

Jails Are Crowded With Labor Leaders

Murder Of Two Policemen In Chicago Wednesday Started Labor War

Chicago, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The city jails are crowded with four hundred labor leaders and others held in connection with murders of two policemen and bombing of buildings which the police attributed to labor disorders. Rewards totalling twenty thousand dollars are offered for the arrest of the slayers.

Law enforcement organizations are united in what the police terms a fight to the finish with organized labor.

Over a hundred labor leaders including Big Tim Murphy, Cornelius Shea and Fred Mader, president of the Building Trades Council are among those arrested.

Police Chief Fitzmorris said that Isadore Braverman and Max Glass, partly identified as slayers, are only the hirelings of higher ups in organized labor circles, putting into action the conspiracy to overthrow the Landis wage award.

Tells Of Beginning Of Memorial Day

Rev. N. H. D. Wilson Speaks To School Children And Others At Confederate Monument

The D. H. Hill Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, had charge of the Memorial Day exercises in Elizabeth City Wednesday and a good crowd was in attendance at 2:30 p. m. when the school children marched from school to the Confederate monument bearing their floral offerings and sang patriotic songs on the court house green.

The address of the day was made by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, who told of the beginning of Memorial Day and how its celebration had gradually changed as the "thin Gray Line" had become thinner each year, until now only the Daughters of the Confederacy and the school children take part in the program instead of marching lines of soldiers headed by brass bands.

Mr. Wilson was introduced by Secretary R. C. Job of the local Chamber of Commerce.

The graves of the dead soldiers were decorated with flowers and flags by the Daughters.

At noon the Confederate veterans were entertained at dinner at Dinty Moore's Cafe. Only five could be present. These were: N. G. Davis, W. N. Parker, N. C. Burgess, J. A. Matthews and P. C. Creekmore.

At a meeting of the Veterans Saturday B. F. Bray and P. C. Creekmore, both of Hertford, were elected delegates from the William A. Martin Post, United Confederate Veterans, with N. C. Burgess of Camden, and N. G. Davis of Elizabeth City, alternates. The post now has only fourteen surviving members.

Russians Reply To Allied Memorandum

London, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The Reuters Genoa correspondent telegraphs that the Russians handed in their reply to the Allied memorandum at 11:45 this morning.

Genoa, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—Foreign Minister Tchitcherin of Soviet Russia today handed the Russian reply to the Allied memorandum to Foreign Minister Schanzer of Italy.

He repeated the assurance of his good will and desire to co-operate with the other delegations.

The note suggested a new special commission to continue the negotiations after the Genoa meeting.

Germany To Build U. S. Giant Zeppelin

Versailles, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—Germany under award of the Ambassadors Council will manufacture a Zeppelin of 70,000 meters capacity to replace the one allotted the United States by the Versailles treaty but destroyed in Germany. A German crew accompanied by several American officers will fly the ship across the Atlantic.

Mrs. Bettie Tillett and daughter, Miss Arkie Tillett, of Shiloh, were in the city Wednesday shopping.

Vote for George J. Spence for Trial Justice. He will appreciate your support and vote.

DAYLIGHT SAVING FOR ELIZABETH CITY URGED

Daylight saving, adopted as a war measure during the course of the late unpleasantness with Germany, and abandoned shortly after the close of hostilities, may come back into effect at Elizabeth City this summer. At any rate, a number of the leading merchants and manufacturers of the city are in favor of a resumption of the plan, whereby everybody would begin work an hour earlier in the day and, of course, quit an hour sooner than at present.

A meeting of the membership of the Chamber of Commerce and others interested will be held at the Chamber headquarters in the Community Building Monday evening at seven o'clock, in order to give everybody an opportunity to be heard on the question of daylight saving.

Proponents of the revival of daylight saving here say that, with it in effect, the more industrious-minded of Elizabeth City's working population will have an additional afternoon hour for work in their gardens. Others, they declare, will have just that much more time for tennis, bathing, motoring and other summer-time diversions. Everyone interested in daylight saving whether for or against the plan, is urged to attend the Chamber of Commerce meeting Monday evening.

ZIONISTS PRESS FOR SETTLEMENT

Geneva, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The unexpected introduction of the Palestine mandate question into the Agenda meeting of the League of Nations Council today makes the session the most important held. Zionists are bringing pressure for settlement.

Solo Was Hard To Tell From Whoops

Traffic Cop With Unmusical Ear Arrested Youngster For Melodious Outburst

Lack of a musical ear, whereby he might distinguish the difference between singing and whooping, led Traffic Officer Smith to arrest John Bell, young white boy, Wednesday night on a charge of creating a disturbance just inside the city limits on the Weeksville brick highway near Harrington bridge. Young Bell contended that he was singing a solo and that he did not begin his vocal outburst until after he had passed the last electric light, and was therefore outside the city. He was acquitted.

C. C. Bell, brother of the preceding defendant, was fined a dollar and costs on a charge of riding a bicycle without a light inside the city limits after nightfall. Both cases were heard in recorder's court here Thursday morning.

Willis Leigh paid the costs of a hearing in recorder's court Wednesday morning on a charge of driving his automobile across a bridge at a greater speed than ten miles an hour.

John Warren, colored, charged with defiling the city watershed with bones and other refuse from the City Market, was sentenced in recorder's court Wednesday to thirty days on the roads. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs, conditional upon the removal of the rubbish by the defendant within twenty-four hours after the trial.

Hulda Brozier, colored, daughter of "Buzard" Eason, was sentenced to thirty days in jail upon conviction on a charge of disorderly conduct. Recorder Spence suspended the sentence upon payment of the court costs, provided the defendant maintains an unbroken record of good behavior.

EARTH SHOCK FELT

Port De France, Martinique, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—A strong earth shock was felt here today. There was no damage.

Carpentier Meets Ted Lewis Tonight

London, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—Georges Carpentier will enter the ring at 9:30 tonight, a heavy favorite to win over Jack Ted Lewis in a twenty round fight for the world's light heavyweight championship.

GASOLINE GOES UP

New York, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The Standard Oil Company of New York today advanced the price of gasoline one cent a gallon.

Geo. J. Spence lays no claim to infallibility but will try to give exact justice to all.

First Showing Of Prize Silver Chests

Selig's window attracted much attention and favorable comment Thursday in the first complete showing of the four handsome chests of silver to be awarded as district prizes in The Advance subscription contest. This silver is of unusually handsome design and with proper care will last a life time, according to Mr. Selig himself.

The district prizes offered by The Advance this year have attracted unusual attention as both in desirability and in the number of prizes to be awarded they are more liberal than a newspaper of the size of The Advance usually offers.

Davis Overton Is Now Near Recovery

Warrants Will Be Issued This Week For Arrest Of Members Of Party On Raid

Davis Overton, Jr., the colored youth who was shot and dangerously wounded by a posse alleged to have been headed by Officer George Twiddy, of the city police force, on Sunday morning, April 2, is now apparently out of danger, according to Dr. John Saliba, his attending surgeon. The negro will soon be able to leave the Community Hospital, states Dr. Saliba, unless unexpected complications set in.

Warrants for the arrest of the members of the party will be issued this week, Prosecuting Attorney P. G. Sawyer stated Thursday afternoon and it is probable that the men will be tried sometime next week, probably on charges of felonious shooting, carrying concealed weapons, and assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

MUCH INTEREST BUT NO ACTION

No action was taken by the City Council in special session Wednesday night on the petition of Pennsylvania Avenue residents for relief from the encroachment of warehouses on the Norfolk-Southern railroad property contiguous to that street.

Considerable division of sentiment was manifest among members of the Council, and after some discussion of a tentative ordinance offered by P. W. McMullan, this ordinance was referred to the ordinance committee with instructions that this committee, accompanied by the city attorney, the city manager and the other members of the City Council, go over the ground Thursday morning and make a report to the Council as soon as practical.

It is understood that when the committee is ready to report another public hearing will be held which representatives of the Norfolk-Southern will be invited to attend, and at this meeting it is hoped some solution of the problem confronting the Council may be worked out.

The hearing in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Wednesday night was attended by an overflow crowd and great interest in the controversy was evident.

ONE DEATH FROM HEAT

St. Paul, Minn., May 11 (By The Associated Press)—One death from heat is reported here today. The victim is an unidentified woman who died on a street car.

PROMPT EFFORT NEEDED TO WIN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND VOTES

A Few Minutes Now Will Net You Well Over A Hundred Thousand Votes—Offer Will Be Withdrawn Very Shortly, So Secure Two Sub- scriptions Now And Take Advantage Of Big Offer

It is easy to see that the contestants taking advantage of the offer of 50,000 votes on each of the first two subscriptions will secure a much better start than those who wait. The first subscriptions you send in will earn 50,000 votes, and the second will also earn a like number of votes, which, together with the votes regularly earned of a subscription gives you well over one hundred thousand votes to start with. Just a few minutes effort is all that is needed to secure your first two subscriptions.

Many contestants have already secured the first 50,000 ballot. You are entitled to another, but only

Fish Frozen Solid In Large Cake Of Ice

Many People Viewing Novelty Exhibit At Carolina Banking & Trust Company

A three hundred pound cake of ice, with a large trout and rockfish frozen in its middle, was the feature new exhibit Thursday afternoon and night at the "Made and sold in Elizabeth City" exposition at the Carolina Banking & Trust Company, now in progress. The two big fish were furnished by the Globe Fish Company, of this city, and were frozen into the ice cake by the Crystal Ice & Coal Company.

Due to the fact that the fish were not frozen before they were placed in the water which went into the making of the cake of ice, the latter was somewhat discolored. The unusual exhibit, however, attracted much attention at the bank Thursday afternoon, and will be on display from seven to ten o'clock Thursday night. Its exhibitors give assurance that a better display of the same kind will be made on Saturday.

Among the other new exhibits brought in Thursday morning is a quart of milk from a Jersey cow, owned and fed on a balanced ration by C. E. Overman, of this city. The cow's daily milk output is five gallons, and Mr. Overman is exhibiting the milk to prove his contention that, despite the large amount of milk given by the animal, the quality and richness are not affected. Cream four inches thick at the top of the quart bottle attests to his claim.

A quantity of preserved vegetables and fruits, along with other enticingly canned eatables, has been put on display by the Home Demonstration Agent. These were put up by the girls and housewives of the County, and are proof positive of the real attainments of the club workers of Pasquotank. The Farm Demonstration Agent is exhibiting specimens of growing alfalfa, clovers, wheat, meadow and field grasses, attractively displayed in large flower pots.

Large hams, expertly cured by the Pasquotank Packing Company, of Elizabeth City, were placed on exhibition Thursday morning. These exhibits from the pioneer packing plant of this section are particularly interesting.

Among the novelty exhibits is a jar of lemons, preserved in plain water by J. S. Rodgers, who lives on Cypress street. Mr. Rodgers says that lemons may be kept indefinitely by merely placing them in a closed jar of water, a new wrinkle of value to housewives who have had difficulty in keeping them fresh in warm weather.

JUNIORS ENTERTAIN SENIORS

Hertford, N. C., May 6—The usual annual reception to the Senior class of Hertford High School was given Friday night from 8 to 10 o'clock by the Juniors at the home of Miss Louise Clark, a member of the Junior class. The program including a toast by Joe Towe, president of the Junior class and a response by Lanier Leggett, president of the Seniors, followed by an hour of "Progressive conversation" and a variety of refreshments served in true Junior style afforded an enjoyable evening to all present. Those present were: Seniors—Lanier Leggett, Charles Willford and Misses Catherine Reed, Marian Newby, Agnes Hathaway, Sue Frank White, Nannie Mardre, Mabel Bass, Dorothy Stephens, Mary Ruth Broughton, Evelyn Parker, Julia Felton, Anna Whaley Smith; Faculty—F. H. Hunter and Miss Alma Winslow; other guests—Mrs. F. H. Hunter, Sidney Elliott, William and Sumner Reed, Corbin Dozier, Richard Chalk, and Mr. Early.

Daily Market Reports During Potato Season

Arrangements have been completed by the Chamber of Commerce, co-operating with The Advance, whereby daily market reports will be received by wire here during the early Irish potato season. These reports will begin coming in ten days or two weeks hence. They will be posted at Chamber of Commerce headquarters, and published in each day's issue of The Advance.

The value to potato growers and others interested in this section's premier truck crop is readily apparent. Heretofore, the Chamber of Commerce has maintained a daily mail service on potato movements and quotations, but by the wire service just arranged for, the reports will come in a day earlier—in other words, the quotations will be received the same day that the potato sales to which they refer are made.

LATE BULLETINS

GOVERNOR S. C. CHOSEN

Washington, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The selection of Governor Robert A. Cooper of South Carolina to fill the vacancy on the Federal Farm Loan Board is understood to have been made by President Harding.

SMALL TRIAL BEGINS

Waukegan, Ill., May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The trial of Governor Small, charged with conspiracy to embezzle state funds began today with State's Attorney Mortimer's opening statement for the prosecution. The Governor was present with his son and daughter-in-law.

TRUE BILLS RETURNED

Columbia, S. C., May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The Richland grand jury today returned true bills against J. W. Jeffers, Ira Harrison and Glenn Treese, charging murder of J. C. Arnette, Jeffers' business partner. The trial is expected to start this week.

TREASURY COMMITTEE REPORTS

Washington, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—The report of the treasury committee which made an inventory of supplies and equipment of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing following the reorganization of the personnel is understood to be a substantial vindication of the declaration of treasury officials that no material output of illegal bond note or stamp issues had taken place within recent years.

Kitchen Caught Fire While Family Asleep

Damage By Wednesday Night Blaze, However, Was Only About Fifteen Dollars

While the members of the family were in bed asleep, fire broke out in the kitchen at the home of Dora Griffin, colored, on Bell street Wednesday night at 10:15 o'clock, and but for the extremely prompt response of the Fire Department, would have destroyed the residence in a short time, according to a neighbor who saw the smoke from the kitchen and turned in the alarm. The damage was confined to the kitchen and amounted to approximately fifteen dollars.

Carelessness in looking after a fire kindled in the smokehouse for the purpose of curing a quantity of meat was the cause of a fire at the residence of Alfred Pailin, colored, on South Road street Tuesday afternoon shortly after four o'clock. The flames destroyed the smokehouse, \$100 worth of hog meat inside it, set fire to the Pailin home, and did \$50 damage to that, and damaged the adjoining residence of William Sutton, colored, to the extent of \$25. They also spread to a nearby vacant house belonging to W. I. Spellman, colored, and damaged it to the extent of \$15. The fire department turned out promptly after the alarm was turned in, and extinguished the fire with water and chemicals.

Bomb Wounds Women Three Youths Shot

Belfast, May 11 (By The Associated Press)—A bomb was thrown in Genview street today wounding two women. Three Catholic youths were taken from their beds and shot.

LOST—\$8.55 IN A BLACK SACK. Return to Alhemarie Laundry and receive reward. 11-pd

May Pea Shipments Heaviest This Week

Farmers Generally Are Encouraged By Reasonably Good Prices Re- ceived For The Crop

The heaviest week's shipments of May peas from this city in the history of the crop are assured, according to R. C. Abbott, prominent commission broker of Elizabeth City, by the large consignments that have already gone through since Monday morning. With the four refrigerator cars that he loaded Thursday, Mr. Abbott had a total of 16 cars of May peas for the first four days of the week, bringing his season's total to date up to 36 cars.

May peas Thursday morning were bringing three to four dollars a basket on the Northern markets, according to Mr. Abbott, who says also that the stock is of much higher quality than earlier in the season. Indications are that bulk shipments of peas will continue through the coming week, though it is believed that the peak of the crop has been reached this week.

Growers of May peas throughout this section generally are much encouraged over the favorable prices received for most shipments, and with prevailing indications that the early potato crop will bring reasonably good prices, the farmers of Northeastern North Carolina are more optimistic now than they have been in many months.

The sweet potato crop in Currituck County, according to those in close touch with the situation there, will be late, and shorter than usual; but the damage by frost and dry weather, it is now believed, will be less than was generally thought two weeks ago.

DR. CRANE TO BE HERE ON SATURDAY

Dr. Harry Crane, psycho-pathologic investigator, of the State Board of Public Welfare, will spend Friday and Saturday in Elizabeth City, and on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock he will report to the Parent-Teachers Association his observations of conditions among the children of the schools.

Dr. Crane was here last fall and recommended the nutrition plan which has been carried out here in the schools this winter. On this trip he will observe the results attained under this plan.

This is a meeting of exceptional importance and it is hoped that members of the Parent-Teachers Association and all others who are interested will be present at the High School auditorium Saturday afternoon at four o'clock.

ALMOND BURNHAM WINS MEDAL FOR DECLAMATION

Almond Burnham, youthful declaimer, was the winner of the gold medal awarded by D. E. Williams for the best declamation at South Mills High School Wednesday night. Originally there were sixteen declaimers, eight boys and eight girls, but eight of these were eliminated in a preliminary contest held last Wednesday night.

South Mills High School auditorium was packed to capacity for the commencement program Wednesday night, the first of three nights of closing exercises. A feature of the evening was a play, "The Brownies," rendered by the smaller children. Thursday night's program was to be devoted to the commencement address by Dr. James H. Thayer, pastor of Blackwell Memorial church at Elizabeth City, and the presentation of seventh grade certificates of promotion. On Friday night the commencement play "My Irish Rose," will be given by the high school students.

CURRITUCK COUNTY BOY PRESIDENT OF SENIORS

Jimmie McDougal, alumnus of State College, of Raleigh, was in the city Thursday, and brought the news that Julian F. Baum has been elected president of the Senior class of the college. Mr. Baum is the son of J. C. Baum, Sr., of Poplar Branch, and is a brother of Curtis Baum, who is in partnership with Buxton White in the Buxton White Suet Company at this city.

Besides being vice president of his class, Mr. Baum has made his letter, and has been starring in college athletics this year. Currituck County and Northeastern North Carolina are proud of his record.

EX-GOVERNOR VERMONT DEAD

Rutland, Vt., May 11 (By The Associated Press)—Allen M. Fletcher, former governor of this state, was found dead at his hotel here today. His death was due to cerebral hemorrhage.