

THE WEATHER
Generally fair tonight and Friday,
but becoming cloudy west portion.
Little change in temperature.

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TEMPERATURE
Maximum yesterday, 74 degrees.
Minimum last night, 27 degrees.

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NEW REYNAUD CABINET WILL SPEED UP WAR

Ministers Are Named By Premier

DALADIER TO STAY

Group Expected to Carry Aggressive Leadership In War

Paris, March 21 (UP)—Paul Reynaud formed a new cabinet today to carry out his policy of active and uncompromising war against nazism.

The hard-hitting new premier and his ministers—including former Premier Edouard Daladier as minister of national defense—were formally presented to President Albert Lebrun at Elysee palace and prepared to seek a vote of confidence in parliament. The new government was drawn largely from center and left political factions.

Reynaud and the members of his cabinet went to the presidential palace this afternoon for the formality of presentation to the president.

Reynaud was understood to be planning creation of "an inner war cabinet" to direct the fight against Germany.

This group will probably include War Minister Edouard Daladier; Navy Minister Cesar Campinchi; Air Minister Laurent Foyat; Minister of Finance Georges Bonnet; Minister of Agriculture Henry Queille; and Minister of Interior Henry Roy.

Early McKenzie Opening Denied

Equipment Is Tested on Drifts in Pass

Presence of snow removal equipment in the McKenzie pass area does not mean that orders have been received to open the mountain route between Central Oregon points and Eugene, it was stressed today in an announcement from the office of W. E. Chandler, state highway engineer in charge of the Bend district.

The equipment now operating on the McKenzie highway west of Sisters was sent into the Cascade snowfields to carry out some tests of new equipment. These tests had originally been scheduled for the Santiam pass country, but the snow disappeared so rapidly that it was impossible to carry out the tests under proper snow conditions.

CENTRAL OREGON ROAD BIDS GIVEN

Two Warm Springs Jobs In Contracts Let

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OFFICIAL CHARGED

Kelso, Wash., March 21 (UP)—Trial of E. D. Laska, former Kelso city treasurer, on a charge of larceny will open in circuit court here March 27.

Possible Quintuplet Mother Bewildered by Curious Public

Miami, March 21 (UP)—Mrs. Emory Callahan, 22, a bride of eight months, who said doctors had told her she would give birth to quintuplets in June or earlier, was in a hospital today receiving her first pre-natal treatment.

Bewildered by the reporters, photographers, lawyers and publicity agents invading the one-room in a cottage where she and her 32-year-old husband lived, she agreed reluctantly last night to confinement.

A physician who said he was in charge of her case was quoted as saying that X-rays of Mrs. Callahan "clearly indicated multiple births," that the pictures showed four definitely formed cranial structures and another about which there was some question.

The physician requested the press not to use his name. He said he entered the case only yesterday, that "all I know about the case is what the woman told me."

Callahan, the expectant father, is a woodworker earning about \$10 a week. Three families shared the cot-

Oregon Briefs

(By United Press)

Portland, March 21 (UP)—An employer's right to claim union wages for time worked before he joined the union was upheld in federal court today. Judge Claude McCulloch ruled J. E. Fogers, who served the Union Pacific railroad 13 years at Durkee, Ore., before he joined the railroad brotherhoods, was entitled to the difference between his pay and the union scale.

Portland, March 21 (UP)—A charge of "threatening to kill" was placed against Walter Johnson, 35, Portland, late yesterday in connection with the alleged imprisonment of an unnamed young woman. Johnson originally was accused of assault, but officers said additional evidence supplied by the girl led to the stiffer charge. Bail was set at \$5,000.

Hood River, March 21 (UP)—The annual convention of the Oregon society, Daughters of the American Revolution, went into its second day here today with business meetings and a luncheon scheduled. Mrs. Gilbert E. Holt, Pendleton, was named president of the officers' club.

First Lookout Placed on Duty

Cecil Reed on Watch at Lava Butte

A fire lookout, first of the 1940 season, was on duty today in the Deschutes national forest as Cecil Reed watched over the rapidly drying eastern Cascades from his post on Lava butte, 10 miles south of Bend. Lookout protection for the pine forest was dictated by the abnormally dry weather of the present week. Yesterday, a relative humidity of 11 per cent was recorded in Bend, as the temperature climbed to the highest mark of the year, 74 degrees.

Although only one lookout is on duty in the Deschutes woods today, all district rangers have taken fire precautions. Fire weather readings are being taken in all four districts today, as rangers watch the loss of moisture in forest debris and note humidity marks that approximate those of mid-summer.

In the rapidly drying Fort Rock country, all brush burning operations have been suspended. This precaution was taken after hazard sticks yielded a reading of 7 yesterday, indicating that forest litter is becoming extremely dry.

Road maintenance work is under way in the lower district, as forest crews race against time to get forest routes in shape before the soil becomes too dry to be worked.

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People in the News

(By United Press)

Dr. Allen Roy Dafeo, the Dionne quintuplets' physician, expressed guarded skepticism at Callander, Ont., when told of predictions that Mrs. Emory Callahan, 22, would give birth to quintuplets. "So far the whole thing is just a newspaper story," he said. "I've heard many of them before. I mean we have no actual medical opinion formally expressed yet." He refused to offer any advice to Mrs. Callahan or her physician.

Rep. Jacob Thorkelson, R. Mont., said at Washington that he had complained to the department of justice that his life has been threatened in anonymous letters and telephone calls. He said he received threatening calls in New York when he went there and addressed a meeting of the Christian front.

Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney, D. Wyo., believes big business is in better condition at present than either labor or agriculture. He told members of the Pennsylvania Institute of certified public accountants and Philadelphia business men that 669 of the nation's largest corporations showed an increase of 83 per cent in profits from 1938 to 1939.

NAZI PLANES BOMB CONVOY NEAR BRITAIN

Nine Warships Claim Of Germans

NEAR SCAPA FLOW

British Reports Admit Only Minor Losses During Day

Berlin, March 21 (UP)—German air-planes, in an attack on a British convoy protected by cruisers, destroyers, air-planes and an armed merchantman, sank nine warships and merchantmen totaling about 46,000 tons and seriously damaged two merchantmen totaling about 11,000 tons, the high command asserted today.

The attack, 24 hours after the British raid on Sylt island, took place "toward evening" yesterday off Scapa Flow, British fleet base in the Orkney islands above Scotland, the high command asserted.

One of the attacking German planes is missing, it was said, and one British plane was downed.

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The German air force late yesterday afternoon carried out a brilliant attack off Scapa Flow against a strong enemy convoy which was powerfully protected by warships. The actual attack followed careful reconnaissance.

"Owing to the size of the convoy, which consisted of several dozen steamers, an impressive picture was revealed to the German Heinkel planes as steamers and warships at the first warning signal scattered to all points of the compass. The first attack, however, was carried out before complete scattering of the convoy. Powerful anti-aircraft fire was opened from the warships and merchant ships, but the German fliers did not allow themselves to be put off."

BRITISH TELL OF LOSSES

By Sidney J. Williams
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, March 21 (UP)—German air-planes raided British coastal shipping today and were reported to have killed five persons in an attack on a British steamer.

Six others were injured in the aerial attack, according to dispatches from coastal points, which indicated that the Nazi planes were active in the English channel.

Persons on the channel coast reported explosions off shore in connection with the raids, which followed intensification of aerial attacks by both Britain and Germany in the last few days. Three neutral ships had been sunk and two damaged yesterday in the North sea.

One ship was sunk and two were damaged in an airplane attack on a British convoy off the Scottish coast, in a possible reprisal for the British royal air force attack on Sylt.

Hoyt to Be Speaker At A.A.U.W. Banquet

Palmer Hoyt, publisher of the Portland Oregonian, will deliver an address on "Propaganda" at a banquet in the Pine Tavern this evening, sponsored by the American Association of University Women. The dinner is to start at 6:30 and Hoyt will speak at 7:30 o'clock.

The banquet is open to the public, and an informal reception will be held for Hoyt in the Pine Tavern after his speech. Mrs. Craig Coyner is chairman for the event.

Hoyt arrived in Bend this afternoon, accompanied by Ralph H. Calk.

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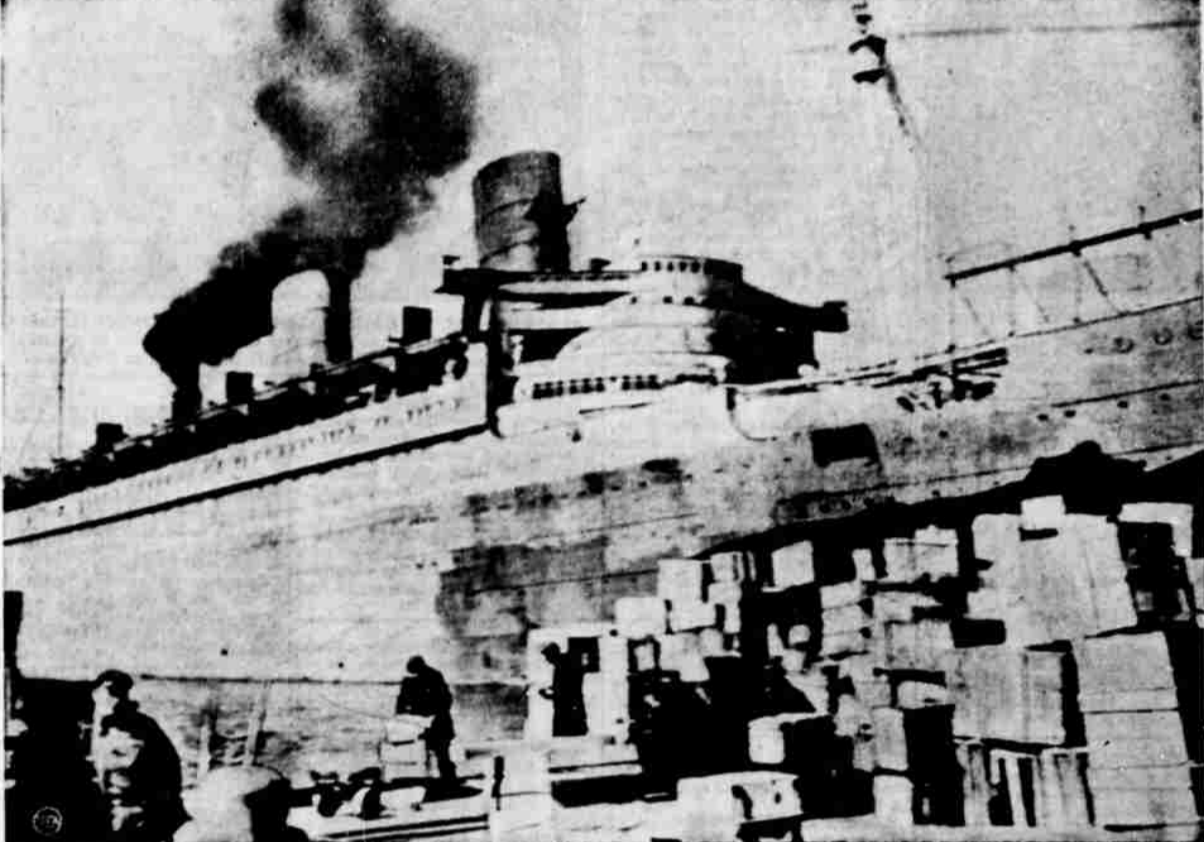
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Reclaimed pets are costing their owners \$1 each, the customary pound charges, at present. In addition, a charge of 10 cents a day for feed is being made. Owners are also required to procure 1940 licenses. After April 1, the license charges are to increase.

CREWS TO MEET

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English Luxury Liners Leave as Troopships



Huge columns of smoke billowing from the stacks of the British line Queen Mary foretold what happened this morning—the Mauretania slipped out of New York harbor. Both ships are reportedly going to act as troopships to carry a huge British army from Australia and the Far East. In the foreground are large stores of "cash and carry" goods which were loaded in the holds before they left.

Circuit Court Panel Chosen

New Term to Begin on April 1

Calls for jury duty are being served this week on 31 citizens of Deschutes county by Sheriff C. L. McCauley. This jury panel will be subject to call during the spring term of circuit court, which begins April 1. Seven members will be chosen to sit as a grand jury, and the remaining 24 will act as trial jurors. The panel was chosen from nearly 300 names selected as a jury list in January. Those who are included on the spring term panel are:

Horace Brookings, Lonnie Lubbes, Myrtle Moore, J. L. VanHuffel, Fred G. VanderOudemuelen, Frank Haner, William C. Hardy, Irene Erickson, W. G. Bu. Leigh, Joe Burich, Stanley Scott, Lloyd Blakely, W. L. O'Donnell, E. C. Eastman, T. W. Vandeventer, Josephine Scott, Emery Banta, Wanda Veatch, Clark, Veva Birchard, Douglas J. Ward, all of Bend.

Clyde Dahl, P. H. Tally, William Abernathy, M. E. Taylor, Joe Roe, Floyd Barton, A. W. Heston, F. G. Atkinson, all of Redmond; Carl Mitchell, and William J. Hall, Terrebonne; and W. H. Penhollow, Sisters.

Circuit Judge T. E. J. Duffy today summoned last term's grand jury members to court March 27, to consider cases that have already arisen. These are William G. Gumpert, William R. Hatch, Mabel Tetherow, George W. Ludowitz, Edith Fairchild, Bette C. Allen, Edith Foster.

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British Liners Leave Shelter of U. S. Port

By EARL B. STEELE (United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, March 21 (UP)—The 81,000-ton British liner Queen Mary, second largest ship in the world, sailed from New York harbor today in the wake of her smaller sister ship, the 35,000-ton Mauretania, presumably embarked on a new career as an allied troop transport.

The armed Mauretania, which the Germans have promised to sink on sight as an auxiliary-naval vessel, was the first to slip away. She was eased into the Hudson river and headed south toward the Narrows and the danger-fraught Atlantic during a thunderstorm at 8 o'clock last night. She passed quarantine 55 minutes later in a pelting rain.

It was reported that both ships, their last-minute sailing preparations and instructions shrouded in secrecy, had been assigned to transport troops between Australia and the Near East, where Great Britain and France are massing a great army already estimated at 1,000,000 men.

The Queen Mary cast loose the lines which had held her to the Cunard White Star pier since September 4 at 8:22 a. m., and tugs pushed her into the river and turned her prow toward the Narrows.

The preliminary work in connection with the planting of a Bend high school forest, on cutover lands near Lava butte, will be started Saturday morning when high school boys undertake the task of placing in the earth approximately 1500 young pine trees brought here from Windriver, Wash. Working with the high school boys will be Lester McPherson and Joe Lamm of the Deschutes national forest staff.

So far as can be ascertained, the planting of young pines will be the first ever undertaken by high school boys in the Pacific northwest. The seedlings are three years old.

Plans call for a gradual extension of the forest from year to year. The first planting has been set for Saturday because advanced weather conditions will not permit of a wait until Arbor day. Soil conditions at present are believed ideal for the planting.

The tract set aside for the start of the Bend high school forest is adjacent to The Dalles-California highway at a point not far from Lava butte.

Bob Hudson, as president of the Junior Sportsmen of Bend and head of the senior class, will be in charge of the Saturday morning planting of young pines.

One of the purposes of the planting of the new forest, to replace trees already harvested, is to interest young people of the Bend community in conservation. Several years ago, similar planting of trees, but not pines, was undertaken in the Seattle region of Washington and met with marked success.

Assistant Is Hired By Clerk's Office

Norman Stewart of Portland has started work in the Deschutes county clerk's office assisting Miss Mable Livesay, clerk, and Deputy C. P. Becker. Stewart is experienced in accounting, typing and office routine. Miss Livesay mentioned today.

Preparations were stressed this week in the clerk's office for the primary elections, with more work than usual expected due to the county's increased population and the fact that 1940 is a presidential election year. Opening of the spring term of circuit court will make demands on the clerk's office at the same time that the gathering and distribution of election supplies is going on, Miss Livesay points out.

Bankers to Meet

The Central Oregon group of the Oregon Bankers' association will meet at Redmond March 29. W. S. Macrout, in charge of the U. S. secret service in Portland, will be the featured speaker, discussing "Counterfeit Money." The meeting is to be attended by bankers and tellers of Central Oregon.

British Patrol Kills Six

Paris, March 21 (UP)—A British patrol killed six men of a German paratrooper and took one prisoner in close-range fighting on the western front, a military informant said today. The British were said to have suffered no losses.

City Receives Safety Plaque

Snell Presents Award To Simpson

Intended as a "monument to the living", a huge plaque was presented to Bend by the state of Oregon today, in recognition of this city's successful efforts to reduce traffic accidents. The plaque was a first place award and was won by Bend in competition with cities of nearly similar population in connection with a campaign that covered seven months of 1939.

Formal presentation of the big plaque was made to Bend by Secretary of State Earl Snell at a luncheon program in the Pine Tavern. Acceptance was by Mayor Fred S. Simpson. Also taking part in the ceremonies was W. H. Hammond, Oregon's director of traffic safety, H. H. DeArmond, Bend attorney, presided at the civic meeting.

The gray and white plaque, fringed in black, will be one of several to be erected at the highway approaches to Bend, and, Snell declared, "will inform people who drive your streets that Bend, in its population division, is the safest city in the entire state of Oregon."

Medford won the award in the first division, Bend in the second division, Burns in the third and Woodburn in the fourth. Last night the state officials made the presentation of a plaque to Medford. This evening, a presentation will be made to Burns.

"Your greatest satisfaction will probably be in knowing that you have saved human lives," Snell declared in awarding the plaque to Bend. The big plaque bears the following inscription: "Bend, first place award, traffic safety, division No. 2, 1939. Department of state—safety division."

Prior to the presentation, Hammond touched on various phases of the state's traffic safety work. Mayor Simpson, in accepting the award, said that Bend's achievement in winning the plaque was at least partly due to the safe drivers' campaign conducted here last year under the supervision of Chauncey Del French of the state's motor vehicle department.

NEW BILL CHANGE WILL BE PROPOSED

Washington, March 21 (UP)—Representative Francis Walter, D., Pa., chairman of a house judiciary subcommittee, considering the Hatch "clean politics" bill, announced today he would seek to write into the measure a limitation of \$5,000,000 on the amount either party may spend in a national campaign.

"I think if we are going to keep politics clean, an amendment of this sort ought to help do it," said Walter.

He said he would call his subcommittee soon to consider the Hatch bill, which would restrict political activity by state employees who are paid wholly or in part by federal funds. It also would limit individual campaign contributions to \$5,000 per person per year.

California Officials Study License System

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WARNING GIVEN SPORTSMEN ON RIVER CLOSING

Groups Take Rights on Deschutes

PUBLIC EXCLUDED

Dinner Meeting Observes Annual Wildlife Week

A delegation from the north headed by T. Leland Brown of The Dalles, Wasco county district attorney, warned local sportsmen attending the national wildlife dinner here last night that the lower Deschutes river is rapidly becoming a private fishing stream and declared that similar blockades against public fishing are increasing in other parts of the state, especially along the Rogue.

Brown, president of the Sportsmen's Recreational Protective association, made specific mention of conditions along the lower Deschutes, where, he said, a Portland club has converted many miles along the east side of the river, south of Maupin, into a private fishing ground by the simple procedure of placing a padlocked gate across one of the old Union Pacific tunnels. Such blockades of the abandoned railroad right-of-way and the presence of no trespass signs make it impossible for the public to gain access to long stretches of the state-stocked stream, Brown declared.

Closure Hinted

Means of breaking the grip of private clubs on the lower river were discussed. Efforts to open a trail along the old right-of-way was mentioned. A general closure of the lower river to fishing was suggested. Abandonment of trout planting was proposed. Finally, it was suggested that the lower river be opened to boat fishing.

Brown declared that the fight against the lower river fishing blockade has just started. He has pledged the support of the Bend organization. There are already 15 Oregon clubs affiliated in the protective association and this number will be increased to 30 in the near future, it was announced.

Last night's conference of sportsmen consisted of two meetings in one. The first part of the meeting was handled by the Deschutes County Sportsmen's association, with Farley Elliott in charge, and the second part by the sportsmen's protective association, with Brown presiding.

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U. S. INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS HIGH

Receipts Run 31.2 Per Cent Ahead

Washington, March 21 (UP)—Secretary of Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., announced today that income tax collections in 29 days of March were 31.2 per cent ahead of last year, but warned that revenues would not cover the extra \$460,000,000 emergency national defense costs.

In the period March 1-20 inclusive, Morgenthau reported income tax collections totaled \$621,000,000 compared with \$473,000,000 in the same period last year.

Receipts, he added, were running "comfortably ahead" of treasury estimates.

Asked whether the increased receipts would provide the additional funds needed to finance the emergency national defense expenditures proposed in the president's budget he said there was "not a chance in the world" of this.

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Tinkham also accused Lord Lothian, British ambassador to the United States, of violating diplomatic privileges and immunities in a speech in Chicago last October, and said another such violation should be followed immediately by a request for his recall by Great Britain.

Tinkham sent his letter to Hull while the latter still was awaiting an official copy of the speech Cromwell made on Tuesday. Hull said today this had been mailed from Ottawa last night and should be here tonight or tomorrow. Pending study of the text, Hull maintained silence.

Several representatives and senators have criticized Cromwell and one Rep. Martin L. Sweeney, D. O., has introduced a resolution for a formal inquiry by the house.