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Weather Generally cloudy with moderate temperatures to-day and Monday, higher humidity. Variable wind off the coast. Max. Temp. 69. Min. 48. River -4.1 ft. South wind.

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EIGHTY-NINTH YEAR

Nazi Subs Plan Open Warfare on Ships

## 1940 Political In One Ear., Turkey **Buds Bursting Months Early**

Gaps to Be Filled in a galley of good, **Courthouse** Staff Stir Aspirants

Choice Plums Available larly proud of reat Statehouse, too, **Arouse** Activity

By RALPH C. CURTIS They've called a political armistice in Washington, DC-or don't you believe in fairy tales? But be that as it may, there's just the op-

posite in Marion county; political pots are boiling away out of season. Rarely do candidacies sprout before the turn of the campaign and already a number of them are almost ready to bloom.

There's more to it than just the fact that practically every office in the courthouse is to be filled in 6 to 0. the 1940 elections - the circuit judges are the only exceptions among the elective officers-for alibi Oregon teams have been usdue to obvious reasons there is a sentiment growing up among the Los Angeles have a world-beating electorate that the county is due rainstorm than the Webfoots perfor a "housecleaning," and perennial office-seekers are first on the job, determined to see to it that sentiment doesn't languish. and that they will be in position to move in behind the broom.

Of course there is the further intriguing circumstance, not yet officially announced but rather obvious nevertheless, that from one to three of the incumbents will not seek reelection.

This movement is strongest

-Paul Hauser's Column We are again, due to the insistence of the boss, launched on the perilous career of a columnist. So herein every day that this newspaper goes to press hard - working, unoffending type

will be prostituted to our scheming designs. We are not particuturning to the ranks of those whom Mr. Ickes Paul H. Hauser, jr. has dignified with his dislike.

Somehow we keep paraphrasing to fit columnists that quip of Mark Twain's about proofreaders: "First of all God made idiots. That was just for practice. Then

he made columnists." "The rains came" in California and then came the deluge as our lads from Eugene tied the mighty year, but that's three months away Trojan, the Beaver born and Beaver bred found the Stanford Indians of the cigar store variety, and little College of the Pacific

upended the mighty Golden Bear It would seem that there must have been something in this heat

ing for years, for no sooner does view of Russia's emergency as a form their best since 1915. ODE ENTITLED OREGON

STATE 12, STANFORD 0, OR KISSELBURGH'S MY DARLING. (Apologies to Masefield) I must go down to the game again,

To the roaring game on the grid, And all I ask is for Oregon State To do once more what it did. Those shricking sounds which the sound of the sound of

South Commercial street residents among the republicans, for last have been hearing of late are not, year's elections showed the county we can assure them, air raid stronger in that party's column warnings. It is just the gendarthan at any time since the new merie, personified by Officers

Fr. Sritain Black Sea Pact Nears as Russian Shadow Falls on Balkans

Furth and way

Britain's Plans Fading for Blow at Nazis via Dardenelles

ANKARA, Turkey, Sept. 80-(AP) -Turkey, her role in the near east greatly altered in the past few days, was reported reliably tonight to be ready to cancel her mutual assistance obligations to France and Britain if they go to war with soviet Russia.

A clause providing such release was said to be contained in the new economic and military agreements which a Turkish military mission headed by Gen. Kiazim Orbay is taking to London. The mission left for the British

capital tonight. Sukru Saracoglu, Turkey's foreign minister, has been in Moscow since early this week, discussing his country's altered situation in

partner of Germany in the partition of Poland. Dardenelles Would **Be Neutral Waters** Foremost among the points dis-

cussed was believed to have been a Black sea pact, to include Rumania and Bulgaria. Saracoglu was understood to have agreed with Russian leaders that Turkey

two Long Jaunts to

Make Final 20-14

down, Lynn Lightner kicked both

in the opening minutes of the

Santa Barbara's first tally came

Lonergan for the touchdown.

conversions.

he 26.

partment.

Walden Goes Over

In Early Minutes

would close the strategic Dardanelles to warships of all belligerent nations. Such an act would lessen the

possibility of Britain and France striking at Germany through a back door, since it would neutral

(A plan frequently discussed in

allied capitals would involve send-

ing a force through the Dardan-

elles and the Bosphorus to the

Black sea and then presumably





Crowded into the rear of a truck with youngsters, nuns are shown as they rode out of Paris to safer ter ritory in the country as warfare on the western front seemed likely to become more severe. (Paramount news photo, AP).

Speeding Half Neutrality Act Credit **British Lose Beats Bearcats Terms May Be Ousted** In Air, Claim

Gaucho Back Tallies on Backers of Bill See Easier Passage if Contents Seven Planes Sent Down Changed to Strict Cash and Carry; in two Clashes Says Debaters Ready to Open **Reich Report** 

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Sept. WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.-(AP)-Indications of strong 30-(AP)-Blonde Bill McArthur, opposition to allowing warring nations to make purchases speeding senior halfback, scored twice on runs of 90 and 65 yards here on any credit terms whatsoever led to talk among some tonight as Santa Barbara State administration senators tonight of changing the neutrality ments with German planes, one college defeated Willamette uni-

# **Cannon-Carrying Steamers Treated** Same as Warship

"Churchill's Snipers" Must Face Fire Without Warning as Legal Result of Arming Merchantmen

### Berlin Reports Indicate Anger Rises by Recent Attacks on Submarines From Guns on Ships' Decks

LONDON, Sept. 30.—(AP)—The British admiralty said tonight the German radio had broadcast an announcement that Germany now would consider every vessel of the British merchant navy as a "warship."

The admiralty said it interpreted this as a possible indication of "an immediate change of policy in German submarine warfare."

An announcement by the British ministry of information said:

"The following message has been promulgated to all British merchant ships by the admiralty:

"The following has been received by German broadcast Othis evening:

" 'Several German submarines have been attacked by British merchant ships in the past few

days. "'Hitherto, the German wireless asserts 'German submarines have observed international laws by always warning merchant ships before attacking them. Now, however, Germany will have to retaliate by regarding every vessel of the British merchant navy as a warship."

" 'While the above of course is entirely untrue, it may indicate an immediate change of policy in German submarine warfare and you should be prepared to meet it."

-The controlled nazi press today

"If merchant ships offer armed

tional custom, respective means of

combat will be employed against

ships draws legal consequences,

Such ships must be treated the

German warships cannot be sub-

jected to the danger of being shot

at by Churchill's snipers at sea."

(Winston Churchill is British

The Diesnst Aus Deutschland,

"If submarines now face the

The commentary said Germany

commentary close to the German

first lord of the admiralty.)

foreign office, said: .

same as warships. . .

... The arming of merchant

"It is a self-understood fact that

them.

tonight seven British planes were shot down today in two engage-(There was no immediate confirmation from Berlin of the re-

deal; but the democrats are at George Edwards, Hobart Kiggins And it wouldn't be fair to brand all the early candidates as perennials; some are newcomers to the political arena, motivated by a sincere belief that the county needs substantial men in office and that they can fill the bill.

Now it wouldn't be cricket to mention names this early and without the prospective candidates' authority. But it's no secret that there will be at least two, possibly three republicans seeking the office of county judge, one rival for the assessor, who is expected to seek a reelection and will be strongly favored to win it, two for district attorney aside from the incumbent; and that there's a strong republican candidate for sheriff. Names will be popping into the picture before long.

... ... ... There have been no more decapitations at the statehouse in the

past week, but the appointive term of the state superintendent of banks expires today. The banking board won't meet until October 10, but when it does there is a great deal more than an even chance that there'll be a new superintendent, Fred Lamport of Salem and A. A. Schramm are mentioned as likely appointees.

Lloyd R. Smith of Portland will (Turn to page 2, col. 5)

### **Al Smith Takes To Airwaves in** Neutrality Talk

NEW YORK, Sept. 30-(AP)-Speaking in behalf of changes in military experts compare the sitthe neutrality act, Alfred E. Smith iss cheduled for a WABC. Court on Liberty street on a Sat-CBS broadcast at 4 p.m. Sun- urday afternoon. day (PST).

Other neutrality broadcasts- Hoquiam's Rain tors Key Pittman of Nevada, Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota, Tom Connolly of Texas, Bennet Champ Clark of Missouri, Frederick aVn Nuys of Indiana, Vic Donahey of Ohio and John A. Donaher of Connecticut.

NBC 6:45, Senator Clyde Reed of Kansas, In addition, NBC and CBS at

12:15 are to relay from London the talk of Winston Churchill, first lord of the British admiral-ty, on "First month of the war."

### Stolen Car Stalled in Path **Of Train Saved; Duo Jailed**

Three Salem policemen nabbed control two alleged car thieves last night, | in answer to a radio call sent out at 6:18. flagged a fast manifest freight on

the Southern Pacific main line to save the stolen car from becoming a mess of splinters and metal, port, the two men were standing and brought their handcuffed by the stalled car and immediateprisoners to jall, all in a matter of 37 minutes from the time the car was reported stolen.

handcuffed to a telegraph pole Eugene Clyde Reese and Verwhile the officers hunted for the non L. Reese, both of Portland, other man, were the two men arrested and charged with possession of a sto-Eugene Reese was no sooner len automobile belonging to J. A. caught than the fast freight loom-Remington, 891 North Winter. ed in the distance and the offi-

least going to be in there pitching. and Lou Burgess, swooping down to strafe unwary violators of the basic rule (i.e. speeders). They are polite as pie in giving a ticket and we heard one of their chastened victims praise policemanly courtesy highly.

Emily Post has yet to write a chapter on how to write out a ticket without offending, so they must have picked it up by themselves.

ODE ENTITLED "OVER THE HILL TO THE JAILHOUSE" (More apologies, Mr. Masefield) must go down to the jail again, The city's high jail and wide, And all I did was 20 miles, But the judge, he said I lied.

Quicky department: Pauline Corning, the Bluebird's flying waitress, taking the order of a customer noted for his love of looking on the catsup when it's red: "And what'll you have to drink besides catsup."

**Guessed Exactly** 

HOGPIAM, Sept. 30-(P)-M, L. Benson of Tacoma, a soap salesman, won the third

quarterly prize of \$50 in Ho-

quiam's rain derby by predict-

ing the exact amount of rain-fall for the past three months

The rainfall for the period

When Kestly and Burgess ar-

rived, according to the police re-

ly ducked under a string of box

cars parked on a siding. Vernon

Reese was caught easily and was

was 4.31 inches, two inches be-

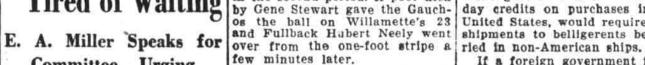
ending at 6 p.m. today.

low the quarterly normal.

through Rumania, Rumania, however, has given no indication she would acquiesce to being made a theatre of war.) **Bulgarian** Claims May Block Pact Before a Black sea pact could

ize the Black sea.

(Turn to page 2, col. 5) **PEP Bondholders** Tired of Waiting



**Committee**, Urging **Portland PUD** 

PORTLAND, Sept. 30.-(AP)-Establishment of a people's utility a 30-yard toss to End Maurice

State game commission don't district in Portland was urged at a 'low no pheasant shooting 'round state hydro-electric commission hearing yesterday by E. A. Miller, here, so 'Bus Herren at Anderson's sporting goods emporium Power company stock and bond out over the visitors' forwards. has illustrated the situation graph-

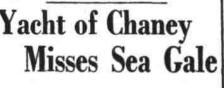
ically. One very dead China bird holders committee. Members of his group, Miller hangs head down, bearing a sign said, were convinced they would State Leader in "Past years." A mounted pheas-"never receive anything from ant bearing the label "This year" their investments" under the presgives the passing nimrod a well ent private ownership set up. known derisive gesture with one Harry M. Kenin, chairman of claw hooked in waggling position

the Bonneville-for-Portland combefore its beak. mittee, said the "determining fac-• The French and British are findtor" is the "ability of the people

to operate a publicly owned sysing progress slow in breaking Wisdom of the governing | eral George A. White, commander, tem." through the Siegfried line. Local board will determine the system's learned today from the war desuccess, he said. uation to driving from State to Kenin and Miller were among

several speakers who urged the commission to rule favorably on a PUD for Portland. The commission had 120 days to rule. Kenin's committee plans to

place the proposal on the May pri-mary ballot.



COQUILLE, Ore., Sept. 30.-(R) -The home-made yacht, Strumpet, bearing State Senator George Chaney and his family to California, was reported safe today

at Newport Beach, Calif. Relatives advised the Los Angeles coast guard earlier that the family was missing.

Mrs. Sarah A. Ribble, Mrs. Chaney's mother, said she received a letter saying the Strumpet reached the port before the recent California storm and was never in danger.

Aboard are Chaney, his wife and their sons, Davis, Patterson and Allan. A fourth son, George, jr., who sailed on the Strumpet when it left here September 2, roturned two weeks ago to enter Oregon State college.

145 aliens in a government camp

War Briefs CALGARY, Alts., Sept. 30-(CP)-The internment of about

bill to a strict "cash and carry" measure. versity of Salem, Ore., 20 to 14.

Senator Minton (D-Ind.) the majority whip and one of With Willamette leading, 7 to 6, at the start of the second half, the leaders in the fight for the

McArthur ran the kickoff back administration program, told re-90 yards for a tally. A few min- porters he thought it might be Maritime Unions utes later, he took a punt on his advisable to eliminate the 90-day own 35, reversed his field and credit provision and require strict

romped 65 yards to another touch- cash payments. "It would make it much easier to pass the bill," he asserted. "We will be back here in January, and Two Groups' Contracts if the cash provision is found un-

The visiting Bearcats scored workable we can change it." not Yet Extended as As reported by the senate forgame, Halfback Al Walden going eign relations committee, \*he

over from the two-yard line after measure would carry out Presi-SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30-(AP) recovering a kick-off fumble on dent Roosevelt's recommendation Negotiations were resumed at 11 that the existing arms embargo o'clock tonight between waterbe repealed, would permit belligfront employers and representain the second period. A poor kick erent governments to obtain foby Gene Stewart gave the Gauch- day credits on purchases in the tives of two of five maritime unos the ball on Willamette's 23 United States, would require that ions whose working agreements expire at midnight.

and Fullback Hubert Neely went shipments to belligerents be car-Three unions already had signed If a foreign government failed contract extensions. They were the The invaders took to the air to pay for its purchases within longshoremen, the masters, mates in the cosing minutes in a des- 90 days, it would be required to and pilots, and the marine engi-

perate attempt to tally. Halfback pay cash for future purchases neers. Buddy Reynolds connected with until the debt was paid. Representatives of the sailors and the firemen's unions met Senator Pittman (D-Nev.), jointly with the employers' comchairman of the foreign relations mittee at 11 o'clock. Nothing had Bunny Bennett, tiny quarter, committee, who filed a majority been heard, however, employers' chairman of a Portland Electric bara's line had an edge through- today, contended this credit 1e- spokesmen said, from the dock checkers, the marine cooks and

stewards, and the radio operators. The last two named are coastwide unions, the dock checkers a local organization.

A spokesman for the employers said the dock checkers had rejected an extension basis similar to that agreed to by the longshore- cific highway. men.

**Time Expires** 

#### **Meiers** Parents

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 30-(AP) -A daughter was born at Wilcox

days and was the first state to do handling 300 recruits, soon would son of the late Julius L. Meier, be established at Port Townsend. former governor of Oregon.

of which occurred over the North ported German broadcast. sea and the other over the west-German Paper ern front. The news agency said the Ger-**Defines** Attitude mans also "caused one French BERLIN, Oct. 1.- (Sunday)-(AP)

BERLIN, Sept. 30 .- (AP)-DNB,

German official news agency, said

plane to crash." (The British air ministry ananswered an alleged British decinounced in London that British **Resume** Parleys sion to arm merchant ships with indications that such vessels might planes had engaged in an air

battle over enemy territory and be sunk without warning. The newspaper Boersen Zeitung. 'some" British casualties had rein an editorial headed "British sulted.) snipers at sea," defined the Ger-DNB asserted two of the Britman attitude toward armed ships ish planes were destroyed over

and declared: the North sea by two German pursuit planes. resistance or are convoyed by en-In the vicinity of Saarbruecken, emy warships, they must be preon the western front, it said five pared that, according to interna-

British planes approached the west wall and that all were shot down. The news agency added (Turn to page 2, col. 4)

Mail Dispatcher **Dies on Highway** 

Aged Jefferson Man Hit in Carrying Pouches

From SP Depot

danger of attack from merchant JEFFERSON, Sept. 30-Samu-el A. Pease, 78-year-old Jefferson ships stopped by them, the submarine commander is compelled mail dispatcher, was killed at 6:30 to break the resistance if possible. o'clock here tonight when he was In case of emergency, however, he struck by an automobile driven by must take steps to sink the ship." Wilburn Sidney Russell, 21, Marion, at Church street and the Pa-

regretted intensification of the war against merchant shipping but Clarence Wilson, 12, who was charged that the blame lay on assisting Pease in carrying mail Great Britain. pouches from the SP depot to the postoffice said he warned the **Kuhn Still Pines** elderly man, whose eyesight was dim, not to cross the highway in In Jail as Bond front of the oncoming car. Russell was fined \$25 for fail-

**Reduction Flops** ure to have an operator's license and released pending further in-NEW YORK, Sept. 30 .- (AP)-

vestigation by the coroner. Fritz Kuhn, fuchrer of the Ger-Caught beneath the Russell auman-American bund, spent a sectomobile, Peace was dragged 192 feet, according to state police. No arrest was made. Mr. Pease had lived here for

more than 30 years. Surviving are the widow and two sons, Levant of Eugene and Ferris of Portland, and a daughter, Mrs. Eva Duckworth of Eu-

Funeral arrangements are be-

ond night in Tombs prison tonight after his counsel again failed to get a reduction in his suddenly-increased bail. State Supreme Court Justice Thomas F. Noonan refused to lower bail, originally \$5,000 but raised yesterday to \$50,000 after

the district attorney declared he had information that Kuhn intended to flee the country. Kuhn ing made by the Walker and How-ell mortuary, Salem. 560 in bund funds.

### Britain Bored by Sandbags, Blackouts as War Goes on

#### LONDON, Sept. 30 .- (AP)-Be-O-

neath the deceptive tranquility of steamed to France. The might of an autumn weekend, Britain's soldiers, sailors and statesmen worked at war tonight from the ening blockade. Royal airforce North sea to the Dardanelles. Millions, bored by sandbags and blackouts, knocked off work early just as always, and headed for the country. They were cheered by newspaper headlines which told them "Anglo-Turkish pact is ready," and by repeated

the fleet held Germany in a tightbombers roared low over the Siegfried line with photographers and mapmakers. Whitehall threw all the power of its secret diplomacy into the tug-of-war for the upper hand in the near east and the Balkans. News that mutual assistance

authorized assurances that the and economic agreements with Russian-German agreement on Turkey are ready for signature Poland and a dictated peace and that a five-man Turkish mili-"changes nothing for England." | tary mi

BRITISH TOMMIES ROLL THROUGH FRANCE

Guard Recruiting Monday. PORTLAND, Sept. 30.-(AP)-Na-

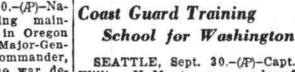
tional guard recruiting maintained a brisker pace in Oregon

than any other state, Major-Genthe Seattle coast guard district,

White said Oregon reached its announced today a coast guard Memorial hospital tonight to Mr. quota of 991 new recruits in five shore training school, capable of and Mrs. Jack Meier. Meier is the

was the Bearcat star. Santa Barcommittee report on the measure striction was tantamount to cash. It was apparent, however, that many senators were ready to dispute this in the long-awaited senate debate which will begin on

**Coast Guard Training** 



William H. Munter, commander of

