

MARINE SUBSIDY PUSHED INTO ADJOURNMENT WATERS

Oklahoma Outlaw Is First Executed Under Federal Law

Kidnapper's Life Taken For Crime

McALESTER, Okla., June 19.—(P)—Arthur Gooch, 27, convicted kidnaper of two Texas officers, was hanged at the state prison here today, the first person executed for kidnapping under the Federal Lindbergh law. The crowd estimated more than 350 persons including eight women witnesses the execution.

The condemned man's death came farewell to his six year old son, Billy Jo, was "don't get into trouble, son." The boy had pleaded with guards "Don't hang daddy."

A year and four days ago he was convicted of kidnapping or abducting two Paris, Texas, officers, R. M. Eaker and H. R. Marks and bringing them into Oklahoma. One of the officers was shoved through a showcase and injured during a scuffle, thus making the death sentence applicable.

The case was carried through all channels of appeal twice reaching the U. S. Supreme Court and Gooch was hopeful until late yesterday when Pres. Roosevelt declined for the second time to intercede.

He went to his death without making any statement.

Sanctionists Seek To Arouse Protest

LONDON, June 19.—(P)—Embittered sanctionists sought today to loose a storm of public protest against the government's decision to back suspension of Italian sanctions.

Four labor leaders, who called the cabinet recommendations "the great betrayal" of the league of nations, led a movement for a nation wide series of campaign meetings.

Their plan of opposition pointing toward a parliamentary debate Tuesday followed the same line as the public storm created by the Hoare-Laval proposal to end the Italian-Ethiopian war.

At the head of the parade of protesters was Clement Attlee, house of commons labor leader who has signified his intention to ask a vote of criticism against Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin's government.

Other sponsors of the week-end campaign were Herbert Stanley Morrison, secretary of the London labor party, Hugh Dalton, labor member, and Arthur Greenwood, labor research secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Love, Mrs. W. A. Pendleton and Phil Stephenson of Gayfield, will spend next week at Wrightsville and Carolina beaches.

Morning Cotton LETTER

NEW YORK, June 19.—Despite a reactionary sentiment which brought about considerable realising together with moderate foreign and some hedge sales prices were only a shade lower at the close. Domestic trade purchases continue active and the demand for the actual shows no abatement reflecting the gradual expansion in distribution as measured by retail sales figures. Pool holdings of July are rapidly being disposed of, these sales account for the chief supply of contracts at the present time.

We believe that a major change in the conditions surrounding cotton is taking place and that a higher level of prices will be seen.—E. A. Pierce & Co.

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 c
Cotton seed, wagon, ton \$27.00
Cotton seed, car lot, ton \$30.00

New York cotton closed today:
Jan. 11.35, March 11.36, May 11.39,
July 11.38, Oct. 11.39, Dec. 11.35.

New Senator



District Senator Is Kentuckian And Newspaper Editor

C. E. Alcock Will Represent 27th District In State Senate.

Clarence Edward Alcock, Forest City newspaper editor and Rutherford county's senatorial nominee in the 27th district, was born at Glasgow, Barren county, Kentucky, May 7, 1875, a son of John L. and Emma (Duval) Alcock. He is a member of one of Kentucky's oldest and most distinguished families.

During his school days he mastered the printer's trade at Glasgow, and in 1893 was given the position of local editor of The Spencer Courier, published at Taylorville, Ky., where he remained seven years, during a part of which time he was also editor of The Standard, published at Bardstown, Ky., of which he was half-owner.

After leaving Taylorville he joined the staff of The Louisville Courier-Journal Job Printing company, with which he was identified for 15 years. The next four years were spent as an instructor of printing at the Masonic Home, Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Alcock came to Forest City January 1, 1922 and purchased The Forest City Courier, which he has since developed into one of the leading weeklies in North Carolina. The Courier is Rutherford county's Democratic newspaper.

Mr. Alcock is a Democrat, but has never sought office until his entrance into the senatorial race this spring. He is a member of the First Baptist church, of Forest City; a member of the Forest City Lodge No. 381, A. F. & A. M., and Forest City chapter No. 79, R. A. M.; the Modern Woodmen of America, the J. O. U. A. M. and the Oasis Shrine, Charlotte.

Mrs. Robert Bell of West Asheville is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. A. V. Hamrick, and Mr. Hamrick.

Jack Franks Plays Life-Saver's Role In Rescuing 3 Companions

Maybe Jack Franks hasn't had a course in life saving, but he has proved himself a real hero this summer and eligible for any life saver's badge, by saving the lives of three boy companions, within the span of two weeks.

Young Franks, 12 years of age and a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Franks, who operate the Cleveland Cloth mill boarding house, has saved Jack McDonald, Donald Dixon and Padgett Carr from death by drowning since the swimming season opened a few weeks back.

Two weeks ago he and Jack McDonald with a party of other boys were swimming in the river near one of the scout cabins when he saw that young McDonald was in distress. When the latter came to the surface after having gone down

Hopkins' Address To Be Feature Of County-Wide Meet

Will Place Exhibits At Court House

Possibility Exists That Clyde Hoey Will Make Short Talk At Meeting Tomorrow.

A full program, replete with both local and national talent, is planned for the county-wide WPA meeting to be held at the courthouse Saturday afternoon, county supervisor John Hudson said this morning.

The program will include speeches by following representatives from Cleveland county and Shelby: J. H. Brigg, county superintendent of public schools, J. Lester Herndon, chairman of the county board of commissioner, Harry Woodson, mayor of the City of Shelby. There will be a representative from the American legion, and there is a strong possibility that Clyde R. Hoey will make a short talk. Mayor Woodson has been asked to be master-of-ceremonies.

National Speakers. The assembly, which is for the purpose of explaining the new WPA program, will be featured by an expository address over a nation-wide radio hook-up by Harry Hopkins, chief administrator. Other national personalities who will participate in the radio program, are Governor Earle of Pennsylvania, Mayor Rossi of San Francisco, Aubrey Williams, director of the National Youth Administration, and several others.

The meeting will begin at 3:30 o'clock, at which time the local officials will make short talks. At four o'clock, the half hour radio program will begin. Loudspeakers will be installed in the court house so that all present may hear the program.

Many exhibits will be displayed in the court house. The WPA sewing room project workers will exhibit samples of their best-made garments and illustrate their work. Mrs. M. M. O'Shields, the county nurse, will exhibit first-aid treatments, and make several other displays pertaining to her work. Practical articles which have been made by WPA leisure-time workers will be exhibited, and Mrs. Fanny Fetzler will illustrate some of the crafts participated in by WPA workers, and also will be in charge of the recreation, which will include some musical numbers.

All administrative employees are absolutely required to attend. Project workers are invited to attend, though their attendance is purely voluntary. All county officials and any person interested have been extended cordial invitations.

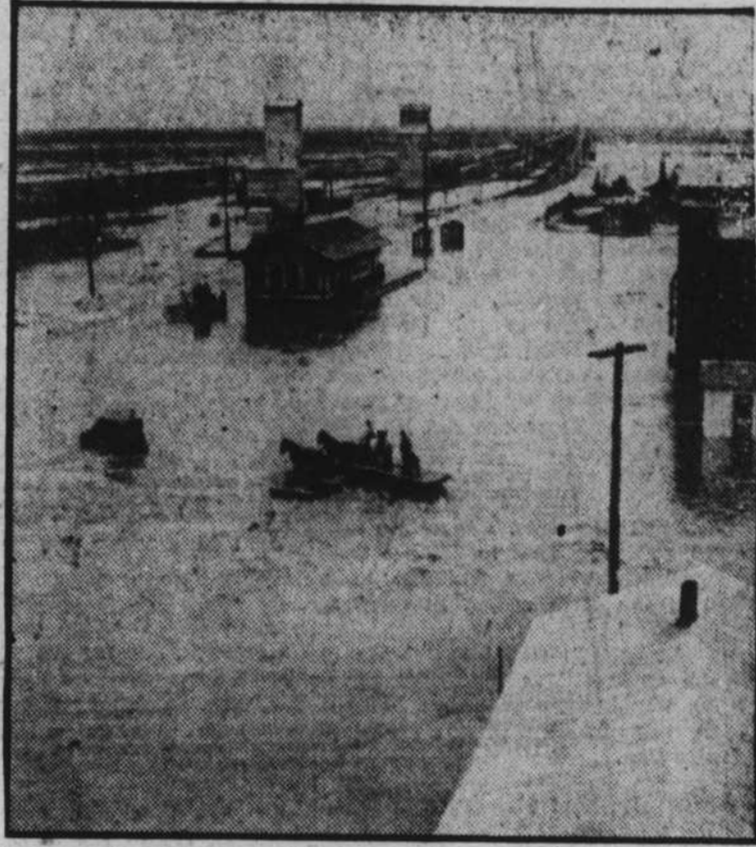
A similar meeting will be held in Kings Mountain.

Denver-Newton Road Definitely Assured

Construction work on the Denver-Newton highway was assured today in word from Capus Waynick, chairman of the state highway commission.

The sum of \$71,000 has been appropriated for the first link in the highway. The chairman said the work is definitely set to begin in the near future.

Floods Invade Dust Bowl Area



Farmers in the nation's "dust bowl" looked forward to harvest of their first real crop in five years after record rains ended the drought that had stricken the region for four years. This scene showing the inundated railroad station and fields near Friona, Tex., in the Panhandle, was typical. The slow, steady downpour created huge lakes in the once arid region, and halted traffic on many highways.

Ptomaine Poisoning, Devil's Grippe Of Flu Invades City

Numbers Of Persons Have Been Mysteriously And Seriously Ill; Investigation Clears Gaston Sandwich Shop

A wave of what is thought to be either ptomaine poisoning intestinal flu of the "devil's grippe" has been sweeping the county and neighboring cities and towns for the past several days. In a number of cases, the cause of the violent illnesses has been thought to be caused by eating sandwiches of various kinds.

Contacts with various sections of the county indicate that there has been cases of stomach poisoning of some kind at Dover and Ora mills, Grover, Kings Mountain and a dozen or more cases here in Shelby.

In Gaston. Gastonia, Cherryville and Mount Holly and neighboring Gaston towns have reported similar cases. Victims in Shelby have reported severe pains in the stomach, with temperatures running as high as 103 degrees.

Health officials have examined sandwich shops in Gastonia, against which some complaints had been made, but said they were sanitary and that the food was harmless.

Local physicians did say however that any foods, especially oily meats and mixtures of food, if exposed to heat or if allowed out in the open for long, would be dangerous.

Among Shelby persons who have been suffering from the malady are Dr. Zeno Wall, Dr. C. M. Dennis, O. Max Gardner, Jr., Gene LeGrand, Anna Lou Hoyle, C. C. Burrus and children, F. L. Baird and numbers of others.

County physician H. C. Thompson said today that no investigation has

Adjustment Payments Bring \$62,961 With More To Come

Crisp, new checks are being sent out each day from the office of the county agent as part payment of the expected \$130,000 in cotton adjustment payments. A report from Alvin Probst today said that already 1,300 applications have been certified and the sum of \$62,961.97 has been paid out in the past few weeks.

The money is the subsidy promised the farmers last year to make up for the difference in the spot market price and 12 cents per pound for their cotton.

Approximately one cent per pound has been the average paid to farmers of this county, the price depending on the time the cotton was sold.

Applications from 3,000 farmers in the county have gone in to headquarters and as soon as they are certified, the checks are sent to the local office where the growers are notified to come get them.

In the state as a whole there are approximately 114,000 of which 41 percent 46,903 farmers have received the sum of \$559,268.38.

Greensboro Section Has Heavy Rainfall

GREENSBORO, June 19.—(P)—A cloudburst here near midnight last night resulted in extensive property damage. A rainfall of 4.59 inches was recorded in the two hours period from 10:30 to 12:30, the heaviest for a like period in local history.

M'Donald Charges Hoey With Slander Lies, Dirt-Daubing

Gardner - Ehringhaus Attacked

Professor Says He Is "Telling The Truth" About The Machine.

RALEIGH, June 19.—(P)—Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, opposing Clyde R. Hoey for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, last night charged Hoey made "bitter personal attack" upon him and that "Hoey's hirelings throughout the state engaged in a vile endeavor to slander me with the circulation of malicious lies" in the last weeks before the first primary June 6.

"I conducted my campaign without resorting to personalities," McDonald said in a speech. "That policy was followed in the firm conviction that my opponent, Mr. Hoey, believed in fair play. I was mistaken, however, in believing that Mr. Hoey was too big a man to conduct a campaign without engaging in muckraking and dirt-daubing."

"The man who first carried this campaign into the gutter was Clyde R. Hoey," McDonald charged. "His hired supporters simply followed him."

McDonald had announced his subject would be "Turning the Spotlight on Truth on Clyde Hoey and the Crowd Behind Him."

"Because of the malicious manner in which Mr. Hoey's workers went after votes," McDonald said. "I regard it as a public duty for me to tell the voters of North Carolina just what type of man this Mr. Hoey

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J. M. Rhea Dies Of Heart Attack

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Kings Mountain First Baptist church for Mr. J. Monroe Rhea who died of a sudden heart attack during the night Wednesday and was found dead in bed yesterday morning.

Mr. Rhea was 45 and has been the president of the J. M. Rhea and company, wholesale grocers of Kings Mountain. He was a World war veteran and was active in fraternal circles. Mr. Rhea has also been a Mason and Shriner for some years.

The prominent Cleveland county man lived at 811 W. Mountain St. and some years ago was in the drapery business. Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Elizabeth Mauney also of Kings Mountain; three children, Marjorie, 14, Florence, 10, and Beulah, 6; and one brother and four sisters: Grady Rhea, Mrs. George Barber, Mrs. D. E. Deese, Mrs. O. O. Walker and Mrs. C. E. Demeler.

The Rev. A. G. Sargent will be in charge of the funeral services this afternoon.

Alleged Box Car Thief Under Bond

Thomas Lawson, resident of Kings Mountain has been placed under a \$300 bond on a charge of breaking into box cars at the railroad station at Kings Mountain.

He waived preliminary hearing in recorder's court and his case was continued to the July term of superior court.

Open WPA Recreation Center For Tots To Get Sun, Exercise

More sunshine and play for the tiny tots of the city and county was promised today in the announcement of the opening of a new recreational park just back of the new Rogers theatre building. Formal opening will be held Monday.

The announcement was made by Mrs. Pansy Fetzler, in charge of the WPA recreational program. She said Miss Margaret Smith will be in charge of the grounds which will be open from nine till 11:30 in the morning and from three till six in the afternoon.

Swings and see-saws and sandpiles, runways and a number of toys have been arranged. Instructors will be students under the WPA and

Lawmakers To Leave Saturday If Possible; Political Wars Call

Walsh-Healy Bill Passed Speedily; TVA And Florida Projects are Left Out Entirely; Other Cuts Are Made

(By ASSOCIATED PRESS) WASHINGTON, June 19.—Labor regulation for government contractors and an outright subsidy for the American merchant marines were shoved today into the current surging toward adjournment of congress by Saturday night. Conferees agreed last night on the tax bill and the relief deficiency bill has already gone to the White House.

Whether they would be swept to enactment by the time the weary lawmakers finish work on the vital tax bill and head for home remained in doubt. It has yet to make its way through the house.

Is Passed Quickly. The Walsh-Healey bill to make persons who sell goods to the government comply with hour and wage regulations was passed speedily by the house. Previously it had been approved in considerable different form. The big question was whether the differences between the two chambers could be reconciled without delay.

A similar situation was presented by a compromise ship subsidy plan up for consideration in the senate. It would give the merchant marine an outright subsidy instead of delivering it through ocean mail contracts already had house approval.

Congress was eager to be off to the political wars and leaders agreed it would quite immediately after final action on the \$800,000,000 tax bill worked out by house and senate conferees.

Canal Bill Dies. Bowing almost without a struggle to the house decree that the Florida ship canal must die, the senate ended the long and bitter controversy over relief by agreeing to a conference report on the more than two and a quarter billion measure. Contained in it was \$1,425,000,000 for relief, and authorization for continuing the FWA.

A brief flurry also was occasioned by the house refusal to accept senate amendments adding \$1,200,000 for new dams in the Tennessee valley.

The deficiency bill provides that the \$1,425,000,000 for next year's work relief program should be ex-

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Bible Conference, Baptist Revival Will Not Conflict

Religious leaders in charge of plans for the "young people's revival" at the First Baptist church and the series of Bible conferences at the Presbyterian church, both of which are to be held here next week, are stressing the fact that the services at the two churches should not conflict with each other.

There will be no morning services at the revival at the Baptist church through the week and all who are interested will be free to attend the Bible conferences, to be held at the Presbyterian church, beginning each morning at 10 o'clock. In the evening services will be held at both churches, beginning each evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Baptist church and at 8 o'clock at the Baptist church.

Sunday Services. Sunday morning services will be held at both the churches as usual, beginning at 11 o'clock.

As has been previous announced the Rev. Chester Swor, of Mississippi will lead the revival services at the First Baptist church, which is being planned and sponsored by the young people's groups of the church.

Dr. Frank Crossley Morgan, widely known Bible teacher, needs no introduction to Shelby people, since he conducted a two week series of Bible conferences here in 1933. He announces as the subject for his sermon Sunday morning, "A Psalm of a Sick World," and for Sunday evening "The Importance of Bible Study." The morning conferences led by Dr. Morgan will be a study of the prophet Habakkuk, with the general theme being "A Witness to the Efficacy of the Watchtower."

Sets Style



Claire Trevor, actress, shown in the latest style of beach costume.

Rites Held For Ernest W. Neal

Funeral services were held this morning at 9:30 at the home of Ernest W. Neal who died at his Kings Mountain residence on Wednesday night after a short illness of about a week. Rev. W. E. Boye of the Presbyterian church conducted the rites.

Mr. Neal was 44 years old and lived on Candler street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen Galoway Neal; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Neal; and two children, Eleanor and E. W. Neal, Jr.

The burial was held in the Mountain Rest cemetery, E. W. Neal, Jr. has charge of the delivery of The Star in the Kings Mountain territory.