

WEATHER  
Light and Breezy

# ROSEBURG NEWS-REVIEW

DAILY TEMPERATURE  
Highest yesterday 54  
Lowest last night 50

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**UNIVERSITY VOTE FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORAL OCCASION AT WASHINGTON TODAY**

Woodrow Wilson and Coolidge Formally Declared to be Elected President and Vice President of the United States for the Ensuing Four Years.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, and Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts were formally declared by congress today to be elected president and vice-president of the United States for the years, beginning on March 4, 1921.

**Governor Signs Nineteen Bills**

(By Associated Press.) SALEM, Feb. 9.—Among the nineteen measures enacted by the legislature and signed by the governor today are: The Norblad bill, providing for a preliminary survey of an interstate bridge across the Columbia and the two Dennis bills, relating to false statements as to the standing or reputation of banks, and the other relating to conviction of a person for a crime; the Patterson bill, providing for a state budget commission; the House bills passed and signed today are a measure by Marsh providing for the licensing of nurserymen and their agents, and one by Kulling criminal syndicalism and stage and providing punishment.

**Accepts Church at Medford**

Rev. J. E. Conder, formerly pastor of the South Methodist church of this city, but recently serving as secretary for the Anti-Saloon League, advancing Dr. Louis Albert Banks, has returned from a trip throughout eastern Oregon in the interests of the league. Rev. Conder has resigned his position with the anti-saloon league and has accepted the pastorate of the New Methodist Church at Medford, taking the place of Rev. Bray who suffered a nervous breakdown about six weeks ago and has been forced to take a complete rest. Rev. Conder has assumed charge of the Medford pastorate and will move to Medford next week. Mrs. Conder and their son will accompany him. They have not disposed of their real property in this city.

**Strained Relations Claimed to Exist**

(By Webb Miller) LONDON, Feb. 9.—The warm relations between the British foreign office and that of Great Britain and America might drift into war caused as great a sensation in England as in the United States. "There has been a drift we cannot afford to ignore," the London Daily News declared. This newspaper published extracts from the foreign office spokesman's statement as handed back to England from America, where the warning was first printed. It has been learned that the statement was carefully considered speech which has been approved by high government officials. It was reiterated today to the United Press that the phrase Anglo-American relations are more strained than appears on the surface, summarizes the situation adequately, but not in an alarmist way.

**WILL DEBATE AT RIDDLE**

The Roseburg high school debating team will meet the Riddle high school team Friday evening at Myrtle Creek. The question to be debated on "Resolved that the Philippine Islands be their independent." James McClintock and Thora Chadwick will represent the Roseburg high school and will debate on the negative side of the question. Miss Hollopeter, who has been coaching the team will accompany them. The judges who have been chosen are Mrs. O. C. Brown, Prof. Alfred Powers and Geo. Turnbull of the University of Oregon.

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**KILLS FIANCE—SHOOTS SELF**

(By United Press.) LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—"I couldn't live without him and couldn't get along with him," Mrs. Edith Lundberg, aged 25, a widow, is reported to have gasped as her motive for the alleged killing of L. P. Worden, Jr., a traveling salesman, and for her attempt afterward to commit suicide. She lies at the point of death in a hospital here. The shooting occurred last night in front of her home after she had quarreled with Worden, her fiance, it was reported. She shot Worden twice and then turned the gun on herself. Mrs. Lundberg was a stenographer at the hall of records here.

**MONTHLY DINNER PLAN DISCUSSED**

Business Men Desire Continuance of Plan Started During Revivals.

**CIVIC GOOD IS TOPIC**

Talks on Benefit to Community of Various Organizations and Businesses is Feature of The Banquet Held Yesterday.

(By C. H. Hilton.) The dinner pulled off in the dining room of the M. E. Church yesterday in connection with the tabernacle revival was one of the best yet held. The dinner itself was to be highly commended. There was a fine chicken dinner served for the nominal sum of 35 cents. It is not any wonder that men hurry around to get such a dinner. The crowd was so big yesterday that all could not be seated at once. The preacher is usually joked to a finish on his love for the chicken, but actually yesterday we noticed others who seemed to have a weakness in the same direction. The program given at the dinner was the best of the lot. Mrs. Lewis sang two songs, then began the discussion of the five great assets of a town. The school was represented by Professor Hamm, and Mr. McClintock told of how it could be improved. C. H. Hilton spoke for the newspaper, and several men spoke on this subject when it was thrown open for discussion, but the Chamber of Commerce was the one thing on which there was the most debate. Mr. Neuner, president of the Chamber of Commerce got forth the ideals for which they were working and there was much said pro and con. The Chamber has some severe critics and it also had some mighty strong defenders. The home was discussed by Mr. Walker, but only one speech could be made on this subject as the time was outland. The discussion was closed by the evangelist. Out of these dinners, there is a settled plan for a monthly forum on the Needs of Roseburg. It is likely that this plan will be a regular monthly matter. The Methodist church offered their dining room for such a purpose and it is expected that the men will be glad to have such a pleasant occasion monthly. The churches will probably all enter into the plan and the Chamber of Commerce, through its president indicated with pleasure their readiness to accept. A better Roseburg is the thing all look forward to and if we get in and pull together the thing will be accomplished.

**PAST MATRONS CLUB MEETS.**

The Past Matrons' club of the Eastern Star lodge held their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. G. Keymers on Fowler street. Following a short business session, the afternoon was pleasantly passed in sewing. The attendance was especially good and a large amount of sewing was completed. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the afternoon meeting.

**SIGNS ELEVEN BILLS.**

(By Associated Press.) SALEM, Feb. 9.—Governor Olcott today signed eleven more bills, including the Port of Portland and joint road committee measures.

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**Crude Oil Drops to Half Price**

(By Associated Press.) KANSAS CITY, Feb. 9.—Crude oil reduced in Kansas and Oklahoma dropped to one-half the price quoted sixteen days ago.

**Retail Trade Nearing Normal**

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Retail trade conditions are rapidly approaching normal and a daily improvement can be noted, Salmon P. Hall, president of the retail drygoods association, told that organization in convention today.

**New Auto License Law Approved**

(By United Press.) SALEM, Feb. 9.—The senate hit its stride today by definitely disposing of a total of fourteen bills, passing thirteen and killing one. The bill killed was the measure proposing the consolidation of the department of scaler of weights and measures with the dairy and food commission.

**Boys Get Medals For Club Work**

A. E. Street, county club leader, today mailed out some very attractive gold plated medals given by the government to the members of the pig clubs who completed their projects. Twenty-three boys of Douglas county are entitled to these medals. These are the only prizes given by the government, which has been especially active in promoting pig club work. The state school superintendent sends out a button to every club member completing any of the projects. Those who receive the government recognition are Glenn Voorhies, Andrew Jacoby, Bennie Jacoby, John Montgomery and Arnold Rodley, Looking Glass; Robert Davenport, Paul Talbot, Carrel Riggs, Nellie Hopkins, Kenneth Hopkins, Canyonville; Thomas Findley, Lynn Beckley, Franklin Rose, Roseburg; Earl Dalley, Claude Dalley, Peter Weiss, Earl Butler, Clyde Butler, Robert Butler, Reedspott; Richard Krommings, Gardiner; Bradley Smith, Dixonville; Lloyd Goff, Sutherlin.

**Martial Law in Petrograd**

(By United Press.) BERLIN, Feb. 9.—Martial law has been proclaimed in Petrograd as a result of the invasion of that city by mutinous soldiers from Kronstadt, the naval base of the former Russian capital, according to Helsinki dispatches. Considerable fighting is reported in Kronstadt between sailors and troops rushed from Moscow. Advice indicate that the bolshevik troops have been defeated.

**More Powder Than Battleships**

(By United Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—American women are spending for beauty parlors and candy enough to pay the entire cost of the nation's naval program, including the construction of new ships. Feminine knickknacks bought during the year 1920 cost approximately \$500,000,000, government records show. The cost of the navy for 1921 will be \$142,000,000. As a result the appropriations are less than the present appropriations are unless the little habit of Millady America of powdering her nose last year cost about \$50,000,000, or enough to build a giant dreadnaught and leave \$15,000,000 besides. Perfumes, cosmetics, scented soaps, jewelry, diamonds and ostrich feathers are now pouring into the United States from every country in the world to make the American woman more beautiful and attractive. The government collects something like \$50,000,000 yearly from a ten per cent tax on most of the things American women use.

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**FIGHTING IN PETROGRAD**

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**PRINT PAPER PROBE ASKED.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—A resolution requesting the federal trade commission to inquire into the price of print paper during 1920 and to ascertain whether or not "the newspapers of the United States are being subjected to unfair practices in the sale of print paper" was introduced in the senate by Senator Harris. The senator explained that he was anxious to ascertain why present high prices continued to be charged for print paper "when all other prices of manufactured articles had suffered big declines." He charged that newspapers in contracting for their 1921 supplies were forced to make contracts in which paper manufacturers reserved the right to fix their own prices subject to quarterly readjustments.

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Should the bill providing that the counties must bear half the expense of maintenance of the Pacific highway be passed by the legislature, practically all of Douglas county's road fund will be needed to meet this requirement, is the statement made by County Commissioner Edwin Weaver. A bill containing this provision has been introduced in the senate by the highway commission and should it pass Douglas county would be hard hit financially. In practically every other county the plan could doubtless be put into effect without any great pressure being felt, but in Douglas county peculiar circumstances make this bill a matter of extreme concern to those who pay the bills.

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Through the Willamette valley where the country is level there is little cost after the drainage has once been established and the surfacing is in place. In Douglas county, however, our hills and mountains cause our drainage system to be a source of continual expense while for this same reason the cost of maintaining the surface is much higher than in other places.

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