

THE WEATHER

Humidity 4:30 p. m. yesterday 27%
Highest temperature yesterday 83
Lowest temperature last night 52
Precipitation for 24 hours 0
Precip. since first of month 9
Precip. since Sept. 1, 1937 40.80
Excess since Sept. 1, 1937 8.21
Clear.

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TWO NEW DEAL SENATORS WIN, 3RD LOSES

California Angler Drowns in North Umpqua River

E. A. Frey Of San Gabriel Slips, Dies

Wife Hears Distress Call, Makes Futile Hunt Then Obtains Aid; Body Is Recovered.

E. A. Frey, 47, of 746 Lemon avenue, San Gabriel, Calif., was drowned last night while fishing in the North Umpqua river at Jack Creek, about three miles above Steamboat. Mrs. Frey, around a bend in the river from her husband, heard his calls for help as he slipped and fell into the swift current, but he disappeared from sight by the time she reached the scene. She obtained aid at the Steamboat ranger station and CCC camp, and the body was recovered about 45 minutes after the accident. Resuscitation efforts were continued for more than two hours, but without avail.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey and 3-year-old son, had been camped at Canton creek for the past week. Late yesterday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Frey went to Jack creek. He was fishing downstream, it was reported, and had "one short distance from Mrs. Frey when he apparently slipped into the fast water and was carried away by the current.

Wife Summons Aid.
Mrs. Frey, unable to locate her husband after hearing his cry for aid, drove the car to the Steamboat ranger station, where Ranger Rob Casebeer responded immediately after telephoning the CCC camp at Steamboat for additional aid.

More than 20 men from the camp were rushed to the scene immediately, headed by Floyd Smith, foreman and First Lieutenant Sleeter, camp physician.

The body was located about an

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WOULD BAR VOTE ON PIN-BALL MACHINES

SALEM, Aug. 10.—(AP)—J. A. Moore, Marion county taxpayer, filed suit in circuit court yesterday against Earl Snell, secretary of state, to keep referendum of two pin-ball and slot machine prohibitive measures off the November general election ballot.

Moore's complaint questioned validity of the Representative Martin pin-ball act and the Senator Carney slot machine bill chapters 422 and 210, respectively, Oregon laws of 1937. The attack was on the grounds of irregularity of procedure in the 1937 house of representatives.

The complaint asserted failure of the house to remove the Martin act from the table after Governor Charles H. Martin vetoed its emergency clause left it an unadopted measure. It alleged also that house amendments to the Carney bill were not deleted contrary to a committee ruling, and that it should have gone back to the senate for repassage.

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Editorials on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
THE fish editor of The Dalles Chronicle has been wandering around in the piscatorial ball-boys, and emerges with a grist of advice for the meat fishermen. His advice concerns crappies, sunfish, catfish, big-mouthed bass, carp and grayling, and what to do with them after they are caught.

All of the fish, he says, abound in the Columbia and the Deschutes.
(DOWN here in Southern Oregon, of course, we think we know what to do with these varieties, but politeness restrains us from going into details. Besides, our garbage cans are apt to be full of something else, leaving no room.)

STILL, it's interesting to learn what The Dalles fish editor found out on his slumming tour,

Roseburg Swim Pool, Other Plans Eyed By Hockley

Regional WPA Chief, at Local Conference, Approves Method of Financing Project as Adjunct of School System; Roberts Creek District Will Apply for Water Unit Aid.

Projects having a total estimated cost in excess of \$98,700 were discussed with C. C. Hockley, regional WPA administrator at a meeting held in the city hall in Roseburg Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Hockley, making a tour of the state, is meeting with sponsors of projects in an effort to aid them in clearing up details connected with the filling of applications.

Discussed with him yesterday were projects to provide a swimming pool in connection with the Roseburg school system, new school buildings at Garden Valley and Tonmille, improvements to the Oakland school and the Roberts Creek water system.

Mr. Hockley explained that his present trip is not an effort to induce districts to undertake projects, but merely to help those which are meeting with problems in connection with applications on projects already proposed. Speed is essential in getting applications

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FUGITIVE SLAYER OF WIFE CAPTURED

Bernard Leuch, Tired and Hungry, Found at Home of Victim's Cousin.

SHELTON, Wash., Aug. 10.—(AP)—Convicted wife slayer Bernard Leuch, a tired, hungry, nervous fugitive, was captured by a posse today and returned to the Mason county jail, whence he escaped Sunday by overpowering a jailer and a matron.

Leuch was found shortly before 10 a. m. at the Shelton home of Hugo Seipold, whose wife is a cousin of the late Mrs. Lena Leuch, for whose murder the former St. Cloud, Minn., policeman awaits a mandatory death sentence.

Unarmed, Leuch walked quietly from a bedroom when officers entered.

"I'm all through, boys," Police Chief Starwick said he told them. The Seipolds, fearing Leuch would come to their home, had stayed with neighbors most of the time since his escape. This morning Seipold went to his home and found Leuch eating in the kitchen.

Seipold rushed downtown to notify Starwick, who quickly gathered a posse of state patrolmen, and sheriff's officers and hurried to the house.

"Leuch told me the food he got at Seipold's house this morning was the first he had since his escape," Starwick said.

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MRS. K. LEVENHAGEN DIES IN ROSEBURG

Mrs. Katherine Levenhagen, 62, wife of Adolph J. Levenhagen of Roseburg, died yesterday following a short period of illness. She was born October 2, 1875, at Essen, Germany, and came to this country when she was about four years of age. She resided in Wisconsin until 1925, when she came to Douglas county, making her home at Ellettsburg. She was married to Mr. Levenhagen at Oslin, Iowa, on June 26, 1896.

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Soviet Army Digs In After Charge Fails

Japs Repulse Attackers in Hand Grenade Battle at Hill-Top Following Artillery Blast.

By J. D. WHITE

YUKI, Korea (near the Siberian Frontier), Aug. 10.—(AP)—Japanese army officers said today Soviet Russian troops had dug in near the crest of Changkufeng hill after an unsuccessful charge up the eastern slope.

The charge, which took place early today under cover of tanks, and mountain guns, was halted after a hand grenade duel with Japanese entrenched on the crest, the officers said.

Japanese said soviet infantry, supported by 40 tanks, also had been repulsed in a charge against "Hill 52," a half mile south of Changkufeng.

Unofficial reports from the front said soviet artillery resumed shelling "Hill 52" at 11 a. m. after a three-hour lull. They had ended a 20-hour bombardment at 5 a. m.

(A Reuters—British news agency—dispatch from Tokyo to London quoted Japanese advices from the border as saying soviet warplanes bombed Japanese positions heavily during the afternoon. Reuters also said both sides opened fierce artillery bombardments at nightfall.

(Soviet occupation of Changkufeng hill in the disputed territory on the Siberian-Korean frontier and Japanese action to capture it revolved the present border fighting.)

TOKYO, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Japan now is prepared to concede to Russia equal representation on a joint commission for demarcation of the Siberian-Manchoukuo border, a foreign office spokesman said today.

Japan previously had insisted upon a commission of three Russians, three Japanese and three representatives from Japan's protectorate, Manchoukuo, which in effect would

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LOYALISTS DRIVE WEDGE INTO REBELS

HENDAYE, France, (AP) the Spanish frontier, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Spanish government troops drove a deep wedge between the insurgent strongholds of Belmar and Lerida in Catalonia today in a sudden shift of the offensive to a new sector.

Dispatches from Barcelona said the Segre river had been crossed between the two centers and a new government line established on the west bank of the wide stream, which flows south into the Ebro.

The offensive is the third tri-bomber blow government troops have dealt insurgent General Franco's forces in two weeks of round-the-clock work spots in his extended eastern front.

The first blow fell July 25, when the militiamen crossed the Ebro and advanced to Franco's one-time regional headquarters at Gandesa just as the general concentrated the main masses of his armies far to the south for an offensive against Valencia.

No sooner had Franco shifted his Schwerpunkt to the Gandesa sector, for 12 miles southwest of the Ebro, than the government jabbed at his extreme right flank west of Teruel and rolled him back for a nine-mile advance.

DRIVERS ESCAPE IN TRUCK EXPLOSION

HEPPNER, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Two freight line truck drivers had a narrow escape from disaster when their truck exploded a few minutes after they had climbed to safety.

One Shimmel, riding with Carl Snickerman, noticed a burning odor. Opening a door, he saw the truck was afire. He and Snickerman hardly had reached safety when the gasoline tank exploded, destroying the vehicle and setting a hillside on fire.

Win Nominations at Primaries in Four States



At top—Rep. D. Worth Clark (left), conservative democrat, who defeated New Dealer Senator James Pope in the Idaho primary for the senatorial nomination. In the center is C. Ben Ross, former third-term governor, who won the democratic nomination for a fourth term, defeating Clark's uncle, Gov. B. W. Clark. At right is the only woman senator, Hattie Caraway of Arkansas, who was given democratic renomination.

Middle row—The winners in Ohio: Senator Bulkeley (left), democrat, and Charles P. Taft (center), republican senatorial nominee. At the right is Charles Sawyer, democrat, who won the nomination for governor over the incumbent, Davey.

Pictured at the right is Gov. R. L. Cochran of Nebraska, who upset the state's anti-third term tradition, by winning the democratic nomination.

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OREGON'S TRAFFIC TOLL SHOWS DROP

SALEM, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Oregon traffic accidents during the first six months of 1938 took a toll of 129 killed and 2,971 injured, compared with 150 killed and 3,186 injured during the same period last year, Secretary of State Snell said today.

There were 15,780 accidents during the period, 6,808 of them occurring at intersections and 4,781 on straight sections. About two-thirds occurred in daylight.

The hour between 4 and 5 p. m. is the most dangerous, 1,200 accidents having occurred during that period. The safest hour to drive is between 4 and 5 a. m. There were more accidents on Saturday than on any other day, while Wednesday had the smallest number.

There were 26,595 vehicles involved, including 21,374 passenger cars.

DIVORCE ASKED BY MRS. LEO LOMSKI

PORTLAND, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Mrs. La Verne Jordan Lomski has sued her husband, Leo Lomski, well known former boxer, for divorce. Mrs. Lomski's complaint charges that Lomski has been guilty of "cruel and inhuman treatment and personal indignities."

The Lomskis were married in Vancouver, Wash., March 25, 1937.

STUEMPGES RITES AT SUTHERLIN SET

Funeral services for William Henry Stuempges, who died Saturday at his home in Sutherlin following a long illness, will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the M. E. church in Sutherlin. Rev. Orval Trick will officiate and interment will take place in the Fair Oaks cemetery. Arrangements are in charge of H. C. Stearns of Oakland.

Bulkley Gets Huge Margin In Ohio Vote

Senator Pope, Backed by Administration, Loses to Clark in Idaho.

Senator Caraway Triumphs in Arkansas; Anti-Third Term Tradition in Nebraska Upset.

By the Associated Press.
They're still the current news highlights on the press wires—and from wires to you via the NEWS-REVIEW. Keep abreast of the world while you are in it—follow the service in your home-city daily.

The Ohio vote assured democratic renomination of Sen. Robert J. Bulkley who, with 7,498 precincts out of 8,601 reported, had tallied 428,419 votes to 176,523 for former Gov. George White. Bulkley was praised by Mr. Roosevelt when the latter visited Marietta early last month on his way west.

Ohio republicans, balloting in smaller numbers than the democrats, apparently nominated Robert A. Taft, son of the late president, to run against Bulkley in November. In 7,816 precincts out of 8,601 Taft had 281,814 votes and Arthur H. Day, 205,487.

In Arkansas Sen. Hattie Caraway, who like Bulkley received public commendation from the president, was slowly pulling ahead of her nearest opponent, Rep. John L. McClellan. The count for 1,523 precincts of 2,062 gave Caraway 76,351 and McClellan 71,540.

Because of President Roosevelt's show of preference for Senators Caraway and Bulkley, the administration figured as an issue in their campaigns even though their opponents were by no means antagonistic to the white house.

New Deal Swatted in Idaho.
In Idaho, however, the issue was clearly drawn. James P. Pope, a 100 per cent Roosevelt man, was opposed in the democratic primary by Rep. D. Worth Clark, who hammered home throughout his campaign he was not an administration "yes man."

The vote in 620 of 802 precincts

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YOUTH CONFESSES MURDER OF FARMER

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Earl Talbot, 18, today confessed the murder of W. E. McKinney, 70, about noon Tuesday, near Walla Walla, Wash., and with Prosecuting Attorney Beun and Sheriff Woodward this morning at McKinney's farm, reenacted the crime, Beun announced.

Talbot shot McKinney with a gun he had been using to hunt squirrels along the Touchet river, Beun said the youth confessed. He said he was alone in the crime.

The men had engaged in an argument over a proposed horse deal, the boy told Beun, and on impulse, he turned from his hunting and fatally shot the elderly man.

Then, he showed officers today, he put the body in a four wheeled trailer, pulled it from a machine shed, through a gate and toward the river. When the tongue caught and overturned the trailer, McKinney's body rolled out. Talbot took old auto fenders, slabwood and debris and covered the body.

Talbot then rode away in McKinney's auto and stopped at Free-water, Ore., about 35 miles distant, where Oregon police last evening arrested him. He said he thought the body might not be found for several days and he could make a getaway.

STATE LIQUOR BOARD FACES DAMAGE SUIT

PORTLAND, Aug. 10.—(AP)—A \$10,000 damage suit against members of the state liquor control commission was filed yesterday by H. M. Haworth, 71, a barber. He asserted his shop was entered August 9, 1938, by members of the commission who asked him to give them a pint of liquor for which no money was tendered or paid.

Haworth claimed an agent arrested and beat him, causing a shoulder fracture and internal injuries.

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Wm. Ross, Former Roseburger, Dies