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## The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon

Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; colder Tuesday.

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| Highest temp. for any April | 96 |
| Lowest temp. for any April | 25 |
| Highest temp. yesterday | 70 |
| Lowest temp. last night | 41 |
| Precipitation yesterday | 0 |
| Precipitation from April 1 | .25 |
| Deficit from April 1, 1946 | 1.08 |
| Excess from Sept. 1, 1945 | 5.73 |

## In the Day's News

(Continued from page 1)

minder that we can't judge world politics by party names.

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AS a matter of fact, "liberal" is an extremely misleading word as now used in political matters. One cynical definition of it is: "A liberal is a guy who thinks as I do."

Quite often in history, genuine liberals have been opponents of the party or the crowd in power. The natural tendency of POWER is to make the holders of it more and more conservative until in time they reach the status of reactionaries.

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MOTHER NATURE, who did a lot of things extremely well, provided for a natural balance between conservatives and radicals (or "liberals," if you prefer that word) by making the OLD inherently conservative and the YOUNG inherently radical.

As the old die off and their places are taken by the younger ones, while a new crop of YOUNG is coming on, the world's need for change is more or less automatically taken care of.

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ON the face of available returns, WOMEN have captured 32 seats in the new Jap diet (congress, or parliament). That is SOMETHING in Japan, where woman has been regarded as an inferior creature, as is usually the case among savage peoples.

One Jap woman candidate, Mrs. Michiko Yamasaki, divorced her husband and was elected on the same day. In spite of the divorce proceedings that were pending while the campaign was on, she was one of the six highest vote getters in the election.

That doesn't necessarily mean that the Japs have gone off the deep end for divorce. There were extenuating circumstances in Mrs. Yamashaki's case. Her husband had been in Borneo for four years as a civilian administrator, and when he showed up at home he brought with him a Borneo woman as his wife and their two children. Under the old Jap code, Mrs. Yamasaki No. 1 would have been required to accept the situation philosophically and take the newcomers into the family.

Under the new circumstances, she balked and divorced him, and the new public opinion in Japan seems to have backed her up.

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ON the strictly home front, there's an interesting little tale from Des Moines, where a Long Beach man who is building 20 houses but ran out of nails has just arrived to run down a rumor that nails are plentiful in Iowa.

(The rumor turned out to be a phoney. He could find only five kegs of nails in Des Moines — which, he said, "are not worth fooling with if I can't find some more.)

He told a Des Moines reporter: "I'm amazed at the lumber shortage here. We've got plenty of lumber in Long Beach. It's coming from Oregon. There's no trouble at all with lumber out there."

It's a topsy-turvy world, isn't it?

## Twin Loss Drops Beavers in Cellar

(By The Associated Press)

The Seals of San Francisco, played baseball as though they never heard Portland won the 1945 Pacific Coast League pennant, had home fan fever at high pitch today as they led the league by three games.

Doubleheader victories, 5 to 1 and 5 to 2, Sunday wound up a seven-game series with six triumphs for the Seals and relegated the defending champions to the dungeon.

The Los Angeles Angels popped back into second place by subduing San Diego twice, 2 to 1 and 6 to 2, while the Seattle Rainiers were chopping the Hollywood Stars down a couple of notches in the standings with twin-bill triumphs, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. Oakland Acorns whipped Sacramento, 4 to 3, but the Solons came back to win the nightcap, 4 to 0.

Two former New York Giants, Cliff Melton in a seven-hit first game and Frank Seward in an eight-hit nightcap, pitched the Seals' 13th and 14th wins of the season.

Team Standings

| Team | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Francisco | 14 | 3 | .825 |
| Los Angeles | 11 | 6 | .647 |
| Oakland | 11 | 7 | .611 |
| Hollywood | 9 | 7 | .567 |
| Sacramento | 7 | 10 | .412 |
| Seattle | 6 | 11 | .353 |
| San Diego | 6 | 12 | .333 |
| Portland | 4 | 12 | .250 |

The largest fisherman among animals is the monstrous Alaskan brown or Kodiak bear. He sometimes reaches a weight of 1,500 pounds.

## NAVY TO TRAIN NEWSMEN

By CHARLES V. STANTON

The U. S. Navy, we are informed, is conducting a school of journalism in which 70 prospective Navy newsmen currently are being prepared to replace veteran newsmen who have been sending back stories on the human side of the war. This new program is being developed by the Fleet Home Town News Center, which, in our opinion, accomplished the most outstanding piece of service agency news work of the war.

Newspapers, as a rule, are skeptical of so-called news from governmental and military agencies. A vast percentage of the material received is pure propaganda or free advertising rather than news. The Fleet Home Town News Center, however, performed in such an able manner that when 3,200 newspapers were queried whether they wanted the service continued, only 13 replied in the negative.

The Fleet Home Town News Center provided a service which press associations were not able to handle because of lack of manpower. This agency of the Navy edited and distributed to home-town newspapers and radio stations 2,482,921 copies of 566,859 different news stories, mats and newsphotos, which, with few exceptions, supplied information concerning the activities of home town boys in naval service.

Throughout the war, Douglas County residents frequently were surprised to see items concerning the activities of their sons and daughters, as published in the "News of Service Men" column of the *News-Review*. Time and again parents called to learn the origin of these items, which often contained information they had not yet received through letters.

These items came almost entirely from public relations departments of the various services, and one of the most efficient was the Fleet Home Town News Center, which provided a service of "newsy" character, coupled with commendable promptness.

The unit was organized and directed by Lt. Comdr. Charles W. Payne, an experienced Associated Press editor, who is reorganizing the center and setting up its training school for replacement correspondents.

It is expected, the unit reports, to train from 200 to 250 men in news writing, news photography, interviewing, current history and world politics. It will be a highly intensive course, for it will condense these various training courses into a period of two months, after which the reporters will be transferred to fleet duty, where their jobs will be to write simple news stories, informing the folk back home what their local boys are doing in the Navy.

The Fleet Home Town News Center is not the only service news agency doing a good job. Every branch of the military service has maintained public relations departments in an effort to keep the public informed upon the respective services as a whole, with frequent items pertaining to individual members and their achievements.

The work of these various agencies showed substantial improvement during the war period and was excellently handled by all groups during the latter stages of the conflict.

Current news is devoted largely to discharges, each camp maintaining a public relations officer who notifies home town newspapers as men are released from service. Unfortunately, reports this newspaper receives are largely from Pacific coast separation centers and occasionally notices of discharge of Oregon men from more distanct camps are not reported by the responsible officers.

The *News-Review* is very grateful for assistance given by all public relations departments and agencies, during the war and at present. We have singled out the Fleet Home Town News Center for special mention because it has, in our opinion, done the most outstanding job and because we believe its new program for continuing its service into the peacetime Navy is most commendable.

## KRNR

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REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Rex Miller, National Biscuit Co.
4:30—Address by Pres. Truman
4:45—Evening Vespers, Methodist Church
5:00—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.
5:30—Captain Midnight, Wander Co.
5:45—Tom Mix, Ralston-Purina.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Kremi.
6:15—Musical Interlude.
6:25—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co.
6:30—Spotlight Bands, Coca Cola.
7:00—Bulldog Drummond, Lewis Howe Co.
7:30—The Cisco Kid
8:00—Michael Shayne, Union Oil.
8:30—Rhythm Round-Up, Lockwood Motors.
8:45—Dance Music.
9:30—Crown Mill Mysteries, Crown Mills.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Rex Miller, S&W Fine Foods.
9:30—Hi Neighbor, Carstens Furniture.
9:45—Henry J. Taylor, General Motors.
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Roseburg Pharmacy.
10:15—Nocturne.
10:30—Ten-Thirty Club, Lawson's Jewelry.
11:00—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1946

6:00—Dawn Busters.
6:30—Yawn Patrol.
6:45—The County Agent.
6:55—Schricker Auctions.
7:00—News, L. A. Soap Co.
7:15—Rise and Shine, Sterling Drug Co.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—The Beehive.
7:40—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest, Crew of Good Ship Grace.
8:30—Wally's Wake-Up Time, Wally's Grocery.
8:45—Victor H. Lindlahr, Heathlaids.
9:00—Lyle Van and the News, Kremi.
9:15—Morning Melodies.
9:30—Man About Town, Josse and Lowell's.
9:45—Shopper's Guide, Harth's and Marshall-Wells.
9:55—Musical Interlude.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Easy Listenin'.
10:30—Lady, Be Beautiful.
10:45—John J. Anthony, Carter Products.
11:00—School-Days, Martin Stationery.
11:15—Let's Go Shopping, Lesse and Clark's Studio.
11:30—Queen for a Day, Miles Labs. and P&G.
12:00—Musical Interlude.
12:01—U. S. Recap World of Sports, U. S. Tire Store.
12:15—Musical Interlude.
12:29—Buyer's Guide, Associated Distributors.
12:35—Rhythm at Random.
12:40—State and Local News, Hansen Motors.
12:45—National News, Douglas County State Bank.
12:55—Terminal Market Report, Sig Feit.
1:00—Man on the Street, Henninger's Marts.
1:15—The Johnson Family.
1:30—Swingtime.
2:00—Zeke Manners, Sterling Products.
2:15—Mail Order Melodies, Montgomery Ward.
2:45—Western Serenade.
3:00—Voice of the Army.
3:15—Organ Reverie.
3:30—Musical Matinee.
3:45—Sentimental Serenade.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Webb Products.
4:15—Rex Miller, National Biscuit Co.
4:30—Erskine Johnson.
4:45—Character Clown, Presbyterian Church.
5:00—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.
5:30—Captain Midnight, Wander Co.
6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Forhan's Toothpaste.
6:15—Musical Interlude.
6:25—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co.
6:30—American Forum of the Air.
7:15—Movie You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.
7:30—Harry James' Orchestra.
7:45—Home of Melody, Capeo.
8:00—Count of Monte Cristo, Mrs. Wright's Bread.
8:30—The Falcon.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—James Crowley, Wildroot.
9:30—Harry Horlick's Orchestra.
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Hansen Tires.
10:15—Nocturne.
10:30—Ten-Thirty Club, Lawson's Jewelry.
11:00—Sign Off.

## 'Southpaw' Truman To Pitch 1st Ball In Season Opener

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(U.P.)—President Truman and the National Capital join hands tomorrow afternoon with baseball fans across the country to usher in the 1946 season.

Mr. Truman will take a southpaw stance in the presidential box between home plate and first base and throw out the first ball.

By formally opening what sports writers predict will be a record-smashing season—the first since wartime—Mr. Truman will keep alive a tradition of every president attending opening-day baseball since shortly after the turn of the century.

After Mr. Truman's inaugural pitch, an overflow throne of about 30,000 will settle down to see if big league baseball is as good or better than before the war.

The Senators will send Roger Wolff, knuckleballer and 20-game winner last year, out after a victory before the President. The Boston Red Sox will counter with Tex Hughson, pre-war ace back from the armed forces.

If Mr. Truman has a rival for the spotlight, it may be Ted Williams, Boston's whip-lash hitter, returned from service to duel with New York's Joe Dimaggio and Detroit's Dick Wakefield for big league batting honors.

NEW YORK, April 15.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Yankees should meet in the 1946 world series according to the way the nation's baseball writers size up the major league pennant races.

Of the 119 writers participating in the annual associated press poll on the flag chases, 115 picked the Cards to win the National League championship while four named the Chicago Cubs to repeat.

The Yanks were selected to win the American League race by 76 of the writers while 25 believed Detroit would con the flag again. Sixteen looked for Boston's belting Sox to come through and two picked the Cleveland Indians.

## Martinelli, Kiser Win Mat Combats

A freak fall snatched Anthony Martinelli from defeat and presented him with a victory over Bruno Angelo in the third and deciding round of the main event on last Saturday night's wrestling card at the Roseburg Armory. Angelo, with a croch and body hold, had his fellow Italian off the floor and was slamming him against the ropes from corner to corner into helplessness, when a collision with Referee Elton Owen occurred. The impact hurled the wrestlers backward onto the mat, Bruno underneath and stunned, and Martinelli, with his little remaining strength, wriggled out of his opponent's clutch and easily body-pressed him for the fall. Time, 16 minutes.

This was the second piece of the night's bad luck for Angelo. As he was driven to his knees in a fistic bout with Martinelli during a first-round juncture, when both were on the floor in front of the ringsiders, an unidentified spectator kicked Angelo in the mouth, splitting one of his lips. Despite the painful injury, that left him dazed and bleeding, the rugged Italian got back onto the mat, savagedly mauled and slammed Martinelli all over the ring and won the fall in 11:35. Martinelli got the second fiall in 7:32 with a surfboard hold.

The program originally called for a team match final with Martinelli and Jack Kiser on one side and Angelo and Frankie Clemons on the other, after one-fall bouts between the two Italians, and Kiser and Clemons. In the opening bout between the two latter which was won by Kiser in 14:40 with drop kicks and a body press, one of Clemons' eyes received such a severe scratch that he was half-blinded and unable to return to the mat. Thereupon the two Italian wrestlers were continued in action for two more rounds. Clemons was substituted for Bob Kenaston, who is nursing a badly injured arm.

Attendance at the Saturday card totaled around 700.

### Right Lane

PLAINVIEW, Tex., April 13.—(AP)—When Mrs. Ivan Adkins was stopped by a traffic officer she didn't get a ticket. She got a pair of nylons.

Followed for eight blocks, the officer told Mrs. Adkins that she had done "everything right," whereas five lady drivers checked before her over the same route had committed one or more traffic violations.

The nylon idea was part of a safety educational program.

## Hollies Climb Up To Second Place

(By The Associated Press)

Hollywood, which restudded its baseball diamond with stars this year and only a week ago climbed out of the second division, glittered right behind the leading San Francisco Seals in the Pacific Coast League today.

Pitcher Ronnie Smith took the stellar role in the Stars' movement into second place, hurling a four-hit game and fanning eight to beat Seattle Friday night, 5 to 1. It was his third 1946 victory and Hollywood's third in four games against the Rainiers.

San Francisco, whose winning streak was snapped by a southpaw at six straight Thursday, put a left-handed Seal, Al Lien, on the mound Friday to retaliate, 5 to 1, against Portland, thereby extending the club's league lead to two and a half games. Sacramento took the measure of Oakland, 2 to 0, to reduce the Acorns to third place, and Los Angeles shut out San Diego, 5 to 0.

Team Standings:

| Team | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Francisco | 11 | 3 | 7.86 |
| Hollywood | 8 | 5 | .615 |
| Oakland | 9 | 6 | .600 |
| Los Angeles | 8 | 6 | .571 |
| Sacramento | 6 | 8 | .429 |
| San Diego | 6 | 9 | .400 |
| Portland | 4 | 9 | .308 |
| Seattle | 4 | 10 | .286 |

### New Roach Role

TULSA, Okla., April 13.—(AP)—Millard Bashaw credits a cockroach with saving his life. Just as he was ready to climb into bed, Bashaw sighted the insect near a gas outlet and stepped over to destroy it. There he discovered that the valve was open and rapidly filling the room with gas.

## Recreation Fight Card Slated Here

"Blind Man's Free-for-All" will be a curtain raiser for the Roseburg Recreation's Carnival of Champions in the Armory, April 16, Boxing Instructor Jimmie Garrison announced today.

The card will include a heavyweight bout between Bob Macklin, 180, and Bob Sellers, 190, as well as the feature bout of the evening between Larry (K.O.) Kvidera, 72, and Jack Katezenmeyer, 75.

Maynard Talley bantamweight champion, will fight also, Garrison said, as soon as an able opponent is found. Meanwhile, Maynard plans to entertain the crowd with his guitar and songs.

Other bouts will include: Fred Butler, 135 vs. Jack Amorde, 137½; Bob Hatcher, 148, vs. Jimmie Hudson, 150; Ed Gibson, 126, vs. Ray Burdett, 127; David Harem, 135, vs. Lynn Warman 135; Bobby Brannon, 100, vs. John Finney 92; Dick Gibson, 110, vs. Ronald Keller 112; Gene Lloyd, 105, vs. Dick Hensley.

Ringside seats will cost $1.50. General admission will be $1, and students' admission, 50 cents.

## New Businesses At Sutherlin Noted

SUTHERLIN — Construction has begun on three new business places here, including the Parks Brothers' two-store building, rising next to the B. and E. Variety Store. They are to have a parts store and a variety store under their management.

Henry Metzker started his new building the first of the week on East Central Avenue. The building, being constructed of tile, will be used for cold storage lockers. Mr. Metzker, who has just received his honorable discharge from the Navy after serving four years, will manage the business.

A new building was started Monday east of Clemens Grocery store on Central Avenue and will be used as a bakery when completed. Wilbur Holcombe and Harold Seifert will be the owners. They have purchased the bakery equipment owned by Anton Coenenberg, who at one time had a bakery in this city.

Selected hymns were stowed away along with first-aid kits, and rations on lifeboats and rafts in the merchant marine of the United States in World War II.


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