

THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, September 21.

Until President Roosevelt signed the Sugar Quota bill after Congress had adjourned it was doubtful whether it would become a law or not. It is common report in Washington that Mr. Roosevelt had actually written a veto message, and only at the last minute decided to let the bill become law.

The bill which aroused the Presidential ire continues restrictions on imports of raw sugar, and limits the amounts of refined sugar from Cuba, Puerto Rico and Hawaii. These restrictions have been in effect since 1934, and cost the American people in 1936, a sum which the Secretary of Agriculture estimates at \$350,000,000, or about 2-1/2 cents a pound on all the sugar consumed. The Secretary of State estimated the cost to consumers at about \$3 a head

for every man, woman and child in the country.

The bill was passed by Congress over the protests of the Administration. Secretary Wallace protested that it would cut the purchasing power of countries exporting sugar, at the expense of American agricultural exports. Secretary Hull said it was unfair to Cuba and would handicap his reciprocal tariff policy.

Secretary Ickes declared the bill discriminated "in an extremely imperialistic manner" against Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. Nevertheless, the efforts of the 27 processors of beet sugar and the 13 cane sugar refiners prevailed over Administration protests.

Sugar Lobby Powerful
The Senators from the sugar states, speaking, as they assured the President, for 70,000 cane and sugar beet growers, promised that when the quota system came up for action again they would see that refined sugar was dealt with separately, without any discrimination against the refineries of the island dependencies, in which they assured him, they would try to improve labor standards.

And they promised solemnly that the next time they legislated on sugar they will "see to it that the American housewife is protected adequately." The President accepted these assurances as "a gentleman's agreement that the unholy alliance between the cane and beet growers, on the one hand and the seaboard refining monopoly on the other, has been terminated by the growers," and on that assurance he signed the bill.

The Sugar Lobby has for years been known in Washington as one of the most powerful on Capitol Hill. The financial and political influence which it has always been able to exert whenever any proposed legislation threatened the interests of the refiners has been amazing.

According to experienced observers who know pretty well what ever is going on behind the scenes in Washington, the degree of political pressure brought to bear by the sugar interests on officials shaping the Government's sugar policy has seldom been matched in Washington history.

Another agricultural legislative matter on which the President yielded to a promise by Congressional leaders looks as if it might not turn out as the President would like. That is crop control. Well-informed sources predict that nothing like the rigid crop control plan which the President has in mind will have a chance of passing by this Congress when it meets again.

Reports coming in to Washington from Senators and Representatives having farming constituencies indicate that, after talking with the folks, "back home," the members are inclined to the idea that the present Soil Conservation Act pretty nearly meets all reasonable requirements of crop regulation.

There is growing strength, however, behind the movement for a two-price standard for the major export crops, cotton and wheat, particularly. Something like the old "domestic allotment" plan is being talked about. This would be calculated to guarantee the grower a price from products sold for domestic consumption which would assure him a "parity income," and let him take his own chances on what he could get for any surplus in the world markets.

Secretary Hull is opposed to this plan. Its opponents say that it would prevent large foreign purchases of American farm products at any price. Its proponents argue that it is the only way by which American growers can regain vital foreign markets; that its only alternative is complete Federal regimentation of agriculture.

Enough of the Administration's advisers are friendly to the two-price plan to suggest that when Congress gets back to work it will, at least be well aired on Capitol Hill.

The oft-repeated gossip that Postmaster-General Farley intends to resign has been revived lately, more insistently than ever. The latest rumor is that he is considering an offer to become president of a well-known automobile manufacturing company.

community are through pulling fodder and curing tobacco.

Mrs. Lela Dunningman of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunningman of Greensboro, were the guests of relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Adams attended the homecoming at Burlington Sunday. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Jessie Lee Adams, who has been studying piano there for the past several weeks.

Miss Anna Lee and Paul Swaim of Ronda spent last Sunday here with their grandmother, Mrs. Vina Swaim.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Long and daughter, Peggy, of Arlington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Couch Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Myers and children and Mrs. Effie Bell spent last Sunday with Mrs. Glenn Swaim at Ronda.

Rev. D. C. Swaim of Winston-Salem was a visitor in our community Sunday.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

DCA-2703-Cothren
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by J. L. Cothren and wife, Etta Cothren and L. E. Spencer, to Carolina Mortgage Company, Trustee, dated June 1, 1927, Surry County, Registry, North Carolina, the undersigned as the duly appointed substituted trustee (see Book 129, page 434, of said Registry), will offer for sale at public auction at the courthouse door in said county, in the city of Dobson, N. C., at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, October 11, 1937, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows:

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The farmers of this community are busily engaged in harvesting their fall crops. Some tobacco crops have done right well since it began to rain, while others are hardly worth the trouble of pulling and curing.

We are very sorry to chronicle the death of Mr. Jess Burton, who lived near here. He passed away Friday morning, after an illness of several years standing. During that time he had suffered a great deal and had been confined to his bed a long time. Mr. Burton leaves his wife and eight children to mourn his departure. The funeral services were conducted at Mt. Hermon church Saturday afternoon by Revs. L. W. Burrus and T. S. Draughn. Interment was in the cemetery there.

There will be a home-coming at Mount Hermon Baptist church the first Sunday in October. It will begin with Sunday school at 10 o'clock and a sermon at 11 o'clock and will continue throughout the day with a number of short talks by many others. Dinner will be served at the noon hour on the church grounds. Everybody is invited to come and bring a well-filled basket and have a good time together. This church is two miles northwest of Crutchfield.

SWAN CREEK

The Sunday school here is still progressing nicely. There were 120 present Sunday morning.

Mrs. Harvey Couch, who underwent a tonsil operation last Tuesday, is not recovering very rapidly, her many friends will regret to know.

The revival at Swan Creek will begin the first Sunday in October with Rev. Mr. Bumgarner of North Wilkesboro assisting the pastor, Rev. N. T. Jarvis, in the services. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

Miss DeEtte Swaim left Sunday for Winston-Salem, where she has accepted a position. A number of farmers in this

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