

WEATHER
Occasional showers and cooler today and tonight, clearing Friday; gentle to moderate southerly wind.
RAINFALL TO 4:30 A.M.
Yesterday, 0.01; this year, 9.49; last year, 16.21; normal, 15.92.
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'20-30' Tax Bill Passes House

Senate Expected to Make Cut Effective July 1 Instead of Retroactive to January 1; Withholding Rates Would Go Down in June

By FRANCIS M. LEMAY
WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—The House passed today, 273 to 137, a GOP-backed bill slashing income taxes this year by almost \$4,000,000,000. The legislation now goes to the Senate, where it probably will be revised. Just before the final vote the Republicans beat back a Democratic motion to lay aside the bill until Congress has more information on the government expenditures and revenues, as well as possible new foreign commitments.

76 in Mine Believed Dead

Bodies of 18 More Victims Removed From Blasted Pit

CENTRALIA, Ill., March 27.—(AP)—The twisted and broken bodies of 18 miners were brought to the surface from the Centralia Coal Company's No. 5 mine this morning, increasing to 33 the number of known dead in an explosion Tuesday and leaving 76 still trapped in the pit and given "no chance at all" by a mine rescue squad leader.

Sons Offer Reward Here for Slayer

By NANCY BARR MAVITY
Search for the perpetrator of an unsolved 18-months-old murder was dropped squarely into the laps of amateur sleuths today—with a \$500 reward as inducement.

Solons OK 'Hot Cargo' Ban Retention

By DON THOMAS
SACRAMENTO, March 27.—By a vote of five to one today, the Senate Labor Committee gave a "do pass" recommendation to a bill which would make permanent the wartime ban on "hot cargo" and secondary boycotts.

Bloodstains New Clue in Yacht Killings

SANTA ANA, March 27.—(AP)—Testimony of a police chemist that clothing and shoes of George Gollum, indicted with his fiancée in the yacht deaths of her parents, were stained with blood was disclosed today as the transcript of the Grand Jury's action was filed with the county clerk.

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THE NEWS METER

HIGHWAY JIVE
Highway Jive was played at Mills.
Gave the girls scholastic thrills. Since her formal graduation, Jive is called "the schoolhouse."
—JACK BURROUGHS.

Transit Strike Bar

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Mayor William O'Dwyer has recommended to the Board of Transportation a labor policy which would bar recognition of exclusive bargaining agents and prohibit strikes in the city's rapid transit system.

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Red Cross in Plea for Blood To Save Life of Baby Boy

An emergency appeal for type O-A, negative RH factor blood, was issued today by the Oakland Chapter of the Red Cross for the newborn baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Coffis.

AWOLs Rounded Up

FRANKFURT, March 27.—(AP)—The United States Army today rounded up 48-hour drive to round up soldiers and War Department civilians absent without leave throughout the European theater.

Paraguayans Rebels Bomb Loyalist City

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 27.—(AP)—The Brazilian rebel radio today said insurgent planes had bombed Puerto Rosario heavily, sinking rafts transporting Loyalist troops and inflicting "great losses."

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