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MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

WEATHER Today—Bar 29.75, Max 66.0, Min 39.50, Mean 59.0

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MEDFORD, OREGON, MONDAY, MAY 8, 1911.

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DIAZ STATES THAT HE WILL SOON RESIGN

Affirms That He Will Retire as Soon as He is Convinced That There is No Fear of the Country Being Plunged Into Anarchy.

NO MORE WILL PRESIDENT IN MEXICO BE REELECTED

Another Armistice is Probably as Result of Diaz Manifesto—Battle Cease.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8.—President Diaz of Mexico has issued a manifesto stating that he will resign as soon as it is possible without leaving the country in a state of anarchy.

Will Revoke Document. MEXICO CITY, May 8.—President Diaz and his cabinet today are considering a revised draft of his retirement manifesto which checked the march of the Madero troops from Juarez to Mexico City.

No information is as yet available as to what changes, if any, will be made in the document before its contents are officially transmitted to Madero.

Date Not Set. This clause—the right to determine when Diaz will retire—is feared may prove a stumbling block to peace.

May Renew Armistice. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8.—The Mexican revolutionists here today announced that a renewal of the armistice between the Diaz and Madero factions in Mexico was probable as a result of President Diaz's manifesto.

DOUBT SINCERITY OF UNITED STATES

Japanese Newspapers Express Grave Doubts as to Sincerity of Uncle Sam in His Proposals to Johnny Bull.

TOKIO, May 8.—Grave doubts of the anti-war sincerity of the United States in its apparent willingness to have a peace arbitration treaty with England, and misgivings that the move is really one to isolate Japan, are expressed here today by some of the leading Japanese newspapers.

WESTERN UNION GIVES AN EIGHT HOUR DAY

NEW YORK, May 8.—Official announcement was made here today by the Western Union Telegraph Company that the eight hour day for its operators will go into effect June 1.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 8.—Over taken by Sheriff Cresap and a deputy soon after they had held up a Capital Hill car, two highway men and the officers engaged in a revolver duel three miles north of Vancouver early today. None was injured. The robbers are being pursued by a posse.

Denounces Teddy



VICTOR L. BERGER

NEW YORK, May 8.—Taking the stand that Colonel Roosevelt, by his article in the Outlook on the McNamara case, seeks "to reverse the just principles that everyone should be considered innocent until proved guilty," Victor L. Berger, socialist congressman from Wisconsin, today bitterly denounced the former president.

40 OHIO SOLONS TO BE INDICTED

Investigation of Corruption is Resumed—Ohio Manufacturers' Association Say They Will Provide Necessary Funds.

COLUMBUS, O., May 8.—That at least 40 members of the Ohio legislature will be indicted for bribery and corruption in the probe started here by Burns detectives was predicted here today when the investigation was resumed.

COULD SMELL A DOLLAR MILE OFF

So Says Burns in Discussing Ohio Situation—Couldn't Pass Bill to Stop Plague Without Bribing Them.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Flat denial of the charge that his detectives led the Ohio legislature astray and manufactured the bribery conditions in Columbus was made here today by William J. Burns.

JAPS WILL TRY AGAIN FOR POLE

Expedition Now Resting at Sydney—Will Leave When Ice Breaks Up, Allowing Them to Penetrate Antarctic Region.

TOKIO, May 8.—That Lieutenant Shimada's Japanese expedition to the south pole has by no means abandoned the enterprise, but that it will try to reach the goal with the aid of either horses or dogs is announced here today in telegrams from Sydney, N. S. W., where the expedition is resting up for the trip.

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MANN TRIES TO BLOCK FREE LIST

Underwood, Who Fathered the Measure, Says He Hopes for a Final Vote on the Bill in the House Before Night.

APPEALS CONTINUALLY FROM CLARK'S RULING

Amendments Are Offered Thick and Fast in Attempt to Delay Final Action.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8.—The house today began the actual work of considering the free list bill. Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee, who fathered the measure, today read it for amendment. He said he hoped for a final vote on the bill before night.

Hamilton (Dem. N. J.), supported the measure. Mann, (Rep. Ill.) offered an amendment making the free list dependent upon foreign countries granting like concessions, thus making the bill a practical reciprocity measure.

SPEEDING AUTO INJURES THREE

Machine Crashes Into Buggy on West Main—Was Widely Clearing From Side to Side When it Hit Rig, Tossing it Into Ditch.

R. L. Ray, his little son Leonard, and R. L. Hobbit were badly injured shortly before midnight Saturday when a speeding automobile crashed into their buggy at the end of West Main street.

Mr. Ray, who was driving, noticed that the automobile was swerving from one side of the road to the other and tried to pull to one side, but the machine darted towards him and, catching the buggy broadside on, tossed it into the ditch and spilled the occupants into the road.

Chief Hittson got in touch with the marshal at Central Point Monday morning and was told that two men arrived there in a battered up machine about 12:30 Saturday night, and left on the 7 o'clock train in the morning for the north.

EXCLUSIVE LADIES SALOON IN LINCOLN

LINCOLN, Neb., May 8.—After being "dry" for two years, Lincoln is going to introduce a novelty—an exclusive ladies saloon.

J. M. Barbach, son of the former mayor of Fairbury, will operate the ladies' bar at No. 1129 South Eleventh street, and has already secured the consent of the new excise board.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—A probe of the sinking of the monitor Puritan during target practice off Hampton Roads is threatened today by Representative Buchanan of Illinois, democrat, a member of the house committee on naval affairs.

Girl Charged With Killing Her Brother



MISS FLORENCE BARTINE MR WILLIAM BARTINE MISS FLORENCE BARTINE LEAVING COURT

NEW YORK, May 8.—Arraigned on a charge of homicide following the shooting of her brother Harold recently, Miss Florence Bartine, 19 years old, of No. 600 Kosciuszko street, Brooklyn, appeared in the Gate avenue court before Magistrate O'Reilly. She was attired in a becoming black suit and a large black picture hat with a flowing veil.

The shooting of her brother followed a dispute at luncheon to the effect that Miss Alice Campbell, who lives with the Bartines, was prettier than Miss Bartine. The young woman found a revolver in another room, and, going back to the dining room, she pulled the trigger.

SULTAN FACING DEFEAT AT FEZ

Food and Ammunition Running Short and It is Feared That Capital Must Soon Be Surrendered—Government Troops Defeated.

LONDON, May 8.—Dispatches from Fez to the Evening News here today say that the situation in the Moroccan capital is desperate as the result of a defeat of the sultan's troops, who were sent to drive the rebels from the city.

Asked directly if he were a candidate for president, Governor Wilson said: "I cannot answer that question directly. It would be impudence in anyone to say he wished to become president and I believe that the American bench is a clean body. I feel that the judiciary should be stable, hence I am not reconciled to the recall of judges."

TO PLACE WOOL ON FREE LIST

Stormy Caucus Ends in Vote to Place Wool on Free List—Free Raw Wool Bill to be Submitted at Once to Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Following a stormy caucus of members of the house from New York this afternoon, the caucus by a vote of 18 to 4 favored placing wool on the free list immediately.

"I WORKED" STAMPED ON SMALL BOYS ARM

TOPEKA, Kan., May 8.—Fifty small boys who packed water to the elephants at a circus showing here are undergoing the soap and scrubbing brush treatment today.

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JUDICIARY RECALL SAYS RUIN WILL FOLLOW

Reform but Not Opposed—Takes Middle of the Road on the Subject at Denver.

DENVER, Col., May 8.—That he is only "unconverted" to the principle of the recall of judges was the expression here today of Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey when interviewed by the United Press as to his stand on that mooted question.

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DIAG FORTUNE SENT TO U. S.

Dictator's Coin, Worth \$10,000,000, is Sent to United States Sub-Treasury to be Melted Into Bars and Held Subject to Order.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Gold bullion valued at \$10,000,000 was received here at the United States sub-treasury today through international banking firm. As the gold is in the form of Mexican money, Wall Street believes it is the fortune of President Diaz of Mexico, who is arranging to save his gold if he is forced to flee.

COMMITTEE MAKES FURTHER ARRANGMENTS

The committee having charge of arrangements for the Spring Round-up at the Medford Commercial Club, had another meeting today. The date was fixed for May 17, and the Angie Opera House was kindly donated for the occasion by Messrs Nichols and Ashpole.

AUTO CROSSING NATION ARRIVES

A Warren Detroit "Wolverine" transcontinental automobile, arrived in Medford about 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The car has been driven 75,339 miles up to date and the present trip is being made from New York to Seattle and return via Los Angeles. The body, fenders, lamps, etc., were covered with posters from all the important cities passed through and presented a unique appearance. The car is rated at 25 horsepower and is driven by C. E. Ballinger and W. A. Somerville of Detroit, Mich. The journey to Seattle was continued early Monday morning.

BULLETS FROM MEXICAN SIDE HIT AMERICANS

One Man is Killed and Another Wounded in El Paso—Were Watching Battle From American Side of the Line.

MADERO FAILS TO STOP BATTLE, ALTHOUGH HE TRIES

Fight Came Inexpactly as Arrangements Were Being Made for Another Armistice

EL PASO, Tex., May 8.—Several hundred shots were exchanged this morning between Mexican rebel forces and federal forces outside Juarez. Bullets fell on the American side of the border. Two American citizens were hit—Antonio Garcia being hit in the head and killed, and Luis Hernandez was struck in the right arm. Both were on the American side watching the engagement.

FIELDPIECE USED

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the federal troops in Juarez brought a fieldpiece into action and fired several shots at an adobe house. A man carrying a white flag, who rode toward the federal trenches was shot from his horse by the government troops. He was not killed, however, and immediately scrambled into the saddle again and rode out of range.

FIGHT EXPECTED

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 8.—The insurgent force which has been at Tecate reached Tia Juana about 10:30 a. m. today, according to reports received here by telephone. No shots had been fired when the report was sent in, but Tia Juana expected a battle.

WOMEN LEAVE

As the first announcement that the rebels could be seen approaching the town, all the women and children, with as much furniture as could be moved, were taken across the line to the American side. The protection of that invisible line dividing the two countries seemed to be sufficient guard, although the war serfs carry three miles and are just about as effective at that distance as at 100 yards.

SAYS EACH PASTOR NEEDS A CONFESSIONAL

TOPEKA, Kan., May 8.—Declaration by Rev. Charles H. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," that every Protestant pastor should have a confessional where the members of his flock could go to the pastor and pour their troubles into a willing ear is the subject of widespread debate here today.

HOOBOO POLE HOLE CLAIMS ANOTHER LIFE

LOS ANGELES, May 8.—The hoofoo pole hole of the engine company No. 4 of the local fire department claimed its third victim early today in Engineerman W. O. Pritch, aged 28, who pitched through it while walking in his sleep. Four years ago, Hoseman Ely was badly hurt by a similar plunge, and two years later Captain Holmes' lifeless body was found at daylight at the foot of the hole. Pritch is fatally injured.