

THE WEATHER

Humidity 4:30 p. m. yesterday 37
Highest temperature yesterday 84
Lowest temperature last night 53
Precipitation for 24 hours 0
Precip. since first of month 12
Precip. from Sept. 1, 1937 49.75
Excess since Sept. 1, 1937 8.50
Partly Cloudy

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JAPAN RAVAGED BY EARTHQUAKES, STORMS

Editorials ON THE Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
THIS politically interesting dispatch comes from Washington: "Aubrey Williams, deputy WPA administrator (next man under Hopkins) appealed yesterday to a delegation from the Workers Alliance, a relief labor organization, to keep 'friends of the unemployed' in control of the government. He declared the Roosevelt administration had shown 'what the government should do for the jobless.'"

WILLIAMS and his bosses, of course, are interested not so much in what the government should do for the jobless as in what the jobless should do FOR THE GOVERNMENT.
It is the cynical political theory of the Roosevelt administration that the jobless should keep it in office.

STILL, this question is worth asking: "What SHOULD the government do for the jobless?"
It must feed them, of course. It can't find jobs for them. That is admitted by everybody. But this writer is quite sure that the

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JAPS PRESS BACK CHINESE DEFENSE

SHANGHAI, June 30.—(AP)—Chinese military authorities admitted tonight that the Matowchen defense system was slowly giving way before Japan's drive up the Yangtze river toward Hankow, China's provisional capital.
They said that the main body of defenders had withdrawn upstream to new positions in hills between the famous Matowchen boom and Pongtong, 15 miles to the southeast, leaving only rear guards in some of the Matowchen forts to delay the Japanese advance.

For more than a week these forts and the boom, or barrier of sunken boats, had halted the Japanese thrust some 175 miles from its goal. The Chinese admission was believed to mean the Japanese had practically completed occupation of the barrier.

New rains swept the middle and lower Yangtze river valley today, increasing flood dangers in the path of the Japanese offensive against Hankow.

Chinese reports asserted new mines had been sown in the Yangtze between Matowchen and Kiang, 40 miles upriver.

Air forces of both nations continued to operate despite rain and fog. Chinese reported a Japanese bomber shot down in the Yangtze sector.

Oddities Flashed From Press Wire

By the Associated Press

He Didn't Forget

SYLVIA, N. C.—When occupants of a big motor car drove away from a drug store without paying for their drinks, Soda Clerk Tom Wilson commented dejectedly he'd have to "charge it to experience."

But several days later the car came back.

Out stepped Gov. Clyde R. Hoey, who plunked down the cash with the explanation, "I had a lapse of memory."

Marksman

TEANECK, N. J.—A thrush went foraging for food on the courts of the West Englewood tennis club only to be killed by a tennis ball.

Ted McKinley was serving. His cannonball service felled the bird as it flew low across the court.

The plaintiff notes of the state in a nearby tree could be heard as McKinley turned a spadeful of earth and buried his victim.

No Sale

LOS ANGELES—William Zion, 53, waited till street car No. 1324 came along.
He boarded the car, showed a

Doug.

CLIP OF ASSN. NETS GROWERS 22 CTS. POUND

200,000-lb. Pool Bought by Boston Firm; Loading Dates at County Points Set.

Sale of the Southern Oregon Wool Growers' association's 200,000-pound wool clip to Adams and Lealand of Boston, Mass., for 22 cents per pound, net to the grower, was announced here today. Otto O'Leary, representing the purchasers, declared the sale price to be the highest paid in Oregon so far this season.

The association, organized two years ago by V. J. Philippi and John Rohr, local sheep and wool buyers, is composed of 314 Douglas county growers, who this season reported 35,000 fleeces. The purchasers of the pool, O'Leary announced, also will buy wool at the same price from other Douglas county growers who will sell through the association and make deliveries on specified dates.

Loading Dates Set
Wool will be received for loading at Southern Pacific company freight depots at Roseburg July 5 and 6; Oakland, July 7; Drain, July 8, and Myrtle Creek, July 9. Growers not affiliated in the pool but desiring to sell their wool through the association must sign up by the morning of Tuesday, July 5. They may sign through V. J. Philippi, Hotel Grand, Roseburg; Robert Goff, Sutherlin, and Joe Ledgerwood, Myrtle Creek.

The sale was authorized by the association's executive committee, consisting of Mr. Philippi, Charles Baxton, Brockway; William Dixon, Dixville; Irvin Rice, Oakland, and Joe Ledgerwood.

Pool Plan Handiest
The purchasing company bought the association's pool of 150,000

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NOTED PREACHER, 78, TO WED MAID OF 26

LOS ANGELES, June 30.—(AP)—White-haired Gypsy Smith, 78, evangelist of the oldtime religion on five continents, disclosed today he will marry a pretty Los Angeles musician, 26-year-old Mary Alice Shaw.

The blue-blooded Roman Gypsy, who claims to have preached to more persons than any other minister in the world, will wed Miss Shaw on Saturday in a garden ceremony performed by his son, the Rev. Albany Rodney Smith, 50, of Mystic, Conn.

Miss Shaw said: "He has been my hero since I was a child. I look up to him as I would a God."

The prospective bridegroom said his honeymoon trip might include evangelistic engagements in Seattle.

Wool Sale Tops Prices In Oregon

REBEL AIRPLANES STAGE DEADLY RAID

Roseburg-Diamond Lake Linking Via North Umpqua by Fall, '39, Possible; Traffic Closures During Work Set

In the event funds are secured to keep the available heavy machinery in use, the North Umpqua road will be graded to provide a connection between Roseburg and Diamond lake by the fall of 1939, V. V. Harpham, supervisor of the Umpqua national forest, reports.

At the present time the work is proceeding very rapidly, and the greatest concern is the possible lack of funds with which to continue operation of the heavy power-driven equipment now in use. Special allotments were secured to make present use of the machinery possible, but regular funds will not provide for full utilization of the equipment. If a means of keeping up the present pace can be found the project can be carried through to provide the desired connection by next year, Mr. Harpham believes.

Shovel Widens Road
A 38-ton power shovel, operating a yard and a quarter bucket, is proving a most valuable factor in construction work at the present

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POST OFFICE HERE GOES TO 1ST CLASS CCC ACHIEVEMENTS RELATED AT FORUM

Advance July 1 to Shorten One Service; Changes in Star Routes Made.

Little change will be made in the operation of the Roseburg post office when it advances from a second to a first class office July 1. Postmaster L. L. Wimberly reported today. The change principally is one in accounting. One change, however, that will affect the public concerns the money order window, which will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. instead of from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., as has been the case in the past. All other windows will be open the same hours as at present.

New star route contractors who will take over routes July 1 are L. A. Stewart, of Glendale, who will carry the Idlewild park route, and Mrs. Ruth Crumacker, who will have the route to Lookingglass. Two present carriers, Clyde Palm and William Stark, will continue to carry the Melrose and Canas Valley routes. Two extensions have been made to the Canas Valley route, one in the Winston district to the Powers place and one up Olalla creek to the Friend ranch.

The star route which has been operating to Marshfield daily will be discontinued July 1, and mail for Coos Bay points will be carried through Drain on a new star route operating from Eugene to Myrtle Point by way of Drain and Reedsport.

The receipts at the Roseburg office are just slightly under those of last year, but do not yet indicate that the office will move back in classification next year to second class, Mr. Wimberly states.

WILBUR VOTES FOR HIGH SCHOOL UPKEEP

Wilbur residents, by a vote of 62 to 23, have determined to maintain their high school. At the recent school meeting in that district the proposal to transport high school students from Wilbur to the Roseburg high school was up for consideration but was overwhelmingly defeated.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME OF VERNIE WEAVER

The Vernie Weaver home, located on the Days Creek road east of Canyonville, was totally destroyed by fire late Monday. The fire apparently started from sparks on the roof during the absence of the family, and burned the two-story structure and all contents. There was no insurance.

HUMANITY AID WILL BALANCE BUDGET-F.D.R.

Values for People Offset Monetary Costs, Says President in Speech to Educators.

NEW YORK, June 30.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, gazing into the future today, predicted that history would say his "long-range budget" had been balanced.

This calculation, the president declared, would be based on "survival values for our population and for our democratic way of living, balanced against what we have paid for them," in addition to the usual items on government income and outgo.

Addressing the teachers who comprise the National Education association, Mr. Roosevelt also:

(1)—Spoke of countries where libraries have been burned, learned people exiled, universities dispersed and news, art and literature censored as having turned back "the clock of civilization." He did so without naming any country.

(2)—Admonished this country to keep bright the fires of freedom and civil liberties, to redouble efforts to maintain a free press and to provide a safe place for eternal truths.

(3)—Declared for state and local control of schools and their curricula, with the federal government supplementing only the resources of the poorer communities.

(4)—Predicted that "the ultimate victory of tomorrow is with democracy, and through democracy with education, for no people can be kept eternally ignorant or eternally enslaved."

Peace Policy Upheld
The president's speech to the teachers was his second at the New York world fair ground this afternoon.

In his first address, at the laying of the cornerstone of the fair's western hemisphere's good neighbor policy as a model for the rest of the world.

After that he drove across the fair grounds to the education building.

The budget balancing remark was prefaced with a declaration that "the only real capital of a nation is its natural resources and its human beings."

"If we skimp on that capital, if we exhaust our natural resources and weaken the capacity of our human beings, then we shall go the way of all weak nations," said

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MRS. JAY STONE DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Word has been received here of the death at Glendale, Calif., Sunday of Mrs. Jay Stone, former resident of Roseburg. Mrs. Stone was the mother of Mrs. Floyd C. Frear of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Frear, together with their daughter, Dorothy, and son, Donald, who left June 15 to spend their vacation at Scranton, Pa., went to Glendale upon receipt of word of Mrs. Stone's serious illness.

Surviving Mrs. Stone, in addition to her daughter here, are her husband, a former music teacher in Roseburg, and a daughter residing in Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held at Glendale today.

SINGING MOUSE, MICKEY, PASSES ON

OOLITIC, Ind., June 30.—(AP)—A sad song, please, maestro. Mickey, the singing mouse, is dead. Mickey's songs were strident in a cage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver, where he was "discovered" as he warbled in a closet. Subsequently the mouse appeared on a national radio network.

BOMBS SLAY 45, WOUND 100 AT BADALONA

4 Blocks of Closely Packed Houses Shattered; Army Pierces Defenses of Valencia.

BADALONA, Spain, June 30.—(AP)—A crushing insurgent air raid hurled death and destruction today into this workers' town five miles north of Barcelona, killing at least 45 persons and wounding at least 100.

For five minutes a fleet of ten bombers roared over Badalona, thundering their cargoes into the closely packed houses.

It was the heaviest raid in the Barcelona area since the three-day attack on the government capital in March and the severest since Britain launched her plan for a neutral commission to investigate bombings of civilian centers in the Spanish war.

Four blocks of stone and stucco houses were ruined. Their walls were left standing but their roofs were shattered and their interiors wrecked.

HENDAYE, France (At the Spanish Front)—June 30.—(AP)—Spanish insurgents pierced the government's main line of defenses before Valencia at two places today in a powerful offensive through the foothills of the Sierra de Espadana range.

The thrust passed vanguards of Generalissimo Franco's coastal army only about six miles north of the coast and in the last highlands before Valencia, less than 40 miles to the south.

The government acknowledged troops were overpowered by the onslaught, led by heavily reinforced columns. It claimed, however, that its militiamen had captured three important hills south of the Teruel-Sagunto road.

TODAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL
Cincinnati 1 3 1
Pittsburgh 3 12 1
Walters and Lombardi: Blanton and Todd.

Boston 0 1 2
Brooklyn 5 10 1
Turner and Mueller; Mingo and Phelps.

New York 14 15 0
Philadelphia 7 7 1
Castellman and Danning; Pappan, Smith (3), Hallahan (3) and Atwood, Clark (6).

AMERICAN
Washington 1 6 1
Boston 11 16 0
Deshong and R. Ferrell; Gulian (7); Babby and DeSautels.

Philadelphia 1 4 0
New York 7 7 0
Rosa, Williams (6), Potter (5) and Hayes; Ruffing and Dickey.

SERVICE STATION CHANGES OWNERS

Sale of the North Side service station at 720 Winchester street to Landon Leavitt Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. Landon Leavitt, was announced today. The new owner has acquired possession and management from Fred McIntee, who has operated the station in recent months.

Mr. McIntee, who has moved to 514 South Pine street, is planning to go soon to Grants Pass to spend the summer looking after property interests.

DOE KILLING COSTS \$400 AND 2 RIFLES

ST. HELENS, June 30.—(AP)—Justice of the Peace Puzey of Clatskanie placed a \$400 value on a yearling doe. He fined Douglas A. Dreeszen, high school coach; Albert Sidney Heard, William H. Heard and George Kessler, all of Banks, \$100 each on a charge of spotkilling and killing the deer. Albert Heard's two rifles were confiscated.

Chas. E. Chapman Dies of Injuries From Tree Blow

Charles E. (Everts) Chapman, 41, adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Chapman of Glide, died at Mercy hospital shortly after noon today as the result of injuries suffered when struck by a falling tree. The accident occurred early today near Yoncalla, where he was employed in the logging woods by the Chapman Bros. Lumber Co. A falling tree broke into two sections, striking Chapman and inflicting the fatal injuries. It was reported.

He was brought to Roseburg by the Ritter ambulance.

The body has been removed to the Roseburg Undertaking company parlors.

CHIEF OF LEGION REPLIES TO CRITIC

Charge of Fascism Product of Small Mind, Asserts Daniel Doherty.

NEW YORK, June 30.—(AP)—Daniel Doherty, national commander of the American Legion, today described criticisms of the Legion by Prof. William Gellermann as "the puny product of a small mind."

The Legion head, permitted to speak at the closing representative assembly of the National Education association convention, denied he had been "gagged" at last night's meeting of the teachers in Madison Square Garden, and said the Legion wished to continue its harmonious relations with the NEA.

A resolution on cooperation with the Legion was unanimously adopted later, providing for appointment of a committee of five "to confer with the American Legion and other service organizations having constructive educational programs with the view of enlisting their support toward the enactment of laws providing for federal aid to public education."

In presenting the commander, William E. Glynn, NEA executive secretary, said the association had no connection with the Gellermann statement, which was issued by Teachers college, Columbia university, and charged that the Legion attempted to dominate NEA activities, was "fascist" and was manipulated by a small group serving special interests.

Soviet Contact Cited
Doherty said the preface of Gellermann's book, "The American Legion as an Educator," gave credit for "assistance, criticism and practically sponsorship" to Prof. George S. Counts.

"I have here a copy of the Connecticut Teacher a publication dated February, 1935," Doherty continued, "advertising the Moscow summer school in which Professor Counts is named as one of the American advisers."

"He is also connected with other groups communist in concept."

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Langer, Defeated in Senator Race, Sees Mate Leading For Governor

FARGO, N. D., June 30.—(AP)—Gov. William Langer today conceded the republican nomination for the senate in North Dakota's primary election to U. S. Senator Gerald P. Nye.

The governor took this action with only 114 of the state's 2,250 precincts missing the count stood: Nye, 87,794; Langer, 81,488.

At the same time Nye said he had informed Chairman Sheppard (D., Tex.), of the senate campaign funds committee that it would be necessary to investigate absentee ballots in only a few North Dakota counties. Sheppard had planned, in response to Nye's request yesterday to question all county auditors. Nye also told Sheppard he had information of "several repeat voters" in one community.

Langer's running mate, John N. Hagan, was leading his Nye-supported opponent, T. H. H. Thorsen in the race for the republican nomination for governor. Returns from 2,063 precincts showed Hagan with 81,843 votes to 77,109 for Lieutenant-Governor Thorsen.

100 KILLED, 200 MISSING IN TWO DAYS

Landslides, Torrents Wreck Thousands of Houses; Bridges Swept Away.

Tokyo and Yokohama Have Biggest Casualty Tolls; Islands Now Facing Typhoon Threat.

TOKYO, June 30.—(AP)—A typhoon howled toward Japan's islands today in the wake of two days of horror in which at least 100 persons were killed and 200 others were missing.

Tokyo was virtually isolated by the heaviest deluge of rain in Japan's recorded history and by an earthquake which leveled homes and disrupted rail and wire communications.

The central meteorological institute warned all cities in southern Japan to be prepared for the tropical hurricane blowing northward across the China sea.

It said the winds would strike late this afternoon unless they are deflected. Most liners and larger freighters remained tied at their docks in Yokohama.

Property Loss Enormous

Meteorologists reported the typhoon was approaching the eastern coast of Japan but said they believed it would pass the islands.

A police survey showed a total of 297,879 houses destroyed or damaged throughout the nation and 104 bridges down.

Delayed reports from the north indicated there had been a second earthquake and a nation-wide to-

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Warship Size Limit Raised by U. S., 2 Others

LONDON, June 30.—(AP)—An agreement among the United States, Britain and France setting the limits on battleships at 45,000 tons with 16-inch guns was announced in the house of commons today.

The agreement, announced by First Lord of the Admiralty Cope, was a sequel to the decision of the three powers to abandon the 35,000-ton limit of the London naval treaty of 1936.

This was made public March 31 in accordance with the escalator clause of the treaty, invoked by the signatories because of reports that Japan was building mammoth men-of-war.

The 16-inch limit for guns is the same as that of the London treaty. An effort to keep it to 14 inches failed because Japan would not agree.

In addition to the three-power accord, Britain signed a protocol with Germany today bringing the Anglo-German naval treaty into line with the new limitations.

Britain also hopes to conclude a similar protocol with Soviet Russia, with which she has another bilateral naval treaty.

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