

The Weather Forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday. Slightly warmer tonight.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Pulitzer Award FOR 1934

19 PORTLAND STRIKERS ARRESTED



By PAUL MALLON (Copyright, 1934, by Paul Mallon) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29.—Most people here suspected an inner commotion in the Roosevelt family circle when Elliott signed up with the aircraft crowd.

This is virtually the same crowd with which his father, the president, had so much trouble during the air mail dispute. At least, the holders of the largest air mail contracts...

GASOLINE SUPPLY ALARMINGLY LOW; DEADLOCK HOLDS

Pickets at Municipal Terminal Gathered in After Warning to Stay Distance — Tankers Await Orders

PORTLAND, Ore., June 29.—(AP)—Nineteen striking longshoremen were arrested here today on a charge of trespassing on private property after police had warned them repeatedly to keep off No. 1 slip of Municipal Terminal No. 4 in the St. Johns district.

Killed in Crash



James R. 'Jimmy' Weddell, 34 famous speed flier, was killed when a small plane in which he was giving instructions to a student crashed near Patterson, La.

GUY BATES HURT IN AUTO SMASHUP AT TOLO BRANCH

It was believed this afternoon at the Sacred Heart hospital that Guy Bates, of Rogue River, suffered a fractured skull when the car he was driving turned over after it left the Pacific highway near the Tolo Junction about 3 p. m. yesterday.

ROOSEVELT FLAYS DIE-HARDS; GIVES NEW DEAL PLEDGE

'Report to Nation' Laughs at Prophets of Calamity—Statistics Cited to Show Gains in Jobs, Wages

By Francis M. Stephenson WASHINGTON, June 29.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's lashing of "die-hards" and pledge of a rasher new deal promised today to resound in the campaign for the fall elections.

CONGRESS PRAISED

1. Praised congress as the most unpartisan since the time of President Washington himself. 2. Cited statistics to show gains in wages, employment, farm price and consuming power.

Bride's Ring Is Only Attire In Nudist Wedding

CHICAGO, June 29.—(AP)—Dressed in a smile and—the bride at least, a wedding ring—an Amarillo girl, and a Milwaukee bridegroom were pronounced man and wife today in a strictly nudist ceremony at the World's fair.

GRAND JURY WILL HEAR FEHL'S WIFE IN PAMPHLET QUIZ

Electa A. Fehl was scheduled to appear as a voluntary witness before the grand jury, in its investigation of the "Black Political Plot Exposed" pamphlet circulated in this city and county on the eve of the May primary.

RUM COMMISSION HEAD RESIGNS ON MEIER'S REQUEST

George McMorran, Eugene Merchant, Says Reason for Action Not Clear — Name Successor Tonight

PORTLAND, Ore., June 29.—(AP)—Governor Meier late today had not announced his selection of a member of the Oregon liquor control commission to succeed George H. McMorran of Eugene, chairman, who last night resigned at the governor's request.

WANTS NO BICKERING

"It is not my desire," he said, however, "to prolong public bickering which ultimately might injure the successful administration of the Oregon liquor control act, in which I believe."

Independent



Peter Zimmerman, state senator and exponent of a state bank, was nominated as the independent candidate for governor of Oregon at a specially called convention.

CARL ANNOUNCES HE IS CANDIDATE FOR LEGISLATURE

William N. (Farmer Bill) Carl, Applegate dairyman, announced today on his weekly trip to the city that he would be an independent candidate for the legislature in the fall elections.

SCHERMERHORN'S HEARING SLATED HERE TOMORROW

Former Sheriff's Case to Be Reviewed by Trial Judge Skipworth — Local Sentiment Remains Neutral

The stage was set today for the hearing tomorrow at 10 a. m. before Circuit Judge George F. Skipworth of Eugene, on the application of Gordon L. Schermerhorn, former sheriff under a three-year sentence to state prison for ballot theft conspiracy.

To Cite Record

Counsel for Schermerhorn is expected to contend that the ends of justice can be served, by granting parole, and to cite his long record as an exemplary citizen; that he is now an old man, and has suffered mental tortures, since his conviction, more severe than if confined.

There are inner indications that the aircraft industry is a chastened crowd (politically, at any rate) since the air mail flurry.

Certain aviation companies have also employed O. Max Gardner, former democratic governor of North Carolina, now a Washington attorney, friendly to the administration.

These stipulations were written into the contract because the administration is still nettled about what it considered the unfair tactics of the big aviation companies in stirring up anti-administration sentiment during the air mail fracas.

The Washington contact system of the aviation companies is not much different now than under the Hoover administration. At that time, certain companies employed William Donovan, ex-assistant attorney-general, as Washington counsel.

Mr. Hoover's son once was employed by an aviation company as technical adviser. There was little public comment over those relationships.

The president's view is that the grown members of his family are entitled to make a living in any way they choose, as long as they do not interfere with matters of state.

The matter is of more than personal interest now, in view of the inner agitation over appointments to the new air commission under the air mail bill.

The larger aviation companies, naturally, want to get what they consider to be the right kind of men appointed to that commission.

GROWERS REFUSE BARTLETT OFFER

Fear growers of the Rogue River valley were reported today as holding out for an increase in the price of \$30 per ton for cannery Bartlett's, offered by cannery representatives now in the field contacting orchardists.

No sales have been reported at the \$30 figures, most of the growers waiting for an expected "firming" of the market.

Word received by Horticulturist Lyle P. Wilcox said that California Bartlett growers had been offered \$30 per ton in the Ukiah district and \$35 in the Sacramento River district, with the growers holding out for higher prices.

Shippers point out that in the past Sacramento River Bartlett's have brought \$10 per ton higher prices than other districts. They could give no reason for the premium, except "that possibly Sacramento River Bartlett's might have better canning quality."

More than a dozen deaths were attributed today to scorching temperatures that scorched much of the continent from the Rockies to the Atlantic seaboard.

GOVERNMENT BIDDERS CAN SHAVE NRA PRICE

WASHINGTON, June 29.—(AP)—President Roosevelt today signed an order permitting bidders on government contracts to go under their prices fixed by NRA code authorities by as much as 15 per cent in an effort to eliminate a series of identical bids.

BANDITS MAKE RICH HAUL FROM PAYROLL

OSAWATOMIE, Kas., June 29.—(AP)—Two gunmen obtained between \$25,000 and \$30,000 here today in a holdup, executing the robbery as the payroll of the Missouri Pacific railroad was being transferred to the postoffice from the railroad station.

SCORCHING HEAT CAUSES DEATH TOLL IN MIDWEST

An all-time heat record of 112 was registered at Mattoon, Ill., while in Chicago, where one person died from the heat and scores were prostrated, the mercury hit 99—a new high for the date.

In the Pittsburgh district records of 40 years' standing went tumbling, and Franklin, Pa., saw a reading of 101, the hottest in its history.

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FORREST DUNTON PASSES SUDDENLY

PORTLAND, Ore., June 29.—(AP)—Forrest E. Dunton, 50, unsuccessful democratic candidate for nomination as state superintendent of public instruction in the May primary, died suddenly here today.

He had been in the hospital since June 22. Death was caused by septicemia, following an operation for hernia.

DEATH CATCHES UP WITH METHUSELAH OF TURKEY

ISTANBUL, Turkey, June 29.—(AP)—Death caught up today with Zoro Agha, Turkey's Methuselah who once boasted he would live forever.

He was suffering from a variety of ailments, including bright's disease and gland and bladder disorders. Physicians said a contributing cause to his death was worry over science's skepticism of his age.

Rostel Receives Unique Welcome On Escaping Bear

Considering himself successful because he was able to get back to the First National bank to work today after a narrow escape from a bear during his two weeks' vacation at Union Creek, Bert Rostel became faint this morning upon going to his window at the bank.

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