

The Weather

Prediction—Fair and cooler
Maximum yesterday—54
Minimum today—40

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

MEDFORD, OREGON, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1923

Weather Year Ago

Maximum—47
Minimum—38

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HENRY FORD IS BEATEN BY M'ADOO

Three Supporters of Wilson's Son-in-Law Elected By Large Majorities in South Dakota Convention Vote—President Coolidge Leading G. O. P. Candidates.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Forces supporting the candidacy of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, were victorious today in their first skirmish in Minnehaha county with the supporters of Henry Ford.

In the county proposal convention called to elect delegates to the state proposal convention next month, three avowed McAdoo men were named by large majorities to represent this county, which yields approximately nine per cent of the state democratic vote.

The Minnehaha county republicans elected three Coolidge supporters as unopposed delegates to the state convention. They are Mayor George W. Burnside of Sioux Falls; George A. Pettigrew and W. C. Nisbet.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—The 59 South Dakota counties today, republican democrat and farmer-labor conventions met to select delegates to the state proposal convention at Pierre, December 4.

It was believed last night that the republican race had narrowed down to Senator Hiram Johnson of California and President Coolidge.

The two great factions in the democratic party are understood to favor nomination of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, while a third group is boosting for Henry Ford although no announcement of his candidacy has ever been authorized.

The hardest fight today is expected to be between adherents of Ford and Senator La Follette of Wisconsin in the farmer-labor convention throughout the state. Leaders of this party, which grew out of the old non-partisan league movement believed that with Ford as their standard bearer, they can sweep the state. Ford's name will get at least second place on all three ballots, under a provision of the primary law which permits any five delegates to a state proposal convention to nominate a minority candidate.

OREGON LIVESTOCK SHIPPERS DEMAND FREIGHT REDUCTION

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 20.—Reduction of all livestock freight rates intrastate in Oregon was asked in a case filed before the public service commission of Oregon today by Arthur M. Geary, Portland on behalf of 2000 livestock shippers.

The commission in particular is asked to prescribe a maximum distance scale from all shipping points in the state to the market at North Portland that will cause reductions of three to fifteen dollars per car. Also double deck rates for hogs and calves are sought, as well as abolishment of the sanding charges. The present sanding charges are one dollar for each single deck car and one dollar and a half for each double deck car.

Reparation of \$35,000 to \$45,000 is asked on past shipments under the law passed at the last session of the legislature.

William A. Pollman of Baker signed the complaint as president of the Cattle and Horse Raisers' association and the Northwestern Livestock Shippers' Traffic league.

GENERAL WOOD TRIES TO CAPTURE MORO CHIEF WITHOUT BLOODSHED

MANILA, Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Additional constabulary forces for the island of Mindanao have been sent in pursuit of the Moro chief Santiago and his band who fled inland when requested by Governor General Wood to visit him on the latter's trip of inspection to the island in connection with Moro outbreaks. The executive hopes to bring about Santiago's capture without bloodshed and has instructed the constabulary to use every possible precaution to avoid a sanguinary clash with the Moros.

Del Norte Co. Will Drop Bandit Hunt Unless State Aids

EUREKA, Cal., Nov. 20.—Del Norte, a thinly populated county, has found pursuit of the bandits who held up a Southern Pacific train in the Siskiyou, killing four men, more than a month ago, too costly a matter to continue longer. District Attorney James Davis announced yesterday the chase would be abandoned unless the expenses are paid by the federal government, the state or some other source.

WALTON TO APPEAL TO U. S. COURT

Deposed Oklahoma Governor Will Launch Fight Tomorrow in Federal Court On Plea He Hasn't Been Given Fair Trial—Lieut. Gov. Takes Chair.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—A statement reiterating his determination to continue the fight was issued here today by J. C. Walton who was removed from office as governor last night by a senate court of impeachment.

"Only the rats leave a ship in distress," the deposed executive asserted. "Few have deserted me in this fight and the ship is not sinking. It is only the shadow they see in the water."

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—J. C. Walton's gubernatorial career, as spectacular as it was brief, is over.

Deposed yesterday by the verdict of a senate court of impeachment which found him guilty of charges of moral turpitude, corruption in office, neglect of duty and incompetence, his term of office as Oklahoma's fifth governor was broken off after little more than ten months.

But as his successor prepared formally to take over the reins of government today, Walton girded for a last desperate effort to retain the office by invoking the aid of the United States courts, clinging to the plea that he has not been given a fair trial.

His next move will be made tomorrow when his legal staff appears before a federal judge here for a rehearing of his application for a retroactive injunction to annul the action of the court of impeachment. This failing, an appeal will be taken as a last resort to the United States supreme court, accompanied by a petition for a writ of superadea to declare him the incumbent until the case is threshed out before the tribunal.

The deposed executive's application was denied the day before the impeachment trial opened and observers see little likelihood that the decision will be reversed after the rehearing.

Walton's removal was decreed last night by unanimous vote of the senate court after he had been convicted of eleven of the sixteen impeachment articles upon which he was prosecuted, and his application had been denied for a new trial.

Lieutenant Governor M. E. Trapp, who has been acting executive since Walton's suspension before his trial and who automatically becomes governor with Walton's removal, declared he would address the legislature within the next two or three days.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 20.—Announcement was made at the office of Governor Trapp today that the state legislature would be asked to recess at once until the second week in January.

Good Thing He Was Rotten Shot

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 20.—Crazed by what the police believe was a combination of a drug and alcohol, an unidentified man last night assaulted two watchmen and beat them badly, wrecked two houses, fired a number of shots at a bystander without taking effect, fired point blank at a policeman and missed and was finally killed by a shot from the policeman's revolver.

The man had the appearance of a laborer and was roughly dressed.

DAILY REPORT ON THE CRIME WAVE

DURANGO, Colo., Nov. 20.—Louis Archuleta, 30, a Mexican sheep herder, was shot and fatally wounded yesterday by a posse that had trailed him into the hills. He died at Cortez, Colo., today.

According to Sheriff Frank Philleby of Montezuma county, Archuleta had attacked Mrs. Ruth Fowler at her small store in McElmo canyon Sunday. Following the attack a posse including the woman's husband and father-in-law began a search for the herder. He was found back in the hills and when he failed to heed a demand to surrender, was shot.

Oil Price Increased.

FINDLAY, Ohio, Nov. 20.—The Ohio Oil company today increased the price of Lance creek, Wyoming oil from 80 to 90 cents a barrel.

Fred Stone's Little "Pebble" Takes Broadway By Storm; Up In Lights After 10 Minutes!

ABOVE DOROTHY STONE, SURROUNDED BY THE FLOWERS OF ADMIRING FRIENDS: INSET, THE PROUD GRIN OF PAPA FRED.

NEW YORK—Hard-headed Broadway, the most callous street in the world, wept frank tears of sentimental joy, and stood up on its seats at the Globe Theater the other night and shouted itself hoarse for a slip of a 17-year-old girl who had never set foot on the stage before. Ten minutes after the twinkling feet of Fred Stone's daughter Dorothy danced forth in perfect time with those of her famous dad, Charles Dillingham rushed hatless into the street and ordered his electricians to place her name in electric lights above the door of the theater.

"The biggest theatrical sensation in 10 years" was the verdict of those who saw the "coming out" of the "stage's most popular debutante."

SUPREME COURT HOLDS FOOTBALL NOT REQUIREMENT

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 20.—Dismissal of Frank I. Rockwell from his position as a teacher in the Bend high school because of his alleged deficiencies as a football coach was today held unjustified by the state supreme court, which affirmed the decree of the Des Chutes county circuit court ordering the school district to pay Rockwell the nine months salary he claimed at \$150 per month less a stipulated amount which he earned during the period in question.

Rockwell was hired for ten months at \$180 a month, but was discharged after serving only one month.

In delivering the opinion of the court, Judge Rand declared that "school boards are authorized to employ teachers competent to give physical training instruction and to require them to give such instruction, but this physical training is not coaching in the art of playing football."

INSURANCE ON BOOZE CARS IN OREGON SCORED

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 20.—Insurance companies writing policies embodying confiscation clauses covering automobiles subject to seizure as conveyances for liquor, face cancellation of their permits to operate in Oregon under the provisions of a ruling announced by Will Moore, state insurance commissioner, today.

Moore bases his ruling upon an opinion by the attorney general which holds that such confiscation clauses as applied to automobiles and other conveyances utilized by bootleggers in plying their trade are "an agreement calculated to impede the regular administration of justice." The attorney general also holds them "void as against public policy."

ALASKA CONVENTION FOR A NEW STATE

JUNEAU, Alaska, Nov. 19.—(Delayed.)—A memorial to congress asking that southeastern Alaska be organized as a territory separate from the rest of Alaska was adopted today by a convention representing municipalities of the panhandle, which met here Thursday. The memorial proposed the name "South Alaska" for what it is hoped would become a state of the union in accordance with a suggestion of the late President Harding.

THE NOTED DEAD

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Dr. Rudolf E. A. Havenstein, president of the reichsbank, is dead.

Dr. Havenstein became president of the reichsbank in December, 1907, and directed the imperial government's financing of the world war, which was accomplished by a long succession of internal loans. After the armistice he represented the reich at various financial conferences with the allies, including the negotiations with the Bank of England for the guarantees demanded by Belgium.

He was 65 years old.

Dr. Havenstein's successor will probably be Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, currency commissioner of the reich and managing director of the Darmstadt bank.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—Alan Houlbar, prominent motion picture producer and actor and husband of Dorothy Phillips, film star, died suddenly here today of pneumonia.

La Follette Is Ill.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Senator La Follette of Wisconsin is ill here with a slight touch of grippe. Physicians said he probably would be in bed for two or three days.

Man Drowned in Vat Of Wine, Rescuer Ill, Taken to Hospital

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 20.—Louis Roussamano was drowned in a vat of wine today when he was overcome by fumes of fermenting grape mash. Samuel Sico, who plunged into the vat to add him was rescued by firemen and taken to a hospital.

CONVENTION OF 3D PARTY TO BE HELD MAY 30TH

Non-Partisans, Progressives, Farm Labor Adherents and Others Call National Convention at St. Paul or Minneapolis Last of May.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—The third party movement, set under way here by a meeting of representatives from progressive political organizations was given tangible form today with a call for a national convention to be held at either Minneapolis or St. Paul, May 30, 1924 for the purpose of naming presidential and vice-presidential candidates in the name of the progressive party, farmer-labor party or such other organizations as the third party voters may have established in their states.

The delegates pledged themselves that the calling of the convention shall be based upon the abolition of "special privileges," described as natural resources, transportation, income, try and credit, stifles competition, prevents opportunity for development of all and thus dictates conditions under which we live.

An invitation to join the movement was extended to "all progressives and all progressive organizations, partisan or non-partisan, which are in accord with the principles herein set forth."

Platform Announced.

The platform of principles set forth by the Chicago meeting called among other things for "public control of natural resources by taxation of all land values; public ownership of railroads, canals and pipe lines; government banking, by which the government shall enter the banking system, reserving to itself the sole right to issue currency and to determine the amount of currency which may be issued. Equal rights legal and political, for all citizens, and all civil rights, including free speech, free press and peaceful assembly, as guaranteed by the constitution."

A resolution was adopted calling for the appointment of a committee to "co-operate with and assist members of congress to draw up bills and amendments having for their special object the achievement of the purpose declared in the platform."

The conference decided to support in South Dakota and elsewhere the efforts of established farmer-labor organizations whose aims are the same as those set forth by the progressive, according to their announcement.

Resolutions setting forth the platform of the conference were signed, among others by Roy M. Harrop, chairman, progressive party, Nebraska; Ray C. McHugh, national committee progressive party, Idaho; C. S. Golden, secretary progressive party Idaho; W. R. Edwards, chairman non-partisan league, California; August Williges, national committeeman, Iowa.

Ford Is Favorite.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Unification of various independent political elements into a united third party to run its candidates in opposition to the major party parties in the 1924 campaign, was the object of a series of meetings by them, the first of which was due to start here this afternoon.

"THERE'S FIGHT IN THE OLD GIRL YET" SAYS LADY ASTOR, AFTER SOCIALISTS

PLYMOUTH, England, Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Lady Astor has been enthusiastically re-nominated by the conservatives of the Sutton division of Plymouth as their preliminary candidate and has accepted the nomination. In her speech of acceptance last night she announced that she supported Prime Minister Baldwin and his policy and expressed belief that the socialist party, if given power, would diminish British credit and automatically cause an immediate rise in the cost of living.

"Quite frankly I'm out to fight the socialists to the last ditch and leave them there," she said. "I'm not doing that from hatred for the socialist party, but for the love of the great majority of the working men and women of the country."

Lady Astor declared that she approved a tax on food.

"There's fight in the old girl yet," she exclaimed amid applause and laughter, adding that she would fight in the future as in the past, for things which would "help to make this old world, not a paradise, but a cleaner, kinder place."

She asserted that if America and England would only work properly together they would not need the League of Nations.

DANGER OF BREAK NOT YET PASSED

LONDON and Paris Both Feel Agreement Reached Only Temporary—An Immediate Smash Averted, But Ruhr Situation Still Full of Many Dangers.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Press references to Anglo-French relations took a more hopeful tone today in view of the compromise reached by the council of ambassadors. The Times expresses satisfaction that the ambassadors found a formula which at least has averted very serious danger, although it admits it would be premature to talk of complete agreement. Although commending France for displaying "in one specific and critical instance a spirit of reasonable compromise," the Times contends that the European situation fundamentally is still full of danger.

PARIS, Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—The meeting of the council of ambassadors called for five o'clock this afternoon will not be held, it was announced shortly after 4 p. m. Lord Crewe, the British ambassador, notified the secretariat that his government, owing to stress of business, was unable to communicate his instructions in time for today's meeting. The instructions are expected to arrive in time for a meeting tomorrow.

PARIS, Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—It was believed here this morning that the agreement on the proposed note to Germany in which the allies will demand that their military control officers shall be allowed to function under adequate protection would be completed before the end of the afternoon.

Skeptical of Germany

PARIS, Nov. 20.—(By Associated Press.)—After six days of negotiations four meetings and five adjournments, the ambassadors' council has hit on a compromise formula for dealing with Germany which postpones at least a break in the allied front.

The feeling here today was just as optimistic as it was pessimistic yesterday for the agreement to send a note to Germany has been fully endorsed by the French and Belgian cabinets and judged from the tone of London will be endorsed by the British.

The qualified optimism which prevailed in official circles as to the outcome of the council meeting was fortified by news from London received in diplomatic quarters and held to indicate that there was no longer doubt that the ambassadors would agree on a text for the note to Germany which will momentarily save the entente.

There is marked skepticism, however, in the effect of the note on the German government. The most important element of the situation which would remain unchanged by agreement among the entente powers and concerning which the government officials observe great discretion, is that the gulf between France and Great Britain is considered to remain unbridged and that Germany is still able to count upon disagreements among the allies and, in the French view to speculate on encouragement from London to resist the payment of reparations.

JORDON IRRIGATION BONDS INVALID

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 20.—The supreme court today declared the Jordan Valley irrigation district in Malheur county, invalid. The opinion, by Justice Boyd, sustained Judge Datto Biggs of Malheur county in a suit to determine the validity of proceedings under which the district was organized. The lower court held the district invalid.