

**The Weather**

Prediction Fair  
 Maximum yesterday 76.5  
 Minimum today 41.5

# MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

**Weather Year Ago**

Maximum 81  
 Minimum 48

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## NAT'L GUARD TRAINS OFF FOR MEDFORD

Eight Special Trains En Route to City From All Parts of State—Baker and LaGrande First to Entrain—Portland Troops to Leave Tonight—Camp Is Ready.

SALEM, Ore., June 11.—Moving in eight special trains Oregon National Guardsmen from 29 cities and towns are on their way today to the annual maneuvers at Camp Jackson near Medford. Brigadier General George A. White, in charge of the encampment, declared this morning that he expects the attendance at this year's camp to break all previous records with more than 2500 men in attendance at the southern Oregon camp, while 300 more will attend the heavy artillery maneuvers at Fort Barry, Cal.

The first troops to leave their home-bills were those from Baker, who went forward bright and early this morning picking up the La Grande units en route. The Tillamook guardsmen also started moving early this morning. Troops from Willamette valley points will entrain this morning and the Portland units will leave home this afternoon and evening. Troops from cities along the main line of the Southern Pacific railroad will be picked up during the night and the entire guard is to be under canvas in the new camp by noon Friday.

Reports received here by Brigadier General White indicate the arrival of the advance guard of ten officers and 150 men who will prepare the camp for the arrival of the main body of troops. All other preliminary arrangements have been completed and the camp at Medford is ready for occupancy. All troops will have breakfast on the train and on arrival at camp will immediately take up the work of intensive training which is to continue for a period of fifteen days.

Saturday morning the entire command will pitch a shelter tent camp outside of the main camp for field inspection. Sunday forenoon military church services will be held in camp under the direction of Lieutenant Colonel William S. Gilbert, veteran chaplain of the 182nd infantry regiment. The bands of the two regiments will provide sacred music for these services.

Elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the guardsmen have been made by the people of Medford, these entertainments to be staged on week-end dates and evenings.

Training Starts Monday. Intensive training will begin Monday morning and is to continue throughout the encampment. Afternoons will be given over to mass athletics and physical development of the enlisted men and to battle problems and schools for officers and selected non-commissioned officers.

Visitors' day is to be observed on June 22, featuring a parade and review the troops leaving immediately thereafter for bivouac maneuvers, several miles north of camp. The command will also bivouac at Union Falls next Sunday night while en route to Crater Lake. Troops to participate in the Camp Jackson movement include the veteran 182nd infantry regiment and the new 187th infantry officered by World War veterans; Battery A, 148th field artillery; the 167th field hospital and Company A, 119th combat engineers.

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 11.—Company 4 162nd infantry, Roseburg's National Guard unit mobilized at the Armory today for the annual summer encampment to be held at Camp Jackson. Company D, has been recruited to peace strength and will have its full complement of men and officers on leaving for camp tonight. Clothing issues, tent pitching, and company inspection were the orders for the day, and this evening the men will be given a short leave before entraining at 11 o'clock.

Finishing touches are being put on Camp Jackson today by the 200 officers and men, including a number of the local unit, Company A, and all will be in readiness for the arrival of the eight troop trains tomorrow morning, the first of which will be here at 7:45 a. m.

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## Portland Hotel to Be Torn Down for Modern Structure

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11.—The Portland Hotel company has decided to erect a new hotel at the site of the present hotel, which has been one of the landmarks of the city for years. It was announced following a meeting of the directors yesterday. Razing of the present structure is not expected to begin until fall.

## DEFENDANT IN MONKEY TRIAL PLAYS THE GOAT

John T. Scopes, High School Teacher, Declares He Enjoys Experience, However—Dudley Malone Retained As Counsel—British Paper Ridicules W. J. B.

NEW YORK, June 11.—(By Associated Press.) Metaphorical goats instead of monkeys have figured largely in the closing hours of the New York visit of John T. Scopes, high school teacher who goes on trial next month at Dayton, Tenn., for violating the state law against the teaching of evolution.

In an address last night to sympathizers, Scopes told of his pleasure over being the "goat" in a fight for Meadville Dudley Field Malone, freedom of thought. New York lawyer who had been delegated to assist by research work, announced that he would not be a "goat"; that he would assist actively in the case or not at all, so he was accepted as one of the active counsel.

Scopes, who leaves for home today, was a guest at a dinner of the civic club last night. He said he was embarrassed in addressing the distinguished group of liberals and radicals first because he was young and inexperienced, and secondly because, while an automobile had been sent to get Clarence Darrow, one of his counsel, he had to walk to the club and get lost.

"Being a goat is not unpleasant," he said. "If you are going to be a goat you want to take thought as to whether you are to be a big goat or a little one. I really and truly think this is a fight for freedom of thought. This trial is not to judge whether I am a criminal."

As side lights of his New York visit Scopes said: "I found New Yorkers the most lovable people in the country, with the most greedy hotels and restaurants and the most selfish people—those reporters who wanted to monopolize all my time and not even let me see the Folies."

Theater Puts on Skit. If Scopes did not go to the Folies, he did find amusement at another theater in a skit forecasting the coming evolution trial. There were three characters, William Jennings Bryan as prosecutor, Scopes and a monkey as a witness.

John Randolph Neal, chief counsel for Scopes, who visited New York with him, has announced a revision in associated counsel. As now planned, they will be Clarence Darrow, Bainbridge Colby, Dudley Field Malone, Arthur Gifford Hays, eastern manager of the LaPollette campaign last fall and Charles W. Thomas, former senator from Colorado.

Malone was re-instated as an active trial associate after he gave notice that he would not do mere research work.

## SHEPHERD BEATEN IN 1ST ROUND

Court Denies Plea to Cut Out Portion of State's Opening Address Painting Alleged Germ Killer As Panhandler and Shyster Lawyer—Defense Makes Bull.

CHICAGO, June 11.—(A. P.) Strenuous effort by the defense to have Judge Thomas J. Lynch limit the opening statement of Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, opened the trial of William Darling Shepherd, who faced a jury charged with fatally administering typhoid germs, to his foster son, William Nelson McClintock.

When court opened 25 minutes after the hour set, William Scott Stewart, chief of defense counsel sought to have the state's outline of its case stripped of any reference to the deaths of Mrs. Emma Nelson McClintock and Dr. Oscar Olson, or autopsy over them, but Mr. Crowe successfully resisted the defense wish to limit him. Judge Lynch ruled that it would be improper to object if the state sought to introduce anything not allied with the death of young McClintock, but allied with what has been charged by Judge Harry Olson was a plot by Shepherd to obtain McClintock's \$1,000,000 estate by slaying those who stood between him and it.

The defendant, his wife, who sat across the aisle from him, and nearby spectators turned startled eyes upon young Mr. Stewart when at one point in his argument, he said: "But, judge, we do not want the jury to hear anything they should not hear. Instructions to them to remove it from their minds then would do no good. It would be in their minds like the blood on our hands."

He did not elaborate on or explain the statement and it apparently was a misapplied figure of speech. Miss Isabelle Pope who awaited with a marriage license to wed young McClintock when he lapsed into his last coma, appeared in the court room for the first time. She was accompanied by her attorney, John H. S. Lee.

After the witnesses had been excluded from the court room and the arguments, State's Attorney Crowe began his opening statement in a low, conversational voice that could not be heard a dozen feet away. Shepherd's Panhandlers. Prosecutor Crowe referred to Shepherd and Mrs. Shepherd as "panhandlers," who had lived off Mrs. McClintock for years before her mysterious death and since had lived off her estate.

Shepherd, the prosecutor described as a man who never had earned more than \$15 a week.

An extensive study of chemistry was ascribed to the defendant by the prosecutor who referred to study in the Indianapolis, Ind., high school, a western drug store owned by Mrs. Shepherd's father and in a private laboratory hidden in a secret closet at the McClintock home in Kenilworth, a North Shore suburb of Chicago.

## Here Is Dempsey's British Foe But the Bout's for Sweet Charity



Jack Dempsey is going to appear in the ring while abroad but only in exhibition affairs. He has already agreed to box Phil Scott, British heavy in a charity affair at Brighton, England, late in June. Photos show Scott in action and latest photo of Dempsey taken on board the liner on which he went to Europe.

## A. W. WALKER IS AWARDED FIRE INSURANCE CASH

Local Auto Dealer Wins a Sweeping Victory in Circuit Court When Jury Allows Sum Asked for With Interest and Atty. Fees.

After one hour of deliberation the jury in the civil suit of A. W. Walker against the Fireman's Fund Insurance company for insurance in connection with the destruction by fire of the Walker garage on Grape street in which several automobiles belonging to Walker were destroyed, returned a verdict completely in favor of the plaintiff this afternoon.

Walker was awarded \$10,366.02 insurance, the total amount asked for; interest on this sum of \$2,591.50 and also attorney fees amounting to \$200.

This suit of the A. W. Walker Auto company was the result of a fire on February 11, 1921, in the Walker warehouse on North Grape street, this city.

The present trial was the second hearing of the case, a verdict in favor of Walker being reversed last April by a decision of the state supreme court, and a rehearing was ordered.

There were 17 cars, a tractor, and a couple of trucks in the warehouse when the fire broke out, the vehicles being the second-hand used car department of the auto firm. Some were burned up, and some were singed and scared by the flames, the extent of the latter being one of the crucial points in the suit.

## SAYS SITUATION IN CHINA NOT SO ALARMING

WASHINGTON, June 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Consul-General Cunningham reported to the state department today that there was "no cause for alarm for the safety of American lives and property" at present in the Shanghai region. There had been "great improvement" in general conditions, he said, although the strike was "not subsiding perceptibly."

CANTON, June 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Yang Hai-Min, Yunnan commander, told the Associated Press correspondent today that soviet Russia had offered the Yunnanese \$10,000,000 and 50,000 rifles with appropriate ammunition provided a certain agreement was signed.

General Yang said the offer was refused. He did not say what the proposed agreement contained.

SHANGHAI, June 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Chinese students charged with being involved in recent disturbances here were today ordered by the mixed courts at the conclusion of their trial to furnish bonds guaranteeing their good behavior.

SHANGHAI, June 11.—(A. P.) The shipping situation became acute on the riverfront here today when coastal steamers suspended sailing leaving this class of shipping virtually paralyzed. Twenty-eight vessels are tied up for want of Chinese crews.

In the business and residential districts, however, the strike situation continues to improve today despite the desperate efforts of agitators who were busy canvassing for the strike. The distribution of printed matter advocating the strike continued today.

## Al Smith to Quit Politics for Job On New York World

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 11.—Governor Alfred E. Smith will refuse to run for governor or United States senator and retire from politics at the end of his present term, according to an Albany dispatch published by the Syracuse Herald today.

## HARRY THAW IS CAUSE TRAFFIC JAM, BROADWAY

Curiosity Seekers Force Slayer of Stanford White to Flee From Cabaret, After Passing Out Tips and Greeting Chorus Girls.

NEW YORK, June 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Traffic was jammed this morning when Harry K. Thaw, who came back to Broadway last night after a week's absence at Winchester, Va., emerged from a cabaret. He spent the evening and early morning there doing nothing much but responding to welcomes by Rialto belles and sipping ice water and orangeade.

Several hundred curious persons crowded to the doors to see him. He seemed startled and fled to a taxicab. Curious folk pursued him through Central park then left him alone when he returned to the cabaret.

His bill for the evening, which included \$2 table d'hote dinners for himself and two male companions, amounted to \$35. Of this amount \$5 went for a tip to the head waiter, \$3 to his table waiter and \$1 to the hat checker.

Chorus girls amused him during the evening and he was introduced to all who took part in a revue. He told one she reminded him of Lillian Russell.

Thaw declined to dance, as he said he had not kept up with the modern steps. Even an old-fashioned waltz, played for his benefit, failed to shake his determination not to appear on the floor. He said he was going to stay in New York until he had seen every cabaret.

BASEBALL SCORES

National		
At Cincinnati	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	3 9 2	
Cincinnati	8 12 3	
Batteries: Couch, Betts and Henline, Wilson; Donohue and Wingo.		
American		
At Chicago	R. H. E.	
New York	4 6 3	
Chicago	7 8 2	
Batteries: Nehf, Huntzinger, Wisner and Gowdy; Jones and Hartnett.		
At Pittsburg	R. H. E.	
Boston	3 9 3	
Pittsburg	11 15 2	
Batteries: Ryan and Gibson; Yde and Gooch.		
At Philadelphia	R. H. E.	
Chicago	6 11 1	
Philadelphia	5 9 0	
Batteries: Robertson, Cvangros and Cruise; Rommel, Stokes and Cochran, Perkins.		

## WAR BREAKS OUT IN NOVA SCOTIA CITY

Mob of Miners Seize Power Station and Repel Mounted Police — One Miner Killed, Scores Injured and Prominent Officials Missing — Government Takes Action.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 11.—(A. P.) Announcement that steps to quell the disorders at New Waterford have been taken by the government which will throw all its resources toward restoring order, was made here late today by Attorney General W. J. O'Hearn.

NEW WATERFORD, N. S., June 11.—(A. P.) William Davis, a striker is dead and scores of miners and company police are injured as a result of a fight today for possession of the Waterford power plant which operates several mines involved in the British Empire Steel corporation's controversy with its employees.

Several injured were taken to hospitals where it was said that Gilbert Watson, a striker, was seriously wounded. The fight ensued when miners re-joining striking pickets who had been ejected from the power plant early today attempted to forcibly re-take it from company police. The guard was overpowered after a fifteen minute struggle during which an effort was made to charge the attacking force with mounted police. The horses were surrounded and several policemen dragged to the ground and badly mauled.

Cut off from the power house the mounted contingent attempted to retreat toward the town a mile distant. They were pursued by the mob hurling stones and other missiles. Some anxiety was expressed by friends of General Manager McCann when it was learned that he and a number of other officials of the corporation had been in the power station when it was recaptured by strikers and have not since been seen. Some of the guards in the plant escaped to nearby woods and it was thought the missing men may have been among these.

Twenty-four members of the company mounted police were driven into New Waterford after the mob had scattered the forces defending the power plant, were rescued by the town police and placed in the jail for safekeeping. All had been badly beaten and one had a severe scalp wound. Several asked for hospital treatment but Chief of Police Dan Graham refused to allow them to be taken to the hospital, fearing that the place would be raided. They were still protected by the bars of the jail late today.

Babe Ruth Hits First Home Run Of 1925 Season

NEW YORK, June 11.—(A. P.)—Babe Ruth hit his first home run of the season in the seventh inning today, a drive into the right field bleachers at the Yankee stadium. Miller was pitching for Cleveland.

The "Daily" Bank Robbery

INDIANAPOLIS, June 11.—The Sixteenth Street bank here was held up today by two men and \$4300 in currency was taken.

PADUCAH, Ky., June 11.—(A. P.) Two unmasked men entered the bank at Carville today, forced the president and cashier to open the vault and escaped with currency and liberty bonds worth approximately \$17,000, authorities here were notified.

## COAST GROCERS ROAST COFFEE ROASTERS AND THREATEN BOYCOTT

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11.—Coffee roasters and packers were placed on the gridiron at the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Grocers' association here today. Explanation was asked why they sell to chain stores with the privilege of price cutting while retail grocers are expected to maintain fixed prices.

The representatives of the big coffee roasting firms were told that they would be boycotted by the retail grocers of the Pacific coast until they maintained prices on coffee and required all of their customers to do likewise.

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## Daily Report on the Crime Wave

CHICAGO, June 11.—(A. P.) Edward Dean, a veteran policeman today defended \$9000 receipts of the Chicago Motor Coach company, at the probable cost of his life.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—The government today filed an anti-trust suit in Chicago seeking the dissolution of an alleged monopoly in cattle and calf hair and hair lot.

Chinese paintings in 906 A. D. were done on bronze silk.