

The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Not much change in temperature.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Temperatures

Highest yesterday 72
Lowest this morning 54

MEDFORD, OREGON, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1929.

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Today

By Arthur Brisbane
Another Biggest Bank.
Four Broker—Sold Short.
The Grandeur Film.
Children, Kitchen, Church.

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Again, "the world's biggest bank" makes its bow, bigger than any thus far.

Charles E. Mitchell, head of New York's National City Bank, absorbs the Corn Exchange Bank, creating an institution with resources of two thousand five hundred millions of dollars.

This one financial giant will have 100 branch banks in New York. The old-fashioned million has given away to the new "billion."

When will the TRILLION be transferred from books on astronomy to the books of United States bankers?

In Wall Street, a broker has closed up. His story is sad and brief. HE SOLD SHORT.

And, most strange, he sold bank stocks short. To "short" a bank stock with banks getting from 10 to 20 per cent for money on call, calls for an investigation in lunacy.

William Fox's new "Grandeur" film, showing moving and talking pictures on a screen of gigantic size, now seen in New York, is a most important contribution to the picture art and industry.

Mr. Fox is to be congratulated upon an achievement most remarkable and beautiful, combining with perfect sound a screen that makes it possible to show the falls of Niagara, the rapids below and the Mist of the Mist, all at one time.

This new Fox moving picture, developing motion, depth, size and sound on a scale hitherto unheard of, is a most remarkable achievement.

The German kaiser said women should attend to their three K's, "Kinder, Kirche, Kirche" (children, kitchen and church). He will be surprised to read the statistics about working people in Britain.

Among those that work from ages 15 and 55, there are 1,500,000 more women than men.

Britain is disturbed because the nation seems to have reached the "stationary point in population."

No wonder. The same national cannot be a good brood.

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Abe Martin



TRY YOUR LUCK GET A CIGAR THREE BALLS FOR A DIME

SCHWAB IS QUIZZED ON SHIP LOBBY

Chairman Bethlehem Steel Says Employment of Shearer As Geneva Observer Unknown Until Afterwards—Admits Interest in Conference for Peace, Prosperity.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the board of directors of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, took the stand today as a senate committee resumed its inquiry into activities of shipbuilders at the 1927 Geneva naval limitations conference and at Washington.

Before Schwab was called, the committee asked Norman P. Parker, vice president and treasurer of the New York shipbuilding corporation to furnish a record of the \$142,000 payments made by the shipping industry in behalf of merchant marine legislation at Washington. Parker agreed to supply the data.

Senator Allen, Republican, Kansas, asked that this data be kept separate from the reports of expenditures by the shipbuilders in "the more grave" situation at the Geneva limitations conference of 1927.

Smiling and gracious, Schwab explained that the Bethlehem shipbuilding corporation was a subsidiary of the Bethlehem Steel corporation.

Schwab was accompanied to the committee room by Eugene Grace, president of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding company, S. W. Wakefield, another official of the shipbuilding company, and Paul D. Cravath and Henry Bronley, counsel for the Bethlehem companies.

The Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation is one of three companies, which employed William E. Shearer as an "observer and reporter" at the unsuccessful Geneva parley.

Schwab said he never heard of the employment of Shearer by the three shipbuilding companies as an "observer" at the Geneva conference until some time afterwards when he was asked about it by a newspaper man.

"There was no discussion in your business of the need of bigger and better observers at Geneva," asked Senator Allen.

"Yes," Schwab replied with a smile.

Schwab said "we will admit there was this agreement with Shearer, but we didn't know about it at the time and we, Eugene Grace and I, didn't believe it when we first heard of it." He referred to the three companies' agreement employing Shearer as an observer at Geneva.

Schwab said he was interested in the Geneva conference "because I wanted to see peace and from a selfish standpoint I wanted to see prosperity for this country."

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PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 21.—Rita Coleman and Marjorie Stubbs, both 25, charged with rioting in connection with the horse whipping of Mrs. Leonard Jacks, 26, on the edge of the city September 14, were held to the grand jury yesterday and today were in jail pending final action.

The two women were bound over when they appeared in municipal court. The Coleman woman was immediately rearrested on a charge of vagrancy.

Mrs. Jacks was the only prosecution witness. She told of being lured from her East Side home the night of the attack by a telephone call purporting to be from a friend. The Coleman woman is said to have wielded the tin-tipped quirt while the Stubbs woman is said to have kicked and pummeled the attractive victim.

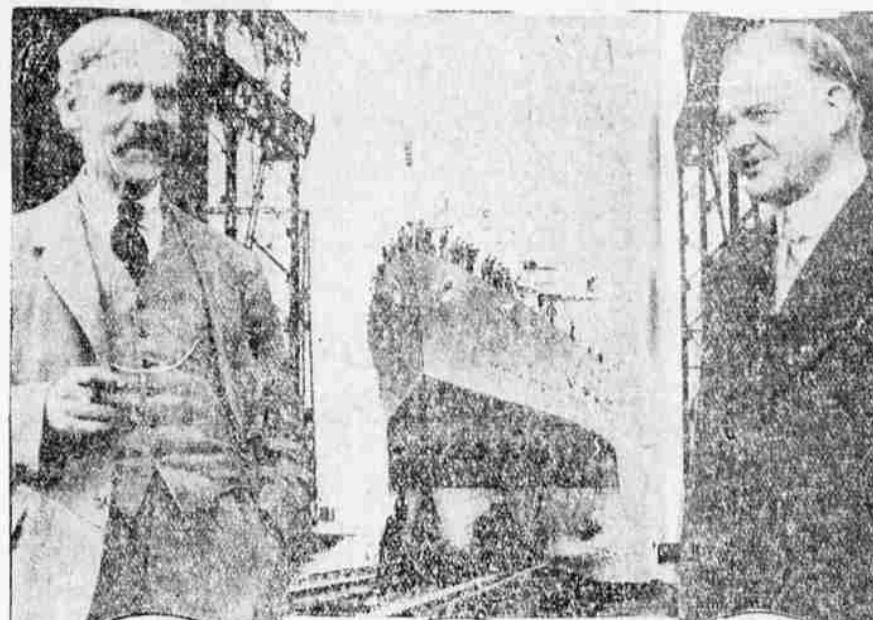
Both the Coleman and Stubbs women have police records.

ANATOLIA SHAKEN BY SEVERE EARTHQUAKE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 21.—Many persons are missing and it is feared that there may be some casualties in the destruction of the hamlet of Turnkly in the Gimmehane region which was shaken yesterday.

All of Anatolia was shaken by the quake, which was severe, and in addition to the destruction of Turnkly about 50 dwellings in other villages were blown down.

AGREEMENT HOPED FOR IN NAVAL CONFERENCE



Anglo-American agreement on the naval question was brought nearer realization by the statement that Prime Minister MacDonald (left) would confer with President Hoover in Washington in October. The results of extensive discussions between President Hoover, Secretary Stimson (below, center) and Secretary Adams (below, right) have been dispatched to Ambassador Davis (below, left). In center is shown the launching of the cruiser Northampton built under the present program.

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MRS. LINDBERGH ENJOYS FLIGHT TO S. AMERICA

Having Wonderful Time, Says Wife of Flier As Big Plane Speeds Toward Santo Domingo—Husband Bans Interview.

By T. R. Gill
Associated Press Staff Writer.
ABOARD COLONEL LINDBERGH'S PLANE, ENROUTE TO SOUTH AMERICA (By Pan American Eagle to Miami)—Sept. 21.—Colonel Charles Lindbergh left Port Au Prince, Haiti, at 10:25 a. m. today for Santo Domingo, capital city of the Dominican Republic, the fifth stop on his 7000-mile journey.

BRITISH ACCEPT COMPROMISE IN DISARMAMENT

GENEVA, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Lord Robert Cecil today withdrew the British disarmament resolution regarding trained army reserves which had stirred League of Nations debates this week, and accepted a compromise proposal which he declared accomplished the purpose of the British government.

BANK PRESIDENT IS DEFAULTER, SUICIDE

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 21.—(AP)—L. K. Roberts, chief national bank examiner here, announced today that evidence of a delinquency had been uncovered in an examination of the First National Bank of Delta, Colo., which was closed the morning following the suicide of Walter G. Hillman, vice-president and cashier of the institution. The amount of the delinquency had not been determined, Roberts said.

Old and Young Californians Suffer Most From Careless Auto Drivers

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Sept. 21.—(AP)—Death claimed 2,010 and 15,636 were injured on California highways during the first six months of 1928. Eugene W. Hiscob, superintendent of the California highway patrol, announced today with the comment that 90 per cent of the 12,062 reported accidents could have been avoided.

Horse Not Extinct; Fourteen Million Still Munch Oats

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—(AP)—There are \$1,400,000 worth of horses and mules in the United States, the Horse Association of America announced today by way of proving that the automobile hasn't been such a devastating influence after all.

TAX DATA FOR TARIFF DEBATE TO BE SOUGHT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The development that much of the information contained in tax returns of corporations sought by senators in connection with the tariff debate could not be gathered without months of delay, led today to the preparation of a form by the treasury limiting the scope of the data requested.

COAST GUARDS CAPTURE BOAT LOAD OF BOOZE

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 21.—(AP)—The British auxiliary schooner Vines was seized with a cargo of liquor of an estimated value of \$50,000 off Montauk Point early today. The seizure was made by the coast guard patrol boat C. G. 259 in command of Boatswain A. C. Stebbins of this city.

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BANK BOY WAS TOOL FOR THEFT

Messenger Confesses Taking Half Million to Man Who Urged Act—Received One Dollar and Directions—Official Believes Boy 'Planted' in Firm for Robbery.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Milton Aber, 18-year-old messenger boy, today confessed to the police that he had been the tool of others in the theft yesterday of \$512,000 in negotiable securities from his employers, R. S. Hiscoe company, brokers.

The boy, who had been employed by the brokerage house at a salary of \$15 a week, said the robbery was directed by a man known to him as Jack Rosen. The lad said Rosen had stopped him repeatedly on the street and urged upon him the easy opportunity of "making money." The urging was repeated yesterday before the boy visited the Guaranty Trust company to redeem with a \$400,000 certified check stocks and bonds worth \$512,000 which had been deposited as collateral on a loan.

Rosen said to him he needed money and that "I should take the haul," the boy said, "and he then told me that my father was to receive \$50,000 as my share. Then I finally consented."

The boy said he obtained the securities and during a long taxi-subway-walking trip through Manhattan he delivered the securities to Rosen, receiving from the man one dollar and directing to go to the Academy of Music in Brooklyn, several miles from the Manhattan street corner where they separated.

After went to Brooklyn and then telephoned his employers, saying he had been kidnapped.

In announcing the boy's confession, Police Commissioner Grocer A. Whelan said he believed that Aber had been induced to leave a former position several weeks ago and go to work for the brokerage firm so that he could hand over to those who were using him, bonds and securities worth a fortune.

19 FATALITIES IN NIGHT CLUB 37 IN HOSPITAL

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 21.—(AP)—The death list in the fire which early Friday swept the Stud Club, popular Detroit cabaret, mounted to 19 today with doubts being expressed for the recovery of 37 of the 37 injured still remaining in hospitals.

One of the injured, Roland Lowe, of Detroit, died early today. Eight of the injured have been discharged, while a majority of the others are reported in a "temporarily serious condition."

Investigation of the fire today branched to include four city departments in its scope.

While Henry J. Garvin, a detective inspector, tentatively placed the blame for the tragedy on the cloak room girl, who is said to have opened the front door when the flames were first discovered on the first floor of the club, County Prosecutor James Chenot announced that his office not only would seek to place criminal responsibility for the fire but would hold to account as well the authorities who permitted the place to operate.

Departments which will be affected in view of the prosecutor's statement were the recreation department, which granted the license for dancing; the police department, which granted the restaurant license; the building department, which approved a permit for remodeling of the place when it was opened last year, and the fire commission, which permitted the building to open after its investigation was supposed to have proved the place was safe.

Prosecutor Chenot said that Martin Cohen, owner of the Stud Club, who is being held pending the investigation, admitted he recently had been ordered to install a fire escape to replace an old one which had been torn down. Laurence J. Riehwine, a recreation department inspector, said that Cohen had been granted a permit a year ago on the promise that he would build the new fire escape. Cohen also admitted, the prosecutor asserted, there were no signs pointing to exits.

GENERALLY FAIR IS WEATHER PREDICTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 21.—(AP)—The weather outlook for the week beginning September 22 was announced here today by the United States weather bureau as follows:

Far western states: The outlook is for generally fair weather but with occasional fogs along the coast. Temperatures above normal in the interior of California and below normal but rising towards the middle of the week elsewhere.

Gets Divorce



Mrs. Wm. Ashley Sunday

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 20.—(AP)—A year of marital life for Mr. and Mrs. William Ashley Sunday has ended. Julia Mae Sunday was granted a divorce from the evangelist's son yesterday in superior court.

Mrs. Sunday testified her husband's interest in her began to cool six months ago. They separated last June 10, she said after they had invited guests to their beach home and Sunday at the last minute telephoned her he would not attend the party.

"He refused to give reasons for leaving me at parties," Mrs. Sunday said, "or for coming home late. I asked him if he was interested in another woman, and he said he was. I never knew who she was."

IDAHO GIRL VICTIM OF ASSAILANT

Body Found in Shallow Stream—Faint Clue to Man in Striped Overalls Followed—Child On Way to School When Slain—Mute Evidence Is Found Near Railroad.

KING HILL, Idaho, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Search for the assailant of 11-year-old Marie West, found slain in the deep Snake river canyon near here yesterday, today had spread over southern Idaho. Her body, with the throat cut, and showing signs of an attack, was lying in the shallow water of the stream, held to the bottom by a rock tied to her leg with wire.

With only one bare clue to aid searchers for her assailant, officers over the southern part of this state have been asked to hold all suspects. A man in striped overalls and wearing a mackinaw was reported by a motorist as having been seen walking eastward along the Oregon Short Line railroad track near the scene of the girl's murder at about the time it is supposed to have been committed Thursday.

An inquest into the death will be held this afternoon in Glenns Ferry, where the body was taken. The little girl had been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Melton, less than a year ago, and when killed was on her way to school in King Hill, two miles from her home. Apparently she had scarcely got out of sight of her foster mother when the attack occurred. Officers conducting the investigation, said she apparently was seized about 1:30 p. m. from a willow patch near where the body was found. She dropped her lunch bucket and the food spilled out along the right of way. The bucket was found, the food hastily crammed back into it, on an embankment above the railroad.

Officers were conducting their search principally among towns along the railroad for the country is sparsely settled to the north and east of King Hill for some distance, and is entirely desert a short distance across the river to the south and west.

BAKERY OWNER IS SUSPECTED 'FENCE'

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—John C. Holubek, proprietor of the Allison bakery, which yesterday was destroyed by an explosion and fire, was served with a warrant charging grand larceny today while Holubek lay in a hospital recovering from serious burns.

The warrant was issued by a deputy district attorney on complaint of F. D. Richards of the Allen Dyeing and Cleaning works. Holubek is said to have admitted taking a suit from that establishment valued at \$100.

A quantity of merchandise, said to have been stolen, was found in the wreckage of the bakery.

War Daughter Dies HERBON, Conn., Sept. 21.—(AP)—Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Lord, 101 years old and a real daughter of the Revolution, died at her home here last night. Her father fought in the battle of Lexington.

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