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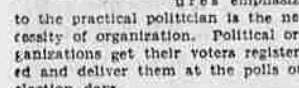
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SECRETARY OF WAR DERN SUCCUMBS



By PAUL MALLON (Copyright, 1936, by Paul Mallon.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—About 70,000,000 persons were of voting age at the time of the last presidential election...



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Chairman Farley has spent five years building what is generally believed to be the best organization in the history of American politics.

While the Democratic headquarters expanded for the campaign only by taking on people at the bottom, Republican expansion at the top has developed growing pains.

The announcements indicated that all President Roosevelt and Senator Glass did was to exchange knock-knocks, and that really was about all.

John "Isak Walton" Deever returning from a day of arduous fishing, and exhibiting two magnificent trophies of the chase—a brace of trout three inches long.

RECURRING COLDS AFTER INFLUENZA BRING BREAKDOWN

Oxygen Tent Fails to Prolong Life of Cabinet Member—Six of Family Are Present As Death Comes

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—George Henry Dern, secretary of war in the Roosevelt cabinet, died in Walter Reed hospital here today from heart and other complications resulting from past influenza attacks.

During the night, it was disclosed, Dern had been placed under an oxygen tent in an effort to prolong his life.

Dern—twice governor of Utah before rising to the cabinet—entered Walter Reed, the big army hospital, here on July 13 for "rest, treatment and a physical check" after he became ill during an inspection of

By stipulation between counsel, in the suit of the California Joint Stock and Land Bank against William H. Gore and Sophronia Ish Gore, it was agreed yesterday that the Gore's would vacate the house on the Gore ranch by September 9.

County courts of Jackson and Josephine counties, following a visit yesterday afternoon to the former transient camp at Savage Rapids, where a controversy has arisen over the contract to sell a portion of the site owned by the state, took under advisement future action.

John Peter standing forlornly in the middle of the abandoned liquor store, waited for a new spot across the street, and gazing about like a portrait of the last Indian.

Neglected Health



SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 28.—(AP)—George Henry Dern, who said his only "military" preparation for secretary of war came as a cadet player in a college military band, neglected his health for years when—as governor of Utah—he "never knew when to quit."

This was recalled today as politicians, miners and businessmen learned of the death in Washington of the once rugged six-footer.

They recalled how Dern, who fought his way up from a clerkship in the Mercor Gold Mining and Milling company in mountainous central Utah, brought to public office the same capacity for long hours and hard work he displayed in the mines.

At 2 p. m. the board will hold a public meeting in the courthouse auditorium. Several talks will be given on irrigation, farming and mining.

Three state planning board attaches arrived here this morning by motorcar. They were Herbert F. Byrnes, research assistant, C. W. Reynolds, executive assistant, and George H. Godfrey, special assistant.

his anti-New Deal strength against Senator Richard B. Russell Jr., comes September 9. In addition, the border states of Tennessee, Kentucky and Oklahoma are among those now represented by Democrats which will elect again in November.

LONDON DECLARES CHILDREN FACING HERITAGE OF DEBT

'Wasteful' New Deal Spending and 'Cockeyed' Tax Legislation Hit by G. O. P. Nominee On Journey

By G. A. MARTIN Associated Press Staff Writer LONDON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—EN ROUTE TO TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Gov. Alf M. Landon left behind him a charge of "wasteful" New Deal spending and "cockeyed" tax legislation as he rode through Illinois today on a schedule of 10 rear platform appearances and a visit to Abraham Lincoln's tomb.

The Republican nominee was speaking toward Topeka on the return leg of his first presidential campaign invasion of the east.

In the last of three addresses, he told a Buffalo, N. Y., audience that American youth faced "a heritage of debts and mortgages" through New Deal expenditures.

Landon demanded the immediate repeal of the law taxing corporations according to amounts of income withheld from distribution. This legislation the Kansan described as "cockeyed." He said the entire tax structure, federal and state, needed overhauling.

The nature of the documents was a closely guarded secret although they were said to include confidential publications used in signal work.

Ordinarily severe, months elapses between the conclusion of a court martial and the publication of the board's findings.

LIEUT. MOFFETT DISCIPLINED BY COURT OF NAVY

Naval Aviator, Son of Late Rear Admiral Demoted in Promotion List for Loss of Confidential Papers

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Lieut. William A. Moffett, Jr., naval aviator and son of the late Rear Admiral William Moffett, has been found guilty by a general court martial of carelessness in the loss of a confidential service publication.

He was sentenced to a loss of 30 numbers. This means, naval officers said, that he was demoted to a rank below 50 officers formerly his junior and consequently it will affect his prospects of promotion.

The findings of the court martial, held secretly in Washington last May, was approved today by Admiral William H. Standley, acting secretary of the navy.

Standley's announcement did not specify what publication had been lost, and added only that Moffett had been restored to duty.

Previously, Moffett had declined to make a statement on the ground that the whole matter was "confidential."

The officer drew the documents from navy files to aid him in preparing for examinations for promotion. Navy officials said it was customary for officers to be given permission to use confidential files when studying for examinations.

Townsend Attorney Loses



California Townsends suffered their greatest blow in Tuesday's primary election in the defeat of Sheridan Downey (right), attorney for the pension movement for the Democratic nomination for congress in the third California district. Rep. Frank H. Buck, who received the nomination is shown at left.—(A. P. Photo.)

The most popular reader event of the year, Mail Tribune bargain days, has arrived again and already there has been a rush to take advantage of the great savings made possible by substantial reductions in subscription rates.

Bargain days start officially on September 5, but subscriptions under the reduced rates are being received now by mail or at the office. To avert the possibility of missing this unusual opportunity to save, it is urged that subscriptions be entered or renewed without delay.

Buddy Ebsen, who believes his long, luffed hair brings him good luck, has cut it about twice a year.

Nations Desert Spain In Dire Hour of Need Says Socialist Leader

(Editor's Note: The following interview with Indalecio Prieto, strong man behind the Spanish socialist government, was delayed eleven hours by censor.)

MADRID, Aug. 27.—Spain is the "Ethiopia of Europe," deserted by those nations whose vital interests should compel them to be her active allies, Indalecio Prieto, socialist "iron chancellor," declared today.

TULE LAKE FLOOD CONTINUES SPREAD IN WHEAT REGION

Second Dike Broken—Combine Harvesters Forced to Halt Emergency Operations On Cox Ranch

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Tule lake stamp water broke through a second dike yesterday afternoon, ran an emergency harvesting operation out of the grain field beyond, and found its way through still another dike, opened for it purposely to remove the pressure from more important barriers.

At mid-afternoon the water had run through a low dike separating Cox brothers' fields sufficiently far to force cessation of a four-combine harvesting operation in the second field. About half of this 400-acre field had been harvested when the water stopped all work there.

Beyond this piece of land lies the grain fields of Haskins brothers. As the flood moved against a separating dike, Haskins brothers put a breach to let the water through into field that had already been harvested. The water ran harmlessly over the stubble as men turned their efforts to strengthen other dikes against pressure thus temporarily relieved.

Estimates of damage still stand at about \$50,000 but may rise if the water breaks through other barriers. The Kandra lease on the north of Cox brothers' flooded field is in the greatest danger.

GREY APPOINTED WPA HEAD HERE; DELZELL QUILTS

Announcement was made today of the appointment of Harold D. Grey as acting director of the southern Oregon district for the works progress administration. The district embraces Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Curry, Douglas, Lake and Coos counties.

Mr. Grey succeeds Tom Delzell, who resigned, effective today, "for personal reasons." Mr. Delzell did not elaborate on his reasons for resigning but it is known that he accepted the appointment originally for a more or less temporary period. He left last week for Portland, where he said he would remain for the time being.

BASEBALL

Table with columns for American, R, H, E. Rows for Detroit (4, 10, 1), Boston (3, 10, 1), Bridges and Hayworth; Grove and R. Ferrell.

Income Shares

Maryland Fund: Bid, \$9.64; asked, \$10.43. Quarterly income: Bid, \$1.59; asked \$1.55.

369,400 BOXES PEARS SHIPPED

Pear shipments to date, chiefly Bartlett, from the Rogue river valley total 369,400 boxes of packed pears, according to Kramer Deuffel, secretary of the Rogue River Traffic association. Approximately half of this total is sold, and the balance is in cold storage.

TWO ARRESTED IN MILL PART THEFT

The continued theft of machinery, parts and tools from sawmills in the Ashland area was believed solved by state police today with the arrest of Roland Gustafson, ambulance driver for the Jackson County Humane society, and Sam Mackay, of Ashland and Medford. Both are held on \$1000 bail, charged with grand larceny.

Justice Campbell Facing Operation

SALEM, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Chief Justice Campbell of the state supreme court entered a Salem hospital today to undergo a serious eye operation. Physicians said he would be in the hospital for several days, and probably would not be able to resume his official duties for two or three weeks.

Democracy Assured of Majority in Congress

By Edward J. Duffy Associated Press Staff Writer WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Dissension and death have raised uncertainties in the senatorial situation in several important states, but the Democrats nevertheless are fortifying the majority which is certain to be theirs in the next session.

TRANSIENT CAMP SALE PONDERED BY COURTS

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GATES WILL BE PLANNING BOARD LUNCH SPEAKER

W. A. Gates will be the principal speaker at the state planning board luncheon to be held at 12:30 tomorrow in the Hotel Medford.

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