

IKE MUM ABOUT GOP VOTE CHANCES HERE

WASHINGTON (AP)— At his press conference today, President Eisenhower's attention was called to the warm reception he received yesterday at Charlotte, N. C., where he went to make a speech. He was asked whether the Republicans have a good chance to carry that section in the fall Congressional elections. The seat for that House district is now held by Republican Rep. Charles B. Jones.

Forrest Shuford Dies in Capital

WASHINGTON (AP)— Forrest H. Shuford, 56, North Carolina commissioner of labor, died early today in Emergency Hospital of a heart ailment.

Shuford was stricken while attending a conference on migratory labor problems called by federal agencies. He had been a state official more than 20 years.



MR. SHUFORD

Shuford was appointed commissioner of labor in September, 1938, by Clyde R. Hoey, then governor. Hoey later elected U. S. senator, died in his office here May 12.

Shuford was born in Cleveland County and educated at Berea College, Berea, Ky.; North Carolina State College, Raleigh, N. C.; and Duke University, Durham, N. C.

He worked in textile mills in Rhode Island and Gastonia, N. C., and was principal of schools at Ellenboro and Spindale in his native state before joining the North Carolina Department of Labor in 1933.

After his appointment, Shuford four times was elected to 4-year terms as labor commissioner, and had two years left to serve on the term to which he was elected in 1952.

In Raleigh fellow officials in the state government joined in paying tribute to Shuford.

Gov. Umstead said he was "distressed" at the news and would miss Shuford both as a state official and as a friend whose advice, counsel and friendship he prized most highly.

Shuford's death "a distinct loss to the state," he said. Shuford performed his duties and accomplished things without fanfare or publicity.

A successor to serve the two years remaining on Shuford's term will be chosen in the November general election. Democratic and Republican State Executive Committees will select candidates to run in the election.

Gov. Umstead has authority to appoint a successor to serve until the November election.

THIRD VACANCY It will be the third vacancy in the Council of State — the top in the executive positions in state government — to be filled by Umstead. He appointed a state treasurer and insurance commissioner last year after the offices were left vacant by resignation.

Shuford was serving as deputy commissioner when Hoey appointed him to the top post following the resignation of Commissioner A. L. Fletcher. He had been director of juvenile court work in High Point in 1926, before he joined the State Labor Department in 1933.

Gov. Umstead Delays Naming New Senator Plans No Action Until After Primary

RALEIGH (AP)— Gov. Umstead announced today that he will not name a senator to fill the vacancy left by the death of Sen. Clyde R. Hoey until after May 31 — after the May 29 primary. He said he reached this decision "after careful consideration."

The governor's decision to delay the appointment until after the May 29 voting had been generally expected by political leaders here. State Democratic Chairman B. Everett Jordan said he felt the appointment should be postponed.

Meanwhile, the governor's office continues to get messages endorsing various persons for the appointment. The list of those for whom endorsements have been received now totals 62.

Hoey Will Is Probated

SHELBY, N. C. (AP)— Sen. Clyde R. Hoey, who wore a red carnation daily in memory of his wife who died in 1942, remembered here in his will.

The senator, in a handwritten will filed for probate here yesterday, directed that a \$12,000 memorial fund for Mrs. Beesse Gardner Hoey be established "for charitable, educational and religious purposes."

Hoey's law partner, Joseph C. Whisman, was named trustee of the fund.

The senator's three children, Clyde R. Hoey Jr. of Canton, Charles A. Hoey of Shelby and Mrs. Isabelle Hoey Paul of Pantego, were named all of his real and personal property, except his \$90,000 insurance. The three were given \$25,000 each of the insurance and a portion of the remainder was set aside for the memorial fund.

The senator, who died Wednesday at his Washington desk, wedded in 1943. No overall value of his estate, which included property in Cleveland County, was listed.

Talks Resumed On Indochina

GENEVA (AP)— The Indochina peace talks were resumed in another secret session today without any sign of progress.

As the third consecutive restricted meeting got under way, the nine-party conference was reportedly tightly deadlocked over Western demands that Communist forces withdraw immediately from Laos and Cambodia.

At the same time, France established direct contact here for the first time with the Vietnamese in an attempt to settle the controversy over the evacuation of wounded from Dien Bien Phu. The two delegations appointed special representatives. They conferred briefly, but had nothing to say after the meeting.

The top diplomats of the Western Big Three discussed strategy for more than two hours this morning at British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden's villa. There was no official announcement as to their decision.

Stevens Denies Army Given Orders

WASHINGTON (AP)— President Eisenhower today called for the McCarthy-Army hearings to continue—let the chips fall where they may.

And, in quick team play, Secretary of the Army Stevens declared that at no time did higher-ups in the administration give orders to the Army in the case of the issue over which the hearings were suspended for a week last Monday.

Eisenhower and Stevens joined in a maneuver obviously aimed at seeing that the case is not laid on the administration if the hearings are not resumed, and further to cut the ground under the contention by Sen. McCarthy that a presidential secrecy order makes it impossible to get the full truth.

But McCarthy indicated he still feels that if the presidential order stands there should be a quick end to the Senate inquiry into the dispute between him and the Army.

These were the developments in their order: 1. Eisenhower told a news conference that the case would end inconclusively and without the public's getting all the facts. He said he has no intention of withdrawing his secrecy order regarding an administration conference of last January, and was astonished that the case would be used as an excuse for suspension of the hearings.

2. McCarthy said in a statement: "If the senators maintain the position which they took in executive session, and it's on the record, that this means we can't get all the truth, then the (presidential) order will have the effect of getting us back to the all-important work of getting Communists out of defense plants and the government."

3. Stevens issued his statement: "While I don't like the method used, I can't help but applaud the results." Asked what he would do if the senators decide to continue this case, McCarthy said: "We will bring that bridge when we come to it."

McCarthy Against 'Stacked Deck'

WASHINGTON (AP)— Sen. McCarthy said today he would like the McCarthy-Army hearings to continue but "I just don't want to go ahead with a stacked deck."

"I'm willing to play with any kind of a deck they use but I don't think anyone on my staff should have to," he told reporters.

McCarthy said, "For the first time since I got into this fight to expose Communism, I'm sort of at a loss to know what course to take."

He then said he still did not think that Eisenhower has been "fully advised" on the full implications of the White House secrecy order.

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Earlier in the news conference, Eisenhower spoke of Clapp as a man who has operated without fear or favor. But he gave no hint then or later as to whether he plans to appoint Clapp to a new term. Clapp was appointed to the \$15,000-a-year job by President Truman in 1946.

Southwest Asia—Eisenhower said it might be possible to form a united front against communism in Southeast Asia without the partitioning of the area. Asked whether the United States would act without Britain, he replied that it depended on the attitude of the other Asiatic nations and Australia and New Zealand.

Arms Shipment To Guatemala Disturbs Ike

WASHINGTON (AP)— President Eisenhower, commenting on shipment of arms from Red Poland to Guatemala, said today it would be a terrible thing if a Communist dictatorship were established on this continent.



SECRETARY STEVENS (left) and PRESIDENT EISENHOWER (right) smiling thanks for a very heart-warming day. (AP Wirephoto)

On Segregation Issue Ike Urges South Act Calmly

WASHINGTON (AP)— President Eisenhower urged the South today to take the advice of James F. Byrnes and proceed calmly to consider what should be done about the Supreme Court's banning of race segregation in public schools.

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GREENSBORO, N. C. (AP)— The Greensboro School Board has told its superintendent of schools to start studying "ways and means for complying with" the Supreme Court decision that racially segregated public schools are unconstitutional.

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OUR WEATHER

Partly cloudy and mild tonight and tomorrow. High temperature yesterday, 79 degrees; high expected today, 79 degrees; low expected tomorrow, 75 degrees. Low temperature this morning, 58 degrees; low expected tonight, 58 degrees; low expected tomorrow night, 59 degrees. Sunrise, 5:17 a.m.; sunset, 7:23 p.m. More Weather Data on Page 2-A

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A FIGHT MANAGER SPEAKS against televised boxing, calling it the knife that will eventually slash the throat of the sport. His opinions are published in Bob Quinlan's column with an answer from the sports editor. Turn to Page 6-B. POLITICIANS ARE FLIPPLOPPING all over Washington. Republicans endorse programs they once opposed, and Democrats oppose programs they once advocated. Alan Otten gives the details on today's editorial page, 12-A. Business 45A Radio & TV 38B Classified 11-13B Serial 11A Comics 10B Sports 6-11B Editorials 12A Theaters 11A Features 2B Wishing Well 11A Obituaries 4A Women 3-5B