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The Army Is Coming

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It has been suggested that any person who has an idea or suggestion for making the army stop here more pleasant, communicate with the Roseburg chamber of commerce (phone 283).

Who is right in this matter we don't pretend to know. But there is no reason to doubt that Jouett is right in saying that American production of military planes passed 1200 a month in March.

Editorials on News

(Continued from page 1)

THIS valley of the Tigris and the Euphrates that now is Iraq was once the center of the world and unbelievably fertile.

Some seven centuries ago it was conquered by the Mongols under Hulagu. The Mongols were a simple-minded people who lived by their flocks and their herds.

So they sacked and burned the cities, massacred the people, destroyed the vast irrigation systems that had endured for some

8,000 years and made the country over to their own liking.

A LITTLE before Jesus was born, Crassus, a bumptious Roman who had got rich lending money at stiff rates and buying up mortgaged property, got a yen for military glory and led a Roman army into the valley of the Tigris and Euphrates.

Being familiar with his reputation at home, they tied him up and finished him off by pouring molten gold down his throat. They figured, probably, they'd give him enough of it for once.

Money-lenders, you see, never have been popular. They have a nasty habit of wanting their money back.

GETTING back to Alexander, he broke forever the power of Persia at Arbela.

He is rather reliably reported to have had an army of 40,000 foot and 7,000 horse. Darius the Persian is less reliably said to have had an army of nearly a million.

The result was a record rout that ended Persia as a world power.

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Drowned were Dempsey Matlock, 21, and Thomas McGuire, 22, the two who fought their way ashore were James Huff, 19, and Joseph King, 20.

Sheriff John C. Bjorklund said the accident occurred when the four soldiers, on a three-day leave, started to row across the lake shortly before midnight to reach a dance pavilion.

Legion Post Head Offers Air Enlistment Help

James Young, commander of Umpqua post of the American Legion, has been requested to aid the U. S. army in the enlistment of young men as flying cadets.

Mr. Young reports he will be glad to assist any interested young man in obtaining full particulars, which may also be obtained by writing or visiting an army recruiting station.

License Needed to Hunt Non-Game Animals

Licenses are now required to shoot or hunt non-game animals or predators, just as a license is necessary to take game animals.

This change came about through provisions of senate bill, No. 147, granting power to the game commission to fix seasons and bag limits.

Patriotic Play Dated At Canyonville Academy

CANYONVILLE, May 6. An original play, God Bless America, eighth in a special series written and directed by Robert Shaffer, secretary of the Canyonville Bible academy, will be presented in the gospel tabernacle Wednesday, May 21, at 8 p. m.

Attends Insurance Meeting

R. H. Parker, local representative of the State Farm Insurance companies, has returned to this city after attending a meeting of agents at Eugene Monday.

WEATHER STATISTICS

By U. S. Weather Bureau... Humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 43%... Highest temperature yesterday 62

OUT OUR WAY



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

School of Tourist Information Will Open Here Tonight

The first of six weekly classes in the Tourist Information school, sponsored by the Roseburg chamber of commerce, will be held tonight, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

The speaker tonight will be Harold B. Say, head of the travel and information bureau of the state highway department.

The school is designed to present a wealth of information to local residents in order that they may be in a position to answer queries by tourists.

LOCAL NEWS

U. S. W. V. Auxiliary to Meet—George Starmer auxiliary to U. S. W. V. will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the armory.

Return to Eugene—Mrs. A. L. Hawin, nee Dorothy Ness, and son, Tommy, have returned to their home in Eugene, following the weekend here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. T. H. Ness, in Laurelwood.

Play-Day Announced—The Rose school has announced a playday for Friday, May 9, beginning at two o'clock at the school.

Job's Daughters to Meet—Roseburg Bethel, No. 8, Job's Daughters will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic temple with the junior Bethel officers presiding.

Auxiliary to Meet—The American Legion Auxiliary will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the armory with Mrs. Claud Baker, president, in charge.

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DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHAS. A. EDWARDS... We think in terms of the state; God thinks in terms of the individual. The world thinks in terms of things; God thinks in terms of souls.

MAKER OF FLAGS

HORIZONTAL... 1 18th century flag maker.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE... EDWARD MACDOWELL

VERTICAL... 2 Tree.

13 One who holds a check.

24 With them.

25 Heron.

26 Three.

27 Luscious tree.

28 Shed for cattle.

29 August (abbr.).

30 To abate.

31 To freeze.

32 Upon.

33 To dress.

34 To consume.

Local Keglers Fail To Get In Money

Roseburg teams and individual bowlers failed to place in money brackets at the Northwestern International congress and women's western bowling tournament now in progress at Portland.

In the men's open singles, scores of 500 or better included Cecil Black of Roseburg with 598.

In the men's booster division, with 500 or better, was D. E. Carr with 518.

In the men's commercial singles, 500 or better, was Floyd Baughman with 507.

Public Invited to Benefit—St. Joseph's Altar society has invited the public to attend a benefit program Monday night, May 12, at 8 o'clock at the parish hall on North Kane street.

U. of O. Beats Huskies Behind Igoe's Hurling

(By the Associated Press) History is repeating. The University of Washington baseball team, which like last fall's basketball squad moved into Oregon sporting a four-game lead in its northern division.

R. H. S. Tennis Team to Battle Grants Pass

The Roseburg high school tennis team, undefeated so far this season, travels to Grants Pass Wednesday.

Turner-Hogue Bout Victor Gets Crack At Idaho Champ

Principals in the main bouts scheduled for the American Legion sponsored boxing card at the Roseburg armory Friday night have plenty of inducement to do their best in their respective matches.

Turner, who has appeared several times in the local arena, is reported to be much faster than ever before and has developed a knockout punch.

An interesting semi-final also is anticipated in the six-round event between Jimmy Davis, Vancouver high school student, and the wild-swinging Young Nationalista.

Victory Streaks Of Cardinals, Indians Not Yet Halted

(Associated Press Sports Writer) A suspicion is getting around that the St. Louis Cardinals and Cleveland Indians are riding in their right grooves at the head of the pack.

The Cardinals notched their 10th in a row at Boston with a 5-1 shellacking of the Braves behind the five-hit hurling of Ernie White, 24-year-old southpaw, who led the American association last year in both percentage of victories and earned runs.

The New York Yankees lost their fourth game out of seven western engagements by 7-3 at Detroit.

McCubb, a "control" pitcher, scored his second success in three decisions for Philadelphia at Chicago by scattering 12 hits over 11 innings and batting in the winning run for a 5-4 verdict.

The Huskies will try to stop their losing streak one short of the record set by their basketball colleagues when they meet the Webfoots in the final game of their two-game series today.

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7:45—Courtney's Orch.
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7:15—Stuff and Nonsense.
7:35—Gardner Nursery.
7:40—State and Local News.
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Capt. Irving Completes Training in Army Unit

Word has been received here that Captain John A. Irving, recently ordered to units of the armored force at Fort Knox, Kentucky, has completed a four-weeks' training course at the division officers training center at that place.

Upon graduating from the training center, Captain Irving was assigned to the military intelligence division, and will attend division intelligence school from May 5 to May 17.

The first armored brigade, also known as the U. S. panzer unit, to which Captain Irving was assigned, recently participated in two-day maneuvers to Mammoth caves, located in the southern part of Kentucky.

The march consisted of 4500 men and 600 vehicles. It is anticipated the brigade will go on maneuvers in several southern states during the summer months.

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