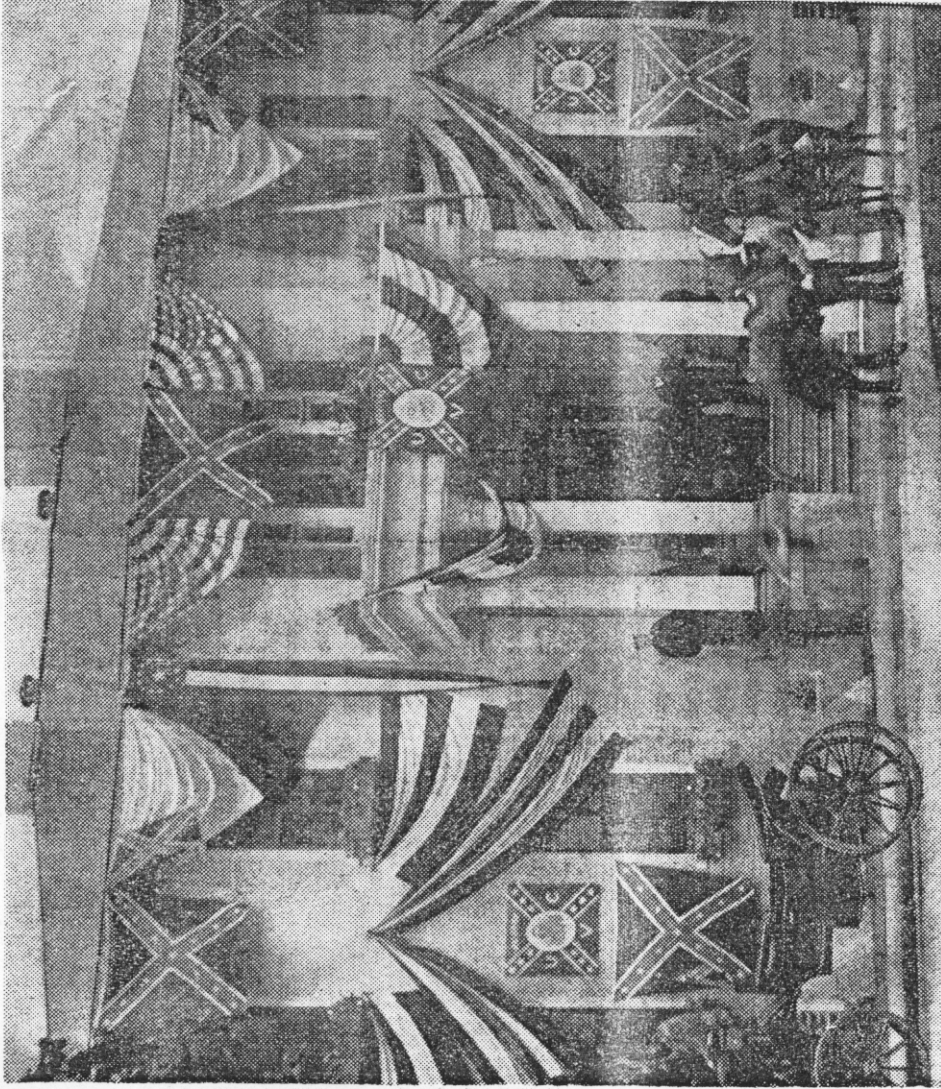


# Scenes of United Confederate Veterans Reunion Held Here 40 Years Ago

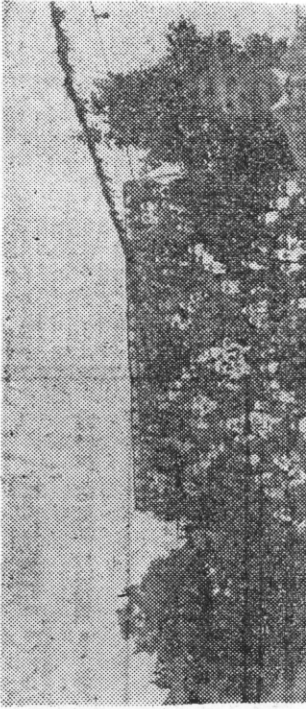


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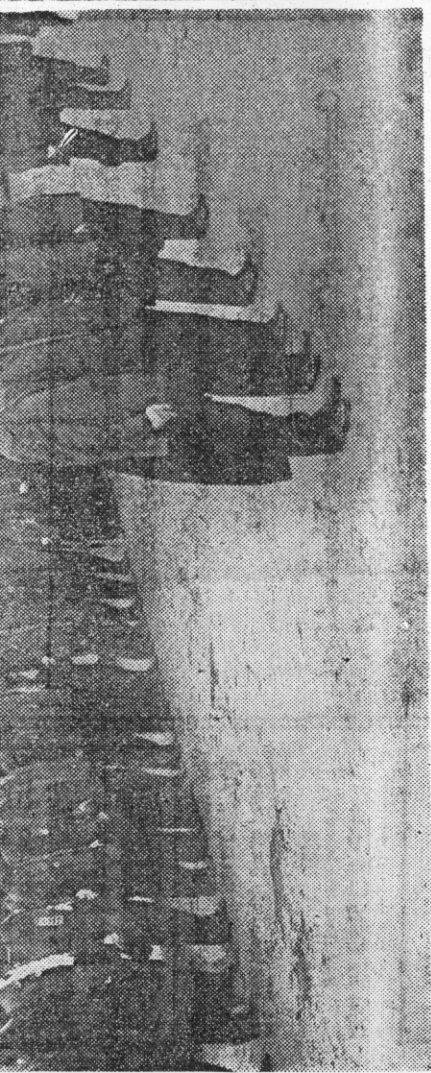
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**RICHMOND IN BYGONE YEARS**  
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**PERDUE**—Died at a local hospital Monday, May 30, 1955. Miss Madeleine Elizabeth Perdue. Mrs. Pauline lived by her mother, Mrs. Mrs. Eula C. Perdue; one sister, Mrs. Raymond P. Johns; three brothers, Raymond P. Johns, Frank and Edwin E. Perdue. W. Remains resting at the Joseph W. Remains Funeral Home. Third and Marshall. Funeral from Bethlehem Lutheran Church Wednesday, at 3 P. M. Interment in Forest Lawn. IEM





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## GRAY-HAIRED VETERANS LINED UP AT GRACE AND SEVENTH STREETS

### RICHMOND IN BYGONE YEARS

—Continued—Died May 30, 1955, at a local hospital, Mrs. Mary M. Orange; by his wife, Mrs. Mary M. Orange; by his sons, Wayne E., and William S. Orange, Jr.; one daughter, Janice M. Orange; his mother, Mrs. Mable Edna Orange Allen; two brothers, A. L. and L. E. Orange. Remains rest at the Joseph W. Billie Funeral Home, Third and Main streets, where services will be held in Riverview, 4 P. M. Interment in Riverview, 1 P. M. Interment in Forest Lawn, 1 P. M.

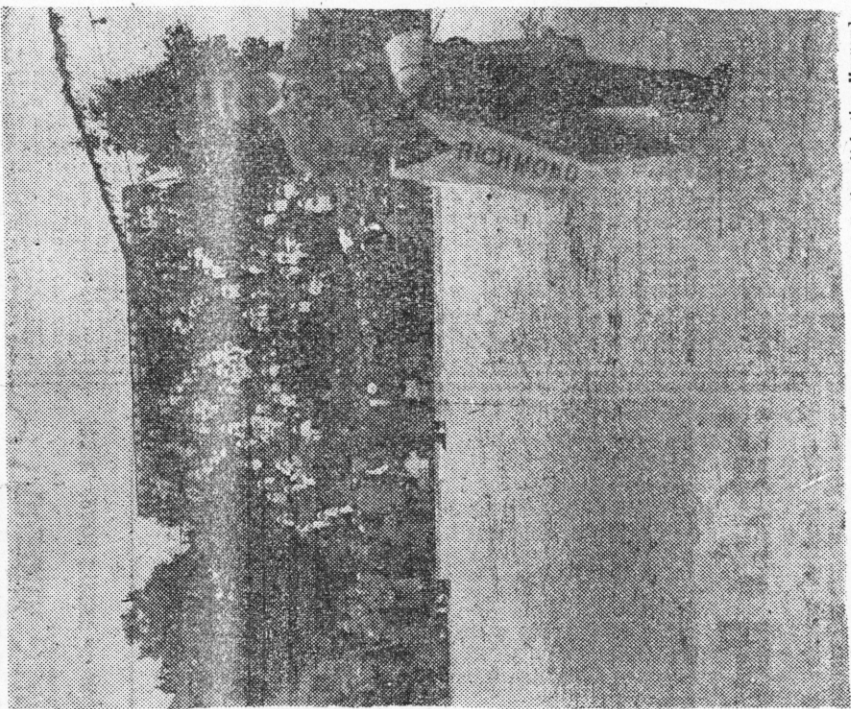
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## SCHOOL CHILDREN FORMED 'LIVING FLAG'

Short Pump, Va. Funeral at 2 P. M. and interment will be held at the Goochland Baptist Church, Wednesday, June 1, at 2:30 P. M. IEM

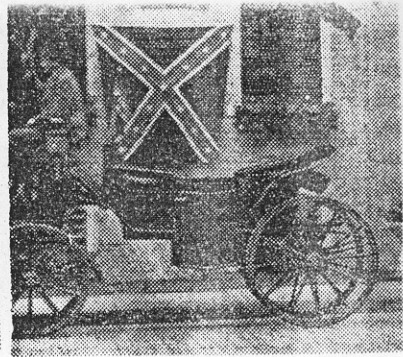
LOVING—Died suddenly at a Richmond hospital, Sunday, May 29, 1955, Mrs. Bertha Ball Loving, widow of the late Maxie Daniel Loving, of Salvia, Va. She is survived by six daughters, Mrs. C. L. French, Mrs. M. I. Chepault, Mrs. M. G. Greenstreet, Mrs. L. A. Ford, Mrs. W. T. Truslow and Mrs. O. S. Terry; one son, Mr. E. Loving; three sisters, Mrs. Phyllis Sylvia, Mrs. Sadie Sorrell and Mrs. Lottie Loving; two brothers, J. H. Ball and Jeff Ball; seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Remains rest at the West Funeral Home, Mechanicsville, Va., from where the funeral cortege will leave Wednesday at 1:30 P. M. for services at Upper King and Queen Baptist Church at 3 P. M. Interment in Church Cemetery. IEM

MAHONEY—Died May 30, 1955, at a local nursing home, Arizona, Mahoney, age 80 years, of R. L. S. Chesterfield County, Va. He was survived by two brothers, Mr. M. of Chesterfield, and Mr. Mahoney, of Crewe, Va., also several nieces and nephews. Remains rest at the Morrisette Funeral Home, where services will be held Wednesday at 2 P. M. Interment, Providence Methodist Church Cemetery, Chesterfield County, Va. IEM

ORANGE—Died, at a local hospital, Monday, May 30, 1955, William Samuel (Sam) Orange. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary M. Orange; by his sons, Wayne E., and William S. Orange, Jr.; one daughter, Janice M. Orange; his mother, Mrs. Mable Edna Orange Allen; two brothers, A. L. and L. E. Orange. Remains rest at the Joseph W. Billie Funeral Home, Third and Main streets, where services will be held in Riverview, 4 P. M. Interment in Riverview, 1 P. M. Interment in Forest Lawn, 1 P. M.

PERDUE—Died at a local hospital Monday, May 30, 1955, Mrs. Mable Elizabeth Perdue. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Pauline C. Perdue; three brothers, Raymond F., John Frank and Edwin E. Perdue. Remains rest at the Joseph W. Billie Funeral Home, Third and Main streets, where services will be held Wednesday at 3 P. M. Interment in Forest Lawn, 1 P. M.





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GRAY-HAIRED VETERANS LINED UP AT GRACE AND SEVENTH STREETS

GOVERNOR STUART'S MAN

## RICHMOND IN BYGONE YEARS

### *Forrest, Stuart Cavalrymen Led 2-Mile Parade in 1915*

Richmond streets were gray with uniforms 40 years ago as some 7,000 Civil War soldiers attended a reunion of the United Confederate Veterans here.

As June arrived, the veterans came to the city in special trains, set up headquarters at Hotel Jefferson, took part in a two-mile long parade, re-elected General Bennett H. Young, of Kentucky, for another year as UCV commander and watched as the cornerstone of the proposed Stonewall Jackson monument was placed.

Some 125,000 persons watched the parade, a file of newspapers from 1915 showed.

Visiting veterans were housed in temporary quarters at Camp Stuart, at the State Fair Grounds. There, cots and three meals a day were furnished free.

One of the highlights of the reunion, the newspapers noted, was the parade, led by remaining soldiers of Forrest's and Stuart's Cavalry, wearing their old, battle-scarred uniforms.

Many of those vets, who marched from Capitol Square to a court of honor held between the Lee and Davis monuments, saluted the statue of J. E. B. Stuart as they marched past. The parade, which included Virginia Military Institute cadets, automobiles, Governor Stuart and other notables, moved along Monument Avenue between 23 divisions of veterans, standing beneath their own flags in review.

At the end of the parade, some 600 school children formed a living flag for the court of honor.

Before the veterans left, they decided to hold their next reunion at Birmingham, then watched Gray's Battalion reenact part of the Battle of the Crater, at Petersburg, when "Mahone's Brigade of 800 Virginians attacked and drove off 10,000 Federals." Fireworks were used in the re-enactment.

Also in early June and late May, 1915:

Dr. Beverley R. Tucker paid \$70,000 for property at Madison and Franklin Streets where he proposed to establish a sanatorium.

Richmond Locomotive Works was surrounded by an eight-foot fence, topped by barbed wire, as the organization set up machinery for manufacturing shrapnel for European armies.

The Equal Suffrage League, at its Second Street headquarters, decided to ask the next General Assembly to authorize a State referendum on giving women equal voting rights with men. Mrs. B. B. Valentine presided at the meeting.

Newspaper files showed these other highlights of 60, 20 and 10 years ago:



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SCHOOL CHILDREN FORMED 'LIVING FLAG'



# Man Loses Appeal Case In U. S. Court

## West Virginia Body Upheld in Opinion

A West Virginia Federal court's refusal to set aside the judgment and sentence against a man in a criminal case was affirmed by the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit here yesterday.

Thomas Carvell had asked the Clarksburg (W. Va.) District Court in 1948 to grant his motion to set aside a conviction against him 11 years previously.

When the court denied his motion, he appealed on these grounds: he was not afforded competent counsel in his trial; witnesses he wanted were not called; the court did not grant his request to appear at the hearing on his motion, and the same judge who tried the case against him also passed on his motion for dismissal.

In a joint opinion, the three appeals court judges demolished all four complaints. Carvell's lawyer was experienced and competent, and no complaint was made during trial that essential witnesses were not called, the court noted.

Regarding the prisoner's request to appear at the hearing on his motion, the court stated, "It would destroy all prison discipline if merely by filing a motion with no more merit than the one here, prisoners could have themselves transported about over the country for the purpose of testifying on the hearing of such motions."

The appeals panel also held that it was quite in order for the judge who tried the case to pass on the motion. "Not only was there no impropriety in this, but it is highly desirable in such cases."

In another decision announced yesterday, the Court of Appeals ruled that a cease and desist order entered by the National Labor Relations Board against Emery's Motor Coach Lines, Martinsburg, W. Va., would be enforced.

The NLRB issued the order in March, 1947, to compel R. L. Emery to reinstate with back pay a driver discharged for union activity, to abolish a company-sponsored union, and to bargain collectively with a union of his drivers' own choosing.

## Jewish Council to Meet

Dr. Alice Davis, professor of sociology at Richmond Professional Institute, will speak on "The World Looks at Palestine" at a meeting of the senior council of the Jewish Center at 8 P. M. Sunday at the Beth Ahabah Social Center.



**INVITATION TO CULPEPER**—Vice-President Alben Barkley (second from right) is invited to Culpeper's bicentennial celebration the last week in July by a delegation from the Northern Virginia county at Washington yesterday. Left to right are Senator A. Willis Robertson; Newman Bailey, secretary of the Culpeper Chamber of Commerce; T. I. Martin, chairman of the anniversary celebration; Vice-President Barkley; J. H. Newhouse, vice-chairman of the celebration.

## Miller Portrait To Be Unveiled Here Today

A portrait of Dr. Joseph L. Miller, of Thomas, W. Va., who donated a library of medical items to the Richmond Academy of Medicine, will be unveiled at the academy at noon today.

The ceremony will be held in the Miller Library of the Academy, which houses a collection of rare medical books, portraits, prints, autographed letters, silhouettes and medical instruments presented by Dr. Miller in 1932.

The collection was one reason behind the erection of the academy building at 1200 East Clay St., and is the nucleus for the academy's Library of Old Medicine.

### Dr. Warthen to Preside

Dr. James H. Smith will make the presentation of the portrait and it will be accepted by Dr. Wyndham B. Blanton. Dr. Harry J. Warthen, president of the academy, will preside. The portrait was painted by David Silvette, of Richmond.

Dr. Miller was graduated from the Medical College of Virginia in 1900 and received the honorary doctorate of literature from that

institution in 1931. He is a former vice-president of the West Virginia State Medical Association and has been made a life member of the Historical Society of Virginia and an honorary member of the Richmond Academy of Medicine.

## School Official Is Commended

DANVILLE, March 11—(P)—The city school board last night adopted a resolution unanimously commending the administration of Trent Bonner as superintendent of the Danville schools, a post he has held for a year.

In almost the same breath another resolution prevailed calling for the naming of a committee to investigate the possibility of securing qualified applications for the job of superintendent.

The board, under the customary procedure, is due to name a school superintendent for a four-year term not later than April 30.

Prior to the meeting a patrons' group expressed opposition to the reappointment of Bonner. Mrs. Harry Turbeville, spokesman for the group, said Bonner had declined to make reforms in the school system. The group complained that the platoon system was continued here when most cities had abolished it.

## Miller Accepts Bid To Radford Rally

RADFORD, March 11—(P)—Francis Pickens Miller, of Charlottesville, today became the first Democratic gubernatorial candidate to accept an invitation to speak at a Democratic rally here April 23.

Miller's acceptance of the invitation to address the Radford rally was announced by John M. Goldsmith, chairman of the Democratic executive committee here.

The committee Monday night decided to ask the five gubernatorial candidates to speak at the rally.

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(13) mine ventilation; (14) haul-  
age, and (15) safety organization.

## YALE BEATS HARVARD IN COINING OF SLANG

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Apr. 5.—  
(UP)—Yale isn't so "snousy" at  
coining "slanguage," according to  
the Yale News, but even so, it has  
a better standing in this matter  
than Harvard.

With Wilfred J. Funk, the lexi-  
cographer, furnishing the data,  
The News learned Yale was far  
behind the schools of the midwest  
and southwest in taking to slang  
terms. About Harvard, Funk said,  
he had failed to learn anything.

"When I wrote the editor of The  
Crimson for a list of Harvard's best  
slang words," Funk said, "I re-  
ceived a reply saying such a query  
was too undignified."

## Seven Students Will Give Recital

Seven students in the School of  
Music will be presented in the  
fourth student recital at 8:30  
o'clock tonight in Commencement  
hall.

Mary Ellen Fishbach '33, so-  
prano, will open the program by  
singing two selections, "My Mother  
Bids Me Blind My Hair"—  
Haydn, and a Birthday"—Wood-  
man, accompanied by Doris Boal  
'33.

The next number will be a pi-  
ano solo by Sara Nelle Ross '35  
named "Par La Senti Emboumee"  
by Pesse.

Marjorie Berg '35, soprano, ac-  
companied by Frances Sanders,  
will sing three songs, "L'Heure  
Exquise"—Hahn, "Si Mes Vers"—  
Hahn, and "To the Birds"—Hue.

A violin number by Deway Can-  
field '35, accompanied by Helen  
Canfield, will be "Mazurka"—  
Mlynarski. He will be fololwed  
by Miss Fishbach who will play  
a piano selection by Arensky,  
"Pres de la Mer."

"Clouds"—Charles, and "The  
Pretty Creature"—Wilson are two  
vocal compositions to be present-  
ed by Clifford Brown '33, bari-  
tone. He will be accompanied by  
Beatrice Donley, grad.

The last number on the pro-  
gram will be a piano solo by Mar-  
garet Martin '34.

## National Honorary Speech and Arts Fraternity Sponsors Competition

Plays written by undergradu-  
ate students of West Virginia  
University may be entered in the  
national playwriting contest of  
Zeta Phi Eta, national honorary  
professional speech and arts frater-  
nity.

The first prize is \$100, second  
a silver cup and third a bronze  
medallion. The plays are to be or-  
iginal and one act long. Entries  
must be mailed to Zeta chapter  
of Zeta Phi Eta, Southern Metho-  
dist university, Dallas, Texas, be-  
fore May 1.

Plays will be judged by their  
literary merit and possibilities of  
dramatic production. Further de-  
tails of the contest may be se-  
cured from the public speaking  
bulletin board on the third floor  
of Martin hall.

## Dr. Miller Traces Origin of Healing Gods, Goddesses

Tracing the history of the heal-  
ing gods and goddesses from the  
earliest historic records, Dr. Jo-  
seph L. Miller of Thomas, in a  
lecture Tuesday night in the ball-  
room of the Hotel Morgan, at-  
tended by local physicians and  
students of the School of Medi-  
cine, revealed how many of the  
superstitions had prevailed  
through the ages.

A tiny blue glaze figure, em-  
blematic of Nekhbet, an Egyptian  
goddess, taken from the tomb of  
an Egyptian woman who died  
some 2,800 years ago was dis-  
played along with the lecture  
"The Healing Gods, or Medical  
Superstition."

Peony roots carried either in  
the pocket or worn as a necklace  
as a good prevention against in-  
sanity, epilepsy, and convulsions;  
a buckeye, or a potato carried in  
the pocket as a sure cure for  
rheumatism; the patella of a  
sheep worn next to the skin dur-  
ing the day and placed under  
the pillow at night as both a pre-  
vention and a cure for muscle  
cramps; a leather strap that has  
been a part of a horse's harness  
buckled or laced tightly around  
the waist to strengthen it and  
prevent sprains.

Dr. Miller pointed out that only  
a few years ago red flannel un-  
derwear was regarded as a rem-  
edy against colds and rheuma-  
tism, and as being twice as ef-  
fective as white

## June Graduates To Establish Separate Loan Divisions For Men, Women

Two University loan funds, one  
for men and one for women stu-  
dents, will be established this  
spring by the graduating class as  
a memorial, according to Bert  
Bradford, med 2, president. The  
funds will be set up from the  
surplus money resulting from  
Senior week ticket sales after  
the expenses of the week's activi-  
ties have been met.

Last year's graduating class, in  
the same manner, left a fund of  
\$120 to the University men's re-  
volving loan fund.

New and distinctive patterning  
will be a feature of the senior  
class jewelry, Mr. Bradford stat-  
ed. However, he did not divulge  
just what the new jewelry will  
be as it is planned to withhold  
this information temporarily.

Gifts left by graduating classes in  
previous years as memorials to the  
University include the Class of  
'31's gift of a clock over the Li-  
brary building front exit as well  
as the row of trees along the  
south side of Chemistry building.  
An upright concrete marker near  
the Chemistry building entrance  
on University avenue bears a  
bronze plaque which says:

### Trees

"Poems Are Made By Fools Like  
Me  
But Only God Can Make A Tree.  
—Joyce Kilmer.

"These trees were planted and  
dedicated to West Virginia Uni-  
versity by the members of The  
Class of '27."

## NEWS FLASHES

LONDON, April 5.—(UP)—  
Prime Minister J. Ramsay Mac-  
donald will sail for the United  
States in ten days for the purpose  
of discussing the relationship of  
war debts with the general prob-  
lem of world economic recovery,  
it was learned authoritatively to-  
day.

The prime minister will con-  
fer probably for two days with  
President Roosevelt on a point of  
international relationship on  
which the two governments have  
disagreed for some time.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—(UP)  
—The senate is expected tomor-  
row to pass a modified bill to re-  
duce labor's working hours and  
thus meet the challenge of the  
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