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The Weather

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

News of 4-H CLUBS

Seven Douglas County 4-H members have received checks and special ribbons as awards for participation in a county grand contest sponsored by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state 4-H club leader, will be in Douglas county January 23 and 24 to hold leader training and workshop meetings for Douglas County leaders.

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THE YOUNGER GENERATION

By CHARLES V. STANTON

We develop a slow burn each time we receive a communication, as we do frequently, concerning alleged shortcomings of the younger generation. It seems that each adult generation must look askance at the oncoming generation, and cluck its collective tongues, while expressing serious doubts that the youngsters of the day can ever advance beyond the moronic stage.

Personally, we think that the present generation is far superior in every way to our own, and that the young people of today, with all their five talk, odd habits, speed madness, and public petting, are tops.

True, we hear an increasing amount of talk about juvenile delinquency. Writings from the earliest days of man's recorded existence also speak of youth's "wildness," so the topic is far from new. Belittlers point with horror to records of crime, and the growing number of girls haled into courts as criminals.

We have before us a communication from a writer deploring the manner in which our young people dress, contending that our psychology has been affected by deprivations of the depression, war and scarcity.

We're wondering if the "Sloppy Joe" psychology is any different than the psychology of the hoop skirt, peeping pantaloons, bustle, and slit skirt. Or if the psychology of the bare midriff is any different than the extreme décolleté of the "Gay Nineties."

We wonder if our correspondent ever gave thought to the psychology of plenty as reflected in attire. Millionaires generally wear the sloppiest clothes. People of affluence are not forced to dress well. The washerwoman's daughter usually has the best clothes. Perhaps today's trend toward sloppiness of dress, of which our correspondent complains, is an expression on the part of our young people of our national prosperity.

But we also wonder if our correspondent has seen any of our young people "dolled up" for a formal occasion. If not, the writer has missed "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

Certainly the depression, the war, our jam-happy prosperity, and other national situations have left their mark upon our younger generation. It is our belief that it has resulted, however, in making them more serious minded, and has given them a determination that they can do a much better job of running this world, when it comes their turn, than can the "old fogies" with their "funny ideas," who have been making such a mess of things in the past.

If that's what they're thinking, we're ready to go along with them.

Portland's Crime Orgy Stirs Police

PORTLAND, Jan. 6. — A safe was robbed of \$9,000 in bonds and \$800 in cash early yesterday while the greatest concentration of police reserves in the city's history roved the streets on special "crime wave" assignment.

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5 Quintets Vie On First Card Of Commercial Loop

By ROYAL S. DENTON Basketball fury raged last night in Roseburg as eight quintets of the north and south divisions of the Commercial Hoop League opened conference play with doubleheaders at both Junior High and Senior High gymnasiums.

The Junior High court saw Umpqua Valley Hardware edge over a scrappy Riddle aggregation, 31-26, followed by the Elks' 30-26 defeat of Canyonville in a similar nip-and-tuck battle.

J. K. Sports took a pasting from Sutherland's Pastime Tavern to the tune of 28-15 in the Senior High opener, and Rainbow Guard continued their impressive high-scoring wins attained in pre-season play in dropping a cold Kenny's Tavern five of Myrtle Creek by a 61-37 decision.

The Hardware, led by Earl Ward, wily center who took top scoring honors with 13 points, opened strong against Riddle, leading 11-2 at the end of the first quarter and 20-12 at half time. Gillespie, ball-hawking forward, however, cut loose into pre-season stride, to sink seven straight points for Riddle to pull them out of the hole and put the game on ice as the score stood 24-22 at the beginning of the final stanza.

A cautionary stall in the final minutes sewed up the Elks' 30-26 win over Riddle as the visitors began sinking buckets from all angles in the fourth quarter of the Junior High second game after trailing 10-2 at second quarter time. 16-10 at the half, and 25-22 as the game went into the final period. Travis, Elk guard, shared scoring with Canyonville's forward, Spencer, with 12 points each.

Sutherland, probably the most aggressive and scrappiest club of the northern division, held little doubt as to the outcome of its 28-15 victory over J. K. Sports, a club which has shown up good herebefore in non-conference tilts. Led by Ridge, who potted eight for leading scorer, the Taverners paced the Sports throughout three quarters by a 10-point lead. Sutherland showed signs of fatigue after the first three 10-minute quarters, however, but held its margin on the scoreboard with set shots over J.K.'s strong zone defense.

In the most interesting game of the evening, Rainbow Grill surged ahead in the final half of its contest with Myrtle Creek to a 24-point margin and imminent victory. Myrtle Creek, without the aid of George Dyer, found itself greatly handicapped by the lack of height against the dictating Grillers, who scored on lay-ins, rebounds, and set shots. Neidmeyer, fleetly Rainbow forward, topped the scoring with 17 points. Newton, Myrtle Creek forward, was high for the visitors with 12.

Lineups: Umpqua Hdwe. 31, Riddle 26. Pos. F 11, Gillespie Packerd, 6 F 3, Ulam Ward, 13 C 4, Frank Sanders, 2 G 8, Weakley Baker, 2 G Wedder Substitutions: Ump, Hdwe.—G. Sander, A. Atterbury, 3, Young 2, Riddle—C. Gillespie.

Selfarth, 8 F 12, Spencer Long, 8 F 9, Holson Fouler, 12 C 5, Lady Travis, 12 G 6, Ford Wyatt, 2 G Dodson Substitutions: Elks—Wilbite, Reitman; Canyonville—Winters, Hamlin, Graham.

J. K. Sports 17, Sutherland 28. Pos. D. James, 1 F 7, McCall J. James, 6 F 4, Pleiard Chitwood, 6 C 1, Stratton Kimmel, 6 G 3, Roundtree Anderson, 4 G 8, Ridge Substitutions: J. K.—Baird, L. Sanstead, 3, Caskey; Sutherland, Jones, Barge 4, Payne, Trozelle.

Rainbow Grill 61, Myrtle Ck. 37. Cuccings, 11 F 10, Abbott Neidmeyer, 17 F 12, Newton Loomis, 13 C 8, Towne Anderson, 4 G 8, Dyer S. Short, 1 C 2, Chaney Substitutions: Grill—C. Short 4, Wiley 4; Myrtle Creek—Rust 6, Smith, Stumpgens. Officials: Turner, Laws, Ingram, Newby.

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DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS What is more glorious than a summer sunset from some beautiful mountain slope? What is more beautiful than the sunset of a life well lived? To a Christian who has lived a long and useful life, sunset is a sunrise: the end of life's little crowded days becomes the portal of the life eternal. Life is a pilgrimage of three stages, when we pitch the tent, when we dwell in it, and when we fold it up. Life is a voyage upon which we embark, sail an arduous, Robert Browning says in "Paracelsus": "I see my way as birds their trackless way. I shall arrive what time what circuit first. I ask not. In some time, his good time, I shall arrive. He guides me and the birds, in his good time." The aged who have lived faithfully, behold the western sky aglow like some vast foundry wherein a new world is being cast. And not by eastern windows only. When twilight comes, comes in front the sun climbs slow, but westward, look, the land is bright. At evening time it shall be light.

for whom Walcott served as sparring partner more than 10 years ago. The Camden, N. J., Negro who admits to 32 years but probably is closer to 40, earned the dubious honor of a possible spring bout with Louis by winning a dull 10-round decision last night over Joe Maxim of Cleveland, O. The 24-year-old Maxim had beaten Walcott in an unpopular decision last summer.

V. F. W. Hoopsters To Play Yoncalla

Commercial League hoop action takes place at Yoncalla tonight, where the northerners will entertain Roseburg's V. F. W. five in the only conference play within the county. Action will resume Wednesday and Thursday nights throughout the 13-team league, however.

Darkhorns of the Northern Division and newly added to the 13-team league, Yoncalla faces a long developing club of veterans who have thus far failed to click successfully in pre-season play, but have displayed power in all departments against Sutherland's high-flying quintet and Grants Pass' V. F. W. Yoncalla's hoop power is unknown thus far, but it is reputed as a community which invariably comes up with a high scoring court crew.

Wednesday evening play sees action on the Roseburg Junior High court and at Yoncalla among the Northern Division members. Veterans Hospital men play the V. F. W. five locally at 7:30 in their first meeting and Yoncalla plays host to Sutherland's fire-power in its initial tussle.

Thursday night action includes a doubleheader between J. K. Sports and the V. F. W. and the Elks against Umpqua Valley Hardware, as well as action at Drain against Sutherland and Oakland visiting Yoncalla.

Gene Krewson, league secretary-treasurer, announced today that only Oregon state licensed referees are to be employed for these league contests, their pay to be drawn from the admission take and entrance fees which should be mailed promptly to Krewson at the Rainbow Grill.

Honorably Discharged

Sutherland — S-Sgt. Raymond D. Norris.

Greater Forestation of Hardwood Land Advised

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 7. — Development of hardwood industries would be helped by greater forestation of such species in Oregon, the state board of forestry reported today in its biennial statement to Governor Snell.

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American-British Prestige Sinks to New Low in France

By ROBERT C. WILSON AP Newfeatures PARIS—Anglo-American prestige in France is at its lowest point in six years—because of Germany.

In 1940, the British army was fleeing France. The United States was sitting by, unable to act. France feels just as helpless today. From the man on the boulevards to the Quai d'Orsay, there is a growing pessimism that the events after the first World War are going to be repeated, that Germany will rise again as a military power.

Several recent events have created great bitterness in France against England and America. The French press and the Foreign Office have been stirred to wrath over the visits to England of Dr. Karl Schumacher, leader of the German Socialist Democrat party. France feels he is an ultra-nationalistic mouthpiece for Germany, and has interpreted his visit to England as almost an insult.

A Quai d'Orsay spokesman declared bluntly that the visit "is not likely to improve Franco-British relations." An even greater blow to France was the recent American demand that France immediately start freeing the 500,000 German war prisoners the United States loaned France.

France says this will slash her coal production 20 per cent, because large numbers of prisoners work in the pits. She says, also, that it will seriously jeopardize the famous four-year plan to get back on her feet as a producing nation.

At a press conference, during which he termed the American move "catastrophic" for France, a Foreign Office spokesman hinted that the result would be a hardening of France in the Foreign Ministers Council deliberations on the German peace treaty.

The new "be kind to the Germans" policy for American occupation troops has also shocked France, whose leaders think this

is like trying to make friends with a rattlesnake. These events have come after France has been trying for a year—she says—to get her allies to simply discuss the French proposals for amputating territory from Germany's western frontiers, as has been done in the East.

A cynical, hopeless pessimism permeates France as a result. The Netherlands East Indies extend over a distance of more than 3,000 miles.

One Baby in 100,000: He's Born With Tooth

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6. — The George M. Nelsons thought they had provided all the necessities before their baby was born. But they forgot a toothbrush. George Thomas Nelson was born New Year's Eve with a tooth—a healthy, pearly lower incisor. The doctor says he's one in 100,000.

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