

The Weather	
Prediction. Unsettled, showers	
Maximum yesterday	87
Minimum today	54.7
Precipitation	.09

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Weather Year Ago	
Maximum	91
Minimum	50

Daily—Twenty-fourth Year.
Weekly—Fifty-third Year.

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EARL SANDE'S DARK HORSE WINS DERBY

'Flying Ebony' Ridden By America's Premier Jockey, Captures \$50,000 Classic From 'Captain Hal' in Final Quarter—Record Breaking Crowd Cheers the Winner

CHURCHILL DOWNS, Louisville, Ky., May 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—Flying Ebony, ridden by Earl Sande, won the \$50,000 Kentucky derby today while 75,000 to 80,000 spectators cheered their tribute.

Captain Hal finished second and Son of John third.

The time was 2:07 2/5. Here is the close-up:

Flying Ebony leading at quarter. Captain Hal leading at half. Captain Hal leading at three-quarter. Flying Ebony wins.

A marvelous crowd. Churchill Downs, Louisville, Ky., May 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—With the grandstands, clubhouse lawn and every inch of standing room packed to the limit, a record-breaking crowd was streaming through the gates at the Churchill Downs course this afternoon to witness the 51st running of the \$50,000 Kentucky derby.

Early indications pointed to an attendance of more than 80,000, the greatest throng that ever witnessed a horse race in America. As the afternoon wore on the sun gave prospects of continuing to shine for the race, which is scheduled to be run a little before 5 o'clock, central standard time.

By 2 o'clock the course was packed with a sweltering, elbowing crowd. Notable personages and persons of importance gathered from all over the land for the event. Leaders in the political and financial worlds held forth in the clubhouse while the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker were no less enthusiastic on the lawn before the grandstand.

Below the clubhouse, grandstand and paddock the vistas of vantage were measured by inches, coveted by the less fortunate and cherished by the more resourceful. The grandstand was taxed to its utmost by thousands who came as early as 8 o'clock. In the clubhouse the open spaces were only slightly less occupied than in the grandstand.

Enough automobiles to support an oil octopus were stored away like toys in every possible inch of parking space on the grounds. In the streets of the section and open spaces far beyond.

Automobiles were parked by states. Besprinkled throughout the long rows of boxes in grandstand and clubhouse were men and women known throughout the nation. A roll call of these personages might well have resembled a section from American "Who's Who." There was William Gibbs McAdoo and Mrs. McAdoo, daughter of the late President Wilson. They came from their home in Los Angeles.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt of New York was another box holder. Mrs. Vanderbilt owns the great Saratoga. Mrs. Payne Whitney, owner of the Green Tree, was another, as was Harry Payne Whitney, who came to see his colors borne.

Marshall Field was here, although his derby candidate, Stimulus, has failed to train for the event.

The American Legion was well represented. National Commander James A. Drain of Indianapolis was a box holder as was John R. Quinn of San Francisco, past national commander.

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Students Choose Queen of Beauty



Students of Illinois Wesleyan University, at Bloomington, didn't go any farther away than Bloomington for a queen of beauty. They chose Grace Barr home-town girl.

FRANCE BITTER OVER DEMAND TO PAY WAR DEBT

Paris Newspapers Criticize the United States for Asking Settlement of War Debt—Point to Wealth of America, Poverty of France.

PARIS, May 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—Bitter editorial expressions appear in the Paris newspapers today in referring to the inter-allied debt problem. Comment is, however, important gathered from all over the land for the event. Leaders in the political and financial worlds held forth in the clubhouse while the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker were no less enthusiastic on the lawn before the grandstand.

L'Ére Nouvelle, representing the governmental majority, remarks that the question soon will be reduced to a business discussion.

"French opinion," it continues, "has been stirred by the crudeness of the American demands. We do not conceal the fact that this crudeness jars on our sensibilities, sharpened by so much suffering and so many disappointments. But we must take the facts as they are and try to forget all that might have been done to make them otherwise."

Le Journal comments along the same lines, but in a bitter tone, giving figures calculated to contrast the immense prosperity of the United States and the immense poverty of France growing out of the war.

L'Œuvre, another organ of the left, is the bitterest of all and says France now is paying for having made the mistake of thinking that Woodrow Wilson represented America.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—Debt settlement negotiations are in progress not only with France, but with Italy, Belgium, Czechoslovakia and Roumania.

The American debt funding commission has advised all five governments that the United States would like to bring the debt question to a solution promptly.

In addition, Ambassador Herriek at Paris has informed the French government that the Washington government would be pleased if a French debt commission were sent to this country.

Some inkling of the conversations with France previously had been permitted to reach the public, but it was not disclosed until today that Washington had taken the initiative in seeking a general refunding arrangement with all her principal war debtors.

NOW TIME TO PAY UP SAYS U.S.A.

President Coolidge Addresses Identical Note to Nine Foreign Nations That Time Has Now Come for Settlement—French Evasions Are Pointed Out Particularly.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—(A. P.)—The American government has advised its European debtors that in its opinion the time has come for settlement.

In a communication addressed to nine nations, it has expressed an earnest desire that the war debt question be brought to a solution without further delay.

The nations so notified are France, Italy, Belgium, Roumania, Greece, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia, Estonia and Latvia.

Disclaiming any intention to unduly press for payment where payment is impossible, the communication nevertheless reflects the view of Washington that the acute stage of the reconstruction period is passing, and that the debtor nations should be in a position to put their promises to pay into definite agreement.

The nations addressed made up the whole list of important war borrowers, except for Russia, where there is no recognized government to which a communication could be addressed.

For many months the administration has been under ever-increasing pressure from leaders in congress and others who opposed any longer delay in resolving the obligations of the borrowing nations into definite paper agreements to pay.

During this period, France in particular, has made a succession of diplomatic gestures indicating that she would enter into discussions at some unnamed future date under unspecified conditions, but not one concrete proposal emerged from all the discussion.

The debt commission, despite the repeated delays, has adhered, until the present, to the policy of waiting proposals from abroad, taking the view that the debtors should have plenty of time to turn themselves around financially before they could properly be pressed for a settlement.

In the opinion of Washington, the acute reconstruction period now is passing or has passed, however, and with the operation of the Dawes plan it is felt here that Europe is in a position to commit itself definitely to payment.

During the period of waiting, fruitful proposals came from exactly half of the ten principal debtors. Those who voluntarily entered into negotiations which resulted in funding agreements were Great Britain, Hungary, Finland, Lithuania and Poland.

Congress has charged the debt commission with responsibility for keeping the subject before those countries which have not settled and the recent notification to the five remaining debtors, though sent thru the state department, emanated from the debt commission. It is understood that the communication to Mr. Herriek, dispatched last week, instructed him to say that the settlement made with Great Britain was regarded here as a desirable standard for other nations.

If paid today, the debts of the nine circled governments to Washington would amount to \$7,100,378,695 and the total is increasing daily as the interest column mounts.

The treasury's balance sheet, as of today, shows these figures, principal and interest:

Belgium, \$480,503,935; Czechoslovakia, \$117,697,996; Estonia, \$17,964,020; France, \$4,216,556,948; Greece, \$17,626,000; Italy, \$2,138,542,852; Latvia, \$6,352,129; Roumania, \$46,580,661; Jugoslavia, \$65,414,997. Grand total, \$7,100,378,695.

Equine Heroes of Kentucky Derby



The photographs above show Flying Ebony, winner of Kentucky's great racing classic today, and Captain Hal, who was a close second. Flying Ebony was ridden by Earl Sande, America's most famous jockey, who is a former Salem, Oregon, boy.

SMALL NATIONS DEFEND LEAGUE FROM ATTACK

Ex-Senator Burton's Plea to Divorce Arms Control From League, Meets With Strong Opposition — U. S. Envoy Stands Firm.

GENEVA, May 16.—(By Associated Press.) Spirited defense of the League of Nations characterized today's session of the international conference for the control of traffic in arms and munitions. This came during debate on the amendment to divorce the proposed international arms traffic control bureau from the league. The smaller states represented at the conference through the Spanish and Roumanian delegates said the league, although perhaps imperfect, was a going concern that represented the hope of humanity and that it would be useless to create a new organization which would only hinder the league.

The American amendment was eventually referred to a special committee of eight, including Congressman Burton of Ohio, head of the American delegation, who offered the amendment.

Mr. Burton defended his proposal that the control office be organized by the signers of the arms convention themselves instead of being appointed by league council members. He said this question was serious for America because of the League of Nations, of which the United States is not a member.

Mr. Burton said the delegates must recognize that his government sees practical difficulties in accepting treaty obligations concerning an organization set up by the league.

Representative Burton admitted that another article of the draft makes partial adherence possible, but said that altogether it was undesirable that a convention be adopted at which reservations would have to be made. One clause of this article, he said, would make conditional adherence depend upon the consent of other signers and also upon whether such adherence interfered with the effectiveness of arms control.

Third Sawmill in Bend.

BEND, Ore., May 16.—A third sawmill to cost \$1,500,000 is about to be built in Bend, according to a story being published in the Central Oregon Press today.

Marriage of Irish Song Bird Revealed After Seventeen Yrs.

NEW YORK, May 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—After being married for 17 years, Fiske O'Hara, whose Irish songs are features of the comedies in which he plays, is just announcing his wedding secret. Miss Pat Clary, his leading lady, is now revealed as Mrs. O'Hara.

Invitations have been issued for a formal announcement from the stage Sunday afternoon at the theater at which he is playing.

A clause in his contract hitherto has forbidden revelation of the marriage, it is explained.

HOLLY STREET WINS BY 431 IN 2810 TOTAL

Record-Breaking Vote Cast in High School Site Election—School Board to Start at Once Carrying Out Popular Mandate.

Notable features in connection with the record-breaking vote cast in the new high school site special election yesterday were that despite the warm campaign that preceded it, the result was greeted last night and today both by the victorious and defeated with very little elation or disappointment, and the fact that the election passed off so smoothly and the many votes were counted so quickly by the election officials.

The general feeling of all the voters according to hundreds of expressions heard, was that they were glad that it was all over and that now Medford is sure to have a new high school. Judging also from many expressions from voters on both sides, a large portion of the public were not in love with either of the two sites voted on.

A total of 2810 votes were cast, with the Holly street site getting 1603 and the P. & E. site 1172, a majority of 431 in favor of the Holly street site.

Only 13 "no site" votes were cast, which meant that the 13 persons so voting were either against both sides, or did not favor the building of a new high school. Blank ballots were cast to the number of 22.

The two efficient double election boards consisted of the following judges and clerks: Mesdames L. C. Garlock, Nina Colvig, Nora Kirkpatrick, and Prue A. Platt and Messrs. Martin McDonough, George G. Hewitt, Carl J. Tengwald, W. G. Crowson, W. P. Brooks and Russell Shewwood.

The highest flowed in and out steadily all today at the polls, except during the opening hour and closing hour when there was a slight congestion.

Contrary to custom of election boards the election officials last evening did not take an hour for the lunch before beginning the count, but got to work on the count at once when the polls closed at 7 p. m. Hence the announcement of the vote was made about 8:30.

The members of the school board both last night after the result was known and today freely declared that now that the wishes of the majority were known, as expressed at the election, nothing else remained for them to do but get busy at once on completing the details for preparing the site, settling the architect and plans, and rushing the work of building as fast as circumstances permit.

The board will have a meeting Monday or Tuesday night relating to details.

Yesterday's Results.
At Oakland 2, Portland 1.
At Vernon 6-0, Seattle 5-4.
At Sacramento 0, San Francisco 5.
At Salt Lake 3, Los Angeles 10.

GOVERNOR PARDONS WOMAN ATTACKER

SALEM, Ore., May 16.—Declaring his belief that Floyd Gauthier, serving ten years in the state penitentiary for a statutory offense involving a woman in Union county, is not guilty, Governor Pierce yesterday issued Gauthier a conditional pardon. Restoration of citizenship will depend on his future conduct.

The governor said the testimony of physicians indicated it would have been impossible for Gauthier to be the father of the woman's child and that another man, Chester Butcher, has admitted the guilt.

More Rain Predicted.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The weather outlook for the week beginning Sunday, May 17, was announced here today by the United States weather bureau as follows:

For California, Oregon and Washington: Considerable cloudiness and occasional local rains. Temperature at normal.

FIGHTING IS FURIOUS ON RABAT LINE

Heavy Reinforcements Rushed Up By Rifians, Put French Regulars to Test—Block-house Garrisons Nearly Wiped Out—Airplanes Lead in French Attacks.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
May 16.—Fighting between Rifian invaders and Marshall Lyautie's forces seeking to drive them out of French Morocco has become intensified, assuming the proportions of a pitched battle. The French continuing their endeavors to relieve outposts still besieged by the enemy, succeeded in retaking the garrison at Ameg only after storming trenches. The Moroccans are reported to have lost heavily in this engagement.

In the west General Colombat's men relieved the Maghala post, retaken two others and sent a detachment to succor a fourth.

The Hibane post apparently is not yet completely liberated. French aviators have followed the enemy's forces repulsed in Wednesday's drive, attempting to discover where their next concentration is likely to be.

Large reinforcements of tribesmen are reported concentrating before the French right wing.

Advices through the Spanish zone say that the Rifians have captured large stores of war materials and provisions.

The Spanish are continuing efforts to prevent concentrations of Moors in their territory, aviators dispersing Rifians with much gun fire.

RABAT, French Morocco, May 16.—(By Associated Press.) The French outpost at Aouley where fifty men have been surrounded for two weeks by Abd-el-Krim's invading Rifians, was relieved today by General Colombat's forces, an official communique announced.

The French troops had a hot fight cleaning out the Rifians who had surrounded the garrison. The rescuers, however, were aided by a half dozen members of the garrison who all were able to fight after two weeks of continuous day and night resistance to the tribesmen.

Captain Dubon and one other French officer and fifty Senegalese soldiers held the block house under constant fire.

Both officers had been wounded and only six of their men were able to continue fighting when the rescuers reached them today.

Death Toll of the Automobile

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 16.—J. J. Bickel, aged Sutherland man, who was injured this morning when he was struck by an automobile belonging to D. Levison of Globe, Ariz., died at Mercy hospital in this city shortly before one o'clock this afternoon. An inquest will be held tonight at seven o'clock.

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 16.—J. J. Pickett, aged 78 years, a resident of Sutherland, was perhaps fatally injured this morning when he was struck by an automobile driven by B. Levison, the machine being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. B. Levison and their three sons, all of Globe, Ariz. According to the occupants of the car, the aged man started across the road and then hesitated and turned back. A quick application of the brakes caused the heavy car to skid and the rear fender sidwiped the pedestrian knocking him to the pavement, breaking his right arm, his left leg, and inflicting deep scalp wounds and internal injuries. He was rushed to the hospital at Roseburg where he lies in a critical condition. His daughter, Mrs. Leta Young of Drain was called to his bedside.

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"GOSH! BUT WE ARE POOR!" SAYS ABBY, THANKS JOHN D. FOR TRAVEL CHECK

NEW YORK, May 16.—(By Associated Press.) A substantial check from John D. Rockefeller is to pay the expenses of the four-month European honeymoon of his 21-year-old granddaughter.

This most appropriate present of the hundred she received, is carried in her handbag by Mrs. David Rockefeller, who is Abby Rockefeller.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller were up betimes today in getting ready to sail on the liner Paris. Since their marriage they have made their headquarters in an apartment in the Central Park district, which friends have loaned them. Only a few intimate associates have known their address and to a series of taps on a certain door the friends with whom "Dave" and "Abby" used to dance and ride, were admitted for a farewell party last night.

An \$800 suite was reserved for the Miltons' trip on the Paris, for which they registered as "Mr. and Mrs. Steven V. Hammond." The principal room of the suite has two arm chairs, twin beds and one dressing table.

The bride is quoted as having commented on Grandfather's wedding gift as follows:

"It was just like Grandfather to give us what we need most. Gosh! we are both poor, you know."

Mr. Milton has an income of \$15,000 a year and the bride \$5000.

CLARENCE DARROW AND DUDLEY FIELD MALONE OFFER TO DEFEND MONKEY MAN

NEW YORK, May 16.—(A. P.)—Clarence Darrow of Chicago, and Dudley Field Malone of New York, today telegraphed Judge John Randolph Neal at Knoxville, Tenn., offering their services as defense counsel for Professor Scopes, who is to be tried for teaching evolution in violation of the Tennessee law. The action was prompted, Mr. Malone said, by the offer of William Jennings Bryan to aid the prosecution. The telegram made public by Mr. Malone follows:

"In view of the fact that scientists are so much interested in the pursuit of knowledge that they cannot make the money that lecturers and Florida real estate agents command, in case you should need us, we are willing, without fees or expenses, to help the defense of Professor Scopes in any way you may suggest or direct."

stance in your defense of Professor Scopes, who is to be prosecuted for teaching evolution, but we have read the report that Mr. William J. Bryan has volunteered to aid the prosecution.

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PIERCE PROCLAIMS OLD FRIENDS WEEK

SALEM, Ore., May 16.—Governor Pierce today issued a statement setting aside the week beginning Sunday, May 17, and ending Sunday, May 24, as "old friends week" in Oregon.

"It is my hope," says the statement, "that during this time as many old friends as possible may gather together to talk of old times, perhaps to sing old songs, and to recall once more the joys of other days; and may we all stop for a moment in our busy workaday lives and think of those friends both near and far who mean so much to us in the journey of life."