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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
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Forecast for Roseburg and Vi-
cinity: Partly cloudy tonight and
Sunday, with occasional showers
tonight; colder Sunday.

Highest temp. for any Mar.—85
Lowest temp. for any Mar.—18
Highest temp. yesterday—49
Lowest temp. last night—37
Precipitation yesterday—.02
Precipitation from March 1—.12
Deficit from March 1, 1945—.15
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1944—7.80

Chinese Wrestler
Listed on Program
Billed in Roseburg

Walter Tinkit "Sneez" Achiu, the former Dayton university football star who is considered the greatest Chinese athlete to enter professional wrestling, will make his Roseburg debut tonight as one of the five principals in the wrestling "battle royal".

Achiu, veteran of years of mat campaigning, is a fine fundamental wrestler but his main forte is ju-jitsu. The Oriental grappling tactics used by Achiu are far different than taught in the U. S. army and physical fitness schools throughout the nation. Achiu concentrates on various neck, shoulder, arm and leg nerves and very often a two-finger touch will send an opponent scurrying as though he was shocked by electricity.

Achiu will be one of the favorites to win the \$200 in war bonds offered by a matchmaker, Don Owen to the winner of the five-man free-for-all. He joins Jack Kiser, the coast light-heavyweight champion, and Milt Olsen, Minnesota stylist, who were listed as contenders earlier in the week.

The other two entrants in the extravaganza will be Tony Ross and the "Grey Mask," both well known in Douglas county wrestling circles. The two villains, opponents in many previous mat brawls, will probably join forces against the three "puritans" who use legitimate holds and are classed as scientific matmen.

Any combine by the Mask and Ross may prove to be their downfall, not only because of being outnumbered, but because Achiu, Olsen and Kiser are capable of giving and taking with the toughest men in the business.

Plan of Battle Told
The battle royal is actually a 3-in-1 affair in which fans get the thrills of the opening fireworks when all five opponents are in the ring at the same time with the referee and two additional bouts between the semi-finalists and the finalists. The first man eliminated is ousted for the remainder of the evening, but the next two men downed return for a one-fall engagement, with \$50 and \$25 purses going to the winner and loser, respectively. The unbeaten twosome will return for a best 2-out-of-3 skirmish with the winner collecting \$200 in war bonds and the loser \$75.

This is the first time a five-man affair has been held here and Owen promises an entertaining evening.

Hanson Sets New Record As Cougars Beat Vandals

MOSCOW, Idaho, March 3 (AP)—Vince Hanson, aged 14 points to set a new northern division, Pacific Coast conference, record last night as Washington State college trounced the University of Idaho 48 to 33 to move within one game of a playoff shot at the division crown.

The teams met again tonight, this time at nearby Pullman, while Oregon state and Oregon are completing their regular schedules at Eugene. Another victory for W. S. C. would send the cougars into a tie and a playoff with the winner of the Eugene fracas.

A giant killing performance by Idaho tonight would hand the title to the winning Oregon team. Hanson now has a chance to break the 20-game record of 249 points chalked up in 1938 by Laddie Gale of Oregon, needing only 22 points to surpass it.

Returns to Work—Charles A. Brand, News-Review proof reader, has returned to his work after a short illness.

PRESERVE LAW AND ORDER

By Charles V. Stanton

Resentment over the arrest of an ex-marine for slapping down a member of the Jehovah's Witness sect on a Roseburg street, corner threatens to exaggerate the situation and create a condition of reprisal which could promote serious and undesired consequences. Somewhat similar situations in other cities and towns have resulted in rioting, injury to persons and damage to property. We do not want such occurrences in Douglas county. They serve no good purpose, and only add fuel to hatred and intolerance. The courts should be permitted to dispose of the issue now existing, and the matter should be carried no further.

In these wartime days, tempers are frayed. Intolerance is rampant. Violent spirits seek violent outlets for pent-up emotions.

We must frankly admit that our own prejudice and intolerance cause us to cast our personal sympathy with the ex-marine. But to permit our sympathy to result in creation of further disorder could only lead to more serious consequences.

The beliefs and actions of the members of the Jehovah's Witness sect have clashed with those of other American citizens over a period of years. Yet the members of that sect are guaranteed freedom of thought and speech under the constitution, and have been upheld by court decisions in their actions. You may be assured they are fully advised of their constitutional rights and privileges and are thoroughly coached as to the legal limits of their activities.

It would seem that people of a so-called religious group in these times of stress and strain would endeavor to avoid stirring up trouble and would cease to flaunt their literature in the faces of persons known to be antagonistic to the tenets to which they ascribe. But they rationalize their position by the thought that it is their duty to struggle for converts, and any opposition they meet only feeds the spirit of martyrdom. Persecution is an aid rather than a hindrance to their cause. Incidents such as the one which has aroused resentment in Roseburg only adds more martyr-minded converts and widens the rift between members of the sect and their patriotically inclined neighbors.

It is somewhat incongruous that the law permits the arrest of a man who has undergone the horrors of Pearl Harbor, the invasion of Guadalcanal and the Solomon campaign and has been discharged for disabilities suffered in his defense of the constitution, while protecting one who opposes the lifting of a finger to defend the law by violence. Yet in that very incongruity lies the foundation of true democracy.

Members of the religious sect oppose bearing arms to fight the country's battles and defend our constitutional form of government, yet they demand full protection of every right and privilege guaranteed them under constitutional law. And, furthermore, the courts have upheld their position.

Some of us may thoroughly dislike the sect's attitude; but we have no right to implement our contrary opinions by engaging in illegal acts.

We do not want the reputation of our friendly community marred by fights, brawls, or intolerant abuse of people who hold views different from our own. We feel, personally, that members of the Jehovah's Witness sect, knowing their public display promotes disorder, should, if they cannot cooperate in any other patriotic way, cease waving their literature on street corners and accosting an antagonistic public, at least until the war is over and tempers are less strained.

But we imagine that the Witnesses feel they would be neglecting a religious duty and would be retreating from forces of evil if they made such gesture toward maintaining peace and order, and, therefore, will continue to crowd their activities to legal limits, demanding the full protection to which they are entitled.

If they continue their activities, as we anticipate they will, then those who hold the sect in ill repute must accept the burden of restraint.

We realize that an appeal to some people—particularly service men who have seen their buddies killed, maimed and wounded on bloody battle fields—to restrain their impulses, is like asking a bull not to charge a red flag. But nothing is to be gained by taking the law into our own hands, and much is to be lost.

We sincerely hope there will be no further occurrences such as the one which happened recently; that tolerance will be exercised, and that law and order will be preserved.

Building Planned by
Reedsport Local

REEDSPORT—The International Woodworkers of America announced plans today to build a one-story building here for union offices and a recreation center.

Two lots in downtown Reedsport have been purchased by the IWO local, and construction will begin when material is available.

W. J. Harris, executive secretary and manager of the local, stated that plans had not yet been drawn and it had not been definitely decided just what type of building would be constructed nor the amount of money that would go into the investment. He did say, however, that as the location of the lots, which are on E. Burroughs street between G and H streets and north of the Silver City building, are within the city fire limits and that a fire-proof building would be erected.

Willie Joyce Again Defeats Ike Williams

New York, March 3 (AP)—Willie Joyce, lightweight, upset Ike Williams in their 12-round bout at Madison square Garden last night.

Joyce, who last fall beat Williams as a 4 to 1 underdog only to lose the decision in a second bout with the Trenton, N. J., light-

weight, jabbed and stabbed his way to victory last night. In the 12th round he brought the crowd to its feet by knocking Williams into the ropes and all but scoring a kayo victory.

Utility Office Head at
Reedsport Resigns

REEDSPORT—Mrs. Helen Diehl, who for the past eight years has been office manager for the West Coast Electric and Power company, and later for the Central Lincoln Peoples Utility district since that organization acquired the business, has resigned her position, effective March 1 and will hereafter be associated with her husband, John C. Diehl, in his real estate and insurance business in this city. Mrs. Diehl has been succeeded in the PUD office by Miss Yvonne Traylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McCabe of this city.

Food Poison Suspected
in Death of 2 Brothers

SEATTLE, March 3 (AP)—Believed victims of food poisoning, John F. Cartwright, 21, shipyard worker, and his brother, Gael, 29, were found dead in John's apartment here yesterday. Coroner C. L. Harris ordered postmortem tests to determine the cause of the deaths.

OUT OUR WAY

Local
News

Transacts Business—J. Hooten of Glengary was in Roseburg Friday transacting business.

Oakland Visitor—P. A. Fitzpatrick was an Oakland visitor in Roseburg Friday.

Business Visitor—Carl Becker of Glengary was a business visitor in Roseburg Friday.

On Business—M. H. McCord of Glide was in Roseburg on business Friday.

Visits in Roseburg—Curtis Barker of Glide visited in Roseburg Friday.

Attends To Business—Don Ollivant of Lookingglass spent Friday attending to business in Roseburg.

Initiation and Inspection—Job's Daughters, Roseburg Bethel, No. 8, will have initiation and inspection by the grand guardian Tuesday night, March 6. A dessert supper will be given at 6:15 for members of the Bethel, candidates and their parents.

Employed At Penney's—Miss Mary Frances Stout, of Newport, R. I., has accepted employment at the J. C. Penney company in Roseburg. Miss Stout started to work Thursday and is in the shoe department.

Here for Funeral—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Donaca, Gold Beach, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moser, Yakima, Wash., came to Roseburg this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Donaca's son, Mrs. Moser's father, George Solomon, and are spending several days visiting their brother, Charles Solomon, and family. Also here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. John Solomon and Mr. and Mrs. James Solomon of Yelm, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pentecost, of Portland, who will spend several days at Elktion visiting at the Frank Solomon home. John, James and Frank Solomon are brothers of the late George Solomon and Mrs. Pentecost is a sister.

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From Umpqua—Marion Emmitt spent Friday in Roseburg from Umpqua.

Red Cross Board to Meet—The regular monthly American Red Cross board meeting will be held Monday at 7:30 a. m. at the new headquarters in the armory.

Leaves for Spokane—R. L. Strickle has left to attend a meeting of the National Farm Loan secretaries, at Spokane. He plans to be gone about two weeks and was accompanied by Mrs. Strickle.

Past Matrons to Meet—The Past Matrons club of Roseburg Chapter of Eastern Star will meet Monday night at a 7:30 dessert supper at the home of Mrs. John E. Runyon on S. Jackson street with Mrs. Walter Hercher, co-hostess. Members of the club and visiting past matrons are invited.

Wesley Bible Class To Have Social—The Wesley Bible class will hold its regular monthly potluck supper and social affair at the Methodist church, Friday evening at 8:30. All members whose birthdays occur during January, February and March will be especially honored. All members and friends are invited to attend.

Returns To Seattle—Vernie Baker, who is training under the V-12 program, and is a junior at the University of Washington, has returned to Seattle following the mid-semester vacation he spent visiting his mother, Mrs. Claude Baker, in Roseburg. He also spent Friday and Saturday in Eugene visiting his sister, Betty, who attends the state university.

Arrive For Visit—Mrs. W. E. Buchanan of Eugene, and her daughter, Miss Kate Buchanan, who has been employed by the Dupont company at Hanford, Wash., arrived in Roseburg last night to visit the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young, and family. Miss Kate Buchanan, formerly an instructor in Roseburg Senior High school and later at University of Oregon, has been with the Dupont company since the war and is being transferred from Hanford to Kentucky this month. She will leave Oregon for the east Sunday.

Society

MRS. DAVID L. TAYLOR
HONORED AT BIRTHDAY
DINNER ON SUNDAY

Mrs. David L. Taylor of Roseburg was guest of honor at a very delightful two o'clock dinner given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamlin, in Canyonville Sunday in observance of her birthday.

Spring flowers graced the prettily appointed table and a beautifully decorated birthday cake was cut in honor of the occasion. Gifts were presented to Mrs. Taylor. Covers were placed for: Mrs. Taylor, guest of honor, her daughter, Miss Carla Lee, and son, Tommy; her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Poole, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin.

PATCH AND CHAT CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING WEDNESDAY EVENING

The Patch and Chat club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Houston Walsh at her home. Colorful potted plants were used about the room.

Sewing and visiting were enjoyed and later Mrs. Walsh, assisted by Mrs. Curtis Calkins, served delicious refreshments to: Mrs. C. J. Bradley, Mrs. Thomas Findlay, Mrs. Darley Ware, Mrs. D. W. Keasey, Mrs. Gordon Ware, Mrs. C. J. Domenico, Mrs. Jack Boor, Mrs. C. R. Bartlett and Mrs. D. W. Keasey.

The club will meet the evening of March 14 at the home of Mrs. Darley Ware.

DIAL-LOG

By SUSAN

It's funny how we become accustomed to certain services and programs... and take them for granted. So when we heard the Newspaper of the Air celebrating its eighth birthday, we perked up our ears and realized that here was a sponsored twice-daily program that we were taking as a public service... and also as a matter of course. What we'd do without it, we don't know, because we practically plan our time around those two broadcasts each day. We'd like to pass out a whole bouquet of orchids to the sponsors, the editor, our favorite newscaster, Glen Hardy, and the announcer, Fred Shields. May they be with us for many, many times eight years.

Now for Sunday, the day when we have a chance to relax and listen to the best shows of the week. Here are the top billings for tomorrow: Your America, 1:00 o'clock, with an interview from the Service men's Canteen; Name That Song, 1:30; The Shadow solving the mystery of "The Mother Goose Bandit" at 2:30; Quick as a Flash, with the Comtempers as guest at 3, and Helen Hayes in the evening at 7:15. We'd like to give forth with a rave over her performance last Sunday night because we thought the show was grand, but to be perfectly honest we never were quite sure which one of the characters was Helen Hayes... or did she play all of them? We tuned in a little late so perhaps that's the reason we were confused. Remember that tonight is the Chicago Theatre of the Air at 8; presenting Mignon in English... and the wrestling matches at 9:30. That's about the story for tonight.

Western Union Office Here Has New Manager

Arnold Davis, Western Union manager at Roseburg for the past two years, has been promoted to manager of the station at Bellingham, Wash., and is leaving Monday to assume his new duties.

L. R. Coles, manager at Hanford, Wash., is being transferred to Roseburg to fill the vacancy left by the transfer of Mr. Davis.

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