

President Truman will win over Governor Dewey in the 1948 election, former Governor George E. Brown predicts in an editorial with Charles B. Markham, News Staff writer, on Page 3-A.

# THE CHARLOTTE NEWS

## Soviet Hope Of Economic Sanctions Fades Away

### Toned-Down Rebuke Is Due

By LARRY HAUCK  
NEW YORK — (AP) — The United Nations Assembly was expected today to take another slap at Franco Spain without ordering any positive action against the Falangist regime.

Soviet hopes that the UN would pass such measures as economic sanctions faded last week when the 51-nation political committee refused to accept a Polish resolution. The Assembly was ready instead to approve the final committee version which merely expressed condemnation of the Government's war-time refusal to renounce the UN 1946 appeal for renunciation of Franco's dictatorship.

Assembly approval of this resolution would leave the Security Council as the next avenue for action against Franco. However, since the UN has not yet taken any action against the Spanish dictator, the UN would not be able to take any action against the Spanish dictator.

Some 300 personnel, including 80 Americans, are attached to the dump. The nature of the explosion is still being investigated.

He said the warehouses so far destroyed contained about 250,000 pounds of explosives. The dump contained small arms ammunition and rifle grenades and 80-MM and 81-MM mortar ammunition.

## Artificial Breeding of Dairy Cows

Artificial insemination of Dairy Cattle is rapidly becoming an accepted practice with North Carolina dairymen.

## Head Of Firm Testifies Meyers Got \$28,000 Of Pay

WASHINGTON — (AP) — B. H. LaMarre, president of Aviation Electric Co., testified today that although his salary in 1941 was carried on the company's books at about \$10,000, approximately \$28,000 of this sum was paid to Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers.

He had told the Senate War Investigating Committee earlier that Meyers put up all the money to organize the firm which received over a million dollars in war business.

LaMarre, who had testified that Meyers took him from a \$15 a week job and installed him as head of the company, undertook to explain the complicated bookkeeping arrangement on salary, but Senator Ferguson (R-N.H.) "took" over and summed it up this way:

"Meyers instructed you to pay the salary out of yourself," pay the income tax and then give the rest of the money to him."

The witness asserted, WILLIAM FERGUSON. Testimony on the company's war business was received last week. Lawrence D. Bell, president of the Bell Aircraft Corp., said he sent \$1,063,000 worth of subcontracted to Aviation Electric.

## Ammunition Blows Up

IKKIO, Japan — (AP) — Seven big American bombs exploded at mid-morning, ragged out of control today.

## Urges Minimum Pay Hike

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach called upon Congress today to spurn all suggestions for tampering with the 40-hour week provisions of the Wage-Hour Act.

The cabinet officer also urged quick action to hike the present 40-cent an hour minimum wage to 45 cents.

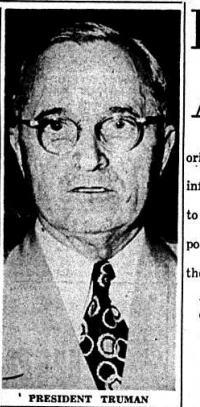
His testimony was prepared for a Senate Labor subcommittee which has been studying proposals for changes in the nine year old statute covering minimum wages, hours and overtime pay.

Noting that the law sought to establish a "normal schedule" by requiring time and one-half premium payments for all time worked after 40 hours, Schwellenbach told the committee:

"If persons are now working either that the overtime provisions be repealed outright or be made ineffective by making the time and one-half apply either to the minimum wage or to any rate agreed to by the employer and the employee."

## Ex-Convicts Wanted In Slaying And Attack Cornered In Barn

THROSON left immediately with a force of deputies.



PRESIDENT TRUMAN

## Reds Quit Paris Body

PARIS — (AP) — Twenty-five Communist members walked out of the City Council tonight after it elected Pierre De Gaulle its President.

This action came amid those other developments in the French political crisis:

1. Soviet Ambassador Alexander Bogomolov made "vicious" protest to the Government against a raid on a Soviet registration camp, from which French police removed a mother and three children.

2. Former Premier Paul Reynaud, former formation of a new Government, went to see Leon Blum, friends said, after talks with the present Premier, Paul Ramadier.

## High Point Tragedy Fatal To Two Duke Workers

HIGH POINT — (AP) — Two Duke workers were killed instantly and two others were injured today in an iron lung fall.

## President Truman Also Asks Aid For Europeans

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Truman asked Congress today to restore authority for rationing important consumer goods and imposing wage ceilings once more.

1. Authorize "consumer rationing on products in short supply which basically affect the cost of living."
2. Authorize "price ceilings on products in short supply which basically affect the cost of living or industrial production and to authorize such wage ceilings as are essential to maintain the necessary price ceilings."
3. "Extend and strengthen rent control."
4. Authorize allocation and inventory control of scarce, cost of living commodities.
5. Authorize regulation of speculative trading on commodity exchanges.
6. Restore consumer credit controls and restrain inflationary bank credit.
7. Extend and strengthen export controls.
8. Continue authority to allocate transportation facilities and equipment.
9. Provide measures to induce livestock and poultry marketing so as to obtain the most efficient use of grain.
10. Allow the Agriculture Department to expand a program for encouraging conservation practices and authorize measures intended to step up foreign food production.

## Speedy Action On Relief Promised

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Congress met in special session at noon today to receive from President Truman a personal plea for emergency aid to Europe and new controls over the cost of living at home.

## Cincinnati Faces Strike

CINCINNATI — (AP) — Approximately 300 members of the AFL's teamsters, chauffeurs, warehousemen and helpers union were set to strike today and Queen City residents anxiously wondered what effect a walkout might have on vital services, including food distribution, normally provided by trucks.

## 2-Gun Marshal's Kin Dies

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — Death has taken Mrs. Alice E. Egan, sister-in-law of Wyatt Earp, who as a United States marshal, helped bring law to the Texas West.

## Wounds Described Doctors Testify In Havana Murder Trial

By MORTIMER KREGER  
HAVANA — (AP) — Two doctors who performed an autopsy on John Lester Mee testified at the murder trial of Patricia (Sister) Schmidt today that "many persons are alive today after suffering similar wounds."

## WEATHER

Fair today and tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness with occasional light rain Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday.