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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and Friday; occasional light rain Friday. Highest temp. for any Oct. 96 Lowest temp. for any Oct. 22

In the Day's News

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edly not blueprinting their political intentions.

THIS is the thinking about Russia that prevails among intelligent Americans and British: If Stalin decides (he apparently will do the deciding) that Russia is big enough now, that she has problems enough within her own borders to keep her busy for a couple of generations, that she has had enough war to last her quite awhile and that so far as she is concerned communism will be something for HOME USE rather than for EXPORT, we shall be able to get along with Russia admirably in the future.

If, on the other hand, she decides upon a program of spreading her communist system throughout the world—well, in that event, nothing but trouble lies ahead. But as yet there are no plain signs in the sky that such a program is in the making. And the agreement that was reached between the Chungking Chinese and Moscow, which promptly brought the Chinese communists to Chungking, with their hats in their hands and carrying a program for burying the hatchet, doesn't look like Russian communism rampant and bent upon enveloping the world.

THIS writer is still greatly impressed by the Russian watch buyers in Berlin. (Described in a recent column.) If that means what it SEEMS to mean—that is, that Russians are just as intent on GETTING SOMETHING FOR THEMSELVES, as INDIVIDUALS, as any other people—it foreshadows a change from WITHIN in the Russian communist system.

ALWAYS we must remember that communism as we know it in America and communism in a great deal of Europe are DIFFERENT THINGS. Our American system, with all its shortcomings, has at least brought to our people the highest AVERAGE standard of living in the world. The European system was described in this writer the other day by a European as a system primarily designed to keep the top 25 per cent from falling out of the honey. The more you see of continental Europe (the Scandinavian countries excepted) the less you find it in your heart to blame these people for turning to communism.

We would be fools to turn to communism, for the BEST it has to offer isn't as good as our WORST. But in a lot of Europe communism DOES have something to offer, and you can't blame those people for turning toward it with perhaps something of hope in their eyes.

AZALEA — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill, Sr., at the Myrtle Creek hospital, Oct. 2, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, weight eight pounds five ounces. Helen Curtis from Blachley visited here several days last week with his father, Lester Curtis, and uncle, Bill Curtis. Mrs. Martin Neuman from Grants Pass visited here Sunday with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neuman. Mrs. Millie Spaulding from Medford visited here several days last week with friends. Mrs. Henry Gaudelock attended the W.C.T.U. convention in Roseburg Wednesday. Mrs. Donald Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Mrs. Ralph Brady, and Mrs. Stanley Janizer attended the funeral of Mrs. Effie Eskin in Roseburg Thursday.

PROMOTING TOURIST TRADE

By Charles V. Stanton A meeting was held recently at Salem by a steering committee of 80 men, serving as a promotional group under Governor Earl Snell, to outline preliminary plans to meet an expected influx of tourists.

A press report regarding the meeting says: First task which the committee will begin is that of making Oregon ready for tourists. This, they believe may be done by educating the residents of the state to revive "traditional Oregon courtesy," and to improve hotels, auto camps and other facilities for tourists.

We commend the committee's action. But, in our opinion, we are simply "gilding the lily" and allowing the perfume—the aroma that attracts the butterflies—to be dissipated and wasted. Naturally, we can expect a limited amount of tourist travel without attempting to encourage or promote tourist revenue. But Oregon is rapidly becoming conscious of what the tourist business can mean in the postwar era. California to the south receives about \$400,000,000 annually from tourists. Washington's prewar take was more than \$90,000,000. In comparison, Oregon's \$40,000,000 seems puny indeed.

Governor Snell is determined to bring Oregon's tourist business to at least \$100,000,000 in the postwar era, and we believe he will be successful. But that sum is only a starter if Oregon really settles down to the job of promoting full benefit from tourist trade.

We, of course, need better roads. But those roads can serve simply to get the people through our state more rapidly and thus produce less instead of more revenue. We need accommodations for tourists. We need "traditional Oregon courtesy."

But what promotes tourist travel? Good roads are desirable but not necessary. There are plenty of examples of tourists traveling the most dangerous roads to reach some place they are determined to visit. Scenery, attractive surroundings and good accommodations are strong promotional factors. But through carelessness hundreds of thousands of acres of the finest Oregon scenery, resources are blackened by forest fires every year. Ruthless logging operations strip forest cover from roads and streams and denude hillsides.

No one can question, we believe, the fact that good fishing and hunting will do more to attract tourist dollars than any other resource. Yet we are dissipating our fishing resources at even a faster pace than we are destroying our forests. A tourist who is traveling simply to see the scenery never stays long in one place. He moves rapidly, trying to see as much as possible in a limited space of time. He leaves only a minimum amount of money. But the fisherman on vacation stays fairly close to one particular area and spends money like the proverbial drunken sailor.

No road is bad enough to deter a fisherman from reaching a spot where good fishing is to be found. If accommodations are not available, he will provide himself with a camp outfit. Develop Oregon fishing waters and you couldn't keep out tourist fishermen. They would flock in from every state in the Union. For no matter how good fishing may be in their own states, "the pasture always is greener on the other side of the fence."

If Oregon really is serious about attracting tourists and tourist dollars, then, in our opinion, the place to start is in the field of conservation and propagation of wild life. Halt, immediately, the dissipation of our fishing resources by the selfish fishing industry, which is rapidly destroying the recreational value of our streams; give nature a chance to replenish our streams with fish. Do that and Oregon will have a boom in tourist business, even if we never build or improve another road and even though we might be discourteous enough to beat the tourists back with clubs. A fisherman will go where there's fish, despite every obstacle.

We intend no criticism of the program being developed to promote tourist travel. In fact, we believe the committee has propounded some excellent plans. The matter of fish life in our streams has been made a political issue and is not one in which the committee is prepared to take sides. It is an issue which must be determined by the PEOPLE of Oregon. But, if we want to see a huge tourist business built up in this state, the proper place to begin is in the field of wild life and fish conservation.

Nationalizing of Bank of England Provided in Bill

LONDON, Oct. 11.—(AP)—The labor government disclosed its plans yesterday for nationalizing the Bank of England—the first major measure in its broad program of social legislation for Great Britain.

Chairman of the Exchequer Hugh Dalton presented to Commons a measure which would bring the stock of the "Old Lady of Threadneedle Street" into public ownership and place the bank under public control. The bill also provides establishment of future relations between the Bank of England, the British treasury and other banks. Under the plan, holders of bank stock will receive in exchange a 7 per cent bearing government stock. The amount of government stock to be issued any holder will be arranged so the annual interest is equal to the average annual gross dividend declared during the last 20 years. (Exchange Telegraph said the amount of capital stock of the bank now outstanding is £14,333,000,000, and that the average annual gross dividend on bank stock during the last 20 years was 12 per cent.) Two British representatives currently are negotiating in Washington for a grant-in-aid or long-term loan at low interest of \$5,000,000,000 to \$6,000,000,000. The bank, under the plan,

Past Complacency Upset; Marshall's Warning Follows

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR. (Ap Foreign Affairs Analyst) Twenty years ago today America was preparing to get rich quick, wary over a thing of the past, the Washington disarmament conference had left us feeling that we didn't even need the small defensive navy agreed upon, and all was right with the world.

A few voices raised in protest were drowned out by the clamorous search for normalcy. The United States Army was limited by law to 280,000 men, congress appropriated for 144,000, and actual strength was 133,000. To be sure, German failure to disarm under the Versailles treaty had forced extension of the original time limit for occupation of Cologne and the Rhineland, but the troops finally were moving out of the Ruhr. Mussolini had mobilized his Fascist national guard and closed all rival political clubs.

The American acting consul at Leghorn, Italy, was seriously beaten by Fascists. Scraps of Paper But the League of Nations agreed on the initial steps of a further disarmament program, and signed new protocols covering "humane" warfare. Germany, under the man who built the Hindenburg line which American troops had been called upon to break in 1918, was at the forefront among the signers.

Twenty years ago today, at Locarno, the nations of Europe were in a conference which resulted in numerous agreements to preserve them "from the scourge of war" and providing for "peaceful settlement of disputes of every nature which might eventually arise between them." Germany agreed to liquidate her general staff, place a civilian at the head of her military establishment, and to prevent military training of German youth.

The United States was interested in the trial of a Tennessee school teacher for teaching evolution; in telephone numbers of bootleggers and in fights on "Fium Row." Clarence Darrow, and his two associates in the defense of two boys for the killing of a third in Chicago, accepted a \$130,000 fee when the boys got off with life sentences.

That was twenty years ago. Marshall Now Warns Today Gen. Marshall, after one of the most calamitous wars in history, reminds America that a rich nation which lays down its arms in this age of terrifying and fantastic new weapons, courts catastrophe. Two hundred thousand Americans have died in combat in the past four years, many of them, as the Marshall report infers, because America didn't have proper organization and weapons. He says Germany had some better weapons and more of them—better tanks, better guns, better powder.

"The fact that we overtook Germany's head start on the atomic explosive is comforting," he says in a neat bit of understatement, "but certainly should not lull us again into a state of complacent inertia."

KRRR Mutual Broadcasting System 1490 Kilocycles

- REMAINING HOURS TODAY 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co. 4:15—Rex Miller, Nabisco. 4:30—Erskine Johnson, Bathasewent. 4:45—Gospel Messages, Church of Christ. 5:00—The Harmonizer. 5:15—Superman, Kellogg. 5:30—Captain Midnight, Wander Co. 5:45—Tom Mix, Ralston Parina. 6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Foxhau's Tooth Paste. 6:15—Made You Remember, Douglas Supply. 6:30—Spotlight Spectacle, Conit. 7:00—State and Local News, Keel Motors. 7:05—Musical Interlude. 7:15—Crown Mill Mysteries. 7:30—Dinner Concert. 7:45—Evening Melodics, G. W. Young and Son. 7:55—House of Melody, Copon. 8:00—Hating Hammond, Haver Sham-pain. 8:30—Rogers' Gallery, Elich Co. 8:45—Aika Seltzer News, Miles Labs. 9:15—Rex Miller, Wildwest. 9:30—King's Men. 9:45—The Ravera and His Orchestra. 10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Hansen Lisa. 10:15—Musical for the Night. 10:30—Sign Off.

Reds Think Allies Too Easy on Nazis

LONDON, Oct. 10.—(AP)—The Moscow radio accused "influential" but unnamed American and British groups today of working to preserve the "military and economic might of Germany."

The broadcast asserted that some representatives of allied air ministrations in Germany were encouraging the restoration of the German war potential and were backed by big groups of politicians and industrialists in the United States and Great Britain. "They cloak their proceedings under benevolent intentions, such as if Germany is reduced to the rank of a second rate power; industrially, then Europe as a whole will lose much of its cultural development," the broadcast said. "This is an utterly false basis." "All the power of public opinion in Europe and America must be concentrated on seeing that the decisions of the Berlin tripartite conference on complete and genuine disarmament of Germany are put into effect."

DAILY DEVOTIONS DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

Suppose there should come to my door one day, a messenger from a great king, bringing me a treasure of untold wealth. The only condition in receiving it would be that I should use it carefully so that it would bring joy to me and my friends. Then suppose I should refuse this wonderful gift. How many people there would be who would say: "Wasn't he a fool?" There came to the door of my heart one day a messenger from the King of Kings, bringing to me as a gift of love divine, a treasure of untold worth—eternal salvation. My only obligation in accepting it was that I should use it so that it would bring joy into the lives of my friends and into my own life. But what if I turned down the gift? I would have been of all men most foolish. For the grace of God hath appeared, bringing salvation to all men—those who accept the proffered gift obtain the joy of eternal life. Those who refuse it turn their backs upon the only wealth that is permanent and full of joy. Holman Hunt has beautifully portrayed the Christ in Art, standing at our heart's door and saying, "Behold, I stand at the door and knock."—Amen.

DIAL-LOG

There's murder in the air tonight—that is if you're tuned to 1450. First it's Bulldog Drummond and his death-defying adventures at 8:00; then there's the new thriller-chiller-super-diller, Rogues Gallery at 8:30. Of course, if you're not a devotee of the whodunits, you'll find some very excellent music coming your way between 7:30 and 8:00. We're really getting back in the groove on programs now. The Wheel of Fortune will spin tomorrow morning, for the first time since October 1, and all of the other regularly scheduled shows are back in their accustomed places. We'd like to remind you that there's lots of good listening in the early A. M. The 7 o'clock news is tops (even if we haven't heard it since the V-J day watch), and Smile Time is always good for a chuckle or two. We'll admit that it's corn, but sometimes the antiquity of the jokes make them amusing, and the music is the right kind for those very early hours when you need to be cheered up.

Stated for Release FORT LEWIS, Wash.—Herbert L. Northcraft of Brockway, Ore., who for the past three and one-half years has served in the AAF will revert to inactive status on October 30. It was announced today by Lt. Col. Harvey D. Taylor, commanding the separation center here. Lieut. Northcraft will return to Brockway, where he will resume his profession of civil engineering.

NEWS OF OUR MEN—WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Two Douglas county men, Gail Deardorff, S. I. C. Myrtle Creek, and Coxswain Emerson Rohrbough, Roseburg, are serving on the U.S.S. Cape Johnson, a troop transport which has seen much service in the Pacific war. The transport operated in the Salpan-Tinian, Layete, Luzon, Iwo Jima and other campaigns, prior to her last assignment, which was transporting the 98th division to Japan.

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POTATO WORKERS NEEDED IN KLAMATH COUNTY Potato digging has started in earnest in the Klamath Basin and will continue at this rate for thirty days. Pickers are badly needed. Picking rate is 5c per 60 pounds, with special upward adjustments in poor fields. Other labor is \$1.25 per hour. Camping equipment with bedding and tents is usually needed. Workers should register at the Farm Labor Office, 116 South 6th Street, Klamath Falls.

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