

# Wallace Felted With Eggs Tomatoes In Burlington

## STABAT FIDELITY

### Candidate Quits City Without Speaking

#### Winston Speech Slated Tonight

**GREENSBORO**—(P)—A shower of rotten eggs and tomatoes greeted Henry Wallace when he arrived in Greensboro today. An emergency squad of Greensboro police was called out when a boozing crowd unloosed the eggs and tomatoes on the Presidential candidate. A short time earlier, Wallace had received a similar greeting at Burlington.

**BURLINGTON**—(AP)—Henry Wallace, Progressive Party Presidential nominee, was struck by eggs and tomatoes as he sought to deliver a speech on Burlington's main street today.

Wallace, standing before a crowd of 2,500, had just uttered the words: "I like to take this opportunity—"

When the shower of eggs and tomatoes fell about him. The crowd roared with laughter.

Surrounded by police, Wallace stepped into his waiting automobile in which two Negro women sat and left for Greensboro.

"There was quite a crowd," said Police Captain A. H. Garner. "We had Mr. Wallace surrounded by a crowd of persons so that he could begin speaking."

At that time, eggs and tomatoes began falling. Wallace was thrown from the back of the crowd, coming in from every angle.

"We don't know who did the throwing," he said. "I was knocked down by two men in the crowd, and that a white boy was removed by the officers."

Wallace said no charge had been filed. The officer said only a few in the crowd were Negroes.

"I'm sorry he wasn't given a chance to speak," he commented, adding: "The crowd apparently felt differently."

The egg and tomato throwing was the first of a series of similar disorders at Durham.

The catcalling and egg throwing that greeted the Presidential nominee brought from North Carolina's Governor, George Graham, the comment: "I don't think anything is accomplished by this kind of conduct."

Earlier Wallace missed his fit—Chapel Hill and proceeded to Chapel Hill and made a talk before a small crowd at the postoffice.

**TODAY'S ITINERARY**  
Today's itinerary called for stops in Greensboro, High Point, and Winston-Salem. At 5 P. M. Wallace will address a rally outside a plant owned by the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. and at 8 P. M. he will deliver an address at the University of North Carolina.

Tomorrow the party will motor to Charlotte for a brief appearance. After which the group will turn westward to Asheville for a five-hour address in the Buncombe County Courthouse at 4:30 P. M. Later the visitors will be guests of Dr. Karl R. Lofgren, who will be the guest of honor for Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. W. G. Logan, wife of Wallace's host last night, said the former Vice-President spent a fairly

### Registrants Turn Registrars

#### Men Get Taste Of Army; Stand In Line To Register

**By EMERY WISTER**  
Charlotte News Staff Writer  
Twenty-five-year-old men flocked to the music building of Central High School today as registration began for the second peace-time draft in the nation's history.

For most it was a walk and a wait in the hot sun. When the doors of the building swung open at 8 A. M. a small line of registrants had already formed on the steps. Within fifteen minutes the line extended to the rear of the school gymnasium on Cecil St.

The first man to register this morning was Charles B. Blanton, a 23-year-old Negro who is a veteran of World War II.

Only a handful of volunteers were on hand to register the men and Selective Service Board Chairman Louis G. Ratcliffe said more workers were urgently needed.

"I'm afraid we're in for a rough time," he said. "We simply don't have enough men to register these men. Unless more turn out it's going to be hard on everyone, including the registrants themselves."

Mrs. Adelaide Brooks, chief clerk of the board, said that it requires about fifteen minutes to register each man. At 8 A. M. there were only a handful of workers on hand but by 10 there were sixteen registrars. Some of them were working for only an hour or so, some had volunteered to remain all day.

**REGISTRARS HELP**  
Several registrars remained in the building to assist in the task. Mrs. Brooks reported.

At noon today, Mrs. Brooks said, the line of men waiting to be registered had grown to a double line. At that time a double line of registrants extended about a block from the door of the music building.

The registration will continue through 5 P. M. tomorrow, and See REGISTRATION on page 3-A



Stew Staff Photo by Stan Franklin Studio  
FIRST REGISTRANT—Charles B. Blanton, 23, of 231 Wilkinson Blvd., was the first Mecklenburg man to be registered today. Selective Service Chairman Louis G. Ratcliffe looks on as Blanton signs his registration card.

### First Draft Call

#### Army Asks 10,000 Back Truman Men in November

**WASHINGTON**—(AP)—The Army today asked for 10,000 draftees for induction sometime during November. The call was sent to the Selective Service system from the Munitions Board.

All of the inductees will be taken from the 1946 year class of men made for men by the Navy or the Air Force.

The announcement was made by Secretary of Defense Forrestal said that the Navy and the Air Force do not need more than 10,000 draftees during the fiscal year July, 1949—1950.

Announcement of the first draft call was made public also in St. Louis by Army Chief of Staff General Omar Bradley.

All draft calls made by the military department for manpower are being funnelled through the munitions board.

The call for 10,000 Army inductees will be broken down into state quotas by the War Relocation Authority.

**"Crank" Calls Ignored**  
Wallace To Talk On Steps Of Courthouse At 11:15 Tuesday

**By RALPH GIBSON**  
Charlotte News Staff Writer  
Henry Wallace got the official word today from the Mecklenburg County Courthouse that he was to give a five-minute address before an unsegregated audience tomorrow morning at 11:15 A. M.

The Board of County Commissioners said that the "crank" telephone calls and postal cards, which passed a preliminary hearing by the County Board, were to be given the use of the criminal or the civil court. Both calls will be in use tomorrow, and the board was unable to grant the request.

### CIO Set To Back Truman

#### Men in November

**WASHINGTON**—(P)—The CIO seemed practically certain today to back Truman in the November election.

But unless the trend is reversed, both the CIO and AFL figure to spend a great deal more time in efforts to elect labor-supporting Congress members than in trying to put over the Truman-Barnett ticket.

The CIO called its 51-member executive body into session today to act officially on the subject of political endorsements.

The top leadership already has come out, 8 to 1, for Mr. Truman. The American Labor Union, which is a member of the CIO, sponsored an unanimous endorsement at Chicago yesterday.

While the AFL steered clear of a formal endorsement, federation leaders agreed last week to form a committee to back the Democratic Presidential ticket.

An indication of the stress the Democrats are laying on their appeal to "betwixt the next election" is in the announcement that nine party leaders in addition to Mr. Truman will deliver Labor Day speeches next Monday.

City police will be present at the meeting, but Chief Littlejohn expressed doubt that there would be any sort of demonstration, pointing to other unsegregated meetings in Charlotte where nothing out of the way has occurred.

He will begin his third day in North Carolina at 8:30 A. M. when he leaves Winston-Salem for Lexington where he is scheduled to arrive at 8 o'clock.

Other towns he will visit prior to Charlotte include Salisbury and Concord.

He talks here for fifteen minutes before departing for Newton, N. C., where he will arrive at 11 A. M. tomorrow.

### Diplomats Agam Talk At Kremlin

#### Conferences Will Continue

**MOSCOW**—(AP)—The three Western envoys conferred at the Kremlin about two hours today. U. S. Ambassador Walter B. Smith announced further conferences will be held.

Asked if there would be a communique tonight on the results of the East-West discussions, Smith replied: "No, not tonight."

The Westerners conferred with Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov. The British, French and American representatives met later at the Russian embassy.

Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky and the head of the European section of the Russian Foreign Office also attended the talk in the Kremlin. The session took place shortly after the closing of the European section of the Soviet Embassy.

It was the ninth session, all veiled in official secrecy in all the Russian language.

**DEVELOPMENTS SEEN**  
An anti-ratification source indicated that the morning that the negotiations were likely today in the negotiations. It was learned on excellent authority yesterday that the Soviet appeared soon for an agreement this week on procedure and the substance of a four-point communique detailing the nature of the Russian position.

The plan is that such a communique would be issued simultaneously by Moscow, Washington, London and Paris.

Meanwhile the city council of Berlin voted today to postpone its meeting until an announcement is made on the Kremlin talks and until the Russian promise police protection.

Communists broke up scheduled meetings under American Communist council at the city hall in the Soviet Zone twice last week. Russian-controlled German police of the Soviet sector made no effort to quell the demonstrations.

The steering committee of the city council said if a communique is issued from Moscow and if police protection is assured, the council will meet at 11 A. M. tomorrow.

Otherwise the meeting will be postponed. If the meeting is held, then, the committee said, "other measures" will be considered. This seemed to suggest a meeting in the Western sector under American or British police protection.

Many parties are seeking the CIO endorsement of the Truman-Barnett ticket. The steering committee of the city council said if a communique is issued from Moscow and if police protection is assured, the council will meet at 11 A. M. tomorrow.

**Stevenson Jumps Into Texas Lead**  
Dallas, Texas—(P)—Former Governor Coke Stevenson jumped back into the lead over Rep. Lyndon Johnson in the U. S. Senate race by 210 votes at noon today.

The 11:45 (CST) tabulation of the Texas Election Bureau gave for Stevenson 492,481 votes, for Johnson 482,271 votes. That represented a total 984,752 votes, or 99.2 percent of the state's 254 counties complete. An estimated 6,000 votes were still to be counted.

The race was the closest in the political history of Texas. Both candidates had indicated they would not accept the unofficial call of the election bureau.

Both candidates are seeking the Senate post of W. Lee (Pappy) O'Daniel, who did not run for reelection.

**U. N. Considers Palestine Truce**  
LAKE SUCCESS—(P)—The Security Council today gave emergency powers to the United Nations' shaky truce in Palestine. Delegates interrupted a month-long recess for the meeting called by Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Jacob A. Malik.

As president of the council for Israel, he acted after the Government of Israel had asked for a truce. Malik was doing to halt truce violations.

### No Excitement Beach Resorts Quiet As Big Blow Nears

**By PHILL WRIGHT**  
Charlotte News Correspondent  
**WILMINGTON**—Residents here and at nearby beach and resort centers went about their routines with only slight disruption today as a devastating hurricane, scheduled to pass by Wilmington this afternoon, neared.

For the most part fishermen and their families, weather observers, and resort officials who have weathered many storms, hurricanes and near hurricanes, viewed the imminence of the storm without alarm.

Hurricane warnings were put up along the North Carolina Coast and into South Carolina today.

Sunbathing was still permissible as of 11 A. M. There had not been orders to evacuate the island and coastal resorts.

Although storm and hurricane warnings were up today, light showers of rain fell to sea this morning for their morning shower. Shrimpers and menhaden craft lined the waterline for miles, and early in the day indicated the fishing was good.

Residents at Southport, although warned by Coast Guardmen and the United States Storm Warning Service, refused to become alarmed. There is a sprinkling of storm shutters, but no storm shutters were put up.

Chief H. E. Johnson of the Oak Island Coast Guard Station, off Southport, said that residents have been notified and that boats are being warned. He said that only special storm lines would be used to secure boats, that Coast Guard craft will be left free to render rescue aid, if necessary.

At Carolina Beach, boats in the yacht basin were being pulled up for safety, but life otherwise, went on as usual. The offices of Chief of Police W. R. Wiggs said that the American Red Cross in Wilmington has been contacted and assured emergency aid in evacuation and other relief if it becomes necessary.

Wrightsville Beach's Chief of Police W. R. Wiggs said that boat owners are taking their small craft up the Atlantic coast and are being warned of safety in the event of danger. Windows were being battened and by 10 P. M. some residents were leaving the beach while others declined plans to evacuate before bedtime.

**Accused Defies Quiz**  
Red Underground Leader Identified

**NEW YORK**—(AP)—Whittaker Chambers today identified J. Peters as "director of an underground spy apparatus" operating in the Federal Government beginning in 1934.

The identification came after Peters had declined to answer questions in the House of Representatives Subcommittee on his alleged Communist affiliations.

Chambers, admitted former Communist who now is a senior editor of Time magazine, previously had testified in Washington that Peters headed a Communist underground in 1934.

**MEET IN 1928**  
The magazine editor said he met Peters in 1928 in the offices of the Daily Worker Communist newspaper in New York.

Rep. John McDowell (R-Pa.) asked Chambers: "Is he (Peters) the person you testified was in charge of the apparatus in Washington, D. C.?"

"There is no question in your mind," said Chambers.

"Apparatus" is a word commonly used by the Soviet Union in its international Washington testimony to describe the machinery of the alleged underground Communist group in the Government.

Peters called the first and fifth amendments to the constitution in his refusal to answer the key questions.

One question asked by Robert E. Stripling, chief investigator for the House committee, was: "Did you serve as the representative of the Communist Party International in the Government?" Peters replied: "I decline to answer under the

### Warnings Up From Wilmington To Hatteras

#### Hurricane Coast By Midnight

**HATTERAS**—(AP)—North Carolinians batted down along the coast today for a big blow expected to hit tonight.

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Storm warnings were displayed as far north as the Virginia capes and as far south as Charleston, S. C. Miami Weather Bureau, however, will issue only of Wilmington "seems to be diminishing."

Present indications are, the bureau said at 10 A. M., that the center will pass over or very near Cape Hatteras tonight, probably before midnight.

Highest winds were estimated at 110 miles an hour with hurricane force winds covering a radius of 50 to 60 miles around the center.

Along the coastal area threatened by the swirling windstorm residents made what preparations they could against the hurricane. In spots between were dragged ashore or sent far from shore. Hotels, homes and other buildings, reported hotels and resorts putting up shutters and taking other protective measures.

The Red Cross alerted disaster workers all along the coast and announced at Atlanta 25 special disaster workers were being sent into the area.

The Red Cross said the workers, some of them veterans of the 1944 hurricane, were being sent to New Bern, five to Florence, and one to Charleston.

**OCEAN CROPPY**  
Winds were still moderate along the coast this morning, but the Atlantic was choppy. In spots between Oregon Inlet and Cape Hatteras waves were breaking over the beach.

The Weather Bureau at Wilmington reported that the hurricane was still at sea about 20 miles an hour. However, the Red Cross said utility companies were ready for any emergency.

Six shelters, four for whites and two for Negroes, were established by the Red Cross, and ships were mapped for evacuation if necessary.

Wilmington's emergency center, the Cape Hatteras Coast Guard station, said it had received 12 calls from this town of Hatteras and secured the protection of life and property.

The Atlantic life boat station on Cape Hatteras will be evacuated this afternoon. Personnel will go to the mainland.

"This is an emergency," warn all interested. The Federal Storm Warning Service issued a general advisory issued at 4 A. M. (EST). "All measures should be taken for the protection of life and property."

**Residents along the North Carolina coastline were warned that winds would begin increasing by midnight, that gusts would be sweeping in from the sea by late afternoon, and that early coastal winds would be blowing like screaming inland by night.**

Hunter aircraft, probing the storm in the early morning hours reported it was moving in a northwesterly direction at about 10 to 12 miles an hour.

In the northeast quadrant of the storm, the most violent winds they found went up to 125 miles per hour.

The storm was located at 4 A. M. (EST) about 250 miles south-southwest of Wilmington, Del.

**MAY CHANGE COURSE**  
Chief Forecaster Grady Norton of the Miami Weather Bureau said there was some indication the hurricane might curve to a more northerly course in the day. "I would mean," he said, "that the storm would be moving in a more northerly direction, but it would mean the death toll from the intense heat would be 173 in 16 states."

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### Paid for Farm In 3 Years

In today's CAROLINA FARMER pages there is an interesting story of a man and his wife bought a farm, paying only \$100 down, and had it completely paid for within three years.

And this is only one of the many interesting features you will see in today's farm section of—  
The Charlotte News

### WEATHER

Partly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms tonight and Tuesday. Considerable cloudiness with scattered thunderstorms.

Temperature at 2:00 today... 94  
High and low last 24 hours... 87-70  
Sunrise tomorrow... 5:35  
Sunset tomorrow... 5:35  
More Weather Data on page 3-A