

The Weather

Maximum yesterday 90
Minimum today 60

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Predictions

Probable showers.

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WAR VETS CHALLENGE SOCIALISTS

'Step Outside if You Want to Fight for Your Beliefs,' Seattle Soldier Tells Socialist Convention—Machine Guns Ready for Sedition—Socialist King Replies.

DETROIT, Mich., June 29.—Fifty delegates to the convention of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War invaded the socialist national convention shortly after noon today and warned the socialists that the veterans are ready to fight again to defend the flag against sedition, disloyalty and treason.

Ralph Horr, of Seattle, who led the invading veterans told the socialists that advocates of force would be met with force and invited the radicals to "step outside if they wanted to fight for their beliefs."

Horr quoted from printed remarks of J. Lou Engdahl to the general effect that his section of the party would fight "not as 100 per cent Americans, but under the red flag of international socialism."

"I hope these reports do not represent the sentiment of your convention," said Horr, "but if they do we have come to tell you that it is our intention to deal with these people. We have had occasion in Seattle to use machine guns to stamp out disloyalty, sedition and treason and those guns can be used again."

Cameron King, socialist delegate from California replied in behalf of the socialists.

"We appreciate the sacrifices the disabled veterans of the world war have made," he said, "we understand the impulses that drove you to that sacrifice. At the same time we have made sacrifices. We did not believe when war was declared that it was a just war and because we so believed many of our comrades have been imprisoned. As American citizens we claim the right of free speech and free assembly and we are going to stand on those rights."

The visit of the veterans was made without disorder. After the talks were made the former soldiers withdrew.

PENDLETON SUFFERS A \$150,000 WHEAT FIRE

PENDLETON, Ore., June 29.—Five warehouses, a large grain elevator and about 100,000 sacks of wheat were destroyed by fire early today at Wyrick, five miles southeast of here. The loss was estimated at \$150,000. The blaze is reported to have started from a grain fire.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Former President Wilson today was admitted as a practicing attorney and counselor at law in the courts of the state of New York.

Mr. Wilson was not present in person, but was admitted on motion of former United States Senator James O'Gorman. All the justices of the court were present out of respect to the former president, although ordinarily only five members sit at a time.

LADY RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, BORN IN NEW YORK, PASSES AWAY AGE 67 YRS.

LONDON, June 29.—Lady Randolph Churchill, who was Miss Jennie Jerome, of New York, died here today. She recently underwent an operation on her right foot which was injured in a fall.

She married Lord Randolph Churchill, second son of the Duke of Marlborough, and one of England's most influential political leaders of his day, in 1874.

Lady Randolph Churchill's death occurred suddenly from heart failure, following a hemorrhage. Her son, Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary of state for the colonies, was with her at the end.

The careers of few, if any other women in English social and political life have been so closely followed by Americans for many years past as

Disabled Veteran Is Able to Sing With 3 Voices at One Time

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The federal board for vocational education has discovered a man whose vocation, apparently is to be a chorus all by himself. He is Joseph Kaufman, disabled veteran, and is able, the board's announcement asserts, "to sing in three voices at one time," sounding like "three men side by side singing in unison."

Only one similar case has ever been known in the United States. Kaufman is described as "an accomplished and versatile saxophone player."

JAP ALLIANCE IS CONDEMNED BY GEN. SMUTS

LONDON, June 29.—(Canadian Press.)—The Anglo-Japanese alliance is not to be renewed in its present form it has already been made abundantly clear, although the discussion of the treaty by the conference of British premiers has just begun.

While Arthur J. Balfour and Lord Curzon, the only members of the conference this far who have dealt with the subject, used due diplomatic caution in their speeches, according to information which may be regarded as authoritative they left a clear impression that while the British government would like to have some form of understanding with Japan, it is not inclined to continue the present purely military agreement.

Inasmuch, therefore, as Premier Meighen of Canada and Premier Smuts of South Africa will strongly urge against an alliance of any kind, but will advocate a British-American-Japanese understanding instead, the clear prospect is that if the alliance is renewed at all it will be little more than a shadow of its former self.

Premier Meighen prepared for today's conference a stated case against the alliance which, it is understood, will be circulated in the conference as a confidential document.

General Smuts, of the Union of South Africa, who is to follow, will support Premier Meighen and will, in all likelihood, attack the whole foreign policy of special alliances and will urge, instead, a mutual understanding with nations through moral and intellectual sympathy.

PLANE ACCIDENT MEDFORD FIELD

The first accident of the 1921 season in the Oregon air patrol service either at the Medford or Eugene bases occurred at the local landing field about 11 a. m. today, when Sergeant Ross, pilot, returning from a practice flight, took the field too close to its edge, with the result that the propeller and running gear were badly damaged. Lieutenant Samuel Carter, who is in command of this base, thinks that the plane can be repaired for further service.

The daily patrol planes between here and Eugene could not get through in either direction today because of cloudy conditions.

FEAR BIG BOUT MAY BE STOPPED

If New Indictment Is Secured, Principals Will Be Held On Bail and Fight Prevented, Declares Attorney for Reformers—Witnesses Ready to Testify.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., June 29.—Rev. Harry B. Wyatt, representing the Clergymen's Community club of Jersey City today laid before Prosecutor Perre Garvin a bill of complaint to stop the Dempsey-Carpentier bout here Saturday.

A letter accompanying the bill charged the principals and promoters with conspiring to "violate the boxing or sparring law and also to violate the Crimes act prohibiting prize fights."

S. C. Gilson, of counsel for the clergymen, said charges had been submitted and witnesses were prepared to appear before the grand jury or to testify in whatever action the prosecution may take.

Assistant Prosecutor James F. Clark told Mr. Gilson to produce his affidavits and witnesses before the grand jury Friday afternoon. He assured the attorney the matter would be given a fair and impartial hearing. Mr. Gilson intimated that should the indictment be returned, as asked, the procedure would be to arrest those named, hold them on bail, and thus prevent the fight.

Mr. Garvin stated, that while he did not believe the fight promoters intended to violate the law, it was his duty to lay the matter before the grand jury.

OMAHA THREATENED BY RIVER FLOOD

OMAHA, Neb., June 29.—A hastily constructed dike protecting hundreds of acres of farm land north of Omaha broke under pressure of flood water from the Missouri river this morning and immediately a torrent of water began rushing into the lowlands, making a repetition of last year's flood damage almost a certainty.

Residents in the threatened area worked all night, but shortly after 2 a. m., a gap appeared in the dike. The river was reported falling at upper points.

BASEBALL SCORES

American NEW YORK, June 29.—Babe Ruth rapped out his 28th homer in the first inning of the Yankees' second game today with Boston.

At New York: R. H. E. Boston 5 7 1 New York 8 11 3 Batteries: Penneck, Karr and Ruel; Shawkey and Hoffman.

Second game: (10 innings). Boston 3 9 0 New York 5 9 1 Batteries: Bush and Walters; Mays and Schang.

At Cleveland: Detroit 6 13 2 Cleveland 9 17 1 Batteries: Leonard, Stewart, Perritt and Bassler; Uhe, Mails and Numa-maker.

At Washington: Philadelphia 5 15 1 Washington 1 6 2 Batteries: Harris and Perkins; Zachary, Acosta and Gharitty.

National At Chicago: R. H. E. Pittsburgh 10 13 13 9 Chicago 1 8 1 Batteries: Cooper and Schmidt; Cheeves, York, Tyler and O'Farrell.

At Boston: New York 2 4 0 Boston 3 8 1 Batteries: Toney and Snyder; Oeschger and O'Neill.

At Philadelphia: Brooklyn 9 14 3 Philadelphia 2 7 3 Batteries: Miljus and Krueger; Smith and Bruggy, Peters.

Has Eleven Fiances Waiting for Her



Who are the eleven men, New York is asking, whose ardent suits have won Miss Virginia Lee's "Yes" and who expect on her return from abroad to become her husband? Undulant, slender-headed Miss Lee, whom Howard Chandler Christy enthused over as "the ideal Christy girl," has confessed to friends in Paris that she is

ARREST TOURISTS AS SUSPECTS IN B. ROBBERY CASE

A party of auto-tourists stopping at the city auto camp ground came to temporary grief and caused considerable excitement among the local police and the authorities of Siskiyou county, through the arrest of two of their number last night who were thought to resemble two members of a safe blowing gang which worked in Dorris, Calif., last Saturday night.

Before the south bound passenger train pulled out last night citizens saw two men run across Front street and disappear in the darkness beside the rear of the train, and promptly informed Patrolman Adams. The latter found the two men standing beside the rear coach and commanded them to throw up their hands. One of the men, Harry Ross, in pulling his hand out of his coat pocket apparently to comply had in it a loaded revolver. Adams at once seized his wrist and wrenched the weapon from him, and placed him and his companion, named Brown, under arrest.

They with two women and another man had arrived at the city auto camp at 6 p. m. from Oakland, where the men had been working in the shipyards. They were enroute to Seattle, and the homes of the men are Washington towns in that vicinity. Ross and Brown left the auto camp for a walk uptown last night and went over to see the train come in. They deny they ran across Front street to the depot. Ross had forgotten to leave his gun at the auto camp, he said, and had no intention of pulling it on the officer.

Sheriff Calkins of Yreka was summoned to come over and look at the prisoners. On his arrival this noon, he declared that they were not the burglar suspects, so Brown and Ross were released from custody.

It is known that the burglar gang consisted of two men and two women. After blowing the safe at Dorris, one of the women, who is under arrest, and who is said to be Ruth Jacobi, formerly of Talent, it is claimed has confessed and admits that she drove one of the burglars to Medford on Sunday in a car, to one of the local hotels and gave him \$100 expense money for his getaway. Ruth Jacobi is only 17 years old and has had a somewhat checkered career in Jackson county. Last summer she was married to a man at Jacksonville. At least Sheriff Terrill says that a license was issued there for her marriage.

The local authorities are inclined to associate the Dorris burglar gang with the gang which stole a number of autos from here lately.

SEIZE 1200 QUARTS OF BEER IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE, June 29.—More than 1200 quarts of beer and a complete brewing outfit were seized by police who today raided a house on Eighth avenue on the edge of the downtown business district here. Officers said the seizure was the largest beer confiscation in the northwest since the advent of prohibition.

No persons were in the house when the raid was made and police said they believed the brewers had been "tipped off" in advance.

"Big Bill" Haywood Radios He Leaves Russia On July 12

CHICAGO, June 29.—United States District Attorney Clynne declared today that he had received a radio message from William D. (Big Bill) Haywood which stated he was leaving Russia July 12 and would surrender as soon as he landed in this country.

Haywood was convicted of sedition and pending the appeal was released on \$50,000 bonds. When he did not appear for sentence the bond was forfeited.

TALKEE FOOLUM ALLE TIME IS CHINK'S PLAINT

The civil action of Wah Kim vs. Wah Hop for judgment for \$77.50 alleged to be due for a loan is being heard in Justice of the Peace Glenn O. Taylor's court today, and up to noon, when the court adjourned till 1:30 p. m. nothing definite had been determined except that the ways of the Chinese are peculiar. Wah Kim is a middle aged Mongolian, with \$1800 in the bank, and an unceremonious tooth that bothers him some. Wah Hop is a tong brother, who runs a Chinese boarding house, and does odd jobs. A one-eyed Chinaman from Ashland acted as interpreter.

Wah Kim charges in his suit that Wah Hop owes him \$77.50, the which Wah Hop denies, and further alleges that Wah Kim slept and ate at his house for six months, with no payments, except replenishing the larder "once while mobby ten cents rice." He asks that Kim reimburse him at the rate of a dollar a day, in a counter complaint.

Under cross examination by Attorney George Roberts, counsel for Kim, Wah Hop exhibited some Oriental temperament. Counsel was endeavoring to find out who worked in the restaurant. The questions were many and too much for Hop, who arose and shouted:

"You allee time talkee foolum. No can foolee. You talkee foolum all time me go home. You workee restaurant too, no can tell."

On direct examination by his attorney, Lincoln McCormick, Wah Hop was completely overcome by a long question, and with a dramatic shrug of his shoulders, and a wave of his toll worn hands, point blank, refused to answer any more.

A Celestial known by the Anglo-Saxon handle of Henry testified that Hop told him he owed Kim \$50. The defendant denied the debt, but admitted the statement, intimating that he suspected Henry was about to borrow some money. Henry from a secluded corner said something to Wah Hop that knocked a mischievous smile off his badly wrinkled face. At this juncture the one-eyed interpreter unloaded a wheelbarrow full of gutters, and pointed his finger at Henry.

The proceedings were further interrupted by Attorneys Roberts and McCormick joshing each other verbally so vociferously, that the court told them to "be quiet." Later they indulged in some repartee.

Chief of Police Timothy was called as a witness, and located the home of Wah Hop as the place where Wah Kim stopped. A Mr. Thompson deposed that Wah Kim went to work as janitor at the Barnum Apartments in September. Mrs. A. J. Helms made a deposition that Wah Kim moved

into Wah Hop's house in the spring of the year. Ben Sheldon made a statement to the attorneys favorable to Kim.

As the argument stands it would take a Confucius to unravel it, being alike befuddling to the court, counsel and the Chinese involved. The hearing of testimony will be concluded this afternoon.

DEMPSEY-CARRENTIER FIGHT NEWS DRIVES SORBONNE CIRCLES TO DRASTIC ACTION

PARIS, June 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Emotion over the Carpentier-Dempsey match has penetrated Sorbonne circles somewhat to the dismay of the faculty. M. Seignobos, professor of French history in the University of Paris, has been observing that his students were coming into the lecture room with pink newspapers which upon examination turned out to be sporting dailies, with long articles relative to the prospects of "an American named Dempsey and a Frenchman named Carpentier."

Professor Seignobos took occasion to refer to this in opening one of his lectures, the subject for the day happening to be "Henry IV."

He is reported as having said in substance: "Young gentlemen, I have not failed to see that your attention has been somewhat distracted from history by

LISTENED IN ON BEAUVAIS PHONE WIRE

Stillman's Gardner Relates Conversation He Heard Between Banker's Wife and Indian Guide—James Stillman Takes Witness Stand for Cross Examination.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 29.—An account of telephonic eavesdropping on a conversation between Mrs. Anne U. Stillman and Fred Beauvais was spread upon the records of the Stillman divorce case today. Edward J. Lawler, landscape gardener at James A. Stillman's estate in the Pocomtoco hills was understood to have related what he heard at dusk one evening when Beauvais in his room on the estate, talked over the long distance telephone to Mrs. Stillman in New York. The witness, it was said, put the receiver of another cut-in line to his ear.

His testimony, it was said, told of Mrs. Stillman talking to the Indian guide, who is co-respondent in her husband's action, telling him she was tired and fagged from a day of shopping and expected to retire immediately.

"Upon the window and imagine that I am hugging you," Beauvais then said, according to an account of the gardener's testimony.

James A. Stillman was reported to have gone on the witness stand this afternoon for cross examination.

The banker was said to have been taken into the court building early this morning.

It was planned to have him remain inside until after nightfall, in order to evade photographers, newspaper men were informed.

Guide Gets Cake

Lawler told of a party given by Mrs. Stillman in November, 1919, on the first anniversary of the birth of Guy Stillman, whom Mr. Stillman alleged was the son of Beauvais.

There were several guests at this festivity and shortly after it closed, Lawler was said to have claimed he found a note written to Beauvais by Mrs. Stillman, which in substance read:

"Dear Freddie: This is Guy's birthday and I am sending you a piece of the cake."

The gardener's wife, Mrs. Ida Lawler, a cook on the estate, also was declared to have recounted what occurred at the birthday party.

Robert H. Holloway, a friend of Mr. Stillman since their college days, was another witness. He explained that the banker was with him in Boston, it was said on some date which is considered important in establishing the paternity of Guy Stillman. The time could not be learned.

Fowler-McCarthy Draw

LEWISTOWN, Mont., June 29.—Monk Fowler of New Orleans and Charley McCarthy of Helena, fought 15 fast rounds to a draw yesterday in a bout staged by the American Legion.

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what seems to me the undue importance being given a trivial encounter at fistfights between two young men which is about to take place on the other side of the sea. I have seen allusions in the public prints to the glory that would accrue to the French people by the victory of Carpentier.