

The Weather
Forecast—Fair and warm tonight and Saturday.
Maximum yesterday 92
Minimum today 48

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Weather Year Ago
Maximum 97
Minimum 57

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Today

By Arthur Brisbane
A Woman at 49.
Money Is Easier.
Defense by Retaliation.
One Animal, Two Brains.

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Ethel Barrymore, 49 years old yesterday, told friends she was enjoying life "as much as ever."

She ought to be enjoying life MORE than ever.

For an intelligent woman real life begins at 49. Wise providence wouldn't let women do important mental work much before 50. Up to that age Nature intends women to be busy with children.

The money situation is better for prosperity and business. Apparently Federal Reserve authorities have decided that promoting usurious rates of interest in order to "let out" respectable financiers that sold the market short a year ago is not wise.

The price of "call money" dropped to 4 1/2 per cent Wednesday, lowest since May 3.

The day before the rate was 7 per cent. Quite a change.

When the President returns from fishing, he might have a commission of his own to investigate respectabilities that sold the market short a year ago and got the Federal Reserve to help them "cover" their foolishness.

London authorities, after the mimic air war, announce unanimously "London cannot be defended successfully by anti-aircraft measures. The only real safety lies in attacking the raiders."

Enough airplanes to repel attack require gigantic air fleets. The best plan is to prepare a great air fleet to drop bombs and poison gas, so that no enemy would dare attack, knowing that its own cities would be immediately destroyed by British forces.

Some day our country will think about air defense. It hasn't even established a separate air force. We tie our flying forces to old army, and navy fogies. That is like leaving management of railroads to an old stage coach line.

Roy Chapman Andrews, searching for strange things in Central Asia, reports finding an extinct monster as big as the Woolworth building.

Such an animal, if carnivorous, could carry home in its mouth a couple of big elephants and walk through an ordinary city crushing buildings as it went.

But it had a small head, LITTLE OR NO THINKING POWER. That is why it is no longer with us.

The biggest dinosaur thus far known had one brain in its head, and another half way down the spine, to work the lower part of the body. It hadn't enough energy in the top brain to work the whole dinosaur.

Sometimes, when you consider our government, you feel that this country is getting in the dinosaur class, and needs another brain located somewhere along the line.

Commander Byrd takes a band with him to the South Pole. The seals, whales and penguins will also bear a fine talking machine supplied with 150 records.

The sad little penguins, so gentle, trustful and harmless, will waddle up to hear the music, and get knocked on the head for their pains and eaten.

This reminds you of old kings that sent out bands to play with their soldiers. The soldiers marched cheerfully behind until they were knocked on the head, human penguins.

Mighty is the power of time and

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BE FAIR TO ALL ADVICE OF HOOVER

Republican Candidate Gets Warm Welcome in Los Angeles and Gives Brief Speech Endorsing Boulder Dam Project—California Urged to Consider Rights of Other States Involved.

(By James L. West, Associated Press Staff Writer.)

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Herbert Hoover, republican presidential nominee, arrived here today from his Stanford university home to receive a tumultuous greeting from thousands of Los Angeles citizens and a formal welcome from Mayor George E. Cryer at the city hall.

This was the third stop on the southern California itinerary, the first having been in the forenoon at Santa Barbara, where he visited the ancient Spanish mission and a number of the great estates and gardens of Montecito, just outside that city.

Accompanying the presidential nominee were Mrs. Hoover, his son Allan, George Akerson, his secretary, and a number of political leaders, close personal friends and newspaper correspondents and photographers who came west for the notification ceremonies at Stanford university last Saturday.

GLENDALE, Cal., Aug. 17.—(AP)—This city in the foothills, gave Herbert Hoover, republican presidential nominee, a lusty reception as his special train halted here 10 minutes today, outside the gateway to Los Angeles.

The republican nominee arrived at 12:50 p. m. and left at 1:00 for Los Angeles. He made a short speech from the rear platform of his train to the 200 persons gathered to welcome him. He greeted them as "citizens of the fastest growing city of America."

Mr. Hoover was introduced to the crowd by Mayor Harry G. McBain, who complimented him on his peace-time and war-time accomplishments.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—(AP)—California should meet in every reasonable way the needs and views of the other states in the Colorado river basin in the final formulation of Boulder dam legislation, Herbert Hoover declared here today in an address at the city hall.

"The future welfare of all states touching the river is forever interdependent," he said, "and it can be promoted only by a sense of common interest and justice to all sides."

Asserting that it was desirable to have the greatest reservoir at Boulder dam, "that the engineers would recommend," the republican presidential candidate declared he was "hopeful that the project will receive favorable action from the present congress."

"I never came to California without wondering over its extraordinary development," he said, "This city represents one of the most remarkable human migrations in history. Upwards of two million of people who have poured into southern California have built one of the first rank of American cities. Nor is its growth over. There is but one limitation which looms upon the horizon of the future, and that is adequate water supply."

"That can and must be assured from the Colorado river in ample time to meet your expanding needs. I sincerely need repeat my support to that development which I have so often given during the last seven years. We want the greatest reservoir at Boulder canyon that the engineers will recommend, and I am hopeful that the project will receive favorable action from the present congress."

"I feel deeply that California should meet in every reasonable way the needs and views of the other states in the basin in the final formulation of that legislation. The future welfare of all states touching the river is forever interdependent and it can be promoted only by a sense of common interest and justice to all sides."

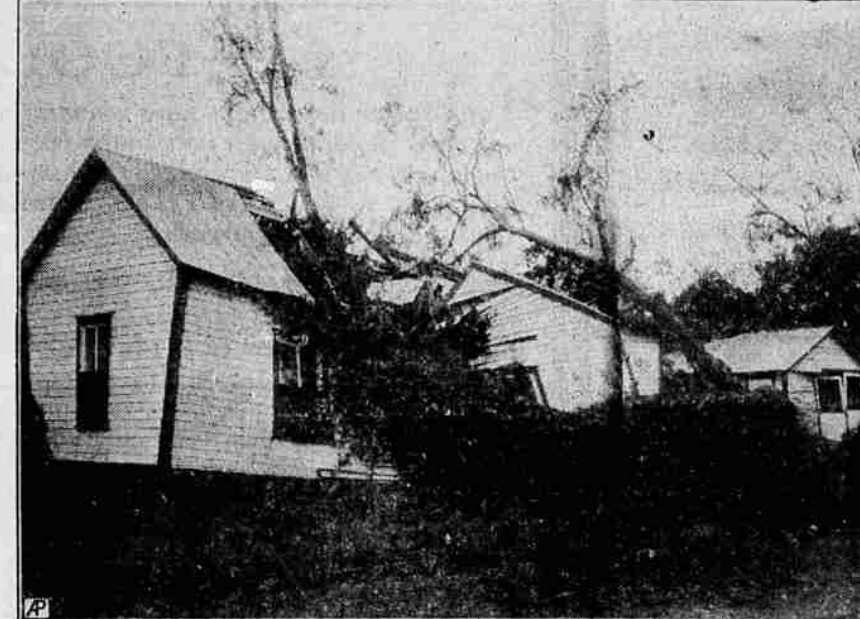
"The Colorado river basin is one of our richest national assets. The full development of its land and water power will in years to come be the scene of hundreds of thousands of new homes. Its outlet to the sea is through southern California. Its development will bring added greatness."

"There is every reason for mutual cooperation in its development."

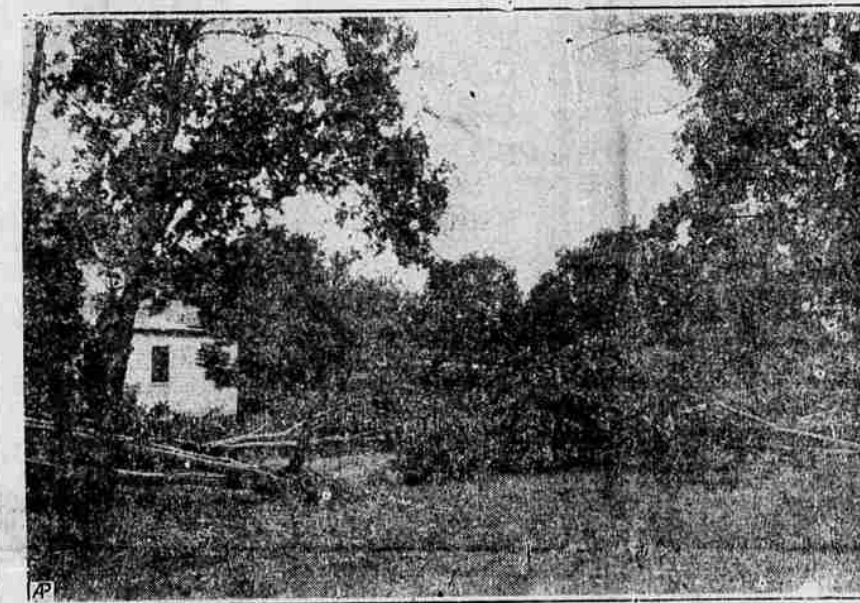
Stops in Santa Barbara
SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Aug. 17.—(AP) Making his first stop in southern California, Herbert Hoover, republican presidential candidate, arrived here today to

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KISSIMMEE HOME WRECKED BY HURRICANE



Hundreds of houses, like this one in Kissimmee, Florida, suffered extensive damage under the fierce wind which swept through the state. A remarkable feature of the storm is that there was no loss of life reported.



The recent West Indian hurricane which swept Florida caused damage estimated at \$100,000,000 to citrus orchards in its path. The above picture shows an orange grove near Orlando with trees uprooted and fruit scattered the morning after the storm.

10 KILLED BY STORMS, SOUTH STILL FEARFUL

Four Southern States On Atlantic Seaboard Suffer Terrible Losses in Life and Property—Predict Continued Storms.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 17.—(AP)—Four southeastern states counted 10 dead and great property damage in the wake of storms and floods today.

In the wake of receding waters railroads, telegraph and telephone companies were struggling against heavy odds to restore communication lines which were broken by raging waters in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.

Property owners in those states contemplated thousands of acres of wrecked farm land, destroyed and damaged homes and buildings as well as unestimated bridge and highway damage which cannot be restored for months.

While showers were forecast for the affected states today, the drenching rains and storm winds of the last few days apparently had subsided.

Probably the greatest menace obtained along the Broad river in South Carolina, which is the drainage channel for the western edge of North Carolina as well, where a Lockhart Power company dam had already burst near Union, S. C.

The structure, 1000 feet long and 18 feet high, cracked at midnight, threatening, as a result the Broad River valley dams to Columbia. While officials said there was no danger to residents in the valley, some families were declared by an officer at Union, S. C., to have moved to safety in the territory immediately below Lockhart.

Union Manufacturing company's dam at Nell's Shoals and the Broad River company's dam at "Tarp" Shoals, near Columbia were already to 12 feet under the flood crest with all gates open. Early today the crack in the long Lockhart structure was believed to be small with enough vent to relieve the pressure and prevent collapse. All the dams, as are the most of the Piedmont country's power dams, are concrete.

Dams Stand Tests

Some 40 miles to the west the paralleling Saluda river, with its string of power dams, was declared to be falling as a result of loosened flood gates at Ware Shoals and other points.

Further up the Broad in North Carolina, danger apparently had subsided, reports indicating that Lake Leno dam near Asheville had withstood the surge of flood waters. Many small dams in that area, as well as in other areas of North and South Carolina collapsed without serious damage to the countryside during the height of the flood.

In North Carolina the two great systems of power dams on Catawba river, built after the disastrous floods of 1916 in that state, were receiving their first real test, and apparently holding safely the 45 billion cubic feet of water impounded along the Catawba course.

As communication was restored last night and today, reports came in of great damage throughout the Piedmont area and loss of life was believed definitely fixed at ten. They were Myrtle Young, 11, Hickory, N. C., drowned; Guy Young, 9, Hickory, N. C., drowned; Arvin Blythe, Hendersonville, N. C., drowned; John W. Jones, Ashley Heights county, N. C., tornado victim; and, "fled man, Ashley Heights, tornado; J. Marvel Simms 59, Arden, S. C., drowned; Haffner Hudson, Arden, S. C., drowned; Jesse Dove, Roanoke, Va., drowned; A. A. Craft, Springwood, Va., drowned; Miss Ethel Allen, Warrenton, Va., dropped dead of fright while crossing Roanoke bridge over flood.

Astride of Molly, his 5 year old Indian boy mare, and dressed in the brightest cowboy outfit ever seen in the head of the lakes region, topped by a ten gallon hat, Boyd Jones was to ride up to the executive offices to invite President Coolidge to the Gallup inter-tribal Indian ceremonial at the end of this month.

GOVERNOR WILL MEET SHERIFF OF LANE CO. LATER ON

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 17.—(AP) It is not probable that Governor Patterson and Sheriff Taylor of Lane county will meet for a discussion of the recent trouble in Lane county officialdom before the middle of next week. In a letter to the governor yesterday Taylor asked for an appointment when the whole matter could be discussed. He did not ask for the appointment of a special prosecutor, nor did he ask the governor to take any action. In his answer the governor told Taylor that he would not be in his office again until next Wednesday. The governor is in Portland today to testify in the cross-state railroad hearing.

NAVY FLYER DUE TO HOP OFF FOR WORLD FLIGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 17.—(AP)—Lieutenant George R. Pond, U. S. N. reserve, was scheduled today to start for Detroit for the beginning of his proposed round-the-world flight.

Pond has announced plans to take off from Detroit late this month in a flying boat, powered with two Comet motors, and attempt to break the present world record, held by John H. Mears, a Canadian collier, who ended the trip last July, after 23 days and 14 hours of traveling by plane and steamer. Pond piloted the airplane, Southern Cross, in break the California attempt to break the endurance flight record.

DRYS CLAIM BIG VICTORY IN OHIO

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—(AP) F. Scott McBride, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, issued a statement in Chicago today describing the Ohio primary election as a "sweeping victory for the prohibition cause."

"It reveals the drift in looking toward the election in November," he said, "The wags have been claiming prohibition was slipping in Ohio, but the primary results speak to the contrary."

Mr. McBride said the combined dry vote in the republican gubernatorial race was four times as large as the wets polled for their candidate, and said the dry democrats defeated the wet candidate by two to one on the issue "Elect Al Smith president."

John J. Haskob, Al Smith's campaign chief, has congratulated the Ohio wets on their victory. Mr. McBride said, "but he spoke too soon."

Fire Near Marshfield
MARSHFIELD, Ore., Aug. 17.—(AP) An incendiary forest fire about one mile west of Danzora, a suburb of North Bend was out of control today. It had covered from 25 to 30 acres since late yesterday. The Coos Bay fire patrol called out a dozen men to fight the fire. The flames were not endangering residences.

6 POLICEMAN FAINT AWAY AT SAN Q. HANGING

Ghastly Spectacle Too Much for San Francisco Blue-coats, When Boy Convicted of Killing Patrolman Is Executed.

SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Cal., Aug. 17.—(AP) Mark Dowell, 24, was executed here today for the murder in San Francisco, June 26, 1927, of J. J. Driscoll, a policeman.

A last minute attempt by his mother to save his life was fruitless. The trap was sprung at 10:05 a. m. and Dowell was pronounced dead at 10:19. Six San Francisco policemen fainted.

Eighty-seven witnesses were present, among them many brothers and sisters of the slain J. J. Driscoll. They conversed freely while a physician counted Dowell's pulse, heart beats and were admonished by Warden James B. ...

Dowell, preceded by a priest, mounted the steps to the gallows. He appeared badly frightened.

NEW PEAR RATE EFFECTIVE AUG. 24

The new pear rates will be in effect August 24 to all eastern points except those known as the southeastern territory—that south of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi. This covers the principal pear markets to which local fruit is shipped and sold. A statement to this effect was made today by J. T. Saunders of San Francisco, freight traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, who is visiting this city.

This reduction is from \$1.73 to \$1.60 per 100 pounds and will save the local growers close to \$100,000 in freight charges, according to local S. P. officials.

COOLIDGE GETS A GIANT CHEESE AND GREET'S BOY

SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 17.—(AP) A mammoth wheel of fancy Swiss cheese, weighing 125 pounds, the gift of the farmers of Green county, Wis., awaited President Coolidge at his office today.

William Green, and a deputation of farmers and cheese manufacturers from Green county, who wished to express in this manner their appreciation to the chief executive for raising the tariff on their product two years ago, had an engagement to meet Mr. Coolidge. The delegation told Mr. Coolidge of the advances the industry made in this state owing to his help.

The Rotary club of Superior also had an engagement with President Coolidge to invite him formally to attend and speak at the opening of the tri-state fair due to open here on Labor Day.

Boyd Jones, 14 year old high school boy of Gallup, N. M., who has been spending the last two months in the saddle riding from his home town to the summer White House to meet President Coolidge reached the end of his 1400 mile journey today.

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HOSPITAL GUARD FACES CHARGES

MOUNT VERNON, Wash., Aug. 17.—(AP) Prosecutor Warrant Gilbert of Skagit county today filed manslaughter charges against K. K. Klyer, guard at the Northern State hospital for the insane at Sefero, Wash., in connection with the death of J. W. Hensford of Bellingham, a patient at the institution, July 19. Gilbert said that he had sent a letter to State Attorney General John Dunbar requesting that L. D. Dunley, assistant attorney general, assist him with the prosecution.

Keep Up Payments Grandpa, or You'll Lose False Teeth

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—(AP)—The installment business has extended to teeth. Dental technicians hear of sets up to \$5,000—upholstered, brakes, 'n' everything—to be bought on time payments. But if the purchaser falls behind, a collector will appear and jerk back the goods.

ROGUE VALLEY CITED AS PROOF BY PATTERSON

Governor of Oregon Tells I. C. C. That Rogue River Valley Shows What Railroads Will Do—Endorses Proposal to Build New Railroad East.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 17.—(AP) Gov. I. L. Patterson, rating himself as a farmer, testified today before the inter-state commerce commission, as a witness for the state public service commission in its fight to have a cross state railroad built through central Oregon.

"I do not see how you can develop any part of Oregon without helping Oregon as a whole," said the governor.

In his talk he deplored lack of rail development in central Oregon and said California and Washington had been more favored with transportation facilities than Oregon.

Contending that railroads caused colonization and development of territory, Governor Patterson cited the Rogue River valley as an example.

Questioned as to why he expected the railroads to build a line through a country which the state itself does not care enough about to build highways across, the governor retailed with facts about highways of the state.

In cross-examination by Attorney Spencer, representing the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company, the governor engaged in a verbal combat in which state bond issues for irrigation projects in the southern part of the state were referred to.

The governor declared that difficulties concerning the bond issues which had been made prior to his term of office, were being straightened out.

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Baseball Scores

American	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	11	0
Boston	4	8	0
Lyons and Berg, Crouse; Russell and Berry.			

National	R.	H.	E.
First game:			
Philadelphia	3	10	2
Pittsburgh	10	15	3
Willoughby and Davis, Schulte; Kremer and Hemsley.			
Second game:			
Philadelphia	1	8	0
Pittsburgh	9	15	0
Sweetland, Milligan, Walsh and Flerin; Brame and Hemsley.			

R. H. E.			
Boston	1	3	0
Greenfield and Taylor; Hixey and Hargrave.			
Brooklyn	1	6	0
Chicago	0	5	0
McWooney and Gooch; Blake Hartnett.			

Author Has Clos Call
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—(AP) Joseph Heresheimer, the writer, and his wife escaped unhurt today when their automobile struck another near Westchester. Four occupants of the second car were injured when it overturned.

LOS ANGELES CRIME IS ON AGAIN

Two Killed, One Dying As Result of Pasadena Bank Holdup—L. A. Bank Is Robbed of \$12,000 By Lone Yegg—Another Bandit Shot.

PASADENA, Cal., Aug. 17.—(AP) The guns of two bank robbers and many police blazed through the streets of Pasadena today and after the hail of bullets had ceased, one of the bandits lay dead, the other had surrendered and two policemen were wounded, one probably fatally.

The gun fight followed the hold-up of the Pasadena National Bank. The two robbers obtained \$5000, but had possession of it for only 13 blocks.

The dead bandit was identified as Henderson, 32, of Long Beach, Cal. The companion was Ray Teltier of Los Angeles.

Motorcycle Officer Fred Walker was dying in the Pasadena hospital from gunshot wounds in the chest and back, received as he pursued the robbers' automobile. Patrolman Ewing was shot through the right arm, while another policeman, R. L. Schab, who shot Henderson and captured Teltier, was cut about the face by flying glass.

After shooting Walker, the bandits took the highway to Alhambra, but a pursuing policeman, R. L. Schab, in a running gun fight with them, killed one and forced the other to surrender.

Bank Robbed of \$12,000.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—(AP)—A bandit carrying two pistols equipped with silencers, and a mechanism which he indicated was an infernal machine, held up seven employees of the Central Avenue branch of the Merchants Trust and Savings bank here today, herded them into a rear room and walked away with approximately \$12,000.

The bandit, believed to have gained admission to the building last night, first accosted A. Levinson, assistant manager of the bank in a washroom. Forcing Levinson to precede him, the man made a sudden appearance before six other employees and warned them not to move. Touching what appeared to be a time-clock hanging from his waist on a piece of rope, he said:

"If the worst comes to the worst, I have this."

The bandit then ordered Levinson to get all the currency in the bank and place it in a bag.

Another Bandit Shot.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—(AP)—The wish to sleep with a loaded pistol under his pillow for protection brought about the death of Lou Ray Hopkins, 19-year-old University of Southern California student, whose body with a bullet through the abdomen, was discovered on the floor of his bedroom today by his parents upon their return from a vacation. His death was the result of an accident.

Treloson, aided by hundreds of citizens and the police, failed in a search of the district to locate his attackers. He told authorities the two men had engaged him to drive them and shortly after they entered his cab, they attempted to overpower him. He said he succeeded in getting one of the bandits' guns and the two men escaped after he had shot one of them four times.

Quite an Ancient Game

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 17.—(AP) Evidence that a game similar to squash was played by natives of Yucatan 2000 years ago was found by a Tulane university expedition which returned today from an exploring trip through central America and Mexico.

Heretofore it has been thought such games had not been played in that section earlier than 1000 or 1200 A. D.

SAMPLE PRESIDENTIAL BALLOT

I intend to vote for.....
for President at the November election.
I am registered as a.....(Name party)
Signed (Name).....
Address.....
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