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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Highest temp. for any March 85 Lowest temp. for any March 19 Highest temp. yesterday 65 Lowest temp. last night 41 Precipitation yesterday 0.01 Precipitation from March 1 2.07 Deficit from March 1 4.76 Deficit from Sept. 1 .06

In the Day's News

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giant he founded goes on, creating wealth for the American people.

WE look down our noses these days at men of the Durant type. We say a little smugly that we've passed that period in our development. We have the feeling that it was an era to be a little ashamed of.

But still we must face this question:

WITHOUT men of the Durant type, would America have grown in only a little more than a dozen decades from a few struggling states along the Atlantic seaboard to the world's greatest, fairest, most prosperous nation?

If we turn thumbs down on men of the Durant type, and their ideas, where are we headed for?

HERE is another phase of American life:

Leo P. McLaughlin will retire next month after 20 years as mayor of Hot Springs, Arkansas—which has been a sort of home stomping ground for a lot of people who can hardly be looked upon as our best citizens. He is under seven indictments by a grand jury in his home county charging bribery and conversion of city funds. McLaughlin's political machine has controlled city offices in Hot Springs for the past two decades.

He, too, has been a part of the American picture. Nothing has been commoner in our country than corrupt city political rings.

IN the case of McLaughlin and his kind—including their leeches, such as Scarface Al Capone, who flourish under political bossism—we are bothered by no doubts.

Men like Durant have undoubtedly been good for us. The political bosses, along with their gangster hangers-on, have been unqualifiedly bad. Corruption never created anything good. It never will.

AMERICA has been America. It has had its good side. It has had its bad side. Striking a balance, the good has far outweighed the bad.

This America of ours is facing a test—probably the supreme test of its life. We have been the world's leading exponent of what in big words is known as the capitalist society. Capitalism has much that is good, some that is not so good. The biggest item on its credit ledger is the fact that SO FAR it has brought to average people more of the good things of life than any other system.

American capitalism now stands face to face with a competing philosophy—the strange philosophy that the state is everything, the individual nothing. This philosophy is spreading over the world with fearsome speed.

If capitalism is to survive here in America, it must be EFFICIENT. It must go on bringing to average people more than they could get in any other way. If we are to keep it efficient, we must sort out and discard from it the bad and keep the good.

That is our immediate problem.

Ashland Man Killed in Collision of Autos

ASHLAND, Ore., March 20.—(AP) Dewey Manning, 48, Ashland, was killed and Vernon Thomas, also Ashland, was injured slightly Tuesday night when the car in which they were riding collided with another eight miles south of here.

Occupants of the second car, Albert Peterman, Ashland, and George Sloan, Copco, Calif., were uninjured.

For each loaded freight car moved 100 miles in 1945, U. S. railroads moved an empty car 49 miles.

REGULATING OFFSHORE FISHING

By CHARLES V. STANTON

One of the important fish conservation bills passed by the Oregon legislature has received little publicity. HB.322, authorizing Oregon's participation in the Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact, has passed both houses and has been signed by the Governor. A companion bill, HB.323, provides an annual appropriation of \$2,000 as Oregon's financial part of the compact.

The Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact would establish a marine fisheries commission, with the purposes of promoting "the better utilization of fisheries, marine, shell and anadromous, which are of mutual concern," to the three states of California, Oregon and Washington, "and to develop a joint program of protection and prevention of physical waste of such fisheries."

This bill proposes to bring under joint control of the three Pacific coast states the offshore fishery, and to reduce losses resulting from current destructive practices.

The commission proposed that this tri-state compact would be advisory only, but would have authority to conduct scientific studies and to promulgate recommendations to be made to the governors and legislatures of the participant states. Before becoming effective, the compact must be approved by the Congress of the United States. Hope has been expressed by sponsors that British Columbia also can be brought into participation, thereby securing uniform offshore fishing laws for the entire Pacific coast.

Readers of popular magazines recently had brought to their attention the depletion of fish life along Atlantic banks by over-intensity of fishing and wasteful practices.

Conditions along the Pacific coast are equally bad, but destruction has not progressed to such serious stage as is observed on the Atlantic coast, where fishing has existed as a major industry and in greater intensity for a longer period of time.

By uniting their agencies for study, and to set up, through legislative enactment, uniform control over landings, the three Pacific coast states hope to provide "protection against overfishing, waste, depletion or any abuse whatsoever and to assure a continuing yield from the fisheries resources."

It is anticipated that one of the first studies will be made with relation to the offshore salmon fishery. This is a particularly important factor in saving salmon runs of Oregon's coastal streams.

Present practice is to prey upon salmon as they congregate off bays and inlets prior to their migration to fresh water spawning beds. Salmon gather around the mouths of coastal streams several weeks ahead of their migration. Frequently they work in and out with the tides, feeding upon schools of anchovies, pilchards, candlefish, etc., and trawlers cruise back and forth outside the mouths of these streams, taking a great toll of salmon from the schools.

The offshore trawl takes a particularly large number of immature salmon. Thousands upon thousands of half-grown salmon strike flashing hooks and are killed or badly crippled and yet are not caught. Other thousands, too small for market, are tossed back into the ocean after being hooked and drowned.

Another economic waste lies in the fact that a salmon doubles in weight during the last six months prior to starting its migration. Thus, fewer fish would result in greater poundage if salmon trolling could be regulated as to season.

The Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact, which becomes effective when approved by two or more of the three participant states and when approved by Congress, offers possibility for elimination of many of the practices now serving to deplete fish life of the Pacific coast. With improved fisheries technique, including spotting planes, radar, radio communication, floating canneries, etc., protective legislation is vitally important if the marine fishery is to be preserved. The compact which Oregon has voted to join offers a ray of hope that better conservation may be forthcoming.

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- 4:45-Buck Rogers, General Foods
- 5:00-Musical Interlude
- 5:15-Superman, Kellogg's
- 5:30-Captain Midnight, Vander Co.
- 5:45-Donna Marie, Radio City
- 6:00-Gabriel Heatter, Healthways
- 6:15-Musical Interlude
- 6:25-State and Local News, Roseburg
- 6:40-Motor Co.
- 7:00-Treasure Hour of Song
- 7:20-Scientific Solutions to Current Problems, J. E. Leuge
- 7:35-Music You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.
- 7:45-A House in the Country, Emery Insurance
- 8:00-Sound Off
- 8:20-Bing Crosby Show, Jack Farris, Philco Dealer
- 8:30-Alka Seltzer News, Miles Labs.
- 8:45-Newsday, Wildcat
- 9:00-Evening Serenade, E. G. High
- 9:15-Music
- 9:30-Fulton Lewis, Jr., Umpqua Valley Hardware
- 10:15-Newsday
- 10:30-Ten Thirty Club, Lawson's
- 11:00-Sign Off

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1947

- 6:00-Peter Bolterus, Board
- 6:30-Yarn Patrol
- 6:50-Schrieber Auction, J. A. Folger Co.
- 7:00-Folger Co.
- 7:15-Rise and Shine, Sterling
- 7:30-State and Local News, Boring Optical
- 7:45-Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 7:50-Whisper in Wax
- 8:00-Haven of Rest, Good Ship
- 8:20-Wally's Wake-Up Time
- 8:35-Wally's Grocery
- 8:45-Victor H. Lindfah, Healthways
- 9:00-Art Baker and His Notebooks
- 9:15-Morning Melodies
- 9:30-Man About Town, Jones and Marshall Wells
- 9:45-Musical Interlude
- 10:00-Alka Seltzer News, Miles Labs.
- 10:15-Top Tunes, Modern Furniture
- 10:30-Sign Off

France Sits On Volcano in Form Of Communism

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst Rumors have been circulating lately of possible violence between communists and rightists in France, and there have been disturbing though unconfirmed reports of vast stores of arms hidden away by civilians until the day when the call should come.

Minister of the Interior Debreux now confirms that there are concealed weapons "nearly everywhere" in the country and that most of them apparently are in leftist hands, although some accounts published abroad have been greatly exaggerated. He declares that the government is determined to seize all these hoarded arms, although he doesn't explain how this delicate and far-reaching operation will be carried out.

There we have another phase of the communist expansion which finally has resulted in America's new world of politics. Ever since the war ended, France has been sitting on a volcano, and many observers believe the reason there hasn't been a violent eruption before this is because the communists have made such progress that they have had hopes of getting full control of the country without resorting to extreme measures. The Reds currently constitute the largest party, having barely edged out the middle-of-the-road popular republican movement.

Despair Brings Converts The story starts long before the war. Early in Stalin's regime the communists established powerful cells in France, especially in the great industrial district about Paris. By the time the conflict broke, the party membership was heavy, it being said that there were a million communists in the environs of the capital alone.

When the Hitlerites overran the hapless country the communists dove underground and joined the other Free French in fighting the enemy. Throughout the occupation they continued in their underground work, and after the war they had a great deal of influence in the government.

So with the coming of peace the communists lighted their efforts on a political drive rather than on the direct action of bolshevism. They have had sufficient success so that France has become the main base of communist activity in western Europe. It is widely believed that after the Communists on a national scale, national, was "abolished" in Moscow as a gesture of amity towards the other allies, it was reestablished sub-rosa in France. This general staff for "world revolution" is said by many observers to be continuing its global direction of the communist crusade.

News of 4-H CLUBS

The Edenbower Community Club voted to sponsor three 4-H Summer School Scholarships for the 1947 Summer School session at its monthly meeting held at the Edenbower school March 14. Money to sponsor the three 4-H members that will attend from the Edenbower community has been turned in.

Two 4-H members from the Sutherland community will be attending the Summer School session on the two scholarships sponsored by the Sutherland Lions Club. Money for the scholarships was presented to Kenneth Minnich, county club agent, at the weekly Lions club meeting in Sutherland March 18. Miss Joe Sheffield and Wilfred Kinnaird, two Lions club members of the activities at 4-H Summer School.

Three new 4-H clubs were organized March 17 in the Myrtle Creek school. All members enrolled are in the fifth grade. Twenty-four boys have organized a bachelor sewing club under the leadership of Mrs. P. L. Philbrook. Officers for the club are: Teddy Ray Osborne, president; John McCauley, vice president; and Robert Sotter, secretary.

Eight girls have organized a knitting club under the leadership of Mrs. Myrtle Munch. Jo Ann Williams is the club president, Carolyn Rust vice president, and Shirley Easton, secretary. Other members are: Eleanor Bailey, Joan Shurt, Evelyn Fryer, Joyce Jacobson, Erlene Sargent, and Mary.

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A clothing IA club of eleven members was the other club organized under the leadership of Mrs. P. B. Froelich. Officers are Susan Froelich, president; Nelda Shelton, vice president; and Barbara Breedlove, secretary. Elizabeth Otterstein, Gloria Burnett, Martha Munch, Edna Hayes, Ruth Scoggins, Rachael Faught, Deloris Painter and Barbara Meyers are the other members of the club.

Brockway 4-H News

We are busy as beavers out our way. Had a 4-H meeting March 8 at the home of Sally Jurak. We are all keeping our eyes open so as to prevent accidents around the house.

Marjorie Zeller, our leader, presented the first year pins to Ann Roth and Joy Zeller. We are all going to finish our projects this year so we will all get our pins. The clothing club was opened by Joy Zeller. Neoma Stewart was enrolled in clothing. Joy Zeller gave a demonstration on how to sew a button on a dress. Marjorie Zeller showed us the different ways of finishing seams on sleeves.

School Unity to Be Proclaimed By 'R' on Mount Nebo

Symbolic of a "united school spirit" and cessation of "undesirable" interclass rivalries, an orange "R" was to be painted on the side of Mt. Nebo this afternoon by boys of the Senior High School.

At the first meeting yesterday of the new Inter-High School Council, three Senior High boys were named to direct the placing of a temporary letter on the mountainside in place of class numerals, long the subject of interclass feuds and retaliations. At the same time, a "pledge of support" to the Inter-High School Council's program was being circulated among students of the Junior and Senior High Schools.

Formation of the council is the outcome of a meeting between students of the two schools last week caused by the overpainting of the class numerals "47" with those of the class of "50."

Named to the council are a boy and girl representative of each of the classes, 7th through the 12th, of the two schools. Meeting with the council at its first session were:

Archie McFetridge and Don Parr, 9th grade; Frank Olson and Noreen Allen, 8th grade; Eddie Nolte and Karen Kroonke, 7th grade; and Shirley Gregory, student body president, all of the Junior High School.

Joe Scallon and Georgene Shanklin, seniors; Harold Mobley and Marilyn Dixon, juniors; Jim Elliot and Cynthia Turner, sophomores; and Duane Pope, student body president, all of the Senior High School.

Duane Pope and Shirley Gregory were chosen chairman and vice chairman, respectively. Marilyn Dixon was selected to serve as secretary. Meetings will be held monthly, with other meetings subject to call. Yesterday's session was at the Junior High School.

The three boy class representatives of the Senior High were named to the committee to supervise painting of the "R." Duane and Shirley were to contact Harry O. Lindner, owner of the Mt. Nebo property, to secure permission to use the mountainside for temporary and permanent letters.

Reunion Plan Revised by Presbyterian Churches

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—(AP)—The Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A., and the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. (Southern) announced today agreement on a revised plan of reunion which will be submitted to the General Assembly of the churches late in May.

The Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A., said at the same time it will continue to be receptive toward any suggestions looking toward a union which may come from the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U. S. A.

Poisoning of Dog Is Charged to Woman

SEATTLE, March 20.—(AP)—Mrs. Edgar F. Key, 35, was arrested yesterday and held in the county jail on charges of wilfully killing a dog and maliciously injuring animals.

A complaint accused Mrs. Key of killing a cocker spaniel by use of poison, and of leaving poison "with the intent it should be eaten" by another dog. The second dog was not killed.

Pre-Columbian peoples in the Salt River Valley of Arizona cultivated 250,000 to 300,000 acres of land by irrigation.

Crop Insurance For Potatoes In 1948 Probable

Prospects are bright for a trial crop insurance program in potatoes in 1948, Paul Spillman, Powell Butte (Crook County) farmer, reported on his return from a meeting on potato insurance proposals in Washington, D. C. Spillman attended the conference, called by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, as a representative of Oregon. Washington, Idaho and Northern California.

Representative producers from all parts of the country attending the meeting favored investment rather than yield insurance, Spillman reported, recommending coverage of 50 to 75 per cent of a producer's investment in the crop. If adopted, trial crop insurance on potatoes would be offered in only 20 counties in the country—probably one county in each of 20 states.

About 25 per cent of Oregon's record 1946 potato crop of 13,000,000 bushels was covered by government price support programs, and about 10 per cent of the crop already has been removed from regular commercial channels, according to state PMA office figures.

Approximately 1400 carloads, acquired through loan and purchase operations in supporting prices at the 90 per cent of parity required by law, have been diverted into livestock feed, distillation of alcohol, school lunch programs and other direct distribution outlets.

Nationally 58 million bushels—12 per cent of the 1946 crop—have been removed from regular channels by USDA operations as of February 6, at a cost to the government of \$50 million, or 88 cents a bushel. Although surplus potatoes were offered for export starting last August, substantial orders have been received only recently. Plans now call for exporting about 10 million bushels. Main reason more potatoes have not been shipped abroad is the high cost of handling and shipping compared with wheat and other foods.

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- The following personal property stored for the Atlas Lumber Company, will be sold at the hereinbefore named public auction:
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