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The Weather
U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon
Forecast for Roseburg and vi-
cinity: Light rain tonight and
Saturday; snow over higher
mountains and colder Saturday.
Highest temp. for any Oct.—96
Lowest temp. for any Oct.—22
Highest temp. yesterday—68
Lowest temp. last night—36
Precipitation yesterday—0
Precipitation from Oct. 1—.77
Deficit from Oct. 1, 1945—1.16
Deficit from Sept. 1, 1945—1.36

In the Day's News
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thought the other day in a speech before a Foreign Policy association forum in New York. Pointing out that the bulk of our war-making potential lies in 20 large metropolitan areas, containing 40 million people, he said:

"In one night of carefully planned attack without warning, we could be paralyzed."

THE problem that faces us is just that serious. We can't afford to do the wrong thing. Particularly, we can't afford to do the wrong thing because we lack the stamina to do the RIGHT thing.

BUT you may say, how do we know that peace-time conscription is the right thing?

Well, when you're sick and face the danger of death, you consult the best doctor, or doctors, you can find, and in the end you take his, or their, advice. That is to say, you rely, in a matter involving life or death, on EXPERTS.

In this matter of national defense we shall have to rely largely upon the judgment of our experts.

THIS much, however, is fairly certain:

If we finally adopt peace-time conscription and then dust off hands and say complacently: "It's all set now, and nothing can harm us" we shall be in greater danger than ever.

The French said that about their Maginot line, and look what happened to them. We mustn't just adopt peace-time conscription and think that settles it and we don't need to worry any more.

We shall have to do everything that is necessary. Military training for our young men can be at best only one item in a program.

THERE are hints in the news that Russia is beginning to move decisively toward control of the Dardanelles.

If you're wise, you won't get unduly excited over this development. It has been obvious from the start that sooner or later Russia would do just that. The Dardanelles means as much to the Russians, in their present state of development, as the Panama Canal meant to us.

Remember this:

If other nations had tried to USE FORCE to prevent us from building the canal, WE WOULD HAVE FOUGHT.

It is probable that Russia is in the same mood.

WE must never wholly forget that when we were rising to be a great world power other nations feared us—as we now more or less fear Russia. But we knew what we wanted and were willing to fight to get it. We have to keep in mind that Russia is now where we were then.

Other nations found in time that they could get along with us. We must hope that we can get along with Russia.

LETTERS to the Editor

JUNIOR PATROL CITED IN ACCIDENT STATISTICS
Editor News-Review:
The week October 22 to 27 has been designated Oregon Safety Week and being personally interested in accident prevention and safety work, would like to stress the importance of accident prevention. Statistics from the National Safety Council show that in the United States nearly one out of every three accidental deaths of school age children in

MILITARY TRAINING

By Charles V. Stanton

Compulsory military training is again becoming a paramount national issue. We hope serious consideration will be given a program of compulsory National Guard training, rather than insistence upon a year's schooling with the Regular Army. Certainly the record of the 41st division, should dispel any doubts of National Guard efficiency in preparation for war.

Most advocates of compulsory military training would require a young man to spend one year of his life learning the rudiments of warfare. Personally, we believe any young man would receive far more benefit, physically, mentally and socially in this one year of military training than from an equal length of time in school.

Too many young men today enter into adulthood without proper preparation. Pampered by indulgent parents, undisciplined, never required to make an important decision or forced to rely upon their own ability, many young people are handicapped when the time comes to strike out for themselves. Omitting entirely any consideration of the value of military training as a part of our national defense program, the personal benefit to be gained by any man from training in military life is well worth the year's time.

He learns discipline. Training in physical conditioning and personal hygiene is conducive to longer active life. He learns self reliance and self confidence, overcoming inferiority complexes resulting from over-indulgent home supervision. Any young man would be better prepared for adulthood by a year's compulsory military training, even though he might never be called upon to bear arms.

In the event of war, he would have a far better chance of survival if trained in military fundamentals. Casualties of all wars prove definitely that the death rate decreases astonishingly in proportion to length of service. Casualties are highest among raw troops. After a few days under fire, a soldier has a far better chance of survival, for he learns methods of self protection. To send inadequately trained troops into battle costs many lives which could have been spared had training been sufficient.

Thus compulsory military training offers a participant physical, mental and social development not otherwise obtainable, and at the same time provides training in self preservation in case of national emergency.

But there are many disadvantages in taking a year out of a young man's life for military training. In our opinion, the same benefits may be obtained closer at home, without interfering with his education, trade or career, through the National Guard program.

Regular Army men have discounted the ability of the National Guard and the value of its training program. But a study of achievements in the last two wars will prove that National Guard troops have performed most efficiently. The 41st division from the Pacific Northwest has been proclaimed by military experts as one of the best outfits in the entire U. S. Army. It served longer in a combat zone than any American troops in history. It was longer in continuous contact with the enemy than any other unit. It won more unit and individual citations. Yet its casualties were extremely low in proportion to the number and character of engagements in which it successfully participated. The 41st division was the product of National Guard training inaugurated by the late General George White, whose prophetic vision of the Pacific war was in large measure responsible for the revolutionary tactics developed by this division, often under adverse criticism from Regular Army tacticians.

We, of course, do not presume to be expert in military affairs, but we believe if every young man was required to serve a three-year enlistment period in the National Guard he would obtain every benefit which could be derived under a program of a year's Regular Army training and at the same time could pursue normal educational activities. Increased National Guard membership, at the same time, would permit more adequate training and more effective summer drill camps, where all necessary instruction in military affairs could be obtained.

1944 resulted from a motor vehicle accident.

The rate was 9.4 per 100,000 children, a 6 per cent increase over the 1943 motor vehicle rate for children 5 to 14 years old.

The child rate of 9.4 was only about half of the all-age rate of 18.3.

Injuries of school-age children by motor vehicles totaled 110,000, 13 per cent of all motor vehicle injuries in the country.

Since children 5 to 14 years of age make up 16 1/2 per cent of the population, the injury rate was substantially below that of the nation.

In contrast, 39 per cent of the injured pedestrians and 62 per cent of the injured bicycle riders were children 5 to 14 years.

Since 1922, the year in which a national safety education program was begun, the motor vehicle death rate for school children has declined 33 per cent while the all-age group increased 31 per cent.

So we can readily see that the only way to hold accidents down to a minimum is by the human, and only, method and that is accident prevention.

The Junior Safety Patrol, sponsored by the Roseburg Lions club, is a very important part of this safety education program, and every school day you will find these boys on the job, "rain or shine" doing their duty in protecting our children crossing the streets and highways, never complaining and always smiling.

EARL A. HENRY,
1029 E. 3rd St.
Roseburg, Oregon

Party to Be Held—Alpha Zeta Theta Rho Girls club will hold a masquerade party Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the L.O.O.F. hall. Each member is privileged to bring two guests.

Mrs. Nance, a lay missionary from Immanuel temple here, isn't going to rest very long. She's going back with the four children to China, where her husband is still working.

OUT OUR WAY



DIAL-LOG

Lily Pons sings "Gilda" in tonight's opera broadcast of "Elegio" time of broadcast approximately an hour and 25 minutes. Tomorrow night is the last opera of the season—"Aida," the final broadcast, will run from 10 until past 11:30. Earlier in the evening you'll hear Nero Wolfe, that orchidaceous sleuth, at 8 and Freedom of Opportunity at 8:30. Football scores from the local game, of course.

Remember House of Mystery at 9 o'clock in the morning, kids. It's the humorous story of a sleepy ghost who couldn't pass his examination of haunting a house. Right in the groove for Halloween. Navy day celebration from 10:30 to 11 A. M. on Saturday, with Les Marcus show from Portland taking the 11 spot. Football in the afternoon, with broadcast starting at 1:15. Remember the 5 o'clock show on Saturday, too. Leave it to the Girls is one of the best half-hours on the air.

Advance tips: Quick as a Flash on Sunday at 3 has a special guest this week, Lewis E. Lawes, former warden of Sing Sing, will be on hand to present a dramatized version of one of his real life experiences, as the puzzle for the \$101 race of the afternoon.

Begin Making Pipe
Installation of machinery and equipment for manufacture of concrete pipe and culverts is announced by Buckley Bell of the Ready Mix Cement company. Manufacture of pipe in all generally used sizes has been started, Bell reports.

KRRR
Mutual Broadcasting System,
1490 Kilocycles

REMAINING HOURS TODAY
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chem.
4:15—Rex Miller, Nat'l Biscuit Co.
4:30—Erskine Johnson, Puzos.
4:45—Let's Dance.
5:00—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.
5:30—Columbia Midnight, Wander Co.
5:45—Adventures of Tom Mix, Rabson Purina.
6:00—Spotlight, Heatter, Krenel.
6:15—U. S. Recap of Sports, U. S. Tire Store.
6:30—Spotlight Bands, Coca Cola.
6:45—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
7:00—Musical Interlude.
7:15—Rhythm Round-Up, Lockwood Motors.
7:30—The Lone Ranger.
7:45—Nero Wolfe, Jorgens.
8:00—Freedom of Opportunity, Mutual Benefit Co.
8:15—Alka Seltzer News, Miles Laboratories.
8:30—Rex Miller, State, Inc.
8:45—H. Neighor, Carsten's Furniture.
9:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Roseburg Pharmacy.
9:15—Gateway Opera, Gateway Stores, Sign Off.

Saturday, October 27, 1945
6:30—Yawn Patrol.
6:45—Treasury Salute.
7:00—Nero Wolfe, White King Soap.
7:15—Timothy Farm News.
7:30—State and Local News, Boeing Aircraft.
7:45—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Harvey of Red, Crew of Good Luck, The Guy.
8:15—Give Away, Jambores, Fisher Flour.
8:30—Four Little Girls.
8:45—Roseburg Pharmacy Preview.
9:00—House of Mystery, Post Toasties.
9:15—Happen the Day.
9:30—Melody Mart.
9:45—Alka Seltzer News, Miles Laboratories.
10:00—Official Navy Day Celebration.
10:15—Let's Matinee Audience Show, Fisher.
10:30—Saturday, Surendre.
10:45—George Sweeney's Orchestra.
11:00—Musical Interlude.
11:15—Sports Review, Danham Transfer.
11:30—Musical Interlude.
11:45—Radio Summary, Associated Discounter.
12:00—Spotlight at Handson.
12:15—State and Local News, Hanson Motor Co.
12:30—NewsReview of the Air.
12:45—Terminal Market Reports, Sig Marder.
1:00—Man on the Street, Henninger's Meats.
1:15—40 vs. Washington, Associated.
1:30—News, Golden Grain Meats.
1:45—Canary Pet Shop, Bart Mount.
2:00—Football Round-Up, Ray Buckley Motors.
2:15—Leave It to the Girls.
2:30—U. S. A. Program.
2:45—Downway in Melody.
3:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
3:15—Musical Interlude.
3:30—Dinner Music.
3:45—Hour of Mystery.
4:00—Time Club.
4:15—Classical Serenade.
4:30—Alka Seltzer News.
4:45—Service Salute, E. G. Wich.
5:00—Harry Gold's Orchestra.
5:15—Mutual Broadcasts the News.
5:30—Inferno Opera, Gateway Stores, Sign Off.

Although the discharge of servicemen by reason of age or point accumulation is proceeding as rapidly as shipping and facilities permit at this time, there are many cases involving dependency and undue hardship where a discharge may be granted outside of the point requirements.

Applications for discharge because of dependency or hardship must be filed by the serviceman with his commanding officer. The application must be accompanied by evidence indicating the necessity for discharging the serviceman to relieve or prevent ex-

DANCE
Every Saturday Night
Evergreen Grange Hall
"Fiddlin' Fools"
Admission
Adults—60c, Tax Incl.
Grade school children 10c
Dancing from 9 to 1

Monthly Festival Of Music Dated at Methodist Church

The Sunday Evening club of the First Methodist church will present at 7:30 P. M. Sunday the second in a series of "Music Festivals" featuring the combined choirs of the church, with added individual vocal and instrumental numbers. It was announced today by the pastor, W. A. MacArthur. Once each month the music department of the church is presented in a "festival" of sacred music. Guest artists on this program will be the girls chorus from Junior High school under the direction of Mrs. Ormer Monger. The public is invited to attend this evening of music. Included in the program will be the following numbers:

Organ prelude—Mrs. Paul Geddes
"Dear Lord, and Father of Mankind"—Choir
Invocation—"Holy Father, We Adore Thee"—Bortniansky-Choir
Soloist—Mrs. A. J. Ellison
"Beautiful Saviour"—Junior High school girls chorus under direction of Mrs. Ormer Monger
"Hark, Hark, My Soul"—Duet Mrs. A. J. Ellison, soprano H. D. Scott, baritone
"My God and I"—Choir
Offertory—Mrs. Paul Geddes
"Meditation on Bach's 1st Prelude"—Instrumental Duet Mrs. Paul Geddes, organist Mrs. Tom McNeill, pianist
"Shine on Me"
Negro spiritual—Male quartet H. D. Scott, Les Irvin,

Halloween Dance
DEL REY INN
Saturday, October 27th
Come One — Come All
Vic Rice and Band
Sponsored by
TRAILDUST SADDLE CLUB

COMPLETE FARM SALE
Sunday, October 28th
At the William Cresswell Farm
One Mile East of Camas Valley Store
Sale Starting at One O'clock

Cattle
One cow, six years old, three gallons a day. Fresh in March. One Guernsey heifer, two months old, fresh in January. Four heifer calves, seven months old. Two steers, seven months old. One bull calf, six months old.

Horses
One riding horse, nine years old, gentle for children.

Hogs
One brood sow, farrow in January. One white boar, six months old, extra nice.

Machinery
One Titan power saw, and all equipment, in extra good shape.

House Furniture
1 Davene, 1 big arm chair to match, 1 dining room set, table and chairs, 2 breakfast tables, 2 smoking stands, 1 card table, 1 foot stool, 1 Lane hand-engraved cedar chest, nearly new, 1 hand engraved stand table, 1 Zenith radio, cabinet, 1 Philco radio, both good shape; 1 floor lamp, 1 bed and dresser, extra chairs, 1 electric percolator, 2 electric irons, 1 sandwich toaster, 1 complete set of dishes for eight, a lot of extra dishes, a lot of kettles and pans, and cooking utensils; several drapes and curtains, 1 electric fan, 1 30-30 carbine rifle, Winchester, Model 84; 1 cocktail table, 1 22 rifle, Mosburg; 1 chest of carpenter tools, blow torches, soldering irons, one good saddle, bridle, set of Crockett's spurs and rope. A lot of miscellaneous articles too numerous to mention.

Jack Johnston, Auctioneer
Gordon Beavens, Clerk

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