

PRES. HOOVER ASKS UNITED FRONT ON FARM RELIEF

SAYS DIVISION SLOWS UP TASK THAT IS AHEAD

Urges Various Agricultural Agencies to Get Together on Proposition

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—President Hoover deprecates the lack of unanimity in the ranks of Senators over farm relief legislation on the ground that it only encourages those opposed to all farm relief.

President Hoover said that if the farm aid question was to be taken out of the political field and transferred to the realm of economics there was need for unity among the farm associations. He maintained that there must be some compromise and converging of conflicting views if there was to be any real relief legislation.

He emphasized his view that the Kansas City convention adopted a specific plan which was the plan of the party and not of any individual or groups of individuals or organizations.

The working out of this plan, he added, necessitated some yielding of views by all concerned.

On that proposal there was clear mandate in the recent election, Mr. Hoover continued.

"If after eight years of agitation and debate on a matter so vital to a large part of our people, we are to succeed in putting the question out of politics and on the way to solution under economic guidance we have need of unity in the ranks of farmers themselves and the different groups which reflect their views in congress. No great step in public action can ever succeed without some compromise of view and some sacrifice of opinion."

The president's statement made in reply to enquiries to the press follows: "I regret to see that some farm organizations are again divided on phases of agricultural relief. One primary difficulty in the whole of this last eight years has been the conflict in points of view in the ranks of the agricultural organizations and the farmers themselves."

"A definite plan of principle of farm relief was adopted by the Republican convention at Kansas City. It was the plan of the party; it was not then or now the plan of any individual or group; it was necessary; the result of compromise; it represented an effort to get together and secure fundamental beginnings and necessitated the yielding of views by all of us; it was supported by all elements of the party in the campaign and upon it we have a clear mandate."

"Without entering into the merits or demerits of any other suggestion at the present time, I can deplore that division in the ranks of the farmer's themselves, that encourages those who oppose farm relief. It can at best only bring great danger of failure."

W. S. LEE TO GET HONORARY DEGREE CHARLOTTE, April 19.—(AP)—W. S. Lee, of Charlotte, vice-president of the Duke Power Company, will receive a doctor of science degree from Davidson College at its ninety-third commencement, to be held in June. Dr. W. J. Martin, president of Davidson, announced today.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES BECOME INTERNATIONAL WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Big European investment trusts are experimenting with a new type of international organization designed to enable trusts in various countries to cooperate with each other.

The department of commerce understands that one group has already been formed which includes Swiss, Belgian, French and English concerns. Each agrees to share its investments with the rest.

The purpose is to give each company the benefit of close, constant contact with the securities markets of other countries.

MONUMENT TO HOOVER FOR LIMESTONE FIND PAWBUKKA, Okla.—(AP)—Herbert Hoover the geologist is to be honored for his discovery of Pawhuska limestone.

A monument of the limestone, dedicated to President Hoover, will be built by the Oklahoma geological survey.

The exact date of Hoover's discovery of this formation is not given in documents describing his survey.

One of Slayers of Duplin Magistrate Is Captured

SLOAN TAKEN LATE AT NIGHT IN PENDER COUNTY AND HURRIED IN MORNING TO RALEIGH FOR SAFEKEEPING—LOOK TO CAPTURE OF TEACHEY

Captured near Willis in Pender county, Clyde Sloan, one of the Negroes implicated in the slaying of Esq. Sidney Teachey of Wallace last Saturday night, has been removed to Raleigh for safe keeping, a Duplin deputy sheriff informed The News over long distance last night. Paddy Teachey, the 20-year old negro alleged to have fired the shot that killed the Wallace magistrate is still at large, but the Duplin official told The News that his capture would be made in the next few days.

Sloan had taken refuge with a relative named Coleman in Pender and word of his whereabouts came to the Duplin authorities. Chief of Police P. W. Davls of Wallace headed a party of deputized citizens—H. B. Denning, J. A. Harrell and William Southernland—who made the capture. They came by night to the Coleman home and surprised Sloan in bed asleep.

The capture was effected late at night and the Negro was hurried at once to the county jail at Kenansville. Early the following morning he was carried to Raleigh for safe keeping. It is believed that the capture late at night and removal of the Negro to Raleigh early in the morning prevented trouble. Duplin officers had been frank to confess that they anticipated an attempted mob in case the slayers were taken. Feeling against the two blacks has continued to run high.

A number of reports concerning the whereabouts of Paddy Teachey have been received. The News was told last night, but none of them have as yet proved correct. One tip was that he was in hiding near Beulaville. Another that he had fled to Dunn, and another had him nearer the scene of the crime.

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Four Navy Fliers Killed in Crash

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 19.—(AP)—Three San Diego navy fliers were killed and a fourth died en route to the hospital as a result of an aerial collision over Coronado this afternoon.

ARE REPAIRING BROKEN LEVEE

Believe That Mississippi Will be Held Within Its Banks

SNOW LAKE, Ark., April 19.—(AP)—Large forces of men were engaged to night in a desperate but apparently winning struggle to prevent a huge crevasse at Knollton where caving banks caused 300 feet of the main Mississippi levee to crumble. It was at Knollton near here that a break in the levee two years ago caused 27 lives.

A dirt loop, hastily constructed back of the ca vein still held and no further caving of the river bank had occurred since several carloads of rock were dumped into a hole made by the high water under the base of the levee.

Li. Col. F. B. Wilbey, U. S. Engineer in charge of the Memphis district, said that a willow net would be sunk at the ca vein as quickly as possible to prevent further caving. The crumbling section extended from the levee to the channel of the river.

BILL PROVIDES FOR VETERANS

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—The Veterans Bureau would be authorized to expend \$1,500,000 for the construction of a veterans hospital in Alabama in a bill introduced today by Representative Jeffers, Democrat, of Alabama.

COL. DOWD GETS APPOINTMENT

CHARLOTTE, April 19.—(AP)—Col. C. D. Dowd, of Charlotte, has been appointed Adjutant General and Chief of staff of the North Carolina division of the United Confederate Veterans. It was announced Thursday. He succeeds the late Col. J. J. Cornley.

Goldsboro Debaters Lose 3 To 2 in Finals at Hill

CHAPEL HILLS, April 19.—Two slender lads representing the Roanoke Rapids high school tonight won the annual high school debate and the Aycock Memorial cup by a three to two decision. They defeated Miss Eleanor Bizzell and Edward Outlaw of the Goldsboro High School.

The winners upheld the negative of the query "Resolved that the United States Upheld the World Court." The winners are: Floyd Adams and Sherard Crumpler.

Judge Harry W. Chase, President of the University of North Carolina presided tonight and the judges were: H. H. Williams, N. W. Walker, R. B.

THEATRE MEN ARE ARRESTED

Charged With Conspiring to Violate Anti-Trust Measure

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 19.—(AP)—Secret indictments were returned against ten theatre and motion picture distributing organizations by the Federal grand jury today. Nine large film firms recently had sought to prevent grand jury investigation of charges that they had violated the Sherman anti-trust law.

SELECT OFFICE SITE

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—The treasury-postoffice building committee today selected the Dollar Savings bank site as the place for a new federal building to be erected at Sparta-burg, S. C. The site is on the north-east corner of Magnolia and Walnut streets and is 225 feet by 176 feet. The price for the lot was \$85,000.

HELEN MORGAN THROUGH WITH NIGHT CLUB

NEW YORK, April 19.—(AP)—Helen Morgan, actress and entertainer, acquitted by a federal jury of maintaining a joint nuisance by the sale of liquor in a night club, is the only night club owner.

She was pale and trembling when the jury came in at 9:30 after having been out four hour and fifty-five minutes. When she heard the verdict she seemed about to faint. She partly regained her composure but began to weep softly and finally broke down and cried without restraint.

Her acquittal was the second defeat suffered by the government in two weeks in cases against Broadway night club hostesses. Last week Texas Guinan was found not guilty of maintaining a nuisance at the Salon Royale, in each case a special prosecutor came from Washington.

PLAN REJECTED

GENEVA, April 19.—(AP)—The preparatory commission on disarmament of the league of nations today rejected the soviet project for extensive partial world wide disarmament as a basis for its future work.

Maryland Chooses



Dorothy McDorman, aged 18, Baltimore student of music, was chosen from final field of 28 girls to represent her State in Typical American Girl Contest, Maryland is confident, not without cause, she has good chance to win \$5,000 prize and trip to Europe.

KILLS HIMSELF AND HIS LOVER

Canadian Had Previously Killed Mother of Girl Who Tried Stop Elopement

ST. LAWRENCE, Manitoba, April 19.—(AP)—J. des Jardiin cornered by a posse seeking him for the slaying of Mrs. F. Richard, who attempted to prevent the man eloping with her 18 year old daughter, shot and killed both himself and the girl this afternoon.

INSANE BARMER SUICIDES

CHARLOTTE, April 19.—J. P. Miller, 54, a farmer living in the Marl Creek township, committed suicide Thursday by shooting himself.

Blames Drinking



Fallen into custody by the police while praying in a New Rochelle, N. Y., church where he had entered to escape the raging storm, Henry De Le Esprilla admitted to the police that he had shot his mother and sister while under the influence of liquor.

Anti-High Tax Meeting At Courthouse at 2:30

WILL APPOINT COMMITTEE TO GO BEFORE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND ASK THEM TO PRACTICE STRICT ECONOMY—MANY TO SPEAK

At a tax reduction meeting at the courthouse at 2:30 this afternoon, a committee will be named to appear before the county board of commissioners to ask them to practice "strict economy" in the county's governmental affairs. Those who have been advertising the meeting said last night that they expected several hundred people to pack the courthouse for the meeting this afternoon.

Efforts had been made to have Dr. J. Y. Joyner, former state superintendent of public instruction, come here to address the meeting, but it was not known at a late hour last night whether or not he would be able to come.

Representative citizens of every section of the county, were to be asked to state their views on the subject. In the program which had been planned Fred P. Parker, Jr., told The News, C. B. Miller and Hugh Dorich are to be the speakers from Goldsboro.

Mr. Parker said that Dred Yelverton of Eureka, Ex-Sheriff E. A. Stevens of Grantham, Nick Newsome of Stoney Creek, Alex Aycock of Nahunta, Charles McCandless of Pate-town and H. W. Weaver of Grantham were expected to say what they thought about high taxes.

The meeting to be held this afternoon is an outgrowth of a similar gathering held at the Memorial Community building more than a month ago. Only a few people responded to the call for that talk-fest and a committee was organized to beat up the bushes and get out the folks for today's session.

Posters announcing the gathering have been broadcast over the county and reports were that a good many of the farmers of the county were going to quit ploughing this afternoon and come to the courthouse. Fred Parker, Jr., will preside.

RUM RUNNERS MAKE ESCAPE

Draw Sawed Off Shotgun on Carl Smith, Forcing Him to Abandon Chase

A car believed to have been loaded with whiskey escaped from Deputy Sheriff Carl Smith west of the city yesterday morning when a man in the rear seat of the car raised a sawed off shotgun and threatened to shoot the officer.

Smith had started trailing the car near Adamsville and followed it through the city. The machine, a Chrysler, was turned into a country road near the first filling station west of the overhead bridge, with Smith in close pursuit.

He had drawn close to the machine when a man on the back seat pulled the gun from the car and raised it as if to shoot. The deputy had been pulling up on the side of the machine and at once fell back behind it for his own protection. As the Chrysler pulled away, the man shook the gun tauntingly at Smith.

SOUTHERN DENIES

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—A general denial that its control of the Mobile and Ohio and New Orleans and Northeastern railroad in any way constitutes violation of anti-trust laws was entered before the Interstate Commerce Commission today by the Southern Railway system in reply to a commission complaint that such control constituted a violation of the Clayton anti-trust act.

LORD REVELSTOKE WAS BOYHOOD CRUM OF ENGLISH KING

LONDON, April 19.—(AP)—King George lost a boyhood friend by Lord Revelstoke's death in Paris this morning. They used to play together as youngsters and Revelstoke was later one of a group of bachelors much in evidence at the British court.

Lord Revelstoke was the last survivor of these friends of His Majesty's youth.

He Doesn't Own an Auto This Morning

J. L. Sills, Negro residing near Elm and James streets, tried to pour gasoline into his Ford automobile from the light of a lantern about 10 o'clock last night. He doesn't own an automobile this morning. The car and the garage in which the machine was housed were destroyed. Quick response of the fire department to an alarm prevented the flames from spreading to other structures. Sills was not burned in the explosion that accompanied the flaring of the gasoline.

SCORE KILLED IN ENCOUNTER

Number of Mexican Rebels Flee to United States for Protection

TUCSON, Ariz., April 19.—(AP)—Eye witnesses of a battle between Mexican rebels and Federal troops at Mesquite, Sonora, reported here today that 20 or 25 men had been killed in the engagement and that American women had acted as nurses for the wounded. Three wounded rebels were among the witnesses reaching Tucson.

The battle at Mesquite, a tiny border town, held by the rebels, started at 5 o'clock this morning and after 2 hours of fierce combat was surrendered to the Federals. The attack was launched by 195 Federal troops who captured between 20 and 40 prisoners.

Eighteen rebels led by L. Cutenant Encarnado Rojas fled across the border to Arizona soil. They were brought to Tucson by U. S. border patrol officers.

Smith Not to Figure In Tammany Naming

NEW YORK, April 19.—(AP)—Governor Alfred E. Smith indicated today that he would take no part in the selection of a successor of George W. Glavin as leader of Tammy Hall.

Concrete Steel Co. Loses Suit in Superior Court

W. P. Rose, local contractor, was yesterday winner in a suit which had been brought against him by the Concrete Steel Company of New York City. The New York company had claimed judgment against Mr. Rose on the ground that certain contracts with the Goldsboro man had not been lived up to.

Judge Grady turned to the charge of the jury in the case when court opened yesterday morning and the jury returned findings in favor of the defendant before noon. The case had been previously heard before Judge F. A. Daniels in Wayne Superior Court and a verdict rendered in favor of the plaintiff. At that time Judge Daniels set the verdict aside.

Attorneys for the propounders of the will of the late Mrs. Ida M. Gully

moves yesterday to have the verdict set aside under which the jury had found Mrs. Gully incompetent to make a will. The motion was overruled by Judge Grady and notice of appeal to the Supreme court was made. The propounders were allowed 25 days in which to perfect their appeal and the caveators will be permitted to reply to the propounders thirty days later.

Judge Grady also denied the petition that the action of W. M. Bizzell against R. L. Denny be moved to Forsyth county Superior court, finding that the case did not justify the removal.

The two weeks session of civil court was adjourned before noon and Judge Grady left at once for Clinton.

NOT TO CALL SEC. MELLON

Senate Committee, However, Has Not Made Final Decision On His Case

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—While the house continued its farm relief debate the senate judiciary committee today decided not to ask Secretary Mellon to appear before it, but postponed final action in its hearing on the right of the treasury head to hold office. The senate was in recess for the week end.

The house heard from representative Jones, Democrat, Texas, that he would attempt to incorporate the export debenture plan in the farm relief bill. Representative Garner, Democrat, Texas, charged that "leaks" were passing from the Republican membership of the ways and means committee concerning the tariff revision measure they are drafting. He said information was going to interested parties while Congress was kept in the dark.

Decision not to call Mr. Mellon was reached by the senate committee after Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania had presented an opinion by the attorney general that the treasury head's rights to hold office was unquestionable and a letter from Mr. Mellon, stating that he had withdrawn from all active business and was only a stockholder.

Approval of the appointment of former Governor Oscar B. Colquitt of Texas as a member of the railroad mediation board and Charles McClain Saltzman of Iowa as a member of the Federal Radio Commission was given by the senate interstate commerce committee.

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, expressed the opinion that German reparation proposals made at Paris were just and fair.

RACE DRIVERS ORDERED TO WEAR TRICK HELMETS

ALTOONA, Pa.—(AP)—Race drivers at the speedway here are cultivating certain amount of pride in appearance these days.

Authorities have made the wearing of special helmets compulsory at all races here this season, the type selected being similar to that instituted by Maj. H. O. D. Seagrave. The helmets are made of airplane cloth, cemented under heavy pressure.

The old guard lament the passing of their old headgear, but admit that the new style is vastly more decorative.

DIVORCE GRANTED MAN FROM WIFE HE WED 64 YEARS AGO

BENTONVILLE, Ark., April 19.—(AP)—A divorce has been granted here to W. H. (Coke) Harvey, pyramid builder and "Free Silver" advocate, from the wife he married 64 years ago, and as soon as the decree was signed Harvey obtained a license to wed his secretary, Mrs. May Leake, 61. Harvey is 77.

CASE IS APPEALED

RENO, Nev., April 19.—(AP)—Formal motion for a new trial of the Inman divorce case was filed here yesterday by counsel for Mrs. Helene Garnett Patton Inman, whose husband, Walker P. Inman, son of Mrs. James H. Duke, was granted a divorce last week after a three week's contested suit. The motion was based on alleged irregularities in the proceedings.

RALEIGH AIRPORT

RALEIGH, April 19.—(AP)—E. H. Throggill, an official of the Currier Flying Service, today announced that 700 acres of land had been purchased three miles south of Raleigh for the establishment of a flying school and commercial airport by Curtiss interests.

PLAN FARM BOARD

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—With the new farm relief bill barely launched upon its course through congress, some of its advocates are putting their heads together to work out a way of providing the \$500,000,000 it would authorize for the federal farm board.

GERMAN CABINET MEETS

BERLIN, April 19.—(AP)—The German cabinet convened this morning for what was said would be an informal continuous session with members keeping in constant touch with events at the plenary session of reparations experts in Paris.