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MANILA ACHIEVED
When American troops entered Manila yesterday the goal toward which General MacArthur had striven ever since he left Corregidor over three years ago was reached.

PINUS CONTORTA
Last week we quoted, under the "Others Say" head on this page, what Malcolm Epley had written in the Klamath Herald and News on the subject of lodgepole and jackpine.

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The descriptive name "contorta" was given, we have read, because of the appearance of the trees lower branches turned downward by snow pressure.

The battle between log truckers and the highway commission continues. The former want to be allowed certain "tolerances" and no immediate penalty if they "happen" to be carrying an over-weight load.

Dora said that she thought the battle of the bulge had something to do with the girde situation.

Bend's Yesterdays

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO (Feb. 5, 1930)

George Moody, a trapper of the McKenzie Bridge country, comes to Bend and reports there are four feet of snow on the McKenzie summit.

City Manager C. G. Reiter reports that Bend remained within its budget in 1929, spending \$102,941.31, which is \$16,000 less than in 1928.

Mrs. Paul Krause leaves her Terrebonne home to visit several weeks with friends in Los Angeles, Wilmington and Sacramento, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edwards and family of Summer Lake, moves onto the Hartwig ranch. Joe Allen, Bend baker, returns after spending a month's vacation in California and Mexico.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (Feb. 5, 1920)

The Deschutes county farm bureau begins its second year at a meeting in Redmond, at which Fred N. Wallace of Tumalo, and J. A. Melvin, Bend, are re-elected president and vice-president.

The journalism class of the Bend high school, led by Miss Harriett Umbaugh, visits The Bulletin plant and learns how a newspaper is published.

Max Cunning of Redmond, transacts business here at the courthouse.

George Scott of Grandview, makes a business call to Bend.

Others Say ...

TRIAL BY PUBLIC OPINION

Whether one sides with Wallace and his social philosophy or Jones and his traditional banker's philosophy; whether one likes or dislikes the anti-Wallace drive that is rising in congress—one should welcome the assertion of Wallace that he intends to take the issue before the people.

The issue is not the substitution of Wallace for Jones. A fundamental question of economic philosophy is involved. In his 6500-word statement to the senate commerce committee, Wallace embraced in toto national social-

That Silly Man's Here Again!



A SONG to REMEMBER by Willard Wiener

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THE PRODIGY

"Fri-tzchen!" It was the voice of a woman, loud but not shrill. It came, as it seemed, from the next room.

The boy at the pianoforte sat quiet. His eyes were not on his music. He was looking at the window and beyond the rain at the gray dullness of the countryside.

It was as though he hadn't heard. It was as though he didn't want to hear, as though...

Yet he was listening. He heard the patter of the rain and the voices of the peasants calling to one another in the field across the road from the house.

The door opened, and a woman's voice said: "Well, well, now who does this mean?"

The boy turned. He looked into the eyes of the woman, his Mamma, who was now in the doorway, smiling at him.

"Fritzen, is something wrong?" "No, Mamma."

"Your playing suddenly stopped. I listened. Nothing. I thought, what is the matter? Is something wrong?"

"No, Mamma." "Do you know your lesson?" "Yes, Mamma."

"Ah, that is good. It is very important, Fritzen... especially today."

"Yes, Mamma." The woman beamed, her pride obvious. At the age of 10, the boy was already a person of note in Zelazowa Wola.

"Ah, you little rascal!" Skarbeck had said, "you'd have it now, wouldn't you?"

Fritzen took his eyes from the window, away from the slanting rain and from all that was beyond the rain, the peasants in their capes in the field and from the gray dullness all about. He

But it was all in good humor. No harm was done. Still when the great man was gone Mamma Chopin had scolded the boy. She asked why he had looked so hard on the jeweled finger.

"Fritzen," she said, "it is not for people in our station to dream of that kind of beauty and wealth."

"No, no, Mamma," he protested. "He hadn't been thinking of that at all. 'What then?' 'The loaves of bread it might buy, Mamma.'"

"Bread? That was the child saying? The one had nothing to do with the other. 'Mamma, didn't you say to Papa how a man in Warsaw died because he had no bread?' Oh that. But what had Count Skarbeck to do with that? He had nothing whatever to do with it."

Fritzen sometimes talked a great deal of nonsense. His father such a brilliant man, too—a school teacher—where did the boy

get such ideas? There was no answer. He did not come by them through any inheritance; that much was plain.

There was a violent knocking at the window. "Look!" Outside, flat against the pane of the window was the face of Professor Elsner.

Co. I Sergeant Goes to Hospital

Sgt. Willard Leo Spangler, who went through four major south Pacific campaigns while attached to the 41st division, left today for Torrey General hospital at Palm Springs, Calif.

The sergeant left here with Company I to join the division in September, 1940. He graduated from Bend high school in 1932 and was employed by the Bend Hardware company prior to entering the army.

Approximately 1000 babies are born each day to the wives of American servicemen in the four lowest pay groups.

DISEASES LISTED

Communicable diseases, with all Deschutes county physicians reporting, for the week ending Feb. 3 totalled four. They were measles, 1; whooping cough, 1; chickenpox, 1; syphilis, 1.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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AND DO YOU KNOW WHAT BLACKMAIL IS? YEAH—IT'S EXTORTION UNDER THREAT OF EXPOSURE! I LOOKED IT UP!

Corporal Hunt Badge Winner

Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., Feb. 5—Cpl. Dean Hunt, son of Mrs. D. Raymond, 238 East Norton, Bend, Ore., stationed here with the 86th "Black Hawk" infantry division, has been awarded the expert infantryman badge for having successfully passed a series of comprehensive field tests on infantry training.

The cab for the diesel-powered caterpillar tractor, purchased several weeks ago for the Deschutes county road department, arrived on Saturday, George McAllister, county roadmaster said today.

Cab for Tractor Reaches Bend

The rest of the road crew will spend today in cindering a mile of the Denner road, which runs north from Four Corners, east of Bend. Last week the crew completed cindering the Peski road.

Julius Churchill, Educator, Dies Salem, Ore., Feb. 5 (UP)—Julius A. Churchill, 81, an educator in Oregon for the past 50 and more years, died at a Salem hospital Saturday. He had been in ill health for some time.

A native of Lima, O., Churchill was a graduate of Ohio Northern university, and came to Oregon in 1891 where he became superintendent of schools in Baker. He became state superintendent of public instruction in 1913, and 13 years later became president of Oregon Normal school in Ashland.

Churchill is survived by three daughters, Mrs. J. S. Elton and Marie Churchill, Portland, and Mrs. George Weller of Salem.

Processed Foods: Book 4—Blue stamps X5 through Z5, A-G2 and new stamps H2, J2, K2, L2 and M2 now valid.

Meat, Butter, Fats, Cheese: Book 4—Red stamps Q5 through Z5 and A2 through D2 now valid.

Sugar: Book 4—Sugar stamps 34 valid for 5 pounds. New sugar stamp 35 is valid February 1 for 5 pounds.

Shoes: Loose stamps invalid. Book 3—Airplane stamps 1-23 now valid.

Gasoline Coupons: Not valid unless endorsed. "A" 14 expires March 21, each coupon worth 4 gallons.

Stoves: Apply local board for oil, gas stove certificates. Wood, Coal, Sawdust: See your fuel dealer for priority on delivery.

Fuel Oil: Period 1 and 2 coupons valid through August 31. Not more than 55% of season's rations should have been used to date in Portland area, 56% in Roseburg area, and 44% in North Head area.

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Clinic to Assist Alcoholics Backed

Portland, Ore., Feb. 5 (UP)—A bill now before the Oregon senate to establish a psychiatric hospital in Multnomah county for the cure of alcoholics has been endorsed by delegates from state and local groups with some 300,000 members.

Meeting in the chambers of presiding circuit Judge Walter L. Toozee, the delegates urged that a research clinic to observe and treat alcoholics and narcotic addicts be founded and asked that additional judges for juvenile courts be appointed.

"I don't think the people of this community are in a mood longer to tolerate the treatment of these unfortunates as criminals rather than as sick persons, which they are," declared Judge Toozee.

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