

WEATHER FORECAST

OREGON: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, cloudy in north and east; cooler interior Wednesday. Roseburg and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday; slightly cooler Wednesday.

Roseburg News-Review

THE DOUGLAS COUNTY DAILY

WEATHER YESTERDAY

Highest temperature yesterday: 85
Lowest temperature last night: 51
Precipitation last 24 hours: 0
Total precip. for month: 4.2
Deficiency since Sept. 1, 1929: 8.81
Relative humidity 5 p. m. (%): 21

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"WILDCAT" DUNCAN GIVEN JAIL SENTENCE

Editorials

on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

CAROL of Roumania, dissipated and unreliable, a typical prince, about as fit for rulership as Harry K. Thaw, is called back to the throne of his fathers. The people, we read, are overwhelmingly in favor of his return.

Reading that, we wonder why. Here is why: The people of Roumania want their government to go on without a break, because a break would mean anarchy while a new government was being formed and while it was getting under way.

They reason, you see, that ANY kind of government is better than NO government.

To a normal, clear-thinking American, particularly to an Oregonian, because in Oregon the average rate of intelligence is extremely high, the idea of hereditary monarchy is absurd.

Why should people submit willingly to be governed by a dissipated degenerate, merely because that dissipated degenerate happens to be the oldest son of a king? Probably you have wondered about that often enough.

WELL, here is the reason: People want government. They want orderly government. They want stable government.

They want government to go on unbroken, year in and year out, without lawlessness and bloodshed and confiscation and head-chopping occurring between the time when one government falls and another one arises.

So, wanting these things, which are reasonable things for people to want, they devised the institution of hereditary monarchy, which assures stability of government through passage of the title from father to son.

WHEN Rome became an empire, the title did not pass automatically from father to son. When one emperor died, the throne was seized by any hardy adventurer who had the courage to try it and the wits to get away with it.

Civil war frequently—indeed, rather generally—accompanied

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South Douglas Plans Super Road District

COMPLETION OF CUTOFF IS BACKERS' AIM

Club Sponsoring Route to
Lakes via Tiller Given
Pledge of Help by
Local Chamber.

Highway Already Exists but
Coin Needed to Put It
on Standard Grade
and Alignment.

Plans for the formation of a super road district to sponsor the completion and improvement of the Tiller-Trail cutoff were laid before the Roseburg chamber of commerce last night by a committee composed of Carl C. Hill, R. A. Moon and Archie Ferguson of the South Umpqua Road and Gun club. The committee asked the endorsement of the chamber for its plan, and requested that assistance be given in arranging the necessary procedure. As the local chamber has had experience in the formation of the North Umpqua road district, it was asked that men who assisted in the project be appointed to advise the South Umpqua organization in its work.

The proposed district takes in the southern part of the county as far north as Dillard and will have a valuation of approximately five million dollars, it was stated. So far there has been practically no opposition shown and there has been a great deal of enthusiasm manifested over the project.

Chamber Gives Pledge
The local chamber gave unanimous endorsement to the plan, and promised complete support in every possible way. President Newland appointed A. C. Marsters, B. L. Eddy and Dexter Rice as a committee to work with the South Umpqua organization in carrying out its plan.

The Tiller-Trail road will provide a short cut to Crater and Diamond lakes from the north. The road is already constructed all of the way through, but certain sections need a great deal of improvement to be put on standard grade and alignment. The road traverses a very beautiful section of the state and will also be an important road from the standpoint of opening up additional agricultural land and providing a trade route.

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NEW AUTO PLATES COMING JUNE 15TH

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

SALEM, Ore., June 10.—Secretary of State Hoss said today that the first of Oregon's new black and tan motor vehicle license plates will be released Saturday, June 15, so they may be put on the cars to replace the old plates June 15. While the new licenses are not due until July 1, the legislature of 1929 which changed the new license date from January 1 to July 1, made a 15-day latitude for the issuance of new plates, so they will be legal on and after June 15. This is one of a number of reforms intended to save time and money for the state, and motorists are urged to change as soon as possible after the legal date.

Hoss cautions motorists, when they change plates, also to remove the windshield stickers that have been used since last January 1 in the transition from the old to the new license paying dates.

Another change this year is that license plates for passenger vehicles and trucks will be alike, except trucks that are used commercially. These will have the letter "M" on them. The letter "T" heretofore used is eliminated.

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SLAYING OF LINGLE STIRS ALL CHICAGO

Murderer of Reporter of
Tribune Sought in One
of City's Biggest
Man Hunts.

Rewards Totalling \$30,000
Posted—Revenge for
Work in Gangland
Held Motive.

CHICAGO, June 10.—One of the greatest murder hunts Chicago ever has seen was organized today. Police, state's attorney's men, private detectives and the organized power of the press joined to track down the man who killed Alfred (Jake) Lingle, 38-year-old reporter for the Tribune yesterday.

Rewards totalling \$30,000 were posted—\$25,000 by the Tribune and \$5,000 by the Chicago Evening Post. The Press club of Chicago issued a statement that it stood ready to post an additional \$10,000.

Two hundred or more persons were within a few feet of Lingle when he was shot down at 1:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon, yet the slayer not only escaped but left witnesses with a confusion of stories as to just what happened.

Clues Are Lacking
Early today the investigators revisited the murder scene—the subway that dips under Michigan boulevard at Randolph street and leads to the Illinois Central station. They wanted to recheck every possible means of escape that the slayer may have taken. They sought to learn whether some clue, previously overlooked, might be revealed.

Already they had the killer's gun, a pocket revolver of .38 caliber; and they had the black silk glove worn by the killer to prevent telltale fingerprints being left on the pistol butt. That was about all.

There were many witnesses, and

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FORMER ROSEBURG RESIDENT MISSING

A nation-wide search is being made for Al Redburn, former Myrtle Creek and Roseburg resident, who has been missing from his home at Klamath Falls since May 26. Mr. Redburn is the father of Mrs. Tom Simmonds and Miss Beulah Redburn of this city. He was employed by the railroad company here for a number of years, after moving to Roseburg in 1917, and later conducted a barber shop in Myrtle Creek before going to Klamath Falls, where he has been engaged in the barber trade.

He went to Portland during the latter part of May to visit relatives and to attend to business matters, and has not been seen since the 26th of May. It is feared that he may have met with foul play.

The fact that he is missing has been broadcast through police bulletins over the country, and the Old Fellows lodge, of which he has been an active member for many years, is also seeking some trace of him.

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RULING HITS POWER FILINGS ON ROGUE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

SALEM, Ore., June 10.—In an opinion written for State Engineer Luther today Attorney General Van Winkle advises him to deny the applications of Romaine W. Meyers of Oakland, Cal., and Charles H. Lee of Berkeley for water power rights on Rogue river in Josephine county, filed in connection with a proposed \$23,000,000 development project. It is conjectured that the case will be taken to the courts for final determination.

The attorney general holds that the appropriations requested are prohibited by an act of the 1929 legislature, notwithstanding the applications were filed prior to the passage of that act. The act in question withdraws from appropriation the waters of Rogue river in the district involved, except for domestic, stock, irrigation and municipal purposes, and prohibits the placing of any obstacle in the stream that would interfere with the free migration of fish.

Meyers and Lee have six applications on file affecting the Rogue. Four are for the appropriation of water for power, one for the construction of a dam and the sixth the storage of water.

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GROWERS AND CANNERY PLAN COOPERATIVE

Proposed New Status for
Norton Plant Seen as
Need for Securing
Federal Aid.

Lower Interest Charge on
Loans Desired; Stocks
Market Crash Felt
in Operations.

Plans to convert the Norton Canning company plant into a cooperative concern, making it possible to secure financial aid, were discussed yesterday at a well attended meeting of fruit growers at the Knights of Pythias hall. The meeting was called to discuss the cannery situation, with regard to meeting obligations of last season and to lay plans for this season's operations.

Nearly two hundred growers were present and all were quite interested in the plans that were presented.

It was the general opinion of all present that the cannery is indispensable to the fruit and vegetable industry, and, realizing that the present trade conditions are unfavorable, the growers showed a willingness to cooperate in meeting the situation by making concessions that will enable the plant to continue on its present basis, without further crippling its financial situation.

Market Crash Felt
A heavy expense was incurred prior to last season through additions to equipment for the handling of fruit.

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SURPLUS OF BANKS DRAWS OPPOSITION

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Opposition to creation of new banks by group systems in communities already served adequately, and to establishment of branches outside metropolitan districts, was expressed today before the house banking committee by Elmer E. Adams, president of the First National bank of Fargo, Minn.

He said he was not opposed, however, to the acquisition of existing banks by the group systems, and that "individual banks which are on their feet have no fear of being unable to compete successfully with group banks unless unfavorable legislation is passed."

"The unfortunate situation which has developed in the northwest and in some other parts of the country," he added, "is not in our opinion due to the failure of the present system of banking but because congress and legislatures have permitted the establishment of banks with too small capital and in communities which were unable to support them."

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MEMORIAL TO WAR HERO DESTROYED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LIMERICK, June 10.—A bronze statue erected in Limerick in 1855 in memory of Viscount Fitzgibbon, son of the Earl of Clare, who fell in the charge of the light brigade at Balaklava, was blown up last night.

The memorial, a life size work depicting a soldier in a military pose, was erected by public subscription.

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U. S. ADVERTISING STIRS ENGLISHMAN

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LONDON, June 10.—Lord Riddell, chairman of the British Newspaper Proprietors association told delegates to the Imperial press conference here today that in his opinion increase in America's foreign trade was due largely to that country's advertising.

He urged more manufacturers and merchants to advertise both at home and abroad, declaring: "It gives one a pang to look at overseas and colonial newspapers and see the preponderance of American advertising. I love Americans but I don't want to see the world Americanized."

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SHORTAGE FORCES CLOSING OF BANK

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CINCINNATI, June 10.—The Cosmopolitan Bank and Trust company was closed today by O. C. Gray, state superintendent of banks, after a shortage of from \$575,000 to \$590,000 was found in the bank accounts of the Henry L. Doherty company, Cincinnati branch.

The Doherty company was one of the largest depositors in the Cosmopolitan bank.

Examiners and county officials said a shortage of more than \$1,000,000 existed in the books of Amos W. Shafer, former district manager of the Doherty company, and declared the seriousness of the shortage was emphasized by the fact the bank's capital, according to a published statement last March 27, amounted to only \$837,377.

Officials said the shortage was caused by stock market gambling operations of Shafer. Shafer was arraigned on an embezzlement charge, waived examination and held to the grand jury under \$15,000 bond.

WICKERSHAM URGES
DRY ACT EDUCATION
BOSTON, June 10.—Prohibition enforcement agencies could find "coast suggestion" in the experience of England and Wales of better methods of attaining the object of the 18th amendment than those pursued during the last decade, in the opinion of George W. Wickersham, chairman of the national commission on law observance and enforcement.

A general process of education "into the evils of excessive drinking and the advantages of other forms of innocent amusement" have been credited in large part with the decrease in drunkenness in those countries, he said here last night in addressing 5,000 social workers attending the 57th national conference of social work.

Quoting British authorities, he cited other factors, including improved housing conditions and cultural advantages, certain restrictions in hours of sale of liquors and higher liquor cost.

In an address devoted in large part to the problem of law enforcement, Mr. Wickersham spoke specifically of the national prohibition law.

He declared that no attempts at education as to its merits have been made since its enactment, temperance work has been abandoned and dependence for enforcement has been placed upon the power of the government to impose fines and imprisonment.

"The problem of law enforcement is a matter of education in law observance," he said. "Preventive measures rather than penalties should be emphasized. Sympathy and helpfulness, rather than the rod, the cell and the stone pile, should be tried in order that lawlessness be reduced to the lowest point."

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MISSING PATIENT DISCOVERED DEAD

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

SALEM, Ore., June 10.—S. E. Carrig, 48, Portland brakeman, missing from the state hospital since June 3, was found dead in a wooded area at the rear of an unoccupied dwelling near the hospital grounds Tuesday by two little girls at play. He was committed to the institution in January of this year. Wrapped in a letter from his wife, 110 East 56th street, north, was a newspaper clipping of the poem "The Fighting Spirit" by Edgar A. Guest.

MILITARY HONORS FOR IRWIN RITES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Funeral services for Lloyd Irwin, Copco employee who died suddenly Sunday night, were held at the Roseburg Undertaking chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Irwin, who was a member of Umpqua post of the American Legion, was buried with military honors and a firing squad from the local national guard company gave the salute over the grave. Music was furnished by the Legion post, Rev. Mr. Shaw, pastor of the Christian church at Cottage Grove, and Rev. W. R. Baird of Roseburg officiated. Interment was in the L. O. O. F. cemetery with arrangements in charge of M. E. Ritter.

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GERMAN SCHOLAR DIES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

HEIDELBERG, Germany, June 10.—Adolf Von Harnack, German theologian, died today after a fortnight's illness.

TWO COUNTS ALSO BRING \$75 IN FINES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

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The court announced what the penalties would be before hearing the demurrer of Duncan's attorney. The defense attorney withdrew his demurrer without argument when the judge ruled that fairness of the trial could not be challenged. Appeal bonds were set at \$300.

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PIGEONS RAVAGING CHERRY ORCHARDS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

A flock of wild pigeons were caught gorging themselves on cherries in one of the many orchards of the valley late yesterday, and a shot brought one of the birds down. Examination of the bird's crop revealed five ripe cherries, all with stems still attached, and in the gizzard were found seven polished cherry pits and a quantity of fine particles, evidently cherry pits pretty well ground up. It is estimated that a bird of this variety will eat around a pound of cherries a day, and besides they destroy more than they eat, as the ground under the trees on which this particular flock was operating was literally covered with ripe fruit that had been knocked off by the pigeons milling around among the branches. Extent of damage done by wild pigeons, there being from fifty to a hundred or more in a flock, is almost unbelievable, but growers allege that it amounts to thousands of dollars annually in the Umpqua valley.

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HALF OF HERITAGE WINS HIS LIBERTY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

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Zwanek was arrested by a Multnomah deputy sheriff as the steamship Tacoma docked here from Tacoma. The former janitor had signed on as a deck hand to earn a passage to Germany.

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COMMITTEE O. K. GIVEN PENSION BILL SLASH

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The house bill to liberalize World War veterans' compensation, modified to reduce the annual additional outlay by the government from an estimated total of at least \$150,000,000 to approximately \$74,000,000, was approved today by the senate finance committee.

Corrupt Practice Law Violation Seen In Radio Speech on Election Day.

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NEWS BREVITIES OF OREGON

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

INDICTED IN FRAUD CASE SAY NOT GUILTY
PORTLAND, Ore., June 10.—Seven of the nine defendants in the alleged \$320,000 Guaranty and Loan company, Inc., mail fraud case yesterday entered pleas of not guilty when they were arraigned before Federal Judge McNary.

They were: A. M. Harndon, former president of the company; Lillian Mc. McCoy, former secretary; R. H. Baird, former treasurer; R. H. Burnett and David Kurath, former salesmen; C. A. Alphonse, former assistant to Stanhope Pier, city commissioner of finance; and G. H. Reed, former president of a piano company here.

Judge McNary set July 9 for the opening of the trial.

TRAFFIC COP SUSPENDED ON CHARGE OF GRAFT

PORTLAND, Ore., June 10.—Hubert Ragan, traffic policeman, was ordered suspended for one month yesterday by Chief of Police Jenkins after a hearing on graft charges, brought by Edward Poll, 18, who said he had paid Ragan \$20 to "square" a charge of speeding.

"BERTIE" HOOVER DAY OBSERVED AT NEWBERG

NEWBERG, Ore., June 10.—"Bertie" Hoover's little white schoolhouse, now Pacific college, honored its most distinguished pupil yesterday, now the president of the United States.

From all sections of the state men and women, who went to school with President Hoover, the rosy cheeked youngster who was

one of the first scholars at the opening of Pacific academy in 1885, gathered here aid aided in unveiling a tablet to "Herbert Hoover, humble country boy."

Dr. W. D. Woodward, orator of the day, dedicated the tablet to "the quiet little lad who made no stir, who was not distinguished in any way while here."

CHEWING GUM ROBBER TAPS THREE DRUG STORES

PORTLAND, Ore., June 10.—Portland's gum chewing robber, who, because he carried a milk can in which to carry away his loot has earned the nickname "The Sock," was busy again last night. He robbed three drug stores on the east side and escaped with a varied booty.

At each place he held up the clerk with a revolver and chewed his gum nonchalantly as he worked.

DOWNY MILDEW MENACES WILLAMETTE AREA HOPS

DALLAS, Ore., June 10.—Discovery of a disease officially diagnosed as downy mildew of the hop, threatening the entire hop industry of the Willamette valley and particularly in Polk and Marion counties, is announced by J. R. Beck, county agent, who has called a meeting of prominent hop growers of the district.

The disease is in sufficient form to cause serious injury to the entire industry and to threaten the economic production of hops in the valley. One hopyard is known to have been virtually destroyed and a movement has been launched to secure some special appropriation to place it under control.

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