

The Weather Forecast: Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. Temperature 37. Highest yesterday 38. Lowest this morning 35.

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SHARP QUAKES ROCK UTAH AREA



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Control. WASHINGTON, March 12.—Mr. Roosevelt has revised his strategy for handling congress. The change is working out badly.

That method led to too much talk about trying to make himself a dictator. He started out by feeding the legislative lions one piece of meat at a time.

A contributing factor is the weakness of the house leadership. His assistants over there are NOT working together.

It takes first class egomaniacs, like Garner, Longworth and Joe Cannon, to run the house.

But Mr. Roosevelt himself is probably more to blame than anyone else. He has had the audacity to try to get through a tax bill, a tariff bill and a stock market bill in a campaign year.

Probabilities. The peculiar part of it is he will probably get away with it. The cloakroom situation of his program may be thibullated as follows:

Bargaining power will be given him under heavy restrictions he did not want; but only after a struggle.

The bill submitted by the young Anthony advocates will be thoroughly rewritten, modified and passed.

The Roosevelt competitive bidding idea will be adopted with some slight modifications.

A compromise will be worked out and enacted.

SALT LAKE CITY'S BUILDINGS SWAY, SCHOOLS CLOSED

Continued Shocks Felt Over Wide Territory — First Tremor At 8:05 A. M. — Crowds Halt In Streets.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 12.—(AP)—A series of severe earthquakes jarred northern Utah and southern Idaho today, beginning at 8:05 a. m., Mountain Standard Time, and continuing until 11:21 a. m.

The major damage occurred at Logan, Utah, 85 miles north of here, where the walls of the Economics building at the Utah State Agricultural college were split by the tremors.

Students at the school fled to the campus when the chimney on the Economics building fell with a roar.

The plaster in several other school buildings was cracked and chimneys fell from several residences.

One death, that of Eda Atkinson, 21, of Ogden, was laid indirectly to the quake. Ill in bed for the last two weeks, she felt the tremor and asked members of her family, "Why are you shaking my bed?"

When the latest movement occurred, the 1,500 students at South high school were rushed for the doors.

The tall buildings in the business district of this city swayed severely during the heaviest quake.

The Medford high school severed athletic relations with Ashland high school this afternoon, according to Principal C. G. Smith.

School authorities state that the recent suspension of Medford basketball players was not the "vital issue," but that "relations with Ashland have not been harmonious for some time."

Samuels and Mrs. Parker quarreled at the road house and after they had returned in Miami the woman said she slapped her. Officers said she confessed to stabbing Samuels in the abdomen with his knife, secured from him earlier in the evening.

House Votes Cash Bonus Payment for Veterans

CHAS. HOLLOWAY HANGS SELF AT SUBURBAN HOME

Neighbor Finds Body Sunday Afternoon—Inquest Scheduled By Jackson County Coroner Tomorrow

Because the Sunday paper had not been moved from the front porch at the Charles T. Holloway residence on Orchard Home drive, F. A. Greaser, a neighbor investigated, shortly afternoon Sunday, and found Holloway hanging from a rafter in the garage, having apparently committed suicide, according to officers who investigated the case.

Greaser told officers that he found the front door locked, and when no one answered his knock he went to the back of the house and found the back door open.

He called newspapermen to his apartment here last night during a break in his journey from Pittsburgh to Alken, S. C.

He charged the use of "innuendo" by the justice department and the employment by someone, unnamed, of a "character-wrecking" campaign against him.

Police quoted Greaser as saying that Holloway had been drinking excessively for the past month. He also said the last time he saw Holloway alive was Saturday about 6 p. m., when he went to the Holloway home.

Measurements taken by police and the coroner showed that the rafter was nine feet from the ground, and that a fourteen foot rope, doubled, had been used to tie around his neck in a bowline knot. The saw horse, which was four feet long, 12 inches high and 7 inches across, was still standing.

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—(AP)—Lawyers for both sides in the contest of Miss Margaret Keith's million dollar will indicated today there would be evidence of a sensational nature in the trial of the case which caused a jury to disagree last Saturday.

LIMA, O., March 12.—(AP)—National guardsmen trained machine guns on the county jail today and hurled an open challenge to John Dillinger, the "kill-crazy" jailbreaker.

SALEM, March 12.—(AP)—The district attorney's office in Klamath county continues to attract candidates, as the fifth applicant, Fay Morris of Klamath Falls, filed for the Republican nomination to that office today.

All Air Mail Halted While Fair Weather 'Sked' Drawn

INCOME TAX SUIT CRUDE POLITICS IS MELLONS ANSWER

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(AP)—The justice department, cracking the income tax whip over the heads of Andrew W. Mellon, former Mayor James J. Walker of New York, Thomas S. Lamont and Morgan and Company, and Thomas S. Dill of Cleveland, Ohio, pushed preparation of a score more suits today.

More than 40 tax experts are engaged in the special task of preparing the suits, similar to those naming Mellon and the others. Among the material at hand for their study are reams of testimony taken in the state banking committee's investigation of stock market and financial practices.

Declaring in the first sentence that he felt the effort to secure an indictment against him was "politics of the crudest sort," he reviewed his entire side of the case.

He charged the use of "innuendo" by the justice department and the employment by someone, unnamed, of a "character-wrecking" campaign against him.

RETRIAL OF KEITH WILL CASE TO SEE MORE SENSATIONS

DILLINGER DARED ATTEMPT RESCUE

BOY FRIEND KNIFED BY WOMAN IS CLAIM

ESTRANGED WIFE HELD AS SLAYER

WIMBERLY TO SEEK CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP

RANCHER KILLED BY TRAIN ON ROGUE RIVER CROSSING

GRANTS PASS, March 12.—(AP)—His car struck squarely by a speeding Southern Pacific train, Roscoe Howard, owner of the Dixie hop ranch near here and two years ago a republican candidate for Josephine county judge, was instantly killed at the grade crossing in the town of Rogue River at 6 p. m. Sunday.

Shattered by the impact Howard's machine apparently was carried 192 feet down the rails to where a mail hook set in the right-of-way flipped it off the locomotive, throwing the body clear about 200 feet from the crossing. Parts of the car were strewn along the way. Three eye-

SALESMAN SLAIN, ROBBED ON RETURN FROM ROUTE

VANCOUVER, Wn., March 12.—(AP)—Almost without clues to their identity, Vancouver police today sought two murderers who killed Lee Caples, 21, in cold blood at midnight Saturday and robbed the body.

Caples' body, riddled by four bullets, was found in the yard of his home a few minutes after he had returned from his rural truck route, presumably carrying more than \$500 in a sack in his pocket.

FREAK TORPEDO BOAT OF JAPANESE NAVY CAPSIZES

TOKYO, March 12.—(AP)—Japan's newest scorpion of the seas, the Tomozuru, a torpedo boat with an armament greater than most ships twice her size, was wrecked mysteriously today with the probable loss of 120 men.

The vessel, of 527 tons, was regarded as carrying one of the heaviest armaments ever conceived for a ship of her size.

PEN GUARDS NIP ESCAPE ATTEMPT AT SAN QUENTIN

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., March 12.—(AP)—Using homemade guns, three desperate convicts attempted a daring escape from the prison here today but were frustrated by guards after many shots had been fired and one prisoner killed.

Oregon Weather Fair tonight and Tuesday with valley fog west portions; frost east portion tonight; gentle changeable wind offshore.

RESUMPTION BY MIDDLE OF WEEK IS EXPECTATION

The Airmail Situation Army orders all mail planes grounded. Congress speeds hearings on new airmail bill. New "fair weather" schedules being drafted. Resumption of curtail airmail expected by midweek.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(AP)—The sky was empty of planes flying the mails today, just three weeks after the army took over the job.

Order To All Zones Major-General Benjamin D. Foulke, chief of the air corps, directed the order to all airmail zones, calling upon them to:

What effect the cancellation of all airmail service, even though temporary, would have on American business which has come to rely upon the swifter means of mailing, was a moot question. Postal officials, promptly notified by airmail zone commanders of the changed situation, struggled to give the fastest possible

DOUG AND MARY PATCH UP FUSS

LONDON, March 12.—(AP)—Douglas Fairbanks Sr. and his wife, Mary Pickford, have practically patched up all their differences and are near a reconciliation, the Associated Press learned from indisputable sources today.

It is just a matter of time now," the Associated Press informant said, "but reconciliation will require several months."

DISCOVER BODIES OF MISSING GIRLS

SALEM, Ore., March 12.—(AP)—Bodies of Betty Savage, 12, and Annabel Tooley, 9, who had been missing since Thursday, were recovered late Sunday from Minto slough, near the Oregon Electric Co. tracks southwest of Salem. The bodies were 18 feet of water, near a log from which the girls apparently fell into the slough while on a flower-picking expedition.

FIRST CHINOOK FROM UMPQUA RIVER SUNDAY ROSEBURG, Ore., March 12.—(AP)—The first chinook salmon to be taken from the Umpqua river this season was caught yesterday at Winchester. The fish, a 27-pounder, was taken by Raymond Pearson. The main run of salmon has not yet started, but is expected to strike the river within the week.

\$2,200,000,000 OUTLAY NOW UP TO SENATE VOTE

Final Appeal By Bourbon Leader Byrns Fails To Sway Lower Congress—Roosevelt Promises Veto.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(AP)—In the face of administration disapproval, the house voted today for cash payment of the \$2,200,000,000 soldiers' bonus in new money.

Earlier, the house decided to take up the controversy-packed measure by a 311 to 104 vote—more than the two-thirds necessary to override a veto.

Other temperatures included Baker 68, Marshfield, 58, Longview 72, Walla Walla 68.

OREGON ENJOYS SUMMER SUNDAY

PORTLAND, March 12.—(AP)—An advanced springtime nearly ran itself into an early summer as temperatures soared throughout Oregon Sunday. In nearly every part of the state new high warmth records for the season were established.

WARRANTS CALLED TO GAME COMMISSION

SALEM, March 12.—(AP)—Governor Julius L. Meier today reappointed J. C. Vandeventer of Bend to the state game commission.

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