

The Weather
Forecast: Fair tonight and Tuesday; temperature above normal.
Temperature
Highest yesterday 42
Lowest this morning 43

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SEN. CUTTING DIES IN AIR CRASH



News Behind The News
By Paul Mallon
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WASHINGTON, May 6.—A different layer of atmosphere has been noticeable inside the White House lately. For one thing, the president has been stricter in personal dealings with his associates. His public statements do not as yet reflect it, but there have been evidences that he is determined to be less easy-going, less patient, harder-boiled.

In line with this tendency, he seems to be working out a shift of personnel which amounts more or less to an inside reorganization among his advisers. Furthermore, he is tightening up the administration all along the line.

You can see one phase of it behind the new relief set-up. No announcement has been made, but as an instance, businessman Joe Kennedy has been quietly pressed into the relief set-up as a right hand man.

Kennedy is what is known among insiders as "a good man." That is, he is capable. He has a solid business foundation. Apparently he is being pushed up front with businessman Frank Walker as a restraining influence on the Ickes-Hopkins-Tugwell end of the new relief team.

But there is more behind it than merely pushing businessmen up front. Apparently the president has been aroused by the growing criticism of the ability of some of the men he has had in key jobs. What he seems to want is not so much businessmen as "good men."

In line with this, there appears to be more than is generally known in the rumor that Tom Caceran might take over Louis Howe's job as presidential secretary. Caceran will not take over the job, but what was at the bottom of the story is the fact that he will hereafter work more closely on certain matters for the president.

Caceran is a liberal, a young Anthony advocate, and possibly even a reformer, but he is among those recognized among insiders as "a good man."

4 MEET DEATH IN EARTH PLUNGE OF FOGBOUND PLANE

Nine Bady Injured When Fuel of Eastbound TWA Transport Ship Gives Out Near Atlanta, Missouri

ATLANTA, Mo., May 6.—(AP)—Senator Houston M. Cutting of New Mexico and three other persons were carried to their deaths in a fog-bound TWA transport plane near here early this morning.

Nine persons, six of them members of a motion picture production unit enroute to make a film at Annapolis, were injured and taken to a Macon, Mo., hospital 13 miles from the scene of the crash.

The list of dead: Senator Cutting, Pilot Harvey Bolton, of Kansas, Co-Pilot Kenneth Greeson, of Kansas City. A woman believed to be Miss Jeanne Anne Hillias, 20, of Kansas City.

The injured: Richard Wallace, prominent motion picture director, Hollywood; Paul Wing, Hollywood, father of film actress Toby Wing; Mr. and Mrs. William Kaplan, Hollywood. Kaplan is an assistant producer of a film company. C. B. Drew, Hollywood. Henry Sharp, Hollywood. Mrs. Dora Metzger, and baby, bound from Los Angeles to Newark.

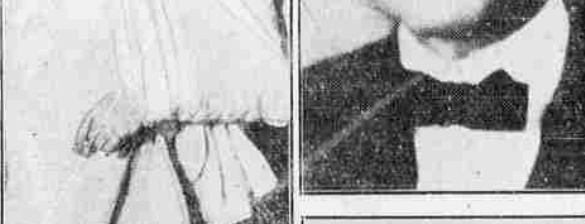
Mrs. D. L. Meeker of Kansas City, wife of a TWA pilot. Senator Cutting was hurrying to Washington from New Mexico to vote today on the bonus bill. His body was identified by a bill fold in his pocket.

Suffer Serious Injury All in the hospital were reported seriously injured except Kaplan, whose hurts were described as superficial.

Patsy Smith Injured in Fall at High School

STRIKE CLOSES SEVEN PORTLAND SAWMILLS JAMES BAYLISS ALSO INJURED IN 15-FOOT TUMBLE

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1600 EMPLOYEES OUT TO ENFORCE HOUR, PAY DEMAND

Coast Longshoremen Vote Ban On Handling Products of Closed Mills — Few Other Towns Affected

Lumbermen of this city and county do not anticipate the threatened strike of lumber and mill workers in the Northwest will effect their plans and workers.

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BASEBALL

| National | R. | H. | E. |
|---|----|----|----|
| Pittsburgh | 8 | 12 | 2 |
| Boston | 6 | 9 | 2 |
| Birkhofer, Hoyt, Stanton and Paden, Grace, Rhem, Benton, Betts and Spolner. | | | |

All other Nationals were postponed account unfavorable weather conditions.

| American | R. | H. | E. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Boston | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Chermuller and R. Ferrell; Hildebrand and Pylak. | | | |

All other American league games omitted out.

JOYFUL JUBILEE SPIRIT SWEEPS BRITISH REALM

By Burdette T. Johns
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LONDON, May 6.—(AP)—Amid almost unparalleled popular rejoicing King George V. today completed twenty-five eventful years on the throne.

Such celebration as staid London has seldom seen swept this old city as the king-emperor and his magnificent queen, Mary, drove in state to St. Paul's cathedral to kneel in prayer of Thanksgiving.

All over the far-flung British empire, meanwhile, millions of loyal subjects paid reverent tribute to the man who has ruled their destinies through the last quarter century.

Canon Boom Salutes Cannon boomed out 21-gun salutes through Britain, at Gibraltar, Singapore and elsewhere, 10,000 Chinese paraded joyfully in the streets of Hongkong, Indians and Malaysians joined in the celebration at Singapore.

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RAILROAD PENSION LAW INVALID SAYS HIGH COURT EDICT

Contention of Companies Upheld—Measure Would Compel Workers, Employers Contribute to Pension

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(AP)—In another of its famous five to four decisions, the supreme court today declared unconstitutional the railway retirement law affecting more than a million employees.

"The act was beyond the powers of congress," said Justice Roberts who delivered the high court's opinion.

He recalled sections of the law pensioning employees who have voluntarily left the carriers' service; those who have been discharged for dishonesty and for gross negligence and those who have been automatically retired.

Hughes in Minority Chief Justice Hughes, who delivered the opinion upholding the government in the famous gold-clause cases was in the minority this time. He wrote the dissenting opinion and was joined by Justice Brandeis, Stone and Cardozo.

Aligned with Justice Roberts were Justices Van Devanter, McReynolds, Sutherland and Butler.

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VOLUNTEER FIRE LADS WILL MEET

There will be a meeting of the volunteer fire department tonight at 7:30 o'clock. It was announced at the fire hall. Dr. L. D. Inskeep will meet with the group to give instructions on the use of the inhalator which was recently acquired by the department, and it is urged that all volunteers attend.

It was urged that the public burn trash and refuse as early as possible, before the grass gets dry, to eliminate grass fire hazard. The department also announced that hereafter a return whistle will be blown after each fire so that residents of the city can resume using water and irrigation.

Scores Yesterday

| Coast League | Score |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Portland, 10-7; Oakland, 8-1. | |
| Los Angeles, 5-2; Mission, 2-1. | |
| San Francisco, 12-10; Hollywood, 7-4. | |
| Seattle, 1-9; Sacramento, 5-8. | |

SIDE GLANCES

Gene Dowling trying to trap a poor little mouse with a wasp paper basket for bait.

Gordon Kerstus going into graphic details for Chief McCredie, on how he surrounded and captured a swarm of wild bees.

Sam Colton, in fatherly tones—"A cigar should be smoked only in times of leisure—none of this monkey business of lighting it and letting it go out."

Bill Vawter sunning himself on the front steps at the Colonial.

PORTLAND MAY LOSE SEWAGE LOAN CHANCE

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(AP)—Possible withdrawal of the \$2,400,000 TWA allotment to the city of Portland, Ore., for a sewage disposal system was forewarned by Senator Stetson (R., Ore.) today unless the debt limitation restrictions on Oregon cities are moved.

HASKINS RETURNS TO DRUG BUSINESS

Leon B. Haskins, for many years in the drug business here, returns to harness today at the West Side Pharmacy, having purchased that business late last week from the adjustment bureau in Portland. He will continue under the name of West Side Pharmacy, and will feature the Rexall line of drugs.

Mr. Haskins' father, George H. Haskins, established the first store selling drugs in Medford, in 1884. He retired in 1903, and his son took over the business at that time, remaining until he sold out in 1924.

"I consider this one of the finest jobs in the city, if not the finest," he stated today. The building will be completely remodeled, and every line of merchandise carried will be thoroughly stocked, much new material being on its way here now.

Mr. Haskins is a registered pharmacist, having graduated from the University of California. He was for five years a member of the state board of pharmacy. Mrs. Fred L. Colby, also a registered pharmacist, will continue her affiliation with the store.

Dr. Howard to Portland—Dr. W. W. Howard left this morning on a short business trip to Portland.

GRAND JURY CALL SLATED THIS WEEK

The grand jury will be called this week. District Attorney George A. Coddling said today, for consideration of the case of Francis Melvin Sallee, charged with a statutory offense involving a seven-year-old Central Point girl. Sallee was bound over to the grand jury following a preliminary hearing two weeks ago.

Another case awaiting probable grand jury action is that of Perry Alonzo Hulce, 34, Sterling district miner, bound over to the grand jury last week on a charge of threatening to commit a felony. Hulce is alleged to have threatened a state police officer, with a gun.

The May term of the circuit court is scheduled to start Monday, May 27, when a new petit jury and grand jury can be drawn.

PORTLAND MARKET TO GET LOAN FROM RFC

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(AP)—Senator Stetson (R., Ore.) was informed by the reconstruction finance corporation today that a loan of \$75,000 for operating capital for the Portland, Ore., public market had been approved.

ASHLAND WOMAN HURT IN SMASHUP

Mrs. Merle Edwards is in the Community hospital in Ashland suffering from lacerations and scalp lacerations and bruises, sustained in an auto accident near Beall lane shortly before 8 o'clock this morning when the car driven by Rev. D. E. Nourse, pastor of the Congregational church of Ashland, skidded and turned over.

Rev. Nourse sustained minor cuts, as did Rev. Merle Edwards, pastor of the Ashland Presbyterian church, husband of the injured woman. Donald Nourse, son of Rev. Nourse, was uninjured. The four were on their way for a day's outing when the accident occurred.

According to the state police, the Nourse machine was traveling north, apparently at a high speed. Nourse swung over to the left to pass the machine of Chas. Williamson, just as Williamson was in the act of turning onto Beall lane. In avoiding this second car, Nourse lost control of his own machine, skidded down the highway sideways, and went into the ditch.

Senator Cutting's Death Shocks Capitol Circles

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(AP)—Shocked by the death of Senator Bronson Cutting of New Mexico, in a Missouri airplane accident, the senate heard tributes to his memory today and further with adjournment in honor to his memory. The house planned to adjourn also in mid-afternoon.

Mrs. Olivia Per-Cutting, mother of the senator, was attending the national ex-territorial services in honor of the silver jubilee of King George when friends arrived at their home to tell her of the tragedy.

WILL ROGERS says:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., May 3.—I don't know which one was the littlest in this U. S. Chamber of Commerce versus Roosevelt argument. The president, he got sore and the "leading industrialists" they got sore and it ended in a tie. That brought no glory on either side. Dr. Roosevelt should have kidded 'em for they left a great opening.

Governor Lafoon of Kentucky, I wish I could be there today watching the great Kentucky derby but this dime letter mail that Jim Farley invented to boost his business has just got me swamped. I have received everything in the world but a dime. Kentucky stay with Bradley.

ROCKVIEW PRISON, BELLEFONTE, Pa., May 6.—(AP)—Robert Allen Edwards, playing of the Anchorage field, walked unopposed to the electric chair and was executed today for the slaying of Freda McKim, the little white woman who had told him she was about to become a mother.