

Weather

Fair and not so cold tonight. Low near 40 degrees. Cloudy and mild with showers tomorrow afternoon.

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Final

George Gets--the--Hungarian Prisoner

American Convicted Of Spying 2 Hungarians Sentenced To Die

RUDEPENT, Hungary -- (AP) -- American Businessman Robert A. Vogeler was sentenced by a Hungarian court today to 15 years in prison on spy charges. Two Hungarian co-defendants were sentenced to death.

Father, 7 Children Die In Michigan Fire

ADDITION, Mich. -- (AP) -- A fire destroyed a farm house here early today, killing seven children and their father.

Mine Union May Face Heavy Fine Contempt Cited By Federal Judge

WASHINGTON -- (AP) -- The entire treasury of the striking coal miners, variously figured at \$13,000,000 to \$20,000,000, was endangered today by their defiance of a court order once again to end a coal strike.

Lowest Marks In Two Years Cod Grips Northeastern States

NEW YORK -- (AP) -- Frigid weather, accompanied by biting gales, gripped the coast from Northeast to the north for the second consecutive day.

Minister Is Ordered Back Home First Diplomatic Break Since War

WASHINGTON -- (AP) -- The United States broke diplomatic relations today with Communist Bulgaria.

Carolina Churchmen Laud Oursler Story

"The Greatest Story Ever Told" by Fulton Oursler, which is being read in the Charlotte News today, is a masterpiece of journalism.

Disorders Reported

Miner disorders were reported, especially in Eastern Kentucky. If the miners do not comply with the back to work order by Friday, the satisfaction of the court, it will order a contempt hearing before Judge Keach.

Philadelphia Has the Lowest Reading in Two Years, 10 Above, with Four Above in the Suburbs

No New York state's lowest reading reported in the Northeast section of the state. Many places reported the lowest levels in two years.

Blowing Winds Also Huffed Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island

Blowing winds also buffeted Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island. The Weather Bureau said the wind was in sight.

Softly Back in New York Harbor, a Crewman Chips Ice Away from the Wheelhouse of the Fishing Boat

Ice away from the wheelhouse of the fishing boat Colco after a trip about 100 miles southeast of New York. Parts of northeastern United States are experiencing their coldest weather in two years.

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Southern Will Lay Off 1,000

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