

P A I N T

To Save and Beautify

Protect Your Home and Other Property
With the Proper Highest Quality
Pittsburgh Paint Product

Wallhide Floorhide

Water Spar Enamel
Spar Floor Enamel

We Carry A Full Line of Products Made by
This Old Reliable, Nationally Known and Rec-
ognized Paint Manufacturer

ALSO—Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Drier,
Shellac, Alcohol, Wood Filler, or What-
ever Your Paint Needs, Large or Small

Macon County Supply Co.

Hardware, Mill Supplies, Farm Implements
LYMAN HIGDON AND HARVE BRYANT, Mgrs.

FRANKLIN, N. C.

MORE RELIEF FUNDS VOTED

Money Provided To Carry
On Program Until
February

(Special to The Press-Maconian)

WASHINGTON, July 1.—With the nominating conventions of the major parties over and the work of the 74th congress finished, Washington is settling down to the serious business of presidential politics. Those who are trying to dope out what will happen next November find, on surveying the political scene, a considerable amount of wreckage and a number of new factors, the importance and effect of which cannot at this time be accurately estimated.

The session of congress ended with a victory for the president in the new tax bill. The senate had rejected the principle he advocated of taxing undistributed corporation reserves, but administration pressure on the lower house resulted in a threatened deadlock, in the face of which the senate yielded. An entirely new principle of taxation has been placed on the statute books and business is disturbed over its possible consequences. The one certain thing about the new tax law at this time is that it makes it more difficult for corporations to conserve their resources against future depressions.

Just before it quit, congress gave the president another billion and a half dollars for relief. This will carry on relief work on the present scale until about February, so one of the first jobs of the new congress, which will convene on January 3, will be to do something quick about federal relief.

Some Measures Perished

Many legislative measures, which important pressure groups regarded as of vital importance, died in the last-minute rush to adjourn. It must be remembered, however, that while bills die, the pressure blocs still live, and their efforts will be renewed in the next congress. The substitute Guffey coal bill, the administration's food and drugs bill, and Senator Wagner's federal housing bill were among the casualties. The anti-price-discrimination law aimed at chain stores, as finally enacted, is not regarded as likely to have any serious effect except that it puts added powers into the hands of the federal trade commission to regulate business.

The ship subsidy bill, passed in the closing hours, is designed to build up the American merchant marine by direct subsidies instead of subterfuge payments for carrying mail. Under this act it may be possible for America at last to put a ship or two on the seas which will rival the great European liners.

One really important bill which fell short of enactment was the measure designed to put all postmasters under civil service regulations. It was fought by Republicans on the ground that it would keep thousands of politically appointed Democratic postmasters in office for life, and labor opposition gave many Democrats an excuse for voting against it.

Third Party Threat

Political experts are not yet in agreement as to the effect on the election of the formation of the new Union party, headed by Representative William Lemke of North Dakota as its presidential candidate and Thomas C. O'Brien of Boston for vice-president. There is a strong feeling that this new third-party movement is to be taken seriously. It has the support of Father Coughlin, the Detroit "Radio Priest," and of Dr. F. E. Townsend, founder of the old-age revolving pension plan. Mr. Lemke has been the leader of the agrarian inflationist bloc in congress, and is the co-sponsor of the Frazier-Lemke farm mortgage bill.

The best judgment at the moment seems to be that this new party, in the states where it is still able to get officially on the ballot, will attract a large following of voters, most of whom would otherwise be expected to vote the Democratic ticket. That it will also draw many votes in some of the normally Republican states of the northwest cannot be denied. Political analysts are busy with their scratch pads trying to figure it out.

Likewise, nobody can determine yet what the ultimate effect on the election will be of the walk-out

headed by former Gov. Alfred E. Smith. Mr. Smith, with Bainbridge Colby, former Senator James A. Reed, former Gov. Joseph B. Ely of Massachusetts, and Daniel B. Cohalan, one of the most powerful figures in Tammany Hall, signed a communication to the Democratic national convention denouncing Mr. Roosevelt as not being a true Democrat. While some such action was not unexpected on the part of Gov. Smith, it is still a question how far conservative Democrats of the old school will follow this leadership.

Campaign Outlook

The promise of the Republican leaders to conduct a swift-moving, aggressive campaign is being borne out. John Hamilton, the new Republican national chairman, is actively taking the field and expects to live mostly in airplanes for the next four months. Col. Knox, vice-presidential candidate, will make more speeches than will Gov. Landon. Mr. Landon, however, after a short vacation, plans also to "take the stump" and speak at several strategically selected times and places.

Again, as in 1932, Mr. Roosevelt will himself be the principal speaker

for the Democratic President Garner is to be heard from. Postmaster Farley, Democratic man, expresses confidence in the practically unanimous opinion of Mr. Roosevelt. One point of agreement is that as things stand the outlook is for a very close race. All who make the things their business are that the presidential long run comes down to personalities of the respective tickets. The selves, Roosevelt can count for a great deal in the general run of the party platforms.

A Thought

We may be wrong in thought that the change being declared unconstitutional in proportion to the lawyers among the lawmakers. News.

American Place

Today's sour note: Ala.

Celebrate The Fourth

AT

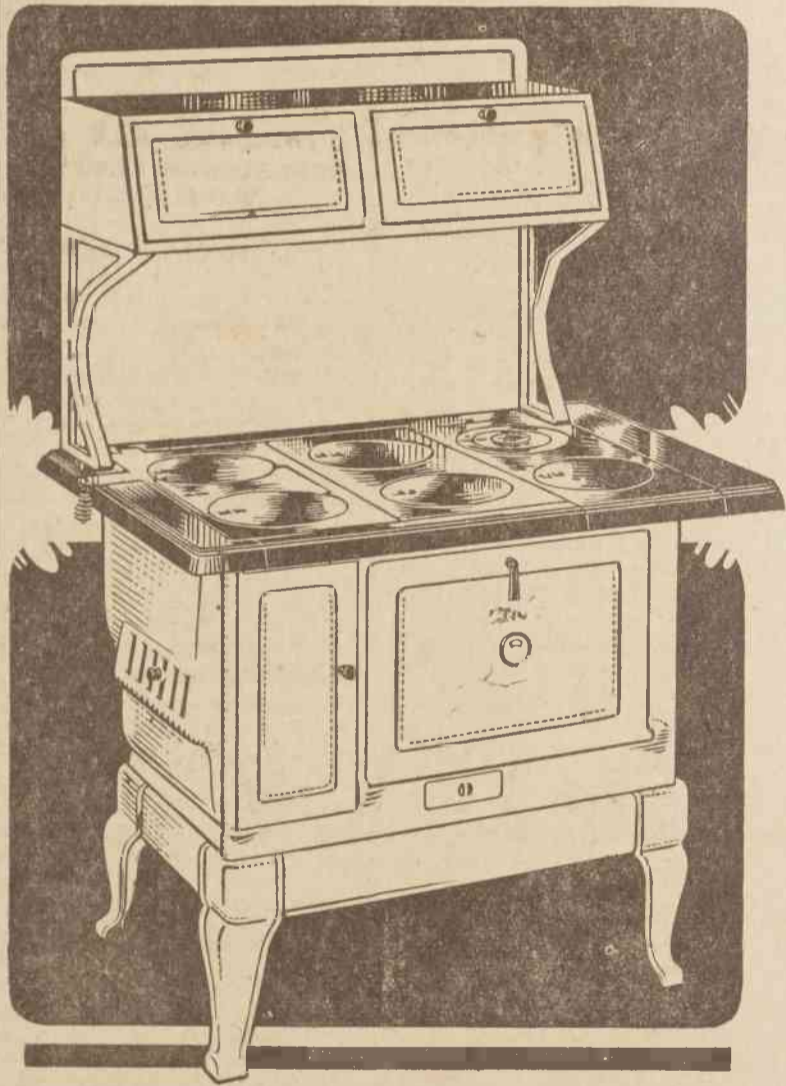
ZORY'S CAFE

Franklin's Coolest Place to Eat

We Serve Complete Meals, Short Orders
Beer, Ice Cream

Bryant's Leader

The Best Stove on the Market for the Money



The Bonus You Get

When You Buy This Range

ECONOMY • IN FUEL
• IN PRICE
• IN SERVICE

\$46

Compact and graceful in its design, this Bryant's Leader range continues to lead the field. It has full flush construction, with all bolts concealed—an extra heavy reinforced cooking top which heats quickly and retains its heat—and it is equipped with the exclusive Knox fire box. This stove has sold as high as \$65, but we are now able to offer it for only \$46 because we are buying them in car lot quantities. Today we are stocking the largest stock of ranges and stoves ever brought to Macon County.

Other Ranges from \$29.95 Up

BRYANT FURNITURE CO.

FRANKLIN, N. C.

Why Gulf is the Gas for the Fourth



GROWN-UPS SHOULD BRATE the Fourth too! somewhere. Do things. get maximum mileage gasoline that's made special for July weather conditions this district. If you don't of your fuel will blow exhaust unburned, waste! Good Gulf Gas is "Kept in Step with the Calendar" chemical formula is suited the season. That's why it goes to work, none of it waste. Try a tankful!

"Kept in Step with the Calendar" THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE

