

**The Weather**  
Forecast: Tonight and Friday unsettled; no change in temperature.

# MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

**Temperature**  
Highest yesterday ..... 81  
Lowest this morning ..... 52  
Precipitation:  
To 5 p.m. yesterday ..... 00  
To 5 a.m. this morning ..... 00

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## Today

By Arthur Brisbane

They Are Here.  
Two Great Corpses.  
More Land for Us.  
Europe Irritated?

Important news is the arrival of the courageous air travellers from Ireland. For the second time men have succeeded in flying the Atlantic, coming westward.

Soon, of course, regular flights at stated hours will be provided for passengers.

And only a little while ago the idea of any flying was ridiculed. Men progress quickly, once they start.

King George and Queen Mary joined with others yesterday in celebrating the end of 17 years work, that has restored St. Paul's cathedral in London to a safe condition.

The fine old building is worth saving.

And in its vault under heavy stone monuments lie what is left of two bodies more important to the modern British empire than any other two.

They are Wellington and Nelson, not far apart, resting in solemn half darkness.

The story is still current that Nelson was buried hurriedly because it was necessary. When shot down on his flagship, he was put into a cask of rum, at sea, to preserve his corpse from decay, as was customary with important dead sailors, and other sailors are said to have drunk the rum through a hole in the barrel leaving the admiral without protection, or preservation. The story is not proved.

The United States considers claiming ownership of great areas over which Commander Byrd flew recently in the Antarctic. We may follow the example of Great Britain and other nations, saying: "That land is ours, for we saw it first." It would add 150,000 square miles to our possessions.

The land and open sea in those regions are valuable already, and the water for whale fishing and other live crops, the land for its mineral possibilities.

In years to come with the shifting of the poles, those lands will be warm and fertile. But that will be thousands of years hence.

**Abe Martin**

When the Democrats an' Republicans huddle an' vote solidly for something—it's a cinch the country is goin' to git the hot end of it. I had jest tuned in on the tooth past hour when I heard what seemed to be a tire bustin' testified Mrs. Eno Moots, in the trial of Amos Bentley, charged with murderin' his wife while cleanin' her revolver.

## CORNELL 8 SURPRISES IN REGATTA

**Dope On Poughkeepsie Classic Reversed in Return to Former Glory—Syracuse Second, M. I. T. Third—Westerners in Rear.**

REGATTA COURSE, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 26.—(AP)—Cornell won the classic four mile varsity race in the intercollegiate rowing regatta on the Hudson this afternoon.

The correct order of finish with times was as follows: Cornell, 21:42; Syracuse, 21:54.5; Mass. Tech., 22:19; California, 22:45.5; Columbia, 22:33.5; Washington, 22:41; Pennsylvania, 22:59; Wisconsin, 22:59.15, and the Navy sank 100 yards from the finish line.

In an amazing reversal of the dope, Cornell at last returned to the glories that were her's back in the early years of the century. Cornell, rated as an extreme outsider because of the loss of its captain and stroke through illness, scored one of the most spectacular upsets in all Poughkeepsie history.

**Favorites Fail**  
The highly rated crews of Washington, the favorite; the Navy, Columbia and California were outwaded and soundly beaten. These four, which had monopolized varsity honors of the Hudson ever since the world war could not match the pace in a race that developed in a ding-dong between the Red and Orange ears.

Coming down through the final stages of the race, the crews waded far out of their courses.

Cornell won by approximately 21 lengths over Syracuse while the rest of the pursuing pack was strung out as far as nine lengths to the rear.

REGATTA COURSE, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 26.—(AP)—Cornell won the three-mile junior varsity race in the intercollegiate rowing regatta today.

## CHORE BOY ON STAND DENIES SETTING BLAST

VANCOUVER, Wn., June 26.—(AP)—Clifford Campbell, 16, chore boy on the Benjamin Northrup ranch near Heilison, accused of killing Mr. and Mrs. Northrup by exploding 30 sticks of dynamite under their bedroom, told the jury his version of the explosion today as the case neared its end.

Campbell, who authorities said confessed to killing the Northrups because they twitted him about his studies, said he was twenty feet from the home when the explosion occurred and denied he exploded the dynamite.

The boy was the last witness for the defense. The state rested its case yesterday and attorneys said the case probably would be given to the jury tonight.

## Weary Willies Without Honor, Lad Discovers in Highway Hike

(By Eva Nealon)

The songs of the road have lost their appeal. The small fires that "wearies" build no longer burn with warmth and friendliness. There might have been a day when the "ard beatin'" of their "oofs on the 'ighway" sounded a tattoo in the minds of all hobos, which bound them together in one great defense. But that day is gone forever, according to Wm. Lockrey, B. U., who started down the trail from Medford this afternoon in a third attempt to get home to mother.

They don't wait for death to come to steal a "weary's" coat and "flag that east bound train" in the new era, William says, and he showed for two fellowmen of the highway not only took his coat last night but the two blankets, underclothes and 56 cents that were given him by Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lampman, journalists of Los Angeles and the local Red Cross chapter. In addition they pushed him in the ditch and went on their way.

The young boy's eyes filled with tears this morning when he endeavored to tell his story and thank Mr. Lampman again for assisting him in a new start out of town. He came to Medford a few days ago with the Lampmans. He

## President Hoover Greeted Byrd and Comrades



President Hoover extended the nation's welcome to Rear Admiral Byrd and his hardy band of explorers on the grounds of the White House. He is shown shaking hands with Isackson Erickson. Admiral Byrd is standing at right of Mr. Hoover.

## CONVICTION OF NORTHCOTT IS FOUND PROPER

**Supreme Court Affirms Fate of Slayer—Record Presents Gruesome Picture, Says Opinion.**

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—(AP)—The California supreme court today affirmed the conviction of Gordon Stewart Northcott, sentenced to hang for the slaying of three youths in Riverside county.

The court's opinion, which covers 17 pages, said Northcott's conviction that his conviction was unwarranted by the evidence "is without merit."

"The record presents," the court said, "most unpleasant and gruesome pictures and, because of this, we deem it undesirable to set aside at length the disgusting and abhorrent details leading up to and surrounding the commission of the offenses of which the appellant stands convicted."

Northcott's appeal, based principally upon insufficiency of the evidence to support the verdict of murder, also attacked the refusal of the trial court in denying motions made by the defense.

## SENATE FAVORS SALE OF POWER TO CITIES

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(AP)—By a vote of 53 to 9 the senate today voted in favor of the government selling power at Muscle Shoals to municipalities on the same basis as it is sold to private power companies.

## OCEAN FLIERS NEAR GOTHAM JOURNEY'S END

NEW YORK, June 26.—(AP)—The transatlantic airplane Southern Cross radioed the New York Times at 5:30 (E. S. T.) this afternoon that it was within half an hour's flight of Roosevelt Field. Earlier messages said it would fly over New York City before landing.

HARBOR GRACE, N. F., June 26.—(AP)—The sky trail to New York was resumed today by Captain Kingsford-Smith and his three flight companions of the world-gridding airplane Southern Cross. The plane made a perfect takeoff at daybreak.

Prevented by blinding fog and compass trouble from completing an Ireland-New York hop and landing here with barely enough petrol to wet her tanks, the veteran plane was in the air again within 20 hours after completing a hop from Ireland. It hopped off at 3:05 a. m. E. S. T. (5:25 a. m. Newfoundland daylight saving time).

Captain Kingsford-Smith had 400 gallons of petrol and 12 gallons of oil put into the tanks yesterday in preparation for today's hop. The wind was favorable.

## OPEN BIDS FOR MAIL CONTRACT ON PACIFIC

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(AP)—Bids of the Admiral Oriental line of Seattle and the Pacific Atlantic Navigation company of Portland, Ore., for the contract to carry the mail from Portland to the Orient were opened today by Assistant Postmaster-General Glover.

## Baseball Scores

National.			
	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	9	7	0
Pittsburg	1	4	0
Batteries: Collins and Davis; French and Hensley.			
Second game:			
	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	5	14	2
Pittsburg	11	17	0
Batteries: Collard, Smythe, Speese, Sweetland and Davis; Frame and Beal.			
American.			
	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	11	18	2
New York	13	16	1
Batteries: Ferrell, Holloway, Bean and Myatt; Pennock and Dickey.			
	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	4	10	4
Washington	12	17	1
Batteries: Whitehill, Rensa and Hayworth; Marberry and Ruel.			
	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	7	11	3
Boston	9	13	2
Batteries: Thomas, McKain, Walsh, Welland and Tate; Gaston and Berry.			
	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	3	10	0
Philadelphia	8	13	1
Batteries: Gray and Ferrell; Rommel and Cochrane.			

## CRATER LODGE OPENS TONIGHT 2 DAYS EARLY

**Rush of Tourists Causes Lake Concession to Advance Date—Boats and Stages Ready July 1.**

The Crater Lake lodge will be thrown open to take care of all comers from this evening to remain open until the Crater Lake season closes on September 29th next.

This opening is two days earlier than had been planned by General Manager R. W. Price, and four days before the season's official opening on July 1st.

The fact that the number of tourists and other visitors going up to Crater National park from here and Klamath Falls has been increasing daily and so many of them have clamored for hotel accommodations induced Mr. Price to change his plans and rush preparations for this early opening.

Mr. Price spent yesterday in Medford completing business in connection with the Crater Lake season and the concessions which his company holds, and this morning left for the lake with the last contingent of the large number of lodge employees. The employees have been arriving in the city by squads since last Friday.

**Boats Start July 1**  
Although the lodge will be open to fully care for all the visitors from this evening on, the boat, stage and other concessions, except the cafeteria, will not begin operating until July 1st. The cafeteria has been in operation for over a week, and Mr. Price said yesterday had done an unexpectedly large business.

It has become a fad among Medford and other valley residents, as two members of the Mail Tribune staff discovered when they made an early evening trip to the lake last week, to leave the city about 5 p. m., dine at the cafeteria, enjoy a brief view of the lake and then drive home.

The official travel report for the week ending June 21, shows the following figures:

	Cars	Persons
By private car	2,127	6,291
Total for the week	2,127	6,291
Previously reported	10,612	29,647
Total to date	12,739	35,938

Cars from 41 states and four provinces of Canada were checked through the Annaa Spring station during the first 26 days of June.

## CHICAGO POLICE GIVEN SHAKEUP

CHICAGO, June 26.—(AP)—The police department's biggest shake-up in recent years was ordered today by Acting Commissioner of Police John H. Aleock, who transferred 64 men. Most of those were ordered moved to or from the detective bureau. Included were 724 detectives and 11 lieutenants.

Aleock also issued an order literally decentralizing the department and placing the responsibility for each district upon its commander.

Portland—\$50,000oker room under construction at Waverly Country club.

## Home Guards Make Short Work of Bandit Gang After Robbery

NOBLE, Ill., June 26.—(AP)—A "Main Street" posse made short work of four robbers who held up the First National bank yesterday, slaying one of the quartet and capturing the other three. After a sixty mile chase that lasted from mid-afternoon till far into the night, the posse had the men robbed the bank and reached their automobile before the home guard, organized a month ago by the businessmen of the village's main street, began firing at the bandits. They had been aroused by an alarm accidentally set off by the robbers.

The Main street guards rushed after the fugitives and also alarmed surrounding towns.

Seeing their getaway blocked, the robbers left their machine and took to the woods where they were finally surrounded by a posse of 20 home guards, farmers and deputies. Three surrendered without a struggle but the fourth, attempting to break through the cordon, started shooting. The posse's return fire killed the robber whose name was not learned. The loot, \$10,000 cash and \$20,000 bonds was recovered.

## VET VETO SUSTAINED BY HOUSE

**Proposed Measure Characterized by President As Unjust to Veterans and Taxpayers—Solons Now Consider Substitute.**

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(AP)—After sustaining a veto of its first bill for relief of world war veterans, the house today passed a substitute measure designed to overcome President Hoover's objection to the original.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(AP)—The house sustained President Hoover today in vetoing the world war veterans' relief bill.

Consideration of substitute legislation designed to overcome Mr. Hoover's objections to the original measure began immediately.

In his veto message the president again protested the bill sent to him was unjust, both to the veterans and the taxpayers. He said he wanted a square deal between veterans—an unjust discrimination between special groups. The lengthy veto message reached the house at 1:21 p. m., and enough votes to assure its being sustained had been cast at 1:45 p. m.

The vote for upholding the president was 188 to 182.

A two thirds vote would have been necessary to override Mr. Hoover.

The Republicans, who had gained a pledge of 154 votes to sustain the veto, jumped from their seats and shouted and cheered when the vote was announced by speaker Longworth. The majority, which came as a big surprise, caused a round of hand-shaking among the Republicans.

House leaders estimate the substitute bill would call for an estimated expenditure of \$50,000,000 for the 1931 fiscal year. The president said the bill vetoed would have cost approximately \$181,000,000.

The substitute would take care of all veterans whose disability is 25 per cent in amounts ranging from \$12 to \$40 monthly.

## STEWART GIVEN CONTRACT FOR HEIGHT SEWER

The city council at its special meeting this week to consider the garbage question, let the contract for building the new sewer system on Skikyou Heights to R. I. Stewart and Son, the lowest bidder, for \$17,800. In fact there was only one contractor bidder, and the city, knowing that there would be only one, for its own protection, if that bid was too high, entered a bid of its own, \$18,200. The work of constructing the sewer will be begun at once.

It will be remembered that some time ago when bids were originally opened for this job, the bid of Younker & Wick of Corvallis, \$17,248.50 was the lowest and the bid of the R. I. Stewart concern was about \$20,000.

However, after Younker & Wick had been awarded the contract that firm later claimed that it had made a mistake in figuring, had made the bid too low, and refused to accept the contract, preferring to forfeit its certified check of \$862.40 to the city. Hence the re-submission of bids with the result that the Stewart concern captured the contract.

Aumsville—Prof. P. C. Fulton sold his 20-acre ranch west of here to Mr. Browner.

## DOG HERO SAVES PORTLAND HOME

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## GRAIN MEN REASSURED BY LEGGE

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(AP)—Chairman Legge of the farm board said today that the grain trade need have no apprehension of competition from the wheat held by the grain stabilization corporation during the coming months when farmers will be moving the 1930 crop to market, unless in the meantime prices rise to the level at which purchases were made.

In no event, he said, will this 1929 "stabilization wheat" be thrown on the market to depress prices.

The chairman made the announcement as a statement coming from George S. Milnor, president and general manager of the grain stabilization corporation, at Chicago.

"The Grain Stabilization corporation discontinued the sale of wheat when the new crop began moving with the exception of a few small lots to millers who were unable to take care of their immediate needs from any other sources," Milnor's statement continued.

"While the visible supply of wheat in this country is somewhat in excess of that a year ago—fact grain traders are emphasizing—the amount of 1929 wheat withdrawn from the market by the grain stabilization corporation is approximately three times the amount of that increase, leaving the amount of wheat on the market substantially below last year's figure."

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## TRAFFIC ASSN. WILL ASK GOVERNMENT FOR CLOSER SUPERVISION TO IMPROVE PACK—CEDARWALL IS NAMED PRESIDENT, DARBY VICE.

More fruit inspectors for the packing houses of the Medford district was urged today, by the Rogue River Traffic association at its weekly meeting. It was voted to ask the government to furnish more men for inspection, to improve local packing and condition standards, to a still higher point than in vogue. It was pointed out by Prof. Henry Hartman of Oregon State college, that inasmuch as the inspection here was a basis of sale in New York, it was sound business policy.

Members said that some of the inspectors, during the height of the shipping season were inspecting as many as 20 cars per day—which they declared was too many. Many of the shippers favored an inspector for each packing house to speed up the service, and increase its efficiency.

At the meeting Harry Cedarwall of the American Fruit company was named president for the coming year, and C. C. Darby of the Kimball Fruit company was named vice-president. Cedarwall assumed office at once, and delivered his inaugural address.

The department of agriculture served notice that the British government had prohibited the importation of apples from this country between July 7 and November 15, of the lower grades, and of the higher grades without a federal inspection certificate. The action was said to be due to the presence of the Massachusetts maggot in some apple shipments, and did not particularly apply to the Pacific coast districts.

## STABILIZATION CORP. WILL NOT THROW WHEAT INTO COMPETITION WITH 1930 CROP TO DETRIMENT OF PRICES, IS WORD.

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## MID-WEST HEAT WILL CONTINUE IS PREDICTION

KANSAS CITY, June 26.—(AP)—Continuation today of the heat waves which has sent temperatures well over the century mark in the southwest was predicted by federal weather observers.

West Texas yesterday saw the peak of heat, 110½ degrees being recorded at Childress and 106 at Lubbock. Farmers expressed considerable concern over crops.

Temperatures in Oklahoma ranged upward to 106 degrees at Buffalo, and Wichita, Kas., reported 101.

Storms which temporarily broke the heat wave in Missouri damaged buildings at Trenton and the tobacco crop near Weston. H. H. Merrill, 35, farm laborer, was killed by lightning near Raytown.

## WILL ROGERS SAYS

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—That fellow Smith must be a real flier, and he prepared his flight right. He paid a fine tribute to radio, and that gives a pretty good idea of what happened to some of those other poor fellows, you just can't get here without bucking terrible winds. We hate to admit it, but I guess we are pretty windy over here. Old Doc Eekener with his aluminum hot dog is, I reckon, about the only sure fire way to cross that ocean either way any time.

Twenty thousand Rotarians walking the streets of Chicago here, and not a one has been shot or robbed. It looks like negligence.

Will Rogers