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The Weather

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Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

In the Day's News

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answer to these questions. Iran may provide the answer.

CHURCHILL'S speeches both cleared and sharpened the issue. Following them, Russia disclosed her hand—A LITTLE.

Our State Secretary Byrnes thereupon asserts in a speech that this country has no intention of joining a military alliance with Britain AGAINST RUSSIA or with Russia AGAINST BRITAIN.

The United States takes the United Nations SERIOUSLY and is building its foreign policy upon that organization.

THAT is to say, we insist that Russia shall take her troubles with Iran (and later with Turkey) to UNO for decision instead of settling them at first hand.

THIS is the whole issue: Shall we ABANDON the vision of international co-operation toward world peace, or shall we BACK IT UP?

At the moment, it looks as if Iran may tell the tale as to what Russia's choice is to be.

WHAT Russia is attempting to do in Iran is identical with what we did in Texas.

When, by a combination of flinching and force, we took Texas from Mexico there WAS NO UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION.

There is one now. We must either stand back of it or repudiate it.

ON the home political front, there is an interesting development.

The Progressive party of Wisconsin, following the advice of its leader, Senator Robert M. La Follette, decides to abandon its party identity and rejoin the Republican party.

The session at which this decision was reached was a stormy one. Some of the delegates wanted to join the Democrats. Others wanted to retain the Progressive party identity.

TWO important admissions are involved: 1. Third parties are INEFFECTIVE in America.

2. Men of the type of the Wisconsin Progressives feel that they have more to gain in the Republican party than in the Democratic.

It is significant that men of this type see hope of REBIRTH of the Republican party, it is significant.

Oregon Wheat Helps Feed Starving People

An increasing volume of Oregon wheat is on its way to relieve famine conditions abroad. Some 20 ships are loading wheat in Portland now, as a result of heavy movement from interior elevators in the past several weeks.

THE POWER OF FEAR

By CHARLES V. STANTON

The threat of death sentence hangs over the OPA in Washington as trial of that federal agency progresses this week before the House Banking and Currency Committee.

Press reports recently carried the views of Robert W. Wason, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, an organization which is endeavoring to persuade Congress to abolish OPA immediately.

While Wason represents a group which has an "axe to grind" in the current controversy, he struck what we believe is a vital thought when he assailed "OPA's propaganda campaign to frighten the country into a new lease on life for price controls."

While preaching a doctrine of "freedom from fear," the administration has been using fear as one of its most effective propaganda weapons.

We have been bombarded with propaganda stressing the danger of inflation, the disastrous effects of inflation and have been made to believe the OPA is the sturdy bulwark standing alone in preventing an inflationary crisis which would wreck our nation.

For instance, we have the preface to a message by Chester Bowles in a 40-page bulletin (on newsprint) containing "Information About the Government's Wage-Price Policy."

"We Americans have every reason to look to the future with confidence. The war taught us that we have vast productive capacity. We know, too, from five years of experience with the greatest inflationary pressures in history, that the cost of living can be and has been kept in line."

OPA propaganda has made much of the inflation which followed the first World War. We have been told what terrible things happened then and that only the OPA can prevent them from happening again.

Yet the average of prices we are now paying in the stores is just about the same as it was in 1919.

Bowles, of course, points out that industrial wages are twice what they were in 1919 the top year in the inflation period of the first World War, so that really the inflation is only one-half as bad as it was in 1919.

The American people are being threatened with a "bogeyman." Administration leaders in public utterances view with alarm the imminent danger of inflation.

And such is the power of fear that they're getting away with it.

lower were bottlenecking shipments.

A survey in the Columbia Basin counties indicated that less than 25 per cent of Oregon's 1945 crop remained in country elevators, and only about 5 per cent still was in the hands of producers.

The smallest world wheat crop since 1929 is a big factor in the current world shortage of this important food.

The U. S. harvest was a record-breaking 1.1 billion bushels but Australia and Argentina had below-average crops.

THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1946

6:30—Yawn Patrol. 6:45—Football Club. 7:00—Scherer's Auction. 7:30—News. L. A. Soap Co.

Truman Appeals To Home Owners For Food Gardens

Because of the world-wide food scarcity, President Truman has called on Victory gardeners to continue in 1946 the home production of vegetables which added so much to the national food supply during the war.

The president's appeal will take many gardeners by surprise, and cause them to change their plans, if they had expected to convert their vegetable plots to flowers this spring.

Reports of reduced commercial production and higher costs have been widely current, and predictions of a curtailed pack of canned goods have been made.

The president's appeal asks for both production and preserving of food by amateurs, just as during the war, in order to increase the country's total supply.

Immediate steps to inaugurate a government campaign to back up the president's appeal were taken by Secretary Anderson, who named Paul C. Stark of Missouri director of the National Garden Program and head of a committee to plan the Department of Agriculture's participation in the campaign.

Mr. Stark will also maintain liaison with other agencies involved, both governmental and private. The program will be carried forward in the various localities by working through the State Extension Service and other established agencies.

Commenting on the plans for this year, the president said: "During the war period, gardening further demonstrated its value to our people in many ways. The splendid response to the appeal for more home-produced food was an important factor in making it possible during the war for the people of this country to be better fed than before the war."

"A continuing program of gardening will be of great benefit to our people—in addition to the contribution gardens make to better nutrition, their value in providing outdoor physical exercise, recreation and relaxation, from the strain of modern life is widely recognized."

All-Year Harvest Offered by Crops Which Defy Cold

In sixteenth century England, parsnips were the vegetable known as the skirret, which is described by an ancient garden writer as having a taste "very pleasant, far beyond any parsnip, as all agree that taste them."

Parsnips and salsify are known only as the sweetest of vegetables, but one with anti-freeze mixture in its veins.

Parsonip and salsify are the "cyster plant," likewise an ancient root crop and both can be left in the garden all winter or dug up in the fall, placed in paper bags, and stored in an outdoor box, to be brought in, thawed out and cooked as needed.

Parsnips are improved by freezing, but it is believed that frost, and young roots pulled up in thinning out, the rows will make a welcome summer dish.

The seeds should be fresh, as they do not keep long; legal germination is 60 per cent. They should be sown as soon as the garden is prepared in drills half an inch deep.

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20.—(AP)—Forrest E. Cooper, Lakeview, Ore., counsel for the Interstate Association of Public Land Counties, told the Arizona Association here that "public lands are tax consuming lands, and private lands are tax producing."

He advocated that the government pay to the state a percentage of lumber lands' value each year instead of the present system of 25 per cent of gross receipts, that 25 per cent of admission fees to national parks be paid to the state, and that grazing be permitted on national park lands.

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Vets to Furnish Music for Dance To Aid Red Cross

Playing tonight for the Red Cross dance in the Roseburg Armory will be the Swingsters, an orchestra of local youths who began their first jam sessions as sophomores in high school.

Still overseas are Don Hall, who played the drums in Germany, and Jack Rickell, pianist, in France.

It's strictly a "co-operative" orchestra, Rhoden said, and none of the six members is a "leader" of the others.

Right now the boys are having trouble finding a drummer to fill in while Hall is serving in Germany. The spot that Rickell filled as pianist is being taken temporarily by Virginia Young.

Tonight's dance in the Armory is sponsored by the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's Club, and proceeds are to go to the Red Cross.

Indictments Filed By Federal Jury

PORTLAND, March 20.—(AP)—Three Klamath Falls Indians were under indictment today for stabbing, one of which caused the death of 19-year-old Egbert Hugo Smith in a New Year's party.

The indictments returned yesterday by the Federal Court Grand Jury, charged William Williams, 25, with the knife stabbing of Smith. Williams was arrested by Special Indian Agent Willis Pankey after the agent found Smith's body on the porch of his home at Beatty, Ore.

Two other Klamath Falls Indians indicted for stabbing assaults were Lawrence Dale Jackson, charged with assaulting Lloyd L. Hood, February 11, 1946, and Osborne Lee Ball, charged with assaulting Lola Margaret Gallagher.

Leonard Trythall, 44, was indicted on a charge of embezzling \$1,243 from the U. S. National Bank here, where he was head teller.

Twenty-four other indictments involved conscientious objectors charged with deserting Oregon camps.

Office Workers' Cause Topic of Morse's Speech

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 20.—(AP)—Lack of organization has caused the nation's white collar workers to suffer more than any other group in the lower pay brackets, Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon said last night.

Speaking at the first annual convention of the Office Employees International Union (AFI), the Oregon senator said he believed organization of office workers would spread in the near future to several millions "who today do not share any equality of collective bargaining benefits with industrial workers."

Considering what he termed standard of living legislation pending before Congress, Morse said "the same reactionary forces which have all along fought the organizing of white collar workers and workers generally are again opposing a minimum standard of living for low-paid workers, which the pending 65 cent minimum wage bill seeks to provide."

Peavy Predicts Russia to Become Dominant Nation

PORTLAND, March 20.—(AP)—Dr. George W. Peavy, Oregon State College president emeritus, told a club audience here "there is too much loose talk and not enough statesmanship" in America's relations with Russia.

He said Russia eventually will replace the United States as the world's dominant nation, "just as the United States replaced Britain." He said America must seek a "path which will uphold the peace" in a spirit of compromise.

Joe Gordon Spiked in Hand by Cardinal Runner

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 20.—(AP)—Spiked in his left hand in a game with the St. Louis Cardinals, Joe Gordon, crack second baseman of the New York

Quickly Relieves Distress of Sneezy, Stuffy Head Colds

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Put More Chicken, Potatoes on Table, Urge to Americans

It's patriotic these days to serve less bread, but more potatoes and chicken. Here's why: Potatoes are the traditional substitute for bread, and U. S. potato supplies are currently plentiful.

Wholesome cooks can use many ways to save bread. Chicken is good food and eating it will help poultrymen who can't get enough feed.

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Secretary Anderson says: "The food situation in many foreign countries demands the direct use of grain, principally wheat, for human food to save millions of people from hunger and starvation in the next few months. The money saved by developing in poultry is caused in part by the need to conserve wheat for this purpose. The consequent shortages of feed comes at a time when storage holdings of all poultry are at record levels and when current supplies of broilers and fryers are moving into consumer channels in record numbers from major producing areas."

With current freezer stocks of poultry amounting to more than 250 million pounds and with public freezer occupancy now about 83 per cent of capacity, the need for increased consumption and home canning or storage of chickens for future use is plain.

Hager, Angelo to Top Mat Program

Tex Hager, a popular favorite with Roseburg wrestling fans, will definitely show Saturday night at the Armory in the headline match against Bruno Angelo.

Hager's reappearance here was scheduled for last week but had to be canceled. His plane was grounded by bad weather, but he is now in Portland and has signed on the dotted line for the match against Angelo.

Hager is a Lane county boy who has been a mat headliner more often in other localities than in Oregon but has been extremely popular in his local performances. He will be facing the most recent terror of the Oregon wrestling scene, The Canton, Ohio, ruffian has been cutting a wide swath among meemies and cleanies alike since his first appearance in this area several weeks ago.

Angelo teamed with Tony Ross last week at the Armory to defeat Anthony Martinelli and Joe Lynam in the main event team match. Martinelli was forced to substitute for Hager as Lynam's team-mate last week after losing to Frankie Clemens in the opener.

Policy on Public Lands is Assailed

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There is a tendency, he said, to obtain more and more forest, park and reservation lands, thus taking more property off the tax rolls in western states.

He advocated that the government pay to the state a percentage of lumber lands' value each year instead of the present system of 25 per cent of gross receipts, that 25 per cent of admission fees to national parks be paid to the state, and that grazing be permitted on national park lands.

The Arizona Association voted to endorse its county boards of supervisors the principle that all federally-owned lands valuable chiefly for grazing be transferred from the federal government to the state.

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Support Prices on Poultry Announced

The government price-support program now in effect for dressed chickens is designed to help poultrymen market their chickens at a fair price in the present feed emergency.

Under the program, the government will buy dressed chickens from cooperatives, dealers, and processors at prices designed to reflect a U. S. acreage farm price for live chickens of not less than 90 per cent of parity. No support, however, will be given for young chickens weighing less than 3 1/2 pounds alive (broilers).

The public is being asked to eat lots of chicken. The faster poultry is consumed, the more feed will be saved, and the better

Yankees, will have x-rays taken today to see whether he suffered a fracture.

Spiked through his glove by Bob Rhavin in an attempt to head off the St. Louis player on a force play at second, Gordon was examined at a hospital and found to have sustained a completely severed extensor tendon of the middle finger of the left hand and the bone of the finger was slightly chipped. Gordon's finger was put in a splint.

prices poultry producers will receive. Four zones have been established under the purchase program in recognition of usual freight differentials between areas of production and larger consumer markets.

Support prices to Oregon producers are: Young chickens (over 3 1/2 lbs. liveweight)—20 cents per lb.; Fowl (over 4 1/2 pounds liveweight)—18 1/2 cents per lb.; Fowl (3 1/2 to 4 1/2 lbs. liveweight)—17 cents per lb.

George Washington postponed his famous farewell address for four years. It was originally prepared for delivery at the end of his first term, before he agreed to accept a second.

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