

The Weather

Prediction Showers
Maximum 92
Minimum 46

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Weather Year Ago

Maximum 86.5
Minimum 54

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HUGE LIQUOR CARGO SEIZED AFTER BATTLE

One Hundred Shots Fired, Nobody Hit—15 Auto Loads of Booze and Eight Smugglers Caught—Shipments From Canada Landed—Take Prisoners to S. F.

MONTEREY, Calif., June 20.—Fifteen automobiles loaded with liquor and eight men in charge were captured by revenue officers near Point Lobos early today after a fight in which about 100 shots were fired. None of the revenue men was injured. The captured men are being taken to San Francisco.

The liquor was landed at Point Lobos from a small steamer which has been hovering off the coast during the night. The steamer put out to sea immediately after landing her cargo. The eight men captured were drivers. The rest escaped in the darkness. It is not known whether any of them were wounded.

In addition to the cars, two trucks were seized, one of them containing 200 cases of liquor.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The big liquor seizure at Monterey today marked the climax of a plot to unload two liquor laden ships from Vancouver, B. C., at obscure California points, S. F. Rutter, federal prohibition director for California, said in a statement. "The vessels left Vancouver a few days ago, one loaded with 2000 cases and the other with 1500 cases of whiskey," Rutter said. "Sunday night a steamer which I have every reason to believe was one of the Vancouver boats stopped off the port of Monterey. We had been tipped off to watch for her. Throughout Sunday night she sent small boats ashore, working in great silence and secrecy and with such great caution that it was some time before we could learn that the small boats were loaded with whiskey. "Last night we were prepared, a force of eight men from this office, reinforced by a sheriff's posse from Monterey county, being placed on guard. They waited for the small boats to appear and load their cargoes on to the automobiles. Figuring that it was a bigger job than they had originally contemplated they telephoned to me for more men. I rushed three more to Monterey. The officers closed in on the supposed smugglers under cover of night and the seizure followed."

MYSTERY DEATH OF WASH. CHINESE

WALLA WALLA, Wash., June 20.—Coroner Joe Chamberlain stated today that Ho Yem, aged Chinaman found shot to death in his quarters in the Chinese section here Monday, probably committed suicide, as a revolver was found by his side and the wound indicated it was self-inflicted, but the police admit the possibility of Yem being a tong war victim. A young Chinaman from Portland was found shot to death here recently in a hotel room. Either death might have occurred by a gunman stealing into the rooms while the victims were asleep, say the police.

Delay Capper Bill. WASHINGTON, June 20.—The house rules committee adjourned today until tomorrow morning without final action upon the question of expediting the Capper-Tincher bill, which is designed to meet the supreme court's decision in the future trading act case.

PENDLETON KLAN AND ANTI-KLAN FORCES ARE BEFUDDLED, VOTE FOR SAME DIRECTOR

PENDLETON, Ore., June 20.—Up to noon the vote in yesterday's school board election promised to be no larger than that of the last election for one school director, when a grand total of 26 votes were cast. Then some one reported that the Ku Klux Klan had refused to endorse James A. Fee, Jr., the only name

St. Helens Cop and Grocer Battle, Police Chief Referees Bout

ST. HELENS, Ore., June 20.—Complaint was lodged today with Mayor Edison Ballagh asking that the stars of Carl Hoffmiller, deputy city marshal, and George Potter, city marshal, be called in because of a fight with bare fists last night between Hoffmiller and E. Dewey Harrison, a local grocer, which was refereed by Potter.

The contest was alleged to have been staged in a play shed of a school at West St. Helens.

It was alleged the fight was the culmination of bad blood between the two, that it lasted 11 minutes and was interrupted by S. C. Morton, ex-mayor and editor of the St. Helens' Mist, who came on the scene and demanded that Potter stop the battle. Mayor Ballagh announced he would dismiss the two officers.

RUTH SUSPENDED FOR 3 DAYS FOR SASSING UMPIRE

King of Swat Sticks Nose Into Argument and Draws Third Layoff of Season—Ban Johnson Acts Quick On Row in Cleveland Game.

CLEVELAND, June 20.—(By Associated Press.) A clash between Babe Ruth and Umpire Dineen was narrowly averted in the Cleveland dugout today following Ruth's suspension for sassing a decision of Dineen's in yesterday's game.

Ruth worked out with the Yankees before the game and when Dineen went to the Cleveland dugout, Ruth followed him there. A bitter argument followed. Ruth, it was said, said to Dineen:

"The next time you put me out of the game, I'll put you out for life, even if it keeps me out for life."

After further words had passed between them, the umpire threw down his mask and started toward Ruth when Manager Speaker and First Baseman McInnis interfered.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Ban Johnson said he also would fine Ruth. "My reports show that Ruth used vulgar and vicious language, calling Umpire Dineen one of the vilest names known. I will not stand for action of that kind from any player."

Mr. Johnson insisted that he expected to deal with a firm hand with any player who acted "in a manner unbecoming a gentleman."

CHICAGO, June 20.—(By Associated Press.) Babe Ruth today was suspended for three days by President Ban Johnson of the American league for the altercation in yesterday's Cleveland-New York game which resulted in Umpire Dineen putting the homerun slugger out of the game after he had disputed a decision on Numamaker of Cleveland at second base.

CHICAGO, June 20.—(By Associated Press.) Babe Ruth, of the New York Yankees today received his third layoff of the season when President Ban Johnson of the American league suspended him for his argument in yesterday's game at Cleveland with Umpire Dineen.

CHICAGO, June 20.—(By Associated Press.) No time limit was set on the suspension, the duration being indefinite until Mr. Johnson receives a full report of the affair. Ruth was out of the game at the start of the season as a result of a suspension by K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, and recently was given a one-day layoff and a fine by Mr. Johnson for an argument with an umpire in New York.

IRISH ATTACK ULSTER CHIEF IS BLOCKED

Shots Fired Near Stormont, Castle of Sir Craig—Only One Adherent of DeValera Wins in Muddled Election—Dublin Vote Heavy—Count Progresses.

BELFAST, June 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Shots were fired early today in the vicinity of Stormont castle, which was purchased by the Ulster government as the official residence of Sir James Craig, the premier, who with his wife took up his residence there for the first time last evening.

Officials were reticent regarding the firing, but the belief was expressed in other quarters that an attack on the castle was contemplated, but was frustrated by the police guards.

DUBLIN, June 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Officials engaged in counting the returns from Friday's parliamentary elections completed Dublin county today.

Results thus far show that twenty pro-treaty members of the Sinn Fein Panel, four independents favoring the treaty, six laborites and five anti-treaty panel designates, were successful.

Of the 18 labor candidates, six have already been returned. Dublin city voted heavily against the treaty opponents. Before the election its 12 seats in the Dail were held by 7 treaty advocates and five by anti-treaty. The results leave the seven treaty seats to independent candidates, all of whom favor the treaty, and one of whom is a laborite.

The only adherent of Eamon DeValera to come through safely is Sean O'Connell (John O'Kelly) former Sinn Fein representative in Paris.

The defeat of Mrs. Tom Clark and Countess Markievicz caused surprise. Joseph McGraw just managed to defeat his independent labor opponent, Liam Mellows, participant in the Easter week fighting, who escaped to America and later became the leader of the uncompromising republicans in the Dail, was defeated in a provincial district. Mellows has been the moving spirit with Rory O'Connor in the dissentient section of the Irish republican army. His failure to secure re-election may leave him in a more powerful position outside the new parliament than he held in the Dail Eireann.

In Dublin county Darrell Figgis heads the poll by a big majority and Tom Johnson, the laborite, is also a certain winner.

DUBLIN, June 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Forty-four coalition pro-treaty members and 25 coalition republicans have been elected to the Irish parliament from contested and uncontested constituencies, according to returns so far received.

The returns show that 72,285 electors in the city of Dublin voted for panel and independent candidates favorable to the treaty and 10,820 for the republican panel nominees.

BELFAST, June 20.—Incendiaries entered the premises of an oil merchant in Cromas street early today and sprinkled gasoline about the place. They were interrupted by the approach of a police patrol, however, and fled. One of them was shot by the police and mortally wounded.

It was announced today at Clones that the blockade on the Frontier in this section had been raised. For the first time in three months, traffic of all kinds is being permitted to pass. The special constables have drawn back from the border line, thus avoiding the danger of friction.

BELFAST, June 20.—The election result in Cavan showed Arthur Griffith, president of the Dail Eireann, a strong leader in the polling. He received 13,191 votes; W. L. Cole, panel anti-treaty, 6,490; Dean Milroy, pro-treaty, 6,039, and P. Baxter, farmer's party, 6,015.

Griffith, Cole and Milroy were elected. In the Leix and Offaly division of old Kings and Queens counties, William Gavin, labor, pro-treaty, headed the poll. Kevin O'Higgins, panel pro-treaty, also were elected on the first count. Fourth place lies between Dr. Patrick McCarten, former republican envoy to the United States and J. P. Lynch, with Dr. McCarten's chances the better.

Sailor Drowned. PORTLAND, Ore., June 20.—H. B. Conroy, boatswain's mate on the battleship Connecticut, here taking part in the annual rose festival, was drowned today in the Willamette river during the pageant attending the arrival of the rose festival queen.



WILLIAM H. TAFT
LONDON, June 20.—Britain's foremost statesmen, jurists and lawyers and a great body of American friends joined in an impressive reception to William Howard Taft, chief justice of the United States, upon his first house appearance in England.

MINE AND RAIL WORKERS TO ACT STRIKE FUSION

Big Four Chiefs to Stay Away From Conference Tonight—75 Day's Supply Coal On Hand—Formal Reply to Union By Labor Board.

CINCINNATI, O., June 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Interest here today in the nation-wide rail strike situation centered in the conference tonight between officials of the miners and railroad shop crafts unions, when plans for concerted strike action between the organizations will be discussed.

B. M. Jewell, head of the railway employees department, and John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, at a conference yesterday, discussed the agenda of tonight's meeting and mapped out a plan of action proposed to the officials of the two unions.

None of the "big four" or transportation brotherhood chiefs was expected to attend the meeting, it was stated.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The railroads of the country on June 1 had on hand 75 day's supply of bituminous coal, according to a statement issued today by the commerce department based on a report of the American railway association. On May 1 the carriers had 94 days supply.

CHICAGO, June 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—A formal reply to the communication of leaders of ten railway unions who informed the United States Railroad Labor board that a railroad strike will be authorized if the present referendum favors a suspension of work, is being prepared by the board. It was learned today. The reply to the union chiefs will not be forwarded for several days, however, it was said.

Meanwhile union headquarters are speeding up the strike vote in an effort to have it completed and tabulated by next Saturday, when the general committee of 90, representing the rail unions, meets here to canvass the returns.

Fifty thousand ballots cast by shop crafts employees have been almost solidly for a strike, according to John Scott, secretary of the railway employees department of the American Federation of Labor.

BASEBALL SCORES

National.		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati		2	7	2
Boston		0	2	1
Cough and Hargrave; Pillingham, Oeschger and Gowdy.				
Chicago-Philadelphia, rain.				
St. Louis-New York, wet grounds.				
Pittsburg-Brooklyn postponed, wet grounds.				
ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 20.—Kenneth Williams knocked his 15th home run in today's game with Philadelphia, bringing in George Sisler, who had tripled. Eckert was the victim.				
American		R.	H.	E.
At Detroit		8	12	1
Boston		9	12	3
Detroit		9	12	3
Batteries: Ferguson, Russell, Karr and Ruel; Dauss and Bassler.				
At Cleveland		6	11	1
New York		5	13	4
Batteries: Bush, Jones and Hoffman; Uhl, Morton and L. Sewell, O'Neill, Bagby.				
At St. Louis		3	8	1
Philadelphia		3	8	1

HALE EASY VICTOR IN MAINE VOTE

Made No Campaign and Wins By 20,000 Over All—Gov. Baxter Wins By 25,000—Mrs. Olesen Creeps Into Lead—Minnesota Primary Senatorial Contest.

PORTLAND, Maine, June 20.—Senator Frederick Hale, republican, without making a personal campaign, won an easy victory in the state primaries yesterday. The vote cast for him was larger than the total for his two opponents, former Congressman Frank E. Guernsey and former State Senator Howard Davies, and his plurality over Guernsey was nearly 20,000. Davies ran a poor third.

Governor Percival P. Baxter, republican, was renominated by a plurality of 25,000 over John P. Deering, with Leon F. Higgins trailing.

Congressmen Beedy, White, Nelson and Hersey, all republicans, were renominated without opposition. The democrats nominated for senator former Governor Oakley C. Curtis, and for governor, former State Attorney General William R. Pattangall.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 20.—(By Associated Press.) Additional returns from Monday's primary election in Minnesota strengthened the lead established at the outset by Senator Frank B. Kellogg, Governor J. O. Puns and other candidates endorsed by the republican state convention.

Mrs. Annie Dickey Olesen, democratic state convention choice for the United States senatorial nomination, crept into the lead again as new returns came in.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 20.—When 337 of the state's 3438 precincts had reported today on Monday's primary, the vote on the democratic senatorial contest stood: Mrs. Olesen 4968; Meighen 3393; Morris 1525.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 20.—When 804 out of 3438 precincts in the state had reported on the democratic senatorial contest at noon today, Mrs. Anna Dickie Aleson had a 900-vote lead over Thomas J. Meighen, her nearest opponent, the count standing Olesen 3411; Meighen 3533; Morris, 4384.

ST. PAUL, June 20.—Returns from 1436 of the state's 3438 precincts of the democratic senatorial contest, gave Mrs. Olesen 16,263; Meighen 12,780; Morris 5764.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 20.—When 208 of the 176 precincts in the Third congressional district had reported on yesterday's republican congressional contest, the count stood: Davis 16,799; Thoreen 16,509.

20 HURT WHEN CARS TURN TURTLE

LEADVILLE, Colo., June 20.—Twenty persons were injured, three seriously today when four Pullman cars and the dining car of the first section of Denver and Rio Grande Western railroad train No. 2, east-bound, turned over two miles east of Tennessee Pass.

The scene of the wreck is 10 miles from Leadville. Those seriously hurt were rushed to Salida. Their names have not yet been ascertained.

JOFFRE DECORATES SAM HILL FOR HIS AID

PARIS, June 20.—Marshal Joffre in the name of the French government today decorated with the insignia of officer of the legion of honor, Samuel Hill of Seattle, who escorted the marshal across the United States on his recent trip. Marshal Joffre alluded to the happiness which had been afforded him by his reception in America.

The ceremony took place in Marshal Joffre's headquarters at the war college in the presence of Mme. Joffre, Ambassador Herriek, the marshal's staff and a number of American residents and visitors.

Salem Council Rejects Fire Marshal's Plea To Bar Firecrackers

SALEM, Ore., June 20.—An attempt to deprive Salem's boys and girls of their Fourth of July firecrackers was headed off by the city council last night when it refused to pass an ordinance forbidding the sale and use of firecrackers in the city. The proposed ordinance was presented by the state fire marshal's office with the request that it be enacted.

DR. PHIPPS WINS SCHOOL DIRECTOR BY 45 MAJORITY

Second Heaviest Vote in Medford School Election Cast—Keen Interest Shown—Final Rush Brings Out Many—766 Votes Cast.

In one of the largest attended and closest elections ever held in the Medford school district Dr. Ira D. Phipps was on Monday elected a member of the board of education by a majority of 45 votes over Dr. Robert W. Stearns. The winner's vote was 404, and 353 votes were cast for the losing candidate. One voter gave A. E. Reames a complimentary vote and two blank ballots were cast. In all, 766 votes were cast.

This record was exceeded only in local school district history by the much famed recall election of two years ago when H. C. Garnett and E. J. Palmer were recalled, and J. O. Grey and George A. Mansfield elected in their places, and at the same time Dr. E. G. Riddell and J. W. Wakefield were defeated by Mesdames James and Smythe. At this election 967 votes were cast. At last year's annual school election of the district only 107 votes were cast which was near the normal vote cast at such elections in bygone years.

The surprisingly large vote cast at Monday's election was totally unexpected by the general public, as there seemed to be little interest in the approaching election. No big issue was knowingly involved, no outward campaign was conducted by either candidate or his friends, and each candidate was regarded as well equipped for membership on the board and was well known.

But during the day yesterday the school patrons and other voters seemed to wake up and there was a general scurry to the polls in the high school building, which were open from 2 to 7 p. m., and from the time the voting began until the doors were closed at 7 o'clock there was a large string of voters passing the ballot boxes. When the doors were closed at least fifty men and women were standing in line inside the building waiting for their turn to vote. The voting was exceptionally heavy between 6 and 7 p. m., when it is said from 200 to 300 ballots were deposited.

The remark was often heard expressed by voters in line as they watched the crowd going and coming: "Wouldn't it be fine if Medford people always took such an interest in education?"

These poor deluded mortals were not posted on the inside doings of the campaign, especially the last few hours of it. A reporter from this paper noticed at least several voters waiting their turn who would not know an education if they saw one flying toward them.

The Noted Dead

NEW YORK, June 20.—Frederick Courtland Penfield, former United States ambassador to Austria-Hungary died at his Fifth Avenue house, following a brief illness.

BEQUEST FOR MEDICAL SCHOOL HELD VOID; TEACHINGS 'AGAIN PUBLIC POLICY', RULING

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 20.—The state supreme court en banc today reaffirmed its former department opinion declaring a bequest made by the late S. G. Hill of Seattle, which provided for the establishment of a particular type of homeopathic school void as against public policy. Hill died in May, 1919, and left a will in which he directed that a part of the money in his estate should go

PROPOGANDA OF HENRY IS UNDER FIRE

House Report to Tell People Real Facts Muscle Shoals Offer—Rosy Promises to Farmer and Idle Are Hollow—First Cost and Offer Price Too Far Apart.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Henry Ford's offer to purchase and lease the government's power and nitrate projects at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, was attacked today in a report to the house prepared by Representative Keans, republican, Ohio, and signed by several other republicans of the house military committee. The report declared dissatisfaction with opinions already presented to the house by other members of the committee and announced that the signers were determined to tell the people the "real facts about Muscle Shoals and the so-called Ford offer."

Declaring the belief, "that the country little understands what it is that Mr. Ford is offering to do, or what, if anything, he is offering for this great plant," the signatories first denounce what they describe as "one of the most insidious propagandas that the nation has witnessed for many a day."

Many of the Ford advocates, the report says, are honest and conscientious but have been misled as to the facts of the offer made. In this connection, it points to the provision by which fertilizers would be manufactured and say that despite "persistent reports that he will compel the fertilizer manufacturers of the country to sell their product at one-half of what they are now selling it," Mr. Ford "does not agree to make fertilizers at all unless he can make them with a profit to himself."

The committee declares "this is a hollow promise made to enlist the support of the farmers and not founded on any fact, either contained in the contract or existing outside the contract," and charge that propagandists fail to tell the people that "the principal business of Mr. Ford, should he get this gigantic plant, would be the manufacturing of other articles which he would be allowed to sell at any price he might see fit."

Propagandists also have attracted the unemployed, the report says, adding that they "do not only try to bribe the sympathy of the farmer, but try thus to elicit the attention of the unemployed by painting a rosy picture of the great activity that is to be started overnight at Muscle Shoals, where they promise a million men will be given employment."

The properties for which Mr. Ford offers the amount of \$5,000,000, the report says, already have cost the government \$85,487,900. It declares the amount offered, "seems wholly inadequate when it is remembered that Mr. Ford could immediately dispose of the Gorgas plant to the Alabama power company for \$2,500,000 and thereby obtain "the Waco quarry, nitrate plants number 1 and number 2 with all their innumerable railroad engines and freight cars, steam shovels, concrete mixers and other surplus property that could be readily sold for several additional millions."

ALASKA TRIP OF HARDING IS OFF

WASHINGTON, June 20.—President Harding's tentatively projected Alaska trip this summer has been abandoned, it was definitely announced today at the white house. The president was said to regret greatly that he saw no possibility of leaving Washington under prevailing conditions of public business.

towards financing a school in which instruction should be given through such text books as Hahnemann's Organon of the Art of Healing and the Nature of Chronic Diseases and J. T. Kent's lectures on homeopathic philosophy. Testimony tended to show the books were not modern and that "such teachings would lead to sickness and death," the King county superior court found. The supreme court sustained this decision.