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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon.

Forecast for Rossburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer Thursday.

Highest temp. for any August 106
Lowest temp. for any August 39
Highest temp. yesterday 80
Lowest temp. last night 54
Precipitation yesterday 0
Precipitation since August 1 0
Deficit from August 1 0
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1943 ..... 3.15

In the Day's News

(Continued from page 1)

HARD AS the high command orders.

The Germans would like nothing better than to get us and the British started to quarreling over who is bravest and toughest.

THE air has been full of rumors in the past few days that Rommel is dead again. It may be just as well for us if he stays alive. Montgomery is onto his curves. It would take time for our command to learn a new enemy general's habits and reactions.

THE Russian news is just more of the same. The Germans say the reds are in Warsaw's outskirts. They're knocking at the doors of Riga. They're only a few miles from the borders of East Prussia.

They are only 13 miles from Czechoslovakia, where they MIGHT strike through the Carpathians into the Danube valley.

IT wouldn't be surprising if the Russians should slow down for a while. They have already gone farther and faster than it seems militarily possible for supply to follow.

THE Germans set Wednesday of this week as the day for the break with Turkey (keep fingers crossed). The Bulgarians are said to have agreed to the Russian demand for consulates at Varna and Burgas, on the Black sea.

Consulates are normally BUSINESS agencies of government. What Russia wants with consulates in Bulgaria at this moment isn't clear, suggesting that the demand for them is made merely to see what Bulgaria will do about it.

THE big point in this Balkan business is that Bulgaria and Turkey are getting less afraid of the Germans and more afraid of us.

IN Italy, the Germans assert that we've smashed Pisa's famous leaning tower with our artillery their purpose being to put the lie on us as vandals.

Among 80 MANY tragedies, what are Pisa and its tower? You can REBUILD a tower.

You can't bring back the dead.

OUR fleet is anchored AGAIN in Guam's Apra harbor, the best in the Marianas. 4,000 to 5,000 Japs are trapped in Tinian's southern end. Presumably, they'll die as other trapped Japs have died.

AS to this Jap yen to die, an American-educated Jap who is now an instructor in a U. S. army language school says in a recent article in the Christian Science Monitor:

"There are no (live) war heroes in Japan. The only Jap war hero is the man who has been killed in battle . . . The fighting man who returns from the field of battle is looked upon with suspicion . . . The Jap who permits himself to be taken prisoner is treated as a traitor . . . The Japanese warrior has little incentive to survive."

OK, if that's the way they want it. War is war, and it isn't a pretty thing. The Japs who insist on dying don't have to be fed and cared for and guarded in prison camps. The men who would otherwise be busy feeding, caring for and guarding them are released for killing more Japs.

(Brutal, of course, but war is no Sunday school picnic and WE didn't make the Jap suicide code.)

WE have a new secret weapon in the Pacific (maybe elsewhere). A correspondent in the Marianas says it is too secret even to be hinted at, but adds that it is "truly beautiful and it is extremely doubtful if any human being within 100 feet of its action would be able to survive. It is easy to foresee the devastation and death that would result from its use on such targets as Japan's crowded cities."

THE Japs are again in Hengyang which, like Finnegan's famous tram, has been "on again off again" for weeks. The Chinese may throw them out again, as they have done before.

PREMIER KOISO says "Japan now needs a more vigorous spirit." (A few more planes would also come in handy.) The Tokyo radio says that "in keeping with the spirit of the times, Manila night spots will close."

For Cryin' Out Loud

BOISE, Idaho—What makes a good hamburger?

A thick slice of onion, says the Idaho advertising commission, peeling off $10,000 to advertise this year's crop.

CIRCULATION PROBLEMS

By Charles V. Stanton

IF Ed Knapp, News-Review business manager, and Orville French, circulation assistant, survive the next few weeks without suffering nervous breakdowns, it will be because they have cast-iron constitutions. The Messrs. Knapp and French are responsible for the city carrier delivery of papers. And what a responsibility!

The News-Review normally employs 19 boys to carry as many city routes. During the school year, the carrier force undergoes few changes, but trouble starts with vacation.

Six regular carriers left Monday for a boys' camp, as an example of what we mean. All had provided substitutes for their routes, but one of the substitutes failed to show up. Another carrier, out of town for the weekend, failed to return in time to take out his papers. Three boys went out into the bean fields and were late in getting back to town. One boy was out on his newly assigned route for the first time. Thus 11 of the 19 routes were affected.

One of the regular, experienced carriers, doubled up and served two routes. Mr. French himself put in a couple of hours peddling one of the delivery sectors. Shirley Carter, classified ad department clerk, helped a green substitute become acquainted with deliveries in the business district. Mr. Knapp was "frozen" on a desk job, consoling subscribers who called in because their papers were late.

A combination of Scout camps, church camps, swimming parties, harvest work, impulsive vacations, etc., etc., and etc., makes the summer season a continuous headache for the members of a newspaper's circulation department.

It's bad enough during the school year, what with measles, mumps, chickenpox and sudden colds to contend with, but normally sufficient substitutes are available during that period of the year to meet emergencies. But try to find a substitute in the summer time!

Just as sure as you need a substitute, who is familiar with a route, that lad is out in the country, has gone on a swimming party, or is laid up with sunburn or poison oak.

With all the handicaps the circulation department meets, it is surprising how few "kicks" are received.

But the gratifying angle lies in the complaints of subscribers when their paper fails to arrive or is a few minutes behind the usual delivery time. The same readers who are wont to say "You never have anything interesting in your paper," wail like banshees if delivery is late or missed. In spite of regrets caused by any incident of poor service, it is gratifying to know that subscribers are so dependent upon the newspaper that they are perturbed by any irregularity in delivery service.

It is a mighty complicated chore to deliver newspapers to approximately 2,000 addresses, in and adjoining the city of Roseburg; keeping track of starts and stops, changes in address, and finding houses off the beaten path. The youngsters who perform that task, day in and day out, rain or shine, form a mighty loyal crew.

It is the desire of Mr. Knapp to see that every subscriber receives his paper regularly and on time. But it is quite evident, that with the carrier service subject to sudden and unexpected changes, some errors will be made.

Subscribers can help by promptly notifying the office of any irregularities in service. A special carrier is at the News-Review office between 6 and 7 p. m. to serve customers who fail to receive their papers. As no carrier service is available after 7 p. m., calls should be placed during the hour.

We may be prejudiced, but we think the News-Review is a darned good newspaper. We want it delivered to our subscribers with the greatest possible efficiency. If we sometimes fail, please remember there's a war on, and this is vacation season!

Roseburg Bowling Alleys Reopened

The Roseburg Bowling alleys have ben reopened after being closed two weeks for annual resurfacing and overhauling, Floyd Baughman, owner-manager, reports.

Certified refinishers have surfaced the alleys, making them eligible for qualification under American Bowling Congress regulations.

Plans are being made, Baughman reports, to start the league season early in September and prospects are for strong teams in all leagues. Many new bowlers are now using the alleys and are expected to be available for league play. Bowlers desiring to become members of league teams are requested to register at the bowling alleys as soon as possible. Mr. Baughman reports he is anticipating a particularly strong women's league this year as there have been many experienced women keglers move into the community recently.

Shortage of Rainfall Reaches 8.15 Inches

Shortage in rainfall reached 8.15 inches for the wet season measured since Sept. 1, 1943, J. C. McCallister, meteorologist in charge of the Roseburg station of the U. S. Weather Bureau, reported in his summary of weather conditions up to and including July 31. Shortage of precipitation since Jan. 1, 1944, amounts to 4.21 inches.

The past month had only 0.1 of an inch of rain, as compared with a normal of .32 of an inch. Highest temperature was 94 degrees and the lowest was 46 degrees, but the average was 1.4 degrees above normal on a daily comparison.

OUT OUR WAY — By J. R. Williams

KRNR

Mutual Broadcasting System, 1490 Kilocycles.

BEST BETS FOR TODAY

WEDNESDAY
6:30—First Nighter.
8:00—Main Line.
8:30—Bulldog Drummond.

THURSDAY
8:00—Haven of Rest.
10:15—Jack Berch.
10:45—American Woman's Jury.
11:30—Between You and Jane Cowl.
2:00—Welcome Inn.
3:15—Dusty Records.
6:30—Music You Remember.
7:45—"Something for the Girls."
8:00—Here Comes the Band.
8:30—Sky Riders.
9:00—Newspaper of the Air.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:00—Marshall McNeil, Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Real Life Stories.
4:30—World's Front Page.
4:45—Music Off the Record.
5:00—Moods in Music.
5:15—Superman.
5:30—Tom Mix, Ralston's Purina
5:45—Night News Wire, Studebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Kremi.
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—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Lowell Thomas, Standard Oil Co.
7:30—Lone Ranger.
8:00—Main Line, Southern Pacific.
8:30—Bulldog Drummond, 42 Products, Inc.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Service Salute, E. G. High.
9:30—Marshall McNeil, Kampfer's Sav-Mor.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sign off.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1944

6:45—Reveille Roundup.
6:55—Schricker and Cooper Auction.
7:00—News, Los Angeles Soap Co.
7:15—Rise and Shine, Wenzel Tent & Duck Co.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—The Beehive.
7:50—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest (ABC-KOOS).
8:30—Service Salute, E. G. High.
8:45—Easy Listenin'.
9:00—Boake Carter, Kellett, 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—Jack Berch, Kellogg's All-Bran.
10:30—Musical Market Basket.
10:45—American Woman's Jury, Lewis Howe Laboratories.
11:00—Cedric Foster, Kimpfer'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—Edwin LeMar Time.
1:15—Open House.
1:30—Full Speed Ahead.
2:00—Welcome Inn.
2:15—Musical Hi-Jinks.
2:30—Service Band.
2:45—Western Serenade.
3:00—Griffin Reporting.
3:15—Dusty Records, Henningers Marts.
3:45—Johnson Family.
4:00—Marshall McNeil, Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Real Life Stories.
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, Kremi.
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.
7:00—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Lowell Thomas, Standard Oil Co.
7:30—Musical Scrapbook.
7:45—"Something for the Girls," WAVES.
8:00—Here Comes the Band, Douglas Flour Mill
8:30—Sky Riders.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Rex Miller, Wildroot.
9:30—Marshall McNeil, Hunt Bros. Packing Co.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sign off.

NEWS OF OUR MEN—WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Chief of Police Erwin Short has received a letter from Sergeant H. E. Snyder, former Roseburg police officer, who is now with the marine corps in the South Pacific. Snyder reported he has been in the hospital but has recovered sufficiently to return to active duty.

Floyd F. Ward, husband of Hazel M. Ward, and Harley L. Schaeffer, husband of Ione M. Schaeffer, both wives being residents of Roseburg, have been graduated from naval training school on the University of Minnesota campus, Minneapolis. Both have received ratings as electrician's mate third class.

ODDITIES

(By the Associated Press)

8,647 Miles

SEATTLE—Lt. Tor Manzer received a police warning that he would be brought to headquarters unless he posted $9.50 within five days for two overdue traffic violation tickets.

In his reply, Lt. Manzer suggested that the police refer to an atlas. He was exactly 8,647 miles away, he said, in New Guinea, when the alleged offenses were committed.

Charges dismissed, said the police. Nobody even bothered to check an atlas.

Cash in Advance?

OKLAHOMA CITY—An obviously disturbed woman phoned Police Radio Dispatches O. B. Lawson to ask: "What would the law do to me if I whipped a woman that's been fooling around with my man?"

"Well, if they catch you, they'd probably fine you $20," Lawson estimated, and the woman blurted:

"It'll sure be worth it."

NOISY INHALING

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia.—Jimmie Larsen, 12, is now able to breathe without sound affects.

Jimmie put a small whistle in his mouth when another child tried to take it away from him. The whistle lodged in his windpipe.

Although he had no difficulty breathing, he whistled with each breath. The whistle was extracted in a hospital.

PART TOGETHER

CHICAGO — Even if a husband and wife live under the same roof they are legally separated provided they wash their own dishes, do not talk to each other and lead an independent existence.

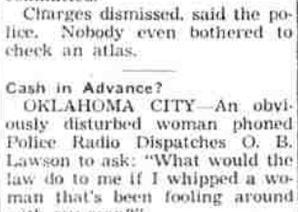
Such was the ruling of Judge Joseph Sabath when he granted a divorce to Mrs. Anna L. Treese, 37, from Benjamin S. Treese, 42. She said they had been living separately in their Fox Lake home since August, 1943.

U. S. ARMY MAN

HORIZONTAL
1,7 Pictured U. S. military leader, Maj.-Gen. ——
13 Expunger
14 Excise
15 Mystic syllable
16 Exude
19 That one
20 Heavy blow
22 Capable
23 Employer
25 Eagle's nest
27 Cubic meter
28 Road (ab.)
29 Place (ab.)
30 And (Latin)
31 South Dakota (ab.)
32 Daybreak (comb. form)
33 Of the thing
34 Either
36 Notary public (ab.)
37 Area measure
38 Symbol for selenium
40 Thick
42 Islands
44 Bustle
45 Handle
49 Anger
50 Symbol for erbium
51 Pertaining to irony
53 Myself
54 Comment
56 He commands the —— pilots of a U. S. Army air unit
59 Tastes
60 Reduces in rank

VERTICAL
1 Us
2 Pressed
3 More crippled
4 Lone Scout (ab.)
5 Id est (ab.)
6 Scope
7 Flying toy
8 Type measure
9 Parcel post (ab.)
10 Clamor
11 Compound ethers
12 Right (ab.)
17 Bachelor of Music (ab.)
18 Symbol for illinium
20 Boat paddle
21 Matures
23 Gives voice to
24 Carmine
26 Run away to marry
27 Caravansary
34 Harem room
35 Ransom
38 Calm
39 Compass point
41 Girl's name
43 Full extent
45 Noah's boat (pl.)
46 Negative
47 Symbol for tin
48 Assistant
51 Irritate
52 Eccentric wheel
54 Rupees (ab.)
55 Alternating current (ab.)
57 International language
58 Guineas (ab.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle



Dasso Whifs 13 As Padres Defeat Hollywood, 9 to 6

(By the Associated Press)

Number 13 didn't bother Dasso last night as he chalked up his 13th win of the season for the Coast Baseball league's San Diego Padres with a 9 to 6 triumph over Hollywood while striking out 13 batters.

Dasso struck out every Hollywood batter except Ken Richardson, who got three hits for five times at bat. The Padre hurler himself got three for three.

The loss threw Hollywood into a tie for third place with the idle Portland Beavers, who open today with a doubleheader at Los Angeles.

The San Francisco Seals reached Porter and Babbitt for 12 hits to defeat Sacramento, 8 to 4, and move to within a half game of league leading Los Angeles.

A seventh and eighth inning rally by Oakland paid off against Seattle, the Oaks coming from behind to win, 3 to 2. Oakland knotted the score at 2-all in the seventh inning after the Rainiers had scored singles in the fourth and fifth, then added the necessary clincher in the eighth.

Team Standings:

	W	L	Pct.
Los Angeles	62	53	.539
San Francisco	62	54	.534
Hollywood	59	58	.504
Portland	58	57	.504
Oakland	58	58	.500
Sacramento	56	60	.483
Seattle	56	61	.479
San Diego	54	64	.458

Angott Scores Second Victory Overy Perry

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2—(AP)—Both Sammy Angott and Aaron Perry aimed their sights today at bouts later this month—Angott with Ike Williams and Perry with Tippy Larkin—but Angott had on his record a new win, the 11-round decision over Perry here last night.

The former NBA lightweight king slapped Perry around some, and on the Associated Press score card came out with seven rounds and two even. The 18-year old Washington Negro couldn't ward off the onetime champ who had beaten him once before.

Both went in as welterweights, Angott tipping 143, Perry 142.

U. S., Canada Plan Alaska Highway Material Salvage

OTTAWA, Aug. 2—(AP)—The Canadian and U. S. Governments were attempting to work out arrangements for the salvage of equipment used by American engineers in the construction of the Alaska highway.

Reports that valuable equipment used on the highway was being destroyed prompted a demand in the Canadian house of commons for a government investigation, which disclosed that U. S. army engineers were closing about 150 construction camps along the highway and that they had specific instructions from the U. S. government to salvage any usable material.

Prime Minister King has told commons, however, that such things as blankets and perishable foodstuffs were being destroyed.

King said it might be possible to reach an agreement under which the Canadian government would sell the equipment and turn the proceeds of the sales over to the United States after deducting expenses incurred. Under the law the equipment could not be sold in Canada by the U. S. government until customs duties have been paid.

Some bulldozers and other equipment already have been made available to the Canadian government, King said.

The prime minister also told commons that an investigation disclosed there was no evidence to support reports that the U. S. Federal Bureau of Investigation planned to take action against Canadians in the Peace river district who allegedly had gone to equipment dumps at a camp there and removed some materials. He said the FBI would have no authority to take such action against the Canadian people.

King asserted there was bound to be surplus material left at outposts when a project such as the Alaska highway was undertaken. The cost of getting the equipment to the outposts was high, he said, because much of the transportation had been done by plane.

The prime minister has been asked by Howard Green, Vancouver progressive conservative, to investigate a Vancouver news dispatch which quoted reports that huge medical stores were being destroyed at U. S. camps around Dawson Creek, B. C.

DIAL LOG

By SUSAN.

It's a "Swell Night for a Murder" at 6:30 with a raging storm outside, murder inside and a beautiful cat named Evelyn in the cast in tonight's First Nighter production. Barbara Luddy, as usual, plays the lead—she's the girl with the marvelous voice. Main Line at 8 is always good listening, but they never send us any advance dope on the stories. However, you won't go wrong by staying tuned to 1490 for this one. It's murder in a Manhattan subway at 8:30 in the "Case of the Courteous Killer," with Bulldog Drummond in feats of death-defying daring—hollow heels, postage stamps, nazis, inkwells and diplomats are all mixed up in the plot; in fact it's field day for who-dun-it fans in a big way tonight.

Looking over Thursday's program, we realize that it's one of our favorites for day time listening. There's Haven of Rest at 8 in the morning (our best-liked devotional program), Jack Berch at 10:15 and Jane Cowl at 11:30. Once again—if you haven't heard this program, we'd like to urge you to listen. In the afternoon there's Welcome Inn at 2 and Dusty Records at 3:15; and we like the Johnson Family, too. Wonder what ever happened to that tour of the country that Jimmy Scribner was going to make? Maybe he heard about travel conditions and decided it was too much of a job for the present. Perhaps that's another "after-the-war" pleasure to look forward to. Anyway, we'll hope so.

THE EARLY BIRD

SEATTLE — Patrolman Alvin Svarz isn't so sure promptness is a virtue.

After vandals had punctured tires on 25 automobiles near the police station, Svarz fixed three flats on his car, and moved it to the other side of the station. When he finished his shift, he found the three tires had been re-punctured.

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