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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; occasional light rain Thursday.

In the Day's News

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ence, which will follow shortly after Paris, Russia HAS THE VETO POWER.

SO, you see, the real crisis will come at the next meeting of the foreign ministers conference. That will be the REAL show-down.

THERE is a new hot spot in the news. A Washington dispatch tells us: "The United States will reserve the right to RECAPTURE all weapons and munitions supplied Russia under lend-lease BEFORE WRITING OFF our war-time account with Moscow as closed."

THESE officials (quoted in the dispatch) say they DON'T THINK the United States will seek payment for any war material destroyed or otherwise used up in the war against the Germans and the Japs. They add, however, that Russia will be asked to pay at least a part of the cost of civilian-type articles (supplied under lend-lease) which the Soviets can use in peacetime.

They add that a decision remains yet to be made on whether to charge for weapons STILL IN USE BY THE SOVIET ARMY.

ONE guesses that the lend-lease settlement will be part of the showdown with Russia when it finally comes. (Obviously, there will have to be a showdown sooner or later. The situation can't remain up in the air forever.)

SO much for the scary news in the papers. Fortunately, it isn't ALL scary.

FROM the little town of Concrete, in Washington, comes a story that helps to restore our faith in humanity. Dr. H. E. Mertz, 73, in a dangerous physical condition himself, went out to care for a stricken child. He took the wrong road, and his car became mired in the mud. His unconscious body was found by a woodcutter 20 hours later.

He died in a hospital OF PNEUMONIA the next day.

UNSELFISHNESS, you see, ISN'T DEAD. People are still willing to risk death in order to do their duty.

There is doubtless as much unselfishness in the world today as at any time EVER in the past. It is quite probable that we just HEAR MORE ABOUT THE UNSELFISHNESS.

It must be kept in mind that communications are vastly better today than ever before since the world began. It must ALSO be remembered that BAD news is more apt to be prominently printed and broadcast than GOOD news—and human beings being what they are, more apt to be READ AND LISTENED TO AND REMEMBERED.

MEAT CONTROLS LIFTED

By CHARLES V. STANTON

Castigating everyone except those actually responsible for current conditions, President Truman Monday ordered meat controls lifted and indicated that wage restrictions also are to be tossed into the discard and that other regulations and controls are on the way out.

On several occasions we have predicted in this column recently that controls would be off before Congress convened in January. The lid is blowing off earlier, however, than had seemed possible, and it now appears the attempt to rescue the nation's bureaucrats from their crumbling structure is to be a formidable task for a haywire administration.

Were it not for the embarrassing spectacle of a man holding the highly honored office of President of the United States sidestepping responsibility and passing the buck for his own vacillation and weakness, the President's attempt to "explain" the lifting of meat controls would have been ludicrous.

He indicted meat packers, speculators and profiteers and followed the usual pattern of trying to blame Congress, when one needs only to go back into the news files of a few weeks ago to recall that the administration majority in Congress—the New Deal stooges—were driven by the administration to produce a face-saving price control bill when Congress was reluctant to end the OPA recess.

President Truman confessed inability to hold even the party stooges in line when he admitted that "many members of the Congress and many candidates have pledged themselves to vote for the removal of controls as soon as the new Congress meets." Congressmen have been in their respective districts during the last few weeks, hearing the voices of their constituents. They know the temper of the people. New Deal pressure would not be able to hold even the "rubber stamps" in line when Congress convenes again.

By his attitude of reluctance in lifting price controls, the president subscribed to the paternalistic policy of "we know best," so long shoved down the throats of the American public.

The implications of this latest move, we believe, are plainly evident.

The administration is patently aware of the growing discontent against regimentation. It well knows that continuation of impractical, unreasoning, unrealistic regulation will be tolerated no longer by an aroused people. Revolt is spreading. Defiance has been voiced against the OPA, the CPA and other agencies. The administration itself was forced to render impotent its wage stabilization board. The bureaucratic structure has been breached by the force of public opinion, and its walls are beginning to crumble.

But the administration has a great deal at stake in preserving its voting machine, built up by pyramiding, duplicating and interlocking agencies, until it could put thousands of useless employes and potential voters upon the public payroll. This voting machine must be rescued if at all possible.

As long as bureaus, agencies and authorities continued to irritate the public there was constant danger they would be tossed out bodily.

If, however, the administration can remove all irritating controls, keeping in force only enough innocuous regulations to preserve the skeleton of its bureaucratic form, it can keep "meat on the ribs." OPA with rent and sugar controls remaining can cling to its army of employes, CPA, even though stripped of its power, may be given enough simple tasks to keep voters on the payroll.

This is the policy of an administration which for years has been playing politics with the essentials of food, clothing and shelter upon which every man, woman and child is dependent.

The purpose is to make bureaucracy inconspicuous until after the next presidential election. Bureaucracy stuck its neck out too far. Now it must duck out of sight until the storm blows over.

In the meantime, efforts will be made to retain the huge army of parasitical employes at taxpayer expense to provide votes for the next presidential election.

If the American public isn't goaded too much by regulations, it may overlook the fact that it is being forced to spend many millions of tax dollars unnecessarily. An occasional fatherly pat on the back, some well distributed warnings about inflations, creation of a new crisis, deliberately organized confusion, communistic-patterned division, etc., can be relied upon to keep the public mind occupied and prevent concentration of opinion upon federal economies.

So look for further easing of controls, removal of short-ages, administrative attempts to smooth the public pathway, and "comic strips" to keep your mind off the fact that Uncle Sam is picking your pockets to retain faithful voters on the payroll.

imposed Sept. 1, subsidy claims from "packers have averaged only about 20 per cent of last year's."

OPA economists said elimination of the subsidies can be expected to boost retail costs for the consumer at least this much.

Cordon Opposes Krug's CVA Ideas

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Secretary of the Interior Krug's endorsement of the principle of a Columbia Valley Authority found several congressmen in Washington divided today in their reactions.

He referred to legislation offered by Senator Mitchell (D-Wash.) to establish a natural resources development agency in the northwest along the same pattern as that of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Three congressmen from TVA areas commended Krug's state-

Business Women's Week Observed by Club in Roseburg

National Business Women's Week, ended for observance in Oregon October 13 to 19, by Governor Snell, is being observed in Roseburg by the Business and Professional Women's Club. The week's program began Sunday with all members attending church together.

Founded in 1919, the national federation now has a membership of 102,000 in 1,775 clubs with state federations in 48 states, as well as in Alaska, Hawaii and the District of Columbia. It is the largest federation of business and professional women in the world, and publishes the only magazine in the United States devoted entirely to the interests of women in business and the professions. In Oregon there are more than 1,800 members of this federation.

More than 400 occupations are followed by its members, training women for citizenship on local, state, national and international levels and represents the first effort to organize and utilize the women workers of the country. Members include congresswomen, judges, state and city officials, as well as leaders of the medical profession, the bar, business executives, school teachers, nurses and thousands of small business owners.

Says Public Reaction to Determine Meat Prices

PORTLAND, Oct. 16.—(AP)—The public's reaction to end of meat controls will determine prices, E. W. Carlson, secretary of the Independent Meat Dealers' Association, said.

"We believe prices will be held down," he said on hearing of President Truman's decontrol action, "because consumers will refuse to buy at skyrocketing prices."

Recalling that the Portland livestock market was not stamped during the previous 10-week control-free period, W. E. Williams, president of the Portland Union Stockyards, said he did not expect any rush of animals to slaughter in the next six weeks or two months.

R. L. Clark, commission firm president, said he agreed with Williams that meat supplies would be delayed getting to market. He added that beef would have to be imported from the next year because government policies "have strangled production of hogs and sheep."

Si Dillard Motor Co. Enlarging, Modernizing

Enlargement and modernizing of the Si Dillard Motor Company at Main and Douglas streets is now in progress and upon completion will include a new parts room and shop, all modern offices, and a new show room of artistic design.

New parts bins are being installed for the carrying of a complete stock as it becomes available and new fluorescent lighting is being installed in the offices.

Promoted to Corporal UNITED STATES FORCES IN AUSTRIA—Maynard C. Hargan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hargan, Drain, Oregon, has been promoted to the rank of corporal while serving in the headquarters of General Mark W. Clark's United States forces in Austria.

Prior to induction into the Army in October, 1945, he was engaged in farming with his father. He graduated from Elkton Union High School, Elkton, Oregon, in May, 1945.

Traffic Violators Fined

Two persons were fined for alleged traffic violations Tuesday, Justice of the Peace Harvill reported: Edwin M. Smith, axle overload, \$10; Harold F. Messinger, no clearance lights, \$10, and overlength load, \$10.

BORN

CROGHAN—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Croghan, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital October 12, a son, Patrick Earl; weight seven pounds four ounces.

UHM—To Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Elm, Brookway, at Mercy hospital October 13, a daughter, Linda Lee; weight eight pounds four ounces.

FIELDING—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fielding, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, October 14, a son, Roger Allan; weight seven pounds thirteen ounces.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—Patrick Henry Erwin, Los Angeles, and Doris Irene Tickenor, Fort Benton, Montana.

Terminal Concern, Railroad Sued On Monopoly Charge

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—(AP)—U. S. Attorney General Tom C. Clark announced yesterday the filing of a civil suit charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust act by Boston Market Terminal Company, 19 corporate members, the New Haven Railroad, and 22 individuals.

Clark's announcement of filing of the suit in Federal Court said that \$80,000,000 worth of fruit and vegetables were handled each year through the Terminal Company, for distribution to the states of Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine. He said that the suit charged: 1. That the defendant receivers,

members of the Boston Market Terminal Company, had agreed to use the defendant railway exclusively, and have agreed to refrain from using other railroads or motor carriers for the transportation of fruit and vegetables into Boston, and

2. That the defendant receivers have exclusive use of the facilities of the Boston Market Terminal Company to receive fruit and vegetables, and deny access to non-member receivers and others.

Mishap Victim Loses Cash While Taking Notes

PORTLAND, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Lee C. Applegate, involved in a traffic accident, got out of his automobile. He laid his billfold, containing \$180 in cash and a \$62 check, on the car while taking names and addresses. When he looked again, the billfold was gone.

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L. M. Hance, Technician in Piano Work, Locates Here. Piano Technician L. M. Hance, formerly of Santa Monica, Calif., has located in Roseburg and will service all types of pianos by contract made through Bob's Music Shop at 305 N. Jackson street, Roseburg, b e c a m e Hance's choice site for a location after vacationing with his wife in the Umpqua valley. His new residence is at 337 N. Main street.

Meeting Hour Set for Elks Lodge Band Tonight. All members of the Elks Lodge Band are requested to meet at the local lodge temple promptly at 7:30 tonight. Director Les Irvin said today, for transportation to Elks Field for the Roseburg Chiefs-Southern Oregon College football game, Regular Wednesday night rehearsals will be resumed next week, he added.

Light Meat. CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—(AP)—Butcher James V. Fiduccia was in License Court on a charge of giving a customer short weight on hard-to-get meat. "She was a millionaire, Judge, and I thought she could afford it," Fiduccia told Judge Samuel Heller. "Must be a lot of millionaires in your neighborhood," Judge Heller commented in fining Fiduccia \$200 and costs and reminding him he had been convicted three times on short-weight charges since 1941.

Grammar and secondary schools in the United States lack about 11,250,000 textbooks this year. LEGAL NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that E. R. Haysen, assignee and holder of note and mortgage dated the 5th day of May, 1945, executed by Northern Service Company, an Oregon Corporation, Mortgagee to the United States National Bank of Portland, Oregon, Mortgagee, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at 10:00 A. M. the 22nd day of October, at the Federal Transfer and Storage Company warehouse, just north of the Coen Lumber Company office on the southern Pacific Railroad tracks, Block 100, block on Mill Street, in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, the following described personal property, to-wit:

1 Property Triple Head Press, Motor 40 W. Type L.V. No. 114384. 2 Hubsch Double Sleeper, S-44. 3 Ironing Board. 4 Premium Toy Tumbler, size 38 x 38. 5 Nelson Kreuler Extractor. 6 12" x 6" American Metal Cylinder Wood Washer. 7 Curtis Air Compressor, U 933 A, No. 99900. 8 American Body Press, No. 36625N-11212. 9 3-1/2 P. Motor No. 407342. 10 American Collar Shaper and form No. 611793. 11 Headman Brush Writer, No. 242804. 12 Louis Cash Register, No. 31337-109. 13 H.P. Motor. Miscellaneous shattering, nutters, belt-driven valves, pipe and pipe fittings. Dated and first published this 14th day of October, 1946. E. R. HAYSSEN.

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