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WEATHER
Highest yesterday 38
Lowest last night 23
Tonight fair, light rain.

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REPORT OF POPE'S DEATH DENIED AND CONFIRMED BY NUMEROUS DISPATCHES

Conflicting Reports Received Throughout the Day From Rome and London—Latest Message at 2:30 O'clock States That He Is Still Alive—In Comatose Condition.

POPE ALIVE AT 3 P. M.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(By A. P. 2:30 p. m., Pacific time)—A Reuters dispatch from Paris received tonight says the Rome message, timed 8 p. m. in that city, stating that the Pope was still alive at that hour.

ALL A MISTAKE.
E. O. S. Bulletin, London, Jan. 21.—(By A. P. 2:48 p. m., Pacific time)—Cardinal Gasparrini's secretary announced this evening that the announcement of the Pope's death by a member of the cardinal's staff this afternoon was a mistake, and that no official news of the death of his holiness had been received.

Contradictory reports on the death of Pope Benedict XV., who was lying at the point of death for the past few days, have followed one another over the wires during the day. Reports pronouncing him dead have been received only to be followed a few moments later by messages announcing that he is still alive. Press bureaus endeavoring to obtain reliable news from Rome have been unable to do so, as evidently the death of his holiness is being kept a secret.

End Is Near.
ROME, Jan. 21.—"The death is imminent," Cardinal Gasparrini said today.

Girls Beware of All Foreigners as Helpmates, Is Advice of Margaret Rueff

(By International News Service.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Beware of foreigners as husbands" was the advice today of Mrs. Margaret Rueff, wife of Justice William P. Lawlor, of the supreme court of California, who is fighting for exclusive custody of her six-year-old son.

Roseburg Couple Married Last Night
Erwin G. Randolph and Mable E. Gilkeson were united in marriage last night at 9 o'clock at the Presbyterian manse, Rev. L. B. Quick officiating. Only the parents of the young people and a sister of the bride, Vivian Gilkeson, were present.

She Will Lose Child.
I fear he will take the child out of the state, and agreement or no agreement, I shall not permit him to see the boy except in my presence," the young woman said today.

Brunn Home Scene of Pleasant Party

Mrs. Irvin Brunn entertained several of her friends at her home yesterday afternoon. Games and flower making filled the hours. The flowers were made of tissue paper and many unique and clever ones were completed. Later in the afternoon delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

ROSEBURG BECOMES CONVENTION CITY

Umpqua Valley Is Beginning to Attract Attention From Statewide Organizations.

MERCHANTS COMING

Livewire Dealers of State to Meet Here Next Month and Roseburg Is Preparing to Show Visitors a Good Time.

Roseburg a Convention City. This is the reputation the city is getting all over the state where annual conventions are being held.

News Is Withheld.
LONDON, Jan. 21.—The official announcement made by Cardinal Bourne that he was notified of the Pope's death is apparently in (Continued on page six.)

WANT TO END WARS AND RUMORS

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Lloyd George, addressing the national liberal conference today, declared that all nations of Europe, without distinction, have been invited to the Genoa economic conference "because we want to put an end to the constant wars and rumors of wars."

Broccoli Little Damaged Here

Douglas county broccoli has received practically no injury from the severe cold weather of the past few days, growers in all sections of the county report. Where the broccoli was growing on light, sandy soil it is possible that there has been some injury to the plants, but on clay or loam soil there is practically no injury, it is reported.

NORWEGIAN SHIP SINKING

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The new Norwegian steamship, Mod, is sinking in mid-ocean. The lifeboats and propeller are gone. The George Washington is going to its aid.

ing a Live Merchants Association

for the purpose of general discussion of business affairs in general. Some of the brilliant business minds of the state will address the meetings, but the convention will not be all business, for these men are accustomed to entertainment on a rather lavish scale, and they usually provide a good part of the entertainment.

District Attorneys to Meet in Portland

District Attorney George Neuner has received notice of a meeting of law enforcement officers to be held in Portland in the near future. The meeting is being called by Attorney General Van Winkle at the request of Harry N. Daugherty, attorney general of the United States.

RECORD CROWD AT AUTO SHOW

Second Night Is Huge Success With Large Number Viewing Exhibits.

BAND HAS NEW FEATURE

Only Lady Snare Drummer With Concert Band To Be Featured Tonight—Double Program To Be Heard Tonight.

The second night of Roseburg's auto show was an unqualified success, and the attendance was more than double that of the night preceding. The program last night was excellent. The band gave a much better concert than on the first night as the seating arrangement at the time of the first appearance was poor.

Marriage Not a Failure, Says Mrs. Stokes, Despite Her Tragic Experience

By MILDRED MORRIS
(By International News Service.)
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Stop—Look—Listen

CLEAN 'EM THOROUGHLY BEFORE YOU COME IN



CALIFORNIA-OREGON POWER CO. ANNOUNCES ITS PLANS—PROJECT OF VITAL INTEREST

Will Operate Throughout the Willamette, Umpqua and Rogue River Valleys—Marks the First Step in Major Hydro-electric Development For This Section.

The California-Oregon Power company announces that it has entered into an interconnection contract to supply power to the Mountain States Power company for a period of 30 years, which power is to be used throughout the rich and fertile Willamette valley, says the Medford Mail-Tribune in its issue of last evening.

In order to supply this power, the California-Oregon Power company will construct a 115-mile high tension transmission line of 110,000 volt construction which will extend from the Prospect plant of the company through the Rogue river and Umpqua valleys into the upper Willamette valley, where it will connect with the transmission system of the Mountain States Power company at Eugene, Oregon.

This project stands out as one of the most important power developments of recent times, as it will close the last gap of the longest interconnected power transmission system in the world, extending from northern Oregon to the Mexican border.

Construction Work to Begin at Once.
General Manager Paul B. McKee announces that plans are being prepared and that the construction of this power line will begin immediately. A number of construction crews will be started in the field at once, as it is planned to complete the work this year.

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Marriage Wonderful Thing

"I believe the institution of marriage is a wonderful thing. 'May God save other women from my tragic experience' I underwent 'admirable suffering, and yet it has not made me bitter against the world. It has made me more tolerant. I cannot feel bitter even against those women who perjured themselves to testify against me in court,' she said in an interview.

BASKETBALL AT WILBUR
Roseburg and Wilbur high schools played a hard game last night on the Wilbur floor, with the result of a score of 18 to 6 in favor of Roseburg.