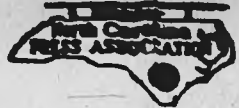


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YOU and YOUR CONGRESS

Future historians, in writing about United States foreign policy, are likely to attach considerable significance to events in the Senate during the past week. Those events produced indica-



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tions of a possible revival of the bipartisan foreign policy which, first, had lost strength from the death of the late Senator Vandenberg and, second, had been all but shattered by the dismissal of General MacArthur.

The reaffirmation of this two-party policy, if it should come about, undoubtedly would provide the historians with interesting material.

First of all, the fortunes of that policy would have fallen and then risen again because of events connected with a single area of the world—the Far East.

The policy, into the support of which the late Michigan Senator led a majority of his Republican colleagues, received its worst blow when MacArthur was relieved as Far East Commander.

The criticism directed against the President by Republicans in Congress was as scathing as any that had been heard on Capitol Hill in years. One Republican Senator, Jenner of Indiana, called for impeachment of Mr. Truman. Others, including Knowland of California, demanded—and got—an investigation.

Now comes the Japanese peace treaty, adopted at San Francisco by all of the attending international delegates except those from Russia and her satellites—who weren't expected to sign it anyhow.

The treaty represents a distinct advance for the free nations in the Far East and an unmistakable setback for communism in that same area of the world.

The treaty is the product of a year's efforts by John Foster Dulles, Republican advisor to the State Department. The San Francisco conference, at which the treaty was approved by an overwhelming majority of delegates, was the product of the Democratic Administration. It was presided over by the chief Administration spokesman on foreign policy, Secretary of State Acheson.

Last week Senator Knowland was the first to urge the Senate to ratify the Japanese treaty and, in so doing, make it officially acceptable to the United States. Knowland was seconded by Senator Smith, Republican of New Jersey, and they both had praise for the results of the San Francisco conference.

Moreover, both Senators praised. Should the people of North Carolina nominate and elect me Governor, such experience and ability as are mine will be devoted to serving the best interests of the State I love.

I make this formal announcement brief, but at the proper time will present my suggestions for the continuing development of North Carolina.

I acknowledge with sincere appreciation the assurance of support that have come to me from all sections of the State, and I invite and respectfully solicit the support of all North Carolinians.

Home Demonstration County Council Meeting Held

The Hoke County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs met on Friday afternoon, September 14, at the Home Demonstration Agent's office in Raeford. Mrs. John Baker, president of the County Federation, presided. After singing "America the Beautiful" the group repeated the club women's collect. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The roll of clubs was called with seventeen officers answering present. The report of the treasurer was given by Mrs. J. R. Blue.

New County Council officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Tom Sinclair, R-1, Aberdeen; Vice-President, Mrs. John

Baker, R-1, Cameron; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Bernice Williamson, R-3, Raeford.

Two committees were appointed. Those asked to serve on the Achievement Day Program are Mrs. Roy Shockley, Mrs. R. H. Williamson and Mrs. B. F. McGregor. On the "place" committee for the District Meeting next April are Mrs. Bernice Williamson and Mrs. Joe Lovette.

The Plan of Work for 1952 was approved by the council members. Mrs. Tom Sinclair spoke briefly on the reading project and urged the club officers to try to collect as many book report blanks as possible in order for the club members to receive reading certificates at Achievement Day.

Mrs. John Baker gave the highlights of Farm and Home Week and the National Council meeting in Lansing, Michigan.

The group voted to charter a bus to the State Fair in October. They also decided to sponsor a monthly news letter to be sent from the Home Agent's office once a month and to try to see how many rural mail boxes they could get improved in the county.

FHA Families Help Defense Production

Chief aim of farm families cooperatin in local program of the Farmers Home Administration this fiscal year will be to bring their farms to maximum efficiency and help produce the food, feed, and fiber needed for national defense, Hubert C. Chaney, Hoke FHA County Supervisor said today.

A total of 146 family farmers in this area are currently using the agency's supervised credit to buy, enlarge, develop, or operate farms, or to improve inadequate housing. As a result, these families are now better able to raise products in short supply.

Mr. Chaney stated that "The Small Farm" is greatest potential source of domestic agricultural labor. Yet it is producing far below capability because land is not being effectively used and capital reserves or suitable credit is lacking. The Sparkman Committee of the United States Senate has pointed out that a million farm families over the Nation are

only a third as productive as families on well-developed and well-organized family farms such as the Farmers Home Administration creates. Some of those farmers are here in this locality.

MORE ABOUT Lumbee REA

committeeman in event they have any changes or any recommendations they would prefer that the nominating committee consider.

This committee will meet in the REA Office, Red Springs, N. C., October 2, at 3:00 p. m. and name the nominees to be voted on by the members at the annual meeting. This committee has been named as near as possible to represent the geographical area served by the cooperative.

Mr. Ballance pointed out further that the Lumbee River Electric Membership Corporation is now serving over 1800 miles of line in Hoke, Robeson, Scotland, and Cumberland Counties and is serving more than 6500 rural farm homes none of which had ever had electric service up until 1941 when the REA program was started in this vicinity.

The president stated that the cooperative at present has electric service now in most of the houses who have made formal application for same and in the near future will reach about 95% area coverage.

The cooperative has been operating on a sound financial basis, meeting all obligations to Federal REA, and at present has a sizable sum paid in advance payments.

The present officers and directors of the cooperative are: C. L. Ballance, president, St. Pauls; Mrs. Lucy Smith, secretary, Raeford; J. McN. Gillis, vice-president, Fayetteville; J. R. Cadell, treasurer, Maxton; J. E. Morrison, Maxton; C. A. Alford, Rowland; John R. Lassiter, Wagram; Wade H. Powell, Rowland; Marshall Newton, Raeford.

JAMES DOUGALD COXE AND MRS. DIGGLE WED IN LUMBERTON

The marriage of Mrs. Christine Johnson Diggle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Lester Johnson of Lumberton, and James Dougald Coxe, son of Mrs. Elizabeth McCormac Coxe of Red Springs and the late Joseph E. Coxe of Bennettsville, S. C., took place Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Lumberton. Rev. Paul D. Early, pastor of the First Baptist church of Red Springs, officiated.

Organ music was presented by Mrs. Richard S. Davis. The couple entered together and were unattended. Ushers were Francis E. Coxe of Blenheim, S. C., brother of the bridegroom, and Thomas L. Johnson, Jr., of Clinton, brother of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for a two weeks' wedding trip.

The bride, who has been very active in church and civic affairs in Lumberton, is a graduate of Lumberton High school and Meredith college.

The bridegroom attended the Red Springs schools and Davidson college and later was graduated from the University of North Carolina. He has been connected with several North Carolina newspapers as publisher and manager and for several years has been owner and publisher of the Red Springs Citizen and other Robeson County weekly newspapers. From 1943 to 1945 he was editor of The News-Journal while Paul Dickson, the present editor, was overseas.

MISS CROUCH MARRIED TO RICHARD HODGSON IN RALEIGH

The marriage of Miss Cora Lee Crouch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Thomas Crouch of Aberdeen, and Richard Holmes Hodgson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold H. Hodgson of Raleigh and Washington, D. C., was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon, September 12, at 4:30 in the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Raleigh.

The couple entered the church together, and the double ring service was conducted by the Rev. Herbert W. Stroup, Jr.

The bride wore a powder-blue faille suit with black velvet accessories. Her corsage was of pink sweetheart roses and white tube roses.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the couple's apartment in Durham.

Mrs. Hodgson was graduated from the Hoke County High School and Hardbarger's Business College. She is presently employed as secretary at Farmers Cooperative Exchange, Inc. in Raleigh.

Mr. Hodgson attended the University of Maryland and is a graduate of Duke University. He is presently doing graduate work at Duke and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

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