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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon.

Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Clear tonight and Thursday except fog during forenoon. Continued cold tonight.

Highest temp. for any Nov.	76
Lowest temp. for any Nov.	14
Highest temp. yesterday	50
Lowest temp. last night	31
Precipitation yesterday	0
Precipitation from Nov. 1	2.74
Excess from Nov. 1	.71
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1943	.98

In the Day's News

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than they can afford.

Barring the totally unexpected, they'll probably do it again at Metz.

METZ is one of Europe's greatest fortresses.

It is surrounded by a ring of forts, numbering somewhere from nine to 22. (They are so secret and so well camouflaged that the exact number isn't even known.) Some nine or ten of them are on the order of Fort Driant, whose mazes of tunnels, firing ports, etc., proved too tough for us several weeks ago.

Having failed to take them by direct attack, we're now attempting to swing around the WHOLE CIRCLE of them. We seem to be making progress.

WHAT we HOPE to do, of course, is to catch the Germans off balance somewhere along the western front and smash our way through with a mighty blow. It is likely that even our high command doesn't know where this blow will come. It will come wherever the opportunity offers itself.

WITH shooting news of exciting importance scarce, we turn over the weekend to the familiar rumors that Hitler is dead.

This particular blooming of the Hitler rumor plant arises out of a proclamation said to have been WRITTEN by Hitler but READ BY HIMMLER. In it, Hitler (allegedly) explains that he is too busy guiding the destinies of nazi Germany to appear before the microphone. The broadcast appeals to Germans to fight on to the death regardless of cost, and threatens "extermination" to any who don't.

Official British "sources," which in the past have been extremely cagey about these multifold rumors of Hitler's death, concede today that this particular broadcast has a "phony ring."

AFTER all, what difference does it make if Hitler is dead if the grim crew that made up his nazi gang can KEEP the German buffaloed?

The fact that a WHOLE NATION can be so deeply indoctrinated with a false ideology that it is willing to fight to death of the last man (as the Japs have done so often on Pacific islands and as the nazi Germans sometimes seem to us to be willing to do) is the phenomenon that interests us.

We'll lick them in time, of course.

Will we have to KILL THEM ALL to do it?

THIS business of indoctrination ought to interest educators. If we could indoctrinate our people with SOUND IDEALS as deeply as the Japs and Germans have been indoctrinated with UNSOUND ideals, there is no limit to where we could go or what we could accomplish.

THE news from the Philippines is grim.

In bloody fighting, our Yanks are closing slowly in on some 65,000 Japs at Ormoc, in Leyte island. We seem to have stopped, for the present, at least, their attempts to reinforce their garrison there.

In determinined efforts over the weekend to get more men ashore, the little yellow men lost 13 destroyers, seven transports, 29 planes and an estimated 10,000 men. The damage was inflicted by deadly planes from our naval carriers.

The Jap airforce is fighting back at OUR ships and as usual claims to have inflicted heavy losses on us. Eyewitnesses relate that at least two of our ships were hit.

Recent dispatches relate that our forces on Leyte still hold the initiative and have preponderance of numbers.

WE'VE lost Liuchow, our last known airbase in southeast China. It looks as if the Japs are about ready to close their communications lines from Canton clear up to Manchuria something they've been fighting for a long time to accomplish.

Our 14th (China) airforce, however, still POSSESSES BASES from which it can operate, and over the weekend has destroyed a Jap navy tender, 13 river steamers, 14 locomotives and three rail bridges IN INDO-CHINA.

This suggests that they may be organizing a drive up from Indo-China against our MAIN B[illegible] at Kunming (better see map [illegible] interested).

MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES

By Charles V. Stanton

ONE of the most favored municipalities of Douglas county, from the standpoint of profiting from industrial development, is the city of Sutherlin. The founders of that city had the foresight to lay out boundaries which embrace a very large townsite. Nearly all of the mill, piling and other industrial development in that community is within the city boundaries, where it adds to the assessed valuation and provides an additional source of municipal tax revenue.

Futhermore, hundreds of acres of land lying both east and west of that town offer reasonably low-priced sites for large scale industries. Construction of spur tracks east and west of Sutherlin would open up exceedingly large potential industrial locations. Incidentally, the industries would have to move a considerable distance from the present settlement to escape municipal taxes.

Sutherlin's favored situation is in sharp contrast to conditions at Roseburg, where the founding fathers lacked vision and kept the city boundaries within the surrounding hillsides. As a result, Roseburg's principal industries are outside the city limits.

There is every reason to believe that Douglas county towns will experience very rapid growth within the next few years. Inquiries through chambers of commerce, banks and other agencies indicate plans on the part of many industries to invade southern Oregon. Douglas county is one of the favored spots.

We are nearing the limit of sustained yield capacity on sawmills. But there are ample resources for several plywood plants, and a number of firms are interested. Some even have acquired property and timber. Most interesting are the inquiries from prospective manufacturers who will utilize waste from the mills, among these being factories to produce broom handles, dowels, charcoal, two-by-fours from peeler cores, etc. There are also inquiries from prospective furniture manufacturers. Sash and door factories, shingle mills, etc., are expected to increase.

Utilization of wood waste will bring another set of industries to manufacture plastics, chemicals, industrial alcohol and other such products.

As this development occurs, our municipalities will be faced with the need of providing services for increased populations. This will entail extension of city boundaries.

Sutherlin is one town which will have little trouble on this score. It can accommodate thousands of homes within its extended boundaries, but nearly all of the other towns, principally Roseburg, should be determining probable extensions and the problems that will be involved.

As an example, there is now under consideration by the Roseburg city council a request from the housing units east of town for permission to utilize the city's sewage disposal facilities. Eventually this area will probably be brought within the city limits. It will be necessary to pump sewage from that district into the city's sewer line. That will m[illegible] added expense. If and when annexation to the city is [illegible] some plan must be arranged for meeting this expense.

West Roseburg and Edenbower will undoubtedly [illegible] annexation at some future date. Already both con[illegible] are too crowded to be without municipal services [illegible] of fire protection, lighting, police protection, etc[illegible] greater cost to municipal government than the [illegible] added taxes to be paid by the property annexed [illegible] of Roseburg is not permitted to increase its b[illegible] now is limited to a 6 per cent increase, in dolla[illegible]

Before the cty of Roseburg extends its lim[illegible] obtain legislative authority to increase its t[illegible] budget in proportion to added territory.

The same conditions apply elsewhere, particul[illegible] communities maintaining their own water syst[illegible] it will be necessary to expand to serve increased [illegible]

The problem is one that should be seriously stud[illegible] emergencies arise, so that prepared plans may be [illegible] when necessity forces action.

Student Program Points To Annual "R" Dance

Promotional activities for the "R" club dance to be given at Roseburg high school, Nov. 22, started with a student assembly program Monday. Six handsome "Wolves" competed to win dates with three of the school's most beautiful girls. The annual dance is a "girl-dates-boy" affair. It will be held in the school gymnasium. Music is to be provided by Les Irvin and his Korn Kob Kats. The "R" club dance is one of the principal student dances of the year.

Winter Hits Reedsport For Brief Period

REEDSPORT — A real touch of winter gripped Reedsport Tuesday when heavy frost covered the ground and coated the treetops on the hillside south of the city. A brisk east wind from the Umpqua gorge helped give the atmosphere an extra wintery feeling. However, the air was free from fog and by noon a warm sun raised the temperature to a comfortable degree, while the east wind subsided.

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Capt. Clyde Adair Cited for Work in Jolly Roger Unit

FIFTH AIR FORCE, Southwest Pacific—Captain Clyde W. Adair, 26, husband of Mrs. Bessie B. Adair, 223 East Lane St., Roseburg, Ore., and son of C. W. Adair, of Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Margaret B. Adair, Brockway is a member of the famed Jolly Roger heavy bomb unit, which has spearheaded many of the major aerial offensives of the southwest Pacific.

An engineering officer, Captain Adair supervises engineering and maintenance work in the Jolly Roger outfit.

Part of the Fifth air force, the Jolly Rogers have sunk or damaged approximately half a million tons of enemy shipping, knocked out nearly 300 Jap planes and laced Jap bases all through the theater of operations.

Captain Adair's engineering skill has kept Jolly Roger Liberators ready for action, and has helped them chalk up such important "firsts" as the big daylight attack on the Philippines, the first strike at Borneo and others.

Captain Adair, who attended Oregon State college, has been in the army three and a half years, and overseas with the Jolly Rogers since August, 1943. He has two children, Bonnie Jean, 4 years, and Marilyn Elaine, 3. Before entering service he served as store manager for a Goodyear Rubber Co. outlet at Roseburg.

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BEST BETS FOR TODAY
WEDNESDAY
6:30—Cisco Kid.
7:15—Lowell Thomas.
8:00—Main Line.
8:30—Bulldog Drummond.
THURSDAY
8:00—Haven of Rest.
9:00—Boake Carter.
10:45—American Woman's Jury.
11:30—Open House.
1:30—Headlines in Harmony.
3:15—Dusty Records.
6:30—Music You Remember.
7:45—Songs of Good Cheer.
8:00—Lest We Forget.
8:30—Voice of the Army.
9:00—Newspaper of the Air.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Tune Tabloid.
4:30—Up to [illegible]
4:45—M[illegible]
5:00
5:[illegible]
[illegible]
8:[illegible]
9:00—[illegible] Hunt [illegible]
9:15—Man About [illegible]
9:30—U. S. Navy Band.
9:45—Shoppers Guide.
9:55—Music.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Terry's House Party.
10:30—Musical Market Basket.
10:45—American Woman's Jury.
11:00—Cedric Foster, Kampfer's Sav-Mor.
11:15—Radio Bible Class, Presbyterian Church.
11:30—Open House.
11:45—Morning Melodies.
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—Miniature Concerts.
1:15—Harmony Hawaiians.
1:30—Headlines in Harmony.
2:00—Welcome Inn.
2:15—Music.
2:45—Western Serenade.
3:00—Prayer.
3:01—Griffin Reporting.
3:15—Dusty Records, Henningers Marts.
3:45—Johnson Family.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Tune Tabloid.
4:30—Up to the Minute.
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, 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—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Lowell Thomas, Standard Oil Co.
7:30—Musical Scrapbook.
7:45—Songs of Good Cheer, Copco.
8:00—Stardust Serenade.
8:15—Lest We Forget.
8:30—Voice of the Army.
8:45—Waltz Time.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Rex Miller, Wildroot.
9:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Sign Off.

DIAL LOG

By SUSAN.

Did you, by any chance, happen to hear Boake Carter on Tuesday morning when he was broadcasting from Los Angeles? We'll bet he certainly endeared himself to the chamber of commerce—all those wisecracks about the weather. We shouldn't wonder if he was there merely on sufferance anyway. After that famous Wah-wah bird broadcast soon after the start of the war, they certainly would have no cause to love him. That's the only time a commentator ever riled us to the point of writing a letter. No, we didn't mail it, but it did improve the disposition just to let off steam. However, that's water over the dam. This is Wednesday and while we make no promises, we think you'll be hearing the Cisco Kid at 6:30. Then, of course, you'll dear Main Line at 8 and Bulldog Drummond at 8:30. Advance publicity says "Drum-[illegible]es with killer in Case of [illegible] Heiress" — and air-[illegible]d grenades are [illegible] measure.

[illegible] Return Ad-[illegible]day night. [illegible]gh mail [illegible] you [illegible]ddle [illegible]ing [illegible]

[illegible]s Death [illegible]ed Strength

[illegible]CKHOLM, Nov. 14—(AP)—The newspaper Dagbladet today published a "private report" stating:

"Rumors circulating in Berlin that Hitler is dead have been intensified by a report that all visits to the Fuehrer have been canceled including tomorrow's visit of Tiso, president of Slovakia."

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'Keep 'em Flying' Job Wins Praise For Sgt. Ryther

AN EIGTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, England—Supporting P-51 Mustang fighter pilots, who scored 401 German planes destroyed in 200 combat missions during eight months, is Sergeant Leonard T. Ryther, Callahan Trail, near Roseburg, Oregon, member of a service squadron.

Sgt. Ryther is an airplane and engine mechanic with the hard-hitting Eighth air force in England.

The "Keep 'em Flying" personnel of this station, commanded by Lt. Col. John D. Landers, has been praised for its teamwork with the flyers, who have blasted 20 Germans out of the sky over Berlin in one day without loss; escorted bombers to Russia and Italy on a shuttle trip of 5,000 miles without a single loss of aircraft; provided a perfect job of bomber escort to Leipzig, Germany, when not a Flying Fortress was lost and 21 nazi interceptors kayoed; and who have kayoed more than 20 German planes in one afternoon on six different occasions.

The flyers of the station where Sgt. Ryther is based destroyed 45 German planes in two days in support of the Holland airborne invasion.

Nazis Drive Norwegians From Homes, Burn Towns

LONDON, Nov. 14—(AP)—The Germans in northern Norway are "burning and destroying everything," including whole towns, in their retreat southward, the Norwegian government reported today.

The far northern coastal towns of Vadsoe and Vardoe have been wiped out and their inhabitants sent fleeing, a spokesman said. Parts of Hammerfest, northernmost town in the world, and Honningsfjord have been devastated by fire.

Thousands of Norwegians in Finnmark are homeless, the spokesman said, addings:

"Burning their homes, stealing their food and destroying their production, the Germans have sent these Norwegians into the Arctic night without a shelter over their head, compelling them to follow the stream of evacuees west and south."

Snell Proclaims Nov. 23 For Oregon Thanksgiving

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 14—(AP)—Governor Snell, proclaiming Nov. 23 as Thanksgiving day, asked that citizens of Oregon give thanks for a free America and that Oregon has been able to make big contribution to the war effort.

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