

sian strong points and 200 prisoners were captured northeast of Lake Ladago, where earlier this week the Red army's 18th division was reported destroyed.

Weir To Head GOP Finance

Washington, Feb. 22. — (AP)-Chairman John Hamilton of the Re-publican National Committee announced today the appointment of Ernest T. Weir, the Pittsburgh steel mets, it was icarned last night, forced man, as chairman of the party's

Weir is the chairman of the board of the National Steel Corporation and is president of the Iron and Steel Institute. The announcement of his appointment as party fund raiser noted that his company "is famous for having made a profit every year during the depression."

Indictments In Detroit

Detroit, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Gambling conspiracy indictments against Wayne county's own prosecutor, Duncan G. McCrea, and 18 other men set in motion today a police search for him and other defendants char-

acterized as "missing."

Long-rumored to be aiming at high places," Circuit Judge Homer Ferguson's one-man grand jury last night accused Prosector McCrea, Fred W. Frahm, former police superinten-dent, and four policemen of conspiring to operate a \$1,000,000-a-year

baseball pool. The indictments climaxed six months of investigation into gambling and alleged police graft. Only last month Frahm was fired

by the new commissioner, Frank D. Eaman. Since last fall Judge Ferguson, em-

powered under Michigan law to act Peasants became panic stricken during a repetition of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure to the description of the December disaster in which about 50,000 persons were killed by quakes, exposure