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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon

Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity:
Cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

Highest temp. for any Oct. 96
Lowest temp. for any Oct. 62
Highest temp. yesterday 69
Lowest temp. yesterday 44
Precipitation yesterday .00
Precipitation from Oct. 1 .21
Deficit from Oct. 1 .97
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In the Day's News

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tion of docks in Rotterdam, may
be planning a last-man suicide
stand in southwest Holland to
keep us as long as possible from
the shorter and more efficient
Amsterdam-Rotterdam supply
line.

Supply is unbelievably important
in this western front fighting.

AFTER a long period of relative
quiet (bringing up supplies, re-
organizing their armies, etc.) it
looks as if the Russians are be-
ginning to move in force again.

They are fighting in the out-
skirts of Memel, in PRESENT
East Prussia (the Memel area
was annexed from Lithuania in
1939; before World War I it had
been German soil for generations.
They are only nine miles
from Tilsit, which has been Ger-
man soil immemorially.

They seem to be racing west-
ward across Hungary with com-
paratively little opposition. HUN-
GARIAN resistance is described
in the dispatches as "willing,"
and Moscow appears to expect a
Hungarian surrender at any mo-
ment.

HUNGARY is a stepping-stone
to Austria, and Berlin is egg-
ing the Austrians on to do and
die. "Dig in and fight, as we're
doing in the Rhineland and East
Prussia," the Berlin Nazis are
exhorting.

(The Berlin Nazis don't care
how many German and Austrian
cannon-fodder lives are sacrificed
if only THEIR miserable lives
can be prolonged a little more—
maybe until they can have a
chance to flee with their loot.)

POWERFUL forces of Italy-
based U. S. bombers are
smashing at German communica-
tions in Hungary and Austria,
giving the Russians needed sup-
port (as we hope THEY in time
will give US needed support
against the Japs).

NIMITZ confirms the Jap stories
of heavy American air attacks
on Formosa.

We DID hit there, in GREAT
strength, bombing and strafing
from one end of the island to the
other (it is 249 miles long), sink-
ing 16 Jap cargo ships and dam-
aging 19, shooting 124 Jap planes
out of the air and destroying 97
on the ground—all at a loss of
22 U. S. planes, with none of our
surface ships damaged.

THE number of Jap planes (221)
destroyed in the air and on the
ground is SMALL. That sug-
gests that the Japs are painfully
SHORT OF PLANES. It's a fair
guess that if they'd had more
there we'd have SHOT DOWN
MORE.

Any duck hunter knows that
the scarier the ducks the smaller
the bag.

THE Pacific story, first told by
the Jap radio, GROWS.

FOUR days this week we've
smashed at Jap inner defenses—
on Sunday at the Marcus Islands;
on Monday at the Ryukyus; on
Tuesday at Luzon (with a "large

WHO WANTS TRUMAN?

By Charles V. Stanton

THE visit of Ohio's governor, John W. Bricker, to Oregon, as the republican nominee for the office of vice-president of the United States, places great emphasis upon the importance of the vice-presidential race in the current campaign. In fact, persons who plan to vote for the New Deal party's candidates for president and vice-president should thoroughly convince themselves on this subject, for on a basis of strictly cold mathematics, and without consideration to other factors, it is a three-to-one chance the election of Mr. Roosevelt would serve to make his running mate, Senator Harry S. Truman, president of the United States within the four-year period for which the two would be elected.

The New Dealers are basing their campaign for re-election of President Roosevelt upon his indispensability. He alone, they claim, has the experience, the knowledge and the training to carry the war to a successful conclusion and to negotiate the peace. Yet, what if President Roosevelt, like William Harrison and Zachary Taylor, died within a year after inauguration? Claiming indispensability for Mr. Roosevelt, how can the New Dealers reconcile their position to Harry Truman as vice-president? Mr. Truman's only administrative experience has been as a county judge. True, he has had legislative experience. But where in his record is there any of the experience, knowledge and training of the type New Dealers contend is so vital at this time.

Admitting a most thorough dislike for the New Deal and its theories of government, we contend, nevertheless, that the issue we are endeavoring to present is one deserving of serious consideration by every voter, and we are not attempting to "smear" Mr. Truman.

But the cold, hard mathematical figures show Mr. Roosevelt has only one chance in three to survive four more years in office. Due to the strain he has been under for the past 12 years it is very obvious that his death in office, if re-elected for a fourth term, is even more probable than is shown by statistics. Thus a vote for Roosevelt, in all probability, is a vote for Truman, 60 years of age, for president.

Using the New Deal argument of essentiality of training and experience as qualifications for office, can anyone find these qualities in Truman in a measure comparable with Dewey and Bricker?

Recent deaths of Wendell Willkie at 52 and Senator Charles L. McNary of Oregon at 69, lend a further serious note to this study.

Chairman Hannegan of the Democratic central committee and the president's "personal" physician, Dr. McIntyre, insist there is no truth in rumors of ill health on the part of the president. Would political leaders of any party admit physical weakness in their candidate, even if they had to prop him up?

Recent photographs in magazines and newsreels show greater physical deterioration in the president than would normally be expected in the ages between 59 and 63 years. Suspicion has been aroused because the president, so vocal in past campaigns, has scheduled so few appearances prior to Nov. 7.

Candidates Dewey and Bricker have made a great impression upon the voters of Oregon during their brief visits in the state. The Republican party is offering two young men, each having a substantial following, each having qualifications for ably filling the office of chief executive.

But who wants Truman?

force" of carrier aircraft; on Wednesday at Formosa.

Our total bag for the four days was 310 Jap planes shot down and destroyed on the ground and 93 Jap ships sunk or damaged.

(The Japs say we're at it again in Formosa.)

MACARTHUR'S land-based

planes (as the Tokyo radio

reported) smashed Balikpapan

again, wrecking a gasoline-

"cracking" plant beyond repair,

heavily damaging a refinery and

starting big fires among oil stor-

age tanks.

The big Liberators were escorted

by Lightnings and preceded by

Thunderbolts. They shot down 32

attacking Jap planes.

IN all these actions before the

inner gates of the Jap citadel

NO JAP WARSHIPS were even

sighted.

Where is the Jap fleet?

THE answer to that question is

rather easy. It is staying in hid-

ing, hoping to catch us off bal-

ance and momentarily unprepar-

ed so that it can jump onto us

suddenly, inflict heavy damage

quickly and then RUN.

That is the Jap naval way. It

is the way they licked the Rus-

sian fleet.

Saturday Scores of

Pacific Coast Football

California 14, Pacific 0.

UCLA 39, St. Mary's 0.

Washington 71, Whitman 0.

Southern Calif. 6, St. Mary's

Pre-Flight 0.

Popcorn Machine Blazes.

The Roseburg fire department

was called out Sunday night

when grease in the popcorn ma-

chine at the Rose theater caught

fire. The blaze was extinguished

before the department's arrival,

causing no damage. There was

no interruption of the show.

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MONDAY
6:15—Screen Test.
6:45—Let Us Forget.
7:15—Lowell Thomas.
8:00—Here Comes the Band.
8:30—Michael Shane, Detec-
tive.
10:00—Sherlock Holmes.
TUESDAY
8:00—Haven of Rest.
8:30—Give Away Jamboree.
10:45—American Woman's
Jury.
11:15—Organ Chimes.
11:30—Jane Cowl.
1:30—Headlines in Harmony.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter.
7:45—Songs of Good Cheer.
8:15—Date With Annaloris.
8:30—Freedom of Oppor-
tunity.
10:00—Count of Monte Cristo.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough
Chemical Co.
4:15—Social Security Informa-
tion.
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 Pu-
rina.
5:45—Night News Wire, Stud-
ebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Krem-
lin.
6:15—Screen Test, Metro-Gold-
wyn-Mayer.
6:30—Musical Scrapbook.
6:45—Let Us Forget.
7:00—State & Local News, Keel
Motor Co.
7:05—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Lowell Thomas, Standard
Oil Co.
7:30—Lone Ranger.
8:00—Here Comes the Band,
Douglas Flour Mills.
8:30—Michael Shane, Union Oil
Co.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Hi Neighbor, Carstens
Furniture Store.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Kamp-
fer's Sav-Mor.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sherlock Holmes, Petri
Wine Co.
10:30—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

6:45—Yawn Patrol.
7:00—News, White King Soap.
7:15—The County Agent Reports.
7:30—State and Local News,
Boring Optical.
7:35—The Beehive.
7:40—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest, Crew of
Good Ship Grace (ABC
Feed Koo).
8:30—Give Away Jamboree,
Fisher Flouring Mills.
8:45—Easy Listening.
9:00—Boake Carter, Hunt Bros.
9:15—Man About Town.
9:30—Midland USA.
9:45—Shoppers Guide.
9:55—Music.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Duffy's House Party.
10:30—Musical Market Basket.
10:45—Music.
11:00—Cedric Foster, Kampfer's
Sav-Mor.
11:15—Organ Chimes, Presby-
terian Church.
11:30—Music.
11:45—Morning Melodies.
12:00—Musical Interlude.
12:10—Sports Review, Dunham
Transfer.
12:15—Rhythm at Random.
12:40—State News, Hansen Mo-
tors.
12:45—News-Review of the Air.
12:55—Terminal Market Reports,
Sig Fett.
1:00—Miniature Concerts.
1:15—Music.
1:30—Headlines in Harmony.
2:00—Handy Man.
2:15—U. S. Marine Band.
2:30—Townsend National Re-
covery Plan.
2:45—Western Serenade.
3:00—Prayer.
3:02—Three on a Match.
3:15—Dusty Records, Hennin-
gers Music.
3:45—Johnson Family.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough
Chemical Co.
4:15—Tune Tabloid.
4:30—World's Front Page News.
4:45—Music off the Record.
5:00—Good News Program, As-
sembly of God Church.
5:15—Superman.
5:30—Tom Mix, Ralston's Pu-
rina.
5:45—Night News Wire, Stud-
ebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Forhan's
Toothpaste.
6:15—Screen Test, Metro-Gold-
wyn-Mayer.
6:30—Sherlock Holmes.
7:00—State and Local News,
Keel Motor Co.
7:05—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Lowell Thomas, Standard
Oil Co.
7:30—Musical Scrapbook.
7:45—Songs of Good Cheer.
8:00—Standard Serenade.
8:15—A Date With Annaloris.
8:30—Freedom of Opportunity,
Mutual Benefit Health &
Acc. Assn. of Omaha.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Rex Miller, Wildroot.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
9:45—Dem. Natl. Com.
10:00—Count of Monte Cristo,
Peralta Wine.
10:30—Sign Off.

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YONCALLA—Mr. and Mrs. Ira
D. Smith of St. Mary's, Kansas,
who are visiting Mr. Smith's sis-
ter, Mrs. Jennie Lasswell of Yon-
calla, entertained on Monday eve-
ning at a lovely four course din-
ner, in honor of their 37th wed-
ding anniversary, at the Yoncalla
cave.

The table was beautifully deco-
rated with bridal bouquets, and
gifts were presented by the fol-
lowing guests, Mrs. Jennie Lass-
well, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lass-
well, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Lass-
well, Anne and Billy Lasswell.

After dinner all retired to the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Avery
Lasswell, where a pleasant even-
ing was spent. Mr. and Mrs.
Smith will leave October 26th
for their home in Kansas, stop-
ping off at Los Angeles for a
short visit en route.

FRESHMAN INITIATION
PARTY HELD FRIDAY

DAYS CREEK — The annual
freshman initiation party, spon-
sored by the sophomore class of
Days Creek high school, was held
Friday afternoon. Games were
played and refreshments were
served to the freshmen, sopho-
mores, juniors, seniors, Mrs. Mc-
Gee and Mr. Hanson.

The freshmen that were ini-
tiated were Johnny Perdue, Bill
Ward, Arthur Ward, Richard
Snyder, Gordon Radford, George
Haun, Earl Cowles, Jack Dotson,
Robert Rose, Doris Smith, Hazel
Welch, June Turner, Beverly
Worthington, Leslie Hollings-
worth and Leon Moore.

GRANGE MEETING IS
HELD AT CAMAS VALLEY

CAMAS VALLEY — The Grange
held their usual meeting Tuesday
night with eight in attendance.
Because of illness of the lectur-
er, Mrs. Ernest Wheeler, the
booster program has been post-
poned until the latter part of No-
vember. The annual election will
be held at the next business meet-
ing and two new members will
be voted in at the time. A card
party will be held Oct. 24. All
members are urged to attend the
party and business meeting.

BIRTHDAY AFFAIR IS
ENJOYED ON SUNDAY

WILBUR—Honoring the birth-
days of W. E. Thompson and
Mrs. Carl Brauning, Mrs.
Thompson entertained Sunday at
a very lovely one o'clock dinner
at her home in upper Wilbur.
Fall flowers graced the table.

Covers were placed for: Mr.
Thompson and Mrs. Brauning,
guests of honor, Irene McMickle
and daughters, Joyce and Bonnie;
Mr. and Mrs. Lenoir Grubbe, Ol-
lie Grubbe, Freda Brauning
and the hosts, Mrs. Thompson.

COMMUNITY AFFAIR
ENJOYED ON SUNDAY

CAMAS VALLEY—The month-
ly community get-together was
held at the Standley picnic
grounds Sunday afternoon with
almost one hundred in attend-
ance. After a bounteous feast vis-
iting and various sports were en-
joyed. There was boxing, horse
shoe pitching, foot races and
horse races. Nora Mae Robbins
was the lucky winner of the sad-
dle pony. It was the wish of all
present that this would not be
the last time.

BILLY LASWELL HAS
BIRTHDAY DINNER

YONCALLA — Honoring the
10th birthday of their son, Billy,
Mr. and Mrs. Avery Lasswell en-
tertained at a dinner at their
home Sunday, October 8th. Bou-
quets of colorful fall flowers
were used in the room. Guests
present included, Mr. and Mrs.
Ira Smith of St. Mary's, Kansas;
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ladd, Mrs.
Jennie Lasswell, Anne and Billie
Lasswell.

CIRCLE NO. 1 TO
MEET WEDNESDAY

Circle No. 1 of St. Joseph's Al-
tar society will meet Wednesday
at a one o'clock potluck luncheon
at the Catholic rectory, Mrs. W.
F. Amiot will conduct the busi-
ness meeting. All members are
urged to be present.

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