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To the Class of '42

MANY Roseburg residents will pause tonight to pay tribute to a group of fine young men and young women, comprising the graduating class of Roseburg senior high school. While the high school auditorium doubtless will be crowded with the relatives and friends of these young graduates, the occasion will go unmarked in the minds of many and will be simply passed off by others as just another Commencement.

But to each of the 89 graduates it is a most important milestone in a life which has only recently reached a place of responsibility. Historically it is a most important Commencement, for, without doubt, it marks a new era—an era in which those who will appear upon the platform in graduation finery will play a most important part.

The past decade has been one in which Commencement was greeted with cynicism. Depression days kept many young people from fulfillment of their dreams to attend colleges and universities. With many adults on relief, with unemployment the greatest national problem, with social and economic conditions verging on revolution, the young person standing on the Commencement platform could not help feeling more or less pessimistic of the future opportunities for personal welfare, happiness and security.

Today the vista is vastly changed. Better than an assured security is the opportunity for adventure. Never before in the world's history have young people faced a future of adventure such as spreads before the graduate today.

To some the adventure will be physical, for already some of the young men who tonight will be handed their diplomas have signed their names on papers which enlist them in the armed services of their country.

But the adventure will not be confined to fighting upon the world's battlefields. There is a new world to create, socially and economically, and it is today's young people who will dominate the new era of tomorrow. The old era is gone. What political, social and economic changes will be made cannot be forecast. But change is sure and certain. Age decrees change. There will be those in power today who will resist the new structures, but the young are amenable to change and, as never before, the world of tomorrow is in their hands.

We of Roseburg know that these graduates of Roseburg high school whom we honor tonight have been provided with the best that could be given them. We are proud of our schools for we know that scholastically there are few better. The responsibility of providing for these young people the best possible educational opportunities to this point in their lives has been ably discharged by the community. Whether they take advantage of further opportunities offered them in advanced education is a matter of personal choice and circumstance.

This class of 1942 is a privileged class for it will experience exciting years. It has not only a sound educational foundation, but a background of social and economic environment which should be of great importance in the future judging of human values.

We envy as we congratulate today's graduates.

Newspapers in the United States consume 4,500,000 cords of pulpwood annually.

Pre-School Clinic Set for June 2

A pre-school clinic for all children who will enter Benson school in September will be held Tuesday, June 2, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 3 p. m. It was announced today. The clinic will be conducted by Dr. E. J. Wainwright, acting county health officer, and Mrs. Hazel Lytle of the county health unit.

Immunization against diphtheria and small pox and the Schick test will be given.

Although primarily for children of the Benson school district who will enter school in the fall, any other pre-school children may be brought for examination, and immunization and Schick test will be provided for children six months of age or older.

The series of pre-school clinics are being held, it is stated in order that remedial defects may be corrected prior to the opening of the school term.

Editorials on News

(Continued from page 1.)

Take the Union positions that turned the tide against Lee.

It was the relatively disastrous losses inflicted on his ARMY.

The same will be true in Russia.

THE struggle of the traitor Laval to turn France over to Hitler goes on.

Italy has demanded Nice and Corsica. Laval is proposing to give them to Hitler. Nice is a part of the mainland of France and the island of Corsica is the birthplace of Napoleon. The soil of the French homeland is peculiarly sacred to Frenchmen.

It looks like a deep-laid scheme whereby Laval, posing as the last-ditch defender of the French homeland, will turn over Tunisia (in Africa), which Germany wants, in order to SAVE Nice and Corsica, which are strategically important.

He may work it around to the point where he can throw in the French fleet as a part of the deal without angering the French people too greatly.

WHAT Laval is afraid of is illustrated by an incident occurring at Beziers, on the French Mediterranean coast near Marseilles.

At Beziers, the Vichy leaders seem to have been staging a typical anti-British affair. There were parades in the streets, with anti-British and anti-Churchill placards. A member of the Vichy government made a bitter anti-British speech. The heat was being poured onto Britain in great style.

But suddenly the French crowds on the sidewalks began to cheer. The cheering was followed by FIGHTING. The ensuing riot involved 1500 people, the dispatches say.

WE wonder at times why all this rigmarole about turning France over to Germany. Why doesn't Hitler TAKE IT? Why all this dicker with penny-ante traitors?

This incident at Beziers is revealing. Hitler and his stooges are AFRAID OF THE FRENCH PEOPLE.

THE temper of the people behind the lines is always important. When Lee invaded Maryland, he called upon the Maryland people to rally to the cause of their Southern brothers. They failed to respond to his appeal, and it was this unexpected unfriendliness as much as anything else that caused him to change his mind about invading the North.

IN Tokyo, Premier Tojo addresses Japan's stogie parliament. He fairly drools with flattery of Russia. Jap-Russian relations, he says, have undergone no change, even after the Japs got into the war on a big scale. He lavishes praise on the Russians for their strict observance of the Jap-Russian neutrality pact.

Either the Japs are anxious to keep out of war with Russia or they're preparing to stab the Russians in the back at the first good opportunity.

TOJO adds that Japan will continue to do her utmost to contribute her share as the partner of Germany and Italy.

If asked what Japan's part should be at this moment, Hitler would be pretty apt to answer: "Tackling Russia in the rear."

Goes to Portland—Mrs. J. A. Caraway, junior high school instructor here, left today for Portland to join her husband for the summer.

OUT OUR WAY



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(REMAINING HOURS TODAY)
FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1942

4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Johnson Family.
4:30—Salvation Army Program.
4:45—Treasury Star Parade.
5:00—W. P. A.
5:15—Brazil Presents.
5:30—Capt. Midnight, Ovaltine.
5:45—Jack Armstrong, Wheaties.
6:00—Dinner Concert.
6:15—News, Unical Products.
6:30—"One Moment Please."
6:45—Interlude.
6:50—State and Local News.
6:55—Interlude.
7:00—Recovery In Nova Scotia.
7:30—Lone Ranger.
8:00—"It's Box Office."
8:30—"Tropical Serenade."
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Treasury Star Parade.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
9:45—Hank Keene in Town, Velvet Tobacco Co.
10:00—News Bulletins.
10:02—Sign Off.

SATURDAY, MAY 30

6:45—Eye Opener.
7:00—News.
7:15—Stuff and Nonsense.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Here's Music.
8:15—Australian News.
8:30—U. S. Army Band.
9:00—Am. Red Cross War Program.
9:15—Ray Herbeck's Orch.
9:30—Children's Scrapbook.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Morning Melodies.
10:30—"Fog After Gettysburg."
11:00—Jerry Wald's Orch.
11:30—Joseph Sudy's Orch.
12:00—Interlude.
12:05—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer Co.
12:15—Rhythm at Random.
12:45—State News, Hansen Motor Co.
12:50—News-Review of the Air.

1:00—Sons of the Pioneers.
1:30—Opera Festival.
2:00—Claude Thornhill's Orch.
3:00—Anchors Aweigh.
3:30—News, Douglas National Bank.
3:45—Baseball Round-Up and Interlude.
4:00—Main Street, U. S. A.
4:30—Johnny Richards' Orch.
5:00—American Eagle Club in London.
5:30—California Melodies.
6:00—Dinner Concert.
6:50—State and Local News.
6:55—Interlude.
7:00—News and Views, Studebaker.
7:15—America Preferred.
7:45—Lest We Forget.
8:00—Dick Kuhn's Orch.
8:15—Dick Robertson's Orch.
8:30—Henry King's Orch.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Ted Weems' Orch.
9:30—BBC News.
9:45—Claude Thornhill's Orch.
10:00—Sign Off.

SUNDAY, MAY 31

8:00—Reviewing Stand.
8:30—News.
8:45—Musical Interlude.
8:45—Voice of Prophecy.
9:00—Morning Melodies.
9:15—From the Pastor's Study, Rev. Perry Smith.
9:30—Mutual's Overseas Report.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Romance of the Hiways, Greyhound Bus.
10:30—Songs for Sunday.
11:00—Baptist Church Services.
12:00—Graduation Exercises from Boy's Town.
12:30—Hickam Field Glee Club.
12:45—Carl Hoff's Orch.
1:00—Round-Up of Baseball—Mutual Radio Chapel.
1:30—Young People's Church of the Air.

By J. R. WILLIAMS

Set Prices, Urge Of Berry Growers

SALEM, May 29.—(AP)—Although the strawberry canning season will open early next week, growers still were pressing the office of price administration to set a price for their crop.

A representative of the OPA assured the growers committee nine days ago that a price would be set by May 22, George Tate, chairman of the growers' committee, said.

The committee was organized after growers complained that the OPA price freezing order made it impossible for canners to pay growers the price they must have in order to break even on their crop.

Starr Fruit Products company has offered 8 cents a pound, compared with last year's 5-cent average.

PORTLAND, May 29.—(AP)—Oregon's strawberry harvest, normally at its peak by Memorial day, has been slow and the U. S. employment service said today that there had been small demand for pickers.

However, berries are ready to ripen rapidly under favorable weather conditions and the need for pickers might be urgent within a few days. A call for women and children to volunteer to work in the fields is expected.

Returns to Work—Miss Betty Strong has returned to her work at the local Woolworth store after enjoying a two-weeks' vacation in San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE UNIT

HORIZONTAL

15 Pictured is insignia of U. S. Civilian Defense

10 French river.
12 Molding.
14 Type of cat.
15 Not cold.
17 Sea skeleton.
19 Eye part.
20 Weird.
22 Hawaiian goddess.
23 Moving truck.
24 Master of ceremonies (abbr.).
26 Dry.
27 Proceed.
29 Fruit decay.
31 Household god.
32 Street (abbr.).
33 Domestic slave.
35 Inquire.
37 Orders.
42 Also.
44 Orderly.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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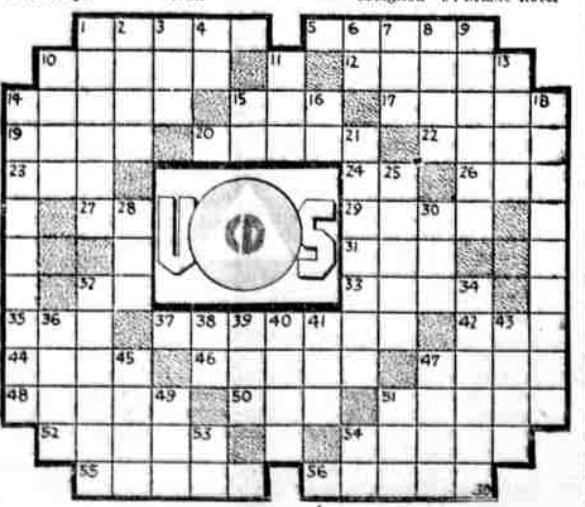
46 Indians.
47 Leg part.
48 Devil.
50 Age.
51 Old.
52 womanish.
54 Laymen.
55 Networks.
56 Musical instruments.

VERTICAL

1 Reduction in cost.

2 Very (Fr.).
3 Insect.
4 Symbol for iron.
6 Old Testament (abbr.).
7 Fabulous bird.
8 Support.
9 Most certain.
10 Variable star.
11 Drone bee.
13 Auction.
14 It includes assigned

15 Him.
16 Symbol for titanium.
18 Heat-resistant stone.
21 Their identifying are worn on their sleeves.
23 Group.
28 Refuse.
30 Sea eagle.
32 Water strider.
34 Moral principles.
36 Gunlock catch.
38 Exclamation.
39 Female saint (abbr.).
40 Implement.
41 Even (poet.).
43 Lubricants.
45 Story.
47 Clip off suddenly.
49 Louse egg.
51 Swiss river.
53 101 (Roman).
54 Music note.



Dog Catcher to Rescue

(By the Associated Press)

GLEN COVE, N. Y.—Frank Doney, the local dog catcher, was hailed as a hero today after capturing a man-eating rooster that had been terrorizing residents for several days.

Eating up their favorite rose bushes was not too bad an offense, home-owners said, but when the rooster took several bites out of Mrs. Maurice Cohen's legs and pecked at her back, that was something else again.

Summoned post-haste after the felonious assault, Doney snared the wild bird with a nest cast of his net, and it now resides behind bars.

The Alaska commission, which had worked and surveyed for 12 years, decided that the best route was one running north from Puget sound (Pacific highway or route No. 99) to Prince George, to Whitehorse, Yukon territory, to Fairbanks, Alaska, via Tanana. About 400 miles of this route has been carved through the wilderness. The route is 150 miles inland from the coast, where most of Alaska's 50,000 white population reside.

Instead of even considering this route the joint defense board selected the "prairie route," striking off from North Dakota to Edmonton, Fort St. John, Fort Nelson, Watson lake and Whitehorse. It is 400 miles from the coast. The United States has rehabilitated the airfields of Yukon Southern airways, which that company will probably recover after the war. The Yukon Southern is flying gasoline to Watson lake (240 miles from Whitehorse) and charging a rate of \$1.80 a gallon. Airplanes are freighting gasoline in Alaska to remote regions for 60 cents a gallon.

The prairie route can only receive its supplies for construction from one end. It is impossible to establish construction camps along the way and have them build in both directions. On the route desired by Alaskans intermediate camps could be operated by contractors, which would reduce the time of building the highway. Between Fort Nelson and Watson lake are vast stretches of muskeg swamps, described as "an engineering monstrosity and an economic absurdity." The charge is made that LaGuardia and associates on the joint defense board had no ground survey of the route. It is also asserted that the LaGuardia route is longer and the working season two months shorter than the locations the Alaskans advocated.

The road on which the army engineers are now working (13 lost their lives at Fort St. John two weeks ago) is of no value to Washington or Oregon, whereas the location desired by Alaskans would be an extension of Pacific highway. The resolution for an investigation of the whole subject has been referred to the senate committee on foreign relations.

Tires From Dandelions? Bureau of plant industry has sent seeds of a Russian dandelion to Washington, Oregon and Alaska to conduct experiments. These dandelions are planted in the spring and in the fall you have a new tire—at least that is the way the Russians do. First shipment of seeds arrived by plane three weeks ago and the bureau immediately began distributing them to 60 different localities. The rubber is in the root of the plants, which are dried, pulverized and then processed. In Russia the dandelions average 50 tons of rubber to the acre. Some scientists in the bureau assert that goldenrod, a native of Oregon and Washington, is about as good as the Russian dandelion.

Diminutive Cigarette "Voice" Visits Roseburg

Johnny, "The Voice of Phillip Morris," the diminutive cigarette salesman, was a Roseburg visitor Thursday. He spent the day in the city as a part of a coast tour in which he is completing a nationwide trip that, when finished, will have touched every state. He is visiting every army, navy and marine camp, all veterans hospitals and all major war industry plants and will complete the last leg of the long journey in Oregon and Washington.

While in Roseburg he visited the veterans administration facility where he distributed cigarettes to all patients and staff personnel.

Douglas County Native Passes Away in Idaho

Chester Thompson, 54, a native of Douglas county, died Monday at Grangeville, Idaho. The son of the late L. T. and Ann Thompson, early pioneer settlers in the Umpqua district, he spent his early life in Douglas county, but for a number of years has been residing in Idaho, where he was

engaged in the automobile sales business. He leaves four brothers, L. E. and O. C. Thompson, both of Umpqua; Louis and Clifford Thompson, Santa Maria, California, and four sisters, Paralee Lesley, Newport, Ore.; Laura Hill, Merrill, Ore.; Marie Pringle, Berkeley, Calif.; Emma Dillon, Santa Cruz, Calif. He also leaves a widow and two daughters in Grangeville.

War Board Freezes Part Of Cotton Yarn Output

WASHINGTON, May 29.—(AP)—The war production board yesterday ordered a major portion of the nation's fine cotton yarn production set aside for the army and navy, forcing a sharp curtailment in the manufacture of more expensive men's shirts and underwear and women's dresses. Under terms of the order, combed yarn mills must earmark at least 40 per cent of their output of medium combed yarn and not less than 65 per cent of their coarse combed yarn for the armed services, and operate at maximum practicable capacity.

Officials predicted the action would make from 200,000,000 to 250,000,000 yards of cloth available for current military requirements within 60 days and mean an annual supply for the military ranging between 600,000,000 and 700,000,000 yards.

John Barrymore Losing Battle With Illness

HOLLYWOOD, May 29.—(AP)—There were indications today that John Barrymore is losing his 10-day battle with illness. Dr. Hugo M. Kirsten, his physician, reported: "Mr. Barrymore is not good this morning. The usual good response to medication is not so apparent. The picture is very grave."

"We feel less hope," a nurse amplified. She said an oxygen tent had been moved into Barrymore's room at Hollywood Presbyterian hospital as a precaution.

Output of U. S. Planes In '42 to Pass 50,000

NEW YORK, May 29.—(AP)—Under Secretar, of War Robert P. Patterson said last night that the United States would produce more than 50,000 airplanes this year.

Referring to President Roosevelt's call for 50,000 planes, Patterson said that many people believed it "a fantastic impossibility," and added, "But this year's production of planes by American industry will surpass the 50,000 figure by a healthy margin."

Patterson said that the output of tanks and ammunition was rolling along to new levels also. It takes ten sheep to clothe one U. S. soldier, according to estimates of wool men.

ODDITIES

(By the Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY—Rose Thomas, a foot doctor, told police that a young man visited her office and after he left she discovered her purse containing \$68 was gone too.

A description? "Well, he had two callouses on the right foot and a bad metatarsal condition on the left foot."

Photo Finish

PORTLAND, Ore.—Edward Albertson, home on a brief vacation, told friends how he tried to take a picture of the submarine that torpedoed his freighter in the Gulf of Mexico. When the torpedo hit, he rushed to his cabin, grabbed his camera, pointed at the sub and clicked the shutter. A cup of water poured out.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court for Douglas County, Oregon, in the Matter of the Estate of Adolph V. Pavlovic, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the above entitled estate has filed his Final Account in the above Court in settlement of the above entitled estate, and the Court has fixed Saturday, the 30th day of May, 1942 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Douglas County Courthouse as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said account, if any, and the settlement of said estate. All persons having objections thereto are required to file the same on or before the above date. First published May 1st, 1942.

M. T. DAWSON, Administrator of the Estate of Adolph V. Pavlovic, Deceased, Long and Long, attorneys for the estate.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court for Douglas County, Oregon, in the Matter of the Estate of Fred W. Green, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the above entitled estate has filed his Final Account in the above Court in settlement of the above entitled estate, and the Court has fixed Saturday, the 30th day of May, 1942 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day at the Douglas County Courthouse as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said account, if any, and the settlement of said estate. All persons having objections thereto are required to file the same on or before the above date. First published May 1st, 1942.

J. V. LONG, Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Fred W. Green, Deceased, Long and Long, attorneys for the estate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon for Douglas county, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Hannah J. Adams, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same to me, properly verified as required by law, at the office of the Douglas Abstract company, Umpqua Savings and Loan building, at Roseburg, Oregon, within six months from this date. Dated May 15, 1942.

W. F. HARRIS, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Hannah J. Adams, deceased.

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