

VANDALS VISIT ASHLAND CABIN

The sheriff's office today reported a wave of malicious mischief, with summer homes and cabins as the targets, is prevailing in the county, the latest being a cabin south of Ashland. An investigation of the latest episode is now under way.

Three Prospect juveniles are held in the county jail following vandalism in a Woodruff Meadows cabin last week. Previously a similar case in the Eagle Point area was cleared up.

According to the investigating officers the depredations are the work of boys who smash furniture, dishes, kitchenware and windows with great thoroughness. Robbery is not figured as the motive.



It's all done with "know-how"

To win a war—that's simple. You merely do the impossible. Hannibal crossed the uncrossable Alps. Joshua took impregnable Jericho. Blucher got to Waterloo when Napoleon knew he couldn't.

But when it comes to doing the super-dooper, the world has never seen anything to approach this nation's trick of fighting two wars at once—on far sides of a reasonably large planet.

One reason for this success— with one of the wars now won and the other well on the way—is that our generals have been able to borrow—largely from business and industry—vast amounts of "know-how." They've borrowed tons and tons of gray matter. Our uncommon experience may illustrate.

When Uncle Sam's armies crashed into Germany, the generals knew what they wanted to do in the occupied section—through both military and civil agencies. But planning the necessary organization embracing civilian specialists of every kind was something else. They asked for one of our experts.

They knew he was pretty good, because he had done important organization planning for the War Production Board and the Petroleum Administration for War. In fact, one government agency or another has had him for a couple of years. Now he's in Germany—head man on organization.

Similarly our men with know-how have answered many another call—executives, technicians, research specialists, transportation and business administration experts. They've helped keep things rolling at Army posts, airfields, supply depots—here and abroad.

Both Hitler and Hirohito thought global warfare impossible for America. They believed the planning and execution beyond any general—or general staff. They overlooked America's reserve of "know-how."



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Buckaroo Days At Klamath Falls To Run July 1 to 4

Klamath Falls, June 25—Klamath's Buckaroo Days will open Sunday, July 1 to continue through July 4. The rodeo events are open to both professional and amateurs and generous purses have been provided to attract the top hand talent. The four-day show is being sponsored by the American Legion post.

Program for the riding events includes bronc riding, calf roping, steer team roping, bull dogging, Brahma bull riding, bareback riding, quarter horse races, relay races, free-for-all, best reined cow horse and musical chair.

Japanese Officers Kill Own Wounded

Manila, June 25—(U.P.)—Japanese officers ordered and enforced the execution or suicide of a large percentage of the 82,012 Japanese who were wounded in the Philippines, U. S. military authorities disclosed today.

"History rarely records such callousness in its atrocities," their statement said. It was based on captured enemy documents.

Japanese commanders even helped carry out their orders that their men were to die either at their own hands or by those of "friends." Officers shot or sabred their wounded.

New Closing Hours For County Offices

New Saturday closing hours are now in effect for the county courthouse, it was stated today by Judge J. B. Coleman, with 12 noon being the closing time instead of 1 p. m. The new closing time is in accord with a law passed by the last session of the legislature setting the hours of business for counties with populations less than 200,000.

As set by the law, courthouse offices will be open from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. on all judicial days except for offices with but one employee or assistant, which offices may close for the noon hour.

Gary Breckner of Radio Is Killed

Redlands, Cal., June 25—(U.P.) Gary Breckner, well-known sports announcer and master of ceremonies for the Frank Morgan radio show, died early today in a hospital of injuries received in an automobile accident late last night.

Breckner was returning to Los Angeles at the time of the crash after taking his wife, Mrs. Helen Breckner, to Yucaipa, Cal.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by his son, Robert, now serving in the South Pacific.

Fowler Family In Automobile Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney H. Fowler and two children of 16 Quince street, suffered cuts about the head and were shaken up when an auto operated by Fowler crashed into a parked car on a county road off Highway 238 Saturday night, state police reported today. They were taken to a local hospital but were later released, police said.

GERMANS STRIP GI OF FOOD CHOPPERS

St. Louis—(U.P.)—The Germans missed nothing when they stripped S-Sgt. Wilber I. Kahle of his personal belongings after his capture in Germany.

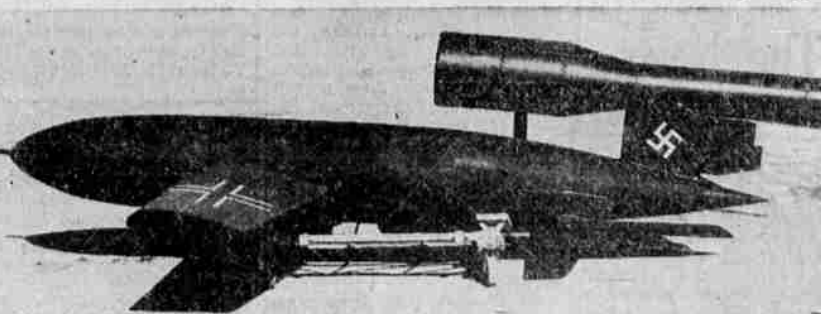
Sgt. Kahle, recovering in a French hospital after his liberation, is still angry because the Nazis took his false teeth, he wrote his family here.

Court House News

Marriages
Oliver Martin and Edna G. Standley.
Bernard Plets and Jeanne Deatherage.
Laddie D. Mann and Edna Mae Dyer.
Charles Francis Comble and Fae Edrice White.

Probate Court
Guardianship of Constance Snyder, a minor; Vivian Snyder, guardian.

Buzz-Bomb in Naval Auxiliary Display



An added feature of the Naval Aid Auxiliary show of captured war equipment to be shown here today and Tuesday will be the exact replica of a German V-1 robot bomb shown above. Proceeds from the small admission fee are used for benefit of sailors, marines and coast guardsmen and their dependents in the 13th naval district.

What About Taxes?

Babson Not Hopeful for Reduction

By Roger W. Babson
Washington, D. C., June 25—(Special Correspondence)—The past week I have been trying to make an intelligent forecast of the prospects for reduced Federal taxes after Japan collapses, which should be within six months. This is a summary of my conclusions.

EXCESS PROFITS TAXES CUT DIVIDEND RECEIPTS

The average investor little realizes what tremendous sums corporations are penalized by excess profits taxes. In many cases these taxes amount to more than investors receive in dividends; in fact, sometimes double or perhaps triple. If these were suddenly eliminated, after Japan collapses, some companies could double or triple their dividends. Yet in all probability this will not happen, especially if company earnings fall off materially.

I am sure that the excess profits taxes will not be cut off altogether and corporations will be lucky if they are cut in half within a year after Japan collapses. My present belief is that these excess profits taxes will gradually be reduced as the earnings of companies gradually decline during the postwar period. The general purpose of such a tax program would be to keep corporation net earnings about where they are today without giving them the advantage of peace, but preventing them from being penalized by the falling off of war business.

NORMAL TAXES DOUBLED SINCE WAR

Normal corporation taxes before the war were 20 per cent. Then they were jacked up to 40 per cent at which they are at present. My feeling is that there will be a compromise at 30 per cent and perhaps stabilization at this figure for some time. This would be a fair thing to do if the excess profits taxes are eliminated. These excess profits taxes are what are causing the trouble and may be a real factor in causing unemployment. Congressmen should insist that these excess profits taxes are eliminated as soon as possible.

FINALITY, LET IT BE REMEMBERED

Finally, let it be remembered that although President Truman is both honest and thrifty, he has been well-trained in the school of politics. Although he may turn neither to the right nor to the left yet he may perform that acrobatic feat which the tight-rope walker with the long pole performs at the circus. Instead of following any one pressure group or ignoring any other one pressure group, he will throw a few crumbs to each pressure group. This means when it comes to taxes that all forms of taxes—excess profits, normal corporation, individual and so-

BOMB REPLICAS IN MATERIAL DISPLAY

An exact replica of the German V-1 robot bomb, the "buzz" bomb which gave England a reign of terror during the 80-day "second battle of Britain", headlines the Enemy War Material Display which opened this morning at the corner of N. Front and Main streets.

The display, sponsored by the Naval Aid Auxiliary, a non-profit welfare organization, can be seen tonight until 10 p. m. and tomorrow from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Also shown in the display are Japanese guns captured during the Pacific island campaigns, samples of the rockets fired from the American rocket ships in advance of the Pacific landings and many other war prizes.

Proceeds from the small admission fee charged to view the display are disbursed under Naval Aid Auxiliary to operate canteens, shore stations and nurseries, and to carry on general welfare work on behalf of enlisted naval personnel and their dependents in this district.

Submarine's Father Dies of Heart Ill

Bridgeport, Conn., June 25—(U.P.)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. for Simon Lake, 78, father of the modern submarine, who died Saturday night of a heart ail-

THE GRANGE

Eagle Point Grange Home Economics club of Eagle Point Grange will meet at the home of Mrs. Amy Brown June 27, with Mrs. Tingleaf as co-hostess.

C. Davies and Mr. Perry explained the special election measures at the meeting of the Grange held June 19, with Master G. E. Ousterhout presiding.

Mrs. John Smith took first and second degree work. Two visitors were Mrs. Lulu Taylor and Mrs. J. C. Spencer, the latter giving a talk.

Serving committee for next Grange meeting will be Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coy.

Boy Scout News

Troop Two
All Scout members of Troop Two Drum and Bugle corps are urged to contact Bliss Heine at the Lincoln gym Tuesday at 8:15 p. m. or at his home, 916 West Tenth street, during the week, in order to make final preparations for the Fourth of July parade at Ashland.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy with showers tonight and Tuesday. Mild temperatures.
Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Scattered showers today and east of Cascades Tuesday. Cooler west of Cascades today and east of them Tuesday.
LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 84; Lowest 60.
Total monthly precipitation: .52 inches.
Deficiency for the month: 12 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1944: 19.28 inches.
Excess for the season: 3.10 inches.
Relative humidity at 5:30 p. m., yesterday: 17%; 5:30 a. m. today: 64%.
Tomorrow
Sunrise 5:37 a. m. Sunset 8:30 p. m.
High Low Prec.
Boise 85 82
Boston 76 63
Chicago 92 63 .13
Denver 77 36 .01
Eureka 46
Havre 79 52
Los Angeles 68 54
Phoenix 122 65
New York 68 68
Omaha 83 57
Portland 84 61
Reno 82 45
Salt Lake 81 46
Seattle 86 54
San Francisco 85 54
Spokane 85 58
Spartanburg 89 51
Washington, D. C. 91 73
Yakima 84 59

ment at St. Vincent's hospital. He had been in ill health for two years.
Lake's invention of the even-keel submarine led to rapid development of undersea craft. He constructed his first submarine in 1894.
Twenty years ago street lighting was designed chiefly for civic beautification or pedestrian convenience. The volume of modern traffic places the emphasis on safety, and today's luminaries are designed with this purpose in mind.

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1 quart scalded milk—cool to 80°
3 teaspoons salt
3 tablespoons sugar
2 tablespoons melted shortening
2 cakes compressed yeast
2 1/2 quarts CROWN BEST PATENT FLOUR

Mix above ingredients. Place on bread board and knead until smooth. Allow to rise 2 hours. Knead well and allow 30 minutes for rising. Make into loaves, place in greased bread pans. Allow to rise until double in size. Bake at 450°.

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