

The Weather
Forecast: Fair Sunday and Monday. No change in temperature.
Temperature: 80
Highest yesterday: 89
Lowest yesterday: 49

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

MAIL TRIBUNE BARGAIN DAYS
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ETHIOPIA AWAILS "ZERO HOUR"

IL DUCE REJECTS PEACE PLAN BUT DOOR STILL OPEN

Italy Friendly To Revised Proposals By Geneva—Ethiopian Rains Over, Ready For Hostilities.

By JAMES A. MILLS
Associated Press Foreign Staff
ADDIS ABABA, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Ethiopia is ready with sufficient troops at vital points to offer the stiffest resistance should Mussolini follow his rejection of the Geneva peace plan with hostilities, Emperor Haile Selassie told the Associated Press tonight.

The little ruler said he had hoped that the increasingly grave relations between Great Britain and Italy might halt Mussolini in his threatened Ethiopian campaign.

Italy's action in refusing the plan caused little surprise here. Ethiopia, it was explained, has accepted the proposals in principle but telegraphed Geneva for clarification of certain proposals, especially those giving the league the exclusive right to appoint a chief supervisory delegate over various expert commissions and also suggestions that the entire civil population be disarmed.

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BRITISH CABINET PLANS EMERGENCY PARLIAMENT CALL

Upholding Of League Covenant Policy May Require Session—Public Interest Centers On Movements Of Fleet.

By Henry Tosti Russell
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, Sept. 21.—(UP)—The British cabinet, meeting on Tuesday in its first full gathering since the emergency meeting last month, may discuss summoning a special session of parliament to deal with the Ethiopian crisis, it was understood tonight.

It was believed that unless the situation is considered one of potential war, that it would not be necessary to convene parliament, since the government already has announced its policy to the house of commons.

However, if the government's plan of carrying out its announced policy of upholding the league covenant "to the fullest extent" involves the application of international penalties, the government may require further consultation with parliament.

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Food Destruction, Crop Restriction Held 'Sacrilege'

DETROIT, Sept. 21.—(UP)—It is the duty of every Christian to openly and actively condemn the destruction of food and the restriction of output as one of the worst types of sacrilege, Father Charles E. Coughlin and the very Rev. Dr. Hewlett Johnson, dean of Canterbury Cathedral, England, said in a joint statement tonight.

EMBITTERED AIDE OF HUEY BOUND TO SEEK OFFICE

Rev. Smith Deserts Noe After Urging Candidacy On Share-Wealth Platform—Machine Near Collapse.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Lieutenant-Governor James A. Noe, an embittered lieutenant in the Huey Long political machine, tonight threatened to split the organization by running as an independent candidate for governor after he had been rebuffed by the faction's caucus, which selected Judge Richard W. Leche as the administration's candidate for governor.

Several days ago Noe announced his candidacy for governor with the asserted support of Governor Allen and after the caucus had thrown him entirely off the ticket, he said: "My position is unchanged. I've already announced for governor on the Huey P. Long share our wealth platform and my announcement stands. I'm going to run. My friends are sticking by me."

But in defying the Long party in his proposed independent campaign, Noe was deserted by the Rev. Gerald L. K. Smith, national organizer of the Huey P. Long share our wealth society, and Wade O. Martin, who announced their support of him when Noe jumped the gun and announced his candidacy ahead of the caucus.

Smith, who was credited with getting Noe to announce prematurely, said in a statement that he would support the administration ticket because it endorsed the "platform of the share our wealth society."

U. S. CHAMBER TO PROPOSE NEW NRA TO AID BUSINESS

'Self-Government' Principle To Be Stressed—Taxes Spending Era Scored At Meet.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Proposals for new NRA legislation embodying the principle of business self-government may be offered congress in January by the United States chamber of commerce.

Officials said today a special committee would be appointed early next month to study the subject and make recommendations which probably will be submitted to a referendum of the chamber's 1500 member units.

At their meeting yesterday in which a study of "the whole field of federal taxation and expenditures" was authorized, as well as a referendum on a report on "trends in federal legislation" which virtually was an indictment of the new deal, the chamber's directors heard a discussion of the old NRA.

This was led by Henry I. Hariman of Boston, and William F. Withrow of Pittsburgh, and was described by one spokesman as an "old-fashioned experience recital."

While taking no official action, the directors were reported to have determined as a result of the discussion to go ahead with the study of the possibility of a new law, President Roosevelt already has set before congress the task of forming new NRA legislation.

Seeks Office



Dr. George S. Long, Tulsa, Okla., dentist, brother of the late Senator Huey Long of Louisiana, announced his candidacy for U. S. senator from Oklahoma on a "share-the-wealth" platform. He has sought state office unsuccessfully three times. (Associated Press Photo)

HUSBANDS POINT OUT SUSPECT AS CHICAGO SCOURGE

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Two men whose wives had been criminally assaulted in a series of sadist attacks that terrorized the Austin district tonight looked upon Micallo Iannella, 24, and said he closely resembled "the scourge," sex madman sought for the crimes.

Austin police held Iannella on an open charge. He was arrested in a pool room in the neighborhood where the attacks occurred.

Orlando James and Fletcher Madison, whose wives were attacked and beaten with a lead-studded leather quilt while they were bound and forced to watch the crimes, said they were "almost positive" Iannella was the man.

Madison, Police Captain John Stege said, looked at Iannella and stated: "He looks so much like the man who attacked my wife that I'm afraid of him."

FOG, RAIN BESET YOUTHFUL FLYER ON ATLANTIC HOP

Felix Waitkus On Flight To Lithuania Due Over Ireland This Morning.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Flying through cold rain and fog, Felix Waitkus was believed to be over the north Atlantic tonight on a flight from Floyd Bennett field to Kaunas, Lithuania.

St. John's, Nfld., reported an unidentified plane passed over Harbor Buffett, Placentia bay, flying east at 4,000 feet, Newfoundland time. (3:20 p. m. EDT).

Harbor Buffett is about 50 miles east of Beal Island, where a plane, believed to be Waitkus', was reported earlier.

Though he had no radio sending apparatus, the former army flier was equipped with a compass with which he can obtain direction.

The radio station at Athlone, in the Irish Free State, was directed to transmit weather reports to aid the aviator during the first quarter of every hour. In Dublin, the Free State radio station broadcast a special weather report and forecast after its usual closing hour.

Free Chauffeur For Texans Too Drunk to Drive

CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Police here today announced the inauguration of free chauffeur service for drunks.

They announced that any person who has been drinking, and feels it would be unsafe for him to operate his automobile, may call police and an officer will drive him home.

The announcement added reassuringly that such persons will not be jailed unless there is a "necessary" reason for it.

Officers said they believed the new service would tend to reduce the number of persons driving while under the influence of liquor.

MINISTER HOLDS EARLY MARRIAGE 'MORALITY BOON'

Dr. Jenkins Says Both State And Church Fail In Duty To Youth—Depression Rapped.

MOONEY PONDER'S CALLING OREGON 'ALIBI' WITNESS

Billings, in Folsom Prison, Threatens Injunction To Halt Hearing Unless Called.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—(AP)—New complications loomed in Tom Mooney's Habeas Corpus bid for freedom today as court action to halt his hearing was threatened and another potential witness in his behalf appeared.

The court action was threatened by Warren K. Billings, who, like Mooney, is serving a life sentence for the 1916 San Francisco Preparedness Day bombing.

Marshall R. Spencer, 58-year-old odd job man of Oregon City, Ore., said he could support Mooney's claim that he was more than a mile from the bombing scene at the time the blast killed 10 persons and injured 40 others. Spencer said he would "be glad" to help Mooney but did not want "to get mixed up in the case."

Frank P. Walsh of Mooney's counsel said Spencer's story was "interesting" but late, like many others which have been volunteered in the years since the bombing. Walsh said no decision had been made by him and his associates on whether an effort should be made to bring Spencer here to testify.

Mooney, held in jail here during a week-end recess of the Habeas Corpus hearing, said he did not recall Spencer, who claimed to have been with him and Mrs. Mooney on the roof of the Eilers building on Market street when the bombing occurred.

FRENCH INCREASE ARMAMENT FUND

PARIS, Sept. 21.—(AP)—France decided upon a huge increase in armaments today in view of a threatened Ethiopian war and its possibly dangerous consequences.

MASONIC BRANCH SCORNS ATTACKS

CLEVELAND, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Officers of supreme council of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite dismissed today as "unworthy of the serious consideration of intelligent people" recent attacks against Freemasonry by antagonistic forces in European countries.

SOCIALISTS HOLD GOVERNOR UNFAIR IN ISLAND VOTE

MANILA, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Dispatch of a protest to President Roosevelt denouncing the asserted partiality of Governor General Frank Murphy in the recent presidential election and charging "threats, coercion and election frauds" had been committed was announced today by the badly defeated national Socialist party.

"Immediate action is earnestly requested," said the text of the protest made public here.

YOUNG NAZIS IN FRONTIER BATTLE STAB FRENCH BOY

METZ, France, Sept. 21.—(AP)—A frontier "battle of the children" resulted today in the stabbing of a youthful French cowerd by a group of young Hitlerites, who crossed the border, and aroused great excitement in the area.

The wounded boy was Pierre Danner, 15, who was treated at Creutzwald hospital for a knife wound under the left eye.

SURVIVOR OF AIR DISASTERS, WEDS

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Lieutenant-Commander Herbert V. Wiley, survivor of the two air disasters that took the dirigibles Akron and Macon from the navy, was married late today to Mrs. Charlotte Mayfield Weeden, formerly of Sacramento.

The ceremony was performed at the home of Robert S. Campbell, a friend of the couple, in Beverly Hills, Campbell acted as best man and Mrs. Richard Lawson, of Palo Alto, was matron of honor. Marion Wiley, the groom's daughter by a former marriage, was flower girl.

WASHINGTON COAL MINES AFFECTED

SEATTLE, Sept. 21.—(AP)—N. D. Moore, president of the Pacific Coast Coal company, predicted tonight that approximately 2,000 men in the State of Washington will go on strike at midnight tomorrow. If President Roosevelt's attempt to avert a soft coal strike fails.

Moore estimated 1,200 soft coal miners in western Washington and 800 in the Roslyn-Cle Elum area of eastern Washington will be affected.

HAMILTON ENTERS SPEAKERS RACE TO THWART PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Two up-state Democratic lawyers—Moore Hamilton of Medford and O. Henry Aalen of St. Helens—tonight formally announced their candidacies for the post as speaker of the house of representatives.

They will oppose Howard LaTour, and William L. Graham, both of Portland, who entered the race earlier this week.

MAN INJURED IN STRANGE MISHAP

A man believed to be Louis LeMoy, about 32, of Denison, Texas, was in the Community hospital late last night still unconscious several hours after he had hit his head on the cement sidewalk just outside the Plichtner garage at the corner of Fir and Sixth streets. A mechanic from the garage was towing a disabled car into the garage, and had stopped so as not to jerk the rear end in mounting the incline. The rope between the two machines was slack, and it is believed that the man stepped on this rope just as the slack was pulled out of it by the starting machine. When picked up he was unconscious.

City police officers were summoned, and the man was taken to the Community hospital. Hospital attaches refused last night to give the man's condition, or to state whether he had sustained any severe skull injury.

MARITIME UNIONS, EMPLOYERS GIRD FOR NEW BATTLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—(UP)—Battle lines of both waterfront employers and maritime unions were tightened today as the employers moved to determine if they would join a boycott on "hot cargo," cargo moved or loaded under strike conditions.

The test of strength began when the river barge Steyer, owned by River Lines, Inc., tied up at pier 28, and unloaded 60 tons of wool and beans.

FARMER RIOTERS GET JAIL TERMS

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 21.—(AP)—Federal Judge Albert L. Reeves late today passed sentences ranging from one day in jail to three years in prison on 13 farmers who pleaded guilty of contempt of court and conspiracy to interfere with an officer in plating a farm foreclosure sale at Hlatzburg, Mo., Aug. 15. He postponed sentencing Harrison Nathan Jones who had taken ill.

New Publicity Chief
SALEM, Ore., Sept. 21.—(UP)—Effective October 1, Harold B. Kay, Portland newspaper man, will become manager of the advertising and tourist promotion bureau of the state highway department.

New Press Course
McMINNVILLE, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—Announcement has been made that Linfield college will offer a new course, to be known as "Press Relations," with Palmer Hoyt, managing editor of the Oregonian, as instructor.

Silverton, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—A rental library—and probably the smallest in the state—was opened here this week by three boys who had "more books than the other fellows so we thought we'd start a library like we read about."

HUGE LOOT OF NO USE TO THIEVES

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Thieves, who jimmied a second story window to gain entrance, robbed the home of George A. Hornel, millionaire gambler, of nearly \$500,000 in non-negotiable securities, four days ago. West Los Angeles police reported today.

HISTORIC SKULD OF ENGLISH GONE

LONDON, Sept. 22.—(AP)—The Sunday Pictorial said today that a valuable historic sword, dating from a period between 1485-1470, has vanished from the armory of the Tower of London, creating a mystery which Scotland yard has been called upon to solve.

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