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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Occasional light rain tonight and Saturday.

In the Day's News

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power development. Only in Scotland is water power feasible on a fairly large scale. England, once the coal bin of Europe, is still unable to produce enough power for her own uses.

BRITAIN'S need for coal is much more acute than ours, for there COAL IS MONEY as well as a vital raw material. It must be understood that in international trade printing press money has little or no value.

The scarcity is due to the unwillingness of men to go down into the bowels of the earth to dig coal.

PAPER is a good example. We newspaper people in America think we have a paper shortage. We worry about it day and night.

The great metropolitan papers in England, with circulations running into the millions and advertisers clamoring for space with which to re-establish their war-torn markets, are seldom larger than four pages.

Yet Sweden, one of the world's great paper producers, is only a short boat haul from British ports—and Sweden is piled mountain-high with accumulated pulp wood waiting to be made into paper.

There used to be a catchy phrase about Turkey being the Sick Man of Europe. At the present moment, coal is the Sick Man of the World.

DR. COMPTON'S statement that by 1955 atomic power may be a serious competitor of coal isn't a new one. The British are now definitely planning to be operating the bulk of their industry with atomic power within at least ten years.

Sen. Bilbo Hits Back at Discrimination Charges. JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo yesterday told senators investigating his Mississippi primary campaign that if he was "enslaved, condemned and deprived of my seat in the senate" because of his Negro voting views, every Mississippi official elected in 36 years should be so treated.

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THE WAGE SEESAW

By CHARLES V. STANTON

Looking over a counter filled with Christmas toys, we observed a cute little device in the form of a metal teeter. As the toy was placed in operation, the teeter, bearing its two small figures, climbed a rack to the top of the stand.

It could not help comparing the action of this toy with the current wage-price seesaw our nation is experiencing in these troublesome days. Organized labor bases demands for increased wages upon the mounting cost of living.

With the little red toy on the Christmas counter our finger furnished the motive power. There also is an impelling force behind the wave of strikes and wage demands. Is this force the natural outgrowth of the period of high wages brought about by the war, or is a sinister hand deliberately rocking our economic structure for the express purpose of driving us to disaster?

Certainly labor leadership must be fully aware of the inevitability of inflation under existing practices. The laboring man cannot evade realization that continued unrest, preventing full productivity, does not allow him exercise of his full earning capacity.

It is obvious that the workingman would be served best if he were permitted uninterrupted work at comparatively high wages now prevailing throughout most industries, thus, by creating an abundance of consumer goods, forcing down the cost of living and bringing to bear the proven principles of the law of supply and demand.

But what is the outlook? If Lewis and his coal miners obtain wage increases for which they are seeking, other labor leaders, not to be outdone, must also obtain more money for their workers, or face discontent and ouster from their positions of leadership.

The guiding principle of communism is to create chaos and confusion, while dividing opposition forces and building up disturbance to a point where the communistic minority may seize control. If the communistic finger is the power behind the teeter-totter it will not stop until it has brought about the impending crash.

As we stood watching the action of that little Christmas toy and forming comparisons with current problems, we observed a mother very vigorously slap the hands of her small son who followed the bad example we had set in playing with the toys put upon display.

It judges economic practice by the criteria of faith. "It refuses dictation from so-called statesmen who think in terms of power politics and are unacquainted with the moral law. The church calls for world law and order in the name of the Saviour of the world."

While a lengthy document, entitled "Towards Peace in the Far East," adopted by the council yesterday, stated that continued civil war in China "contains the ever-present danger that the United States and the Soviet Union may be drawn in on opposite sides, Bishop Oxnam added.

The churches have declared war with Russia can be avoided, and must be avoided, without compromise of basic convictions," the council statement asserted, too, that.

The Far Eastern settlement must encourage the most privileged nations to share their scientific and technical resources with those less privileged. Otherwise, the Trans-Pacific area may become a dangerous international "slum," a breeding ground for crimes against the peace.

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New Cub Pack Will Be Headed By Ben D. Irving

Ben D. Irving will be cubmaster of Pack 308, organized last night at the First Baptist Church of Roseburg.

Other leaders of the new pack will include Keith Mobley as assistant cubmaster; Harry E. Wilson, chairman, and John W. Rouse, William Snyder, and Harry G. Howe, members of the pack committee.

McCarroll also announced plans for the organization of new Cub pack at Green in the near future.

A district court of honor will be held in Roseburg, January 27, and a district meeting January 30, at which Dwight Ramsay, of the national headquarters of the Boy Scouts, will be a speaker.

Douglas Winners In FFA Contest On Swine Listed

Benjamin Irving of Wilbur took third place and a \$10 prize in the annual pig litter contest sponsored by the Oregon Bankers Association for the Future Farmers of America.

There were 12 entries from the Roseburg FFA chapter, all of which were of pure-bred swine. This was the largest entry of any chapter in the state, according to Homer Grow, director of the contest.

Other prize winners from Roseburg in the sow class included Gordon Hughes, Garden Valley, in ninth place with a litter of 10 Hampshire, \$5 award; and Charley Melton, Roseburg, Duroc, fifteenth place.

In the gilt class, John Roeder of Umpqua was in second place with his Duroc litter of seven, \$15 award. Charles Bailey, South Deer Creek, was in third place with a Duroc litter, \$5 award.

Others entered in the contest were Dick Stritzke, Stanley Brent, Ted Schattner and LeRoy Sigfridson. Next year the local chapter will have more than 20 entries in the contest.

Wood Processing Plant Projected At Everett, Wash

SEATTLE, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Construction of a plant capable of processing more than 1,000,000 board feet of lumber a month against fire, rot and insects is planned in Everett by the American Lumber & Treating Company, J. F. Lanthicum, firm president, announced today from Chicago.

The plant, which company officials in Washington said would be in limited production by January, will cover seven acres adjacent to the Weverhaeuser Timber Company's Everett mill.

Chemical processing will be done for the purpose of protecting the Northwest lumber industry, Lanthicum said. Full production is expected to be reached by early summer.

Lanthicum said two huge steel vacuum-pressure treating cylinders, each capable of handling approximately two carloads of lumber at one time, will be installed.

The company already has three West Coast plants—two in California and one at Wauna, Ore. "Expansion of facilities to conserve wood by chemical treatment is a major part of the lumber industry's effort to protect and develop the "timber crop," Lanthicum declared.

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Tonight is tops in listening... Remember Veteran's Information Guide at 7:00... a public service feature of which we are justly proud.

Let George Do It, 8:00 o'clock tonight, comes across a tough customer when a wealthy man who was supposed to have died in a highway accident turns up with a job for George.

"Henry Martin" the musical tale of a young Scot who became a seafarer by mere chance, heads balladier Burl Ives show tonight from 8:30 to 8:45.

union-busting campaigns we had after the first World War. Epidemic danger from malaria in the United States is remote. A combination of Anopheles mosquitoes, and active infections would be required and only during an unattended relapse could a patient transmit the disease.

Notice of Timber Sale. Sealed bids, marked outside "Bid for Timber," and addressed to the Chief Forester, O. and C. Administration, 901 Guardian Building, Portland 4, Oregon, will be received until and opened at 10:30 A. M., Pacific Standard Time, January 7, 1947 for the purchase of timber upon tracts hereinafter described.

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Winners at Washington Turkey Show Announced. SUNNYSIDE, Wash., Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Washington Cooperative Chicken Association of Bellingham and Kenneth Smith, Sunnyside grower, today held major honors in the eighth annual Washington turkey show.

One of the foremost hat-collectors is Winston Churchill who possesses every type of civilian and military headpiece from every country he has visited. His military collection covers three wars and a fifty-year period.

NOTICE. We are again operating on regular schedule giving weekly service. For regular pick-up and delivery of LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING - Phone 88 - NEW SERVICE LAUNDRY

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh. How to Stop Worrying. I guess folks in our town do about as much worrying as in yours—over housing and prices, and crops, and jobs—and the little domestic problems that are always coming up.

Roseburg Welding Works and Machine Shop. Court and Main Phone 667. We have some Carriage Blocks, Knees, and V-Rails Made Up. Have 60-lb. Rails in Stock.

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Sleeping Bag. With waterproof cover and waterproof carrying bag—40% down, 60% feather filling—an excellent Christmas gift.

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