

The Weather

Forecast: Fair and colder to night and Thursday.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

MEDFORD, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1929

Temperature

Highest yesterday 57
Lowest this morning 32

No. 228.

Today

By Arthur Brisbane

12 States Elect. Where Were the Buyers? J. E. Madden, Philosopher A Killer Acquitted.

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Citizens in 12 states voted Tuesday, from Massachusetts to California, from Michigan to Virginia.

Virginia, the only state electing a governor, was agitated by a Smith and anti-Smith warfare, which means a religious warfare.

The election demonstrated Virginia's government, consistently Democratic for 40 years, is to remain "safely Democratic."

In Kentucky, which in late years has turned Republican, Republican voters tried to make a clean job by getting a majority of the legislature.

In New York state, a negro, Hubert T. Delant, ran for congress on the Republican ticket, in a district normally Democratic.

"Big buying orders, widely advertised and expected, did not appear in Wall Street Monday. But selling orders did appear, prices were weak. The exchange will close at 1 o'clock all the rest of the week and all day Saturday.

After a wild night you have seen a man push away his breakfast. He doesn't feel like eating, although it is a good breakfast.

That's the way with stock values, after a wild two years.

Although leading stocks went down with sales above 6,000,000 shares, government bonds rose sharply.

Some, turned suddenly wise, decided that the country is all right, but stock gambling all wrong.

Treasury department statistics, published Monday, show that somebody is prosperous.

Two hundred and ninety Americans reported incomes over \$1,000,000 each. Combined incomes of the 290 amounted to \$600,000,000.

Eleven reported above \$5,000,000 each. The income of the 11 totaled \$95,000,000.

And this gives no idea of our really big incomes. Several men in America have \$50,000,000 a year each, one, at least, an income exceeding \$100,000,000. Their properties are in stocks that pay corporation tax, invest their earnings in new properties and issue stock divi-

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Abolish

EAT LOTS OF LIVER FOR GOOD HEALTH



Anybody desir' to do so kin preserve a Kiefer pear from now on by putting paraffin on its stem. When it come we don't hear nothing about widenin' the primrose

VIRGINIANS RETURN TO DEM FOLD

Pollard Leads Party to Victory Over Anti-Smith and Republican Coalition - Lower House Seats Mainly to Democrats Is Indication - Governor-Elect Is Bone Dry.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Virginia was in the Democratic "solid south" again today with John Garland Pollard, college professor, as her governor elect.

Pollard, until the opening of the campaign, dean of the Marshall-Wythe school of government and citizenship at the College of William and Mary, led the vigorous Democratic party to triumph over the coalition of Anti-Smith Democrats and Republicans in yesterday's election. The Democratic



Associated Press Photo John Garland Pollard

majority reached 62,450 when returns from 1520 of the state's 1683 precincts had been tabulated. Pollard registered 149,013 votes to 86,563 for Dr. William Mosely Brown, coalition candidate.

Indications were that the total vote would fall approximately 50,000 short of the record breaking 306,000 cast in the presidential campaign last year when Virginia, for the first time since reconstruction, was carried by the Republican party. Virginia was the first of five southern "Hoover states" to hold a state election.

James H. Price was elected lieutenant-governor and John H. Sanders was re-elected attorney-general in the Democratic landslide.

Available tabulations showed the election of 26 Democratic and four coalition members of the lower house, while contests for 36 seats were not definitely settled.

Dr. Pollard who vigorously supported the Democratic ticket during the Virginia political upheaval last year, has been known as a "bone dry."

NAME WINNERS IN CONTEST OF CHEST ESSAYS

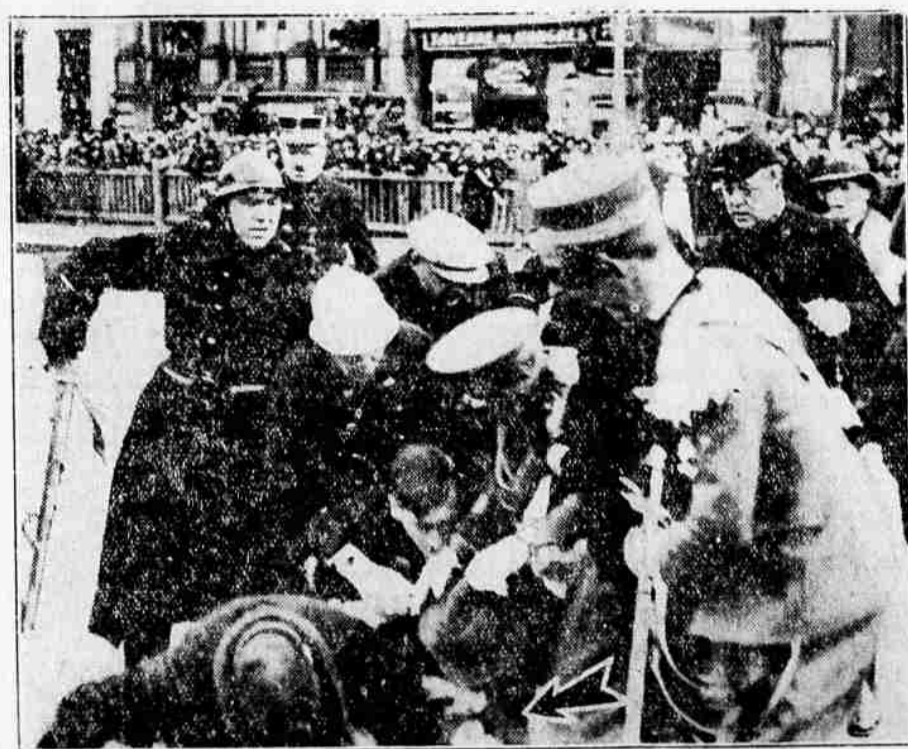
After much deliberation the judges of the Community Chest essay contest have picked the winning manuscripts and announced the list of the winners of the cash awards.

The task of selecting the best essays was a hard one due to the many entries and the judges report some fine essays had to be disregarded because of misstatements and similarity of construction. However as a whole the essays were very good and showed the result of some careful thought and study on the part of the students.

The following is a list of the prize winners which were selected impartially as no names appeared on the essays, each one being identified by number only.

- Group one—4th, 5th, 6th grades: 1st prize, \$5.00, Virginia Lindley, grade 4E, Roosevelt school. 2nd prize, \$3.00, June Stout, grade 5B, Washington school. Group 2—7th, 8th, 9th grades: 1st prize, \$5.00, Dolores Holbrook, Medford high school freshman class. 2nd prize, \$3.00, Grace Buckley, Junior high school. Group 3—10th, 11th, 12th grades: 1st prize, \$5.00, Fred Colvig, high school. 2nd prize, \$3.00, Edna Bottom, high school.

Capture of Humbert's Assailant in Brussels



Belgian police and soldiers capturing assailant of Crown Prince Humbert. Man attempted to shoot the Italian prince during ceremonies at the Unknown warrior's tomb in Brussels. Arrow points to head of would-be assassin as he was captured by guards.

WALKER LEADS U. S. AND STATE RELATIONS WITH DEMOCRATS TO COUNT TRAFFIC SOVIET UPHELD VICTORY IN N.Y. JACKSON ROADS BY LABORITES

Defeats La Guardia By Plurality of 497,165 - Enright Is Poor Fourth - Tammany Veteran Gets District Attorneyship.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Democracy was more firmly entrenched than ever in the country largest city today as the result of a smashing victory all along the line in the quadrennial municipal election yesterday.

Mayor James J. Walker defeated Congressman Fiorella H. LaGuardia, the Republican fusion candidate, by a plurality of 497,165. Tammany hall was a bit disappointed in the figures, for John F. Cury, the Tammany chief, officiating for the first time in a mayoralty campaign, had estimated the margin at 550,000.

The total vote was: Walker, 865,549; LaGuardia, 368,384. Other than the Democratic tidal wave, the feature of the election was the heavy vote polled by Norman Thomas, socialist. Although only 4,000 registered as socialists, he received 174,931 votes, which represented the peak vote of his party here.

Enright Poor Fourth. Richard E. Enright, who was police commissioner under Mayor Hylan, ran a poor fourth, as mayoralty candidate for the newly formed Square Deal party, polling only 55,576 votes.

In the battle-scarred borough of Queens, George E. Harvey, Republican borough president, who fought his own organization for the nomination, was triumphant over Edward W. Cox, Democrat, by 24,560 votes.

The Republicans swallowed a bitter pill in the contest for district attorney in New York county. Frederic H. Couderc, Jr., the Republican nominee, had viciously assailed the Tammany organization for its failure to solve the murder of Arnold Rothstein, a gambler. Thomas C. T. Crain, a veteran Tammany man, had stepped from the supreme court bench to accept the Democratic nomination. District Attorney Joseph H. Stanton had declined to run. The vote was: Crain, 214,957; Couderc, 118,164.

Republican Setback. Another Republican setback occurred in the contest for supreme court in the Long Island counties. Stephen Callaghan, Republican, whose 14-year term expires this year, was defeated by approximately 50,000 votes by District Attorney Charles J. Dodd, Democrat, of Brooklyn. It has been customary for the major political parties to endorse the outgoing incumbent, but the Kings county Democratic leader, John H. McConey, refused to follow precedent and named Mr. Dodd. His action was bitterly assailed by prominent members of the bar who argued that high judicial positions should be freed of partisanship.

Shell in Pipe. OREGON CITY, Ore., Nov. 6.—(AP)—A .22 calibre cartridge, placed accidentally in some loose tobacco, exploded in the pipe of M. E. Kandle, 34, here and blew the pipe and part of the stem from his mouth. The cartridge was exploded by the burning tobacco.

Joint Survey Made to Ascertain Appropriation Needs - Foreign Drivers Fill Out Cards - Day and Night Check Made.

Making a joint government and state traffic survey, covering a period of one year, W. H. Shattuck and Ashley Post have been spending several days in Jackson county, and left today for Klamath Falls to continue the work. The survey is being made with the purpose of forming a foundation upon which the government can make road appropriations within the state.

If the survey reveals that certain roads are exceptionally heavily traveled, appropriations will be made accordingly by the government. Mr. Shattuck explained last evening. A 24-hour check is kept on the travel of resident and out of state cars. Motorists from other states are required to fill out cards, telling how far they have travelled in one day and giving their destination. They are not required to put down their names or license numbers of their automobiles. This has been done for several days, north and south of Medford.

Mr. Shattuck checks all night travel and Mr. Post devotes his attention to daytime traffic. Mr. Shattuck spent Monday night at Medford on the Crater Lake highway and found that 10 cars passed all night. There were about 30 for the day.

In a recent check at Grants Pass from 8 p. m. to 6 a. m., he found that 412 passenger cars, nine trucks and seven busses passed on route north, and southbound there were 273 passenger cars, nine trucks, seven busses and one trailer. On the Redwood highway there were 163 cars, no busses, one truck and one trailer during the same length of time. Daylight traffic is three times as high.

The survey began last September and is now just well under way. The biggest trial for daylight travel was at Portland with 6,000 cars passing a given point, and the highest night total was at Milton-Freewater, where 2,000 cars were counted.

ROSTERSBURG. The Rostersburg LAND OFFICE announced a timber sale would be conducted December 9.

CONVICT HOLLYWOOD INCOME TAX EXPERT

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 6.—(AP)—After deliberating 10 minutes, a jury in federal court today convicted Miss Marjorie Berger, Hollywood income tax counsellor, of advising a client to falsify a tax return.

Deadwood Dick and Poker Alice in Anniversary Nebraska's Statehood

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Deadwood Dick, pioneer of the old west, and Poker Alice, who faced many a hardened prospector across a card table in a wild-west saloon, are here today for Nebraska's diamond jubilee commemorating the 75th anniversary of the state's induction into the union as a territory.

In an historical parade, portraying with floats and moving scenes the development of the west, from the days of two-gun men to the present day of civilization, these pioneers will ride, bedecked in their costumes of days gone by.

Deadwood Dick, recognized as the original hero of the dime novel western thrillers, is Richard W. Clark. In real life Poker Alice is Mrs. Alice Tabbs, now 76 years. Mr. Clark is 53. An old-time stage coach will be sent out for them as their conveyance in the parade. They ride, representing the Black Hills pioneers.

PRESIDENT PROCLAIMS THANKSDAY

November 28 Set Aside for Thanksgiving - Peace at Home and Abroad - Abundant Harvest - Prosperity of Capital and Labor Given As Reasons for National Rejoicing.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The American people were asked to give thanks for blessings bestowed upon them during the last year, in a Thanksgiving proclamation issued today by President Hoover.

In the first document of this kind he had issued, the president said assurances of peace at home and abroad had been strengthened, that the harvest had been abundant and that both capital and labor had enjoyed "an exceptional prosperity."

The proclamation set November 28 as the day of thanksgiving. Its text follows:

By the President of the United States. A Proclamation. At this season of the year, when the harvest has been gathered in, the thoughts of our forefathers turned toward God with thanksgiving for the blessings of plenty and provision against the needs of winter. They came by custom to look to the chief magistrate to set apart a day of prayer and praise, wherein their thanks as a united people might be given with one voice in unison. God had greatly blessed us as a nation in the year now drawing to a close. The earth has yielded an abundant harvest in most parts of the our country. The fruits of industry have been of unexampled quantity and value. Both capital and labor have enjoyed an exceptional prosperity.

Peace Strengthened. Assurances of peace, at home and abroad, have been strengthened and enlarged. Progress has been made in provision against preventable disasters from flood and pestilence. Enlightenment has grown apace in new revelations of scientific truth and in diffusion of knowledge. Educational opportunities have steadily enlarged. Enduring advances have been gained in the protection of the public health. Childhood is measurably more secure. New experience and new knowledge in many fields have been recorded, from which a resolution to devote them to service of Almighty God.

November 28th Set Aside. Now, therefore, I, Herbert Hoover, president of the United States of America, do appoint and set aside Thursday, the 28th day of November, as a day of national thanksgiving, and do recommend that all our people on that day rest from their daily work that they should extend to others less fortunate placed, a share in their abundance, and that they gather at their accustomed places of worship, there to render up thanks to Almighty God for His many blessings upon them, for His forbearance and goodness.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the United States.

Done at the city of Washington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and fifty-fourth.

HERBERT HOOVER. By the President of the United States: HENRY L. STIMSON, Secretary of State.

NAVAL ASSISTANT MAY STOP HERE

OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 6.—(AP)—David R. Ingalls, assistant secretary of the navy for aviation, left Oakland airport by plane at 9 a. m. today for Seattle, continuing an inspection tour of sites for the proposed \$5,000,000 Pacific coast navy dirigible base. Ingalls made a land and air inspection of the San Francisco bay and declared himself favorably impressed. Before coming here he inspected the Camp Kearny proposed site near San Diego.

Mr. Ingalls had not arrived at the airport here this afternoon, but it was thought that the official would possibly stop here late this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The senate relations committee today favorably reported the nomination of Charles C. Hart, former Pacific coast newspaper correspondent and now minister to Albania, to be minister to Slam.

Didi Miss Party



Associated Press Photo Rollin Davison

LIVINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Rollin Davison, 44, who shot down two police officers on August 21, went to his death on the gallows in the county jail here this morning. The trap was sprung at 7 o'clock. Davison was pronounced dead three minutes later.

Davison went to the gallows displaying the same calm that characterized his manner throughout his imprisonment and trial. He had refused a minister.

The condemned man, a common laborer, was convicted of killing Peter Holt, Livingston police chief, because the officer would not aid him in collecting 50 cents more than an employer was willing to pay. He also killed Martin Zollman, traffic officer, with whom the chief was talking at the time.

Davison awakened from a sound sleep at midnight to ask the death watch to call him at 5:30. "I don't want to miss this party," he added.

FRIENDLY TALK MAY IRON OUT BUDGET SCHISM

Gaddis Makes Plea for Retention of Water Commission's Fund Requests Optimism Is Noted After Council Meeting.

After having transacted all other business at their regular meeting last night the city council and mayor went into executive session for several hours, after having first kindly requested the reporters and other possible low-browed persons present, to make themselves scarce, which invitation was cheerfully acquiesced in, as Chief of Police McCredie wiggled his trusty right foot meaningly, while they took the matter of the water commission's urgent request that the \$27,000 cut recommendation by the citizens' committee last week, be retained, under discussion.

From all that can be learned this budget discussion was exceptionally friendly all around, and all the city officials had a better understanding than ever before of the water commission's problems, and its contentions that the \$27,000 items are absolutely necessary and good public financial policy.

Councilmen Optimistic. Various councilmen who were questioned individually and separately as they left the executive session declared a somewhat optimistic feeling that the water commission budget controversy would be amicably adjusted to both sides when the budget ordinance came up for passage after the public hearing on November 29, and, while they talked guardedly, but not fog publication, they expressed the same optimism that recommendations for cuts by the budget committee in several departments would also be ironed out satisfactorily.

Mayor Pipes said the meeting was friendly and illustrated that all city officials were making a conscientious endeavor to get at the bottom of the items in controversy.

Gaddis Talk Praised. A striking feature of these individual interviews after the executive meeting is that each councilman talked with declared that President E. C. Gaddis of the water commission had made a comprehensive address backed up by figures, etc. which was very enlightening, in which he reviewed the water commission's entire program for a period of years past, present and future, and they remarked that "it is too bad" that the same exposition could not have been made for the budget committee, before the latter had acted.

The other members of the water commission, A. L. Hill, Ed M. White, Olin Arnsperger and Dr. F. G. Thayer, were present to back up the contentions and explanations set forth by President Gaddis, as

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STOCKS IN DECLINE TO LOW LEVEL

Leaders Lose \$5 to \$30 in Short Trading Session - Specialties Hard Hit - Few Issues Hit New Low - Sales Total High Figure - Curb Also Feels Deep Declines.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—(AP)—A sweeping decline in prices, which ran from \$5 to nearly \$30 a share in most of the leaders, and much more in a few specialties, took place in the abbreviated three-hour session of the New York stock exchange today.

Final quotations showed little recovery from the day's low levels, with the tape nearly an hour late at the close. A sprinkling of issues broke through the low levels established in the drastic reaction last Tuesday, and much of the ground recovered in the losing sessions of last week was lost.

Net Changes. Closing quotations and the net changes of some of the leading stocks were: U. S. Steel \$169, off \$14.50; General Motors \$40.50, off \$4.75; Radio, \$32.50, off \$11.25; General Electric \$260, off \$29; Montgomery Ward \$67.50, off \$11.12; American & Foreign Power \$60, off \$19; Bethlehem Steel \$86.50, off \$3.35; Kennecott \$66.87, off \$6.87; Consolidated Gas \$91, off \$11.50; American Can \$115, off \$10; American Telephone \$215, off \$22; Westinghouse Electric \$128.75, off \$17.25; Standard Oil of New Jersey \$91, off \$5.50; New York Central \$179.87, off \$16.12; Chrysler \$33, off \$4; Anaconda \$32.12, off \$12.87; American Smelting \$76, off \$9; Erie \$40.50, off \$8; National Cash Register \$75, off \$5; Columbia Gas \$65, off \$12.50; Public Service of New Jersey \$69, off \$10; United Gas Improvement \$30, off \$3.50; Hudson Motors \$47, off \$6.50.

Sales Decline. Total sales on the stock exchange for the three-hour session were 5,914,760 shares as against 6,202,950 during the full five-hour session on Monday.

Curb exchanges stocks also fell precipitately, particularly the utilities. Electric Investors dropped \$50 to close at \$103; Electric Bond & Share closer at \$36.75, off \$18; Allied Power & Light at \$38, off \$8.87; American Super Power, \$21.50, off \$4.50; Central States Electric \$29.12, off \$11.62.

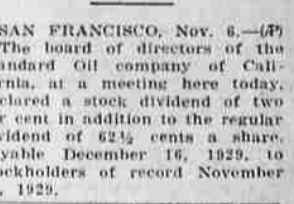
Cities Service was again turned over in huge volume and closed at \$39.87, off \$9. It opened with a block of 125,000 shares.

CALIFORNIA STANDARD OIL STOCK DIVIDEND

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The board of directors of the Standard Oil company of California, at a meeting here today, declared a stock dividend of two per cent in addition to the regular dividend of 6 1/2 cents a share, payable December 16, 1929, to stockholders of record November 16, 1929.

Will Rogers Says: BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Nov. 6.—They censure Senator Bingham for engaging a man that knew something about the tariff. If he had hired a man that knew nothing about it, or better still, nothing about anything, why that would have been O. K. For Bingham to find somebody that knew anything about the tariff was almost as big a miracle as his action was a disgrace. Funny part about it all is that all these arguments and all these investigations is over a bill that won't pass anyhow. So, all this is just like discussing yesterday's weather.

Yours, WILL ROGERS.



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