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THE SOUTH UMPQUA COUNTRY.

That the residents of the South Umpqua region are alive to their opportunities is shown by the movement launched for an organization to promote their fish and game resources. These are vital assets to a locality that looks forward annually to an influx of recreation seekers, and the action of the South Umpqua people is timely in view of the stimulus that will be given such influxes by the completion of the Tiller-Trail cut-off road to Crater and Diamond lakes, work that cannot be delayed much longer. No protection to wild game can be complete so long as predatory animals roam unchecked, and it is well that the forthcoming organization will strive for the establishment of higher bounties. Nature has created an ideal section for game in the wild reaches of the South Umpqua, but as much cannot be said in regards to fish propogation, because of the warmth of the stream half the year, except in its upper portion. This handicap of nature can be offset to a great extent, however, by generous stocks of fish at the start and by such vigilant conservation as only a good organization can promote.

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Al G. Barnes' press agent is abroad again. Now he bobs up over in La Grande with the announcement that Al is planning to lease Mt. Hood as a resort. The last we heard from him he was going to present Portland with a museum and just prior to that he startled Klamath Falls with a colorful statement to the effect that he plans to build in the Klamath country a home for broken-down circus folks. Ol' P. T. Barnum was right. There is a fool born every minute—but we wonder if the newspaperman who is gullible enough to soak up this press agent guff and use columns publicizing Al and his circus realizes that his readers cannot be so easily misled?

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The Oregon supreme court has declared unconstitutional an act of the last legislature providing for the construction of a new state office building at a maximum cost of $600,000, to be borrowed from the funds of the industrial accident commission. There was probably need for such a building, else the legislature would not have favored its construction, but the adverse decision of the court will cause no grief among the taxpayers at large. If the present state capitol will not accommodate the army of officials, clerks and supernumeraries on the payroll, there is a remedy at hand. It isn't additional quarters.

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Decision of the county court to consolidate election precincts is a common sense step toward economy. Nearly all of the present rural precincts were established when bad highways were the rule rather than the exception and automobiles had not come into use. These conditions are now changed. Not all of the rural residents own motor vehicles, but practically all of them live adjacent to good roads and travel to polling places is an easy matter. Besides, not over fifty per cent of the electorate go to the polls any more, so why not cut down an equal proportion of the election expense?

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One of the interesting bits of political gossip emanating from Salem is that Thomas B. Kay, present state treasurer, will try for the governorship in 1930. He refuses to either confirm or deny the report. It is recalled that prior to the special state election last month, Mr. Kay, in an article submitted to the press, declared that Oregon needed an income tax law. It is also recalled that a large majority of those who went to the polls registered a different opinion. In view of that verdict Mr. Kay might be showing good judgment by refraining from entering the race.

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With work started on the new Deer creek bridge it begins to look like Roseburg is the proud possessor of a city council that believes in action.

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There is nothing so pitiful as a professional reformer with nothing to reform.

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Oh to be a Boy Scout and spend a vacation in the wilds of Wolf Creek.

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The sunburns are beginning to peel off and at last summer is here.

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Whew! Hot, ain't it?

LARGE OUTPUTS OF WHEAT, HAY, SPUDS COMING

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pening which caused heavy congestion of the barrelling plants and cold storage facilities. Loganberries are selling at about the same price at last year, but the crop will probably be less than half that of last season. The soil is in fine condition as to moisture and the size of the logan and raspberry harvest, which is now in full swing, promises to hold up well throughout the season.

"Apple and pear prospects throughout the United States shows declines of ten and seven per cent respectively."

Best Wheat Crop in Years

Relative to the wheat crop, the report says:

"Numerous growers report that the per acre yield promises to be nearly double the average of the last few years. It is quite certain that the present wheat crop will be the best in several years, and with the attractive prices now prevailing the wheat farmers appear to be in line for a touch of prosperity this year.

"A very substantial increase in potato acreage is indicated," the report says, "from practically all parts of the state. With the plentiful moisture to date, the early crop is in fine shape. There appears to have been more than the usual proportion of late planting. The largest acreage increase is in Klamath county, where some estimates place the present acreage at more than double that of last year, when about 2,500 acres are estimated to have been grown."

MAKE ME AN OFFER

I recently acquired the Frederick property 225 Cobb St. 5 rooms, large lot. Get key at 535 Cobb St. and make me an offer. I paid $2800, but offer me what you will give, cash or terms. W. E. Kyler, Owner, 778 Willamette St., Eugene.

Fish at Idlyld Park.

BOY SCOUTS ARE HAVING GREAT TIME IN CAMP

Five Patrols Compete in Winning of Honor Awards.

WILL RETURN TODAY

Two-Day Trip Events to Be Related Around Campfire Tonight—Camp to End on 21st.

There are forty-two scouts attending the Wolf Creek camp, according to word from E. A. Britton, Scout executive, who is in charge of the camp. The boys are divided into 5 patrols, which are named as follows: Webfoot, in charge of Lester Russell; Cooties, in charge of Daniel Barnett; Coos Bay Pirates, in charge of John Keizer; Doodle Bugs, in charge of Jack Koenig and Cowbell, in charge of Gordon Applewhite.

With the honor award system working each scout is striving to win awards, also doing his best to assist his patrol mates to win. The most popular award each day seems to be that for the neatest tent. Others are good kitchen police, best all-around camper, best dining table, best decorated table on Sunday, award for camp construction and awards for the various tests passed.

Thursday, the first day of camp, was given over to getting settled, Friday to scoutcraft and a carefully prepared program, camp improvement on Saturday with time off during the afternoon. On Sunday, following Sunday school in the morning, free time was allowed for the rest of the day.

Monday the scoutcraft and test work was resumed with a swim and ball game in the afternoon. Monday each patrol went on a two-day hike, planning to return Wednesday evening, at which time experiences will be related around the campfire.

Four patrols hiked to Red Butte, while the other went to Glide.

The tents which Umpqua Post of the American Legion bought for the scouts, allow for much better camping than the boys have ever enjoyed previously, according to Mr. Britton. Visitors who were at the camp expressed themselves as being well pleased with the orderliness of the tents and the camp in general.

The boys are getting good food and plenty of it, Mr. Britton says. They had fried chicken for dinner Sunday. The food is being served family style, one patrol of eight boys to each table. Each day one scout serves and apportions food to the other members of his patrol and another washes the dishes. Each scout in camp will have the opportunity to learn to serve food properly. There is no rowdyism at any of the tables, the boys conducting themselves mannerly at all times.

Considerable interest in passing tests is being manifested. Stanley Kidder is in charge of all tenderfeet who are making a try to become second class before camp ends. Maynard Bell has charge of all second class scouts and expects to have them advanced to first class. The first class and merit badge are in charge of the executive. These scouts are being assigned different projects to complete each day for merit badge work.

The springboard has been put up at the swimming hole and the diving tow will be completed Wednesday night. Six life guards are on duty each day and are doing good work in casting the life preservers.

As soon as the two-day patrol hikers are over an intensified scout program will be carried out. After the boys have completed their test work they will be taken on a hike up Emile or Little River trail. This with an athletic program will end the camp on the morning of the 21st.

HALF SOCKS 19c PAIR

Just received, fine mercerized socks, rayon colored tops. Come in all sizes, assorted colors. Only 19c pair. Also same in all rayon, a beautiful hose, very special value at 29c pair. Buy at Carr's—"where you save."

NOW YOU ASK ONE

WHO SAID THAT

The first five of today's questions are famous quotations. Tell who originated them. Answers to all the questions are on the back page.

1—"There never was a good war or a bad peace."

2—"All Gaul is divided into three parts."

3—"England expects every man to do his duty."

4—"We have met the enemy and they are ours."

5—"I propose to fight it out on this line if it takes all summer."

6—What canal joins the Red Sea and Mediterranean Sea?

7—Where is Abraham Lincoln buried?

8—Who was the first Christian emperor of Rome?

9—What is the national anthem of France?

10—What English king was beheaded in the 17th century?

"CHINOOK WIND"

She doesn't look much like a wind, unless the zephyr is stirring her draperies, but she is Miss Chinook Wind, chosen recently at Portland, Ore., in a contest. Up the northwest they have run out of towns for which to name beauty contest winners and have started on the seasons, and so forth.

COURT SMASHES TAXICAB LIQUOR RING IN KLAMATH

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—Disposal of an alleged taxicab liquor ring in Klamath Falls was made in federal court here yesterday when Cal and Ira Crews, operators of a taxi company, were fined $500 each.

Henry Bond, P. O. Province, Leonard Hall, all drivers for the company, were sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.

Dean Thomas, found in a house raided by officers in connection with the case, was fined $500.

The prosecution was conducted by Assistant United States District Attorney Littlefield. Officers testified they bought liquor from the Crews and their drivers on numerous occasions.

200 YD. SEWING THREAD

A famous brand of sewing thread, 200 yard spools. Only 5c a spool. Carr's.

Picnic at Idleyld Park.

PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR BAND CONCERT THURSDAY NIGHT

The band concerts held each week have been drawing large crowds and have been greatly appreciated by the music lovers of the city. Under the direction of Prof. Applehoff the band has been playing some of the best of band selections and in a manner that is greatly pleasing to all who listen. An effort is being made to keep each program sufficiently diversified to provide music to the liking of all listeners. The program for tomorrow night will be as follows:

March, "Hostrausser's March"—Chambers.
Overture, "Hungarian Comedy"—Keler-Bela.
"Hearts and Flowers".....Tobani
March, "Fort Frayne".....Farrar
Waltzes, "Enchanted Night"...King
March, "Flag Day".....Schramm
"Star Spangled Banner."

Eat barbecue sandwiches and live forever. Brand's Road Stand.

CHAUTAUQUA MEETING AT UMPQUA HOTEL TONIGHT

Guarantors of the Chautauqua, which is to open here on the 16th, together with members of the executive committee and all others interested in the Chautauqua work, are to meet tonight at the Umpqua Hotel at 7:30. At that time reports will be made of the advance ticket sale by Frances Lintott, secretary, and Howard Pratt, superintendent, will outline the program and give information concerning the coming series of programs. It is desired that all persons interested in the Chautauqua be present.

There's a nice present for the lucky bidder at the Auction House next Saturday. Sale starts at 2 p. m.

MARKETS

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—Butter: Prime firsts 1c down; firsts 1c down. Extra cubes, city, 40c lb; standards 38½c; prime firsts 37c; firsts 36c. Creamery prices: Prints, 3c above cube standards; butterfat, 39½c f. o. b. Portland.

Milk steady, raw milk (4 per cent), $2.25 cwt., f. o. b. Portland. Butterfat, 39½c f. o. b. Portland.

Eggs, current receipts 24c dozen; current receipts 1c up. Fresh medium, 20c; fresh standard firsts, 24c; fresh standard extras, 25c.

Poultry (less 5 per cent commission) steady; heavy hens 21@23c; light, 15@16c; springs, 17c; broilers, 15@16c; Pekin white ducks, 20c; colored, nominal; turkeys, alive, nominal, dressed 37c.

Onions steady; local $3.50@4.50 sack. Potatoes $3.50@4.50 sack.

Nuts steady; walnuts 27@37c; filberts 19@20c; almonds, 14@16c; Brazil nuts, 14@16c; Oregon chestnuts, 17½@20c; peanuts 9@11c.

Cascara bark steady, 4@9c lb; Oregon grape root, nominal.

Hops steady, 1926 crop, 22@23c.

All classes of livestock steady. Quotations unchanged.

RED SQUILL MADE FROM SEA ONION NEW RAT POISON

Safest Exterminator Found as Only Rodents Will Eat It; Comes From Mediterranean.

It's a smart rat that knows his "sea onions," and a dead one who doesn't.

The botanist knows them as Urginea Maritima, a prolific Mediterranean product; the chemist is learning about them as "Red Squill," a toxic powder; but the rat is in ignorance, until he eats squill-poisoned bait. Knowledge then availeth naught.

"In all probability," says James Silver, United States Chief of Rodent Control, Eastern Division, "red squill manufactured from dry, pulverized sea onion bulbs, soon will be used to virtual exclusion of all other rat poison.

"We believe it can be used with comperative safety. Our experiments have failed to find anything it will kill except rats. Unsavory in taste, only a rat will eat it. The hapless dog that gulps it down finds himself in the throes of an urgent emetic. A cat wouldn't eat it on hamburger steak."

Sea onion has been used for centuries in Europe. White squill, a croup medicine for children, is made from it. Red squill, its only known product containing poisonous "glucocide," is present in the bulbs only when dormant, oddly during summer months.

"There still may be an unknown potency in red squill," Silver declares. "Glucocide never has been definitely isolated, and its full toxic properties may be source of future discoveries. Under certain conditions, these elements are lost, but just where or why, science does not say."

A native of the Mediterranean seashore, the white-flowered plant has been brought to this country by the United States Bureau of Plant Industry. Its growth is uncertain and there is but one firm manufacturing red squill powder.

"For rat extermination," Silver explains, "it is slightly more expensive than the dangerous poisons we have now. Its use likely will center in the cities, where it is unsafe to use calcium cyanide and impracticable to confine automobile exhaust fumes."

Silver estimates the annual damage from rats at $240,000,000, figured on the basis of one rat per capita population, each causing an annual damage of $2 to products and property.

My office will be closed from 11:00 a. m. Thursday, July 14th, to 3:30 p. m. July 18th.

CHAS. F. HOPKINS,
Justice of the Peace.

DESOLATION IN WAKE OF QUAKE IN HOLY LAND

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Express, are worried over the fate of many of Egypt's celebrated monuments should there be further shocks. During the last two years there have been a number of quakes of varying intensity and there have been two in the last ten days. Each time the center of the shocks grows nearer.

The center of yesterday's quake, according to estimates of the authorities, was less than 300 miles distant from Cairo. They received reports that the temple at Karnak was cracked in places. They say that had the center of the shock been 150 miles away, instead of 300, irreparable damage probably would have been done.

Cottage cheese. Roseburg Dairy Phone 186

DUBLIN MOURNS AT O'HIGGINS RITES

DUBLIN, July 13—Dublin was a city of hushed silence today as the body of Kevin O'Higgins, assassinated vice-president of the Free State Council, passed thru the streets lined with great crowds of mourners.

The body was taken from St. Andrews church where a requiem mass was celebrated and was then carried to the cemetery. So solemn was the ceremony that women wept as the body passed by and scores fainted from emotion and the heat of the day.

It was estimated that 500,000 Irish people, paying their last tribute to their stricken vice-president, watched the draped gun carriage which carried the body thru the streets.

Camp at Idleyld Park.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 5 a. m.

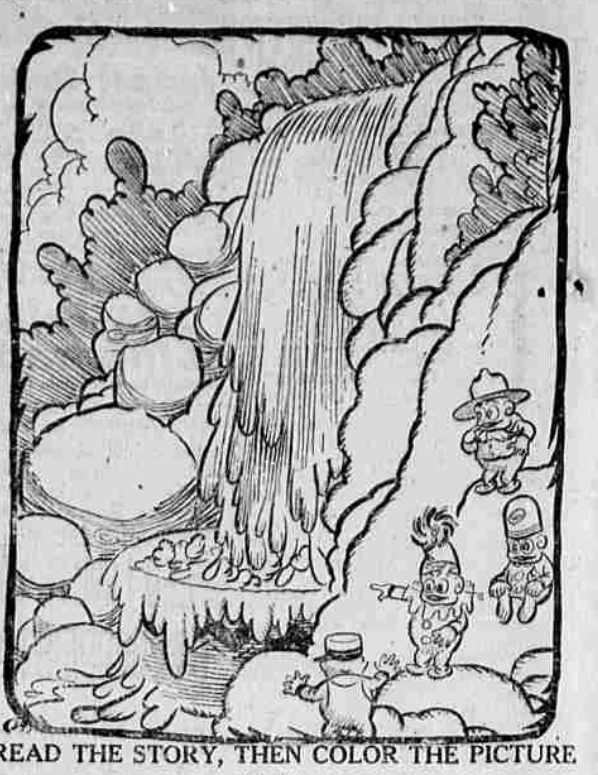
Relative humidity 5 p. m. yes.	27
Precip. in inches and hundredths:	
Highest temperature yesterday	85
Lowest temperature last night	57
Precipitation last 24 hours	0
Total precipitation since first month	0
Normal precipitation for this month	.39
Total precip. from September 1926, to date	25.90
Average precip. from Sept. 1, 1877	33.98
Total excess from Sept. 1, 1926	1.52
Average precipitation for 49 wet seasons, (September to May, inclusive)	21.12

Forecast for southwest Oregon: Fair tonight and Thursday; temperature somewhat above normal.

ARTHUR W. PUGH,
Meteorologist.

THE TINYMITES

STORY by HAL COCHRAN — PICTURES by KNICK



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

The little Princess cried, "Don't run! The popcorn storm is all in fun. The kernels cannot hurt you. They are much too soft and small. Don't hide beneath that spreading tree. It's safe out here as it can be. When there's enough upon the ground, I'll stop the popcorn fall."

The Tinies watched her for a spell and then she heard wee Clowny yell, "I think that we'll stay where we are until the shower is through. Excuse us if we make a fuss, but you are bigger, far, than us. We fear the corn might hurt us though it doesn't bother you."

The Princess answered, "Oh, all right. Just wait. I'll try with all my might to make the storm of popcorn stop. You're funny little men." And then she shouted rath rough, "Oh, popcorn—stop! We've had enough!" And very soon the storm was o'er, and it was clear again.

Out rushed the Tinies from the tree, exclaiming, in one voice, "Oh, gee! Just watch us eat our fullest fill of popcorn from the ground." "There's plenty here," the Princess said, "for all of you. Go right ahead." The Tinies were surprised to see how much good corn was found.

When they had eaten quite a lot, more than they should, as like as not, the Princess shouted, "Follow me, and do not be afraid. I'll take you now to Syrup Falls. I wish you all had overalls, for you could help the man who knows how popcorn crisp is made."

It wasn't long till they were there. The scene they saw was truly rare. A wall of rocks towered over head. It was a wondrous place. And, in between the rocks of stone, they heard a rushing into space. Liquid groan. A brownish sea of syrup foamed and dropped down

The Tinymites help shovel popcorn into boxes in the next story.)

NINTH BLAZE AT SOLDIERS' HOME STARTS INQUIRY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

SAWTELLE, Cal., July 13.—Investigations of a fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, which yesterday burned a part of the barracks of the soldiers home had been begun by officials of the home and the Los Angeles bureau of fire investigation.

Colonel John A. Hadley, governor of the soldiers home, last night declared he believed the fire, the ninth of a series at the institution, had been set intentionally.

E. E. Enos, chief of the Los Angeles bureau of fire investigation, has announced his intention to question each man quartered in the barracks where the fire broke out. But one man was in the building when the fire was discovered. The barracks, a three-story frame structure, is appraised at $23,000.

SILK HOSE 30c PAIR

Ladies' pure art silk hose, silk clear to the top, special value at 30c pair. Come in black and colors, all sizes. Carr's.

ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN AT SOLDIERS' HOME

An enjoyable program was offered at the Soldiers' Home at the dinner hour yesterday under the direction of Mr. Howard Pratt, superintendent of the Roseburg Chautauqua. Frances Llatott pianist and secretary of the Chautauqua committee, and Miss Catherine Carroll Smith, Chautauqua representative and entertainer, also participated in the program. The veterans greatly appreciated the program brought them by the entertainers.

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TEACHERS HEAD

This is Miss Cornelia S. Adair, Richmond, Va., just elected president by the National Education Association, in convention at Seattle, Wash. She is the first classroom teacher to hold the post and she doesn't believe in spanking.

CHECK PASSER IS RELEASED WHEN FRIENDS PAY LOSS

H. G. Ewing, who has been held in the county jail for several days on a bad check charge, was released from custody last night. Friends from Coquille came to the city and made good the checks which Ewing had issued and informed the officers that the men had always had a good reputation previously. Upon the recommendation of District Attorney Cordon, Justice of the Peace Hopkins dismissed the complaints against Ewing and released him from jail.

Try our buttermilk—it's different. Roseburg Dairy. Phone 186.

ST. ANDREWS GOLF RECORD EQUALLED BY BOBBY JONES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, July 13.—Bobby Jones struck a decisive first blow in defense of his British open golf title by scoring a sensational 68 for the first 18 holes of the 72 holes to decide the title.

The champion, very much on his game, did the first 9 holes in 32, four under par, and finished the round with a stroke gained on par in the home-coming stretch to clip five strokes altogether from perfect figures. His score equalled the St. Andrews course record. Playing faultless golf, the Atlantan came up to the home hole needing a par four to equal the best performance the historic course has known. He got it and was off in front of the big field. Three strokes back at 71 was Len Nettlefold, Australian amateur.

Joe Kirkwood was the leading professional, with a score of 72. Percy Alliss, English professional, had 73, with five British professionals tied at 74.

The other American players in were Jim Barnes with 76 and Larry Nabholtz, 77.

36-HOUR GRILLING FAILS TO WEAKEN ALLEGED KILLER

NEW YORK, July 13.—Virtually abandoning their efforts to obtain a confession, police today continued to weave a web of circumstantial evidence about Ludwig Halvorsen Lee, 38, sailor-janitor, held as Brooklyn's double axe-murderer.

Having formally pleaded not guilty, Lee, after 36 hours' grilling, continued adamant in his continual denial of any connection with, or knowledge of, the deaths of Miss Sarah Brownell, 69 year old seamstress, and Mrs. Alice Bennett, 56, mother of four children.

The case is expected to go to the grand jury tomorrow.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams