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Greyhound Vehicle Is Death Trap

BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—(AP)—Fifteen persons died in the flaming wreckage of a Greyhound bus that burned after smashing into a bridge abutment near here early today... The bus, bound from Indianapolis to Bloomington, hit the bridge on a winding, hilly road shortly after midnight...

Truman Signs Bill To Unify Services

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman today signed the new armed services unification bill, which will permit the United States to progress toward a balanced and effective national defense... Mr. Truman signed the measure in ceremony in his oval room...

Senators Would Call MacArthur

WASHINGTON (AP)—A group of ten Senators today "urgently" requested that General Douglas MacArthur be called to the White House... Nine Republicans and one Democrat—Senator Byrd of Virginia—will call a letter to Johnson asking that he call MacArthur...

Two Sisters Die In Wreck

SENECA, S. C.—(AP)—Two little girls were killed here today when their mother and two other women tried desperately to push a stalled automobile from the path of an oncoming train... The girls, Tommie Lee, six, and Mary Guy, seven, were with the mother...

NC Advertising Contract Battle Aired In Hearing

RALPH (AP)—The Advertising Committee of the State Board of Conservation and Development today voted to ask Attorney General Harry McMillan for a ruling on its powers... The committee is checking on the State Board of Conservation and Development...

Face Auto Theft Trial Tomorrow

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