

Congress Comes To End After Senate's Riotous Boulder Dam Filibuster

Upper House Breaks Up Boulder Fight By Adoption Of Adjournment Motion

DAWES REFUSES TO SPEAK

Objection of Bruce to Boulder Dam bill being unfinished business in same parliamentary position next winter provoked stormy scene; second adjournment motion carried, 46 to 34, after two Arizona Senators had held Boulder Dam bill at bay for nearly 30 hours; Dawes refuses to make speech as session closes, but Longworth delivers brief farwell in House; last day of House session peaceful; Senate goes into high gear of minor matter; members now free to delve into political campaign.

Washington, May 29.—A smiling refusal by Vice President Dawes to answer cries of "Speech, speech" from the Senate floor, and a brief word of farewell to the House by Senator Longworth, concluded with the Hawaiian good-bye—"Aloha"—brought to an end today the last session of the 70th Congress.

A moment later at 5:30 o'clock, both presiding officers brought down their gavels and Congress stood adjourned, its members free to plunge into the political battles that await most of them individually, at home and collectively at the party conventions in Kansas City and Houston.

Sparks in Senate

To the last sparks were flying in the Senate; but in the House all was peace and good nature. Its work was done a day or two ago. It listened today to speeches on many subjects, chaffed its members cheerfully as the hours rolled by and threw bouquets to a departing member, Sinoott, of Oregon, who will not return next winter. And both House and Senate paused long enough to stand idle a few minutes at the time the body of Tom Butler, of Pennsylvania, veteran of years of service in the House, which ended with his death Saturday, was being carried to the grave in Philadelphia.

The Senate achieved its adjournment only by breaking out of an all-night battle to prevent a vote on the Boulder Dam bill. As a climax to the tumult and uproar which followed, which transgressed every rule of Senate decorum and forced an executive session to calm ruffled feelings, Johnson, of California, captain of the forces pressing the Boulder measure had the last word in the Senate except for the adjournment order.

Roxboro Scouts Defeat Durham

The Roxboro Boy Scout baseball team defeated the team of Durham Troop No. 3 in a game played on the local diamond last Saturday, the score being 2 to 1. Johnnie Sutt performed all of the mound for the home team, with Cy Loy doing the receiving, and the combination brought home the bacon.

Roxboro's scores came when Sutt's smashing double scored Loy and Davis. This two-bagger won the game, as the final score shows. The visitors' lone tally came as a result of a wild pitch to third.

Justice, Chevrolet Co.

The Stewart Chevrolet Company have opened a branch establishment in Yanceyville under the name of the Justice Chevrolet Company, with Mr. C. C. Cole in charge. The people of Yanceyville are to be congratulated upon securing this firm, and they will find Mr. Cole an honest, obliging young man, one who will look well after all business matters and make them a citizens of which they will be proud. Roxboro regrets to lose promising young men like Mr. Cole, but wishes for him an abundant success.

Auto Accident

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Walker and Mr. Ed Carver were on their way to Durham, and Mr. Walker not aware of such a sharp curve ahead had most too much speed to make the curve, the car was turned over. No one was hurt seriously, although all suffered a few bruises.

A Romance of "The Spirit of the Corps" William Haines in "WEST POINT" with Joan Crawford at Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, June 4-5.

EX-SHERIFF HELD FOR SHORTAGE

High Point, May 29.—J. F. Cranford, former sheriff of Randolph county, was arrested here today on a charge of embezzling \$21,000 of the county's funds while he was in office. The warrant on which the arrest was made, was signed by Chairman Grimes, of the Randolph board of commissioners, and served by C. L. Gray, Guilford deputy sheriff.

Cranford gave bond of \$1,000 for his appearance in Asheboro June 11 for preliminary hearing before a magistrate. It was understood here that a bonding company was responsible for the former official's arrest.

Cranford resigned last year having been elected on the Republican ticket. He came here several months ago and has been engaged as a traveling salesman. After his resignation, investigators by the Randolph commissioners disclosed a shortage of \$21,000 in his accounts.

ROXBORO HI SCHOOL CLOSING EXERCISES BEGIN THIS WEEK

Commencement Sermon Sunday; Literary Address Tuesday; Program As Follows:

Thursday evening, May 31, at 8 o'clock—Operetta by primary grades. Friday evening, June 1, at 8 o'clock—Senior class play, "Cinderella Orkley."

Sunday morning, June 3, at 11 o'clock—Commencement sermon before the graduating class, by Rev. Edwin S. Currie, of Richmond, Va.

Monday evening, June 4, at 8 o'clock—Declaration and recitation contest.

Tuesday morning, June 5, at 10:30 o'clock—Class day exercises.

Tuesday evening, June 5, at 8 o'clock—Graduation exercises. The address before the class will be delivered by Dr. William Louis Potent, of Wake Forest.

Beulah Asso. Meeting Meeting of W. M. U.

The officers of the Beulah Association do earnestly and prayerfully urge every Baptist woman to be present at Lea Bethel June 7 promptly at 9:30 o'clock.

The success of our work depends on you individually. We will have a roll call of every W. M. U. in this Association and the number from every Society recorded. Your attendance at this meeting will go far on your Standard of Excellence. May we begin this day, June 7th, by observing a sunrise prayer for our Father's blessings and power in our work.—B.

Edgar Long Memorial M. E. Church, South

You will always find a cordial welcome at this Church. The visitor will be gladly received. Good soul stirring music is rendered at every service. Next Sunday there will be no morning service on account of sermon before the graduating class at the High School auditorium, Sunday School at 9:45. Epworth League 7:15. Sermon 8:00.

"There's a brother of thine somewhere, somewhere, On the ocean of life with a load of care, On the ocean of life by the terapest driven, Far away from the light of a friendly haven, Somewhere! Somewhere!—Bridges, T. A. SIKES, Pastor

Chas. Holman & Co. Now In New Store.

Mess. Chas. Holman & Co. have moved into their handsome new store building on Main Street, next door to Central Service Station. This is indeed an attractive store and Mess. Holman & Co. cordially invite you to come and see them in their new home.

LAWRENCE CASE MAY GO TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON

Five Of Attorneys In Case Have Already Spoken; Another Has Started

STRONG TALKS DELIVERED

Pittsboro, May 29.—Arguments in the case of W. Herbert Lawrence, who since May 18 has been on trial in superior court here for the murder of Mrs. Annie Terry are scheduled to be brought to a close tomorrow afternoon, with a slight possibility that the case will go to the jury in the evening.

Five attorneys, three for the defense and two for the state, had completed their pleas when recess was taken shortly after 6 o'clock this afternoon, while a sixth was intercepted by the supper bell. Solicitor Clawson Williams is expected to deliver the closing argument tomorrow afternoon, and the chances for an early disposal of the case will depend upon the length of Judge R. A. Nunn's charge to the jury.

James H. Pou, veteran Raleigh attorney, this morning at 10:25 o'clock completed his eight-hour argument in behalf of the defendant, closing with a grand flourish. "If you find this man guilty on the evidence in this case you will be butchering a human being on the altar of the false god of circumstances," he said in bringing his address to an end.

He was followed by defense attorney Daniel Bell, of Pittsboro, who also made an impassioned plea for the defendant. Mr. Bell spoke for little more than an hour and was followed by Jones Fuller, Durham attorney, who pleaded eloquently in the prisoner's behalf. During the afternoon session R. M. Gantt, of the state's counsel, spoke for more than three hours attacking the defense alibi contention.

Lieutenant Governor J. Elmer Long at 5:20 o'clock this afternoon took up the defense argument when Mr. Fuller had left off and at adjournment had launched forth into a systematic attack of the chain of circumstantial evidence which the state had presented in an effort to affix upon Lawrence the murder of the Durham widow-dressmaker at Avenet's Ferry bridge on the night of March 24.

The defense attorney is expected to close his argument during the morning session tomorrow, following which R. P. Reade, Durham attorney, will deliver the final plea for the defendant. Mr. Reade is expected to complete this by noon recess.

The defendant still clung to his wheel chair today and at times appeared unmistakably tired. He bore up remarkably well, however, under the torturing address of State's attorney Gantt. The latter dispensed with any sentimentality that might have crept into the prosecution's ranks since Lawrence made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide on Saturday morning, May 19, in his cell here. Since that time he has been a patient at Watts hospital, Durham, being carried back and forth between Pittsboro and Durham each succeeding day.

Vote For W. H. S. Burgwyn For Lieut. Gov. on June Second

He is the son of a farmer; born and reared on the farm; worked on the farm and lives on his farm today—is a dirt farmer. He has been a member of the House of Representatives once and of the State Senate three times; was President of the State Senate in 1925, and has steadfastly and consistently stood by the farmer's interest and protected, as best he could, the tax payers of this State. He is the first in the race and the people's choice for Lieutenant Governor.—Advt.

Vote For J. W. Noell For Senate

My platform: Lower taxes and more economical expenditure of public money.

New Hope For McNary-Haugen Bill Indicated By Maneuver

President Ready To Accept Farm Relief Bill If Equalization Fee Is Eliminated

VOTE ON PASSAGE OF BILL

Washington, May 29.—Of important bearing on the national campaign seems to be the maneuver made by President Coolidge on the McNary-Haugen bill when he proposed that once the bill is vetoed Congress shall eliminate the equalization fee and then he will sign it. Mr. Coolidge believes the house to a great extent favors passage of the McNary-Haugen bill without the equalization fee. It seems to be too late in the session to frame a compromise measure. President Coolidge has vetoed the McNary-Haugen bill for the second time.

Coolidge will in effect ask Congress, it is believed, either to give him a chance to sign the McNary-Haugen bill minus the equalization fee or there will be no farm legislation at all. Members from the agricultural regions do not favor this circumstance. To refuse to give the McNary-Haugen bill right of way, so that a measure without the equalization fee can be sent to Coolidge, would seem to indicate that the backers of the equalization fee consider it vital enough to make an issue by itself.

In the house there has been a divided opinion and as finally brought from committee the equalization fee was authorized for use only as an alternative in the event that other machinery in the bill failed. It has been generally believed that the Federal Farm Board created by the measure would hesitate to apply the surplus provided if the bill failed.

The knowledge that some compromise was necessary if farm legislation were to be passed, plus the steady opposition of the President, have considerably weakened the position of the equalization fee.

President Coolidge is ready to accept the entire McNary-Haugen bill without the equalization fee. Should he eliminate the McNary-Haugen issue, he will take away the principal argument of the Middle West against his administration. Members of the agricultural section have done everything they could to get the equalization fee through. It is expected that a record vote will be taken to see if there are enough to pass the bill over the veto, and if there are not, then no doubt the vote without the equalization fee will be strongly recommended.

Possibly the bill will be lost in a parliamentary maze. Any group of members wishing to do so can squelch efforts to revive the McNary-Haugen bill once it is vetoed. It is understood, however, farm organizations are expected to fight to have the bill amended to suit President Coolidge.

The bill without the equalization fee does come to a vote, it is expected that it will be passed by a large margin. The incident is of major political importance, as many advocates of the present regime will be able to say that a start has been made toward organizing the machinery of farm relief and argue that they want to see how the bill works first before discussing the value of the equalization fee, and that it would take some time to put the equalization fee into effect. They will also hold that nothing would be lost by putting the machinery into motion before deciding on the equalization fee.

Miss Aloha Green Is Honor Graduate

Miss Alpha Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Grene, has returned from Louisville College. Miss Green's friends will be glad to hear that she received high honors during the time she was a student at the college. She was the only member of the graduating class to receive two diplomas. One of the diplomas was given in bookkeeping and the other in secretarial work.

Seriously Ill

The friends of Mr. O. D. Bailey, of North Main Street, will regret to learn that he has been seriously ill for the past several days. His condition this morning is reported as being somewhat better.

The horned toad found seated in a corner, and still alive after 31 years' imprisonment, was taken to New York. It probably would feel quite at home in some of our modern apartments!

William Haines with Joan Crawford in a drama of youth and love "WEST POINT" at Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, June 4-5th.

"Big Bill" Passes On



William ("Big Bill") Haywood former "uncrowned king of the I. W. W." in the United States, died in his self-imposed exile at Moscow in his sixty-sixth year. Haywood had been a fugitive from American justice since 1921, when he came to Russia to escape serving sentence for obstructing the war.

MRS. BELL WAGSTAFF DIED LAST FRIDAY AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Popular And Well Known Resident Of Concord Section Buried Saturday

Mrs. Bell D. Wagstaff, who had been a life long resident of the Concord section died at her home Friday morning at 8 o'clock, at the age of 69.

Mrs. Wagstaff had been declining health for the past several months, and during the last few weeks she was confined to her bed. She was born and reared in Person County a faithful and consistent member of Concord Methodist church and had been a regular attendant, giving much of her time and talent to church affairs until ill health forbid further work.

Surviving Mrs. Wagstaff are six daughters, Mrs. W. C. Woody of Roxboro; Mrs. J. N. Highsmith of Durham; Mrs. G. C. Harris of Louisville; Mrs. J. D. Beasley and Misses Mary and Carrie Wagstaff; four sons, K. C. Wagstaff, J. C. Wagstaff, A. H. Wagstaff and Lewis Wagstaff. Two brothers survive her, Mess. John D. and C. E. Winstead.

A great host of friends of the deceased and her family attended the funeral services held at the Concord church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Shore and Rev. J. W. Bradley conducted the services. The pall bearers were C. E. Winstead, Jr., J. D. Winstead, Jr., Thomas D. Winstead, H. J. Daniel, J. C. Winstead, J. Y. Jones, O. V. Clayton and Fletcher Stephens.

Don't Miss Cinderella O'Reilly, Senior Play

Friday night at eight o'clock in the High School Auditorium your heart will go out to the little orphan, Rachel Bradsher. Will money buy everything a person wants? For an answer see Winnie Wilburn. You will like the entire cast. Tickets on sale at Clayton's Drug Store. Admission: Reserved seat .50c and general, 35c.

The Winds Were Right

Last week Mr. J. T. Wade of Roxboro and Mr. W. H. Smith of the Bushy Fork section, spent a few days on a fishing trip in Hargett Carolina, near Oriental. Mr. Wade says the winds were just right, and they landed more than 200 pounds of the finest fish he ever saw.

Look! Don't Fail To See

"Two Day To Marry" a three-act comedy given by Hurdle Mills High School Saturday night, June 2nd, at Cedar Grove. Come and enjoy a good laugh with all the rest. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Spectacle—Thrill—Romance—and Comedy, that's "WEST POINT" with William Haines at Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, June 4-5th.

In Romagna the native farmers still use the wooden plow.

ROXBORO CITIZENS ORGANIZE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HERE

Enthusiastic Meeting Of The Boosters Club Decide To Change Name

HUNTER HAS SAME OFFICE

Last Friday night the annual meeting of the Boosters Club was held in the private dining room of the Jones Hotel. Quite a representation of business men were present, and reports were heard from the different officers. The past year's work was very satisfactory, and the officers were congratulated upon their success. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

J. W. Noell, president. C. H. Hunter, secretary. T. B. Woody, treasurer.

Board of Directors: A. M. Burris, W. T. Pass, B. I. Satterfield, O. B. McBroom, with the president and secretary.

Advertising Committee: E. G. Long, W. C. Butlock and Joe E. Kirby.

While the Boosters Club has been very successful and of untold benefit to the town and County, it was deemed wise, inasmuch as some general advertising for the town and County was to be undertaken the coming year, to change the name and hereafter it will be known as the Chamber of Commerce of Person County. There will be no change in the work of the Boosters Club, save as to the general advertising, and Mr. C. H. Hunter will continue to look after interests of the farmers when they come here with their tobacco, and will give largely of his time in inducing Person County farmers to patronize their own market.

Miss James' Class In Pleasing Recital

The music pupils of Miss Mabel James gave a recital Friday night which was highly pleasing, and decidedly complimentary to Miss James' ability as a teacher. Rev. P. C. Adams presented a special to the following:

For the best work in the graded school, Miss Beulah Bradley received first prize and honorable mention. A medal was presented to Miss Helen Morton for excellency in music appreciation. For doing good work in the graded school, Miss Dorothy Bowles received honorable mention and Miss Elizabeth Sanders was presented with a medal. "Dollie's Dream and Awakening" rendered by Miss Cleo Fox received honorable mention. Miss Edna Earle Cole received honorable mention for presentation of the solo, "The Dying Poet." Miss Louise Pulliam received honorable mention for the best rendered selection, "Witches' Dance." For the best group selection, Misses Janie Algood and Helen Morton, rendering "Melody in F" received medals. "The Firefly," presented by Misses Margaret Hannah Critcher and Mary Elizabeth Sanders also received honorable mention.

Sam Blalock Passes Away Sunday May 27

Mr. Sam Blalock of Timberlake died last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was 71 years of age and had been a prosperous farmer of Flat River section. He was buried Tuesday, May 29th in the family burying ground. Surviving are his wife and the following children: S. G. Blalock of Lillington, J. G. Blalock China; R. C. Fletcher and C. B. Blalock, all of Person County, and Mrs. W. D. Blalock and Cornelia Blalock of Person County.

Risk Arm, Saves Lion

Oakland, Cal.—Mrs. Nancy Lee Nannetti has a pet lioness, Princess, in whose throat a bone was recently lodged. The bone caused the animal great pain, but veterinarians refused to take the chance of working on the lioness. Forcing open the mouth of the lioness, Mrs. Nannetti thrust her arm down the animal's throat. Although Princess could have mangled Mrs. Nannetti's arm, she submitted patiently. Mrs. Nannetti was able to dislodge the bone.

Michio, 16, Japanese dancer, plans a gigantic \$1,000,000 dance temple to be built in New York. It seems to us he'll have to do some real stepping to get that amount of money.

A junior at the University of Wisconsin defined "subnational" as "pertaining to the power of eating." Some hard-boiled skeptics, unquestionably wrong after all.