Find Moffett's Body In Sea

(By UNITED PRESS)

New York, April 10 .- The body of Rear Admiral William A. Moffett. ir chief of the U. S. Navy, lost with ore than 70 others when the Aken crashed at sea off the New Jerording to a message received in aval communications from the ast guard cutter Daphne.

Navy Probing Akron Crash

(By UNITED PRESS)

of aviation's worst disaster. The a room with officers and directors E Deal and M. E. Erwin.

Only 6 Justices Named In County In Omnibus Bill

Must Also Approve Education Board

main To Be Discussed And Passed.

Cleveland county justice of peace named in the omnibus bill which must be approved by the legislawintees become legal are: S. J. Mcluney, No. 1 township; George W. Allen, No. 4; Zemri Kistler, No. 6; E M. Eaker, No. 8: A. Kent Harris No. 9; and M. N. Gantt, No. 10. Men on who must also be given legislalive approval on the omnibus bill are: W. A. Ridenhour, C. D. For-

Raleigh. April 10.—The much discussed "omnibus" bills, one naming the members of the county boards of education, the other the new justices of the peace in the various counties of the state, have been introduced in the house of representatives, both having made their appearance Friday. Both will be discussed and amended considerably before they are finally enacted, and several local scraps will reach the

floors of the two houses. The boards of education are named for two years, unless their terms are specified otherwise, and no new members are to be named to oust or displace other members whose terms have not expired by law. The State fund will pay for only five members, any above that number receiving their per diem and mileage from the county school funds. These members were supposed to have been named so they could begin to function the first Duke hospital for treatment. Monday in April, but it was not reached. However, the general as-

provide for electing two for each kin river valley. township, except for 20,000 additional inhabitants, for each 20,000 of which a new justice would be Forest Workers To Live In Army hamed by the resident judge, is still in process. Meanwhile the new justices are to be named. If the new law is enacted their terms would expire soon after the next general election. Roosevelt Employment Army Re- ned out by his predecessor. He will

Program At Waco School On Friday

A program will be rendered by the Waco school on Friday evening of this week, beginning at 8 o'clock. The high school declamation and recitation contests will take place, eral plan and routine to be followlowed by an operetta entitled ed. "The Ritchen Clock" by the primary

The Ritchen Clock" by the primary

It won't be easy, but the life of ing on the time required to compare the forestry conservation corps beplete a project. mission charge and the public is in- ing organized will be in striking plete a project.

Welfare organized will be in striking

of the rugged lumberjacks who Easter Dance Nick Laney, the crooning halfwent into the woods before them. back and his Duke Blue Devils ter, often in severe cold. There play for an Easter dance in were long hours, usually seven days at the Thompson building a week. The food was heavy, pretty brary service provided. Hospital on Thursday, April 13 from 9 until much the same. 2. Chaperones will be in attend-Now comes the conservation corps tents will give necessary first aid and the dance wil be script, recruit to build up the forest thin-

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Bank Outcome Is Nearing A Head; **Appraisal Finished**

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Work Done By Chief **Examiner Wood**

First National Appraisal Will Be Finished Today Or Tomorrow. To Know Its Status.

For four days Chief Bank Examiner Wood and his assistant, together with Mr. Cecil Mariner of the Reconstruction Finance corporation have been checking the affairs at the First National bank appraising the assets of the insti-

Trust Co. has been closed since the bank holiday was declared on March Iskehurst, N. J. April 10 .- The 6th. The coming of the bank examhree survivors of the Akron dis- iners was delayed because of duties ster were called today to testify as in other cities, but three men arhe U. S. Navy, in an atmosphere of rived on Thursday and have been adness, began its own investigation working constantly ever since. In survivors testifying are Lieutenant the examiners worked Sunday to commander Wiley, and Sailors R. complete the apraisal job as soon as possible and this afternoon the check-up was being completed.

Would Take Two Weeks It is understood that whatever course is recommended by Chief Bank Examiner Wood, the plan must be approved in Washington and Richmond and this would en tail some delay. When a bank that has been operating under a conservator as the First National has been doing for the past five weeks, the law says an advertisment must Head Of Forest Work Army Speeds employed forces. be carried for two weeks notiyfing the public that the bank will be relieved of a conservator and turned back to the officers for normal opills Have Been Introduced But Re- eration. Therefore, before there

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Superior Court **Ends Term Here**

Session Ended Saturday Morning. Another Divorce Is Granted.

court for Shelby, over which Judge T. B. Finley presided. adjourned here Saturday morning after disposing of a number of civil litigations Friday and Saturday.

were held during the session due to the fact that Judge Finley was sick with a cold a part of the first week. Four divorces were granted during the civil session of the court, the last divorce being granted to Ethel Hill London from Mark London on the charge of adultery.

Sister Of Shelby Woman Dies at Duke ed, if desired.

Mrs. Laura Kerns, Sister Of Mrs. J. Frank Harris, Dies At Durham.

News was received here Saturday of the death in the Duke university hospital at Durham of Mrs. Laura morning to The Star which reads E. Kerns, a sister of Mrs. J. Frank as follows: Harris, Shelby. Mrs. Kerns lived at Winston-Salem was taken to the

The remains were buried Sunday at Winston and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warehouse was three thousand bales sembly has passed a measure which Harris and daughter and Ollie of cotton short. Wish you to advise been made for the pre-Easter reprevents old boards from electing Harris left Saturday for Winston that the stock of this warehouse vival at the First Baptist church. superintendents or naming local to attend the funeral. Mrs. Kerns was checked on April 4th and I Cottage prayer meetings have been militees for the next two years, is survived by her husband Walter have a report of this check-up held throughout the city for the and validating action the new board Kerns, two other sisters besides which indicates everything to be in past two weeks. Dr. Wall preached may take which should have been Mrs. Harris, Mrs. J. F. Griffin and order, therefore this rumor is false two strong sermons Sunday and Mrs. E. A. Pearce, both of Winston, and absolutely without foundation. The measure to reduce the num- and two brothers, John Miller and bers of justices of the peace and William Miller who live in the Yad- der the state system for about ten

cruits To Work Five Days.

Since any number of unemployed

contrast with the punishing routine

ing to secure employment in the to man each day,

"Oakleys" for "First Family"



No matter what the state of the exchequer during the next year, President and Mrs. Roosevelt are at least sure of being able to see the ball games. Here are Clark C. Griffith (left), president of the Washington Senators, and John Heydler, head of the National League, as they arrived at the White House to present American and National League passes to the "First Family."

Hope To Get 250,000 Men In Forests And At Work By Middle Of May To Set Last Date

Mobilization Of Unemployed To Forest Camps.

(By UNITED PRESS)

Washington, April 10 .- Robert Fechner, general of the Roosevelt reforestation army, today outlined his objective of getting the entire unemployed force of 250,000 men into the forest camps and at work by

him to bed, Fechner issued orders Governor's relief campaign to speed the mobilization of the un- | North Carolina,

Already In Camp.

Reports show that 2,600 have already been enrolled and sent to No Special Date Set Forth In City forest camps before the beginning of the work program in the woods.

Many young men in the Shelby section are understood to be anxious to secure work in the reforestation army and applications are to be filed in this State, it is reported through the Federal employment office at Charlotte, and Dr. Fred Despite an illness which confines Morrison, of Raleigh, head of the

The two weeks term of Superior Threatens Investigation Of False Rumor About Bonded Warehouse

Only eight or nine days of court Indictment May Follow As Rumor That Planters And Merchants Is Short On Cotton

> An investigation and indictment may follow as a result of a false and damaging rumor which has spread over the county relative to the Central Methodist, First And Sec-Planters and Merchants Bonded Warehouse of Shelby where cotton is stored and warehouse receipts issued on which loans may be secur-

The rumor has been that the warehouse is short anywhere from 100 to 3,000 bales of cotton on the number of receipts issued and when this rumor reached A. B. Fairley,

Telegram Sent "I have been advised that there On Good Friday, a special service that the Planters and Merchants 2 to 3 o'clock.

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work a maximum of 40 hours, five

days each week, and in the warmer

months of the year. The forest

service promises he will be fed

Recruits-the jobless of the city-

will work in crews of from 30 to 100

men, living in army tents. Camp

sites will be moved in many cases

once or oftener each week, depend-

Welfare organizations, including

the Y. M. C. A., are planning to

supply recreation. The Knights of

Columbus and other organizations

expect to contribute to the amuse

ment. There will be movies, base-

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Camps In Woods, Follow Routine

young men in this section are hop- three of the "squarest" meals known

Easter Revivals are delaying their announcements for the time being. On At Churches Gardner Takes New

ond Baptist Have Pre-Easter Services This Week.

this week at the Central Methodist, First and Second Baptist churches. Methodist church started his revival last week with services each state warehouse superintendent at evening. This week the services

was a rumor in your community will be held in the afternoon from Well planned preparations have this week there will be services, be-"This warehouse has operated un- ginning at 7:45. Several personal

> Rev. L. L. Jessup of the Second Baptist church has a revival under way in South Shelby. The ten day revival is now under way with services each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The evening service begins at 7:15.

each evening at 7:15 during the

Hold Negro Youth On Serious Charge About Young Girl

Seduction Count Preferred By Young Mother Under 16 Years Of Age.

In county court today Clarence Burris, young colored man of No. 4 township, was bound over to Superor court on the charges of seduction, bastardy and carnal knowledge of a girl under 16 years of age.

Bond was fixed at \$1,000. The charges were filed by a colored girl said to be only 15 years of ceive? age who became a mother recently

He was brought here for trial by nary Islands. Deputy Charlie Shepard.

Collects \$7,000 In Taxes During First Week Term

Last Week Prior To Larger Penalty

Sheriff Cline Appreciates Manner Citizens Have Been Paying. Urges Payment This Week.

Cleveland county taxpayers paid an average of \$1,000 daily last week in order to avoid the three percent delinquent penalty which goes on

Sheriff Raymond Cline and Chief Deputy Roger Laughridge said today that during their first week in office, from Saturday week through last Saturday, that he had collected approximately \$1,000 per day.

The tax-paying spurt resulted in part from the announcement by the commissioners that they would withhold the three percent penalty. due to go on April 1, until April 17 because many taxpayers had their money tied up in one way or anoth-

The additional penalty will not be charged on all taxes paid through Saturday of this week, but will be added to payments Monday and from that date on. Sheriff Cline urges all able to do so to pay dur ing the week and avoid the penalty

For Filing Notice Of City Candidacy

Charter. Others Consider Race.

Candidates and prospective candidates in the approaching Shelby for candidates to file announcements of their candidacy. It was stated today by D. Z. Newton, city specify any particular date but that of vocational agriculture. ordinarily the city board fixes an

It is understood that one or two for each school. more candidates plan to get in the field but for one reason or another

Office In New York

New York, April 10 .- New York Munn, teacher. headquarters of the Cleveland Cloth mills, of which O. Max Gardner is Three pre-Easter revivals are on president, announced that the for- third, with an average score of 84 mer North Carolina governor moved into his legal offices in the Wood-Dr. McLarty, pastor of Central day. One of his chief duties will be concerned with the interests of the tor Cameron Morrison and dairy rayon yarn industry.

N. E. Burgess, Governor Gard ner's son-in-law and sales manager Raleigh, he sent a telegram this continue with sermons at 7:45 p. m. at the New York offices of Cleveup to and including Thursday night. land Cloth mills, told The Observer There will be morning services at correspondent here that the rayon 8 o'clock Wednesday and Thursday. market had been "very active for the last 10 days."

Try Answering These

Can you answer 14 of these test questions? Turn to page two for the

1. In what department of France is Chateau Thierry?

workers meetings are being held 2. Where is Tell El Amarna?

3. What country first issued adhesive postage stamps? 4. What explorer called China

Chathay"? 5. Where did Solomon erect the Temple? 6. In which ocean are the Cha-

tham Islands? 7. Of what state is Santa Fe the capital? 8. Which president issued the

first Thanksgiving day proclama-9. What is John N. Garner's mid-

dle name? 10. Which people worshipped th god Marduk?

11. In music, what is tempo? 12. Near what city is Lookout Mountain? 13. Should the bridegroom pro-

vide flowers in a church wedding? 14. Who is Lionel Atwill? 16. What is Ed Wynn's nickname? 16. How often is a federal popu-

lation census taken? 17. What annual salary does the chief justice, United States, re-

18. What does the Latin phrase and blames her condition upon Bur- "Mare Clausum" mean? 19. Name the largest of the Ca

20. What is a chantel?

Scottsboro Furore



Ruby Bates, one of the accusers of the seven negroes in the famous Scottsboro case, who created a sen-sation at the trial in Decatur, Ala., when she took the stand and testified that the story she told at the previous trial was untrue. Miss Bates, who had been missing until her dramatic appearance in court, told the court that neither she nor Victoria Price had been attacked by any of the accused men.

Polkville Youths Best In Judging Stock In Contest

Charles Beam, Dillingham Student, Wins District Honor At Charlotte Saturday.

Charlotte, April 10.-Representatives of 32 rural high schools havelection and their friends have tended the district livestock judgbeen asking what is the final date ing contest at the Morrison farm lotte under the direction of J. M. attorney, that the charter does not Osteen of Troy, district supervisor

Each of the 32 schools in the disappropriate date each two years in trict was entitled to two represent from three to five days on it. That 15-cent, the amount to be taken up keeping with the date of the elec- tatives in the contest. All of the 1,- is why it seems impossible for the by the sales tax for the six months 500 boys taking the vocational agri- session to end before April 20, or plus enough for an additional two A meeting of the aldermen is culture course in this district were possibly the 22nd. scheduled for Tuesday night and originally in the annual contest, but The appropriations bill may be the final date for filing may be de- elimination contests reduced the considered out of the way.

> District Winners. Winners for the district were:

> Warren Steed of the

Clarence Earley of the Rutherfordton school, Rutherford county,

R. M. Morris, teacher The boys were judged on their ward building in Washington Thurs- ability to judge beef cattle and swine at the farm of former Senacattle at the farm of H. G. Ashcraft in the Sharon community. Their grades in the three divisions were averaged to arrive at the final score. To Compete At Raleigh.

> The district winners will compete in a state contest in Raleigh in June, and the state champions will be sent by the Young Tar Heel Farmers' association of the Future lives. Farmers of America to the national livestock judging contest in Kansas City in the fall. The teacher of the The flames roaring so high in the boy heading the highest score in the state contest will accompany the state champions as coach.

Counties represented were Rutherford, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, enough to help. Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, Stanly, Union, Anson, Montgomery and Rich-

County Property Tax Down, Sales Tax On

Legislature Now Nearing End Of Present Session

Many Not Satisfied With Sales Tax, Eight Months Schools. Assembly Summary.

Bureau)

Raleigh, April 10.-Acceptance of the \$16,000,000 for the eight months school term item in the conference state sales tax will pop almost twice report by the house of representatives indicates that the 1933 general timated. assembly is well on the way toward adjournment. Some even think it possible that the session will end moval of the 15-cent tax on land by the middle of April, but the ma- for schools does not, however, injority belief is that it will continue clude a property tax which will reinto the next week.

Break Deadlock

the house and senate practically the county's total tax levy of \$262,vanished with that action, which, in 000 only \$124,000 is a direct tax upon reality, commits the general assem- land for county-wide purposes, the bly to a sales tax of some kind. For, remainder being a tax upon special it is pointed out, there is no other road and school districts. way in sight for raising the revenue eeded for the eight months school there are those members who voted remove all the special district taxasales tax. This number, however, special districts of the county, but apparently will not have sufficient the majority of them will be forced strength to cause a holdup for any to continue a tax levy for some appreciable time.

cent has been agreed upon by the special districts. The same applies house finance committee and comes to indebtedness of road districts. up for consideration Tuesday in the revenue bill which was received levied a 43-cent tax for general on its first reading in the house county and state purposes. This Saturday. The house will go into a levy did not include levies upon specommittee of the whole to consider cial districts, etc. Of that 43 cents it and hopes to be able to finish it 25 was for school purposes. 15 cents in time to get it passed on its three levied for the state support of six readings by the latter part of the months schools and 10 for debt week. It will then have to be taken service and capital outlay for the up by the senate, which will spend county. The removal of the state's

er of representatives to two house adopted the conference report. It is considered a matter of Larger Loans For formality for the senate to do likewise. This measure, as stated, pro-Charles Beam of the Polkville vides \$16,000,000 for eight months of school, Cleveland county, first, with school. It makes a cut of 38 per cent, an average of 89.5; E. L. Dillingham a compromise between the house 44 and the senate 32 per cent cut in Candor salaries of state employees, on the school, Montgomery county, second, 1931 basis. On the whole, the report with an average score of 84.2; G. A. is almost the figures submitted by the senate, which was not inclined

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Home Is Destroyed

House And Contents Swept Away In Early Morning Fire In Union Section

of the Union community was de- plications for crop loans in Clevestroyed by fire last week. The fire land county. However, we got startwas discovered about 4 o'clock in ed a week or 10 days later than in the morning, but the flames were already covering the roof and the are being approved at the Washfamily just did escape with their ington office and the borrowers

The furniture and other contents were completely destroyed. sky, at that hour of the morning. attracted a large throng of people throughout the section, but it burn- duction in 1933." ed so hurriedly no one arrived early

The family is living with Mrs. Williamson who lived nearby until stated that some of the applications they get the house rebuilt.

Dun And Bradstreet's Report Thinks Retail Trade Gaining Ground Daily

Retail Sales Stimulated By Easter best showing since September." Trade. Plans For Expansion Underway.

New York, April 10 .- Volume of business in some lines was expanded to new high levels for the year, the weekly review of Dun and Brad-

street, incorporated, says. merchants in leading centers "re- ever has been subjected still are confidence shown in the recent port encouraging consumer response glaring in evidence, it is certain steady increase since the passing of years.

Plans for expansion are now being completed "on every side," the review declared, "as faith in the essential soundness of the country's

financial structure is stronger than at any time in its history.

to their increased newspaper ad- that these can be endured with section, the store will continue to vertising," lineage of which in some more equanimity than the continu- operate. instances is running nearly double ous distrust and uncertainty which that of a year ago, the survey stated. exerted such a blighting influence Play At Ross Grove "As retail trade has shown a upon business for more than three the banking holiday, the force of the "With the last vestige of banking

Easter buying period is expected to deflation nearing an end, general tail sales during the week made the fluences."

Around \$60,000 Off Land Owners

County-Wide Tax On Real Estate Will Be \$60,000 Less If Value Lowered A Fourth.

With the removal of the state's 15-cent ad valorem or land tax and if the Cleveland county commissioners are able to lower real estate valuations by one-fourth the county-wide real estate tax in Cleveland By M. R. Dunnagan, Star News county in 1933 will be around \$60,-000 less than in 1932, or off approximately one-half.

> At the same time, however, the that much upon the county, it is es-

The slashing of the property tax in the county by a half due to remain in special school districts, road districts, etc. This will amount Possibility of a deadlock between to a considerable sum, because in

Not All Removed

The legislation enacting the stateexcept a sales tax. But even yet wide eight months school will not for the eight months school term tion. It will, of course, remove all who say they will still oppose the tax for school maintenance in the years to take care of the interest A general sales tax of three per and payments upon the debts of the

Last year the county of Cleveland months. That would leave the coun-

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Tenants Under New Seed Loan Ruling

Increased From \$1,200 To \$2,000. Cleveland Applications Receive

Favorable Approval.

Of interest to farmers in this section will be the announcement made today by F. T. Wagoner, field representative of the crop loan office, that an amendment to the regula-By Fire At Union tions has increased the total amount of loans to the tenants of any one landlord in a single county from \$1,200 to \$2,000. The amendment is

effective at once. "Up to this date." Mr. Wagoner The residence of John M. Mode said, "we have taken around 800 apadjoining counties. All eligible loans checks are coming in daily. With the good reputation that Cleveland farmers have in repaying their past loans we see no reason why each farmer should not receive the necessary funds required for crop pro-

Quite a number of checks came in over the week-end, the field representative here added. He also in the office here are not properly filled out and complete because in some instances landlords and tenants failed to sign the necessary waivers. Those who have not signed, both landlords and tenants, are urged to come in and do so in order that the applications may be forwarded on to Washington.

Wray To Continue In Business Here

Of interest to the general public of this section will be the announcement that the A. V. Wray and Six "While the effects of the after- Sons firm, well known Shelby firm, Retail sales last week have been math of the most devastating fin- plans to continue in business. The stimulated by Easter demand and ancial crisis to which the country announcement says that due to the bankrupt sale by the people of the

School Thursday

The Ross Grove school will give mark a definite upturn which will reconstruction can proceed with a a play, "Oh! Teacher" at the Ross gain momentum with the advanc- surety that will be rendered im- Grove church Thursday night, Aping spring season. As a whole re- mune to halting extraneous in- ril 13, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everyone is mytted to be pree