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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon. Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with a few scattered showers tonight; little change in temperature.

In the Day's News

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from 38 to 43 per cent of the total vote. They add that they don't see how the Communists can be kept out of the new Italian government that will follow the election.

REMEMBER:

In Italy it won't be just a case of one party winning all and the others losing all. In this April 18 election upon which the eyes of the world are presently fixed, 22 parties will have tickets.

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CITIZENS AT WORK

By CHARLES V. STANTON. It is easy to understand why Reedsport is one of Oregon's most progressive municipalities when one has an opportunity to meet its people. It is our observation that Reedsport has more of its citizens actively engaged and interested in civic affairs than any city of its size we have ever seen.

We have been attending the annual seafood dinners given by the Reedsport Chamber of Commerce for a good many years. Each time we attend we find many new faces. That is only to be expected in a growing community. But it is most gratifying to find men and women who have been residents for only a comparatively short time active on Chamber of Commerce committees, hard at work on civic projects, and exerting real, solid effort for community improvement.

Too often newcomers are not given an opportunity to participate in civic affairs, but it is quite apparent that the Reedsport Chamber of Commerce has a man at work on a local project by the time he gets his hat off. Before his business sign goes up in front of his store, he is digging into one of the community's many advancement projects.

Things were not always so at Reedsport. We can remember when that area was constantly crying about being neglected and abused. But the "growing up" period has been safely passed and Reedsport neither needs nor asks help, other than the usual measure of cooperation expected and necessary between communities.

Possibly the activity is due to the invigorating salt air and ocean breezes, but one senses the spirit of community pride and endeavor after only a few brief contacts.

Talk for a few minutes with any Reedsport resident and you find yourself in the midst of a discussion relating to civic improvement, projects completed, in progress or projected, or you listen to a sales talk that would do credit to a Los Angeles real estate broker.

Reedsport people have pride in their city and they don't care who knows it. In fact, you don't have to drop a hat to get one of them started telling you about it. And, to one who has always had a great feeling of appreciation and love for the lower Umpqua country, and a faith in its future, it is most gratifying to bump into a newcomer, who perhaps hasn't lived in Reedsport as many hours as we've spent trolling Umpqua waters, and have him start giving us an enthusiastic, full-stop recital of Reedsport's past, present and future. Boy, how we love it!

We don't know what kind of magic John Skalauren, mayor, and Earl Baltazar, Chamber of Commerce president, use but they appear to be able to dig a job out of the hat for every Reedsport resident. And he does the job, or else —!

Nor are the tasks of minor importance. Reedsport is determined on a port capable of handling ocean-going freighters, and to that end is working constantly with the Corps of Engineers, the Oregon congressional delegation, and sundry other agencies, departments and individuals having to do with river and harbor improvement. Reedsport knows that timber from the inland section of the Umpqua basin should go through its port, and it is joining with Roseburg in seeking a commercial highway from the central valley to deep water. The lower Umpqua has possibilities as one of the Pacific Coast's finest recreational areas, and a strong group is promoting formation of a recreational district. Cooperating with the Oregon Coast Highway Association, Reedsport—and we use the name of the town to include the entire lower river area—is working industriously for a better road and tourist travel promotion. Then, too, it is working to build levees to halt encroachment of flood waters, filling low lands, expanding and improving the business district, adding to school facilities, promoting a hospital, enlarging the municipal water system, and doing a few hundred more civic jobs.

We wish some of that invigorating salt air could be blown up this way.

KRNR

- Mutual Broadcasting System 1490 Kilohertz. REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 4:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr. 4:15—Frank Hemingway, L. A. Soap. 4:25—Passing Parade. 4:35—Music. 4:45—The Neighbor, Carstens Furniture. 4:55—Supper. 5:00—Captain Midnight, Wander Co. 5:15—Tom Mix, Halston Furina. 5:25—Charlie Chan, Ritzman, Inc. 5:35—The Sports Page, Barcus Sales and Service. 5:45—Musical Interlude. 5:55—State and Local News, Roseburg Motor Co. 6:00—King America, Sing, Patterson's Bakery. 6:10—Uncle Ezra, Goldie's Booterie. 6:20—Musical Interlude. 6:30—Spotlight on a Star, Horn's. 6:40—What's News, Corkum Motors. 6:50—The Circus Kid, Modern Furniture. 7:00—Let George Do It, Standard Oil. 7:10—The Charlie Chan Picture, Inc. 7:20—Billy Rose, Pitching Horses, R. H. Serrin, Inc. 7:30—Alka Seltzer News, Miles Labs. 7:40—Hospitality Time, Jack Fariss & Son. 7:50—Guest Star. 8:00—Henry J. Taylor, General Motors. 8:10—Pulton Lewis, Jr., Umpqua Auto & Implement. 8:20—Nocturne. 8:30—Shirley Givins, Mother's RCA Radio Department. 8:40—Transcribed Music. 8:50—Sign Off. TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1948: 6:00—Sunrise Serenade. 6:15—Farms Bulletin Board. 6:30—Yawn Patrol. 6:40—The County Agent. 6:55—Roseburg Auction. 7:00—Frank Hemingway, L. A. Soap. 7:15—Bark and Shine. 7:30—State and Local News, Dr. Bruce Turk. 7:35—That Revue. 7:40—Rhapsody in Wax. 7:50—Hayden of West, Good Ship Grace. 8:00—Wacky Wake Up Time, Wally's Grocery. 8:15—Merrill and Marge, Miller's, Inc. 8:30—Katie Smith Speaks. 8:45—Victor H. Lindhartz, Healthdays. 9:00—Man About Town, Jove and Howell. 9:15—Musical Interlude. 9:30—Shirley Givins, Mother's and Marshall-Weiss. 9:45—Alka Seltzer News, Miles Labs. 10:00—Words and Music. 10:15—Merrill and Marge, Miller's, Inc. 10:30—The Pastor's Call, Presbyterian Church. 10:45—Music by Dave Rose, Roseburg Dairy. 11:00—Dinner for a Day, Miles Labs. and Philip Morris. 11:15—Sports Page of the Air, Keel Radio Co.

Baseball Opens In Pacific Coast League Tomorrow

By RUSS NEWLAND. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The Pacific Coast League baseball gets under way tomorrow in what shapes up now as the tightest race in many a season.

The circuit, starting its 46th year, appears so evenly balanced that any of its eight clubs could cop the bunting. There is improvement all around.

Oil spring training performances, Oakland and San Francisco's Seals look like the best bets in the lengthy chase which ends Sept. 26.

The Oaks, managed by Casey Stengel, will present a solid infield and outfield, plus a good punch. The pitching staff has quality but lacks numbers. Another seasoned catcher would boost the chances. Oakland was fourth last year.

San Francisco's "lefty" O'Doul has a stronger team than the one he master-minded into a first place last season, losing in the single game playoff. A right handed solid hitting outfielder is needed.

Seattle, fifth in 1947, is improved all around. It should have a high class infield with newcomers Glen Moyer, a Texas League graduate; Lamar Newson, second baseman with the Red Sox, Athletics and Phillies experience and third sacker Ellis Layne, who led the league in hitting last season with .367.

Beavers Need Catcher. Last year's pennant and playoff winner, Los Angeles, presently rates a few points off the top but needs no sympathy. It has picked up some pretty good players.

Portland surprised with a third place finish last season. Top pitching and a stout outfield are noted but a catcher is needed. The Beavers may get catcher Charles Silvera and second baseman Ed Basinski back from the Yankees. If so they will be real tough.

The wholesale personnel turnover at Sacramento finds such big league vets as Ernie Lombardi and Babe Dahlgren in uniform for new manager Joe Greigo.

San Diego's Rip Collins will boss a flock of new players and Hollywood acquired half a dozen men from the White Sox.

Katonen Loses To Hessel on Last Moment Foul

Victory was in his grasp in the wrestling headliner at the Roseburg Armory Saturday night, but Paavo Katonen, the rugged Finn, by an unparadonable, last-moment foul, tossed the verdict to his opponent, Gordon Hessel, current possessor of the Pacific Northwest light heavyweight championship.

It happened in the third and final round after the Finn had dropped Hessel helpless on the canvas with a hangman hold. Instead of waiting for referee Elton Owen to proclaim him the winner, Paavo jumped knee first onto Hessel's throat in the last and most flagrant of the many fouls he committed during the bout. Owen promptly yanked the Finn away, assisted Hessel to his feet and raised his arm as a token of victory. The resulting cheers from 600 spectators drowned out Katonen's roars of protest. The time was 8:15.

Katonen annexed the first fall of the match in 15:19 with a half-Boston crab hold. Hessel captured the second fall in 19:53 with his remarkable reverse flying head scissors.

Dusette Beats Dorsetti. In the first half of the program, Georges Dusette triumphed over Joe Dorsetti in a three-round affair that saw only two falls registered. The verdict in the middle round went to Dusette on Dorsetti's repeated prohibited tactics. Dorsetti got the first fall legitimately in 19:02 with a hangman hold, but in the third stanza he got caught in Dusette's deadly full-nelson hold in 5:45, and the bout was over.

Pro Boxing Card Slated April 30

Professional boxing matches at the Armory are scheduled for Friday night, April 30. Promoters Bill Olsen and Rudy Schlotthauer will soon meet with the Boxing Commission for final approval of the cards. Negotiations with the School Board are also underway to obtain use of the Senior High School boxing quarters under the Finlay field grandstand.

John Doesn't Know What Happened



Still unaware that both his legs are gone, seven-year-old John Gulle seems happy, looking over some of the many cards well-wishers sent him at St. Luke's Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa. He lost his legs when another small boy pushed him under a moving train.

Winter Steelhead Catch on Umpqua Reveals Decline

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Excellent cooperation on the part of many sports fishermen has made the study possible, Newcomb reports. One reason for the smaller catch is found in water and weather conditions, it is reported, but the study shows a smaller migration, a ratio of catch to escapement approximately equal to last season, but greatly increased intensity on the upper river.

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Pilot, Passenger Dodge Death in Plane Crash

TIGARD, Ore., March 29.—(AP)—A pilot and passenger escaped with minor injuries when a light plane lost a wing in mid-air and crashed south of here Saturday. State Police Marvin Bazzel reported the plane, rented from the Evergreen Air Service, Vancouver, Wash., crashed into a field after a ring wing tore loose. John Englebright, 16, student at the controls, suffered cuts and bruises. His passenger, William McMullen, 26, was only shaken. Both are Portlanders.

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Roseburg Community Chest Directors' Ballot

Pursuant to the by-laws of the Roseburg Community Chest, which provides for an annual election of four directors for a three-year term by the membership (contributors), this ballot is submitted. (Two additional vacancies are caused this year by directors moving away.) The following individuals have accepted nomination; other nominees may be written in if desired. Ballots must be mailed to Secretary, Roseburg Chamber of Community Chest, 201 Pacific Building, Roseburg, Oregon on or before April 5, 1948.

() Roy Catching () () J. V. Long () Frank Ashley () Elton Clark () Eugene Miller () Wilson Henson () Name Address

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