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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon. Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Clear tonight and Sunday.

In the Day's News

(Continued from page 1) required to observe. There has been frequent denial of this, but nearly all careful observers know that denials sometimes confirm conclusions.

It would be interesting to know how much of the outline of what Russia has gained in eastern Europe was agreed upon at the Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin conference at Yalta.

IF Russia were promised all of these things at Yalta, it is easier to understand her stubbornness in insisting upon them now.

MOST of us will agree that IF Russia were promised at Yalta that if she came in with all her military power (as she did) and helped fully in the final clean-up of Germany she would be given a free hand in all of Europe east of a certain line, we should now go through with the agreement—no matter what it costs.

It seems to this writer (purely in guesswork, with no inside knowledge) that Yalta may hold the key to much that puzzles us in connection with Russia's attitude.

WHAT may or may not be a significant development is the fact that these peace treaties were laid before a conference at which REPORTERS WERE PRESENT.

Secretary Byrnes proposed that this be done. The rules committee of the conference recommended it. MOLOTOV, OF RUSSIA, agreed to it.

Some of the contents of the treaties were snipped out with scissors, so that the reporters could not see what was provided on these points. That may mean that much else may be withheld from the press.

Still, a precedent has been set. It is a good precedent. If treaty making were OUT IN THE OPEN, so that there could be no secret agreements to come to light later, making a just peace would be a step nearer.

MOLOTOV, who has been strangely reasonable so far during the Paris conference (whose purpose is frankly to focus world opinion on Russia's stubborn resistance so far to what we and the British want), arises in his place to insist that something be done about Franco.

He says: "It still remains to deal with the fascist regime in Spain. It is in the interest of freedom-loving people to demand action AGAINST FASCISM."

(From this distance, to all straight thinkers in this country, COMMUNISM looks as dangerous as fascism. BOTH are contrary to our ideal of freedom of the individual). If Russia is going to demand destruction of fascism, it could be equally reasonable for us to demand destruction of communism.

One suspects that in bringing up Franco Spain, Molotov is threatening to throw another monkey wrench.

In Washington, Paul Olson, former secretary to Representative Coffee, of Washington state, tells the senate war investigating committee:

PARKING METERS COMING

By CHARLES V. STANTON

Preparations are being made for the installation of approximately 500 parking meters in the Roseburg business district. Work of installation is expected to start within two or three weeks.

The city is incurring no obligation, Councilman Percy Croft, chairman of the street committee, reports, as the meters are to be installed on a trial basis. During the trial period the city will receive 25 per cent of the revenue. If it decided to retain the meters, a contract for purchase will be signed, and the cost will be paid from income, the city retaining 50 per cent of all collections, while the remaining 50 per cent will go into purchase of the machines until the debt is retired.

Roseburg is one of the few cities in which there has been no battle over the parking meter issue. There is, of course, still time for a fight to develop, but to date little organized opposition has been in evidence.

It is interesting to note that in practically every city where trial periods of parking meters have been conducted and then removed because of objections, such cities soon came back to the meter plan of parking control and reinstalled meter equipment. We know of no city which has removed parking meters permanently after once giving them a trial.

Installation of parking meters will make more imperative than ever provision for free parking outside the metered area. Streets bounding the business district will become very congested with vehicles.

Eventually we may develop off-street parking lots, but the possibility seems remote. In the meantime several things can be done to improve the parking situation.

Kane Street, between Douglas and Cass, offers one opportunity for a much needed improvement. The street should be widened immediately by eliminating the parking strip, and widening the street to the sidewalk line. If funds are not available for pavement, the city could at least afford to widen the street with oiled macadam to provide temporary relief.

Kane Street already is carrying a large number of parked cars, but is too narrow to permit safe traffic while both sides are lined with motor vehicles. Our family jalopy bears a crumpled fender as the result of trying to squeeze by a logging truck in the too narrow space and we have seen many other minor accidents and near accidents resulting from the use of this street for parking purposes, while still carrying a large volume of moving traffic.

Then, too, the council should take immediate steps to restore curbs where driveways have been abandoned. There are numerous places throughout the business district and its adjacent areas where driveways no longer are in use, while the curb remains cut away. Motor vehicle operators, trained to avoid parking in front of driveways, thus waste spots available for parking purposes.

While we believe Roseburg needs parking meters to aid in solving its parking and traffic problems in the business district, we feel that the council should realize its responsibility to provide parking space for those persons who are employed in stores and offices and must have facilities for long-time parking.

Any surplus income from parking meters, should, we believe, be earmarked for off-street parking, street widening, and other improvements necessary to provide more adequate free-parking space. In the meantime, widening of Kane Street, space markings on Lane, Rose and Mosher streets, outside the metered area, restoration of curbs where driveways have been abandoned, etc., would go far toward immediate relief.

Local News

Leaves for California—Elmer Clayton left Thursday night for his home in Oakland, Calif., following a three weeks' stay in Roseburg visiting relatives and friends and attending to business interests. Mr. Clayton owns property at Melrose, where he formerly made his home.

Lilac Circle to Picnic—Lilac Circle No. 49, Neighbors of Woodcraft members and their families are invited to a 6 o'clock potluck picnic supper Monday night, August 5, in the garden at the W. Fredrickson home, 820 Howard Street. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service.

Visiting at Cummings Home—Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cummings of Roseburg have as their guests the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Nehelms of Jefferson, Iowa. Mr. Nehelms is publisher of the Bee and Herald newspaper at Jefferson.

Lodge to Confer Rank—Alpha Lodge No. 47, Knights of Pythias will confer the rank of Page Monday night at 8 o'clock at Castle Hall. Members and candidates are requested to be present.

Undergoes Major Operation—J. A. Hart, manager of the New Service Laundry in Roseburg, underwent a major operation at Mercy Hospital Thursday. His condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Move to Eureka—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Warkentin and daughter, Violet, of Glengary were guests at the John L. Campbell home for dinner Thursday evening, before leaving for Eureka, Calif., to reside.

Picnic to Be Held Sunday—The Knights of Pythias, Pythian Sisters and their families are invited to bring a basket dinner and their own table service and attend a picnic Sunday, August 4, at 1:30 o'clock at Kiwanis Park.

Auxiliary Picnic—The Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen members and their families are invited to a 4 o'clock picnic dinner Sunday in the garden at the S. W. Starnes home on Winchester Street. Chicken and ice cream will be furnished. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service.

James A. Ellis Dies at Reedsport

REEDSPORT—James Arthur Ellis, 81, former city councilman and a furniture dealer in Reedsport for more than 20 years, died suddenly at his home here Thursday evening.

Born March 27, 1865, in Pinhook, Davis County, Missouri, the family moved into California when he was six years of age, and after two years went to Kildickat, Wash. Mr. Ellis was married at Portland, Ore., November 26, 1896, to Miss Laura Stanton, and from 1898 to 1925 resided at Wasco, Ore., where he was engaged in the furniture business and conducted an automobile agency.

Moving to Reedsport in 1925, Mr. Ellis organized the Ellis Furniture Company, which he conducted continuously until October, 1945, when the business was sold to the Howard Furniture Company. He has since been in retirement.

Surviving are the widow; a daughter, Mrs. Royce (Zella) Lockart, Wall, Walla; a son, Jamie M. Ellis, San Diego; a foster daughter, Mrs. Erling (Zaina) Sound, Los Angeles; a brother, Frank Ellis, Los Gatos, Calif.; two sisters, Mary Adeline Russell, Marysville, Calif., and Mattie Sheridan, Yuba City, Calif., and two grandchildren.

Mr. Ellis was a member of the Woodmen of the World. Funeral services, in charge of the Unger Funeral Home, are to be held at the Unger chapel in Reedsport at 2 P. M. Monday.

Fire At Library Does No Damage

Mice playing with matches were seen as a possible cause of the fire yesterday afternoon in the basement of the Roseburg Public Library, by Fire Chief Glenn H. Taylor.

The fire was small and no damage resulted. It started in a pad of paper stuffed between a pane of glass in a rear basement window and a board nailed inside the window frame.

This space was approximately an inch wide, and Taylor said he could see no way for the fire to have started except for the possibility of mice dragging a match into a nest in the yellowed paper.

The passerby who saw the fire and gave the alarm had broken the glass, Taylor said, thus giving rise to the belief held at first that someone had tossed a cigarette through the window.

The fire burned through the board nailed to the window frame and scorched a heavier piece of wood resting against it. "It's fortunate that the fire was discovered just when it was," Taylor said.

Banker Says May In Loan Default

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Elisha Walker, senior partner of the New York firm of Kuhn-Loeb, informed Senator Mead today that in 1941 he lent \$5,000 to Representative Andrew J. May (D., Ky.) at the request of munitions manufacturer Murray Garsson. Walker said he still has not been paid back.

The New York financier conferred here with Mead, who is chairman of the Senate War Investigating Committee. Afterward, Walker told reporters that prior to the maturity of the note, he had written May about it, and had received a reply from May "that he had given the original note as an accommodation to Mr. Garsson and that Mr. Garsson had advised him that such renewal note would be paid in a few days."

In view of Mr. May's statement, Walker said, "I took up with Mr. Garsson the matter of paying that note. Up to the present time, however, it has not been paid."

Walker said that he had the details of the case before Mead because he "thought the committee should have all the facts" concerning the relations between Garsson, one of a munitions combine which has been under investigation, and May, chairman of the House Military Committee. May, who has said he helped the Garsson munitions companies during war time only to speed the war effort, is on the committee's witness list. However, his doctor has certified he is too ill to testify now.

Homesteading Land to Be Opened to War Vets

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Plans for opening more than 76,000 acres of public land throughout the west to homesteading by veterans were announced yesterday by Secretary of the Interior Krug.

The program will open immediately with 7,527 acres of land on the Tule Lake division of the Klamath Irrigation Project in California. Applications for the 86 farm units will be taken from World War II veterans with at least 90 days service by Reclamation Bureau offices here and in

DRUNK DRIVING

Time Magazine, July 29th issue, devotes part of its radio section to an article on Martha Rountree, youthful producer of "Leave It to the Girls," heard on Saturday nights at 8:00. Dr. Clifford Adams, director of the marriage-counsel service at Penn State College, will guest on tonight's show.

For tomorrow: Who first said "Crime Doesn't Pay"? You'll get the answer on True Detective Mysteries, 12:30 to 1:00 tomorrow. Another of the "colorful" Abbott Mysteries at 1:30... Have you noticed that each title has a color name in it? It's "The Rikshaw Red Lipstick" tomorrow.

Umpqua Chiefs-Gold Hill game broadcast starts at 2:30. Broadcast runs to conclusion of game or until 4:25, when Cecil Brown hits the net with his capsule edition of news.

"Exploring the Unknown" has been chosen as radio's "Number One Science-Drama Series" by the editors of "Picture News" magazine. This week the show dramatizes the fight against your old friend, hay fever. 6:00 P. M. Sunday is the time.

Double or Nothing, 6:30 Sunday, is released over 196 stations making it the most widely broadcast quiz show on the air. Mystery is My Hobby, What's the Name of That Song, and Twenty Questions follow the quiz show... Best entertainment of the week!

KRNR Mutual Broadcasting System 1490 Kilocycles

REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 3:00-Hawaii Calls, 3:30-Showcase, 3:45-I Was a Convict, 4:04-Serenade for Strings, 4:30-Juvenile Jury, 4:56-News, 5:30-Jonathan Trimble, Esquire, 6:00-Chicago Theater of the Air, 7:00-State and Local News, Roseburg, 7:15-Musical Interlude, 7:25-Red Ryder, 7:30-Leave It to the Girls, 7:35-Tommy Dorsey Playhop, 8:00-Alka Seltzer News, 8:15-Easy Listening Orchestra, 9:30-Wrestling Matches, Roseburg, 10:30-Ten-Thirty Club, M. Lawson, 11:00-Sign Off.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 1946: 8:00-Pilgrim Hour, 8:30-Lutheran Hour, 8:35-Lutheran Church, 9:00-Voice of Prophecy, 9:15-Singing Societies, Gum Labs, 9:45-This Is Our Duty, 10:00-Alka Seltzer News, 10:15-Organ Concert, Umpqua Hotel, 11:00-Prebyterian Church Services, 12:00-National News, Modern Furniture, 12:15-Like Chase, Berkshire Knit, Mills, 12:30-True Detective Mysteries, Williamson's, 1:00-Abbott Mysteries, Helbok Watch, 1:30-Those Healers, Quaker Oats Co., 2:30-Tropica Chiefs vs. Gold Hill, Associated Old, 4:25-Dr. Floyd Johnson, Murne, 4:30-Dr. Floyd Johnson, Murne, 5:00-Serenade for Smoothies, 5:30-News Investigator, Commercial Credit, 5:45-George Putnam and the News, 6:00-Variety in the Unknown, 6:30-Double or Nothing, Feenamit, 7:00-What's My Hobby, Mutual, Benefit, 7:30-What's the Name of That Song?, 8:00-Twenty Questions, 8:30-Walter Winchell, Andrew Jergens Co., 8:45-Leave Presents Sheila Graham, Raymond Law, 9:00-News, Alka Seltzer, 9:15-Rex Miller, Purex, 9:30-Private Showing, 10:30-Old Fashioned Revival Hour, 11:00-Sign Off.

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 1946: 6:00-Farm Bulletin Board, 6:30-Station Patrol, 6:55-Schrieker Auction, Schrieker.

Klamath Falls, Ore., and Sacramento, Calif. Authorities said the year, 13,092 acres divided into 158 farm units will be opened in Washington, Wyoming and Idaho. Another 63,000 acres will be opened during 1947 in Oregon, Washington, Arizona, Nevada, Idaho and Wyoming.

Diphtheria Hits Family Living in Squalid Home

SEATTLE, Aug. 1.—(AP)—King County authorities revealed last night that one child of a Seattle family had died of diphtheria, the mother and 2-year-old child are ill with the disease and the remaining three surviving children are confined to a hospital.

Authorities said the family was living in a squalid home from which they had once been removed because of its condition. Mrs. Evelyn Burke, supervisor of nursing education for the county health department, said investigation had disclosed the family was drinking water out of an unsanitary open ditch a few feet from the house.

Vice Adm. Glassford Files Suit for Divorce

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 3.—(AP)—Vice Adm. William A. Glassford has filed suit here for divorce from Deborah Leighton Glassford of Washington, D. C. Glassford's complaint charged that his wife's "interference and excesses" caused him "embarrassment and humiliation."

They were married August 25, 1920, at Vancouver, B. C. They have no children.

Vital Statistics BORN

SIMMONS—To Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Simmons of Roseburg at Mercy Hospital July 19, a daughter, Sherrie Joan, weight eight pounds, nine ounces.

Marriage Licenses PALMER-HORNBSBY—Ernest Newton Palmer and Alice Mildred Hornbsby, both of Roseburg.

CARTER-MERRY—Edward May Carter and Roberta Jean Merry, both of Youcalia.

Divorce Complaint HANCHETT—Flossie M. vs. Clarence F. Hanchett; married August 25, 1930, Vancouver, Wash.; cruelty.

Batch of Violators Given Court Raps

Frank Benson Washburn, 44, was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail on a vagrancy charge, and Harvey Doud Dake, 19, to 30 days and fined \$100 for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. Justice of the Peace Hartfield reported yesterday.

Dake, discharged sailor, was bound over to the grand jury on a second charge on which he waived a preliminary hearing; that of taking and using an automobile without permission of its registered owner.

Dake was employed at the Silm Wheelock farm at Brockway, Hartfield said, and on the evening of his first day's employment took Mrs. Wheelock's car to Coos Junction, where state police arrested him on the intoxication charge.

Four other cases were heard in justice court yesterday. Hartfield also reported: George R. Wilkinson, overload, \$10; Nelson B. Cox, overload, \$10, and axle overload, \$10, and Earl J. Hunt, overload, \$10.

Up in the Air

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—(AP)—An aerial photographer planned to fly over Zoro Nature Park in Roseland, Ind., today to take pictures of the members of the American Sunbathing Association.

Alois S. Knapp, president of the association, said that so many planes have been flying at low altitudes over the camp that "we'd like to know how we look from the air."

The association, which Knapp said has 5,000 members, opened a three-day convention today.

NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION OF WATER. Notice is given hereby that Blaine G. Johnson of Glendale, Oregon, has filed an application with Chas. E. Stricklin, State Engineer, for approval of a change in point of diversion of water. Certificate of water right recorded at Page 3201, Volume 4, State Record of Water Right Certificates, was issued to Azelia River Ranch, continuing a right to the use of 2.96 cubic feet per second of the waters of Cow Creek for the irrigation of 20 acres in the NW 1/4, NE 1/4, 20 acres in the NW 1/4, 40 acres in the SW 1/4, NE 1/4, 20 acres in the NE 1/4, 35 acres in the NE 1/4, SW 1/4, 15 acres in the NE 1/4, SE 1/4, and 15 acres in the NW 1/4, Sec. 21, T. 32 S., R. 3 W., W. M., with a date of priority of December 22, 1900, through the A. H. Henson Ditch, the point of diversion of said ditch being located 200 feet south and 100 feet west from the northeast corner of Sec. 22, T. 32 S., R. 3 W., W. M. The applicant herein, owner of the above described lands, proposes to convey the water for the irrigation of such lands by means of a portable pump, to be located along Cow Creek within that part of Section 21, T. 32 S., R. 3 W., W. M., owned by the applicant. All persons interested are notified hereby that a hearing will be held in the County Court House at Roseburg, Oregon, on Tuesday, August 13, 1946, at 10:00 A. M. Any objections to proposed change if any there are, will be heard at said time and place. Any objections should be prepared in writing, one copy to be served on Blaine G. Johnson, Glendale, Oregon, and one copy mailed to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon, at least 10 days prior to the date set for hearing. No objections are filed, the hearing will be held as aforesaid, the hearing will be held at Salem, Oregon, this 24th day of July, 1946. CHAS. E. STRICKLIN, State Engineer.

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Killed by Logging Truck

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 2.—(AP)—William Joyner, 27, Mehama logging contractor, was killed yesterday when a logging truck backed over him in the Green Mountain timber area in the Cascades above Niagara.

Joyner leaves a widow and an 18-month-old daughter.

ALL MUSICIANS

Whether you belong to a union or not, you are invited to attend a meeting at the Pacific Building, Hall "A" of the A. F. of L. Central Labor Council. Come and see what your local musicians intend doing for themselves and for the benefit of the county. The meeting starts promptly at 8:00 P. M., Monday, August 5.

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