

THE WEATHER
Humidity 5 p. m. yesterday 56
Highest temperature yesterday 67
Lowest temperature last night 50
Precipitation for 24 hours .19
Precip. from Sept. 1, 1935 32.18
Excess since Sept. 1, 1935 1.33
Unsettled; moderate temp.

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WHO'LL PAY?
That's the big question as congress puts the finishing touches on the new tax bill. The answer may be everybody—directly or indirectly. Read the NEWS-REVIEW for details.

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TOWNSEND HURLS DEFIANCE AT PROBERS

Editorials on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
BIGGEST political news of the day this is written (which is late Tuesday) is undoubtedly ex-President Hoover's flat statement that he is not a candidate for the Republican nomination.

INCIDENTALLY, very few well-informed observers believe that ANY Republican candidate can be elected this fall. About the best that intelligent anti-New Dealers hope for at the present moment is re-election of President Roosevelt by a greatly reduced majority, with the possibility of an unfriendly or at least critical congress.

IT SHOULD be explained, of course, that this is the impression prevailing at the present time, which is five months in advance of the election and with the candidate who will oppose Roosevelt as yet unchosen. Great changes in sentiment can occur in five months.)

NOTE, please, that France is beginning to talk (for American consumption) about settlement of the war debt "misunderstanding" with the United States.

If you are a shrewd observer of international events, you will draw the conclusion (which will be strictly accurate) that France WANTS SOMETHING from the United States.

When nations, especially European nations, (honest little Finland specifically excepted) begin to talk about the things they ought to do but privately don't want to do it is always safe to look for an Ethio- pian in the woodpile.

FRANCE talks about the war debt "misunderstanding" with America. She is wrong. There is no misunderstanding. It is all as plain

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GRANT LAND FUNDS DUE HERE IN JULY
Money due from the 1933 allocation of O. and C. grant land funds will be available soon after July 1, according to word received today by County Assessor Barton Helliwell.

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ROY H. GIBBS ELECTED HEAD OF I. O. O. F.

Other Officers Also Named by Oregon Lodge; New Rebekah President Is Estelle Weed.

Roy H. Gibbs of Gresham was elected grand master of the Odd Fellows lodge in Oregon, as the state convention went into its closing sessions here today. The state meeting closes this afternoon when the grand lodge will select its next year's convention site. Astoria and Klamath Falls are bidding for the 1937 meeting.

Other officers chosen for the grand lodge were H. K. Zimmerman, Astoria, deputy grand master; Joseph Eckley, Portland, grand warden; Wm. A. Mearns, Portland, grand secretary; J. H. Nelson, McMinnville, grand treasurer; F. M. Sexton, The Dalles, retiring grand master, grand representative to the sovereign grand lodge for the two-year term; Charles P. Poole, Eugene, grand representative for the one-year term; W. A. Carter, Portland, grand trustee of the Odd Fellows home endowment fund; E. J. Meindl, Portland, trustee of the I. O. O. F. home.

The Rebekah assembly elected Estelle Weed, Portland, president; May Jonas, Prineville, vice-president; Carrie Rickert, Medford, warden; Hallie Jacobs, Corvallis, secretary; Eda Ingle, Portland, treasurer.

RAILWAY DISPUTE INQUIRERS NAMED
WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—President Roosevelt today created by proclamation an emergency board to investigate disputes between the engineers and conductors and the managements of the Western Pacific, Sacramento Northern and Tidewater Southern railroads.

The employees were reported to have voted to strike next Saturday.

Three men were named to the board: G. Stanleigh Arnold, San Francisco lawyer, formerly with the NRA; Macy Nicholson of Hagerstown, Ind., former chairman of the national railroad adjustment board, and Will J. French of Berkeley, Calif., who served as a member of the Denver and Rio Grande western emergency board.

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Federation Leaders Dated in Roseburg



On her first visit to Oregon as president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, Charl Ormond Williams, at top of Washington, D. C., will attend the state convention of the Oregon federation in Roseburg on Friday and Saturday of this week. She is to address the convention at its Saturday evening session.

B. P. W. C. PREXY ISSUES MESSAGE

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Some 29 members of the Portland Business and Professional Women's club will attend the state convention at Roseburg, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Undertaker's Aide Murders His Wife
OREGON, Ill., May 21.—(AP)—State's Attorney S. Donald Crowell announced today that Guy M. Tallmadge, 58, an undertaker's assistant, had confessed that he killed his wife, Bessie, 54, at a lonely cross roads near here Tuesday night.

TRUCKS LISTED FOR PROJECTS BY WPA
The Works Progress administration is making a registration of trucks available for projects throughout the state, according to word received this morning by Franklin Voyt, relief manager for Douglas county. Residents of the county who have trucks they are willing to rent to the WPA are advised by Mr. Voyt to register immediately with the state procurement officer at Portland. Blank forms for making registration may be obtained at the county relief office in the courthouse.

DOROTHY M. FREAR WINS WALDO PRIZE
Dorothy M. Frear of Roseburg was announced at Corvallis today as winner of first honor in the freshman division of the Waldo prize. The trophy is an award by Clara H. Waldo as a prize for women based on scholarship, leadership and qualities of womanhood, and is awarded to the outstanding woman member of each class at Oregon State college. Miss Frear is a daughter of County Roadmaster and Mrs. Floyd Frear.

COMPROMISE ANNOUNCED ON TAX PROGRAM

Senate Finance Committee Agreement Provides for Revenue Below Sum Sought by F. R.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—Whipping all but one member in line, the senate finance committee today reached agreement on a compromise plan for increasing corporation taxes, but scuttled a proposal at the loss of considerable revenue, for boosting the normal income tax rate.

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ELECTRIFICATION MEASURE SIGNED

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Today's Baseball
NATIONAL
NEW YORK, May 21.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals went back into the National league lead today, scoring three runs in the ninth inning to defeat the New York Giants 4 to 2 and break up a pitching duel between Paul Dean and Al Smith.

HITCH HIKERS TIE MOTORIST TO TREE

KLAMATH FALLS, May 21.—(AP)—Charles Davis of Klamath Falls picked up three hitch hikers this morning when driving to work at Weyerhaeuser mill.

FROM THE HEADLINES

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MARY E. JOHNSON PASSES ON AT 92

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