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The Weather
U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon.
Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Occasional light rain to night and Thursday.

In the Day's News

says that "Berlin is being transformed into a ghostly monument to useless Nazi resistance."

WHETHER we have effected a junction with the Russians south of Berlin is a mystery that as this is written is cloaked by the censorship.

AS far as can be judged by careful reading of the dispatches, we haven't crossed the Elbe anywhere—except at our one bridgehead due west of Berlin, and even there we seem to be staying put.

STILL one can't help guessing that the Russians may have had to us: "Berlin is our meat. Leave it to us. We'll handle it."

PATTON is on the loose again and news of his movements has been blacked out—usually a sign of something important.

PATCH'S 7th army has crossed the Danube in two places and is heading for Munich. The French have closed in to the Swiss border at the western end of the Alps redoubt.

WHERE is Hitler? Nobody knows. The Hamburg radio (still German-held) says he is in Berlin and has decided to stay there.

GOEBBELS (via radio) says that Berlin and Prague won't surrender. He adds: "If both fall, the whole of Europe will perish with Germany. If bolshevism cap-

WE WANT PEACE

By Charles V. Stanton
Representatives of the United Nations are in San Francisco today beginning what probably will be the most momentous meeting in all world history.

It is a difficult task which faces the delegates, who will be called upon to compose differences which would seem almost impossible of unity.

As the conference doubtless will be dominated by the Big Three—the United States, Russia, Great Britain—it would be well to consider the objectives these nations have in mind as they enter the United Nations meeting.

Russia apparently is aiming for political domination, which she already has attained, insofar as the people of Europe are concerned. Suspicious of Great Britain, nations formerly within the British sphere of influence are turning to Russia as their protective ally.

Great Britain, on the other hand, is seeking to preserve her far-flung empire. She is particularly alarmed by Russia's political gains in the Mediterranean area.

While the purpose of the conference is to set up international peace machinery, the various participating nations will have territorial, political or trade objectives influencing their decisions.

The United States is seeking no territory, other than control over Pacific islands it has won and will need for defensive purposes. The people of the United States are demanding peace machinery that WILL WORK.

The great danger in the United Nations conference, as we see it, is that efforts will be made to make the peace machine too large and complicated.

We believe the common people of the world want only one thing from the conference—assurance that there will never again be another war such as the one in which we are now engaged.

tures them Europe will cease to exist."

WHAT he means is plain enough. For a century, Germany has been Europe's BEST CUSTOMER, and he thinks that with its best customer gone Europe will go broke.

He's wrong, of course—he hasn't read enough history, or at least hasn't read it straight.

The Tigris and Euphrates valleys once occupied the place in the then small Mediterranean world that has been more recently occupied by Germany in Europe—they were highly productive and were good customers of their neighbors.

The world will go on if Germany is destroyed as completely and as permanently as the insane Nazis seem to have planned.

The lesson of history is clear on that point.

The Japs are still fighting hard on Okinawa, counter-attacking and taking a village back from us. The latest count here is 11,738 Jap dead and 27 Jap prisoners since we landed.

There are supposed to be 60,000 of them that we'll have to kill. That will take quite a while.

WE'RE cleaning up on big Luzon and big Mindanao—and on the lesser Philippine Islands. There are even a few Japs left to be cleaned up on tiny Iwo—hidden out in caves (we're sealing up the

OUT OUR WAY

OWOOH! WE'RE GOIN' ON A LONG HIKE OUT IN TH COUNTRY, AN' YET HE HAS TO TAKE HIS MORNIN'S EXERCISE-- OHOO-oo!
IT'S A HABIT WITH ME, AND ONCE YOU START BREAK- ING GOOD HABITS YOU GET CARELESS, SLOPPY AND NEGLECTFUL!
I'M STILL PONDERIN' IN MY MIND IF IT'S EASIER TO LIVE UP TO GOOD HABITS THAN IT IS TO FIGHT BAD ONES-- IT'S A BATTLE BOTH WAYS, AND I'M LOSIN' BOTH WAYS!



Achuu, Grey Mask To Clash Here in Mat Headliner

Walter Tinkit "Sneeze" Achuu, the Chinese wrestler labeled as the best grappling technique in the profession, has been given the assignment Douglas county mat followers have hoped for—a match against the "Grey Mask."

The farmer Dayton university football backfield star has lost one of his gridiron skills which, combined with his effective Jiu-jitsu, make him one of the most formidable light-heavyweight wrestlers in the business.

Achuu will have no push-over against the so-called hooded hoodlum, who has caused several near-risks in Oregon arenas. The head-butting specialist is certain to give Achuu a rough going, regardless of whether he wins, loses or draws.

Evangelist of Christian Church Dated at Glide

Arthur Charles Bates, state centennial evangelist of the Christian churches of Oregon, will be heard in a series of special services at the Glide church, starting Friday and continuing through Saturday and Sunday.

Services are scheduled for 7:45 Friday evening, followed by a social hour for the young people. Saturday's meeting will start at 7:30 p. m. and there will be services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. with the basket dinner during the noon hour.

The church is extending an invitation to the general public to attend.

Sgt. Leslie Cummings Heads Transport Group

THE 31ST AIR TRANSPORT GROUP, England—Master Sergeant Leslie Cummings, former forestry inspector for the state of Oregon, is assigned to the 31st transport group as a flight chief. It is his job to supervise repairs and maintenance on the C-47 transport planes used to carry supplies and equipment to American combat units in Germany, and to evacuate wounded on return trips to England.

Sgt. Cummings, son of Mrs. H. H. Hammer, Roseburg, entered the army in March, 1942, trained at Sheppard field, Texas, and arrived in England for assignment to the 31st in October, 1943. His unit, stationed in France after D-day, returned to England to facilitate the movement of cargo from air freight depots in the United Kingdom.

Suarez Easy Victor Over Irish Johnny Taylor

PORTLAND, April 25 (AP)—Johnny Suarez, 111-pound Portlander, scored an easy 10-round decision over Irish Johnny Taylor, 174 Huntington Park, Calif., last night.

Taylor won only one round. In preliminary bouts, Powder Proctor, 161, Portland, scored a technical knockout over Johnny Gates, 163, Flaming Falls, in the fifth round; Charlie Harris, 161, Klamath Falls, marine barracks, defeated Jerry Brown, 139, Denver, in six rounds; Kelly Jackson, 145, Portland, T. K. O'd Johnny Pancho, 139, Longview, in five rounds, and Leroy Durst, 147, Longview, won a four-round nod over Lito Perez, 144, Klamath Falls marine barracks.

DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS
Structural and mechanical engineers often use the term "Margin of Safety." By this they mean the reserve of strength which a structure has above the load or stress that may be put upon it.

Beavers Stretch Coast League Lead

(By the Associated Press)
Portland's Beavers increased their Pacific Coast league lead to a game and a half last night as the runnerup Seattle Rainiers were idle due to wet grounds.

The Beavers crushed Oakland 7-1, jumping on Pitcher Lotz for six runs in the first two innings. Pulford, right-hander, marked up his fifth straight victory to keep his season's hurling record spotless.

Portland's first baseman, Barton, pulled a muscle during the game that will keep him out of the lineup for several days. San Diego moved into firm possession of third place with a 7-3 win over San Francisco at the Seals stadium.

Aircrman Wings Won By Norval Ferguson

U. S. NAVAL AIR STATION, Jacksonville, Fla.—Aviation Machinist's Mate Third Class Norval Ferguson, Days Creek, Ore., was presented his wings as a U. S. naval aviator this week, when he completed the final phase of training at this station, it was announced.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ferguson, the 19-year-old aviator has undergone a rigid program of training in aviation mechanics and aerial gunnery, and aircrew and ground crew operations under simulated combat conditions. He is now ready for duty as a member of an air-combat team, either aboard an aircraft carrier or at a naval air station. Ferguson enlisted in the navy Nov. 17, 1943, taking recruit training at Farragut, Idaho.

More than 4,000 uses of wood have been counted, and the list is still growing.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Judge, remember that place up in the mountains where we went trout fishing last year?"
"I sure do, George. We had a great time up there, didn't we?"
"I'll never forget it. But this will interest you, Judge. I heard just yesterday that the revenue men raided a big still right near there. Guess that's where all that high-priced moonshine we heard about has been coming from."

Roseburg GI Instructor

OF Convalescent Vets
FORT THOMAS, Ky.—"Give us a week and we'll have men turning out useful items of beauty," is the motto of the leather-craft instructional staff at the AAF convalescent hospital in Fort Thomas.

In most cases this statement becomes a reality. Since the class was started in November its popularity has grown tremendously. Patients at the hospital, recuperating from wound or "operation fatigue," usually desire to make gifts for their wives, children, parents or sweethearts. The leather-craft class provides the answer.

PUBLIC DANCE FOLKS THE Mid week "JITTER-WOOGIE" "GOOD FOR YOUNG AND OLD" DANCE TO SCOTTY'S SWINGTIME BAND At the EAGLES BALLROOM EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT Dancing 8:30 till 11:45 p. m.

TURKEY EGGS WANTED UNLIMITED QUANTITIES WILL PAY UP TO 32c for 75% Fertility NORTHWEST POULTRY AND DAIRY PRODUCTS 500 West Lane Roseburg Tele. 210

BENEFIT SMOKER ROSEBURG ARMORY Friday, April 27, 1945 8:00 P. M. ADMISSION INCLUDING TAX \$1.00 ROSEBURG RECREATION PROGRAM

KRRR Mutual Broadcasting System, 1490 Kilocycles. REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 10:00-Eaton Lewis, Jr., Flough Chemical; 11:00-Rev. Miller, National Biscuit Co.; 12:00-Treasurer Salute, WAC Cpl. Grace Shorkey; 1:00-United Messages, Church of Christ; 2:00-Sam Hayes, S. & W. Fine Foods; 3:00-Tom Mix, Halston's Furina; 3:30-Night News Wire, Studenbaker; 4:00-Sale of Silver News; 4:15-1-S. Receipt of the World of Sports, E. S. Tire Store; 5:00-Dormantine Theatre; 5:30-News and Local News, Keel Motors; 6:00-Musical Interlude; 6:15-Lowell Thomas, Standard Oil; 6:30-Some Ranger; 7:00-Main Line, Southern Pacific; 7:30-Fresh-Up Time, Servant; 8:00-Sale of Silver News; 8:15-Service Salute, E. G. High; 8:30-Arch Onley Plays; 9:00-Alton Lewis, Jr., Roseburg Pharmacy; 10:00-Service of the Night; 10:30-Sign Off.

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