

The Weather
 Forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday, but becoming unsettled; cooler Saturday.
 Temperature
 Highest yesterday 81
 Lowest this morning 44

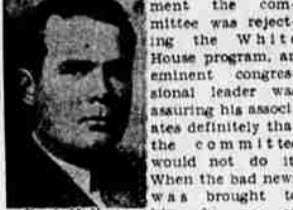
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 for the classified page must be in this office by 3:30 p. m. Saturday. Ads received after that hour will only "Too Late to Classify." Ad closing time 8 p. m. Saturday.

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CIO WINS POWER IN STEEL PLANT VOTE



News Behind The News
 By Paul Mallon
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WASHINGTON, May 21.—Something went wrong inside the senate judiciary committee when it repudiated the president's court packing bill. At the very moment the committee was rejecting the White House program, an eminent congressional leader was assuring his associates definitely that the committee would not do it. When the bad news was brought to Paul Mallon, he was so shocked he would not talk to anyone the rest of the day. At the White House, surprise was likewise indicated. The president did not get his wind back in time to discuss the matter in his press conference later that day. The fact is the presidential major-domos thought they had arranged for an entirely different result. They are not saying anything now, except among themselves, but they thought the committee was going to have a tie vote (nine to nine) on the Logan compromise. This is a proposal to pack the court at the rate of one a year instead of six at once. Such a development would have saved the court packing program from the ignominy of a direct defeat. It would have lifted the issue out of the committee to the senate floor for open discussion with the least possible pain to all.

Everything was fixed for it, or at least, nearly everything. The kids were greased, all except one kid. What happened, the Roosevelt domos say, was that one of the kids, he was supposed to vote for the Logan compromise, but got to voting against all compromises so fast he did not know when to stop. The question now has arisen as to whether he took or was given a sleeping powder before the meeting.

If he had voted for the Logan proposal, the vote would have been exactly nine to nine. As it was, the compromise was defeated, ten to eight, and the committee went on to defeat the president's plan by the same score.

What it seems to boil down to is that the domos did a very bad job on the committee, or else some natural and unavoidable misunderstanding arose.

At any rate, they were flabbergasted and were unable to do anything about it after it occurred.

A Democratic group of anti-pack-

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Justice Successor Remains Mystery

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—President Roosevelt reiterated today he had given no thought as yet to the question of appointing a successor to Associate Justice Willis Van Devanter of the supreme court. The justice will retire June 2.

The president said he would defer until next week the sending of a special message to congress outlining a comprehensive national program embracing power, flood control, soil conservation, reclamation and related projects.

CHETCO FISHING BEST OF SEASON IS REPORT

The outlook for week-end fishing in the Chetco river is reported the best this year, according to word received from Tom Page, of Brookings, Ore.

SIDE GLANCES

by TRIBUNE REPORTERS

Moss Alford resorting to a cigarette when his cigar stub became what he described as "water-logged."

Chief Roy Elliott telling how elegant fire headquarters looked after getting doused with paint and kalsomine, he inviting everyone to come up and see the place sometime.

Dr. Shgrman Landon Divine becoming poetic about setting suns and lengthening shadows in speaking of outdoor vesper services.

Bob Gilstrap being slightly at a loss when the gear lever on his auto broke neatly off at the floorboard as he shifted and he being forced to continue his drive home in second gear after futile attempts to stuff the recalcitrant lever back into place.

Dorothy Nyssamer experiencing difficulty with wacky bicycle that proceeded in trying to precipitate her into the roadway.

VICTORY TERMED CLEAR WARNING TO INDEPENDENTS

Collective Bargaining Contract Presented Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation—May Sign Saturday

By The Associated Press.

The steel workers' organizing committee promptly presented a collective bargaining contract to the Jones and Laughlin steel corporation today following its victory in the first major employe election.

The result in the balloting, supervised by the national labor relations board, the committee termed: "A warning to other independent producers."

In the election the S. W. O. C. was favored as bargaining representative by 17,028 of the 24,412 J. and L. employes voting. A majority vote authorized the S. W. O. C. to assume exclusive bargaining rights for all employes of the concern.

May Sign Saturday.

Company and union representatives planned to meet tomorrow when a contract may be signed.

After an overnight, all-down of workers objecting to speed of production, operations were resumed at the Escame, Mich., plant of the Murray corporation. The plant manufactures frames for Ford Motor company and Chrysler. The United Automobile Workers of America and management reached an agreement.

An accord including an eight cents an hour wage increase ended a strike that three 600 employes in idleness at the Globe Machine & Stamp Company, Cleveland, and threatened to throw 15,000 Detroiters out of work.

Striking employes of 16 San Francisco hotels rejected an employers' proposal that they return to work for the duration of the Golden Gate bridge fiasco.

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STOCKMAN KILLED IN TEAM RUNAWAY

H. E. Hansberry, stockman who has lived on a forest homestead with his wife adjacent to the Pelican guard station for the past dozen years, was fatally injured in a horse runaway yesterday afternoon. He died en route to a hospital in Klamath Falls.

Mr. Hansberry was a graining permittee on the Rogue River national forest and Hugh Ritter, district ranger, left him about 2:30 yesterday afternoon. It is believed the team of horses he was working ran away shortly thereafter, dragging him from them. His hip was broken in three places and he suffered other injuries, the forest officer said. Mr. Hansberry was about 60 years old. His home was in Klamath county about nine miles northeast of Lake of the Woods.

Relief Work Plan Here To Stay Avers Hopkins

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—The house stood by President Roosevelt today and approved tentatively a \$1,500,000,000 relief appropriation for the fiscal year, starting July 1. The taller vote for \$1,500,000,000 was 210 to 128.

It defeated a determined drive to slash \$500,000,000 from the total in the name of economy.

Efforts to boost the fund as high as \$1,600,000,000 and cut it as low as \$1,000,000,000.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—Harry L. Hopkins completed four years in charge of federal relief today, convinced that government work for the jobless permanently has replaced private charity as "the American system."

The lean, Iowa-bred administrator has supervised the greatest relief fund in history—amounting to almost \$7,000,000,000 for work relief alone.

"My years here have taught me that Americans like to work for what they get," he said, "and that the nation has use for their labor in public improvements when they can't find a job in private industry."

"I am confident that we will never go back to the date or the vicious

Haab Recaptured -- Parker Boy Joins in Flight

Accidental Injury For 1 In Each 14 Is Year's Outlook

PORTLAND, May 21.—(AP)—W. E. Longfellow's outlook upon life is none too bright. The national director of the Red Cross first aid and life saving services says one out of every 14 persons in the United States will be accidentally injured this year.

Accidents took the lives of 111,000 persons last year, he said, and injured 9,700,000. They cost the American people something like \$9,500,000 a day.

Longfellow is here for a series of conferences.

OREGON RELIEF COSTS TAKE SHARP DOWNTURN WITH SPRING'S ADVENT

PORTLAND, May 21.—(AP)—Combined state and county relief costs dropped from \$232,580 in February to \$200,575 in April. State Relief Administrator Elmer Goudy told the state relief committee at its meeting here today.

He said the number of cases fell from the peak load of 38,337 in February to 28,280 last month, a 19.4 percent decrease compared with the 13.9 percent drop in relief costs.

Goudy explained that the costs did not fall as much as the number of cases because unemployed who have gone off the relief rolls normally are the lightest loads, the remaining relief clients being the heavy-cost cases.

Families on relief will have their living standards raised by the federal child welfare program, soon to become effective.

The committee approved May budgets of \$9,064, for blind assistance and \$270,819 for old age assistance, the federal government paying half and the state and counties one quarter each.

The committee took no action on a request by Multnomah county commissioner Frank Shull, for state aid in clearing up the county's relief deficit, which he estimated would reach \$103,934 by the end of the year.

MEDFORD PAIR READY FOR HOSPITAL WEDDING

SPOKANE, Wash., May 21.—(AP)—Walter O. Crank, Medford, Ore., made final preparations today for his marriage Sunday with his bride, fellow townswoman, Ruth A. Holmes.

With Dr. A. H. VanWinkle, central Christian church pastor, Crank applied for and received a marriage license. R. M. Butler, marriage license clerk, then accompanied them to the hospital where his bride-to-be signed the application. Mr. VanWinkle will perform the ceremony.

Miss Holmes' back was broken in an automobile accident nearly a year ago.

BASEBALL

American. R. H. E.
 (11 innings)— Detroit 4 8 1
 Boston 2 8 0
 Coffman and Cochrane; Grove and Desautels.

Chicago 3 4 1
 Philadelphia 4 10 1
 Stratton, Brown and Kewell; Caster and Brucker.

National. R. H. E.
 (11 innings)— St. Louis 3 11 1
 New York 4 13 0
 Hogsett, Caldwell, Blake and Huffman; Hensley, Pearson, Murphy and Dickey.

Boston 6 10 9
 Pittsburgh 3 7 1
 MacFadden and Lopez; Bowman, Hoyt, Brown and Todd.

New York 5 6 0
 Chicago 8 12 1
 Schumacher, Melton, Gabler, Smith and Danning; Shoun, Lee and Hartnett.

YREKA, Calif., May 21.—(AP)—The Western hotel at Fort Yreka today from an undetermined cause. The loss was covered partly by insurance.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE SUNDAY AT HIGH SCHOOL

Edith Whillock Valedictorian — Helen Chirgwin Salutatorian — 176 to Get Diplomas Next Friday

Edith Whillock has been named valedictorian of the 1937 graduating class of the senior high school and Helen Chirgwin is to be salutatorian. The selections are based entirely on scholarship.

Baccalaureate services for the class, largest in the history of the school, will be held Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. Rev. Oscar G. Gibson will deliver the sermon. The 176 graduates will receive their diplomas next Friday evening at commencement exercises.

Dr. Bruce Baxter, president of Willamette university, is to make the commencement address.

Captain G. R. Durham is to be presiding minister for the baccalaureate service. The complete program follows:

March from Tannhäuser — Wagner
 High School Orchestra
 Holy, Holy, Holy — Hymn
 Congregation
 Invocation — Presiding Minister
 On Life's Highway — Bertrand-Brown
 Vocal Ensemble
 Prayer — Presiding Minister
 Sermon — Rev. Oscar G. Gibson
 America the Beautiful — Hymn
 Congregation
 Benediction — Presiding Minister
 Coronation March — Meyerbeer
 High School Orchestra
 Graduates are — Boys
 Albert, Cyril Herman
 Baker, Floyd Henry

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FEHL ARGUMENTS SLATED SATURDAY

Arguments on motions to quash, filed in actions brought by Earl O. Fehl, on parole for ball-thief conviction, his wife Electa A. Fehl, and his mother-in-law, Corintha E. Stealey against the estate of the late Ted E. Helmroth, will be argued Saturday afternoon, before Circuit Judge E. B. Ashurst of Klamath county, assigned to the case by the state supreme court. Judge Carl D. Wimberly of Douglas county had been disqualified by an affidavit of prejudice filed by the Fehls, and Judge H. D. Norton had disqualified himself.

The motions grew out of mortgage foreclosure suits filed by Helmroth involving the Pacific Record-Herald building, and a West Park street residence. Release of a lien on 8828 held by the sheriff for a sheriff's sale purchase of the West Park property, is sought. Mrs. Stealey bid \$288, and it was afterwards attached.

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Wins Divorce



Oliver Hardy, hefty half of the screen comedy team of Laurel and Hardy, is shown on the witness stand in Los Angeles as he won a divorce from Mrs. Myrtle Lee Hardy, in a suit based on a sealed complaint.

"No decent person can answer, or even comment, on such filth."

TURF BALL FIELD WILL BE LIGHTED WITHIN TWO WEEKS

Medford high school will have a lighted football field, with actual installation of the area to start immediately and be completed within the next two weeks.

That is the announcement of E. H. Hedrick, city school superintendent last night at a meeting of softball team managers in the M. N. Hogan Brokerage company. At the same time the Medford Softball association was formed with ten teams ready for action under lights.

Definite decision to erect lights on the Medford high turf football field, already considered the finest in Oregon, came after a concerted drive by school officials and softball enthusiasts. With ten teams already entered in the league and pledging their \$15 entrance fees, the school superintendent deemed it safe to announce the definite decision.

Cost of installing the lights will be borne by the entrance fees of the competing teams and admissions received at the gate. Actual league play will start as soon as the field is ready. All teams will be outfitted in uniforms. Teams definitely entered are 20-30 club, Hughes and Underwood, Timber Products, Office Boys, Lampor's, Jennings Tire company.

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HIT AND RUNNER PAYS \$50 FINE

John Harvey Brennan of Klamath Falls, a Southern Oregon Normal school student living in Ashland, was fined \$50 in justice court here yesterday on a hit-and-run charge.

The fine was a result of an alleged automobile smashup involving a car driven by Brennan and a parked machine belonging to Mrs. J. R. Pridgeer of Ashland. According to the sheriff, Brennan ran into the Pridgeer car while it was parked in front of Lane's confectionery on Skakyou boulevard Wednesday night, and failed to stop or to report the accident.

The Pridgeer car was considerably damaged by the impact, according to city police in Ashland.

NEWTON EDDY, 57, CALLED BY DEATH

Newton Henry Eddy, son of the late Isaac N. and Sarah K. Eddy, died at his home in Central point last evening from a heart attack. He was 57 years old.

He was born in Eugene November 23, 1879. Surviving are his wife, Florence Eddy of Central Point; a son, John, of Medford; two sisters, Mrs. Sidney Anderson of Hyder, Alaska, and Mrs. Mary Harpman of Baker, and a brother, William Eddy of Mount Vernon.

Funeral services will be held at the Per funeral home, arrangements for which were being made today.

NAZIS TO PUNISH CATHOLICS WHO TOLD MUNDELEIN

Gestapo Seeking Source of Information of Chicago Cardinal — Headsman's Ax Penalty If Caught

"Sewage"

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—(AP)—Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia of New York suggested today that German press comment on asserted immorality in New York high schools be referred to the New York sewer commissioner.

"Statements such as those made in the German Press," said LaGuardia, "can only be referred to Commissioner Binger who has charge of the sewage disposal in New York City."

"No decent person can answer, or even comment, on such filth."

BERLIN, May 21.—(AP)—The powerful Gestapo, German secret state police, began today to seek detailed information on German sources from which, it believed, George Cardinal Mundelein obtained the information for his castigation of their Reich's attitude toward the Catholic church.

Reproductions of purported American newspaper accounts, published here, said the Chicago Cardinal obtained his data about "immorality" in German Catholic monks and lay brothers and other material on the church-state situation from German residents, relayed through the Franciscan Sisters in Illinois.

Penalty is Ax
 If the identity of any of these German sources is ascertained, the Gestapo will mete out a severe penalty.

AUTO SALE SUIT OCCUPES COURT

The civil suit of F. W. Gray, representing the Figueroa Auto company of Los Angeles, against W. N. (Farmer Bill) Carl of the Applegate, and his son Gene, involving sale of an auto to Norvel Carl, a minor, is underway before a circuit court jury today.

The plaintiff seeks return of the automobile, and the defendants cash paid on it. The sale was consummated December 30, 1935, with a down payment of \$225, and a balance due of \$204.

The complaint alleges that Gene Carl, at the time of the sale, was a minor, and legally unable to make a contract, and since the turning over of the auto, it has "received rough treatment." It is further alleged, that Gene Carl, knowing Norvel Carl, was a minor "stood idly by," while the deal was consummated.

The Carls are represented by Attorney Allison Moulton, and the plaintiff by Attorney Charles W. Reames.

Income Shares

Maryland Fund, bid 9.77; asked 10.71.
 Quarterly Income, bid 17.60; asked 19.27.

No Religious Ceremonies For Windsor and Wallis

MONTPELIER, France, May 21.—(AP)—There will be no religious ceremony to unite the Duke of Windsor and Wallis Warfield, a spokesman announced tonight.

Herman L. Rogers made the announcement. He refused to say why the plans for a religious service to follow the civil service on June 3 had been abandoned.

It was known, however, that the duke and his fiancée had been trying without much success to find an Anglican pastor who would marry them in the face of the church's stand against re-marriage of divorced persons and its constant opposition to the Edward-Warfield union.

Rogers did say the British consul from Mantua would attend the civil ceremony, thus giving it something of a British official flavor. However, the consul's capacity will be unofficial. The British government still is steadfastly opposed to any public recognition of the match, and no

War in Spain At a Glance

By The Associated Press

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier.—Insurgents reported incendiary bombs set fire to the Basque yacht Goizeko-Larraz, carrying refugees out of Bilbao. The reports said the yacht was fired during an insurgent-government aerial battle in which a government plane was shot down. Basque militiamen at Bilbao, supported by government planes, went over the top in a series of counter attacks.

LONDON.—Diplomatic sources said reported German and Italian opposition to proposals for a Spanish civil war armistice and withdrawal of foreign volunteers has ended, and that all countries are willing to join in armistice discussions.

PARIS.—France, Belgium and the Vatican were said to have approved the British plan for an armistice in Spain and withdrawal of foreign volunteers. The plan was reported to call for sending international commission to Spain to bring about a truce.

Interior Department Urges Liquidation of Huge O. and C. Deficit

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—The interior department urged the house public lands committee today to approve a proposed bill which would permit the treasury to liquidate a \$10,000,000 deficit accrued since the government withdrew some 100,000 acres of western Oregon railroad and wagon grant lands more than 20 years ago.

The department said the administration advocated orderly reimbursement of funds spent by the government for the lands and for money paid as taxes or in lieu of taxes when the lands reverted to the government.

A solicitor asked revenue never had been sufficient to return the government's original investment of \$2.50 an acre or to meet entirely taxes and tax subsidies paid the counties.

UNION CREEK ROAD OPENING HARD JOB

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Only by "getting all the breaks" can the crew attempting to open the Union Creek road to Diamond Lake, clear the way for traffic by Sunday, according to Bob Mercer of the Roseburg office of the Umpqua national forest. Mercer returned here last night and reports that the snowplow is bucking hard packed snow, drifted as high as four feet in places.

Crews working two shifts of eight hours each, he reports, have cleared the road for a distance of 15 miles. It is possible, he states, that lesser depths may be encountered on part of the remaining eight miles to be cleared, in which case the road will be opened so that fishermen may reach the lake by Sunday, the opening day of the season.

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J'VILLE BURGLARY ADDED TO CRIMES IN 4-DAY LIBERTY

Telephone Call to Pal in County Jail Gives Officers Tip On Whereabouts — Parker Boy Uncaught

Elmer F. Haab, 19, of Ashland, who escaped from the sheriff last Monday noon, after having received a three-year sentence to state's prison for burglary, was captured last night at the Pine Cone, on the North Pacific highway. Haab burglarized two Jacksonville stores and a residence, originated a plot to attempt a jail break, with daring impudence telephoned four times yesterday to Arthur W. Roessler, a jail pal, and persuaded Robert (Red) Parker, a paroled youth, to leave the home of his benefactor, Albert Testatore, in the Eagle Point district.

Haab is being held in the solitary cell at the county jail today.

To Prison Soon
 A charge of "escaping after conviction and sentence" will be filed against Haab, the sheriff said this morning. With Roessler, also under a three-year prison sentence for burglary of Brown's place here, Haab will be taken to the penitentiary at Salem tomorrow or Sunday.

Parker is sought as a parole violator, and if caught, will be sentenced as a parole violator, authorities said. (M. J. Besonette of the Pine Cone held Haab for the authorities, as he was attempting to telephone Roessler in the county jail.)

Tuesday night, Haab hurled eight neck saw blades stolen from the Ray Coleman store in Jacksonville Monday night, from the lawn to the courthouse roof. During the day, Haab telephoned Roessler in jail, of his plan. Roessler was directed to have a trustee bring the saws to him. The sheriff came in possession of the saws, all incapable of cutting through the steel bars.

Went To Jacksonville
 Following his escape Monday noon, Haab hid out in the northwest Medford district. Monday night, according to officers, he went to Jacksonville in a driving rain and entered the home of Dr. E. G. Riddell, where he obtained a coat and bracelet, and burglarized the Wilson Confectionery store, where he obtained \$7 from a pinball machine. Haab, the officers say, then ransacked the Coleman store, obtaining the hacksaw blades, two watches belonging to Vi Beach, wrestling match timekeeper, and money. When arrested Haab had \$28.

Haab spent Tuesday in a west Medford barn, coming out twice to telephone to Roessler