

Ultimately Perhaps "the Meek Shall Inherit the Earth," but by That Time Their Legacy Won't be Worth Very Much at the Present Rate of Material Destruction.

THE WEATHER

Humidity 4:30 p. m. yesterday 13%  
Highest temperature yesterday 88  
Lowest temperature last night 57  
Precipitation last 24 hours .00  
Precip. since first of month .39  
Precip. since Sept. 1, 1939 .32.05  
Excess since Sept. 1, 1939 .07  
Partly Cloudy.

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PEACE TERMS

What price will France have to pay? That it will be enormous is certain. The Hitler-Mussolini demand will probably be announced tomorrow. Watch for it in NEWS-REVIEW dispatches.

WAR CONTINUES WHILE DICTATORS CONFER

WESTERN HEMISPHERE PROTECTION SPEEDED BY U. S.

French Lands Will be Kept From Nazis

Program for World's Biggest Navy Being Rushed; Army Adds Two Streamlined Divisions to Its Roster.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—Admiral Harold R. Stark unexpectedly recommended to congress today a \$4,000,000,000 expansion of the navy to give this country the greatest fleet the world has ever seen.

The chief of naval operations said the proposed program would add about 200 fighting ships to the navy.

Stark said he considered it "essential" to the defense of the United States and insular possessions as well as the defense of the Monroe doctrine.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—The United States government stepped up its efforts to reinforce the political, economic and military defenses of the western hemisphere today as Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini considered the peace terms to be offered France.

Lenders predicted that the house would pass legislation before nightfall charting a course of action in case any attempt is made to transfer French possessions in the new world to Germany.

The resolution, approved by the senate yesterday 76 to 0, does not refer specifically to the European war but serves notice that the United States would not "acquiesce" in the transfer of western hemisphere colonies from one non-American nation to another.

It provides that, if any attempt to effect such a transfer appears

Brewster Maine G. O. P. Senator Choice; M'Nary Fights Congress Recess Proposal

Representative Wins Race With Barrows for Nomination; Sewall, on 44th Birthday, Party Choice for Governor.

PORTLAND, Me., June 18.—(AP)—Republicans generally dominant in Maine politics today made U. S. Rep. Ralph O. Brewster their nominee for the U. S. senate seat to be given up by Frederick Hale (R.) after 24 years' tenure.

While choosing Brewster over his one-time political ally, Gov. Lewis O. Barrows, in yesterday's primary, the G. O. P. also re-nominated incumbent U. S. representatives in the first and second districts.

In the third, now represented by Brewster, Frank Feltow, Bangor lawyer, won on the republican side, while Thomas N. Curran, also of Bangor, defeated Osgood A. Nickerson, Veazie, for the democratic nomination in the only major contest within that party.

Summer Sewall, state senate president and world war ace, won the republican gubernatorial race on his 44th birthday with a 2,000 vote margin over Augusta's mayor Frederick G. Payne after all but a comparatively few small and isolated precincts had been reported.

Two other aspirants trailed. In the September general election, the democratic senatorial and gubernatorial candidates will be former Gov. Louis J. Brown, Lewiston, and Fulton J. Redman, Portland.

Mrs. Margaret C. Smith, filling out the balance of her late husband's congressional term, overwhelmingly defeated four male opponents for republican nomination to a full term in the second district while U. S. Rep. James C. Oliver (R.) had little trouble winning first district re-nomination in a field of four.

With returns virtually complete, Brewster was more than 20,000 up on Barrows in an unofficial tabulation of balloting that totaled nearly 117,000 votes.

Actor's Assailant Nabbed by Police

LOS ANGELES, June 18.—(AP)—Actor Richard Arlen's complaint that William Tate, 30, attacked and beat him at the Wilshire Country club golf course led police to detain Tate today on suspicion of extortion.

Police Officer T. F. Mellott said Arlen told him that ten weeks ago Tate met him as he stepped from an airplane at metropolitan airport and used a pistol to force him into an automobile.

"He kept me prisoner for more than an hour, accusing me of alienating his wife's affections and demanding \$1,000 as a bribe to get out of town," Mellott quoted the actor.

"I don't even know his wife. To avoid trouble, I put former Detective Lieut. Frank (Lefty) James to work on the case instead of reporting the incident to police."

"After the airport incident Tate came to my home and threatened to beat me with a club. I have tried repeatedly to convince him that he is all wrong about me, but he wouldn't take my word for it and kept making demands for money."

The first attack on Arlen came yesterday as the actor was preparing to play in the qualifying round of the southern California amateur golf tournament.

Arlen said he was surprised and stunned by an unexpected blow which felt him.

Olin Dutra, golf professional, and Arlen's caddy seized Tate. James made a "citizen's arrest" and held him until Officer Mellott arrived.

Pro-America Unit Here Plans Picnic June 26th

The local Pro-America organization has announced that it will take part in the state-wide series of picnics to be held during the republican national convention in Philadelphia.

Mrs. H. C. Waddell, county chairman for Pro-America, states that the picnic in this area for Pro-America members and their invited guests will be held Wednesday evening, June 26, at 6:30. The place of the picnic will be announced later.

Nominated



Congressman Ralph Brewster, above, yesterday won a republican race in Maine for nomination to the U. S. senate. His democratic opponent at the September election will be ex-Governor Louis J. Brown.

Oregon Senator Joins in Urge for Continuous Session in War Crisis; Glenn Frank Opposes U. S. War Entry.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—Democratic leaders, abandoning hope of congressional adjournment by Saturday, encountered today a republican rebuff to a compromise proposal for a recess until August 15.

"I will not agree to any recess beyond three days," said Senator McNary (R., Ore.), the minority leader, who has joined others of his party in demanding that congress stay in session during the European war crisis.

He pointed out under the constitution neither chamber can quit for more than three days at a time without the other's consent. "The democrats' object in proposing the recess was to permit congressmen to take part in the republican convention June 24 and the democratic convention July 15. They argued that the immediate work could be cleaned up this week."

PLATFORM HEAD KEEPS BY ANTI-WAR ATTITUDE

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—(AP)—Dr. Glenn Frank, head of a republican committee of 200 that framed last February a "ban" for a party platform, today stood by the committee's declaration against any commitments "that might involve us in other people's wars."

The Frank committee in a 30,000-word document entitled "A program for a dynamic America," asserted "the first concern of our foreign policy must be to protect the security and welfare of the American people." Keep out of the present war in Europe, and build up defenses adequate to protect the western hemisphere.

Prior to appearing before the republican national convention's resolutions committee today, Dr. Frank in an interview declared if he were writing the program committee report now he probably would "not change six sentences in it."

"And that goes for the sections on foreign policy as well as those on domestic policies," he added.

School Vote Gives Ellison Easy Victory

Rumored Write-In Scheme to Divide Ballots Fizzles; Director-Elect Gets All but Four of 626 Votes.

Rumors of a plotted write-in campaign in connection with the election of a school director here Monday brought out the largest vote to be cast in a school election for many years. The vote was almost unanimous for A. J. (Bud) Ellison, local service station manager, the only regularly nominated candidate. Ellison received 623 of the 626 votes cast.

Veterans groups and their auxiliaries were particularly active in efforts to get voters to participate in the election. Action was stirred by reports that a group, said to be opposed to the school board's recent order requiring a salute to the flag in all Roseburg schools, planned the write-in campaign. Frequently, in cases where school directors are elected without opposition, less than 100 votes have been cast. Local school leaders expressed fear prior to yesterday's election that laxity by voters might permit a write-in campaign to succeed.

An effort to divide the conservative vote was seen by observers Monday morning, when hundreds of mimeographed postcards were sent through the mails announcing the candidacy of B. L. Eddy, prominent Roseburg attorney. Mr. Eddy promptly denied that he was a candidate and in radio broadcasts announced to the voters of the district that the use of his name was without his knowledge or authority.

The rumored write-in plot, given credence by the circulation of the unauthorized cards, failed to materialize, however, in face of the early turnout of the unusually large number of voters.

With a total of 626 votes cast in the election, 622 were cast for Ellison, 3 for Eddy and 1 for Leon McClintock.

Ellison Well Schooled  
Mr. Ellison, who succeeds to

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Britain Ready For Expected Nazi Invasion

Churchill Says Defeat Would Plunge Whole World Into New Dark Age; Holds France Obligated to Keep Fighting.

LONDON, June 18.—(AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill declared today that the French would "be casting away their future, unless they continued the war, but he admitted "the battle of France is over; the battle of Britain is about to begin."

"If we lose it, the whole world, including the United States of America, will sink into the abyss of a new dark age," he told the house of commons.

The prime minister declared Britain could not relieve France of her "treaty obligations" to continue the war.

He said, in fact, "it is not yet certain that military resistance by France will come to an end"—although he did not state in what form that resistance might continue.

Britain Prepared  
However, he told the commons and people of his nation Britain, with over 1,250,000 of her own men under arms, dominions armies on her soil and a navy, was prepared to meet invasion.

The navy, he said, could not pretend to prevent raids by 5,000 or 10,000 men on a dark night or a foggy morning, but he predicted with confidence that these invaders might well be "drowned in the sea or blown to pieces while trying to land."

But Churchill let the nation know in stark language what he felt would happen if the "battle of Britain" were lost.

Civilization at Stake  
"Upon this battle," he cried, "depends the survival of Christian civilization. Hitler knows he will

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Anglo-Saxon War Against Others Seen by Italian

ROME, June 18.—(AP)—Virginia Gayda, Mussolini's frequent mouthpiece, wrote today that with France in collapse and Britain fighting with American material assistance the war had become a "purely Anglo-Saxon struggle against a large part of the rest of the world."

"England remains alone to fight with her imperial forces and with the aid of war material and finance promised by the United States," wrote Gayda in Il Giornale D'Italia. "It remains to be seen how long and in what effective form this war can last. It is meanwhile to be noted that British-American resistance now assumes the form and substance of a purely Anglo-Saxon war against a large part of the rest of the world."

Nazi Activities Draw U. S. Cruiser to Uruguay

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—The navy announced today that the cruiser Quincy was calling at Montevideo, Uruguay, where widespread Nazi activities have been under investigation recently by a committee of the Uruguayan congress.

The Quincy has already visited Rio de Janeiro in Brazil, one of the Latin American countries in which the presence of a large German population has given rise to thoughts that an attempt to alter the government toward a Nazi form might be made in view of Hitler's European successes.

Another United States cruiser, the Wichita, also is in South American waters.

Unconscious Driver Little Hurt in Plunge

PORTLAND, June 18.—(AP)—Leonard Hood, 66, Mosier farmer, lost consciousness because of the heat yesterday and drove his truck over a 75-foot cliff on the Columbia river highway near Waukena falls.

He came to in the completely wrecked vehicle to discover he had survived the tumble with nothing more than cuts and bruises.

French Leaders Order Troops To Keep on Fighting Pending Actual Signing of Armistice

Hitler and Mussolini, Meeting at Munich, Reported to Have Agreed on Unannounced Peace Terms Which Nazi Press Intimates Will Be "Harsh;" Most of French Navy Speeded Away to Aid British.

By the Associated Press  
In a sudden dramatic turn of events—possibly hinting the collapse of peace efforts—Premier Marshal Petain and Generalissimo Weygand appealed tonight to all French forces to keep on fighting until an armistice is actually signed.

The appeal was broadcast by the French radio even as Hitler and Mussolini, leaders of the axis powers, met in Munich to dictate expected stiff terms of peace for France.

There was no immediate indication of what the terms would be—Berlin newspapers said confidently they would be "harsh"—or whether they would be acceptable under France's insistence on "an honorable peace."

The German radio reported from Munich that Hitler and Mussolini agreed tonight on the terms on which they propose to grant peace to France and left Munich immediately after conclusion of their conference.

Marshal Petain said in his appeal to France's fighting forces that peace negotiations had not even begun.

An indication that the axis powers' price may prove too stiff for French honor was seen in a French radio report that the republic's cabinet met today to consider not only diplomacy but also the problem of supplies.

The Petain-Weygand order told the battle-weary French police not to lay down their arms until an armistice is signed and sealed.

In London, Prime Minister Churchill told a cheering house of commons that any German invasion of England would likely be "drowned in the sea or blown to pieces" attempting to land.

Hitler Challenged  
In effect, Churchill challenged Hitler to try to storm the British Isles, declaring:

"Hitler knows he will have to break us in this island or lose the war."

In Rome, authoritative fascists said Hitler and Mussolini planned a separate peace for France on terms that would break British influence forever on continental Europe.

"Harsh" Terms Loom

As France still fought with desperate fury and rallied 350,000 troops to a new defense line near the junction of the Saone and Doubs rivers, north of Chalons-Sur-Saone, the German press clamored for harsh terms to avenge the 21-year-old "humiliation" of the Versailles treaty.

Hitler's own newspaper, the Volkischer Beobachter, declared bitterly:

"We remember with the greatest clarity the gray hours of the morning of Nov. 11, 1918, when the same Weygand who today is the French generalissimo dictated to an heroic foe which lost honorably conditions of an armistice more brutal than anything since the destruction of Carthage."

"He and his master, Foch, then did not speak as soldiers to soldiers, but as prison wardens to criminals. We are not vengeful, but we have ceased being foolish German sentimentalists."

The exhausted French armies presumably still were fighting a losing battle. The customary official communique, however, had not been forthcoming this afternoon.

The French disclosed that Valerio Valeri, the papal nuncio, had been in communication with Italy on France's behalf with the aim of halting the French dictation war.

Terms of the axis-dictated peace requested by France were not expected to be disclosed until after France's new soldier-premier, the aged Marshal Petain, has accepted

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Five Gypsies Accused of Theft Awaiting Hearing

A preliminary hearing for five Gypsies—four women and a man—arrested by state and county police officers on a charge of larceny from the person was continued in justice court today until Wednesday. The Gypsies were accused of the theft by \$460 from Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sellers of Reston. The money was recovered in a search of an automobile, where the bills, according to Deputy Sheriff Cliff Thibault, had been hidden in a feather stuffed pillow. The five defendants are being held in custody in lieu of \$2,500 bail.

Population of Oregon Passes Million Mark

PORTLAND, June 18.—(AP)—Oregon has grown between 10 and 11 per cent in population since 1930, State Census Supervisor Byron G. Carney said today. The 1930 population was 953,786.

Lady and Smith were continued in custody pending payment of the fines, according to Justice of the Peace R. W. Masters, before whom the men were arraigned.



By FRANK JENKINS

ANOTHER bombshell bursts: Turkey signs a new commercial agreement with Germany providing for exchange of certain products to the extent of 21,000,000 Turkish pounds. It is announced as the result of "months of negotiation between the Turkish government and Franz von Papen, German ambassador to Turkey."

Presumably Russia had a finger in the pie.

What does it mean?

This writer doesn't know—and doubts if anyone outside inner diplomatic circles knows. But it proves again (as history has so amply proved before) that when war shakes Europe to its foundations it's EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF.

THE Jap-controlled "Chinese central government" at Nanking demands withdrawal of all troops, warships and other armed forces of European belligerents in China. The demand cites that the British, the French and the Italians all have armed forces in China, which may "result in armed conflict developing to serious proportions."

It is also a good excuse to kick everybody else out of China, which is the real reason for the demand.

MORALE: If you want to BE SOMEBODY among the nations, make yourself so big and strong that all the other nations will fear you with a great fear.

Never mind about being admired.

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I SAW

By Paul Jenkins



A STEER RIDING CONTEST at the rodeo held Sunday in Canyonville. Contestants were Zeke Manley, Joe Holmes, Bud Short, Lee Cobb and Bobby George. However, I can't give you the name of the individual shown hanging on so tenaciously in the picture above, nor who won the contest, as I SAW this event only through the eyes of Zeke Walton, Roseburg photographer, who was kind enough to furnish me with the negative.

The rodeo, held on the old Jackson ranch a mile east of town, was attended by about two thousand people, an enthusiastic audience for the many punches entered in the twelve events composing the day's showings. These consisted of calf roping, bareback horse riding, bronc riding, trick riding and roping and several special acts, all carrying rather substantial purses for the winners.

Ex-Bend Official Gets Five Years for Larceny

BEND, June 18.—(AP)—Circuit Judge Wilson sentenced L. G. McReynolds, former Bend recorder and treasurer, to five years in the state penitentiary yesterday after he pleaded guilty to larceny of \$296.48 of public funds while in office.