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The Weather

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Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy and cooler tonight and Thursday.

Highest temp. for any July	107
Lowest temp. for any July	.40
Highest temp. yesterday	92
Lowest temp. last night	58
Precipitation yesterday	T
Precipitation since July 1	T
Deficit from July 1	.29
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1943	8.13

In the Day's News

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perately to keep us from getting the room.

WE'VE been reading for several days of heavy bombing of Munich. Later we learn WHY.

Three Swedes, back in Sweden from Munich, report that a big motor plant where the Germans are believed to have been making engines for their flying bombs, has been 80 per cent destroyed.

GRODNO (at the western edge of Poland) falls, and the Russians are advancing WESTWARD from both sides of the city. They are reported to have crossed the Niemen in two places.

The Niemen has an interesting niche in history. It was there that TWO INDISPENSABLE MEN met on a raft out in the middle of the river to settle the affairs of the world after a great war.

ONE of these indispensable men was Napoleon, who had just smashed Prussia and Austria. The other was Alexander I, the youthful czar of Russia.

Alexander THOUGHT he was a great "liberal." One of his early associates wrote of him: "He would gladly have everyone free provided that everyone was prepared to do EXACTLY WHAT HE WISHED."

(There have been many "liberals" like that since the world began.)

The other was Napoleon.

THEY strutted up and down the raft. Alexander said to Napoleon: "What is Europe? WE are Europe." Napoleon made an appropriate reply.

They carved up the map according to their own indispensable ideas and laid down the law according to their own desires. Then they shook hands grandiloquently and went their ways.

A few years later, France and Russia were at war and Napoleon was starting his silly and tragic march to Moscow and back. A few years after that came WATERLOO.

After Waterloo came the Congress of Vienna, where the indispensable men of Europe came together and made a peace that wrecked for years to come the TRULY liberal aspirations that arose out of the French Revolution.

PEACE that is made by a few indispensable men seldom lasts. Peace, to be ENDURING, must rest on the solid foundation of the understanding and consent of WHOLE PEOPLES, all of whom have a hand through the workings of an informed public opinion in its making.

BUT let's get on with the war. It looks as if the main Russian purpose now is to cut off the Baltic states and gain full access to the Baltic sea. They seem to have plenty of strength along the whole eastern front and whenever the Germans weaken themselves ANYWHERE they hit hard.

THERE'S an interesting story from Moscow.

The Russians march 57,600 German prisoners through their capital. A million Russians line the streets to watch. There are no displays of emotion, no booing, no catcalls, no shouts. Just grim interest in the spectacle.

IN the Pacific, Premier Curtin tells the Australian parliament:

The transfer of Britain's MAIN efforts must await the German defeat, but LARGE AND POWERFUL British forces will become available THIS YEAR in the war against Japan.

POLITICS AT CANYONVILLE

By Charles V. Stanton

THE day of the big fire at Canyonville, we were talking to Bill Willis, the town's mayor. Bill had been out in the hayfield when he received word of the blaze, and he rushed in to help control the conflagration.

The mayor gave us some interesting statistics, but, being engaged in rounding up fire news, we failed to make notes at the time and have failed to remember all the details. The gist of the matter was, however, that the municipality of Canyonville went heavily into debt a few years ago to install a city-owned water system. In the space of a comparatively few years, the citizens of Canyonville have retired the major portion of their bonds, have placed operating expenses on a cash basis and have only about $1,500 outstanding indebtedness.

That is a mighty fine record, and we can understand why Mayor Bill's voice was filled with pride as he told us what had been accomplished.

We can talk all we please about national politics and international affairs, but when we get down to the real fundamentals of government, here in these United States, it is the towns like Canyonville, and Myrtle Creek, and Sutherlin, and Roseburg, and the thousands upon thousands of other small, organized towns and villages where we find democracy in its purest form. It is upon such a rock foundation that our political structure is based. The roof may leak, and there may be some dry rot at the top, but the foundation is secure.

While Bill Willis was telling us about his town's fine record, he was busily wiping his brow to remove the sweat that had accumulated while he joined with his fellow townsmen in combatting the blaze. He was dressed in faded overalls and a shirt begrimed with dust from the hayfield and soot from the fire. There was nothing to distinguish him from many other men of the crowd. He wore no frock coat nor tall hat. He held no badge of office. Yet Mayor Bill and his fellow officers of the city of Canyonville, like small-town officials, county courts and other officers of municipal,, district and county administrative bodies everywhere represent, in our opinion, the backbone of the nation.

We are seeing the start of what promises to be one of the most momentous presidential campaigns in the history of our nation. In the election of a chief executive, we are performing a task, which in the minds of most people, is the most important political responsibility we have. The presidential office is the highest honor which the American people can bestow upon any man, yet we must not forget a lot of credit is due the fellows at the bottom of the ladder.

In the army, the buck privates do the work and the generals get the glory. The same is true in our political life. It is the officer who serves in a lowly capacity, when compared with the high offices of the land, who lives among the people and who becomes a chosen trustee of their welfare, who is the purest example of working democracy.

The further from the people the government grows, the greater is the opportunity for graft, corruption and mismanagement. Centralization of government is dangerous. The closer it comes to the people, the purer is its form. Can you imagine the city of Canyonville permitting Bill Willis' administration to become as proportionately chaotic and wastefully extravagant as that at Washington? It just wouldn't be possible. That is why we say the foundation of our political house is sound. It is the superstructure that shows signs of rot. We can only get the government closer to the people and strengthen its timbers when the people themselves insist upon it. A house does not repair and paint itself. A householder who takes pride in his home will see that it is kept in condition and will prevent deterioration. The same is true of government. We, the people, must keep the superstructure in shape. We can only do it when we elect to high positions men who embody the qualifications shown by fellows like Bill Willis—men who are willing to help drag hose when the structure is threatened instead of standing idly by in the regalia of office.

Roosevelt to Visit Pope in Rome, Says Berlin Broadcast

(By the Associated Press)

The Berlin radio, which frequently broadcasts reports in attempts to glean information, said yesterday that President Roosevelt soon would visit Rome and that arrangements already had been made for his trip by his vatican representative, Myron C. Taylor.

There was nothing from any other source to indicate that the German report had any basis of truth.

Text of the broadcast, carried under a Stockholm dateline:

"A Roosevelt visit to Rome is impending, as learned from American circles in Rome. Taylor, Roosevelt's representative with the vatican, has already been charged with making appropriate arrangements with the vatican.

"The fact has been stressed that Roosevelt in view of the U. S. A. Catholics whose votes will be of decisive importance in the presidential elections, lays rather great stress on being received by the head of the Catholic church.

"The pope is said to agree with the Roosevelt visit, because thus he will be furnished an opportunity to outline to the U. S. A. president his concern regarding the bolshevization of Italy and the surrender of Poland to the soviets."

Cordon Praises Brazil For Entry Into War

WASHINGTON, July 19 (AP)—Senator Cordon (R-Ore.) said yesterday he was highly pleased that Brazilian troops were going into the actual fighting lines in Italy at the side of the allied powers.

"This demonstrates the type of western hemispheric solidarity that the peoples of our country have long sought," Cordon said. "The action of the Brazilian government in cooperating with the allies in so wholehearted a manner shows it to be a forward-looking and realistic government. Brazil has now become one of the allies who is actually fighting axis aggression."

GOVERNOR

HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured governor of Iowa, Bourke B. ——
11 Within
12 Steps
13 Rough lava
14 Skills
16 Fence opening
17 Snakes
19 Flower
21 Symbol for tellurium
22 Rugged mountain crest
23 Ells English (abbr.)
24 Jumbled type
25 Roof edges
28 Redacts
31 Symbol for radium
32 International language
33 Trite
36 Oozes
39 "Old Dominion State" (abbr.)
40 Sloth
41 Raged
44 Transpose (abbr.)
46 Gigantic
49 Darling
50 One who colors
52 Sea eagle
53 Rupees (abbr.)
54 Reiterate
56 That one
57 He has held several —— —— in his state

VERTICAL
1 Employ
2 To the inside
3 Knight (abbr.)
4 Unit of work
5 Trim
6 Tardy
7 Poem
8 Bone
9 Facility
10 Transported
14 Church part
15 To cut
17 Dry
18 Observes
20 Affirmative
22 Mimic
26 Constellation
27 Mover's truck
29 Anger
30 Spinning toy
33 Poet
34 Asseverate
35 Boy
36 Droop
37 Ireland
38 Satiate
42 Aircraft
43 Huge
44 Printer (coll.)
45 Hidden ridge of sand in water
47 Great Lake
48 Emmets
50 Derived (abbr.)
51 Royal Air Force (abbr.)
54 Of the thing
55 Palm lily

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Navy Reshuffle Does Not Impair Powers of Tojo

By RUSSELL BRINES.
Associated Press War Editor.
(Formerly an AP Correspondent at Tokyo.)

Japan's peculiar navy reshuffle leaves Premier Tojo and his militarist supporters in firm control of the war effort, after a domestic test of strength over the Saipan debacle.

Admiral Shimada was ousted as navy minister, but he remains as chief of staff and retains his ministerial rank with its prerogative of direct access to the throne. In other words, he gives up the secondary of his two offices, but hangs onto its chief powers.

This is a familiar Tojo device for readjusting his government to meet a recurring internal crisis without disemploying the men he wants around him.

Shimada, a hand-picked Tojo adherent, was made navy chief of staff last February to extend the premier's control over naval strategy. Tojo simultaneously became army chief.

The first major test of this one-man war stewardship came at Saipan. The result was bungled naval tactics which resulted in heavy losses and a defeat so striking that the waters to within 700 miles of Japan were laid open to U. S. task forces. The army-defended island then fell.

Under Japan's code, someone had to accept the responsibility. Actually, both the army and navy were liable. There were clear evidences the navy also attempted to place blame directly upon Tojo for meddling. Tension was noticeable between the two services.

The navy lost. Shimada's removal was a public admission of its responsibility. Both Tojo and the army sidestepped open blame.

But in matters of strategy, the chief of staff, not the minister, is the key figure. Normally, he would retire in face of such a heavy disgrace. Shimada's retention of the higher post shows Tojo's firm hand, keeping in place a man responsive to his wishes.

The reshuffle in itself, therefore probably was unimportant to the war effort.

DIAL LOG

By SUSAN.

Six-thirty is curtain time for First Nighter, and tonight's play is good gripping, human interest drama. It's the story of a man who, after 25 years of imprisonment, returns to find his son is a grown man and a sergeant in the marines. The play, "The Heart That Was Truly Loved," deals with the problems of the ex-convict in adjusting himself to the war-torn world, to which he returns. By the way, Barbara Luddy, the First Nighter star, is in Hollywood visiting her mother and will make an appearance on Radio Tour on Friday of this week. We'll try to remind you again should be interesting. You'll get our State and Local News both tonight and tomorrow night at 7, and we'll cut into the democratic convention doings five minutes late. Bulldog Drummond at 8:30 and the Newspaper of the Air remain on schedule as usual.

Thursday morning we'll pick up the convention again at 10:15 immediately following the Newspaper of the Air. The Smoothies at 1:15, Full Speed Ahead 1:30, Welcome Inn, 2 and Dusty Records at 3:15 are other recommended listening spots during the day time hours on Thursday.

One other advance note for Friday—Screen Test 615, pre-Friday—Screen Test 6:15, prehim as "The Shadow" and he used to be Mr. First Nighter, but this time he's trying to sell his talents as a baritone. We heard him on a Treasury Star Parade a few days ago, and what we mean, he's GOOD; so be sure to listen in and pass judgment.

Business Corner in Roseburg Purchased

Mrs Gustav A. Radi, formerly Wilhemina Andrie, reports the sale of the southeast corner Main and Douglas streets, Roseburg, to the Mid-Oregon Printing company of this city. This property, known as the Andrie's corner, is improved with a concrete two-story building, occupied by Si Dillard Motor Co and Associated Service station. T. F. Mouche, co-owner of the Mid-Oregon Printing Co., who has charge of all its real estate operations, reports that the apartments on the second floor will be completely remodeled and modernized. No decision has been reached as to what changes will be made on the ground floor or the space occupied by the filling station.

Mr. Andrie was well known in Roseburg and before his death, last March, opened several tracts and improved much property in and around Roseburg.

The Jonker diamond, which weighed 726 carats and was worth $1,000,000 in the rough, was cut into 12 perfect gems aggregating 358 carats and valued at more than $2,000,000.

Seals Win Over Turpin, Oakland Defeats Sactos

(By the Associated Press)

Two runs in the sixth inning gave the San Francisco Seals the margin needed last night to defeat the Seattle Rainiers and break the Seal-Rainier Coast baseball league third place tie. The Seals added a counter in the ninth for a 3 to 1 final score. Hal Turpin was the losing hurler.

Oakland increased its first place margin at the expense of Sacramento with a 2 to 1 win. The Acorns scored the winning tally in the last of the ninth.

Hollywood and Portland were rained out in the second inning at Portland and will play a doubleheader Friday. Neither team had scored when the game was called.

Los Angeles and San Diego will open their week's series with a mid-day doubleheader at Los Angeles today.

Team Standings:

	W	L	Pct.
Oakland	54	46	.540
Los Angeles	53	48	.525
San Francisco	52	49	.515
Seattle	51	50	.505
Portland	50	50	.500
San Diego	50	53	.485
Hollywood	49	53	.480
Sacramento	45	55	.450

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BEST BETS FOR TODAY

WEDNESDAY
6:30—First Nighter.
7:00—State and Local News.
7:05—Democratic National Convention.
8:30—Bulldog Drummond.

THURSDAY
9:00—Boake Carter.
10:00—Newspaper of the Air.
10:15—Convention.
1:15—The Smoothies.
2:00—Welcome Inn.
6:15—Screen Test.
6:30—Music You Remember.
7:00—Democratic National Convention.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Merry Moons, Kerr Glass Co.
4:30—World's Front Page.
4:45—Music Off the Record.
5:00—Gospel Messages, Church of Christ.
5:15—Superman.
5:30—Tom Mix, Ralston's Purina.
5:45—Night News Wire, Studebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Kreml.
6:15—Screen Test, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer
6:30—First Nighter, Campana Sales Corp.
7:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
7:05—Democratic National Convention.
8:30—Bulldog Drummond, 42 Products, Inc.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Service Salute, E. G. High.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Kampfer's.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sign off.

THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1944
6:45—Reveille Round-up.
6:55—Schricker & Cooper Auction.
7:00—News, Los Angeles Soap Co.
7:15—Rise and Shine, Wenzel Tent and Duck Co.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—The Beehive.
7:40—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest.
8:30—Service Salute, E. G. High.
8:45—Henry Busse's Orchestra.
9:00—Boake Carter, Ke-Lite, Inc.
9:15—Man About Town.
9:30—Midland, U. S. A.
9:45—Shoppers Guide.
9:55—Music.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Democratic National Convention.
11:00—Cedric Foster, Kampfer's Sav-Mor.
11:15—Radio Bible Class, Presbyterian Church.
11:30—Jane Cowl.
11:45—Musical Library, Kellogg's Cornflakes.
12:00—Musical Interlude.
12:10—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer.
12:15—Rhythm at Random.
12:40—State News, Hansen Motors.
12:45—News-Review of the Air.
12:55—Terminal Market Reports, Sig Fett.
1:00—Accordion Aces.
1:15—The Smoothies.
1:30—Full Speed Ahead.
2:00—Welcome Inn.
2:15—Musical Hi-Jinks.
2:30—Western Serenade.
2:45—Radio Tour.
3:00—Griffin Reporting.
3:15—Dusty Records, Henningers Marts.
3:45—Johnson Family.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Merry Moons, Malt-O-Meal
4:30—World's Front Page.
4:45—Music Off the Record.
5:00—Moods in Music.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's Pep.
5:30—Tom Mix.
5:45—Night News Wire, Studebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Forhan's Toothpaste.
6:15—Screen Test, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.
6:30—Music You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.
6:45—The Male Quartet, G. W. Young & Son.
7:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
7:05—Democratic National Convention.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Rex Miller, Wildroot.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Hunt Bros. Packing Co.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sign off.

Anderson Beats Haegg In Record Mile Sprint

STOCKHOLM, July 19—(AP)—Arne Andersson, the flying Swedish school teacher, ran a world record mile of 4:01.6 yesterday, an indication that the much-discussed, but elusive four-minute mile is just around the corner.

In clipping a full second off the world standard of 4:02.6 that he set a year ago July 1, Andersson beat his more famous countryman, Gunder Haegg, by two meters. Haegg was timed in 4:02, his fastest speed for the distance.

It was the fourth world record that the Swedish runners have broken within the last month. On June 25 Haegg set a new standard of 8:46.4 for the two-mile and on July 7 sped the 1,500-meters in the record time of 3:43. A few days later Andersson, who used to be known as Haegg's shadow because he always ran second to Gunder, hung up a mark of 2:56.6 for the three-quarters mile.

Brazilians Fight in Italy

WASHINGTON, July 18—(AP)—Arrival of a Brazilian expeditionary force in Naples July 16 to join allied armies in operations on the Italian front, was announced today by the War department.

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