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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office
Roseburg, Oregon
Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Clear tonight and Thursday.
Highest temp. for any July—109
Lowest temp. for any July—40
Highest temp. yesterday—82
Lowest temp. last night—52
Precipitation yesterday—0
Precipitation from July 1—T
Deficit from July 1—.16
Deficit from Sept. 1—2.15

In the Day's News

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nificance for us out here. All ways in the past the West has been at the far end of a long haul to market.

So we got less for what we had to sell and paid more for what we had to buy. ("Slightly higher in the Far West" has long been a common statement in naming prices.) With the growth of population in the West, that unfavorable situation is coming to an end.

We already have big local markets at our own doors.

THE amazing growth of California is particularly important to the future of Southern Oregon because it insures a market for everything we can produce. In the past, lack of markets has been our greatest handicap.

IN Washington this week, a unified military establishment is one of the hot issues. It has been talked for a couple of years, but is just now coming to a head.

Senator Gurney of South Dakota says on the senate floor that what people want to know is "how much in dollars and cents will be saved each year by unification."

He answers his own question by adding:

"Personally, I think the savings will be astonishingly large because—if for no other reason—our present system is so horribly uneconomical."

He isn't far wrong there.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN signs a law creating a 12-member commission to investigate all agencies of the government with a view to "promoting economy, efficiency and improved service."

Four of the members will be appointed by the President, four by the speaker of the house and four by the president of the senate. Speaking realistically and without prejudice, the members named by the President will for political reasons want to make it appear that we have done all right in the past. Those named by the speaker of the house and the president of the senate will be politically interested in bringing out the recklessness of past spending and the possibilities for economy now.

We common folk, who pay the freight, are pretty sure that if hard common sense controlled public spending we could have a lot more and spend a lot less.

ON the troubled foreign front, the Czechoslovak government decides in a closed session to accept an invitation to the new Paris conference on the Marshall proposal ("get to work and we'll finance you") DESPITE Russia's rejection of the plan.

Watch this. Czechoslovakia is under the Russian thumb. Her people are much like us. No one can doubt that they prefer OUR way to the COMMUNIST way. It takes courage on their part to do something Russia disapproves. But for a thousand years the Czechs and the Bohemians have never lacked courage.

IN her first election in 11 years, Spain votes overwhelmingly for continuation of Franco's regime and to give him the right to name his successor.

We lift an eyebrow, of course, and assume that the Spaniards voted that way because secret police were breathing down their necks at the polls. That may be true. Still, we must remember that Spain never has known much about what we call democracy. It is a mistake for us to assume that everybody in the world wants what we want.

MEN WANTED

By CHARLES V. STANTON

Roseburg's new National Guard unit, Co. D, 186th Infantry is seeking recruits. Preparing for federalization, the unit will start with two officers and 19 enlisted men, but has an ultimate goal of seven officers and 186 enlistees.

It is to be a Weapons company, handling 81-mm motorized rifle, 75-mm recoilless cannon and .30-caliber machine guns. Equipment is to be made immediately available.

Members of the unit will draw pay for all drills attended. Training will include annual encampments.

It is our personal opinion—an opinion with which many people will disagree—that military training should be compulsory. We are not disposed to argue the point with those of contrary belief, as persons opposing compulsory military training have every right to their own views on the subject.

But there are many benefits to be derived from military training other than preparation for armed conflict. Military training breeds self-confidence, respect for discipline, teamwork, coordination and comradeship. Men engaged in such training learn personal hygiene, care of clothing and equipment, rudiments of camp life. They learn the value of regular hours, meals and habits. They develop stronger bodies and better posture. These lessons are extremely valuable regardless of whether a man ever is required to bear arms in defense of his country.

If the time should come that participation in a shooting war becomes necessary, the man with previous training has far better chance for survival than the untrained man, or the recruit who receives only scanty instruction before being thrown into combat areas.

Again it is our personal opinion, that a system of compulsory training could be made as sufficient and effective through the National Guard as through a Regular Army course. Thus a student could receive his military training at home and without interference with normal activities, instead of having a year or more taken out of his life to learn the rudiments of warfare.

Certainly the history of our National Guard divisions compares favorably with records by Regular Army units.

Pending a decision on whether military training is to be made compulsory, it is to be hoped that the local company will have little difficulty in finding sufficient volunteers to complete its table of organization. Officers may be contacted almost any evening at the Roseburg Armory for enlistment details. Drills are held each Thursday evening.

In noting plans for reorganization of the National Guard unit, there should be an expression of gratitude for the work of the Oregon State Guard, a war emergency organization, which soon will be disbanded. The State Guard was formed in early days of the war, following the call of the National Guard into active service. It was composed entirely of volunteers who, until near the close of the war, bought their own uniforms, supplied their own arms and ammunition, and improvised camp equipment and facilities. Members of the State Guard drilled regularly and purposefully during the dangerous days of the war. They prepared themselves for local defense, particularly in repelling anticipated coastal landings, disaster service, guard duty, riot call, scouting. They set up plans to harass and delay enemy movements, should landings be made along our coast line.

The State Guard was never called upon for combat duty, but had there been a landing of enemy forces on the Pacific Coast, a catastrophe we narrowly escaped, our State Guardsmen, with their deer rifles and guerrilla training would doubtless have given a better performance than might have been generally expected.

Although the emergency need for the State Guard as a defense organization waned with our successes in the Pacific, the organization continued in existence as the state's military arm, pending reorganization of the National Guard.

It will soon be completely disbanded. Its members no longer will be subject to call. But the State of Oregon owes much gratitude to its State Guard.

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- 5:45—Tom Mix, Ralston Purina
- 6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Carter Products
- 6:15—Big League Baseball Scores, Barcus Sales & Service
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- 6:45—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co.
- 7:00—American Forum of the Air
- 7:15—Parade of Novelty Tunes, Howard Hardware, Hayden DeCamp, Real Estate
- 7:30—The Clio Kid, Modern Furniture
- 7:45—Name That Song, Wildroot
- 8:00—Songs for Everyone, Roseburg Refrigeration
- 8:15—Music As You Like It, Lockwood Motors
- 8:30—Alka Seltzer News, Miles Labs
- 8:45—Dick Jurgens Orch.
- 9:00—Cliff Edwards Show, Carstens Furniture
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Hager, Karlanko Matched; Kiser to Wrestle Parks

Referee Elton Owen has an explanation to make to Douglas county wrestling fans regarding his refusal to award Al Szasz a technical decision in his Pacific coast junior heavyweight championship match against Herb Parks at the Roseburg Armory last Saturday night.

Parks, the champion, was guilty of illegal tactics by repeatedly booting the little Hungarian out of the ring. Owen was reluctant to charge a foul against Parks because National Wrestling Association rules do not permit the exchange of a title on a technical decision. For that reason, Owen believed he was giving Szasz a better opportunity to win the match and title by refusing to give the bout to Szasz on a foul.

Although the explanation clears Elton, Brother Don Owen, matchmaker, announced today that Bill Murray will be the referee of an all-star card at the Armory this week.

The headliner will mark the return of Tex Hager, erstwhile "Crescent Cyclone," who makes his western home in Roseburg, and who will meet Leon "Mad Dog" Karlanko in the one-hour main event. Parks will clash against Jack Kiser, St. Johns grappling ace, in a non-title preliminary.

Kiser, who once held the coast light-heavy title, is out to upset Parks and force him into a title defense. The match will be a terrific struggle in which Parks' aggressiveness and probable villainous tactics will be matched by Kiser's speed and agility.

The well-balanced program promises a thrill-packed evening of entertainment, and fans are urged to make early ringside seat reservations.

Americans Down Nationals, 2 to 1, In All-Star Tilt

CHICAGO, July 9. (AP)—The National League, whipped in the 14th all-star major league game, still wondered what makes the American League so tough.

Jubilant Joe Cronin, who directed the American Leagueers to a 2-1 triumph for their 10th victory against only four defeats at Wrigley Field yesterday, could point to several reasons.

One might be the hell-bent-for-election base-running of Cronin's own Boston second-sacker, Bobby Doerr, who scored the decisive run in the 7th.

Another was the pinch-hitters used by the American League. Ancient Luke Appling of the Chicago White Sox scored the first junior circuit run in the sixth inning, and Washington's Stan Spence rammed a single to score Doerr from third in the seventh frame.

The National Leagueers had only one big moment and that was the home-run shot by Johnny Mize of the New York Giants in the fourth inning, which gave Ed- die Dyer's outclassed boys their lone marker and a short-lived 1-0 lead.

Even though Dyer trotted out 23 players the losers collected only five hits off four American League tossers.

The crowd of 41,123, although the sixth largest in the game's history, contributed a record net take of \$105,314.90, most of which is earmarked for the players' pension fund.

Barrett Whiffs 8 Men to Set New Coast Loop Mark

(By the Associated Press)

Barrett, Seattle's curve ball expert, smashed the all-time Pacific Coast League strikeout record last night by fanning eight Sacramento Solons and giving his cellar-dwelling Rainiers an 8 to 2 victory.

Barrett's feat gives him a total of 1,616 strikeouts. Before last night's game he was tied at 1,608 with the previous all-time record holder, Frank Shellenback, who formerly played with the Hollywood Stars and San Diego Padres and now is with the Detroit Tigers staff as a coach.

In establishing the new mark the veteran pitcher held Sacramento to four hits and yielded runs only in the fourth.

The Los Angeles Angels, thanks to the home run bats of Ostrowski and Giessop, stepped up to a four-game lead over second place San Francisco yesterday by trouncing Houston 5 to 1.

Oakland, opening a seven-game series with San Francisco, edged up to within a game of the second-place Seals by defeating them, 3 to 1, in a ten-inning con-

test. Pitcher Soriano poked in the clinching run.

Homers accounted for all the scoring in the San Diego-Portland game with the Padres coming out on top, 5 to 2. Frank Evers' three-run four-bagger in the 10th inning won the game for the Padres.

W. G. Bramham, Ex-Head Of Minor Leagues, Dies

DURHAM, N. C., July 9. (AP)—William Gibbons Bramham, who ruled minor league baseball for 12 years, died in a hospital yesterday after a brief illness. He would have been 73 next Sunday.

Never a player but famous as the man to head four leagues at the same time, Bramham was elected to the presidency of all the minor leagues—The National Association—in December, 1932.

He retired from this post last December.

LETTERS to the Editor

Aaron Rose Not Alone In Founding Roseburg

The Sunday Journal, July 6, has an article on Roseburg, Oregon, written more for publication than for facts, concerning the man first on the scene in Roseburg vicinity.

The full truth would in no wise omit the name of Commodore S. D. Rose, who came with his family from Illinois, across the plains in 1847, preceding the gold rush to California and settled before 1852 in Deer Creek vicinity.

The writer of said article, one Howard Corning, asserts that "energy of one man started saga" whereas the first on the scene was five years earlier. No one doubts that Aaron Rose was here in 1852, but why give all the credit to him?

Mr. Corning's claims remind us of a boy who listened to his father's tales as he related story after story concerning the Civil war. So thick and smelly, the stories too often repeated, gave evidence of the need of ventilation.

The boy rose to ask: "Father, did anybody help you put down the rebellion?" Mr. Corning's story should allow for justice needed to awaken consciousness appertaining to that which went on here 5 years before Aaron Rose reached this locality.

Aaron Rose was but one of a group that drifted into this place in early days. Many others along with Commodore S. D. Rose observed the natural beauty of affluent streams, picturesque highlands and ideal climate, this before Aaron's time.

Roseburg is a thriving city today, inhabited by old settlers and their descendants too numerous to mention. Aaron Rose was a worthy citizen, but why minimize others who bear the name Rose and were first on the scene? Is there no room for truth? The family of C. S. D. Rose endured hardships in common with others who built the town. The wife of Commodore Rose succumbed to the hardships crossing the plains and was buried in the banks of Big Sandy, probably in Idaho, 1847, when Mary E. Rose, her daughter, was two years old. The latter became the wife of John Jackson of Canyonville. Randolph Rose was the oldest son of the C. S. D. Rose family. He reared a large family of roses, six boys and six girls—in Roseburg vicinity. In the second and third generations, evidence supports the fact that Aaron Rose, who lived south of town on the hill, was no match for C. S. D. Rose when consanguinity tabulation proves the virility of his descendants.

Discussions of this subject, so little aired, bring out the following facts: 1st, the town name might have been changed to Roseburg had the Commodore Rose branch been less populous and less concerned. 2nd, both Aaron Rose and C. S. D. Rose together put the Rose in Roseburg. It was not all the doings of one man. Let us be generous as well as just.

Tom Jackson, Roseburg, Ore.

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Cramps Kill Swimmer Trying to Cross Santiam

LEBANON, Ore., July 8. (AP)—The Santiam River claimed the life of Jennings F. Waters, 28, route 3, Lebanon, early last night when he suffered cramps while attempting to swim across the stream.

Coroner Glen Houston said the war veteran, who is survived by his widow, was with a party on the Linn County side of the river. The companions were not experienced swimmers and were unable to go to his aid when he called to them from about 30 feet off the Marion County side.

HARTUNG TO SPEAK

Al F. Hartung, Portland, who represented the United States as labor delegate to the lumber conference held in Czechoslovakia by the Food and Agricultural Committee of the United Nations, will speak to the Roseburg Active Club at a dinner at the Rainbow Grill tonight.

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