

WEATHER FORECAST

OREGON: Fair tonight and Friday; no change in temperature. Roseburg and vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday; normal temperature.

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THE DOUGLAS COUNTY DAILY

WEATHER YESTERDAY

Highest temperature yesterday 86
Lowest temperature last night 53
Precipitation, last 24 hours 0
Total precip. for month 7
Deficiency since Sept. 1, 1929 9.75
Relative humidity 5 p. m. (%) 27

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NORTH UMPQUA ROAD SURVEY PLAN O.K.'D

Editorials

on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

TAXES have increased tremendously in the past generation. They increased because of the demand for added services from the government—city, state and national. The only way to reduce taxes is to REDUCE the services we receive from the government.

We like to think, and the demagogues like to tell us, that there is some magic way to reduce taxes and still get more from the government.

There isn't. The only way to reduce taxes is to DO WITHOUT some of the things we expect the government to do for us.

EARL CARROLL shows naked women in order to draw patrons to his theatre and thus make money for himself.

Question: Who is more contemptible—Carroll, or the people who pay money to go to his theatre in order to SEE the naked women Carroll displays?

SAM TYREE, of Port Orchard, Washington, shot his neighbor's dog. The neighbor, armed with a shotgun, went over to Tyree's place to protest.

A duel ensued, and now the neighbor is dead and Tyree is a murderer.

YOU may not agree, but here is the writer's idea of it:

It would have been better for Tyree if he had put up with the neighbor's dog, and it would have been better for the neighbor if he hadn't taken the shotgun along when he went to Tyree's place to protest.

We can't live ALONE in this world. We have to live with other people, and in the long run the better we get along with other people the better it will be for all of us.

A POLITICAL campaign, probably a three-cornered one, is coming up in Oregon. One of the issues of this campaign will be POWER.

The people of Oregon will be told loudly that they ought to OWN THEIR OWN POWER, and will be told even more loudly that the only way they can own their own power is by electing So-and-So governor.

BEFORE believing this tale, read this paragraph from the Roseburg News-Review:

"Organization of a local committee."

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NEWS BREVITIES OF OREGON

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CONVICT STILL AT LARGE
SALEM, July 31.—Douglas Day, Portland bank robber who escaped from the state penitentiary Tuesday evening, is still at large. A number of manhunters are watching the country around Salem but so far there is no clue to the direction taken by the fugitive. Day was a trusty and got away from the prison annex near Turner.

FOUR ARE PENALIZED
PORTLAND, Ore., July 31.—Because a federal court jury recommended leniency, Donald E. Myers and Forest Ryder of Elgin, Ore., convicted of liquor law violations, got off without jail sentence here yesterday. Each was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1000. They were convicted yesterday on two counts on a retrial of a case heard last June when a jury disagreed.

STREET LIGHTS IN STILL
SALEM, July 31.—When officers raided a still near Turner they found 12 red lanterns that had

been stolen the previous week from Salem streets where they were used to warn traffic from street from the state penitentiary Tuesday evening. The operators of the still were using them to heat mash.

TWO YOUTHS DROWNED
PORTLAND, Ore., July 31.—The lure of swimming brought death to two boys here yesterday. Walter Schandy, 14, drowned in a lake near the city when he was seized by cramps. Elmer R. Johansen, 18, drowed in Columbia slough under similar circumstances.

DROPS \$1000 ON HIGHWAY
PORTLAND, Ore., July 1.—The loss on one thousand dollars in ten-dollar bills on the Columbia river highway somewhere between Hood River and Portland, was reported to police today by J. C. Whaley of Longview. The money, he said, was pinned to his vest.

LOST VACATIONIST FOUND
PORTLAND, July 31.—After a night spent in the timber of Mount Hood, Velma Hathaway, 26, of Washougal, Wash., was found near Sand canyon shortly after dawn today. She suffered no ill effects although the night was chilly and she was thinly clad. Miss Hathaway left camp yesterday in an attempt to ascend the mountain without a guide and became completely lost in the forest.

U. S. Gunboat Battles Reds at Changsha

FIFTY CHINESE SAID SLAIN IN HOUR'S FIGHT

Craft Raked With Machine Gun and Rifle Fire But Routs Assaults; 5 Tars Struck.

Oil Depots Worth Million Still Survive Torch of Invaders—Famous Resorts in Peril.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SHANGHAI, July 31.—Intensive red activity sweeping middle China, which culminated yesterday in an attack by Chinese communists on the American gunboat Palos near Changsha, in which about fifty Chinese were killed and five bluejackets wounded, today threatened to engulf Hankow, Wuchang, Hanyang and other important cities in the Yangtze valley.

Authorities of the Japanese concession in Hankow today began erecting barb wire defenses as a precaution against possible attack. British official circles in Shanghai heard foreigners were evacuating Kiukiang. Efforts to communicate with Kuling, famous foreign resort, failed and telegraph lines in the Yangtze valley were reported interrupted at various places.

SHANGHAI, July 31.—American sailors killed about fifty Chinese communists and wounded many more while defending the United States gunboat Palos from an attack near Changsha yesterday in which the reds raked the ship with machine gun and rifle fire, wounding five bluejackets.

The reds attacked from the banks of the Siang river as the Palos was approaching the communist-ravished city to make a survey of the ruins. Opening fire with 100 rifles and 10 machine

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TRUCK AND FRUIT TAKEN BY FLAMES

A big fruit truck and all its contents were destroyed by fire on the Coos Bay highway about 14 miles west of here yesterday. Defective electric wiring on the car is blamed for the fire.

Leo Gattuccio, employed by an independent concern operating the truck line between Portland and Marshfield, was driving the machine. He escaped from the car and it burned on the road.

The Stephens Auto company tow car was called to the scene to clear the highway, since the wreckage was holding up traffic. The machine and its contents were covered by about \$1500 insurance. It is reported.

49 Youths Wrestling With Fifty Brain Teasers in Competition For Thos. A. Edison 1930 Scholarship

WEST ORANGE, N. J., July 31.—Forty-nine young men from as many parts of the United States knelt their brows today as they surveyed some fifty questions Thomas A. Edison had propounded them.

Of the group one will be proclaimed the winner of the Edison scholarship for 1930. Announcement of the successful candidate will be made tomorrow morning on the lawn of Glenmont, the Edison home.

The boys were given until one o'clock to complete their papers.

Quiz in Four Groups
The examination was in four sections. The first dealt with chemistry, mathematics and physics. The second contained personal questions about the boys, asking them to reply to a letter asking the advisability of and the student reaction of a proposed course for a university on Manchurian cooking.

The fourth section contained general identification questions, historical, individual and scientific.

The basis of the questionnaire was explained as Mr. Edison's idea of a successful scientific life. Five things were essential, the inventor was quoted as saying: ambition, character, imagination, will to work and general information.

Girls' Contest Next?
WEST ORANGE, N. J., July 31.—There may be a Mrs. Thomas A. Edison scholarship contest next year to pick "America's brightest girl."

Suggestion was made by some of the high school girls who helped entertain the 49 contestants for the Thomas A. Edison scholarship that a similar offer be made to girls.

The inventor's son, Charles Edison, was enthusiastic about the idea. "I think it's splendid," he said. "I'll put it up to Mrs. Edison immediately."

WAGONTIRE WATER HOLE FEUD ENDED
PORTLAND, July 31.—The famous Wagontire mountain water hole, bitter as it is famous, was believed at an end today.

Government officials and the Oregon humane society were advised last night by federal officers that the disputed waterhole on the Frank Dobkins homestead on Wagontire mountain would be open to the range.

Dobkins recently fenced this waterhole at which cattle and horses of the range lands had been able for years to get a drink. Investigation revealed, however, that other waterholes are available in the district.

As a result of this disclosure more weight has been given to the charge that the trouble arises from a neighborhood quarrel.

George Neuner, United States district attorney, said today Dobkins' fence had been cut open yesterday. Dobkins' attorneys advised him to cut the fence after the secretary of the interior failed to allow a rehearing on his decision ordering home-land patents canceled to part of Dobkins' land surrounding the waterhole.

DOLLAR STEAMER BATTLES BLAZE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 31.—Although fire still smoldered in the holds, and the stern of the Dollar liner President Harrison rested on the bottom of the Hudson river, officials of the line today said the ship would be in port to start her round-the-world cruise tomorrow.

Officials expressed the belief that as soon as the great quantities of water poured into the holds to extinguish the fire could be pumped out, the ship's stern would float again.

Officials of the line would not estimate the damage of the blaze which for more than three hours resisted streams from eight fire tugs and twelve land companies.

BOYS ADMIT ARSON AND THEFT SERIES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, July 31.—Five boys ranging in age from 12 to 19, were under arrest in Brooklyn today charged with setting fire to apartment houses and robbing them during the excitement. Police said they confessed.

The loss in the fires attributed to the boys aggregated \$100,000, officials estimated. They said \$5,000 worth of property was stolen. Twenty persons were injured in the fires.

TONG FEUD FLARES AGAIN; TWO SLAIN
(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, July 31.—Police reserves patrolled Chinatown today after the killing of one Chinese and the wounding of another in a brawl between a new tong war. Seven Chinese were in jail.

R-100 SPANS ATLANTIC AND NEARS GOAL

Arrival at Montreal to Be Delayed Until Sundown to Guard Craft's Lifting Gas.

Mutilated Corpse of Lost Flier Found—Missing Derbyist Shows Up From Desert.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
ST. HUBERT AIRPORT, Montreal, July 31.—The R-100 slowly approached the end of its flight from England today, its arrival delayed by choice or necessity until shortly before dark tonight. A wireless from the ship announced that arrival would be at seven o'clock p.m.

No reason was given for the delay, but it was not believed that it was caused by adverse weather or any enforced slowing up of the dirigible's six great engines. Rather it was believed the officers in command had decided that atmospheric conditions would be better close to dusk than in the heat of the afternoon sun.

Sun heat has the effect on hydrogen, which is the lifting gas of the R-100, of enormously increasing buoyancy, and it was thought the R-100 officers had decided on a delayed landing to avoid the necessity of valving off valuable gas to effect a landing in the full heat of mid-afternoon.

The R-100 passed Father Point, Quebec, at noon today, according to a report from the signal service. Father Point is about 175 miles east of Quebec.

Flier's Body Buried
RANGOON, Burma, July 31.—A mutilated body believed to be that of the missing British aviator, Eric Hook, was taken into Promie yesterday by members of a rescue party.

The body was found on a bank of the Buys river Monday and was little more than a skeleton, the limbs missing. Burial was made today at Promie.

Hook and James Matthews were

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LIONS CLUB EYES NATATORIUM PLAN

In an effort to revive interest in the proposed natatorium here, the Lions club last night selected a committee from its membership to ascertain the feasibility and estimated cost of such an amusement center. Some time ago the club took the proposition under consideration, but nothing definite was done. The club does not propose to construct the natatorium, but to gather data about it and seek some organization or group of organizations to finance it.

Ralph Smith, Ed Squier and Glenn Radabaugh are on the investigating committee.

Lions will greet their namesake, Leo, the M-G-M lion when he appears in front of the Antlers theatre next Tuesday evening.

The horseshoe team of the club is getting into shape for the inter-club tournament to be held some time soon. Hub Whipple is captain of the team.

L. H. MORGAN DIES. FOLLOWING STROKE

L. H. Morgan, for many years a resident of Douglas county, died in a Eugene hospital yesterday afternoon following an illness of little more than a week. He was past 70 years of age.

He was the father of Mrs. V. S. Woodruff and Mrs. Conrad Lundeen, both of Elgarore. He was at Cleveland that the family lived for a long time. His daughters were born there and his first wife died at Cleveland and was buried at Emporia.

Mr. Morgan and his second wife have been living near Springfield for several years. About a week ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he failed to rally.

Besides his widow and the two daughters he is survived by two sons, Harry of Tillamook and William of Philadelphia, Pa. Funeral services will be held in Eugene Friday and interment will occur in that city.

COPCO PLANS HUGE PROJECT IN KLAMATH

Proposed Development of Power From River to Require Outlay of \$27,500,000.

Five Applications for Site Contemplate Stations on Series of Falls for 15 Miles.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, Ore., July 31.—Expenditure of \$27,500,000 and the creation of 245,420 horsepower by the California-Oregon Power company in its development of Klamath river from the grant power site to the California line are indicated in applications for water rights filed today with State Engineer Luper.

The grant power site is about 16 miles west of Klamath Falls.

Luper said there was no doubt that the applications would be granted with reservations for the protection of irrigation interests above the power sites. Luper thinks the program of the power company has been formulated to cover a period of about 20 years.

The company has before the federal power commission applications for license to use right of way on federal land, which, it is understood, will be granted as soon as state approval of the applications now before the engineer and the state reclamation commission is given.

Five Units Projected
The applications received today, five in number, are in addition to an original application that has been pending since 1924. The original application proposed the development of 79,057 horsepower at the grant power site at an estimated cost of \$7,000,000. Each of the five new applications, as did the old one, requests the appropriation of 1500 second feet. One proposes the utilization of a fall of 296 feet and the development of 34,061 horsepower at an estimated cost of \$4,000,000; the second application utilization of a fall of 214 feet, 36,477 horsepower at a cost of \$4,300,000; the third a fall of 384 feet, 65,455 horsepower at a cost of \$5,500,000; the fourth a fall of 160 feet, 17,945 horsepower at a cost of \$2,600,000; and the fifth a fall of 166 feet, 22,285 horsepower at a cost of \$3,000,000.

The distance covered by the proposed development, from the

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BASEBALL

NATIONAL

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
St. Louis—3 10 0
Pittsburgh—8 3 2
Batteries: Grimes, Lindsey and Wilson; French and Boal.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Brooklyn—7 14 3
Philadelphia—12 14 0
Batteries: Phelps, Heimach and Lopez; Sweetland and McCurdy.

At New York—R. H. E.
Boston—5 10 3
New York—11 20 1
Batteries: Zachary, Frankhouse, Cunningham and Spohrer; Mitchell, Pruet, Carroll and Hogan.

AMERICAN

At Chicago—R. H. E.
St. Louis—2 8 1
Chicago—10 12 3
Batteries: Gray and Manion; Braxton and Tate.

(Second game)
At Chicago—R. H. E.
St. Louis—0 4 3
Chicago—1 4 2
Batteries: Coffman and Manion; Lyons and Tate.

At Boston—R. H. E.
New York—14 12 7
Boston—12 17 6
Batteries: Wells, Sherid and Dickey; Macfarlane, Durham, Russell and Hevins, Berry.

At Cleveland—R. H. E.
Detroit—3 8 2
Cleveland—5 9 2
Batteries: Sorrell, Cantrell and Hayworth; Ferrell and L. Sewell.

Ivy Shall Not Cover Form of Venus de Milo

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
WINONA LAKE, Ind., July 31.—The fire department has come to the rescue of the Venus de Milo, and a scheme to clothe the goddess' statue in poison ivy has been thwarted.

Mrs. Mary Schell Starr of Chicago, summering here, holds the opinion the statue, which has been a figure of artistic pride for 20 years, should wear something. Yesterday the statue was moved to a location near the fire department, and the circumstance gave Mrs. Starr an opportunity to put her idea into action.

Poison ivy was planted around the base of the statue. Mrs. Starr expressed the hope, according to firemen, the ivy would grow and grow until finally that "indecent figure shall be all covered up."

The firemen, who are really art lovers at heart, decided to foil the scheme. They did not want to touch the ivy with their hands, so they turned the hose on it, rooting it up.

Police Chief Frank C. Edington, upholding the firemen, said Winona Lake is the home town of Billy Sunday, the evangelist, and Sunday never had become publicly exposed about the statue.

"If it's O. K. with Billy, it's O. K. with me," the chief concluded.

PLANS LAUNCHED FOR TURKEY SHOW

A bigger and better turkey show at Oakland this year will be the goal of the Northwest Turkey Breeders' association, according to plans made at a meeting of the board of directors in Roseburg Wednesday evening.

J. C. Leedy, county agent, was retained for manager, and instructed to revise the rules of the show to meet the needs as indicated by last year's experience.

The secretary was instructed to communicate with turkey shows in other states with a view of arranging the time for holding the show on dates which would permit the use of the same judges at less expense.

The Douglas county fair board has already appropriated a substantial sum for cash premiums and movements have been started in Lane and other counties to raise additional sums.

A committee was appointed to meet with representatives of the city of Oakland relative to supplying the necessary coops for the exhibition and to provide for suitable space.

Those in attendance at the meeting were McKinley Huntington, president, Canyonville; Janet Cockram, vice-president, Oakland; Mr. O. C. Brown, secretary, treasurer, Dixonville; Mrs. E. F. Strong, Oakland; and Mrs. George Ollivant, Brockway.

BROODS OVER HEAT AND ENDS HIS LIFE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, N. J., July 31.—Brooding over the extended drought which has virtually destroyed his crops, Harry P. Artons, 64, committed suicide on his farm today. He had constantly raved the weather reports and had raved for rain.

Returns to Shop—Miss Cella Bleck, manager of the Sanitary Beauty parlor, returned today to the shop after a vacation of several weeks, most of which was spent in California.

COYOTE SLAIN AS IT INVADERS CITY

When coyotes come into one's back yard and kill chickens, then it's coyote killing time in Roseburg.

Such an occurrence took place this morning. A neighbor warned J. M. Spancake, who lives on East Avenue near the city storage barn, near Deer creek, that a coyote was killing his plump laying hens.

Mr. Spancake upon investigation found the information to be true, procured a rifle, and killed the marauder on the spot. To get even for the one hen killed by the varmint, Spancake collected bounty on the pelt from the county clerk.

COMMISSION PUTS WORK UP TO U. S. BOARD

Job to Start Next Fall If Possible, Information Given to Marsters, Trustees' Head.

District Offers to Pay One Half of \$30,000 Expense; Highway Width May Be Increased.

The state highway commission has approved the proposed survey of the North Umpqua highway and passed its recommendation on to the bureau of public roads.

Probabilities are that the survey will be made this fall, providing the weather is good.

The reason was brought back from Portland by A. C. Marsters, chairman of the board of trustees of the North Umpqua Highway association, who attended a meeting of the state commission early this week.

Sanction of the commissioners was forthcoming after Mr. Marsters laid the proposal before the members. This step was necessary before the matter could be taken up by the federal government through the bureau of public roads which operates in connection with the forest service.

Awaits Montana Job
Chief Engineer Lynch, head of all bureau of public roads work in the entire northwest, attended the meeting and expressed himself as favorable to the survey.

Mr. Lynch explained to Mr. Marsters that if men were available at the present time the work might start at once. His engineering crews are now busy with work in Montana, where they will be stationed until fall. The engineering charge of the work there is the man whom Mr. Lynch would send here, he said.

The survey chief inquired about the financial side of the survey and was told by Mr. Marsters that the estimated cost is about \$30,000. The local man stated also that this district would furnish half of this amount if the bureau will put up the other half.

Wider Road Likely
By the bureau of public roads taking over the job of surveying the highway, it means that a road-way 20 to 24 feet in width will eventually be built, Mr. Marsters stated. All roads nine feet wide or under are handled directly by the forest service, he stated, but when a standard width highway is surveyed the bigger organization takes it over. The proposed road will be a duplicate in width and surface of the Coos Bay highway. Mr. Marsters thinks.

The survey will not necessarily follow the present road, it is reported.

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Oddities Gleaned From Day's News

AFRICAN GOLFERS ROLL THEIR OWN SENTENCES
ROSKVILLE, Md., July 31.—Three crap shooting darkies "rolled their own" sentences on the police court bench presided over by Judge Charles W. Woodward after being found guilty of playing African golf.

"Snake eyes (two ones) and you get fourteen days," the court said. "Roll anything else and you get what you make."

"Come Little Joe," the darkies pleaded as they rolled their eyes and the cubes. "Little Joe" is four in dice vernacular.

Today Stewart Brent, Frank Butler and Frank Peters began serving ten, seven and six day sentences, respectively.

LADY "CONS" INSIST ON EQUALITY AS TO SMOKING
ATBURN, N. Y., July 31.—Inmates of the state prison for women want equality with men in smoking privileges.

The report by the Cayuga county grand jury, after an investigation of nearly seven months, says: "The inmates of the women's prison as a whole are well satisfied with conditions and their treatment."

"We find the only decided cause of dissatisfaction in the rule preventing the women from smoking. The inmates feel that it is a privilege given the men and should be given them if they care to use it."

"We find 75 per cent of the punishment is given for violation of the no smoking rule."