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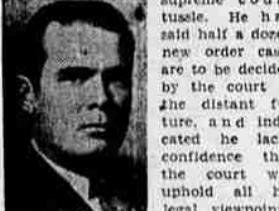
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PRESIDENT OPENS GOLDEN GATE SPAN



By PAUL MALLON
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Relaxation.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Two exactly opposite ideas are being gleaned from what President Roosevelt has been saying about continuing his



supreme court tussle. He has said half a dozen new order cases are to be decided by the court in the distant future, and indicated he lacks confidence that the court will uphold all his legal viewpoints.

Some say this means he will continue his drive; others say it suggests he will wait to see.

What he has done lately, however, is subject to but one conclusion.

Example One—The White House has flooded congress with important new legislative subjects, (wages and hours, farm control, SEC strengthening, and hydro-electric power conservation is yet to come), but, at the outset of this court argument, the announced program was to keep the court subject before congress to the exclusion of all other business, until final action was forced.

Example Two—Senators noticed the relaxation of inside White House pressure immediately after the bill was defeated, 10 to 8, by the senate judiciary committee.

Wise congressional authorities believe the legislation will be kept suspended in midair as long as possible, and, if possible, permanently.

Note—A change is noticeable also in Mr. Roosevelt's personal demeanor. He no longer pounds his desk, shouting dour words at compromise suggestions, but appears affable and pleased with the world. His wages and hours message was worded as mildly as any message he ever sent to congress.

Disturbance.
Eminent officials have their fingers in their ears, awaiting an explosion within the radio commission. Charges and counter charges, involving personalities mostly, are going

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FEHL CAN APPEAR TO DEFEND SUIT

SALEM, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Attorneys advised the governor's office today Earl Fehl, hilitor theft parolee, cannot be prevented from returning to Medford to defend a civil suit brought against him.

The terms of the ex-judge's parole ban him from the southern Oregon county.

Although Fehl has written Governor Martin asking permission to defend the action, nothing will be done until the executive returns from San Francisco.

Fear Land Speculation
WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—Senator Schwellenbach said today President Roosevelt had signed a bill designed to discourage land speculation on the 1,200,000 acres eventually to be irrigated by Columbia river waters stored behind Grand Coulee dam in central Washington.

SIDE GLANCES

by TRIBUNE REPORTERS

Noble Vincent and C. O. Lovejoy tracing odd noises in the Vincent home to the soot box of the kitchen range wherein they discovered a baby robin that apparently had come down the chimney, said bird, upon liberation, proceeding to decorate the kitchen walls with soot spots, finally fitting to the yard where adult robins brought it nourishment, gave it a bath and restored it to good standing in the community.

Bill Grenbemer displaying an odd-looking gadget he said was a clock he won for a dime, the contraption bearing a tag that proclaimed it to be a \$5 timepiece.

Gertrude Butler taking such an audible and abysmal inhalation of the fragrance of a bouquet of roses as to cause all her associates in the county clerk's office to stop work and look up.

Cliff Cowdy declining to speculate on the size of pear crops, he being an unprejudicial man of science.

PAGEANTRY MARKS FORMAL OPENING OF MIGHTY SPAN

President Presses Button Liberating Auto Traffic—Bombs Burst as Governor Cuts Golden Chain

WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—President Roosevelt pressed a button at 3 p. m. (E. S. T.) in the White House today opening the \$35,000,000 Golden Gate Bridge at San Francisco to vehicular traffic.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—(AP)—The Golden Gate bridge, stretching majestically across the harbor, entrance, was dedicated and inaugurated today while hundreds of navy planes roared overhead and mighty warships steamed toward San Francisco.

President Roosevelt was to press a button at Washington to throw open the giant \$35,000,000 span to the first automobile traffic.

Bombs burst in the blue sunlit sky as three chains of gold, silver and copper were cut with acetylene torches by Governor Frank P. Merriam and other officials.

Governor Merriam declared "this great accomplishment is the result of obstacles overcome and the application of science."

"The accomplishments of today justify the belief that no dream, no vision, is unattainable," he said. "No challenger will discourage or dampen the ardor of the adventurous and courageous planners and builders."

"The opening of the Golden Gate bridge removed the last water barrier on the highway along the Pacific coast in California and completes another link in the far flung ribbon of cement, asphalt, and steel connecting Canada and Mexico."

"It brings nearer to realization the vision of a great roadway from northern Canada and Alaska to southernmost South America."

Among the scores of officials at the ceremony was 67-year-old Joseph B. Strauss, the poet who conceived the gigantic span 19 years ago and completed it in the face of overwhelming odds.

"Its history is the history of a romantic adventure into the unknown, filled to the brim with the thrill of conflict and of conquest," Strauss declared.

"I hereby deliver it to you, Mr. Filmer, to hold in trust for the people of the district who built it, and who own it. My duty as chief engineer now ceases."

William C. Filmer, president of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway district, accepted the structure.

"Standing upon it here today, we dedicate the Golden Gate Bridge to public service, and to the millions of people who will use its facilities in the years to come," Filmer said. "Its opening to traffic marks the final

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PHONOGRAPH, NOT A LADY, HEARD BY WIFE, SAYS COMIC

NEW YORK, May 28.—(AP)—That was no lady with Roscoe Ails, the dancing comedian. That was his phonograph record.

This did Roscoe seek in state supreme court today to disprove the contention of his wife, Shirley, that he misquoted himself last February 6 with his partner, Betty Lewis.

Mrs. Ails, her brother and two aunts, heard his voice and Miss Lewis when they stood outside his hotel room, they said, but Roscoe brought the record and a phonograph into court today.

The record, he explained, was made to get perfect timing for an act they were trying to sell. Roscoe put it on, round and round it went and here's a sample of what came out:

Roscoe—Your kisses burn.
Betty—You're not ice.
Roscoe—Lie in my arms. Look at me—with the good eye. Tell me, do you love me.
Betty—Yeah, man!
Roscoe—Oh, darling, since I met you I can't eat, I can't sleep and I can't drink.
Betty—Why?
Roscoe—I got no money.
Betty—What's that on your about, der?
Roscoe—A freckle.
Betty—Well, it's walking.
Roscoe denied Miss Lewis was in the room.

1939 Fair Fund Bill
WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—The senate passed and sent to the house today a bill authorizing an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for United States participation in the San Francisco world fair to be held in 1939.

Thousands Throng Golden Gate Bridge on Opening Day



The \$35,000,000 Golden Gate suspension bridge for a day was one great pathway for pedestrians crossing from San Francisco to Marin county. Although pedestrian traffic will be permitted on the bridge, only on that one day did the walkers have it all to themselves. Here are shown some of the thousands who were on hand at dawn of the opening day. They are shown on the San Francisco side of the bridge.

COMMENCEMENT SENIOR CLASS TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Willamette University Head to Deliver Address to 176 Graduates at Senior High School Auditorium

Dr. Bruce R. Baxter, president of Willamette university, will address 176 graduates of Medford senior high school at the 44th annual commencement exercises to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The class is the largest in the school's history.

Rev. James M. Hamilton will give the invocation and N. H. Franklin, chairman of the school board, will present diplomas.

Awards to be presented by C. G. Smith, principal, at tonight's exercises include: Scholastic, Edith Whitlock, valedictorian and Helen Chirgwin, salutator; Torch Honor, Helen Chirgwin, Ruth Hodges, Robert Thayer, Caroline Cook, Mabel O'Neill and Edith Whitlock.

The principal will also announce the outstanding senior girl and boy, the names being withheld until tonight. Other awards to be given are: P. O. Mabel O'Neill, Zonta club; Betty Phillips; D. A. R. good citizenship; Della Mae Dale; college scholarship; Oregon first prize, Robert Morris; and honorary science award, Edward Carter.

Flowers will be accepted at the high school from 5 to 7:30 o'clock, Smith announced. Friends and parents are requested to present gifts at some place other than the school, so they will not be delivered there and the school takes no responsibility for safekeeping.

Admission is by cards given to seniors who present them to parents and friends.

The complete program follows:
Selection from Maytime... Romberg
High school orchestra
Invocation... Rev. James M. Hamilton
Nocturn... Girls' vocal ensemble
Address... Dr. Bruce R. Baxter
Awards... C. G. Smith
Diplomas... N. H. Franklin
At the End of the Cobblestone
Road... Boys' 10-set
Auld Lang Syne... Vocal ensemble
Benediction... Rev. James M. Hamilton

Maryland Pound, bid \$9.78; asked \$10.32.
Quarterly Income, bid \$17.56; asked \$19.35.

MARINE WORKERS RULE SAN PEDRO AFTER SHOOTING

Mob Defies Police Authority, Demand Prosecution of Officer Who Slew Longshoreman in Altercation

SAN PEDRO, Cal., May 28.—(AP)—An angry army of 4,000 marine workers, enraged over what they called the unjustifiable slaying of a longshoreman by a police officer, took over this harbor city today.

The situation was tense for a time as the men defied extra police details to stop them.

Virtually every business house in the waterfront area was closed and street-car service interrupted. At the climactic point the protesters moved over to Wilmington Bow for a mass meeting.

They demanded the prosecution on murder charges of Policeaman William H. Redding for the shooting of Norman Gregg Longshoreman.

Redding shot Gregg during an altercation yesterday in a San Pedro pub. Police officials, after a preliminary investigation, said the officer acted in self-defense.

BASEBALL

American
Washington 9 R H E
Boston 0 5 1
Newson, Linke, and Gray; Marcum and DeSautels.

First game— R H E
St. Louis 5 10 1
Detroit 6 11 1
Caldwell, Knott, Thomas and Hemaley; Auker and Tebbets.

(10 innings)— R H E
Chicago 3 9 0
Cleveland 2 8 0
Kennedy and Sewell; Galehouse and Pytko.

(Second game)— R H E
St. Louis 2 10 2
Detroit 7 11 0
Hildebrand, Koupal and Hemaley; Lawson and Hayworth.

National
Cincinnati 3 8 1
Chicago 12 14 0
Moore, Brennan, Hallahan, Hollingsworth and V. Davis; Root and Oga.

GOVERNOR FLAYS COAST AGITATOR FOR HATE TALKS

Bridges "Class Warfare" Teachings Draw Martin's Fire at Meeting of Western Governors Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—(AP)—Oregon's Governor Charles H. Martin, hot to western executives attending the Golden Gate bridge fiesta, lashed out at Harry Bridges, coast longshore union president, last night.

"I cannot understand this preaching of 'class warfare' the governor said.

"The greed and selfishness and meanness of the Wall street crowd sent us into one tailspin. Now we are pulling out. Are we going into another tailspin created by the racketeers?"

"Laboring men are all right," he continued, "but they are being misled by their leader, who know just what they want."

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ITALIAN PLANES IN REBEL RAIDS SHELL VALENCIA

Dawn Attack Upon Temporary Spanish Loyalist Capital Takes Lives of 200 While City Sleeps

VALENCIA, Spain, May 28.—(AP)—Five insurgent planes, described by competent observers as Italian Capronis, carried out a terrific bombardment of Valencia before dawn today and killed an estimated 200 persons.

Dropping in from the sea and down on this temporary capital of the Spanish government an hour before daylight, the planes dropped 30 300-pound bombs.

By noon 76 of the dead had been identified.

The American consul, Milton K. Wells, was caught in a rain of debris, but was unhurt. Several Americans, including Norman Thomas, the United States socialist, and his wife were housed a few hundred feet from where three bombs fell. The building housing the American embassy was damaged, but not the embassy itself. No American was reported hurt.

An English boat, the Cadiz, anchored in the harbor, was reported sunk, with seven crew members killed and eight injured. Other reports said a bomb also fell on the English steamer Platon, but that no serious damage resulted.

Sleeping men, women and children were blown from their beds to a terrible death. Some of them were pitched into the street from upper stories.

At least 50 buildings were wrecked. Bombs falling into the streets ripped steel shutters from windows. Some of them demolished only the front walls of houses. Thousands of windows were shattered.

Many were injured and many were unaccounted for, with rescue workers finding more bodies hourly as they cleared away debris.

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Hubby Spanked Wife, Found Guilty Of Battery Charge

ST. HELENS, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—When a man spanks his wife, that's assault and battery, Justice of the Peace W. J. Fullerton, a single man, ruled.

Mrs. Marvin Olson swore to a complaint charging her husband with spanking her because she called him a name.

Olson pleaded guilty, although he said he thought the assault and battery charge was a bit severe.

Justice Fullerton gave Olson a 30-day suspended sentence, fining him \$2.50 costs.

He said he suspended the sentence on condition the Olsons be reconciled, to which they agreed.

NEW DEAL BUREAU RULE HELD MOST 'WASTEFUL' OF ALL

Senator Byrd Tells Richmond University Class Rights Menaced by 'Ingenious Idealistic Theorists'

RICHMOND, Va., May 28.—(AP)—Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia told University of Richmond students today that "There exists at Washington the most wasteful and bureaucratic form of government that has ever been known in our history."

Byrd, speaking at the university convocation, said that "With the extended operations of the federal government, some of which may be beneficial and desirable, the cost of these numerous bureaucratic machines of duplicated activities is too great to be borne."

"They are rapidly becoming Frankenstein—the contrivances of ingenious idealistic theorists—that may grow so powerful as to destroy the right of citizens to liberty, life and happiness," he said.

"This is probably because the great bureaucratic machines, once established and made operative, can rarely be dismantled."

Byrd, chairman of a senate committee on governmental reorganization, said he made his statements after "investigating for months the operations of the federal government."

"Government must operate its affairs with machinery of administration as simple and effective as private business would provide," Byrd said, recommending protection of the nation's credit through curbing expenditures and reduction of the public debt, and expressing conviction that definite steps can be taken to place the federal government on a strictly pay-as-you-go basis beginning the first of next July, and then we should begin to pay off our indebtedness."

"The federal government can continue the activities that are desirable and necessary," he said. "Hundreds of millions of dollars can be saved by retrenchment and consolidations of departments and agencies. The relief should be locally administered and the federal government should not contribute more than one-half the total expense."

Filing of the suit arose out of a jurisdictional dispute between Longshoremen and the I. L. A., the latter group seeking jurisdiction over inland warehousemen.

The I. L. A. warehousemen have been picketing the big Meier and Frank department store in connection with the bitter dispute, which is widespread along the coast.

The A. F. L. has awarded teamsters jurisdiction over inland warehousemen.

The I. L. A. is sympathetic with the C. I. O., while teamsters are strong supporters of the A. F. L.

Both national labor organizations will send representatives here within a few days to take part in the dispute.

McClees intercepted the man in the alley, made him get the bag, and took both to headquarters. About two minutes later a call came from a local shop that a man had just stolen a bag from the place.

J. D. Oxlley said two men entered his store, and while one of them engaged him in conversation at the rear the other got away with the bag. The former was not caught. The captured man gave his name as Roy Anderson, transient. He was held at the city jail.

THE DALLES, May 28.—(AP)—Two thousand invitations to attend the annual Oregon Cattle and Horse Raisers' association convention in Prineville June 4 and 5 have been sent to stockmen in this district.

SALEM, May 28.—(AP)—Industrial accidents in Oregon cost the lives of three workmen during the past week the state industrial accident commission reported today.

THE DALLES, May 28.—(AP)—Harvest of the 300-acre pea crop was under way today, two weeks later than usual.

WEALTHY INCOME TAX EVADERS TO FACE FRAUD SUIT

President Roosevelt to Urge Curb—Special Treasury Survey Reveals Discrepancies in Tax Returns

WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today he would ask for legislation this session to check what he termed both evasion and avoidance of income taxes running into millions of dollars by a small group of wealthy persons.

He told a press conference he had created reports from the treasury of glaring evasions and avoidances which had raised an important moral issue and that there was no question there would have to be additional legislation to plug loopholes.

Earlier today treasury officials disclosed they were mapping legal action against scores of large taxpayers. In some cases, they said, civil proceedings will be undertaken.

In others, fraud prosecutions will be recommended to the justice department.

Every day, the president said, new types of cases are being revealed.

He emphasized that a great majority of taxpayers were making ethical returns and that the evasion by the small group was not only hurting themselves but hitting other taxpayers.

The actions planned by the treasury will be based on findings contained in a special treasury survey ordered by Secretary Morgenthau after March income tax collections fell 17 percent below estimates.

Results of the study, made by Undersecretary Roswell Magill, were presented to President Roosevelt yesterday by Morgenthau.

Morrison Shafroth, chief counsel of the internal revenue bureau, said he could not estimate exactly how many legal proceedings would be undertaken. Other officials said there probably would be numerous suits.

Officials said one plan of tax evasion which has been carefully investigated involves the formation of corporations in foreign countries by large taxpayers.

Some of these taxpayers, they said, transfer funds to the corporations to escape taxes.

In recent speech, Shafroth outlined this method of evasion and said that "It is our settled policy to resist to the utmost all schemes wherein the taxpayer seeks avoidably to wipe out his income and avoid a tax by merely going through a lot of motions and formalities."

Senator Wheeler (D. Mont.) veteran senate investigator, said today he would favor a congressional inquiry into tax evasions under the new revenue laws.

He added, however, that an investigation by the treasury would be preferable since it is much more familiar with the facts than a congressional committee could be.

Internal revenue authorities already should be at work, he suggested, to plug loopholes in the tax laws and start prosecutions where fraud is suspected.

COMPROMISE WILL EXTEND CCC LIFE TO THREE YEARS

WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—Senate and house conferees agreed today on a compromise proposal to extend the civilian conservation corps for three years.

The house had voted to limit the life of the agency to two years, but the senate adopted President Roosevelt's recommendation that it be made permanent.

Senate conferees insisted that administrative employes be under civil service rules, and it was agreed to take the issue back to the house for another vote.

In line with a senate amendment, the conferees altered the legislation to provide enrollees should be "youthful citizens of the United States who are unemployed and in need of employment."

The senate had objected to the word "youthful."

Chairman Black (D. Ala.) of the senate education and labor committee told reporters the house conferees accepted six months and two years as the minimum and maximum terms of enrollment, and a provision permitting the director to allow enrollees to break their terms of service to attend educational institutions.

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BULLETIN

PITTSBURGH FIELD CLUB, ASPENWALL, Pa., May 28.—(AP)—Tall Denny Shute of Boston moved nearer another Professional Golfers' association crown today by whipping husky Jimmy Hines, Garden City, N. Y., 4 and 3, in the quarter-final round.

Tony Masero, Peabody, Mass. came from behind to overhaul Harry Cooper, Chicago, just as he did a year ago in the national open championship. Four down at the three-quarter mark, the swarthy Mosera won four of the first five holes of the home stretch to catch Harry and then clinched the match by holding a 12-foot putt for a birdie three at the 35th. His margin was one up.

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