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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon. Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

Highest temp. for any July 109. Lowest temp. for any July 40. Highest temp. yesterday 91. Lowest temp. last night 58.

In the Day's News

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common, ordinary run of Chinese people (who will do the fighting and the dying and the starving) want peace more than they want anything else.

Disturbing question: If, under these circumstances, peace can't be achieved in China, how is peace to be achieved throughout the rest of the world?

THE short-sighted will say: "What do we care. If the Chinese are hell-bent for war, why not let 'em fight it out?"

Presumably, we will let them fight it out. But when fire is loose anywhere in the woods nobody who lives in the woods is safe.

That is why we care.

IF civil war in China were merely a question of letting the Chinese factions fight it out, we might quarantine them and let them go to it.

SPEAKING of Russia, the Portland (Maine) YMCA writes to President Truman that exchange visits of Russian and American officials and educators would improve mutual understanding between both nations, and ought to be encouraged.

The President replies: "We have been unable to get either newspaper publishers or professors from this country any travel rights anywhere in Russia.

"We have had Russian newspapermen and Russian professors and a great many other people of that nature over here, and have entertained them royally, but we never get a return engagement.

"We can't very well invade the country unless they want us to."

HOW can you get acquainted with a neighbor who won't let you into his house and won't permit your children to play in his yard?

ABOUT the only reasonable conclusion is that the world is approaching division into two rival systems of economics and government — Russian-dominated communism and free enterprise.

The problem is to find a way for these systems to get along together in PEACEFUL rivalry instead of fighting it out in shooting war.

That is a problem that challenges the best minds we have.

Softballers Will Vie In Revised Schedule

A revised schedule, upon the withdrawal by Associated Service from the City Softball League, brings the Rainbow Grinders up against the Elks and the Veterans vying with Sutherland.

The Elks and Sutherland are tied for second spot in the league, which gives their respective opponents for this evening a good chance of putting the league in a three-way tie for second shelf position.

Zale II, Battle With Graziano Is Postponed

NEW YORK, July 23.—(AP)—The middleweight title bout between Champion Tony Zale of Gary, Ind., and Challenger Rocky Graziano of New York, scheduled for Thursday night at Yankee Stadium, was postponed today because Zale had an attack of Neuritis. A new date was expected to be set this afternoon.

ATOMIC ROAST PIG

By CHARLES V. STANTON

Editor William M. Tugman recently published in the Eugene Register-Guard an editorial which we believe deserves widest possible reading, as it applies to our serious concern of atomic energy control.

The presence of livestock aboard the target ships in the Bikini atom-bomb test suggests that mankind may have come a full circle since the legendary milestone of history described by Charles Lamb in his "Dissertation on Roast Pig."

Lamb's story has been required reading for students for so long that it probably is unnecessary to recall more than a title. But just in case some reader had the mumps at the time the English literature class was studying the story, a brief refresher may be permissible, along with apologies for errors due to rusty memory.

In a far-off time in China, according to Lamb, the people kept the pig in the parlor (a practice later to be mistakenly credited to the Irish). One day a house caught fire and everything, including the pig, was destroyed.

As we remember it, the news of his discovery got around. There ensued quite a vogue for setting fire to the family dwelling in order to enjoy the new delicacy.

Some day we shall probably be serving atomically roasted pig for Sunday dinner—if all goes well. We have been assured that it is at least theoretically possible for the cleaving atom to cook our meals and wash the dishes, besides providing energy for a multitude of other tasks.

A little less than a year ago we destroyed a good many houses and, presumably a good many pigs by atomic fission in two Japanese cities. Now we have tried out an atomic bomb on several million dollars' worth of warships in order to find out, among other things, just how successful atomic energy is at roasting pigs.

That admittedly wasn't the primary consideration of the test. But one might make out a pretty valid case in support of the contention that it should have been. For surely no one in his right mind wants to use the harnessed atom for anything but peaceful and helpful tasks.

We may chuckle at Lamb's sharp satire without believing that the stupid bungling of his primitive Chinese really had much connection with enlightened modern man.

The only difference is that man must find a way to keep from destroying not just his family dwelling, but any or all of the cities he has built upon the earth, before he can safely use this new method of preparing pig for the table.

American Forum of the Air, 6:30-7:15 tonight. "What part should the CIO-PAC play in politics?" will be under discussion.

Remember to tune in at 1:30 for the second atom bomb test broadcast. Time has been cut down to fifteen minutes according to latest dope.

Spotlight Bands are featuring "Full Moon and Empty Arms" as their tune of the week. "The Gypsy" has stayed at the top of the hit tunes for so long she's getting gray hair.

Watch for it tomorrow night... "The Beatrice Kay Show" starring Miss Kay and Peter Lind Hayes, makes its bow on KRNR at 8:30 this Wednesday evening.

An orchid to those hardy souls who dare to start a conversation without some reference to the weather during the past few days.

KRNR Mutual Broadcasting System 1400 Kilocycles.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 4:15—Berk Miller, NBC.

4:30—Ernie Johnson, 1440. 4:45—Fitz Profes, Standard Oil of N. J.

5:00—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture. 5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.

5:30—Captain Midnight. 5:45—Tom Mix, Balaban Purina. 6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Forhan's.

6:15—Musical Interlude. 6:30—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co.

6:30—American Forum of the Air. 7:15—Musical You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.

7:30—John, Inc. E. G. High. 8:00—Count of Monte Cristo, Mrs. Wright's Bread.

8:30—The Kaloon, American Safety Razor Co. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News.

9:15—James Crowley, Wildroot. 9:30—Songs by Jack Smith. 9:45—Stan Kenton's Orchestra.

10:00—Ray Henle, Hansen Trust. 10:15—Necturus. 10:30—Ten-Thirty Club, Lawson's.

11:00—Sign Off. WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1946: 6:00—Farm Bulletin Board.

6:30—Yaven Patrol. 7:30—Scholarly Aviators. 8:00—Frank Hemmings, Pelgers.

Diamond Career Begun by Sporer At Age of Seven

Bus Sporer, the Umpqua Chiefs' stalwart pitcher, has a background of experience probably more colorful than a major league who came up the hard way.

Although Sporer's major league career is yet but a dream. Like his idols, he has lived baseball since a youngster at Days Creek; followed it up until the war years and what little he could in a Jap prison camp, and now returned, is still pursuing the game.

Upon successful completion of rebuilding a radio from pilfered parts while a prisoner of war in China, Sporer related that the first thing he and his colleagues received were the World Series scores.

Bus, reputed as the strongest hurler in the Southern Oregon League and holder of the enviable record of 61 strikeouts in eight games this season, began his diamond career at the age of seven, becoming a regular member of the Days Creek High School nine before finishing grammar school.

He put the Roseburg Junior Legionners in the state playoffs to win second place while in his teens and was grabbed by Portland scouts to pitch the Portland Beavers batting sessions in 1937.

In 1938 he returned to Douglas County to take over the mound work at Wako Island in the Pacific. Seven months after his arrival at the new place of employment, he was captured by the Japanese and his baseball ambitions took a three-year-ten-month lapse.

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In April of 1941, Sporer acquired the urge to travel and earn some money and signed up with the Morrison-Knutson Construction Company at Boise, Idaho, to work at Wake Island in the Pacific.

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BOWLING SCORES

Bowling hit a cellar record last night at the local alleys with the lowest scores turned in since the Men's Doubles League began earlier in the summer.

All participants' scores were reported as inferior, with Edgar Hiney taking high individual game score with a mere 181 and Harold Casey winning individual series title with his 484.

Games Monday, July 22: Wellman, Tamlund 170-414. Sween, H. Hiney 143 133-429.

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Anderson 119 134 170-414. Hiney 129 140 131-440. Handicap 84 84 84-252. Total 318 262 408 1088.

Bates 143 133 162-440. E. Hiney 129 140 131-440. Handicap 78 78 78-234. Total 360 331 421-1142.

Bitner 136 142 153-431. Morris 137 139 142-418. Handicap 40 40 40-120. Total 313 321 335-969.

Campbell 128 111 162-401. Reed 132 99 146-377. Handicap 78 78 78-234. Total 380 288 386 1064.

Bowling 165 143 173-481. Meek 147 164 149-460. Handicap 82 82 82-248. Total 378 286 362 1126.

Wellman 166 175 129-470. Sween 137 139 142-418. Handicap 66 66 66-198. Total 403 380 359 1142.

P. Casey 135 123 149-407. H. Casey 165 143 173-481. Handicap 56 56 56-168. Total 336 324 378 1038.

Sween 137 139 142-418. H. Hiney 78 78 78-234. Handicap 80 80 80-240. Total 397 421 363 1181.

2:15—John J. Anthony, Carter Products. 2:30—Ernie Miller's Orchestra. 2:45—Western Serenade. 3:00—Veterans of Foreign Wars. 3:15—Broadway Kay Show. 4:00—Albert Warner. 4:15—Tex Miller, Nabisco. 4:30—Ernie Johnson. 4:45—Let's Dance. 5:00—Musical Clock, Modern Furniture. 5:15—Superman, Kellogg's. 5:30—Captain Midnight. 6:00—Tom Mix. 6:30—Gabriel Heatter, Barbasol. 6:45—Musical Interlude. 7:00—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co. 7:30—Spotlight Bands. 7:45—Gardener's Today, Farm Bureau. 8:00—Rhythm Round-Up, Lockwood. 8:30—The Clinic Kid. 9:00—Main Line, Southern Pacific. 9:15—Alka Seltzer News. 9:30—Ray Miller, S.W. Fine Foods. 9:45—Battle of the Commentators. 10:00—Albert Warner, Roseburg. 10:15—Nocturne. 10:30—Word Circle, Lawson's. 11:00—Sign Off.



FIFTY YEARS YOUNG—"Doc" Tally, pitcher and original "pepper game" artist, has been a player with the House of David baseball team since 1914. Now 50 years old, he will be seen in action when the whiskered aggregation meets the Umpqua Chiefs in Roseburg July 28.

Southern Oregon League Playoffs In September Set

A thorough discussion of the Southern Oregon Baseball League's final playoffs were made and agreement was reached by all managers of the league teams at their meeting last Saturday at Grants Pass.

The final playoffs, to be Shaughnessy Pay-Offs, will be held on September 1 and September 8. The first two games will be eliminations between the first and third place nines and the second and fourth positions.

The September 8 game will be a single playoff of the two winners to be played at the grounds of the highest standing club.

Gate receipts will be split 50-50 between the two clubs in the final play and it was decided that league president, H. W. Gray, would decide upon and appoint the officials for the contests.

The local Umpqua Chiefs' protest against their defeat by Crescent City was overthrown on a technicality with the Crescent City manager expressing that it had been very unpleasant ever since for his club in league play.

Three managers were appointed to act as judges on the dispute and after 45 minutes of consultation, they overruled the entire protest.

"Tiger Fox" Disappears After Apparent Victory

SALT LAKE CITY, July 23.—(AP)—Tiger Jack Fox of Spokane was completely satisfied with his third round technical knockout win over "Windmill" Pearce of Roosevelt, Utah, last night so when the referee had his mind changed by the crowd, Fox just couldn't be found.

Referee Al Ablett stopped the bout in the third after Fox unloaded a barrage of lefts and rights which dropped "The Windmill" twice in the round.

Pearce, who objected to being called "badly outclassed," threw a couple of blows at the referee, then climbed from the ring and headed for the dressing room only to be halted by fans who wanted more fight.

Pearce climbed back in the ring but Fox, content to leave things as they stood, couldn't be found.

Which prompted Referee Ablett to ask: "Whaddaya want; the guy slugged me five times and didn't hurt me, so how's he gonna hurt Fox?"

Snyder Succeeds Bain In State Education Post

SALEM, Ore., July 23.—(AP)—Walter E. Snyder, for seven years curriculum director in the Salem school system, was appointed yesterday as head of the state's special education program, succeeding Dr. V. D. Bain, resigned.

The appointment was made by Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction. Snyder also will act as secretary of the state board of education.

Snyder's appointment will become effective September 1.

Finishing Touch

TULSA, Okla., July 23.—(AP)—When Barber C. B. Moore opened his shop 19 years ago, his first customer was Harold C. Noe. Moore sold the shop and was preparing to close it for the last time yesterday when a final customer came in. It was Noe.

In the earliest days of the church, it was considered irreverent to appear gloved before a member of the clergy.

Baptists Enjoy Church Freedom In Soviet Union

MOSCOW, July 22.—(AP)—Dr. Louis D. Newton, of Atlanta, president of the Southern Baptist convention, said today that Baptist Church leaders here told him there are between 1,500,000 and 2,000,000 Baptist believers in the Soviet Union.

Dr. Newton is one of a seven-member delegation visiting Russia at the invitation of the Soviet government, the Russian Red Cross and Red Crescent societies to study at first hand the use made of \$90,000,000 in supplies sent to this country during the last five years by the American Society for Russian Relief.

Peter Grimm, president of the New York State Chamber of Commerce, heads the delegation.

The Atlanta clergyman, who preached Sunday to 2,000 persons at the Moscow Baptist Church, said he was told more than 250,000 Russians have been baptized and attend services regularly in the 3,000 Baptist churches scattered over the country.

Dr. Newton described yesterday's service as "just as free and open a meeting as you would see in any Baptist Church in the world."

Fred Myers, of New York, executive director of the American Society for Russian Relief, also attended the service and said it was "just like any service back home."

The congregation sang familiar hymns, such as "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and "Hallelujah Thine the Glory."

Dr. Newton greeted Moscow Baptists in the name of Southern Baptists and presented recordings of greetings from American Baptist youths. Jacob Zhidkov, president of the All-Union Council of Evangelicals and Baptists and a leading Protestant in the Soviet Union, publicly accepted an invitation to visit the United States and address the Southern Baptist Convention in St. Louis in May, 1947.

President Truman has been asked to speak at the same convention.

Springfield Plant Now Required For Making Alcohol

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(AP)—The large government constructed plant to manufacture ethyl alcohol from sawdust nearing completion at Springfield, Ore., started at a war project, now is considered an important peacetime need because of the shortage of grain and molasses from which to produce alcohol.

Representative Harris Ellsworth of Oregon said in a statement that the plant, the first of its kind in this country, represented a long stride toward greater utilization of food waste and would fill an urgent demand.

"Vast quantities of alcohol are needed for rubber production and other war developed peacetime uses," Ellsworth said. "Such alcohol has been produced either from grain or molasses. Grain is needed by the hungry people of the world and molasses must be used for making sugar. Meanwhile, nine large industrial alcohol plants have been closed due to the lack of molasses imports. The amount of grain going into alcohol has been sharply curtailed."

Ellsworth said the Civilian Production Administration had noted the declining production of alcohol and said it was surveying the possibility of granting assistance for construction of new plants for production of synthetic methanol, butyl alcohol and ethyl alcohol from sawdust and paper mill waste.

The team included Johnnie Smeace, Lawrence Singleton, Bill Singleton, Clyde Fullerton, Harris and George Miller.

Douglas Posse Team Is Winner of Stake Race

An eight-man team of the Douglas County Sheriff's Posse won the stake race Sunday at the Reedsport Rodeo, sponsored by the Reedsport Sheriff's Posse and the Coos Bay Riding Club.

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"Drunk" Serving Out Fine

Noble Olson, 24, was committed to the county jail on a charge of drunkenness to serve 12 days in lieu of a \$25 fine, by Justice

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of the Peace T. L. Weaver of Canyonville, Sheriff O. T. Carter reported.

Reedsport Liquor Sales Return to Normal Hours

REEDSPORT — A return to normal sales hours was ordered recently for all stores of the Oregon State Liquor Control Commission, after the Reedsport Chamber of Commerce had complained about the unsightly line of prospective liquor buyers who waited for the Reedsport store to open for its two afternoon sales periods.

J. J. Elliott, supervisor of stores and agencies, admitted in a letter to the chamber that the for-

mer sales practice had been "wrong and unfair to buyers." Elliott said a return to liquor rationing would not be attempted as it is felt that the buyer has the same opportunity to purchase now as under a rationing program.

The local agency received a telephone call to return to normal sales hours.

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