

The Weather

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There is a lot of cheap transportation advertised in the Used Autos For Sale column of the Mail Tribune. Inspect these cars and choose the best bargain. The best go first.

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LOCAL MOTHER, BABE, MISS BUS DEATH



By Paul Mallon Copyright, 1937, by Paul Mallon. WASHINGTON, June 4.—The Marxist clan of heavy thinkers dropped a 100-ton idea into the house bill room the other day. Unfortunately, it struck congressmen with the detonation of an alighting feather. No one has considered it worth noticing.

PAIR BY CHANGE LEAVE ILL-FATED AUTO AT REDDING

Quirk Of Fate Spares Mrs. C. Sunderman And Daughter—Seven Killed In Crash.

A kindly quirk of fate was all that saved Mrs. Cordy Sunderman and her two-year-old baby, Shirley, from a flaming death in the bus that turned over near Shiloh, Calif., early Friday morning and killed all its occupants in a raging gasoline inferno. Mrs. Sunderman and Shirley were coming to Medford, passengers on the ill-fated stage. Their bus was the second of two stages running on the same schedule.

During the brief stop at Redding, Mrs. Sunderman met a woman who was traveling to Seattle with her small child on the first section. The woman proposed that since there was then a vacant seat in the first section, Mrs. Sunderman and daughter might transfer to it. The two mothers together might then be better able to care for the two youngsters. Mrs. Sunderman readily agreed that the suggestion was a good one and she immediately transferred to the first section.

The bus soon rolled along its way, leaving the stage Mrs. Sunderman and Shirley had occupied to follow. Not long afterward all the occupants of the second section were dead. The transfer caused considerable confusion after the accident as the report spread that a woman and baby were passengers in the burned bus.

Mrs. Sunderman and child arrived here safely at 7:45 Friday morning. Mr. Sunderman was here to meet her and the family is spending the weekend in Medford.

Mr. Sunderman is recreational foreman with the United States Forest Service and has been transferred here from Grants Pass, the forest service said.

The safety of Mrs. Sunderman and her daughter clears up the report a woman and child lost their lives in the bus tragedy. A telephone informant of the Mail Tribune said Mrs. Sunderman and daughter were the only woman and child on the bus until they disembarked at Redding. They were known to be on the bus up to that point, and friends here were deeply anxious until Mrs. Sunderman arrived safely.

Trombone Stolen, But Thief Leaves Saxophone Behind

LINCOLN, Neb., June 5.—(AP)—Maybe "the neighbors" somewhere can explain. Miss Alice Kalina reported to police thieves took a trombone valued at \$75 from her home and left a saxophone in its place.

SENATE FOES OF COURT PACK PLAN HINT FILIBUSTER

Compromise To 'Save Face' Of President Bitterly Opposed By Borah.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—(AP)—Senate foes of the Roosevelt court bill threatened bluntly today to filibuster to the point of exhaustion against any compromise increasing the size of the supreme court.

This was their reaction to negotiations begun by administration men in an effort to obtain a vote on a compromise bill this summer. Depouning the move as "pure face saving," Senator McCarran (D., Nev.) grimly said: "I will stand in the senate until I drop against any compromise."

Senator Burke (D., Neb.) echoed his views, told newspaper men 40 court bills were ready to filibuster any compromise that would increase the membership of the high court. But he and others said a filibuster would not be necessary, because they would have the votes to beat any such attempt.

The administration men have not announced what compromise would be acceptable to them, but speculation has centered on proposals to name two or three additional judges now or one a year. The administration position as it now stands would add five at once unless the five incumbents past 70 retire.

Senator Borah (R., Idaho) announced today that he is opposed to "any plan, or scheme, which gives, or tends to give, political control over the courts."

Changes for years lower court judges had been picked by political machines, Borah took the offensive with a demand that "instead of wringing the court nearer to the political influence of the government, we could do the people of this country a great service by removing the courts farther away from political control."

TOWNSEND AIDES RESIGN BECAUSE F.D.R. CRITICISMS

Dozen Major Executives Walkout In Protest To Doctor's May 19 Editorial

CHICAGO, June 5.—(AP)—Dr. Francis E. Townsend conferred with associates and refused any comment today, though apparently undaunted after 12 major executives of his old age pension movement submitted their resignations.

The mass resignation of national officers was announced by J. W. Brinton, Roosevelt's general manager of the Townsend National Recovery Plan, Inc., and of the Townsend Weekly, after he and 11 other key executives had signed a formal statement criticizing the elderly California physician for carrying on "a fight against legislation proposed by the president which has no bearing on the Townsend plan."

Townsend arrived at national headquarters shortly after Brinton had announced the resignations. Townsend went directly to his office where he was closeted with associates.

Robert Townsend, 22-year old son of the old age pension advocate, was in charge of headquarters today. Townsend's public opposition to President Roosevelt's supreme court reorganization plan, Brinton said, first drew a reprimand from eight executives May 19. An editorial, Brinton said, signed by Townsend and published in the May 31 issue of the Townsend Weekly was the direct cause of the resignations.

The president's proposal, Townsend wrote, would break down "the court's power to stand between the people and a venal congress or a power-drunk president . . ."

Receipts at headquarters and from Townsend's speaking tours, Brinton said, had dropped at least 50 percent weekly during the last month when Townsend continued his attacks on the Roosevelt administration.

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GOVERNOR, RUFUS LISTED PROBABLE PRIMARY ENTRIES

SALEM, Ore., June 5.—(AP) While it is still 11 months before the next primaries, the political picture on governorship to date has been stated as follows:

Governor Martin, Democrat, will seek re-election. He has never denied it, but has repeatedly hinted he would run.

Unless enemies of Willis Mahoney, Klamath Falls Democrat, ruffie him, he will desert from the governorship and seek a seat in the United States Senate.

Speaker Treasurer Rufus C. Holman, Republican, has his eye on the governor's chair and is trimming his hat for the ring.

Earl Snell, secretary of state and Republican, will pass up the governorship this time and run for re-election, although many are urging him to run for the major office.

The names of Howard Latourette, Elton Watkins, Democrat, and Homer Angel and Dean Walker, Republicans, have been prominent, but the picture still remains hazy in their cases. And there are others coming to the fore.

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Complains of Attack



Prosecuting officials at Los Angeles are investigating a complaint by a movie actress identified by her attorney, William J. F. Brown, as Patricia Douglas (above), 20, that she was attacked at a recent studio party to which she said she and 125 other film extras were taken in the belief they were to perform in a movie scene.

LOS ANGELES, June 5.—(AP)—District Attorney Burrell Pitts said today he was seeking a statement from the man Patricia Douglas, 20, film extra, accused of beating and attacking her at a recent banquet given by motion picture executives.

Pitts had a sworn statement from another extra, Ginger Wyatt, 19, that she was called to the studio with more than 100 other girls, who were given Spanish or cowgirl costumes, and driven to a ranch in the belief she was going on location for a motion picture.

A large barn was fitted out as a banquet room. Miss Wyatt said, the girls were assigned to tables and it then developed each was expected to become the partner of a visiting motion picture sales executive and entertain him for the evening.

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PLAN TO OPENING OF REGULATIONS ON FRESH FRUITS

Coast Solons Back Buck Bill To Strengthen Commodities Act.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—(AP)—Committee-approved legislation now before congress provides further tightening of the perishable agricultural commodities act of 1930.

Pacific northwest congressmen generally express approval of the proposed changes contained in the bill by Rep. Frank Buck of California, which would strengthen the act.

The act received strengthening in 1934 and again in 1936, but Buck said experience disclosed some loopholes still remained.

Make it a violation to substitute or otherwise change the contents of a carload or lot of fruits or vegetables after it has been officially inspected by a federal inspector unless the consent to such change is obtained from an authorized inspector.

Lighten the penalty for operation without license when the shippers have not willfully refused to apply for permits.

Make official inspection certificates prima-facie evidence in proceedings under the act, and in future trading on contract markets subject to the commodities exchange act.

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Longest Eclipse of Sun in 1000 Years Comes on Tuesday

WASHINGTON, June 5.—(AP)—The total eclipse of the sun next Tuesday, June 8, will not be observable in the United States except as a slight darkening of the sun in the extreme south-western part of the country.

It will be observable in the Hawaiian and Samoan Islands but only as a partial eclipse. Nevertheless, in the path of its shadow, the 1937 eclipse will be the longest in duration of any eclipse in more than 1,000 years.

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Principal beneficiaries named in the capitalist's will, which was filed here for probate, were Mrs. Margaret Strong De Cueva, a granddaughter, and the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

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BOY, 9, DROWNS IN SWIM TANK, WITH SCORES AT HAND

Howard Cadwallader Perishes Unnoticed In Nat Tank Saturday—Found Half Hour Later.

While scores of laughing, shouting youngsters swam and played in the cool waters of the Natatorium pool yesterday afternoon those same waters were taking the life of little Howard Randall Cadwallader, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Randall H. Cadwallader of 413 Benson street.

Howard was taken from the water at 4:45 o'clock by Rodney Stead, a junior lifeguard who glimpsed the boy's body at the bottom of the tank in deep water as he was preparing to high-dive from a platform. All attempts at resuscitation were futile, and the boy was pronounced dead by Dr. W. O. Bishop less than 20 minutes after he was rescued from the pool.

No Eyewitnesses. Apparently there were no eyewitnesses to the tragedy. Of the many youngsters interviewed by the state police and others, none could say he saw the boy go under the water.

Mias Louisa Klump, another swimmer, said she noticed Howard about 30 minutes previous to the recovery of his body, playing and paddling about in shallow water, with an inner-tube around him. Between that time and the moment he was taken from the pool, there was evidently nobody who noticed the youngster.

Lifeguard Finds Body. "A bunch of us were diving from the high platform," Rodney Stead said. "I was just about to dive when I saw something black at the bottom of the tank. It thought it was probably one of the round discs we have, but decided to go down and see, anyway. I dove off and when I got to the bottom of the tank I saw it was the boy. I brought him up and took him to the bank."

Young Stead is a junior lifeguard at the Natatorium. He is 15 years old. After the boy was brought ashore, Stead, Gerald Fowler, 16, also a junior lifeguard, and Miss Kathryn Mead, 17, who was head guard, attempted artificial respiration until the arrival of Dr. Bishop. They were assisted by Harold Farmer, C. F. Hancock and Tommy Holt, CCC enrollees at Camp Prescott. Young Stead said Howard was still warm when he was brought up and while they were applying artificial respiration.

Dr. Bishop, who was called immediately after the body was discovered, arrived in about ten minutes. The body was taken to an adjoining room where the doctor administered adrenaline, but to no avail. He told state police the boy had probably been under water about 30 minutes, the officer said.

JOHN D. SR. WILLS MOST OF FORTUNE GRANDDAUGHTER

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PURCHASER KEEPS WIFE HUSBY SOLD FOR \$20 CAPTIVE

NEVADA CITY, Cal., June 5.—(AP)—William Ebaugh, 29, six foot, 235 pound Nevada Valley woodman, was held in jail today on a charge of Mrs. Ray Delama, that he kept her captive for three months after "buying" her from her husband for \$20.

William B. Woods, sheriff's deputy, said Ebaugh admitted paying Mrs. Delama's husband \$20, and also admitted he broke her ribs "when I hugged her too tight."

Mrs. Delama, 39, is a brunette. Sheriff C. J. Tobiasen started a search for Delama to question him concerning the contention of both his wife and Ebaugh that he agreed to the \$20 wife transaction.

SENATOR WANTS LOWER RATES, NOT 'VAMPIRES LIVING OFF PUBLIC'—SEES PORK BARREL

WASHINGTON, June 5.—(AP)—Senator Charles McNary declared today for low power rates in preference to "vampires living off the public" in expressing opposition to the Norris proposal for a Columbia valley authority to administer Bonneville dam.

There would be a building in Portland large enough to house the army that will be recruited by the proposed authority, the senator said. "There isn't a building in Oregon large enough to house the Washington branch of the T. V. A.—and it is only one branch."

He quoted a statement he received last winter as giving the cost at that time of administering the Tennessee Valley authority, upon which the Columbia authority would be modeled, as \$1,392,458 a year.

NORRIS PLAN FOR BONNEVILLE RULE

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What the mavericks seem to have done is take the Moulton theory and combine it with the Wallace theory of controlling production to work out as vast a federal control scheme as ever was conceived in the mind of man.

REDDING, CAL., June 5.—(UP)—The body of C. A. Schafer of Wray, Colo., one of the victims of a bus crash 48 miles north of here yesterday in which seven were killed, was found in Colorado.

AMELIA RESTS AT BRAZILIAN PORT

MEANEST OF MEAN MAN IS LOCATED

EXPECT CONGRESS OVER LABOR DAY

FAIR AND COOLER FOR COMING WEEK

PORTLAND LABOR SHOWDOWN NEARS

JUNE SNOW STORM IN BLACK HILLS

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