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The Weather

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Roseburg, Oregon
Forecast for Roseburg and vi-
cinity: Clear tonight and Sunday.
Highest temp. for any April . 96
Lowest temp. for any April . 25
Highest temp. yesterday . 72
Lowest temp. last night . 29
Precipitation yesterday . 0
Precipitation from April 1 . 1.55
Excess from April 1 . .48
Deficit from Sept. 1 . 3.30

Neutral Britain
Could Avert War,
Wallace Asserts

LONDON, April 12.—(AP)—
Henry A. Wallace said last night
Britain could save the world
from war by refusing to take
sides between the United States
and Russia.

"If you show the way, all pro-
gressive peoples can speak out
before it is too late for the prin-
ciples of a strong United Nations
and world progress," the former
vice-president said in a speech to
a meeting sponsored by the New
Statesman and Nation.

The New Statesman and Na-
tion is a leftist weekly which
has been an organ for the voice
of labor party rebels against
British foreign policy.

Renewing his criticism of the
Truman doctrine in the Middle
East, Wallace said in his pre-
pared text:

"I do not believe that there
will be war this month or next
month, but I do believe that a
continuation of the present pol-
icy will set during the next few
months a rigid framework which
will maintain a state of perpetual
spiritual warfare which will,
after a time, produce depression
in the United States and, eventu-
ally, a world wide war."

"I believe this is true also
of the Russians. In the short term,
a hard policy against Russia may
be highly successful. In the long
term, I don't see how it can help
peace."

Wallace gave this prescription
for peace:
"A \$50,000,000,000 world
reconstruction program through
the United Nations, plus world
control of atomic energy and
weapons of destruction; interna-
tionalization of strategic areas
including the Dardanelles, Suez
Canal and Panama Canal; and a
movement toward national dis-
armament and creation of a
world security system."

Murderous Woman
Dies in Gas Chamber

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., April
12.—(AP)—Mrs. Louise Peete
Johnson, 59, was executed in San
Quentin prison's gas chamber
yesterday for the murder of a
benefactor to whom she had been
paroled after serving 18
years of a life sentence for an
earlier slaying.

Her execution—the second
time California had exacted a
woman's life for crime—came
eight years to the day after her
release on parole from the sen-
tence for her first murder.

The chunky little woman had
been convicted of two murders,
had sent three husbands to the
gas, and had lived with one of
the murder victims in a
mental hospital.

DRIVER EXAMS DATED

A driver's license examiner
will be in Roseburg Tuesday and
Wednesday, April 15 and 16, at
the City Hall between the hours
of 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. and 5
P. M. and 4 P. M. respectively.
Persons wishing licenses, or
permits to drive are asked to get
in touch with the examiner well
ahead of the scheduled closing
hours in order to assure com-
pletion of their applications with a
minimum of delay.

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REMAINING HOURS TODAY
4:00—Hawaii Calls
4:30—Oregon Tourist Week
4:45—Around the World/International
News Events
5:00—News
5:15—Friend That Christian Science
Heals, Christian Science Church
5:30—Bobby Norris
5:45—Quest Star
6:00—Songs by Laura Lee
6:15—Steven Graham, Family Doctor
7:00—State and Local News, Roseburg
Motor Co.
7:15—Musical Interlude
7:30—News for Veterans
7:45—Red Wagon
8:00—Happy Valley Cowboys, Coos
Junction Cabaret Show
8:30—The Novelties
9:00—Alta Settler News, Miles Labs
9:15—Holly House
9:30—Wrestling Matches, OK Rubber
Welders
10:30—Ten Thirty Club, Lawson's
11:00—Sign Off

SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 1947
8:00—Ch. Talk and Choir, Bible
Institute
8:30—Voice of Prophecy
9:00—Puritan Hour, Gospel Broad-
casting Assn.
9:30—Lutheran Hour, Lutheran La-
zaret's League
10:00—Alta Settler News, Miles Labs
10:15—Commander Scott, Greenhorn
10:30—Garden Zone, Gill Bros. Seed Co.
10:45—Organ Concert, Umpqua Hotel
11:00—Presbyterian Church Services
12:00—Ray Noble
12:15—National News, Roseburg
12:30—Sign Off

REPORTS FROM ANGLERS

If you are a sports angler and have fished in the Umpqua River, particularly in the Roseburg area, during the past year, you have doubtless found upon various occasions a card from the Oregon State Game Commission asking details concerning your fishing trip. Did you fill out the card and drop it in the mail? If so, you were performing a valuable service. If not, you are denying information badly needed in the important study being made of Umpqua River fish life.

H. R. Newcomb, biologist in charge of the Umpqua River study for the Game Commission, reports that only 18.5 per cent of the cards left in anglers' automobiles during steelhead season were voluntarily returned. Biologists secured only a 34 per cent return of cards from anglers interviewed personally and upon whom efforts were made to impress the importance of the report. Of all cards issued, only 27.7 per cent came back to biologists. We do not consider that very good cooperation.

It is believed that more anglers would aid in the study if they understood the importance of the report cards.

Biologists engaged in the river study visit principal fishing areas at intervals. They make inquiries from which they learn the approximate number of fishermen on the river daily. They leave cards which ask the fisherman the number of fish caught, the hours spent on the river, the number in his party and other pertinent information. After cards are returned, a tabulation is made and by applying percentage of returns to data on successful and unsuccessful trips, applying the ratio so obtained to knowledge of the total number of fishermen, the biologists are able to secure a very accurate picture of the number of fish caught, the number of hours spent in fishing, etc. Then, checking with the tally at the counting station at the Winchester dam, and observations made elsewhere, it is comparatively easy to calculate the proportion of catch to the volume of escapement.

For instance, from cards returned by steelhead fishermen, biologists know that in the area upstream from Elkton there was an average of 40 fishermen on the river daily on week days (Monday through Friday), and 74 fishermen on the river daily week ends (Saturday and Sunday). Fishing intensity was approximately double on that section of the river below Elkton. Fishermen spent a total of 3,700 angler-days on the upper river between Dec. 26, 1946, and March 9, 1947. They caught approximately 1200 fish and spent 15.5 angling hours per fish.

But while upriver fishermen were taking 1200 fish, lower river anglers, who devoted 7,300 angler-days, caught 2,900 steelheads at the rate of 16.3 hours per fish.

The catch record doesn't make very good publicity for the Umpqua, when compared with the Game Commission's report from the Rogue River where from 25,000 to 30,000 steelhead were caught between Savage Rapids and Galice. But, on the other hand, it was a poor season, due to water conditions, floods, cold weather, etc., accounting in part for the low catch record. A favorable note is found in the escapement figures, which were double those of the previous season, giving promise of larger future migrations.

Checks and double-checks prove that estimates by the biologists even though gathered from only a 27.7 per cent return of report cards, is extremely accurate. The scientists prove their figures by a method too lengthy and complicated to be explained here. But even though satisfied that their calculations are accurate, biologists declare that their work can be vastly improved if they are given better cooperation in the return of data cards.

They want reports from both successful and unsuccessful fishermen. The fact that a party of anglers spent a day on the river without so much as a bite from a game fish is just as essential as a report from a group returning home with a limit catch.

The river study is being made for the very definite purpose of rebuilding, if possible, the river's depleted fish life. As the first step in restoration of the fishery resource it is necessary to have scientific facts involving the size of existing runs, fishing intensity, water conditions, spawning conditions, food supply, chemical changes, migration habits, and many other factors. Trained and experienced biologists are in charge of the survey. They ask only that they have the confidence and cooperation of fishermen. Anglers will benefit most from the work in which the biologists are engaged. It certainly is not asking too much when it is requested that a few moments be spent in filling out and mailing the self-addressed data cards so important in the river study.

12:30—Crimes of Carleiss, National Board of Fire Underwriters.
1:00—House of Mystery, General Motors.
1:30—True Detective Mysteries, Williamson's Candy Co.
2:00—The Shadow
2:30—Quick as a Flash, Helbron Watch Co.
3:00—Three Websters, Quaker Oats Co.
3:30—Nick Carter, Old Dutch Cleaner.
4:00—Knight of Sermons.
4:30—Safekeeping for America, Knight of Columbus.
4:45—Scientific Solutions in Current Problems, C. M. Jackson.
5:00—Mediation Board.
5:30—Voice of Strings.
6:00—Douglas County News Roundup.
6:15—Exploring the Unknown, Rev. Cooper & Bros.
6:30—Double or Nothing, Footprint.
7:00—Gabriel Heatter Show, Mutual Benefit.
7:30—State 11 to the Girls.
8:00—Twenty Questions.
8:30—Jazz Journal, Andrew Jergens Co.
9:00—Rayne Presents Sheila Graham, Raymond Lab.
9:15—Alta Settler News, Miles Labs.
9:30—Ben Miller, Porex.
9:45—Decision News.
10:00—Around the County, International News Events.
10:30—Old Fashioned Revival Hour, Gospel Broadcasting Assn.
11:00—Sign Off.

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1947
6:00—Farm Bulletin Board.
6:15—Bridge Runners' Show.
6:30—Yawn Patrol.
6:45—Schriker Auction.
7:00—Frank Hennigway, 2 A. Folger Co.
7:15—Rise and Shine, Sterling Drug.
7:30—State and Local News, Dr. Bruce Turk.
7:45—Judy Furniture.
7:55—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:15—Editor's Diary.
8:30—Wally's Wake Up Time, Wally's.
8:45—Victor H. Lindblad, Healthbuds.
9:00—Art Baker and His Notebooks, Montgomery Ward.
9:15—Morning Melodies.
9:30—Man About Town, Josie and Wells.
9:45—Shoppers Guide, Martha and Marshall-Wells.

Truman in Fine
Health After Two
Years in Office

WASHINGTON, April 12.—(AP)—
Feeling fine and looking fit,
President Truman today began
his third year in office with a
flying trip to Grandview, Mo.,
to visit his 64-year-old mother,
who is bedridden with a fractured
hip.

The president left Washington
in his personal plane, the Sacred
Cow.

He told reporters during a
wait before taking off that he
was feeling fine and noted that
today as they were two years ago
when he succeeded the Late Pres-
ident Roosevelt upon the latter's
death.

After visiting his mother, Mr.
Truman will motor to Kansas
City to make a brief radio ad-
dress (1:40 P. M. Pacific Time)
as part of the memorial exercises
commemorating the second anni-
versary of Franklin D. Roose-
velt's death.

The burdens of the presidency
seem to rest lightly on the chief
executive as he ends his second
year in the White House nearing
63, his birthday is May 8.

His personal physician, Brig.
Gen. Wallace Graham, says the
president's health is "the best it
has ever been" and that he has
the energy of the average man
20 years younger.

Healthy Stock of
Strawberries Aim
Of Outlined Plan

A plan by which strawberry
growers can produce their own
supplies of planting stock of Mar-
shall strawberries is outlined in
a recent O. S. C. extension cir-
cular No. 493, "Plans For Producing
Strawberry Planting Stock." In
this circular Dr. S. M. Zeller,
plant pathologist, and Ralph
Clark, extension horticulturist,
point out that certified Marshall
strawberry-planting stock is not
produced in sufficient quantities
to supply even the needs of Ore-
gon, to which is added a grow-
ing demand for such planting
stock from other states.

The seriousness of the virus
disease, crinkle, stunt, and yel-
low, and fungus diseases such as
red stele and black roots have
combined to make it unprofitable
to use ordinary fieldrun straw-
berry plants.

A higher degree of control of
the disease can be accomplished
by constant vigilance and by
raising certified plants as they
show up in a strawberry
nursery plot, the specialists point
out. There are some areas in Ore-
gon, however, where the virus
diseases are so serious and spread
so rapidly that growing of plant-
ing stock is not recommended.

The principle for growing founda-
tion planting stock described in
the circular involves using a plot
of land isolated from the main
strawberry field in which had
not recently been grown potatoes,
sweet clover, tomatoes, egg plant,
alfalfa or cane fruits.

Large disease-free hills are se-
lected by the grower during the
growing season from which new
plants will be taken for the
nursery plot. After new plants
are in the nursery plot, regular
systematic examination is essen-
tial.

The extension service of O. S. C.
will assist growers who wish to
establish such strawberry nur-
series. Details of the program
can be obtained from any county
agent.

Douglas Jobless Pay
For February Reduced

Unemployment compensation
claims in Roseburg have followed
the general trend toward reduc-
tions, according to the monthly
statistical bulletin of the State
Unemployment Commission.

Although veterans and down-
state workers were filing for un-
employment compensation claims
at practically the same rate as
last winter, a big reduction in
eligible war industry claimants
has brought about a 60 per cent
decrease in 1947 payments from
the state's unemployment trust fund.

Roseburg payments, which em-
brace Douglas County, to unem-
ployed-covered workers were \$1,
066 in February. A total of \$1,
240 was disbursed in 1946.

Record Lumber Order
Placed at Coos Bay

COOS BAY, Ore., April 10.—
An order for 175,000,000
board feet of lumber, largest ever
placed here, was reported today
by the shipping agents for the
British Timber Control Agency.
William D. Hazen, manager of
Burchard & Hazen Steamship
offices, which placed the order,
said the agency also plans to buy
75,000,000 board feet of railroad
ties produced at mills in the area.

Shipment of the lumber, of
which 30 per cent will be large
timbers, will be completed with-
in a year if longshore gangs are
available to handle the cargoes.

First Swimming Lesson
Given Roseburg Scouts

Seventeen members of Rose-
burg Boy Scout troops traveled to
Eugene Thursday evening for the
first of six lessons in swimming
and life saving.

Sponsored by Roseburg's Ro-
tary Club, which has arranged
bus transportation for the boys to
the University of Oregon tes-
tor pool, the series of instruc-

tions will last six weeks with one
lesson given for all Boy
Scouts of Douglas County each
Thursday evening.

Lowell Russell, scoutmaster in
charge of the trips, reported in-
terest high and that several new
applications have been made since
Thursday by boys formerly on
their annual spring vacation from
school.

Tickets for the instruction may
be purchased for \$3 from James
Stoop at the O. & C. office in the
Pacific Building. Buses will leave
from the Presbyterian Church on
Thursdays at 5 P. M.

Power Lines Link
3 Million Farms

Over 3 million farms, or 53 per
cent of the nation's total, are now
connected to rural power lines,
compared with 750,000, or about
11 per cent, which were receiving
power line electricity 12 years ago
when REA was created.

More than 500,000 miles of
lines, serving almost 2 million
rural consumers in 46 states,
Alaska, and the Virgin Islands,
have been constructed by REA
borrowers. Of the billion dollar
total of REA loan funds appro-
ved, over 95 per cent have been
loaned to cooperatives organized
by farmers who wanted electric
service. Other borrowers include
public power districts, public
bodies, and power companies.

According to Administrator
Claude R. Wickard, the rural elec-
trification job is only a little more
than half done. REA says that under
the most favorable circum-
stances, it will take the next 3 to
5 years to reach its part of the
goal of making electric service
available to all potential consum-
ers in rural America.

Anniversary Celebrated
By Girls Drum Corps

Members of the Knights of
Pythias Girls Drum Corps cele-
brated the sixth anniversary of
their organization Thursday eve-
ning following weekly rehearsal
with Director William M. Black
as host.

Ice cream, cake, and soft drinks
were served and Black presented
each of the 33 girls with myrtle-
wood initials.

The drum and bugle corps was
organized by J. D. "Snap" Gil-
more in 1934. Director Black has
been with the organization four
years, with a recess during the
war years.

Black outlined this summer's
activities in which the corps will
participate in both softball and
baseball game appearances, Port-
land Rose Festival, Douglas Coun-
ty Rodeo and all locally-held con-
ventions.

Krug Accuses Lewis of
Neglecting Mine Safety

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—
Secretary of Interior J. A. Krug
declared today that the record of
John L. Lewis' United Mine
Workers on safety in the coal pits
is one of "almost unbroken
neglect."

He told a Senate Public Lands
Subcommittee the union had fail-
ed to take advantage of the cre-
ation of mine safety committees
under the Krug-Lewis coal con-
tract.

The Senate group is investigat-
ing the Centralia, Ill., mine ex-
plosion last month which took
111 lives.

The Interior Department chief
is boss of the government-seized
pits.

Stassen, Stalin Have
'Frank Discussion'

MOSCOW, April 10.—(AP)—
Harold E. Stassen, candidate for
the 1948 Republican nomination
for president of the United
States, talked with Prime Min-
ister Stalin last night.

Later Stassen told reporters:
"We had a frank discussion of
the two economic systems."

Stassen left today for Kiev,
capital of the Ukraine. He ex-
pects to return to Moscow in a
few days and then go on to
Leningrad and Stockholm.

TRAFFIC FINES PAID

Traffic and overload violations
reported by Justice of the Peace
Hartfield today, include:

Mason G. Adair, overload, \$30;
W. D. Weaver, overload, \$35;
J. W. Russell, overload, \$35; Jack
W. Williams, failure to signal,
\$10; Henry L. Bird, no clearance
lights, \$10; Donald D. Swindler,
speeding, \$25; Ralph L. Wag-
goner, overload, \$30; Erwin M.
Smith, axle overload, \$15;
Charles E. Moore, overload, \$25;
Noble H. Ellison, operating bul-
ldozer on highway, \$50; John J.
Wright, overwidth load, \$10, and
overlength load, \$10.

CANYONVILLE PAIR WED

Dean Marvin Smith and Helen
Christine DeVore, both of Can-
yonville, were married yesterday
by Justice of the Peace Thomas
C. Hartfield.

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Green

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Green

16" Mill Ends

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Wallace Rapped
For Talks Abroad

WASHINGTON, April 11.—(AP)—
Senator Eastland (D.Miss.)
told the Senate today that Henry
A. Wallace is "performing a
great disservice to the American
people" by speeches abroad op-
posing President Truman's
Greek-Turkey aid program.

Wallace, Eastland declared,
"has attempted to induce the
friends and allies of his country
to desert her."

Saying that Wallace was in-
vited to France by Communist
leaders, Eastland added:
"No American citizen has the
moral right to conspire with for-
eign peoples in order to under-
mine and to weaken the hand of
his country."

"The least that can be said is
that Mr. Wallace is performing a
grave disservice to the Ameri-
can people when he attempts to
induce Great Britain to desert
the United States and thereby
force us to take the perilous seas
alone."

Eastland's reference was to
Wallace's expressed attitude that
Britain should not take sides in
differences between the United
States and Russia.

Eastland said that people
abroad do not realize that Mr.
Wallace does not enjoy the con-
fidence of the great majority of
American citizens, that his pol-
icies have been repudiated in this
country," adding:

"To use an old proverb, if his
activities are not inspired by the
devil they serve him equally as
well."

From Senator Taft came no-
tice that he will regard with
drawal of Russian troops from the
Balkans, which tant occurs—as a
signal for the aid program to stop.

G. D. Hunter, Canyonville
Miner, Passes Away

G. D. Hunter, 77, resident of
Canyonville district for several
years, died at Myrtle Creek hos-
pital April 9. He was a miner
having followed that type of work
for a number of years. He came
to Canyonville from Montana.

Surviving are the widow, Mary
Hunter, three sons, Allan, Tom
and Everett, and three daughters,
Mrs. John Nicholson, Mrs. Ruth
Cox and Mrs. Nina Woosley, all
living in Montana.

The body has been sent to Liv-
ington, Mont., for funeral ser-
vices and interment. Arrange-
ments were in charge of the Long
& Orr Mortuary.

Major Lyle M. Rowell of
Army Engineers Dies

Major Lyle M. Rowell, 58, U.
S. Army Engineers, died at the
veterans hospital in Roseburg,
April 9, after a long period of ill-
ness. Major Rowell was born on
May 15, 1888, at Boise, Ida., and
was admitted to the hospital from
that city. He is survived by his
wife, Marie Rowell, of Boise, and
the body is being sent to that city
for funeral services and inter-
ment. Arrangements are in
charge of the Long & Orr Mortu-
ary.

John Crunican, Veteran
Of World War I, Passes

John Crunican, 59, veteran of
World War I, died at the Veter-
ans Hospital in Roseburg, April
10. Mr. Crunican was born at Gree-
ley, Neb., Dec. 17, 1887, and fol-
lowed farming in civilian life. He
was admitted to the hospital from
Gaston, Oregon. The body is be-
ing sent to Forest Grove, Oregon,
for services and interment. Ar-
rangements are in charge of the
Long & Orr Mortuary.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
OF REAL PROPERTY
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE
STATE OF OREGON FOR
DOUGLAS COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate
of W. M. HENDERSON, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue
of an order issued out of the above
entitled Court and cause on the 8th
day of April, 1947, authorizing me as
of said court, from and after four weeks
from the first date of the publication
of this notice of sale, offer for sale and
sell at private sale for cash in hand, or
part cash, and the balance to be se-
cured by mortgage on said real prop-
erty, the following described lands of
the estate to-wit:

N 1/4 of Section 24, Twp. 22 S.,
Range 4 W. W. M. and NE 1/4 of NW 1/4
of Section 6, Twp. 23 S., Range 7 W. W. M.

The N 1/4 of S 1/4 of Section 7, Twp.
22 S., Range 7 W. W. M. all being
in Douglas County, Oregon.
Bids therefor will be received by the
undersigned, Administrator, at his office
in the U. S. National Bank Building,
Roseburg, Oregon, from and after four
weeks from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published April 12th,
1947.

R. L. WHITPLE, Administra-
tor of the Estate of W. M.
HENDERSON, Deceased.
U. S. National Bank Bldg.,
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SUPPLIES

SECURITY AGENT DATED
Oscar L. Donaldson, Jr., a rep-
resentative of the Eugene office
of the Social Security Adminis-
tration, will be in Roseburg Tues-
day, April 15. Donaldson may be
reached at the Oregon State Em-
ployment Service from 8:30 A. M.
to Noon.

Church of Christ

West End of Oak St. Bridge

Those interested in serving Christ are cordially invited to

attend regular Sunday services at 11 A. M.

Sunday School 10 A. M.

Evening Services 7:30 P. M.

Wed. Evening Bible Study 7:30 P. M.