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The Weather

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

Highest temp. for any May...102 Lowest temp. for any May...30 Highest temp. yesterday...62 Lowest temp. last night...57 Precipitation yesterday...10 Precipitation from May 1...1.33 Deficit from May 1, 1945...-.91 Deficit from Sept. 1, 1944...5.87

In the Day's News

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our 8th air force in England, says that 2,000-PLANE raids will be made on Japan. He adds that the 8th now has more than 2,400 Liberators and Fortresses on English fields that will be transferred to the Pacific as soon as bases and communications to maintain them can be established.

For every bomber, he says, we have at least TWO full crews, thus insuring CONSTANT operation. Bombing the Germans from England, we've ALREADY LEARNED how to dispatch as many as 2,000 planes in a single attack — which means that we won't have to WAIT TO LEARN HOW when we get to the Pacific, but can start saturation bombing of small Japan as soon as we get there.

THE delay will come in getting bombs ready. Our service forces will move FIRST from Europe to get this job out of the way. They too have learned how to work fast. We'll be all set and ready in the Pacific in FAR less time than it took us in Europe.

OKINAWA will be our England of the Pacific. It will be practically COVERED with bomber bases, as England was. From these (and other) bases we will pour death and destruction on Japan's cities and transport facilities, as we did on Germany's.

(German submarines, said to number from 200 to 300, are already reporting in to British ports to SURRENDER. It is announced that we will man them and put them to work against Japan as rapidly as possible.)

FACING this prospect, five former premiers and elder statesmen meet with Suzuki this week to mull over what to do. It's a safe guess that the session isn't a light-hearted affair.

IN Europe, the only fighting reported is in Czechoslovakia, where die-hard nazi fanatics have gathered under command of Field Marshal Schoerner — who is wanted as a war criminal and doubtless figures he might as well die fighting as to die before a firing squad.

These last-standers appear to have been licked decisively, and are in flight FROM the Russians and TOWARD American lines.

KONRAD HENLEIN, the Czechoslovakian gauleiter (carpetbagger), was captured by us (Americans) and committed suicide by slashing his wrists with a razor blade that had been concealed under adhesive tape in his cigaret case.

That solves one problem. IN London, one of these "highly reliable sources" (meaning a higher-up in the know who can't quit let his name be used) estimates that between 4,000,000 and 6,000,000 Germans may be forced to "atone for their nation's atrocities" if the proposed plan of pool punishment is adopted by the victorious powers.

OUR CHURCHES PROSPER

By Charles V. Stanton

The First Christian church of Roseburg burned a mortgage last week, ending 20 years of indebtedness. Roseburg Lodge No. 326, B. P. O. E., has paid off its bonds, is debt free for the first time in its history, and is making preparations for a mortgage burning ceremonial.

Our churches and our lodges prosper now, but let the first winds of adversity blow and our benevolences will be the first to suffer curtailment. Yet it is from the teachings of the church that we gain spiritual inspiration and moral character, while our lodges exemplify the lessons of brotherly love the world sorely needs today.

From the most ancient of times man has always attempted to surround his place of worship with the greatest beauty his mind could conceive and at a cost beyond his immediate ability to pay.

From the first log church, construction of which was one of the initial acts of the Pilgrim Fathers, in this country have endeavored to make our altars a little better than any material thing we might own or build for ourselves.

Thus it is pleasant to know that these institutions, upon which we must lean heavily in coming days if the world is to learn the ways of peace for which we are so earnestly seeking, are prospering; that they are clearing away the bonds of debt, that they may devote their fullest influence to the task of proclaiming God's peace and the brotherhood of man during the years immediately ahead.

There may come times when our personal incomes will not be as large as they are now. In those days we will be tempted to reduce a measure of our support to institutions which are our greatest protection. But we should realize that our altars deserve our sacrifice in times of privation as well as in times of plenty.

in which Russia was an international outpost and pariah, with no British or American politician having anything but evil to speak of her and the common run of us thinking of all Russians as whiskered and booted conspirators carrying a bomb in every pocket.

When you were fighting your own way up the ladder, you may have been snubbed by snooty neighbors. If so, you REMEMBERED it when you became somebody, and governed yourself accordingly.

Let's grant the Russians the right to the same quite human and understandable attitude.

WE'RE beginning to get a brief glimpse of what WE'RE going to do in that part of Germany that will be under American occupation.

There will be a MILITARY government, under General Lathus Clay, a West Pointer. It will include a special intelligence section to detect and RUTHLESSLY SUPPRESS any nazi underground activities.

In fact, we've coined a new word to cover the situation. Germany is to be "DENAZIFIED."

THERE will be a public information section to "control ALL FORMS OF PUBLIC EXPRESSION in Germany, including newspapers, radio, magazines and other publications and motion pictures."

That will give you some idea of the magnitude of the task we face there.

STALIN sends messages to Churchill and Truman, adding his congratulations on the surrender of nazi Germany and declaring: "The joint struggle of soviet, American and British armies against the German invader will go down in history as an example of the fighting collaboration of our peoples."

That doesn't sound like the double-cross, does it? IN trying to understand Stalin (admittedly not an easy task) we must remember the long years

Society

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

YOUNG ADULTS PLAN PICNIC

The young women of the Methodist Young Adult group held a fine social gathering last Thursday evening with Miss Ruth Hodson and Miss Esther Brown serving delicious refreshments.

CALAPOOIA LADIES CLUB TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The Calapooia Ladies club will meet for an all-day potluck dinner at their clubhouse Wednesday, May 15, with Mrs. Doris Baker and Mrs. Marjorie Weseman serving as hostesses.

BADOURA CLUB TO HAVE HONORED GUESTS AT BANQUET TUESDAY

Mrs. Tabbot, Portland, Queen of Neilsa temple, and her officers will pay an official visit to Badoura club, Daughters of the Nile at a six-thirty o'clock formal banquet at the Hotel Rose Tuesday evening.

BENSON P. T. A. TO MEET TUESDAY

The last meeting of the spring of the Benson P. T. A. will be held at seven-thirty o'clock Tuesday at the schoolhouse.

CIRCLE NO. 2 TO MEET THIS EVENING

The Circle No. 2 of St. Joseph's Catholic Ladies Altar society will meet tonight at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of Miss Meta-Marie Amiot on South Main street with Mrs. Ruby Calton as co-hostess.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD MEETING WEDNESDAY

The Roseburg W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Carter on Harvard avenue.

TRIANGLE CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING

The Triangle club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. George Jackson, at which time a very interesting report was given by members attending the district meeting at Grants Pass, May 5.

EPISCOPAL GUILD TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The members of St. George's Episcopal Guild, their husbands and invited guests are asked to enjoy a six-thirty o'clock potluck supper Wednesday evening at the parish hall on East Cass street.

NUTRITION CLASS TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The first cross nutrition class, under the direction of Mrs. Geo. E. Houck, will meet Wednesday from eight to ten o'clock in the library of the Houck home on South Stephens street.

Achiu Wins Over Wagner; Dusette Conquers Kiser

"Gorgeous George" Wagner's dirty technique was chiefly responsible for his defeat by "Sneeze" Achiu, the Chinese matman, in the main event of the weekly wrestling card at the Roseburg armory last Saturday night.

Boy Scout Executive Is Speaker at Lions Club

Roger L. Bales, Boy Scout executive, from Eugene, was guest speaker at the Roseburg Lions Club dinner meeting Friday night.

T. C. Fitzgerald Wins Promotion to Lt. Colonel Rank

Mrs. Thelma Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter, who is making her home temporarily with her parents, has received word that her husband, Terrance C. Fitzgerald, has been promoted to lieutenant colonel.

Overseas since May 10, 1944, he has served in the Normandy, Northern France and Germany campaigns.

Arthur Bros. Giving Circus Goers Treat in Roseburg Today

Today is Circus day. The gigantic affair floating the magic gonfalon of the Arthur Bros. circus, known to all urchins and oldsters as "The Big Show" is again in Roseburg.

Mrs. A. M. Clements of Reedsport Passes Away

REEDSPORT — Anna Marguerite Clements, wife of Lee Clements, a pioneer resident of this city, died at Keizer hospital in North Bend, May 7.

Beavers Stretch Lead by Victory in Doubleheader

(By The Associated Press) The runner-up teams of the Pacific Coast league jockeyed for better positions Sunday as Portland stretched its lead to six games at the end of the first quarter of the schedule.

Myrtle Creek High Nine Defeats Yoncalla, 12 to 4

Myrtle Creek High school defeated Yoncalla 12 to 4 in a baseball game Friday on the Myrtle Creek diamond, keeping the record of the Vikings intact in B league competition.

Back Sprain Suffered

Paul Hedlund of Idlewild Park received a minor back injury Friday morning, while working for the Mist Logging company at the camp on Little river.

Quarryman Breaks Wrist

George Armstrong of Roseburg was admitted to Mercy hospital Friday for care of a fractured right wrist he sustained while working at the Deer Creek quarry.

Business Property at Reedsport Purchased

REEDSPORT — Announcement is made that Nonda Anderson has sold his one-story frame business building on the corner of H and 14th streets in this city to Arthur D. Campbell of Eugene.

Mothers' Day Program Given at Days Creek

DAYS CREEK — A Mother's Day tea, given by the Girls' League of Days Creek High school at which a short program was given by the girls, was enjoyed Friday.

Housing Situation Is Topic at Rotary Session

The Roseburg Rotary club had an open meeting with discussion of housing needs in Roseburg Thursday at the Umpqua hotel.

RHS Beats Drain in Ragged Game

Roseburg High school defeated Drain 17 to 9 in a baseball game Friday at Finlay field.

Sutherland Stop Spot For Busses Planned

SUTHERLIN — Larry F. Clemenson, representing the Greyhound Bus lines, attended the meeting of the Sutherland city council recently to discuss the double parking question on Central avenue.

Post Office-to-Depot Mail Hauling Job Open

Postmaster L. J. Wimberly reports that a position is open for hauling mail between the post office and depot. The contract will require use of a truck and services of a driver to transport mail in the early morning and again in the evening, after 9 o'clock.

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Arthur Bros. Mammoth Railroad Circus

with KEN MAYNARD in PERSON and TARZAN The Wonder Horse THE SHOW THAT'S DIFFERENT

Jorgen M. Christensen's Cripple Liberty Horses

CHALA who defies death in an elephant's mouth! MISS ARIETTA BUDDY The Talking SEALION SING LEE SING TROUPE CHINESE WONDER WORKERS 25 DISPLAYS — 90 BIG ACTS

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE ACRES OF FLAME PROOF CANVAS! HERDS OF ELEPHANTS! TWICE DAILY — 2 & 8 P.M. Tickets on sale today 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. ROY'S MEN'S STORE

Corps Sponsors Dance

The members of the Roseburg Motor corps of the Douglas county chapter of the American Red Cross are sponsoring a dance to be held May 21 at the Veterans facility in Roseburg.

Returns From Los Angeles

Mrs. R. E. Walsh and daughter, Gerry, of Roseburg have returned from Los Angeles, where they spent the past two weeks visiting Mrs. Walsh's sister, Mrs. H. E. Hedge.

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