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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon.

Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Occasional light rain tonight and Sunday.

Highest temp. for any May....102
Lowest temp. for any May.....30
Highest temp. yesterday.....68
Lowest temp. last night 51
Precipitation yesterday ..... T
Precipitation from May 1..... 2.21
Excess from May 1, 1945.....57
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1944.....5.27

In the Day's News

(Continued from page 1)

we're using MEDIEVAL CATAPULTS to heave cans and barrels of jellied gasoline into Jap hangouts. (Every weapon from the oldest to the newest.)

THE Australians are reported "hunting down" Japs on Tarakan. News from Tarakan has been kept under wraps for some reason (maybe few U. S. correspondents there) but hunting down Japs is usually the last stage.

IN China, our 14th air force is destroying railroad bridges and shooting up locomotives, knocking out 24 of them in one day. Germany taught us what destroying transportation can do.

TOKYO radio says "the mikado's government is preparing Nippon to withstand the test of war for the next 20 to 30 years." Lt. Gen. Reickichi Tada says the only way the Americans can be halted is with "kamikaze" (suicide) planes and other suicide attacks.

(If that has to go on for 20 to 30 years, life in the flowery kingdom will get rather rugged.)

THE big news from Europe is that Butcher Himmler is dead. When captured (after having disguised himself by shaving his mustache, putting a black patch over his eye, etc.) he bit a vial of poison he had carried in his mouth for three days and passed out.

(It might be a good idea to pass these vials around among the higher-up German war criminals we've corralled.)

AT last accounts, Ribbentrop was still loose.

All but a dozen to 15 of the German submarines are accounted for, and there are scary visions of these outlaws roaming the seas as pirates. Producers of thrillers for the pulp magazines ought to be able to make something out of it. We're still worried enough that we're convoying our merchant ships in the Atlantic.

We seem to have around 250 of the German U-boats in our actual possession and are said to be readying them for use against the Japs.

AP WES GALLAGHER says that "Germany has ceased to exist as a nation . . . has no boundaries except as defined by the allies . . . is not united, as allied occupation zones cut through her . . . has no political life, no economic life except as dictated by the allies, and NO social life."

Some cases are so serious (like the rubbled cities of Europe) that you have to DESTROY COMPLETELY before you can rebuild. Germany is destroyed more completely than any modern nation ever was before.

The job now is to rebuild her in something like HUMAN form.

BECAUSE of this talk of an impending meeting of the Big Three, you should keep the political status of Britain clear in your mind.

Churchill resigned as premier of Britain's wartime coalition government and was promptly put back as premier of the interim "caretaker" government that will carry on until the parliamentary election on July 5.

At that time (it is assumed) if his Conservative party loses control of parliament to the Labor party he will be OUT for good. If the Conservatives win, it is assumed that Churchill will be reappointed premier.

ON our own home political front, President Truman makes three more changes in his cabinet.

Schwellenbach of Washington (state) succeeds Mrs. Perkins as labor secretary, Clark of Texas succeeds Biddle as attorney-general and Anderson of New Mexico succeeds Wickard as secretary of agriculture.

This writer never heard of Clark and Anderson and knows of Schwellenbach in only the vaguest way—and regards that as a HOPEFUL SIGN. We've had too many supermen, and need a little time to catch our breath. Maybe these new appointees of Truman's are so insignificant that they will have an average, common, everyday American viewpoint.

CORPORATION TAXES

By Charles V. Stanton

A number of congressmen are reported in press dispatches to be urging reduction in corporation taxes. Many people probably have taken little interest in this matter, while others, particularly those with a "soak-the-rich" complex, would oppose such reduction.

"Corporations," they say, "are rich concerns, making big profits, so let THEM pay the taxes and WE won't be forced to pay at such a high rate."

In our opinion, the matter of corporation taxes is something in which EVERYONE should be interested, for in one direction lies freedom of individual initiative and enterprise and in the other lies state socialism.

One of the nation's principal railroads recently sponsored a full page advertisement in some of the leading magazines of national circulation, pointing out that it soon will be needing a great amount of new equipment but is prevented by current tax regulations from setting aside money from operating profits to meet the anticipated postwar reconversion expense.

But it isn't necessary to go to the railroad companies to find examples of like situation.

Here in the News-Review office we have been talking for many months about what we must do "after the war." We realize that because of newsprint and labor shortages, we are not producing as large nor as good a newspaper as Roseburg deserves. We hope to remedy that condition. We plan to buy a new press, more typsetting equipment. We have already purchased a new engraving plant, although it can't be placed in operation because a few essential parts have not arrived. We will need a material maker, which we have on order, and numerous other pieces of equipment. We would like to be putting money aside in a reserve fund to buy those things we will need. They will cost many thousands of dollars and would furnish work for a considerable number of men. Presses are hand-made machines. They require labor of trained and experienced men over a long period of time. Our purchase, small though it may be as a part of the entire picture, would be one of many contributing to postwar employment.

There is not a business house in Douglas county that would not, if it had opportunity, put aside a reserve fund to be spent in remodelling, refurnishing, buying new equipment, increasing stock of trade, etc. Each fund would be a backlog assuring continued employment for many men in all industries in the postwar period.

But instead of permitting industry and business to accumulate money for postwar needs, the federal government is taxing away profits, penalizing reserves and by other means preventing any material accumulation of funds.

When the war is over, millions of men will be seeking return to civilian occupations. They must be furnished with jobs. Either private industry furnishes those jobs or the government must dole out employment on public, "make-work" projects.

The present trend is for the government to be the employer, while business and industry, represented by corporations, pays the cost through heavy taxation. In other words, the government is taking corporation profits and preparing to use them to employ returning veterans as wards of the government. Yet, by the simple expedient of reducing corporation taxes the government could assure jobs for all—at least for a period of several years—through investment by private industry of reserve funds in improvement, expansion and reconversion.

So when you read of efforts in congress to lower taxes on corporations, don't make the mistake of believing that it is solely an effort on the part of the rich to escape their share of taxation. Rather, it means, in part, the difference of whether your boy, or that boy of your neighbor's, is coming home to a job in private enterprise, where he may become permanently established, or whether he will spend the next few years employed with a glorified WPA.

State Health Assn. Elects Officers

PORTLAND, May 26—(AP)—Marion county's health officer, Dr. Willard J. Stone, today had assumed presidency of the State Association of Public Health Workers, succeeding Samuel B. Osgood of Josephine county.

Kenneth H. Spies, Portland, acting state sanitary engineer, was named president-elect and will take office next year.

The group yesterday asserted that quarantine for scarlet fever is not necessary, following a discussion on an American Public Health association plan. The proposal, which would also remove chickenpox, measles, and whooping cough from quarantine, effective next fall, is under consideration by the state health board.

Dr. Stone declared, "You do not control communicable disease by restricting the liberties of an individual." He said, however, persons who are ill should be strictly isolated.

KRNR

Mutual Broadcasting System, 1490 Kilocycles.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:00—American Eagle in Britain.
4:30—Opinion Requested.
5:00—News, Golden Grain Macaroni.
5:15—Canary Pet Shop, Haris Mt.
5:30—Symphony of the Americas.
6:00—Jean Goldkette Orchestra.
6:30—OPA Program.
6:45—Music for Millions, U. S. Nat'l Bank.
7:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor.
7:05—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Dinner Music.
7:30—Reel Ryder.
8:00—Chicago Theater of the Air.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Service Salute, E. G. High.
9:30—Wrestling Matches, Olympia Supply.
Sign Off.

SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945

8:00—Wesley Radio League.
8:30—Voice of Prophecy.
9:00—Pilgrim Hour.
9:30—Lutheran Hour.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Commander Scott, Greyhound.
10:30—Sweetheart Time, Gum Labs.
11:00—Baptist Church Services.
12:00—News, Patterson's Bakery.
12:15—Voice of the Dairy Farmer, American Dairy Ass'n.
12:30—Hookey Hall, Choos.
1:00—Your America, Union Pacific Railroad.
1:30—Name That Song, Cystex.
2:00—Let's Face the Issue, Chesapeake and Ohio.
2:30—Nick Carter, Acme Paints.
3:00—Quick as a Flash, Helbros Watch Company.
3:30—Garden Talks, Gill Seeds Co.
3:45—Dick Brown, Farm Fit.
4:00—Boy's Town.
4:30—Dr. Floyd Johnson.
5:00—Mediation Board.
5:15—Gabriel Heatter, Earbasol.
6:00—Book Marks, Roseburg Book Store.
6:30—Cedrick Foster, Employers Group.
6:45—Off the Record, Lund Radio Music.
7:00—Earl Wilson, General Cigar.
7:15—This Is Helen Hayes, Textron, Inc.
7:30—What's the Good Word.
8:00—You Were Meant to Be a Star.
8:30—Treasury Salute to Neill McDowall Gillian.
8:45—Stardust Serenade.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—American Legion Auxiliary.
9:30—Human Adventure.
10:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour.
11:00—Sign Off.

MONDAY, MAY 28, 1945

6:45—Yawn Patrol.
6:55—Schricker Auction.
7:00—News, J. A. Folger.
7:15—A. M. Varieties.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—Judd Furniture.
7:40—Al's Roseburg Auction.
7:45—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Dr. Lewis Talbot, Los Angeles Bible Institute.
8:30—Take It Easy Time, Stokley.
8:45—Musical Market Basket.
8:55—Lanny and Ginger, Graves Laboratories.
9:00—William Lang and the News, Kremel.
9:15—Songs by Morton Downey, Coca Cola.
9:30—Prayer.
9:31—Man About Town, Josor and Lowrills.
9:45—Shoppers Guide, Hartha and Marshall-Wells.
9:55—Musical Interlude.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Something to Talk About, Wildroot.
10:30—Soap Shop, Kampfers Say-Mor.
10:45—Easy Listenin'.
11:00—Wheel of Fortune.
11:15—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture.
12:00—Musical Interlude.
12:10—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer.
12:15—Treasury Song for Today.
12:30—Ration Summary, Associated Distributor.
12:33—Rhythm at Random.
12:40—State News, Bamern Motors.
12:45—News Review of the Air.
12:55—Terminal Market Reports, Sig Felt.
1:00—Sing for the Seventh, Douglas Abstract.
1:05—Miniature Concerts.
1:15—Sentimental Serenade.
1:30—Never Too Old.
2:00—Melody Time.
2:45—Western Serenade.
3:00—Griffin Reporting.
3:15—Dusty Records, Benningers Marts.
3:45—Johnson Family.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical.
4:15—Rex Miller, National Biscuit.
4:30—Sketches.
5:00—Sam Hayes, S. and W. Fine Foods.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg.
5:30—Tom Mix, Ralston's Purina.
5:45—Night News Wire, Studebaker.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Bromel.
6:15—U. S. Recapt of World of Sports.
6:15—U. S. Recap of World of Sports, U. S. Tire Store.
6:30—The Better Half.
7:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor.
7:05—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Standard Oil News.
7:30—Lone Ranger.
8:00—Here Comes the Band, Douglas Flour.
8:30—Michael Shane, Union Oil.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Hi Neighbor, Carstens Furniture.
9:30—Snapshots, Kampfers Say-Mor.
9:45—Music for the Night.
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Roseburg Pharmacy.
10:15—Sherlock Holmes, Petri Wine.
10:45—Sign off.

OUT OUR WAY — BY J. R. WILLIAMS

Fire Equipment on Tug at Reedsport Ups Protection

REEDSPORT — Fire Chief Kelly and his crew recently made the final test on fire fighting equipment recently installed on the river tug Juno and accepted it as an auxiliary to the Reedsport fire department, with Capt. Marshall Leach in charge.

In the test made last Tuesday evening the pump sent a stream of water soaring over the water front buildings from a distance of over 200 feet at about 750 gallons per minute. With some adjustments to be made in the pump gears, Chief Kelly says that the flow can be easily increased to 1000 gallons or 1500 gallons per minute.

The installation and equipment costs amount to about $250, and not one cent of the amount will be charged to the city or to the fire department, as the mills and other waterfront industries and businesses are cheerfully donating to the department for this additional and much-needed water frontage protection. The boat on which the installation is made is the property of the Umpqua River Navigation Co., and is used in the handling of gravel and lumber barges on the Umpqua, Smith and Schofield rivers, but is never very far from the home port.

Sutherlin School Dates Graduation, Assembly

The Sutherlin school will convene at 10:00 a. m. Friday, June 1, at the school gymnasium for announcements and a high school assembly, after which the students, their parents and friends will enjoy a noon picnic lunch. The day will be highlighted by field events, including baseball and softball games between the freshmen and the grade school teams.

The commencement program for the graduating seniors will be held at 8:00 p. m. Friday evening at the school gymnasium. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend these exercises and Charles F. Walker, president of Northwestern School of Commerce, will deliver the main address.

Washington News From an Inside View

Argument, Sentiment, Comment

By HARRIS ELLSWORTH
Congressman, Fourth Oregon District

Near Fiscal Year End. After this week, only six weeks remain before the end of the current fiscal year, June 30th. All appropriation bills must be completed by that time. Several have not as yet been reported to the house by the appropriations committee. (Appropriation bills always originate in the house of representatives.)

In addition to the appropriation bills and a fairly heavy calendar of miscellaneous legislation, three important and highly controversial measures will be up for debate and action by the house in the very near future. These are the legislation on the Bretton Woods agreements, the extension of the OPA act, and the extension of the Reciprocal Trade treaty law.

Bretton Woods. The Bretton Woods agreements represent an extremely difficult problem. The subject of international monetary organization is not only a highly technical one, but the plan which the members of congress will be expected to pass judgment on is quite complicated. I have heard some experts discuss the Bretton Woods plan, and have come to the conclusion that the experts themselves are not too certain in their own minds as to just how well the plan will work.

There are a few fundamental things on which a member of congress may base his judgment on this legislation, and he will then have to take the details and technicalities on faith. Some form of international understanding on the subject of money should be arrived at as soon as possible. Such economic cooperation must logically go side by side with international social and political understandings. It would not seem practical to have an international agreement designed to prevent aggression and preserve peace entered into by nations having policies of extreme economic nationalism.

The Bretton Woods agreements represent a compromise as between several extreme opinions. Whether or not the compromise is good remains to be seen. At any rate, it seems to me we should do our part in endeavoring to make the plan work, since, questionable as some of the features of it are, the Bretton Woods agreemnts are certainly better than nothing at all.

Summer Recess. Current cloak room gossip is to the effect that congress can complete all urgent business and begin a two months' summer recess on July 10. I hope that will be possible, but I doubt it.

Discharge Flag Emblem. Provision for the recognition of the honorably discharged veteran on the service flag displayed by his immediate family and affiliated organizations has been announced by the War department. The design of the lapel button for honorable service worn by the discharged soldier will be used as the symbol.

For each individual who has been honorably discharged from the armed forces, the design may be placed on the flag in lieu of the blue star. When two or more individuals are represented, the design of the discharged veteran will replace the star or stars nearest the fly end of the flag. Organizations may use one symbol and the number of members below it in Arabic numerals, are with blue and gold stars.

The design will be gold in color, like its counterpart, the lapel button. To make the symbol stand out from the white background of the flag, the design will be edged in blue.

The new provision is made by the secretary of war, who is authorized to approve the design of the service flag and lapel button for honorable service and to issue regulations concerning their use and display. It is presumed that the same rules will apply to obtaining the flag design as does to acquiring the lapel button, that is, evidence of authority to purchase the design must be exhibited to the dealer before a sale can be made.

U. S. Naval Leader

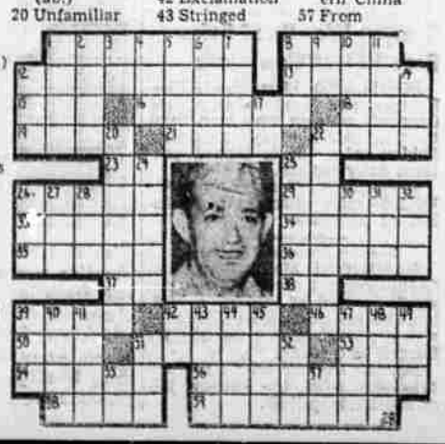
Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured U. S. naval leader, Rear-Adml. C. A. F ——
8 He commanded a naval —— unit in the battle for the Philippines
12 In his unit were six baby ——
13 Bury
15 Belonging to us
16 Amatory
18 Affirmative vote
19 Obtains
21 Afresh
22 Formerly
23 Toward
25 Average (ab.)
26 Vigilant
29 Victim of leprosy
33 Procreated
34 Silly
35 Make amends
36 Clamping devices
37 Gram (ab.)
38 Half-em
39 Fury
42 Exclamations
46 Seize
50 United States Navy (ab.)
51 Musical characters
53 High priest
54 Irritate
55 Computed
56 Operatic solo
59 He fought in the —— theater

VERTICAL

1 Twist (coll.)
2 Portion
3 Right (ab.)
4 Consumed
5 Mountains in north Nigeria
6 Atop
7 Town in Italy
8 Muscular twitch
9 Any
10 Stellar body
11 Pitches of tone
12 Bewilderment
14 Steep
17 Isle of Wight (ab.)
20 Unfamiliar
22 Leveling
24 Weasel-like carnivore
25 Living
26 Sleeveless garment
27 Permit
28 Self
30 Dance step
31 Compass point
32 Legal point
39 Groove
40 On the ocean
41 Snarl
42 Exclamation
43 Stringed musical instrument
44 Space
45 Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children (ab.)
47 Rumanian city
48 Fish sauce
49 Offer
51 Ocean
52 Runner on snow
55 River in southern China
57 From



Beavers' Lead Cut To One Game; Lose 13-Frame Battle

(By the Associated Press)

Seattle's baseball machine, disregarding all speed rules in its race toward the top of the Pacific Coast league, had rolled directly behind the stalled Portland Beavers today as only a game separated the two teams.

Portland, whose gears slipped into reverse a week ago, dropped its third straight last night to San Francisco in 13 innings for the Beavers' seventh loss in eight games, while the Rainiers were taking their fourth in a row from Los Angeles.

Almost as startling as the league leaders' decline is the sudden resurgence of the tail-end Hollywood Stars, who equalled their longest winning streak of the season in copping their third in succession from Sacramento. Oakland continued its steady pace against San Diego, making it three out of four.

Portland presented the Seals with an unearned run in the first of the 13th to lose 5-4. Pinch-hitter Joyce worked Southpaw Cohen for a walk, went to second on Uhalt's sacrifice and scored when Shone let Nicely's single to center get away from him.

Seattle spotted the Angels to a one-run lead in the sixth inning, but scored two runs in the seventh and eighth frames to win 2-1.

Hollywood's 10-6 win over Sacramento dropped the Solons into a tie with the Seals for fifth place.

Oakland's 6-0 decision over San Diego kept the Acorns within three and a half games of the Rainiers and put them only four and a half from the top.

2 New Grapplers on Tonight's Card Here

Two newcomers to Douglas county wrestling followers, but well known in the light-heavyweight division from the Atlantic to the Pacific, will make their local debuts at the Roseburg armory tonight. Matchmaker Don Owen's weekly mat show is scheduled to open at 8:30 o'clock, with a three-round mitt match, featuring local talent.

One of the newcomers will be Antone Leone', highly-touted French villain from Oyster Bay, New York. The rough-and-tough grappler, undefeated in the Pacific during a month's campaign, will meet Tex Hager, popular young Lane county matman who has an enviable record here.

The other new face will be a handsome one—that of Kenny Ackles, youthful grappler from Hollywood, who will meet rugged Buck Davidson, tough ex-marine, in the semi-final event.

Elton Owen will referee all three bouts.

Joe Kahut Kayoes Kennedy; Winner's Physician Dies

PORTLAND, May 26.—(AP)—Despite fracturing his left thumb in the third round, Sailor Joe Kahut, 180, floored 197-pound Moose Kennedy of Vancouver, Wash., nine times last night, finally winning a technical knockout in the ninth round of their scheduled 10-round bout. Eight of the knockdowns were for nine counts.

In other bouts, Powder Proctor, 161, Portland, knocked out Al Berro, 154, Portland, in the third round, after being floored himself for an eight count in the second; Leroy Durst, 150, Longview, scored a TKO over Kelly Jackson, 146, Portland, in the 10th round.

Dr. Edward S. Donnely, 64, of Woodburn, died last night en route to a hospital after collapsing in the dressing room of Kahut while waiting for the fighter to return.

Donnely had been for a long time the Kahut family physician.

Graziano Defeats Davis By Fourth Round TKO

NEW YORK, May 26—(AP)—Rocky Graziano started training today to meet welterweight Champion Freddie "Red" Cochrane in a non-title bout June 29, having earned the chance by virtue of a four-round technical knockout of Brooklyn's Al "Bummy" Davis in a punch-filled brawl at Madison Square Garden.

Graziano gained his decision over Davis last night after Bummy was floored with a right to the jaw after the bell rang ending the third round.

Referee Susskind stopped the scrap after 44 seconds of the fourth stanza.

Fingerprints

OMAHA, May 26.—(AP)—The police radio crackled out this warning:

"Attention all cars, attention all cars: the call boxes in the western part of the city are being painted. Be on the lookout."

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