

THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., March 30.—President Roosevelt's decision to hold Congress in session until it has enacted the major "policy" measures which the new Administration desires, came as a surprise, but is in line with the President's determination to move with the utmost possible speed in his program of reviving prosperity.

The main reason for his cancellation of the plan for a recess of several weeks was the insistence of the farm leaders that if anything is to be accomplished in the way of farm relief it must be done now, before this season's crops are in the ground. Congress, therefore, is struggling with the problem of how to reduce crop acreage and pay the farmers for keeping land out of cultivation, without putting a new load on the taxpayers or too heavy a burden upon the consumers of farm products.

The Administration's bill, submitted to Congress by the President with the statement that it is "a new and untrod path" which may not produce the hoped-for results, would give the Secretary of Agriculture extremely broad power to regulate production and distribution of farm products, in the effort to give agricultural products the same purchasing power with respect to the commodities which the farmer buys as was the case in the five years before the war. The "basic agricultural commodities" to which the new plan may be applied are wheat, cotton, corn, hogs, sheep, rice, tobacco and dairy products.

Power With Secretary
The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized under this bill to make agreements with farmers to pay them rent for land kept out of production or to pay in cash benefits for reducing production in other ways, and to obtain funds for this purpose by assessing a tax upon processors of farm products, the amount of the cash benefits and the amount of the tax being left in every case to the Secretary to determine.

In other words, Congress is asked to delegate as broad powers to the Administration in the matter of farm relief as it has given the President in the matter of reducing Government expenses and in reorganizing the banking system of the nation.

It is not exaggerating to say that Congress is afraid of this proposal. It is entirely different from anything which has heretofore been discussed under the head of farm relief. Members don't know how the "boys back home" like it, and are afraid of the big politically-organized farm groups, who do not seem to have any finger in this particular pie. Also, they are hearing from millers, packers, tobacco manufacturers, cotton spinners, creameries and cheese-makers and other "processors" who don't like the idea of having to pay this tax.

There seems likely, as this is written, to be more open opposition to President Roosevelt in the debates on this relief measure than has been the case with any of his other proposals so far. But the wise political observers here are willing to bet that the bill, not much changed in principle, will be passed.

The Patronage Whip

President Roosevelt is no amateur in politics, as anyone knows who has followed his career from the time when he was making trouble in the New York State Senate long before the war. He knows how the game is played as well as anyone who ever sat in the White House, better than most of his recent predecessors. And the President knows that the time to get what he wants out of Congress is now, before the jobs have been distributed. Not even a start has been made toward the distribution of patronage, and Senators and Representatives who want to get some of those 150,000 Federal appointments for their constituents are much more willing to play ball with the Presi-

MAIL TO THE NEW ADMINISTRATION

(By Uncle Watt)

The lark is up to meet the sun, The bee is on the wing, Democratic Administration has begun.

This is the beginning of lovely Spring. The hoarder's gold has come to light From the sealed sepulchre in which it lay.

Roosevelt gave some solemn order And Congress rolled the mighty stone away.

Now all ye deserted banks and bonded trusts Jet busy, and glean out some honest, trusty men

Who will not steal or embezzle all the gold or dust And your depositors will surely return again.

The railroad locomotives will soon be running schedule time, The aeroplane will be flying high and low,

The buses and taxis will be dressed up very fine And the wealthy tourists will have somewhere to go.

Depression has veiled the bier of the G. O. P., The bread lines have encircled our vast domain,

Taxes have made paupers of men like you and me, And blighted fond hopes that can never return again.

O Gods of Salvation! Ye Saviour of men! Come smile once more upon us, from your mansions above, And lift off the burdens of greedy grasp of Sin And let trespass be at last replaced by the Spirit of Love.

lent now than they will be after the jobs have been passed out. For they not get the jobs for the boys back some or stand a chance of losing out next election. That is elementary politics, and President Roosevelt knows it.

There are still other major measures which the President wants to get through Congress and into his own hands before the boys on Capitol Hill go home. One of the most important of these is a program for enforced consolidation of railroad systems. Only the immediate exigency of farm relief prevented the President from sending this to Congress a couple of weeks ago.

Foreign Affairs Soon

Foreign affairs are beginning to get closer attention from the new Administration, now that the more pressing domestic problems seem on their way to solution. The appointment of Norman H. Davis as a general European representative of the Government, with the rank of Ambassador, is hailed as indicating Mr. Roosevelt's appreciation of the good relations which Mr. Davis has established in Europe in the past two years as the American delegate to the disarmament conference, the world economic conference and other international gatherings.

There is a good deal more to the international situation than is apparent on the surface. The settlement of the war debts owing to the United States is only one item, likely now to be brought to a head very soon. Disarmament is regarded here as of grave importance, for unless some agreement is reached soon there is decided danger of a new European war, which would not do the United States any good. Germany and France seem ready to leap again at each other's throats; Italy probably would attack France from the rear in that case, and Poland is itching to fight it out with Germany. Another foreign matter of importance is the question of the recognition of the Russian Soviet government.

There is plenty of work ahead for President Roosevelt, but he is facing the job courageously and, his intimates report, in perfect health and high spirits. He is riding the top wave of popularity as no President has ever ridden it.

A Flower That Isn't A Flower

Dame Nature played a charming trick on folks when she made the flowering dogwood. Along in early springtime, when the great petal-like parts of white astin are opening, the dogwood seems to have the most wonderful blossoms imaginable.

But there is a strange fact about it. Those tiny green knobs in the center, which you scarcely notice at all are the only real flowers the plant possesses. The pinkish white portions with notches on the outside are luxurious capes draped around the tree's precious flower babies. After awhile the knobs themselves open, and if you have a hand lens you can see that each one is a separate blossom, trumpet-shaped, with curly petals.

The flower buds of the dogwood are formed during the summer, and when they come into the world they are already wrapped up snugly for the following cold winter. Every brownish cape of four layers, which overlays each other. These coverings are thick and tough enough to keep harm away from the little occupants within.

For months, then, the dogwood tree does not call particular attention to itself except for its colorful leaves and berries in the autumn. But in March or early April a startling change takes place; those dark-hooded guardians of the baby flowers are transformed to white and pink, attracting attention to their own beauty and to the sweetness of the green and yellow flowerets in their midst.

If you look carefully just at the time when those astin capes are being folded back, you will discover the secret of the notches which add so much to the dogwood's loveliness.

Flowering dogwood was never intended to be picked and carried away. For very soon after the sprays have been taken from the tree, their fresh whiteness becomes brown and withered. Besides, if everyone who passes along the road snatches off a branch or two it will not be many years before there will no longer be any dogwood to delight folks in Spring.

In one place where wild flowers grow, this little verse appears printed on a neat sign:

"That little children following you, May thru life leisure hours Share lavish Nature's treasures, too, Please, tourists, spare those flowers! Please, tourist, spare those flowers!"

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by James Lee Jefferson and wife Carrie Jefferson to John H. Paylor, Trustee, under date December 12, 1929 of record in Book E-18 at page 95 of the Pitt County Registry; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein described and the owner of said deed of trust and notes having requested, the undersigned Trustee will sell for Cash before the courthouse door in the Town of Greenville, North Carolina on

Wednesday, April 26th, 1933, at 12 o'clock Noon,

the following described real estate: Lying and being situated in Fountain Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining lands of Columbus Jefferson, G. W. Jefferson, Henry C. Jefferson, Black Swamp and lands of A. C. Gay, containing 33 1-3 acres more or less. Being share of land inherited by the said James Lee Jefferson, and being also the share purchased of J. I. Norville and wife Cal-

lie Ida Norville, as shown by deed dated September 15th, 1919 and duly recorded in the Registry of Pitt County in Book X-12 at page 584. Each of said shares contained 16 2-3 acres more or less. Reference is made to the division in which one share was allotted to James Lee Jefferson, and also to division in which one share

was allotted to Callie Ida Norville, and also to deed from Callie Ida Norville and husband above referred to for a fuller description. This on the 25th day of March, 1933. JOHN HILL PAYLOR, Trustee.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by McO. Horton and wife, Helen V. Horton, to J. L. Sutor, Liquidating agent of the Citizens Bank on the 4th day of February 1931, which is recorded in the Register of Deed's office of Pitt County in Book S-18 page 496, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust and by demand of Gurney P. Hood, Commissioner of Banks, Exrel Citizens Bank of Farmville, the undersigned Liquidating Agent, will on April 10th 1933, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder in front of the courthouse door, in the town of Greenville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock Noon, the following described real estate:

Lying and being in the town of Farmville, North Carolina, located on the East side of Contentnea Street bound on the South by the lands of Mrs. Helen V. Horton; thence running with the said Horton's line an Easterly direction 210 feet to Mrs. J. Flanagan's line; thence a North-easterly direction 50 feet to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker's line; thence in a West-erly direction with the Parker line 100 feet; thence with McD. Horton's line in the same direction 110 feet to Contentnea Street; thence in a Southerly direction with Contentnea Street 50 feet to the beginning Containing one-quarter acre, more or less.

J. L. Sutor, former Liquidation agent,
B. B. Massagee, Liquidating agent in charge,
Gurney P. Hood, Commissioner of Bank, owner of debt.
R. T. Martin, Attorney

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Boston Steffens to J. Mac Dixon for purchase price on January 6th, 1928, and recorded in Book U-14, page 445, of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, as therein provided, the undersigned will on the 28th day of April, 1933, at 12 o'clock NOON, in front of the Court House, Greenville, N. C., sell the following described tracts of land in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, to the highest bidder for cash;

Being lots No. 1 and 2, in the division of the Jesse Branch lands, as surveyed and plotted by R. E. White, C. E., which plot is on record in the Register of Deeds office in Pitt County, in Plat Book 2, page 102, to which map reference is hereby made for a more accurate description.

This tract of land being the same described in deed from J. Mac Dixon and wife and W. R. Moore and wife, to W. M. Cox.

Said sale is being made to satisfy the balance due on the purchase price. This 27th day of March, 1933.

J. MAC DIXON, Mortgagee.
Pittman & Eure, Attys.

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