

WEATHER
Northern California—Partly cloudy today and Tuesday; light showers scattered over north portion today; little temperature change; gentle north to west wind off coast.



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Men on duty in a howling gale! Green water over the decks! As in Viking days... as in wind-jammer days... sailing the seas is still no sissy business.

Yet the men of our tanker fleet facing the hazards of the sea have made their jobs safer than crossing Main Street. For this they have just received an award from the National Safety Council—first such won by a western oil company—for "Distinguished Service to Safety."

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Yet our hardy drilling division has won a similar award... and our natural gasoline department... and our marine department's inland fleet! In fact, the honor paid our men makes this company the first industrial concern in the United States to win four National Safety Council awards. For this there is a reason.

To make these and other jobs as safe as humanly possible, our safety engineers and operating organization in the oil fields have warred unceasingly on accident. Here they have hemmed in danger. There they have fenced it out. Everywhere they have forced detours on mankind's worst ill-wisher... the Accident-Going-Some-where-to-Happen.

Through the years, too, our people have become safety-conscious. They distinguish between chance-taking and courage. They've spotted recklessness as another rigged game where you can't win.

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Chandler Faces Test In First Big League Parley

Chicago, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—A. B. (Happy) Chandler, beginning his first major league meeting as commissioner, was confident today that the big league owners would rally to support him as baseball's chief executive.

The annual big league sessions opened today with the National and American leagues in separate meetings, studying numerous controversial proposals, including: (1) The Pacific Coast league's request to become a third major league, (2) the minor's attempt to outlaw the payment of bonuses to new players, and (3) the request by the St. Louis Cardinals and Browns and the Washington Senators for unlimited night games in 1946.

It was considered likely that the big leagues would vote "no" on at least the first two proposals and possibly approve the third one. But the headline-catching question was whether they would stand behind their new commissioner after he was set back on his heels by the rebellious minor leagues at Columbus, O., last week.

IRISH STARS OUT OF EAST-WEST GO

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 10—(U.P.) Notre Dame university's committee on absences today refused to allow three stars of the 1945 eleven to compete in the annual East-West football charity game New Year's day at San Francisco.

Capt. Frank Danciewicz, Quarterback, Right Halfback Elmer Angsmann and Tackle Pete Berney were refused permission to take part in the game.

The committee ruling said that three players "missed so much classroom work during the regular season that any further absences might seriously impair their chances of making up back work and being graduated with their classes."

Denver Man Head Of National AAU

Richmond, Va., Dec. 10—(U.P.)—The National Amateur Athletic union, in final session of its convention yesterday, elected William Greim of Denver president and nominated a 10-man slate from which the Olympic committee, meeting in New York today, will choose the AAU members of the executive committee.

San Antonio was chosen as site of the 1946 AAU convention after a lively debate among representatives of the Texas city, New Orleans and Miami Beach, Fla.

Talent Hoopers To Play Jacksonville

Talent, Dec. 10—Talent high's Bulldogs will meet Jacksonville here tomorrow night in a pre-season test. The Redskins reportedly have one of the strongest teams in many years and figure to be the scourge of the county "B" league. Preliminary game is set for 7:30 p. m.

According to Coach Roy Parr, the Bulldogs are getting off to a slow start this season but figure to give the J'ville boys a tough scrap.

REDSKINS, RAMS TO MEET IN PRO-TITLE CONTEST

New York, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—Washington's Redskins, often called "Sammy Baugh and Co.," and the Cleveland Rams, rapidly becoming known as "Bob Waterfield and Co.," began drills today for next Sunday's playoff game for the National football league championship.

The Redskins qualified for the final contest by dumping the New York Giants, 17 to 0, nullifying the Philadelphia Eagles' 35 to 7 conquest of the Boston Yanks. Philadelphia's only consolation was the individual honor won by Steve Van Buren—a new one-season record of 18 touchdowns scored. Van Buren also won the 1945 scoring title with 110 points and the ground-gaining crown with 832 yards.

Next Sunday's game at Cleveland will match two teams as nearly one-man outfits as a professional team can be. Baugh's passes have been the backbone of the Washington attack this season. Waterfield is in reality almost the whole Ram team. He calls the plays, does the passing, kicks extra points, handles the ball on the T-formation, and can line-plunge and end-run creditably.

Bobby Riggs Takes World's Hardcourt Tennis Tournament

Los Angeles, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—Bobby Riggs was the world's professional hardcourt tennis champion today after defeating Don Dudge 9-11, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

The two Los Angeles professionals battled for more than two hours yesterday. Dudge, seeded No. 1 in the tournament, took time out during the game to have a cramp in his right hand massaged.

Dudge, who eliminated veteran William Tilden in the semifinals yesterday, took the first set but couldn't keep up with the steady Riggs in the next three.

Dudge and Perry won the doubles finals over Riggs and John Faunce of Beverly Hills 6-4, 5-7, 6-4 and 8-6.

Chicago Bowler Is National Champion

Chicago, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—Joe Wilman, Chicago bowling wizard, succeeded Buddy Bonar as the national individual match game champion today.

In the most brilliant performance of his 25-year career, Wilman bested his 15 rivals in the 64-game competition and carried off a \$2,000 check for the trophy.

The final score credited Wilman with 41 victories against 22 defeats and one tie, the top won and lost count, and gave him a total of 13,437 pins, high among the contestants.

Fleet City Wins Football Crown

Los Angeles, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—The Fleet City Navy football team wore the National Service football crown after defeating the El Toro marines 48 to 25 before 60,000 fans at Memorial Coliseum here yesterday.

Stooky Claude (Buddy) Young paced the winners with touchdown dashes of 94, 88 and 20 yards.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LOOP LEADERS IN TIGHT KNOT

(By United Press)
The National hockey league race was in a tight knot today, with only two games separating the first four teams and the last two squads tied for fifth place.

League-leading Montreal fell before Detroit last night, 2 to 1, Chicago tramped Boston, 8 to 3, and New York edged Toronto, 2 to 1. Detroit and Chicago both passed Boston in the standings, and were tied at 17 points, three behind Montreal and one ahead of Boston.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Tuesday with occasional light showers and snow flurries in mountains. Little change in temperature. Cloudy weather with few light showers and snow flurries tonight and Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Gentle variable wind off coast.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature at year ago today: Highest 42; Lowest 24
Total monthly precipitation .82 inches
Excess for the month .61 inches
Total precipitation since September 1, 1945, 7.38 inches
Excess for the season 2.67 inches
Relative humidity at 4:30 p. m. yesterday 91%; 4:30 today 98%
Tomorrow:
Sunrise 7:29 a. m. Sunset 4:40 p. m.
Observations Taken At 4:30 A. M., 120 Meridian Time

City	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	29	20	
Boston	32	40	
Chicago	34	11	T
Denver	27	5	
Eureka	50	44	.12
Havre	15	-13	
Los Angeles	66	39	
Medford	41	36	.16
New York	39	42	
Omaha	29	10	
Phoenix	67	28	
Portland	41	26	.03
Reno	40	23	T
Roseburg	47	42	.14
Salt Lake	31	19	
San Francisco	69	40	
Seattle	45	37	.08
Spokane	32	26	T
Washington, D. C.	32	42	T
Yakima	34	29	

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YOUNG TELLS OF ADVENTURE SINCE LEAVING MEDFORD

Cpl. Douglas Young, stationed with the army in Assam, India, recently wrote to friends in Medford giving an interesting account of his experiences since leaving the city over three years ago. Young was formerly associated with Z. N. Aeger and his brother, Walt Young, in operation of the Medford Stationery store.

Cpl. Young left Medford in the fall of 1942, at which time he purchased a 30-foot auxiliary sailing ketch, and accompanied by a friend, sailed from Newport, Ore., to Seattle. He was met at Seattle by his wife and daughter, Marcia, and later became a member of the coast guard temporary reserve, doing regular patrol on Puget Sound.

To San Francisco
After some time spent working in stationery stores in Seattle and Olympia, and for a time as shipfitter with the Puget Sound Shipbuilders, Cpl. Young accepted a position in San Francisco and received permission from the navy to sail his boat down the coast to San Francisco Bay. Two friends accompanied the corporal on part of the trip, one leaving at Gray's Harbor, Wash., and the other at Newport, where the corporal's brother joined the boat and completed the trip. At San Francisco, Cpl. Young was again met by his family.

Shortly after he was inducted into the army and sent to Assam, India, where he is now stationed. Prior to going to India, his travels included two transcontinental journeys a cross the United States, a voyage around Australia to Calcutta and over the twisting Burma road to Kunming, later going to India where he is now making time awaiting a discharge.

Cpl. Young wrote of his great desire to see the Rogue River valley and his many friends here.

the Mrs. has been a good soldier, too

Yes, the "little woman" has been a good soldier during the war, too. Her lot hasn't been an easy one and a little change, a respite from retreating points and war-worries would do her good. So, next time you come to Seattle bring her along. And let her enjoy herself, too, at The Olympic.

Stop in the floral shop in the lobby and buy her a corsage. Let her browse about the shops, enjoy a show. Take her to dinner in the Georgian Room.

Then, in the evening, take her dancing in the swank Olympic Bowl. She'll get a thrill in an evening spent in this "bit of New York in Seattle" with its sparkling atmosphere and famous-name band. And so will you! It's informal, so no fancy clothes are necessary.

The few dollars it will cost you will be the best investment you ever made. For it is not expensive to "go first class" at The Olympic. Single, or double, it costs little more at The Olympic than the average hotel.

Just let us know reasonably in advance and we'll have the accommodations you want awaiting you. And we'll do everything in our power to make the visit pleasant both for the "little woman" and yourself.

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SCOUTING AWARDS MADE AT ANNUAL COUNCIL BANQUET

Two young men became Eagle Scouts and two Silver Beaver awards were made at the annual banquet of Crater Lake Area council, Boy Scouts of America, held Sunday evening at the Junior high school in Medford. Winning the Eagle badge, highest award of Scouting, were Ted Huber, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Huber, 22 Glen Oak Court, and Duane Ferguson, Jerome Prairie.

Young Huber has been a member of Troop Three, Medford, since becoming a Scout while young Ferguson, formerly of Los Angeles, now belongs to Troop 24. The awards were presented by Don Newbury, Medford, awards chairman.

The Silver Beavers were presented to Mr. Newbury for his work during the past several years as advancement chairman, and to Howard M. Hicks, Yreka, district chairman for the North Siskiyou district. The Beaver awards were made by Larry Schade, president of the council, who praised both men for their work with the council.

Mr. and Mrs. Huber were present for the ceremony and Mrs. Huber received a mother's pin from her son. K. M. C. Neil, Grants Pass, accompanied young Ferguson.

CANUCKS REGAIN LEAD IN COAST HOCKEY RACE

(By United Press)
The Vancouver Canucks regained the lead in Pacific Coast ice hockey league standings last night by defeating the Portland Eagles, 5-4, while the San Diego Skyhawks went back into third place with a 7-1 victory over the Los Angeles Monarchs.

GATES QUILTS NAVY POST

Washington, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—President Truman today accepted the resignation of Undersecretary of Navy Artemus L. Gates, effective Dec. 31.

Monday, Dec. 10, 1945 MEDFORD MAIL-TRIBUNE—THREE

YUGO BACKS SOVIET
London, Dec. 10—(U.P.)—Yugoslavia spoke up strongly today in support of Russian demands for a voice in the settlement of all United Nations trusteeships, including the Pacific Islands which the United States has claimed as essential to its security.

The predominating nationalities in San Francisco, besides American, are Italian, German, Irish, English, Canadian, and Chinese.

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