

Forecast: Tonight and Tuesday, unsettled with showers; mild temperature.

Twenty-Fifth Year

Today

By Arthur Brisbane

Europe United? Watch California. Ask a Conductor. Sas Sixty Feet Deep.

Copyright King Features Synd. Inc. Aristide Briand, on behalf of the French government, suggests a federation of European nations to increase prosperity and discourage war, along the lines of our federation of 48 states.

He has sent an outline of his plan to 26 European states. Such a step, taken by the richest, most powerful nation on the continent, is of great importance, although, probably, nothing will come of it now.

The idea is not new. Charlemagne made it almost a reality in his scheme of personal grandeur. More than 300 years ago it was suggested by Henry the Fourth's great minister, Sully. Sully was a real political and military genius and statesman. He restored the finances of France, made Henry turn Catholic, for the good of France, although he, Sully, retained his Protestantism until death.

He saw, as every intelligent man does, that Europe would grow in wealth, happiness and power if co-operation could be made to replace war.

It is one thing to propose a wise move, another to wipe out a thousand hatreds, suspicions and jealousies, racial, political and religious.

If you cannot bring the north and south of Ireland together, men speaking the same language, and all Christians, how can you unite Magyars and Belgians, French and Italians? Russia is left out of Briand's plans, necessarily, for giant Russia intends to play her own game.

Britain has a federation of dominions, big enough, closely united, and feels that she can count on this country.

California is expected to show a gain of 2,000,000 population in the new census, the greatest gain ever made by any state in any decade.

In California people live long. Babies and children play in the sunlight all the year round, and do not die.

And the wise move in, from all directions, bringing with them enough to live on, quietly.

With enough to live and peace of mind there is no excuse for dying in California. Each new birth, each new arrival from the outside is practically PROFIT.

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Abe Martin



After all, a good name is the best and safest thing a father can leave behind to be split up among a flock of children. Why not modify or repeal the law against nicknames? It hasn't gotten anywhere.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

MEDFORD, OREGON, MONDAY, MAY 19, 1930.

Temperature table with columns for Highest yesterday, Lowest this morning, Precipitation, To 5 p. m. yesterday, To 5 a. m. today.

BAILEY HAS 63 LEAD IN JAK. COUNTY

Bourbon gubernatorial candidates in close race as near-final vote canvassed - Alford leads Billings by 22 votes.

Table showing complete official returns for Jackson County gubernatorial election: Alford 1743, Corbett 1249, Bennett 56, Hall 276, Joseph 489.

With two precincts, Central Point and Trail, missing from the official count, Ed F. Bailey of Lane county was leading George Wilbur of Hood River for the Democratic nomination for governor by 63 votes in this county.

The total was: Bailey 380, Wilbur 317, Other Democratic gubernatorial totals were: Hough 271, Piper 117, George Alford, incumbent, according to figures compiled this morning by County Clerk Delliah Stevens Meyer, has a lead of 22 votes over Ralph Billings of Ashland for the county commission.

On the face of complete unofficial returns Saturday, Alford had a lead of 161. This was changed today when the poll books showed that Ashland Boulevard precincts voted: Alford, 9; Billings, 108. The unofficial returns gave Alford 100, Billings 88.

It will take the official count, now under way, to decide the result. Slight changes for both candidates will be made, if the Democrats write in the name of either.

The semi-official count is as follows: Alford 1869, Billings 1847. Start Count: Norblad 1797, Corbett 1252, Joseph 614, Bennett 62, Jeffrey 69.

Baseball Scores

NEW YORK, May 19. (AP) - Rain and cold weather took their heaviest toll of the year of the major leagues baseball schedule today, wiping out all but two games in the American league.

"Cat Eye Annie" Who Laughs at Prison Barriers Is Gone Again

AUBURN, N. Y., May 19. (AP) - "Cat Eye Annie" Lillian McDowell, notorious burglar and one of the most elusive characters of the underworld when at liberty, escaped from the women's prison here during the night.

DIAMOND LAKE ROAD DISTRICT GETS BIG VOTE

Roseburg, North Umpqua River Area Complete Step for Highway to Crater Lake Area.

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 19. (Sp.) - By a vote of 1510 to 322, nearly five to one, voters of Roseburg and vicinity along the North Umpqua river, immediately east of the city, approved the project for the formation of a super-road district to complete construction of the proposed Roseburg-Diamond Lake highway, at a special election Friday in connection with the primaries.

Fourteen out of 18 precincts voting on the measure returned favorable ballots. One Roseburg precinct turned in a vote of 214 yes and 5 no. Opposition came largely from split precincts off the direct route of the road.

The measure completely eclipsed the state issues and brought out an 80 per cent vote in the district, as compared with about a 37 per cent vote in the rest of the county. The project was started more than two years ago, and came to a hearing early last year, when the highway commission was called upon to establish boundaries.

A very vigorous fight developed from communities outside of Roseburg and the territory directly affected, resulting in the withdrawal of the application, and the filing of a new petition, with more limited boundaries described.

The highway commission, following a second hearing, fixed the boundaries to include the city of Roseburg and a narrow strip about 15 miles wide, extending from the city to Diamond Lake.

The district will have a valuation of approximately \$7,500,000. A 2-mill levy is to be voted to make a survey of the 22 miles yet to be built, the county court agreeing to advance the money to the district, so that work can be started this summer.

ETA HECKERT IS FILM TITLE PRIZE WINNER

"Blossom Time in a Great Country" is the title selected by the judges at the close of the contest for naming the motion picture of the Rogue River valley shown during the past week at the Craterian theater and Etta Heckert, of Route 2, Medford, is winner of the \$10 prize given by the Medford Mail Tribune to the author of the judges' choice.

Complete Unofficial Vote in Jackson County Primary On Governorship & Court House

Large table showing election results for Governor and Court House across various precincts in Jackson County.

CHOSEN FOR SUPREME COURT



Owen J. Roberts of Philadelphia, special government counsel in the Teapot Dome and other oil cases, was selected by President Hoover for the vacancy on the United States supreme court.

KAY WILL NOT BE AN INDEPENDENT

SALEM, Ore., May 19. (AP) - State Treasurer T. B. Kay today declared that under no circumstances would he become an independent candidate for the governorship.

Since Friday's election which resulted in the nomination of George W. Joseph there has been speculation whether Kay might not be prevailed upon to run independently. Kay was looked upon as a candidate before the primary and as an almost certain winner until physicians advised him not to run, because of the recent surgical treatment.

Indians Beat Athens. PENDLETON, Ore., May 19. (AP) - The Mission Indians defeated the Athens team in a county league baseball game here yesterday, 6 to 0. Mission is leading the league.

Oregon Weather. Unsettled tonight and Tuesday, with showers. Fresh southerly winds on the coast.

CHAIN STORE FOE FACING CHARGES

PORTLAND, Ore., May 19. (AP) - Robert Gordon Dugan, unsuccessful candidate for Republican nomination to congress from the third Oregon district, was arrested today charged with violation of the corrupt practice act. He was released on \$300 bond. The specific charge is delivering a radio campaign speech on election day.

TARIFF VOTE LOOMS AS CONFEREES QUIT

WASHINGTON, May 19. (AP) - A final vote on the tariff bill was assured today when the close votes of 43 to 41 and 43 to 42 relieved its Republican conferees from further tie binding them to the export debenture and legislative flexible tariff amendments.

JOSEPH HAS 4,308 LEAD IN BALLOTS

Complete Vote Except for 16 Small Precincts Shows Joseph 50,397, Norblad 46,089, Corbett 33,806, Hall 9324, Bennett 3658

PORTLAND, Ore., May 19. (AP) - With all counties complete, except for 16 tiny, secluded precincts, Senator George W. Joseph had a lead of 4308 votes over Governor A. W. Norblad for Republican nomination for governor of Oregon, as returns of Friday's primary election were tabulated at 1 p. m. today.

The Democratic nominee, Edward F. Bailey, had a lead of 931 over George R. Wilbur. The figures were: Republican: George W. Joseph 50,397, A. W. Norblad 46,089, Henry L. Corbett 33,806, Charles Hall 9,324, J. E. Bennett 3,658, John A. Jeffrey 1,739.

Democratic: Edward F. Bailey 11,007, George W. Wilbur 10,976, Ed S. Piper 4,293, A. C. Hough 2,911, Ralph E. Williams, Republican National committeeman, received 74,317 votes, while Charles F. Walker polled 46,294.

Oswald West, present Democratic national committeeman, lost to Walter M. Pierce, former Governor, who received 19,161 votes to West's 10,670.

James E. Campbell of Oregon City won the Republican nomination for justice of the supreme court, position 5 from George S. Shepherd, Portland. Judge Campbell received 71,957 votes, and Shepherd 48,862. Justice Oliver P. Coshaw was unopposed for Democratic nomination.

INSTALLATION ENDS MEETING OF FEDERATION

The tenth annual convention of the Oregon Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, in session in this city Friday and Saturday, closed at noon yesterday following the breakfast and installation of officers, attended by 125 members in Grants Pass.

Southern Pacific buses left Hotel Medford at 7:30 in the morning to carry members of the local club and delegates to the neighboring city, where the following officers were installed to govern the state organization for the coming year: Miss Martha Gasch of Portland, president; Mrs. Maud Chapman, Medford, vice-president; Emma Drath of Eugene, second vice-president; May C. Little of Portland, corresponding secretary; Josephine Bothman of Corvallis, recording secretary; and Ora Renner of Oregon City, treasurer.

Grange Serves Meal. Tables for the breakfast, which was served by the Grants Pass club in the Fruitvale Grange hall, near Grants Pass, were decorated in iris and other spring flowers with tulip shaped cups for favors.

The Medford club was represented on the program by Miss Ruth Severance and her trio, Rev. B. J. Kimber of Grants Pass gave the main address of the morning. Following the breakfast, and installation ceremony, Miss Beyer presented Miss Gasch with the gavel.

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Sixteen Children Living at Home of Marion Father

SALEM, Ore., May 19. (AP) - A census taker in Marion county found a family of 20 persons, man wife and 18 children. The woman was a second wife and the oldest child, 54, was a year younger than she. The husband was sire of all the children, the youngest of whom was 7. Sixteen of the children were listed as unmarried and were said to be living "at home." The father was 76 years old. The name of the family and the location were not made public.

SCOTTISH RITE SPRING REUNION OPENS IN CITY

Southern Oregon and Northern California Masons Gathering for Three Days Session.

The spring reunion of Scottish Rite Masons opened in Medford this morning for a three-day session with members of the lodge arriving from Klamath Falls, Chilcote, Grants Pass, Butte Falls, Central Point, Ashland, Lakeview and all other regions of southern Oregon in such great numbers the officers managing the registration were unable to check the list of guests this afternoon. Following arrival of the evening train, which will bring guests from other sections, an official list of persons here to participate in the program will be given out.

The Scottish Rite degrees will be conferred upon a class of 10, under the direction of Siskiyou Lodge of Perfection and Siskiyou Chapter Rose Croix of this city and the Eugene Council of Kadosh No. 2 and Eugene Consistory No. 2 of Eugene.

These 10 candidates will go through from the fourth degree, Secret Master, to the 32nd degree, Master of the Royal Secret. They were started through the fourth degree this morning and the installations will be completed Wednesday.

Dinners Are Served. Luncheons and dinners are being served at noon and 6 o'clock in the Masonic temple by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church during the three days, for all guests and local Scottish Rite bodies.

Local members are especially urged to drop in for these luncheons and dinners. D. L. Davidson, venerable master of the Siskiyou Lodge of Perfection, stated this morning.

Persons serving on the Scottish Rite committees are: Reception committee - Jas. Taylor, 32nd degree; H. H. Brown, 32nd degree; K. M. C. Neil, 32nd degree; E. C. Jerome, 32nd degree. Entertainment - Chas. A. Wing, 32nd degree; Hugo M. Lang, 32nd degree; P. S. Anderson, 32nd degree; S. W. McQuat, 32nd degree; E. C. Jerome, 32nd degree. Class - Geo. W. Porter, 32nd degree; E. C. Jerome, 32nd degree; Walter C. Van Emon, 32nd degree; W. L. Longan, 32nd degree; H. H. Brown, 32nd degree. Representatives of Venerable Master and Wise Master - Michael Conrad Sult, Lakeview, 32nd degree; Will Leonard Longan, Grants Pass, 32nd degree; Ralph Matt Farmer, Chilcote, 32nd degree; Walter C. VanEmon, Klamath Falls, 32nd degree; H. C. Stock, Ashland, 32nd degree; Emil Britz, Jacksonville, 32nd degree.

The reunion will re-open tomorrow with a business meeting at 8 o'clock, followed by conferring of the fifteenth degree at 9 o'clock.

Correspondent III. SALEM, Ore., May 19. (AP) - Wayne A. Pettit, Salem correspondent for the Oregonian, is in a Portland hospital for a minor surgical operation.

3000 LOSE HOMES IN ARKANSAS

Flood Waters Cause Heavy Damage - 17 Negroes Killed by Tornado - Oil Industry Heavy Loser in Inundation of District.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 19. (AP) - One section of Arkansas was overrun with flood waters today with an estimated 3000 persons homeless and heavy property damage and another section was recovering from a tornado which killed at least 17 negroes, and injured a hundred or more.

Flood waters spread over an area of fifty square miles in the south Arkansas oil fields, inundating many oil fields camps and three or four small towns. The Red river bottoms of southwest Arkansas rapidly were being submerged as hundreds of residents evacuated.

A tornado early yesterday struck the village of Elaine, and a large plantation in Phillips county, adjacent to the Mississippi river, killing 17 negroes, injuring a hundred, and creating a missing list of six others.

A million dollars worth of damage to the oil industry was estimated by Standard Oil company of Louisiana officials to have resulted from the overflow of Smackover creek. The high water sent the Red Cross and National Guard troops into the area with medical supplies, tents, coats, and blankets to care for the homeless.

Refugee camps were established at Smackover, 10 miles north of Eldorado.

While Red Cross officials grappled with the situation at Smackover, the swirling waters of Red river further west reached the top of levees and further rises were anticipated.

The high water disrupted highway traffic generally over the state and interrupted rail traffic in south Arkansas.

METHODISTS ASK ALL BATTLE RUM

DALLAS, May 19. (AP) - Declaring there is "no half way house" on the road to national sobriety, the temperance committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, South today called upon the general public and the press to join with the church in the fight against drink.

"Today there is a serious challenge to prohibition as a principle and a policy," the report said. "The issue is joined. Shall the outlawed saloon be restored to its former place, the clearing house for the forces of unrighteousness?"

REFUSE TO PASS ON CONVICTION OF FALL

WASHINGTON, May 19. (AP) - The supreme court today refused to pass on the conviction of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, of accepting a bribe of \$100,000 from Edward L. Doherty, without waiting for the court of appeals of the District of Columbia to pass on the case.

"Horses, Horses," Yodels Autoist In Rough Ride Over Local Rails

Whether he was drowning his sorrow over the result of the election or celebrating the coming of the circus today, E. M. Fowler, a traveling salesman was guilty of one of the most extraordinary drunken stunts last evening in police history, for which he forfeited a \$10 cash bail put up with the police after his arrest, by failure to appear in the city court today for trial. However, following his arrest he paid \$60 over to the Southern Pacific railroad company for damages to its tracks.

It seems that Fowler, in a very joyful mood was seen driving his car Sunday evening, on and along the railroad tracks at Stewart avenue and 11th street, and as the car went bumpety, bump over the tracks and switches, damaging the latter and itself, Fowler sang "Horses, Horses." Someone phoned the police station and gave a description and the number of the car. The police then checked up on the cars in the city, located Fowler at a local hotel and placed him under arrest.

A more serious charge could not be placed against him because witnesses who actually saw him driving on the tracks could not be found. The railroad officials estimated the damage done to the switches at \$40, which Fowler paid.

In his rough ride Fowler's car was damaged considerably, the most serious damage being the bumping loose of the crank case.

Will Rogers Says:

BEVERLY Hills May 19. - Been reading these Frenchmen's books they leave after they are dead. It looks like some of 'em died just to start an argument. France awaits the death of each one to find out what he thought of the others. A "best seller" is the one that can dig up the most dirt. There ought to be a law in every country making a man read his autobiography out loud before his enemies and see what happens. As it is now a fellow can call you anything he wants to, and make you still madder by lying before you can get at him. Yours, WILL ROGERS.