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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon
Forecast for Roseburg and vi-
cinity: Cloudy tonight and Sun-
day; occasional showers Tues-
day.
Highest temp. for any May ... 102
Lowest temp. for any May ... 30
Highest temp. yesterday ... 92
Lowest temp. last night ... 56
Precipitation yesterday ... 0
Precipitation from May 1 ... 5.9
Deficit from May 1 ... 1.05
Deficit from Sept. 1 ... 5.41

In the Day's News

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kish soldier as a soldier has to be equipped if battles are to be won. Presumably Turkey will carry the ball from there.)

THE program in Greece is broader, the dispatches tell us. There are plans to provide not only military assistance but economic rehabilitation as well. That means that we'll feed the Greeks who are at present starving, and at the same time will help them to get their own industries going so that in the future they can feed themselves.

(Our real objectives will be to show the adjacent Balkan countries that the American way of life, as we're outlining it to the Greeks, is a very desirable way of life. Back of it all lies the belief that if we can provide people with HOPE they will have little use for communism.)

PAUL McNUTT, one of the handsomest men in the country, apparently has brains as well. (It's probably unfortunate, as well, that Americans are instinctively suspicious of extremely handsome men.)

At any rate, McNutt, who has just resigned as ambassador to the Philippines, says in a speech in New York that "expansion of a healthy and mutually beneficial TRADE with the peoples of the Orient is a sure way of promoting democracy in their lands and the PROVIDING OF RELIEF to them or the giving of subsidies to their governments."

In other words, the best way to help people is to show them how to help themselves.

UP in Seattle, they are inaugurating a new president of the University of Washington (Dr. Raymond B. Allen). In the talks that are a part of the ceremonies, some exceedingly good things are being said.

For example: Dr. Monroe E. Deutsch, vice-president and provost of the University of California, urges the people of the United States and Russia to "study each other's humanities" as a step toward an assured future peace. (Under "humanities," which is a technical educational term, he includes languages, literature and social studies.)

He adds: "Every American needs to know so much more of Russian thought, of Russian history, of its foreign policy and its culture. . . . Equally, the peoples of the Soviet Union need desperately to know what we Americans are really like."

THAT is sound common sense. One of the amazing sidelights of travel in foreign countries is how you come to LIKE their people when you really get to know them. Mexico is a good example—and a close one; so close that most of us can find a way to take a trip there.

We have always been taught to be contemptuous of Mexicans. We have referred to them as "greasers," etc. Without knowing why, we have always thought of them as having a knife hidden away handy somewhere to stab us in the back with if we aren't careful.

You wonder WHY you have always had such a low opinion of Mexicans.

This is the reason why: During a considerable period of our history we were at war with Mexico or about to be. So we were FED WITH PROPAGANDA to the effect that Mexicans are a scurvy lot. That is what propaganda does.

What we need in the place of propaganda is the TRUTH.

PROFIT IN PROGRESS

By CHARLES V. STANTON

In our discussions of school and city budgets we have upon several occasions mentioned the cost of progress. We have raised the question whether we can afford to pay that cost. We have recorded our decision concerning the school district budget, defeating the first proposal. An amended budget is to be voted on June 16. The city budget will come before qualified voters at a special election tomorrow. In the meantime it is in order, we believe, to determine our ability to pay the increased tax which would follow budget adoptions.

To start this study, let's go back a few years. Prior to the late war, Douglas County economy was based almost entirely upon agriculture.

The "Economic Base for Power Markets," an engineering study made in 1943 by the Bonneville Power Administration, published in January 1944, speaking of Douglas County income, says:

Income tax returns reflect the relatively low income levels. In 1932 eight persons per thousand, less than one-third as many per thousand as in the state, filed federal individual income tax returns. By 1941 the 133 per thousand filing returns represented more than half the state ratio of 214 per thousand.

In other words, average per capita income in Douglas County in 1941 was far below that of the state in general. We were in a strictly provincial status. We shipped out raw materials and bought back our own wool, vegetables, fruit, etc., with processing and manufacturing costs added.

The war and its demand for lumber has completely changed the picture. Lumber producing areas of the Pacific Northwest were finding more and more difficulty in supplying timber for their mills. Douglas County's great timber resource was virtually untouched. As rapidly as circumstances would permit, the industry started its movement into Douglas County, considerably ahead of the time such movement would have occurred had it not been for the demands made by the war.

Almost overnight we shifted from an agricultural to an industrial economy. Wage levels increased. The market for our agricultural products improved. We have had more than 200 new businesses in Roseburg alone since the start of the war. Doctors, dentists, lawyers, and other professional men have been swamped with demands for their services. Automobile mechanics are booked almost as far ahead as dentists. Real estate values doubled and then doubled again.

It is true that part of this condition is inflationary, as elsewhere throughout the country. On the other hand much of this progress—a major part in fact—is substantial and permanent.

Our wage level probably will never again be below that of the state average. Our business and industry should continue above state levels until we have reached the sustained yield limit of our forest resource. Real estate values will be equal to, if not above, averages for the state. Such has been our progress since 1941.

The wage earner is receiving in most cases, at least two times as much per month as in 1941. The owner of income property is realizing far greater returns. Business is on a profitable basis instead of writing its monthly balance in red ink. Our doctors and dentists, trying to serve the enormously increased population, are barely keeping within physical limitations.

A good many people have made small fortunes since 1941. Others have prospects of substantial gains in personal finances in the coming years.

This, then, is progress. To keep pace with this progress, we should have municipal and school services and facilities proportionate to the rate of our general expansion. While the percentage of financial improvement in our parade of progress has amounted to 100 per cent or more per year, our tax levying public agencies have been limited by an archaic law to 6 per cent budgetary increases annually.

We have given our first decision relative to the school budget. What will we do with our city budget? After raising our income level to at least the state average from what was once one-third, trebling, at least, the value of real property, filling our communities with new and thriving business, and placing ourselves firmly upon a foundation of industrial economy, can we not afford a substantial increase in taxes?

Parade, Jamboree Tonight Will Open Softball Season

By ROYAL S. DENTON

Summer softball gets under way tonight with an eight-team jamboree to be preceded by a street parade of uniformed players and musical organizations of the city through the business district at 6:45 o'clock.

No admission will be charged to the exhibition "Merry-go-round" play at Finlay Field tonight. Harry Finniger, association president, said today, but sale of season tickets will be launched between innings.

All members of the eight participating teams will be marching on or aboard trucks of their sponsors, donned in their colorful playing suits, along with the Roseburg High School Band, Knights of Pythias Girls Drum and Bugle Corps and the Municipal Band. The parade will form at the Courthouse at 6:30 P. M.

While league play begins Wednesday evening at 7:15, softball fans tonight will preview teams that are expected to make up an even stronger league than last year's fast circuit.

Pinniger stated that elaborate plans were made by the association far in advance for this summer's play, and baseball followers will find not only an increase in the caliber of play, but park improvements and game schedules that will make

the game more enjoyable. Accommodations Bettered

Notable improvements over previous seasons include increased capacity and more comfortable bleachers, a concession stand, public address system, newly erected scoreboard, replaced lighting facilities, a definite schedule in order that all games will begin promptly on time, and a round robin schedule whereby play will wind up in time for entrance of teams into state tournament play in August.

Tonight's jamboree, slated for 7:15, will be opened with special ceremonies to include Mayor Albert G. Floyd making the first pitch to Mayor Henry Cook of Sutherlin; flag raising, and the Municipal Band playing the inevitable "Take Me Out to the Ball Game."

All eight teams will square off for two innings of play, order and opponents to be drawn following the parade. Outcome of the "miniature contests" will have no bearing on league standings.

Teams participating in the league, and to see exhibition action tonight are: V.F.W., Elks, Squirt, J.V.R.B., Wards, Pepsi-Cola, Vets Hospital, and Sutherlin's Pastime Tavern.

Season tickets, priced at \$3, entitled fans to 28 doubleheaders to be played Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings through August 1. League play begins Wednesday evening with Sutherlin-Squirts meeting J.V. Sports-Rainbow Grill "combo," and Pepsi-Cola entertaining the Vets Hospital.

Umpqua Chiefs Defeated, 10 to 9, By Grants Pass

By ROYAL S. DENTON

The Umpqua Chiefs tasted their first defeat of the season Sunday at Grants Pass as the Merchants overcame a Roseburg lead to pull out a 10-to-9 win in a last three-frame thriller.

Everything appeared well in check at the outset of the fray as the Chiefs, led by hurler Roy Long, jumped to a four-point lead in the first frame and favored a 6-3 score at the finish of the fourth. Grants Pass then staged a rally that saw the Chiefs almost crumple and the Merchants climb to the front on a disastrous four run-four hit sixth inning.

Lovell Baker started the scoring for the Chiefs, getting on off an error, then pushed on around by singles by Hill and Huggins and George Sanders' walk with the sacks full. A hit by Yonny Baker and a misplay sending him to third, accounted for three additional scores.

Grants Pass' first three batters were fielded out in succession, but a triple by Zinter, followed by a fielder's choice, gave the Merchants their first run in the second frame. A double play on the part of Virg Sanders, Schermer and George Sanders retired the side.

Atterbury broke up Merchant Pitcher Clark's fairly effective screwball in the fourth chapter with a triple, sending Schermer, on base on an error, homeward. A Texas Leaguer by Long scored Atterbury.

Chiefs Blow Up Trailing 6 to 1, the Merchants began to show their wares in their half of the fourth as Riskosky went to third on V. Baker's outfield miff and Howerton hit to send him home. Long struck out the next two Grants Pass batters only to see the Chiefs seemingly go to pieces with an error by outfielder Hill loading the bases, and a hit by Blevins which brought in two Merchant scores.

Stolen bases in the fifth by V. Baker and Schermer threatened to add to Roseburg's 6 to 3 lead, but were nullified by infield outs. A triple by Loffner in the fifth and a line drive by Riskosky gave the host club a score which set them up for the fatal sixth inning in which they pounded out a double and three singles, retiring Long in favor of Bartholomew, young Chief hopeful.

Roseburg made a threatening comeback in the stretch stanza as V. Baker hit and stole to send G. Sanders scoring, bringing the Chiefs within a single run of knotting Grants Pass' 8 marks, but the Merchants' half of the frame saw them get four successive hits, including a double, to topple the Chiefs' tight infield defense and send the Merchants ahead by three runs.

A game and colorful attempt was made to pull out a win in the ninth frame as G. Sanders, V. Baker, and Schermer each connected to get two earned runs off a sacrifice by Atterbury. With a count of three and three on Long, a K. O. concluded the rally, leaving Roseburg one point short, ending the fracas 10-9.

Roseburg: 400 200 102 9 13 4
Grants Pass: 010 214 20x 10 15 6

Kneilsen Defeats Dusette; Kiser is Winner Over Carter

Stocky Kneilsen, sadistic, whiskered hillbilly from Tennessee, committed enough fouls on Georges Dusette in the headliner at the Armory Saturday night to disqualify him in a dozen wrestling bouts, but he won a lustily-boostered victory by taking two out of three falls. Both of his falls—the first and third of the match—were scored by pinning Dusette's powerful arms in surfboard holds after tumbling him with knee gouges in the stomach. The first was registered in 14 minutes, the deciding one in ten. Dusette tossed the "meanie" in seven minutes of the second round with his deadly full nelson clamp.

In the supporting melee, Jack Kiser pinned Jack Carter, a New Zealander, in the first and third rounds in the respective periods of 21 and 11 minutes. The skin-the-cat hold did the trick for Kiser in the first fall, and an odd sprawling two of hold bearing the professional label of octopus cradle decided the affair in the third round. The man from "down under" annexed the fall in the second round with his vaunted bloodriver smash; time, 13 minutes.

Ingram's Coaching Aide At Grants Pass O. K.'d

Ray Davis, Mel Ingram's choice for assistant football coach at Grants Pass High School next fall, was announced as accepted by the school board of that city last Saturday.

Davis, former backfield coach of University of Idaho and recently discharged Marine Corps physical trainer and grift coach, worked with Ingram at Wallace, Idaho, before the war. Davis will

replace Jim Riskosky, under the new coaching regime, the latter taking a superintendent's position at Wasco, Ore.

Oaks Drop Seals To Second Place With Double Win

By BILL BECKER

Associated Press Sports writer No doubt about it, the Oakland A's are going to be rough to deal with from here on out, the rest of the Pacific Coast League agreed today.

If they need any further convincing, the Oaks' six-games-to-one series victory over the San Francisco Seals was the clincher. Casey Stengel's rags-to-riches roisterers took two falls out of the Seals Sunday, 12-11 and 6-4. The results dropped San Francisco back to second place, a game behind Los Angeles, and brought the Oaks to within one game of the Seals. From their solid third position, the Oaks were able to look back on the long trail they've come up from the cellar since April 20.

Los Angeles regained clear title to the top spot by splitting with Sacramento. Sauer's homer with one on gave the Angels the opener, 2-1, with Prim the winner over Guy Fletcher.

The Solons, however, notched the nightcap, 10-9, with a 16-hit attack, scoring the winning runs off Chambers. The tail-end Hollywood Stars ran their win streak to six straight over Portland by taking the first game, 12-2, but allowed the Beavers to salvage the final game, 8-1, on a seven-run splurge in the sixth inning. Portland's Di Biasi turned in a six-hitter.

Seattle edged San Diego in their series, 4-3, by taking the finale, 3-0, on Posedel's three-hit flinging, after the Padres had bagged the opener, 10-2.

Tri-City Downs Crescents, 8 to 4

Completely outthrottling their opponents, Tri-City, led by Hurler Kenn Lawrence, Sunday turned in an 8-to-4 win over Crescent City in Southern Oregon League play on the Tri's diamond.

Fitching his first game of the season, Lawrence, right-handed speedballer, allowed the Crescents only four hits for as many runs, struckout 10 batters, and walked five.

But power proved fatal to the visitors as the Tris banged out 14 hits off two pitchers, Saxeby and Fayette, the former the loser.

The Dutch Lieber managed club was never seriously threatened as they took an early lead and tallied almost every frame.

The bat of Newton, centerfielder, led the hitting as he turned in three hits for five times at bat, blasting out a triple in the eighth to sew up the victory.

Crescent City broke into the scoring in the third, repeated off a single in the seventh, and scored twice in the ninth.

Next week Tri-City journeys to Grants Pass to meet the Merchants.

Baseball Standings

(By the Associated Press)
American League

W. L. Pct.
Detroit 23 12 .652
Cleveland 23 11 .642
New York 16 14 .533
Boston 17 15 .531
Chicago 17 18 .486
Philadelphia 15 17 .479
Washington 13 16 .448
St. Louis 11 19 .367

National League

W. L. Pct.
New York 17 12 .586
Chicago 18 13 .581
Brooklyn 17 14 .548
Boston 17 15 .531
Pittsburgh 14 14 .500
Philadelphia 16 18 .471
Cincinnati 14 19 .424
St. Louis 12 20 .375

Pacific Coast League

W. L. Pct.
Los Angeles 32 24 .571
San Francisco 31 25 .554
Oakland 30 26 .536
Portland 26 28 .481
San Diego 25 28 .472
Seattle 26 30 .464
Sacramento 26 30 .464
Hollywood 25 30 .455

Roseburg Golfers Trim Eugeneans in Return Tilt

Roseburg Country Club defeated the visiting Eugene Country Club golfers in a return match Sunday, 32 to 21.

Medalist for Eugene was Sid Milligan with a sparkling one under in 71. Roseburg low scorers were Ward Cummings 76, Bob Harris 77, and Ned Davis 78.

Results:

Roseburg Eugene
Pete Pearson 114 Williams 114
Keller 114 Dutton 114
Howard 114 Black 114
Wood 114 Hiron 114
Hallmark 114 Endicott 114
F. Pearson 114 Miller 114
Courtner 114 Deuter 114
Hub Quine 114 Headman 114
K. Quine 114 Cable 114
Ficht 114 Shanton 114
Seas 114 Rundtuit 114
Finnings 114 Milligan 114
Davis 114 Koke 114
W. Rydges 114 Davies 114
Perrault 114 Fidge 114
Adams 114 Wren 114
McElroy 114 Swanson 114

32 1/2 21 1/2

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4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Rex Miller, Nabisco.
4:30—Traffic Safety.
4:45—Rum Brown.
5:00—Musical Interlude.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.
5:30—Captain Midnight, Wander Co.
5:45—Tom Mix, Halston Furina.
5:55—Gabriel Heatter, Causus Products.
6:15—Big League Baseball Scores, Barcus Sales & Service.
6:20—Musical Interlude.
6:25—State & Local News, Roseb. Mot. Co.
6:30—Hit Parade of Novelty Tunes.
6:45—Musical Interlude.
7:00—Veterans' Information Guide.
7:15—Songs for Everyone, Roseb. Refrigeration.
7:30—The Cisco Kid, Modern Furniture.
8:00—Richard Davis, Pvt. Detect., Union Oil.
8:30—Snapshots, Douglas County Flour Mills.
8:45—Songs of the West, Lockwood Motors.
9:00—Alta Seltzer News, Miles Labs.
9:15—Med. Venter's Pictorial, S. & W. Fine Foods.
9:30—Cliff Barrows Show, Carsten's Furniture.
9:45—Henry J. Taylor, General Motors.
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Miller's Inc.
10:15—Nocturne.
10:30—Ten Thirty Club, Lawson's.
10:45—Music About Town, Jockal and Lovell's.
2:30—Quickies a Flash, Halbro's Watch

TUESDAY, MAY 27, 1947

6:00—Farm Bulletin Board.
6:30—Yawn Patrol.
6:55—Schricker Auction.
7:00—Frank Hemmings, L. A. Soap Co.
7:15—Rose and Shine, Sterling Drug Co.
7:30—State and Local News, Dr. Bruce Tuck.
7:35—The Beehive.
7:40—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest, Good Ship Grace.
8:30—Wally's Wake Up Time, Wally's Grocery.
8:45—Morning Melodies.
9:00—Art Baker and His Notebook, Montgomery Ward.
9:15—Victor H. Lindahl, Healthaids.
9:30—Man About Town, Jockal and Lovell's.
9:45—Shopper's Guide, Harth's and Marshall-Wells.
9:55—Musical Interlude.
10:00—Alta Seltzer News, Miles Labs.
10:15—Music and Music, Roseburg Color Center.
10:30—Ray Noble.
10:45—Easy Listening.
11:00—Character Clinic, Presbyterian Church.
11:15—Musical Interlude.
11:30—Queen for a Day, Miles Labs. and Philip Morris.
12:00—Musical Interlude.
12:05—Sports Review, Courier Pearson.
12:15—Rhythm at Random.
12:40—State and Local News, Hansen Motors.
12:45—National News, Douglas County State Bar Association.
12:55—Terminal Market Reports, Sig Felt.
1:00—May on the Street, Henninger's Marts.
1:15—The Johnson Family.
1:30—It's Requested, Roseburg Pharmacy.
2:00—Henry's Desire, Philip Morris.
2:30—Fred's Martin, Montgomery Ward.
2:45—Florists' Show, Umpqua Florists.
3:00—Ray H. Music.
3:15—Polka Dots.
3:30—Around the County, International News Events.
3:45—Musical Matinee.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Rex Miller, Nabisco.
4:30—Phil Frolics, Stanko, Inc.
4:45—Good News Program, Assembly of God Church.
5:00—Musical Interlude.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's.
5:30—Captain Midnight, Wander Co.
5:45—Tom Mix, Halston Furina.
5:55—Gabriel Heatter, Healthaids.
6:15—Big League Baseball Scores, Barcus Sales & Service.
6:20—The Dutch Lieber.
6:25—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co.
6:30—Mysterious Traveler.
7:00—Music You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.
7:15—Special Investigator, Commercial Credit.
7:30—Spelling Bee, Lawson's.
7:40—The Falcon, American Safety Razor Corp.
7:55—Alta Seltzer News, Miles Labs.
8:00—Claude Thornhill.
8:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Umpqua Valley Hardware.
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Umpqua Valley Hardware.
10:30—Ten Thirty Club, Lawson's.
11:00—Platter Party.
11:30—Sign Off.

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IF ON THE OTHER HAND:—

You want to live in a city that you can be proud of and desire to maintain our PRESENT standards and make provision for improved standards that will make our city a more attractive place in which to live, VOTE FOR the city budget tomorrow and see that your neighbor votes.

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