

The Weather
Prediction.....Unsettled
Probability.....56.2
Maximum yesterday.....51.8
Minimum today.....41.8
Precipitation......05

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Weather Year Ago
Maximum.....76
Minimum.....41

Daily—Twenty-fifth Year. Weekly—Fifty-third Year. MEDFORD, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1925 NO. 27

RECOMMEND N. HOLLY ST. AS H. S. SITE

Eugene Experts Favor Holly St. Over P. and E., But Declare Either One Will Be Satisfactory—Junior High Urged As Essential in Final Construction Program.

Printed below is the full report of the high school experts from the University of Oregon, H. D. Douglas and H. P. Rainey, recently made at the request of the City Planning commission:

To the City Planning commission of the city of Medford and whom it may concern, we wish to submit respectfully the following report:

We have considered our task to consist of two somewhat distinct, though closely related, pieces of work, namely:

- 1.—The proposal of an adequate building program within the financial possibilities of the district.
- 2.—The valuation of possible sites for a new high school building to be built within the near future.

For that reason our report is divided into two corresponding divisions.

A Building Survey and Program for the Medford Schools

In the consideration and development of a safe school building program, it is necessary to consider—

- 1.—The organization of the school system which the buildings are intended to house.
- 2.—The present number of pupils in the school and in the various grades, and the reasonable expectancy of increase in the period covered by the building program.
- 3.—The subjects taught in the schools and the student activities which must be housed.
- 4.—The present distribution of school pupils in the district and the probable directions of future growth of population.
- 5.—The condition and capacity of present housing facilities.
- 6.—The present and future ability of the district to finance a building program.

We have undertaken to study carefully each of these factors and many other minor ones.

First, the organization of the school system which the buildings are intended to house.

It is the belief of your committee that the most effective organization for a public school system is what is known as the 6-3-3 plan, which includes a six years elementary school, a three year junior high school, and a three year senior high school. The very large majority of cities embarking on a building program are adopting this plan of organization.

Eugene, Albany, McMinnville, Salem and several other first class districts in Oregon have already adopted the plan and Eugene has within the last year built two, and Salem, one new junior high school building. Los Angeles has had the plan for years as has Berkeley and the 6-3-3 organization has been adopted in perhaps a hundred other California cities. Detroit, Chicago, Cincinnati, Rochester, St. Louis and all but a very few of the larger cities where building programs have been entered upon recently, have employed the plan. We believe that the people of Medford do not wish to commit themselves to the old 8-4 plan for a period of 20 or 30 years by building on that basis.

Second, the school population and facilities for housing the same.

Below, in table I, is shown the approximate daily attendance in each of the Medford school buildings and for purposes of comparison there is given the standard capacity and the maximum capacity of each of these buildings. By standard capacity is meant the number of pupils who may be housed in the building without exceeding the reasonable limits for each room and per teacher. By maximum capacity is meant the maximum number of pupils who may be seated in the building with safety without regard to any standard of teaching efficiency.

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Sir Galahad Aids Lady in Distress Gets Broken Arm

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—The loss of a woman motorist struggling hopelessly with a car that would not start aroused the chivalrous soul of Clifford Whitlow as he walked along a boulevard here last night and he stepped forward at once to crank the car. The engine started under his vigorous twisting, but the kickback of the crank broke his arm. "Now isn't that too bad," sympathized the motorist as she drove away.

"It certainly is," agreed Whitlow as he walked to the receiving hospital and had the broken bone set.

KING OF SPAIN SEES SWORD AS CURE FOR REDS

PARIS, April 22.—(By Associated Press.) King Alfonso of Spain is quoted by the French writers as declaring, Jerome and Jeanne Tharaud, as brothers to them in an interview that the tranquil conditions in Spain are proof that his country is satisfied with the government of the military dictatorship. Only a handful of professional politicians are opposed to it, he asserts.

A question which he asserts is more important than that of parliamentary government in Spain is whether such parliamentary government will be capable of defending itself against that conception of life which the soviet government is seeking to impose forcibly upon the world.

"Have you in your travels in Spain noticed that we are living in a state of sleep under military oppression?" he asked the writers.

"The foreign papers I see declare our dictatorship is a reign of terror everywhere. Have you received such an impression?"

"Nothing has changed in our customary life and for my part I know no country where the police are less interfering than here. You can stand in the middle of the road to talk with friends without a policeman telling you to move on. You can drink what you like in the cafes after midnight, which I defy you to do in New York or London—those countries of liberty. In Madrid you can sing your head off until five in the morning if that amuses you. There is only one thing changed since the dictatorship, you can walk about with money in your pockets without fear of being attacked. There are no more strikes; our factories are at work and our employees no longer see their workmen arrive mornings with their hands in hand to assassinate them or to impose their own will. You must admit that is something."

"Oh, yes," the king added ironically. "It has to be paid for. General Primo De Rivera (head of the military dictatorship) has put us outside the constitution and that is evidently grave."

The king remarked that there were certainly fewer communists in Spain than in France, "but perhaps our climate makes ours more virulent."

The king spoke of the bolshevik danger saying Italy was the first country to grasp the fact that parliamentarism was incapable of resisting the effort the soviet government was making to impose its will upon the world by force. Spain had followed suit.

Babe Ruth Still in Bed, Reads the Scores

NEW YORK, April 22.—Babe Ruth, convalescing from influenza, continued to improve today but physicians said he would remain in St. Vincent's hospital for at least another week or ten days.

The Babe's chief interest is the fortunes of his team, the New York Yankees, and he contemplates a busy afternoon receiving the scores by innings.

ATTACK ON WAR RECORD PROVES GOV'T SALVATION

Socialists in French Chamber Join Radicals in Upholding Painleve As Result of Attack On Caillaux—Old Differences Forgotten.

PARIS, April 22.—(By the Associated Press.) Nine hours of debate occurred on the president's rostrum of the chamber of deputies this morning during the second balloting for the presidency of the body.

When a member of the opposition, Deputy Balaud, charged that "ten deputies voted twice" two socialists broke thru the protection offered by the sergeant at arms. There was much wild swinging of arms.

One straight-arm punch staggered Balaud, whose friends mixed in making the fight general on the rostrum. Suspension of the session was necessary before order could be restored.

PARIS, April 22.—(By Associated Press.) Nine hours of debate featured by bitter personal attacks on Joseph Caillaux, lately returned from exile and now minister of finance, preceded the vote in the chamber of deputies last night on the policy of the new cabinet. At the conclusion of the verbal fireworks, Premier Painleve and his colleagues were voted confidence 394 to 218.

The tactics of the opposition in attacking the inclusion of Caillaux in the ministry are believed to have assured the victory of the government as both the radicals and the socialists were dissatisfied with M. Painleve's announced determination of retaining the French embassy at the Vatican.

M. Blum, the socialist leader, said that when he entered the chamber session he had doubts, but when he heard the attacks directed at Caillaux these doubts were removed.



JOSEPH CAILLAUX

"We congratulated M. Painleve for having dismissed Caillaux," M. Blum continued, "and since he is attacked for having done so, we give him our votes."

So the socialists' 194 votes went solidly for the government.

M. Caillaux will appear before the chamber's financial committee Friday to review the financial situation and probably to give some indication as to the nature of his first efforts to reorganize the subject of repayment of the short term notes falling due this year. The government today is introducing a bill for two provisional votes on account, to pay the current expenses of government for May and June, as the budget for the year has not yet been passed. The financial committee is expected to report on the provisional appropriations late today so the chamber can begin debating them tomorrow.

PENDLETON LIQUOR VIOLATORS FINED

PENDLETON, Ore., April 22.—A new record on punishment in Umatilla county for violation of the liquor laws was established yesterday in the justice court in Hermiston when Justice West fined Art Spinning and J. D. Fahlen \$1500 each and sentenced each of them to one year in the county jail. The fines and sentences followed a plea of guilty entered by the two men on charges of operating a still.

Medford's high school baseball team will meet the Grants high school baseball team on the local baseball diamond Friday, while a game between the Grants and Klamath Falls high school teams will be played at Grants Pass on Saturday.

Mary Picks Him for Leading Man



Fairy tales do come true. Hugh Allan, recently a high school boy in Oakland, Calif., played his first part in motion pictures six months ago. Now he is Mary Pickford's leading man. He is a six-footer, and was chosen by Mary herself for his handsomeness.

Daily Report on the Crime Wave

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—The bruised skull and crushed body of Mrs. L. Untermyer, comely dresser of the suburban town of Palms, with practically all clothing torn from it, was found today behind a road house at Culver City near here. Near the crumpled body was a bloody club. There were evidences of a struggle and Culver City police said that investigation showed a criminal assault had preceded the death blow.

A diamond ring and pearl necklace found on the body eliminated a theory of robbery, the police said. Several residents of the neighborhood reported that they had heard screams about midnight in the vicinity in which the tragedy was uncovered.

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—The body of an unidentified woman about 35 years of age was found early today two blocks in the rear of a couple of houses at Culver City near here.

Surgical examination revealed that the woman had been killed with a club after being criminally assaulted. Her skull was crushed.

Earlier police reports fix her identity as Mildred Tracy, inmate of a Culver City sanitarium, who had escaped from the institution yesterday. This identification later was proved erroneous.

The body when found was only partly clad, the greater portion of the clothing having been torn off, apparently in the struggle which the victim had waged with her attacker.

No marks of identification could be found on the clothing that remained on the body or on the articles which had been torn off and lay scattered about.

A bloodstained battered club was found nearby.

BASEBALL SCORES

American			
At Boston.	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia.....	6	8	1
Boston.....	5	16	1
Batteries: Rommel, Harris, Walberg and Cochrane; Quinn, Wingfield and Piechick.			
At Cleveland.	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis.....	3	6	4
Cleveland.....	5	6	0
Batteries: Bush and Dion; Smith and Myatt.			
At Washington.	R.	H.	E.
New York.....	1	7	2
Washington.....	10	14	2
Batteries: Shocker, Johnson and O'Neill; Bengough, Johnson and Ruel.			
National			
ST. LOUIS, April 22.—The St. Louis Cardinals staged a slugging party in the first inning of their game today with the Cincinnati Reds, obtaining twelve hits and eleven runs. Donohue, Sheehan and Dibut were driven from the box and Diemiller finished the stanza. Every man on the local team got at least one hit.			
At Pittsburgh.	R.	H.	E.
Chicago.....	1	5	0
Pittsburgh.....	6	11	1
Batteries: Kaufman and Hartnett; Morrison and Smith.			
At New York.	R.	H.	E.
Boston.....	5	9	2
New York.....	6	12	2
Batteries: Cooney and Gibson; Neft, Scott and Snyder, Hagley.			
At Philadelphia.	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn.....	7	17	4
Philadelphia.....	8	12	1
Batteries: Grimes and Taylor; Carlson, Knight, Hubbell and Henline.			

SEARCH COAST IN AIRPLANES FOR CONVICTS

All California Aroused Over Murder Trail Left By Floyd Hall and Joe Tanko, Two Convicts Who Escaped San Quentin.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 22.—Two airplanes were enlisted today in the search for Floyd Hall and Joe Tanko, escaped San Quentin convicts, when the San Francisco aviation club suggested search be conducted from the air as well as from the ground.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 22.—Floyd Hall and Joe Tanko, escaped convicts who shot Policeman Clyde Nunn severely yesterday in an automobile running riot, were still at large today with city police and county officers searching city hideouts and countryside. The men are murderers and fled from a life imprisonment sentence at San Quentin state penitentiary two weeks ago by going over its walls.

The young highwaymen, one armed with a rifle, shot Patrolman Nunn as he overhauled them as they rode in an automobile which they had commandeered along with his own. Many citizens, nearly all of whom later identified prison photographs of the escaped convicts as those of the bandits of yesterday, who also are believed to be the men who shot and killed H. J. Litzberg, a merchant, in his store here last week.

The shooting of Patrolman Nunn was dramatic and without warning. The holdup of Harlow by the bandits was witnessed by citizens who saw one bandit climb into the front seat with his two year old daughter. The second occupied the rear seat.

Nunn and another patrolman, A. J. Taylor, each in his automobile were returning to their homes going off duty. The policemen learned of the Harlow episode and overtook the bandit car after a few blocks.

Taylor's car cut in front of the Harlow machine and Nunn challenged the bandits. A rifle shot was the reply and Nunn fired with his pistol until he layed into unconsciousness. Taylor pursued the fleeing bandits, but lost trace of them.

Nunn was shot in the chest, the bullet passing around his ribs and emerging from his back. He is not believed to be fatally wounded.

JAIL FUGITIVE STEALS OVERCOAT FROM RANCHER

ROSEBURG, Ore., April 22.—Lee Duncan, alias R. G. Harper, who escaped from the county jail yesterday after slugging Deputy Sheriff Sewell, stole an overcoat and food at the Fred Fisher Roberts creek ranch, according to word received this morning by Sheriff Starmer. Mrs. A. L. Johnson who resides at the ranch, telephoned this morning that an army overcoat had been stolen off the porch where it was used for covering flowers and that a half gallon of milk and several pounds of dried prunes had also been taken.

Duncan escaped without hat or coat so officers are sure that he was responsible for the theft of the overcoat. Duncan was last seen yesterday in the vicinity of Glenaville, and the ranch where the thefts were reported is a direct line south from that point. Trails leading into Doie and Myrtle Creek are being closely guarded by officers in an effort to apprehend the escaped prisoner.

KLAMATH FALLS HAS ANOTHER SNOWSTORM

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 22.—A driving snow storm far more severe than the others which have descended upon Klamath since the close of winter, blew in from the northwest today and was still raging late this morning. The surrounding hills were blanketed with white, while the snow was remaining even inside the city except on the heavily traveled streets.

Coal Oil Fire Fatal In Redding, California

REDDING, Cal., April 22.—Albert Ahrens, 25, died late last night of burns, received earlier in the evening, when a coal oil can exploded while he was attempting to start a fire in the hall of a fraternal organization here. An older brother, John, was also burned severely when he attempted to rescue the brother. The father of the boys was attracted by their cries and came to their rescue.

Chauncey Depew to Celebrate His 91st By Keeping On Job

NEW YORK, April 22.—Chauncey M. Depew, former United States senator from New York and now active as chairman of the board of directors of the New York Central railroad, tomorrow will celebrate his 91st birthday by going to work as usual at his desk in the railroad's offices here.

In an interview today he said: "Believe in your country, your fellow man, have faith in God, be reasonably, careful of your diet and temperate in your appetite and the rest of the problem will take care of itself."

CHILD IS KILLED BY SPANKING GRANDMA HELD

TILLAMOOK, Ore., April 22.—The death yesterday of Sylvia Louise Deschamps, aged four, at the farm home of her grandmother, Mrs. M. C. Paton, 35 miles south of Tillamook, following a beating, which the grandmother admitted to District Attorney Barrick, she had given the child, will be investigated tomorrow by the county grand jury, Barrick announced today. The nature of charges, if any will be determined by the findings of the grand jury, he added. Mrs. Paton is in jail here.

The girl's body was taken in charge late yesterday by Coroner Hinkle after investigation by Barrick and Deputy Sheriff Lucas of reports that the child had died after receiving a beating with a strap at the hands of the grandmother. Mrs. Paton, the authorities declared, said she had corrected the child for a minor fault, and that the beating followed an attempt by the child to strike back. Mrs. Paton said she did not intend to harm the child and did not realize she was striking the child hard.

The child went out to play after the whipping, and later came in complaining of feeling ill. Mrs. Paton put her in a chair and later to bed. She said she sent for aid to a neighbor's home. Sylvia was the daughter of Mrs. Cora M. Deschamps, of Portland and Peter C. Deschamps, of Washougal, Wash. The parents were separated and the mother had sent Sylvia and three other children to the grandmother's home last year.

Mrs. Paton has been homesteading a forty acre tract in the Meda district. She is 59 years of age.

FIRE DESTROYS SALT LAKE RESORT

SALT LAKE CITY, April 22.—Saltair resort on Great Salt Lake, twelve miles west of here and nationally famous, was reported after late afternoon. Flames were visible from here and the city fire apparatus has been dispatched to the scene.

At 3:35 o'clock it was reported that practically the entire resort had been destroyed and that the flames had spread to the roof of the dance pavilion which is declared the largest of its kind in the world.

The cause of the fire is unknown but it is said to have originated in a restaurant known as the Ship Cafe.

Wall Street Report

NEW YORK, April 22.—The closing was steady. United States Cast Iron Pipe rallied 4 1/2 points above last night's close in the final hour. Frisco common moved up 3 1/2; Mack Trucks, 3 and Maxwell Motors "B," U. S. Rubber, General Electric, Pierce Arrow preferred and Norfolk and Western two to 2 1/2.

Reversal of selling pressure gave the morning stock market a spotty appearance but good buying operated during the afternoon and many of the earlier losses were recovered. Total sales approximated 1,200,000 shares.

GOV. PIERCE THREATENED BY RECALL

R. J. Kirkwood, President of State Sportsmen Declares if Ben Dorris Is Not Reinstated Recall Will Be Started—Sees Wreck of Fish and Game in Pierce Plan.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 22.—Failure of Governor Walter M. Pierce to reappoint Ben Dorris of Eugene to the state game commission will result in recall proceedings against the state executive, it was announced here yesterday by R. J. Kirkwood, president of the State Sportsmen's association. Kirkwood asserted that the sportsmen's association and other allied groups were ready to start the recall proceedings at any time. He indicated that a group of men would appear before the governor and insist upon the reinstatement of Dorris. If he refuses, recall petitions will be started at once.

"If Governor Pierce follows out his present plan of building up a political machine through the game department, fish and game work will be set back for ten years," charged Kirkwood.

Governor Loses Out
SALEM, Ore., April 22.—A heated argument took place at a meeting of the state board of control today over the question of whether the state, in its contract for construction of the new state training school should enforce a contract which has been signed and which provides that the contractor must come under the workmen's compensation act while on that work. Governor Pierce held that the contract should be enforced, but he was voted down by State Treasurer Kay and Secretary of State Koser and the contract will be altered accordingly.

The contractor, it appears, is insured with the Aetna Casualty and Surety company and Karl Lively, a representative of that firm, participated in the discussion. It was claimed that the policy furnished by the company provides for practically the same benefits as provided by the state department.

W. A. Marshall, of the accident commission, sided with the governor in the argument which became tropical at times.

The governor averred that the insurance company "had a knife at the heart of state compensation and will kill it." Kay declared that the governor had done more than anyone else to kill it by urging withdrawal of state aid for the department. Both the governor and Kay said they were in favor of state compensation, but the governor said he favored compulsory insurance under the state commission while Kay said he opposed it.

Koser's vote was on the basis of a precedent set when the same contractor built a wing on the eastern Oregon insular hospital at Pendleton. The contract at that time provided for state compensation, but this provision was not enforced by the state, and it is said the contractor signed a similar contract for the training school in the supposition that again it would not be enforced.

The action taken today does not establish a policy with respect to future contracts. This is to be taken up later.

BREWERY PROSPERS SPITE OF VOLSTEAD

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Anheuser Busch, Inc., a brewing company formed fifty years ago by two St. Louis families with a capitalization of \$240,000 will be reincorporated for \$18,000,000 on June 9 when the original Missouri charter expires, it was announced today.

The original holdings have been retained by the immediate Anheuser and Busch families now in the second and third generations and the increase in the value of the stock, President Busch states, represents the reinvestment of large earnings in the business.

OMAHA SALESMAN SELLS INSURANCE POLICY TO MAN HE RUNS DOWN

OMAHA, Neb., April 22.—Omaha today claims the champion salesman of the universe.

Yesterday John Rosenzweig, a debonair representative of a life insurance company, was arrested on a reckless driving charge and when taken to the police station, declared himself "happy to be arrested."

While desk Sergeant Payne arranged Rosenzweig's bond the salesman lectured him on life insurance and before he was released had Payne's signature on the dotted line. Recently after a collision with another machine Rosenzweig explained to the disgruntled motorist that it was a miracle he wasn't killed and then sold him a policy on the spot.

SEATTLE ST. PAUL LIMITED HITS BURNED BRIDGE, MEN IN ENGINE'S CAB KILLED

MILES CITY, Mont., April 22.—Both the engineer and fireman of the Columbian, crack passenger train on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, were killed this morning at 10:15 o'clock when the train hit a burned out bridge and the engine durned ten feet into a dry run three miles west of Railway, Mont.

As the engine plunged the air lines burst, automatically setting the