

THE WEATHER

Humidity 4:36 p. m. yesterday 83%
Highest temperature yesterday 43
Lowest temperature last night 42
Precipitation for 24 hours..... T
Precip. since first of month..... 31
Precip. from Sept. 1, 1937..... 17.67
Excess since Sept. 1..... 1.86
Occasional Rain.

Roseburg News-Review

THE DOUGLAS COUNTY DAILY

ROSEBURG, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1938.

JUSTICE JOB

Who will succeed Sutherland on the U. S. supreme court is now a big question of the day. Lots of guesses but no intimation from the White House. NEWS-REVIEW service will be first here to announce the appointment when made.

SAMOAN CLIPPER WRECKAGE DISCOVERED

Editorials on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
AFTER a dinner that cost \$100 a plate, President Roosevelt renews his pledges to the underprivileged (who can't afford dinners costing \$100 each) and pays his respects again to the wretched souls in the upper brackets who are alleged to spend their time thimble-rigging the public and making a hash of industrial liberty.

ON THE same evening, at another place, Secretary of Commerce Charles C. McNary charges that "the more privileged (\$100-a-plate dinners, presumably) are slinging a hymn of praise because the President dares to champion the cause of the underprivileged (who can't afford \$100 dinners!)"

WHAT IS the meaning of all this heretofore, this bull-whipping, of business while at the same time inviting the cooperation of business?

PROPOSAL TO OPEN RESERVE AT ISSUE

A hearing by the state game commission here Saturday regarding the opening of the Cow Creek game reserve, is expected to draw a shortness from all parts of southern Oregon. The hearing is to be held at the courtroom of the court-house, starting at 2 p. m.

Oddities Flashed From Press Wire

Too Late - NEW YORK - For the first time in weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Danon and their two children had enough to eat - but they had no appetite.
Monday, Mrs. Danielson applied at a relief bureau for aid. When she returned home, their three-month old daughter Barbara was dead - from malnutrition, the assistant medical examiner said.

School Bond Election Called in Roseburg

\$80,000 ISSUE UP TO VOTERS JANUARY 28TH

Proposal to Replace Two Structures Involves No Tax Raise, Assurance of Directorate.

A special bond election was called by the Roseburg district school board today for January 28. The board proposes issuance of \$80,000 in bonds to be used in replacing the low grade school, recently abandoned after being declared structurally unsafe, and the Fullerton grade school, an obsolete frame building.

Under the plan proposed by the school board, the bonds, if authorized, will cause no increase in taxes for school purposes. The first maturity of principal payments at any time within five years after the bonds are issued. Senior high school bonds are maturing at the rate of \$11,000 annually, with final maturity in six years, and it is the board's plan, according to Chairman Roy Young, to wait three or more years before starting principal payments on the new issue so that it will not be necessary to increase the tax rate.

CHANGE IN ELECTION LAW POINTED OUT

A change in the election laws, authorized at the last session of the state legislature, will double the number of committeemen to be elected at the primary election, May 20 of this year. County Clerk Roy Agos said today. Hereafter one committeeman has been chosen from each precinct. Under the new law, however, a committeeman and a committeewoman will be elected in each precinct.

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No Wonder - PECOS, Tex. - For 25 years Mrs. Beva Foster, 77, suffered from appendicitis.
Surgeons who removed her appendix found an ordinary pin in it.
Miss Foster recalled swallowing the pin when she was seven.
Benched - ZION, Ill. - Ernest Dolan, 22-year-old basketball player, complained of feeling worse after every game recently.
Finally a doctor told him he had smallpox. His teammates rushed to physicians' offices for vaccinations.

COURT'S DECISION SILENCES PINBALL GAMES IN DOUGLAS; ROSEBURG TO LOSE REVENUE

Douglas county officials had no need today to issue an order barring pinball machines, as operators last night voluntarily padlocked the devices. Following announcement of the supreme court ruling, holding the games illegal, operators and their representatives visited and padlocked all boards, which were being removed today from places of business in Roseburg.
Since a city license became effective Feb. 1, 1937, the city of Roseburg has collected \$5,055, Recorder A. J. Geddes said today. During the past two months, while court action was pending, income has shown considerable decrease. Geddes said, as operators did not replace worn out or broken boards, Roseburg licensed the boards on a monthly basis, the ordinance containing a provision that no refunds would be made on the fractional part of a month.

REPUBLICAN RALLY SET IN ROSEBURG

A large number of Douglas county and visiting republicans are expected to attend the public rally to be held at the public hall today simultaneously with disclosure of an American Federation of Labor letter arranged by Mr. Roosevelt's meeting with five industrialists last night.

Party Chiefs of Oregon to Speak on Program, Open to General Public.

The rally will start with a 6:30 o'clock dinner in the hotel civic room, and the program will follow at 8 p. m.

SHERRIFF OF MARION OUT FOR CONGRESS

SALEM, Jan. 12. (AP)—Sheriff Andrew C. Burk of Marion county filed for U. S. representative from the first district today.

JUSTICE CARDOZO FAILS TO IMPROVE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12. (AP)—Dr. John Paul Earnest Jr. said today the condition of Associate Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo of the supreme court "is not quite so good this morning."

WILSON MOTOR CO. CHANGES LOCATION

The R. H. Wilson Motor company, which has been located in the Macabee building was moved today to 111 North Rose street, into the quarters formerly occupied by the Roseburg Motor company.

PROSPECTOR DIES OF STARVATION

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 12. (AP)—Ill and unable to hunt, W. B. Connor, well known prospector, starved to death in his cabin on Slocum inlet, Deputy Marshal William Markle reported.

LYNCH BILL'S FOES SEEK TO WIDEN SCOPE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12. (AP)—Southern senators fighting the anti-lynching bill told the senate today they would seek to expand it to include gangsters and mob violence.
Senator Russell (D., Ga.) carried on the debate against the pending lynching bill as the senate rounded off the first full week of discussion of the measure without even approaching a vote on any of a number of proposed amendments.
Failure of administration leaders to improve longer sessions in order to wear out the opposition speakers led to the belief among some senators that they were trying to avoid an open break with the southern bloc. Senator Harrison (D., Miss.) and other opponents of the bill have talked of a party split.

NEW MEETING AT WHITE HOUSE DATED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12. (AP)—Another presidential conference with business leaders was called today simultaneously with disclosure of an American Federation of Labor letter arranged by Mr. Roosevelt's meeting with five industrialists last night.

Item Veto Bill Opposed

President Roosevelt's request for authority to veto individual items in appropriation bills encountered opposition in the senate today after an initial victory in the house.

INFANTRY UNIT AND BAND COMING HERE

The Seventh infantry band and a demonstration detachment will be in Roseburg Thursday and will give a concert and demonstration of new infantry equipment during the noon hour, it was announced today.

RESTON-CAMAS ROAD RESTORATION ASKED

Restoration of the old county road between Reston and Camas Valley was urged today by the county court this morning by a delegation of more than 60 residents of that area.

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REARMAMENT RACE AGAIN IN FULL STRIDE

War and the fear of war was the impetus today for a new spurt in the world's rearmament race. France—marching strides with Italy—disclosed she was considering construction of two 42,000-ton battleships as warping Spaniards fought near her southern border and Japanese columns moved across China.
Such battleships would be larger than any afloat except Britain's 42,000-ton battleship Hood. They were under consideration specifically to meet the threat of Premier Mussolini's announcement Jan. 7 that two new 35,000-ton battleships should be built by Italy.

Japan to Extend Rule

Evidence increased today of Japan's designs to extend her administrative control over those parts of China under her military domination.

Normal Earnings Would Put 150,000 Men on Jobs, J. J. Pelley States.

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Douglas Sportsmen Favor Plain Clothes Squad to Back Game Laws

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Others Invited to Aid

It also was voted to invite all civic and fraternal clubs and granges to appoint representatives to make up an advisory committee.

Rift in C. I. O. Impels Lewis To 'Wisecrack'

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. (AP)—An apparent serious rift in the leadership of the committee for industrial organization came to the surface today.
John L. Lewis, dynamic head of the CIO and the United Mine Workers of America, and David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers union, were the leaders involved.
Dubinsky last night asserted the CIO was responsible for the recent breakdown in peace negotiations between the CIO and the American Federation of Labor.

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