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## Today's Roundup

By MALCOLM EPLEY

TITLE that was not known here already is given in the Bonneville economic survey of Klamath county, reported in a news story elsewhere in today's paper, but the survey gathers all of this vital information together into concise, graphic form and presents objectively a series of conclusions that are well worthy of the most careful study.

To some observers, the outlook given in this survey may seem to be on the conservative if not the pessimistic side. But that is the safer side, and as presented in this report this outlook offers a challenge to the best minds and the most loyal citizens of the basin community to make the most of the real opportunities here for economic and civic advancement.

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## Buckaroo Days

**BUCKAROO DAYS** rodeo drew an attendance that must have been highly gratifying to the American Legion and the committee in charge. It was comparable to the best of the similar western shows held here, and it proved entertaining and interesting to thousands who were in Klamath Falls for the holiday period.

As a spectator who talked to a good many other spectators, this writer is going to offer a couple of suggestions, which can be taken for what they may be worth.

It is unnecessary to talk of the need for speed and snap in any entertainment program, and we won't dwell long on that. Getting them into a show of this type may be difficult, but it is always a worthy objective.

We believe spectator interest would be whetted by a more complete report to the crowd on the competitive standing of the contestants.

## Telling The Editor

Letters printed here must not be more than 100 words in length, must be written legibly on ONE SIDE of the paper only, and must be signed. Contributions following these rules, are warmly welcomed.

**KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., (To the Editor)**—After reading in Tuesday's paper of "Telling the Editor" of the wrestling bouts, we of Klamath Falls like it.

The armory is packed to capacity, and if the bouts were not good, there would not be such a good crowd. Everyone enjoys them, but as far as the rough and tumbling that isn't enough.

I've been over there ever since the match has started and looked for one of the boys to throw a leg in my lap. The boys can take it and dish it out, too. Of course Jim London isn't dirty, not much. He can put on a good show so why can't these boys?

Mack Lillard, the promoter, lines up good bouts and keep up the good work. Wally Moss gets punched once in awhile. But he can handle those men. And that's the kind of a show we of Klamath Falls like. We pay our good money to see it, and we're 100% Americans. At least when you go to the armory your spirits are different. Everything is forgotten except what is in front of you.

If some folks don't like them, they can stay home and do their kitten fighting. We like them very much. In closing, I hope Mack Lillard and Wally Moss keep up the good work.

I know I am not alone of what the folks think. Good luck to the promoter and referee.

MRS. L. KOHL.

## SERVICE MEN'S HOSPITALITY

**KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (To the Editor)**—Thank you for publishing my letter.

I have been hoping some one else would express their views

## A Gem of Thought From Idella's

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Few people attend all three days of the show, and they would like to know when the fastest time is made in time events or who is competing for the highest honors in the bronc riding, etc., while the show is going on. Football crowds, for instance, are interested in the score, and they even are told the standings in first downs and yardage at intervals in a game. Why not give rodeo crowds a few more statistics?

Lynn Roycroft, local business man who did the announcing, is equal to the best of the professionals we have heard. His humor is good, his voice is good, and he is good. That added statistical and personal information from his microphone would have been most interesting.

The Klamath show, we believe, offers abundant opportunity for pageantry, and there is much in the history of the Klamath country that could be dramatized at this event, making it much more than just another rodeo.

Certainly the horseflesh in view in the arena at the fairgrounds and in the Fourth of July parade left little that could be asked, and it was on the whole a good show with plenty of the proverbial "thrills and spills."

## The War Today

By DEWITT MacKENZIE  
Associated Press War Analyst

**T**HE red avalanche, having torn the Germans loose from the strategic strongholds of Minsk and Polotsk, has continued to roll the nazi line back in what bids fair to be the greatest disaster that yet has overlaken the man who three years ago marched his conquering legions over this old invasion route in his arrogant quest of world domination.

Berlin itself has admitted that the Russian advances have been so rapid that big German units have been left in the rear of the Muscovites. The nazi losses have been colossal—something like a quarter of a million men killed or captured in the past thirteen days. This sacrifice has been imposed by Hitler himself who has ordered his men to fight to the death and, according to captured nazi General Bauerler, has been enforcing this bloody command by exacting reprisals for disobedience.

## German Distress

**W**E have here a picture of German distress which strengthens the belief of observers that the battle of Minsk will prove to be one of the decisive engagements of the entire war. The conservative London Times yesterday in describing the position declared that "part of the eastern front today presents a spectacle that has not been seen in Europe since 1918—that of a broken German army."

This analyst doesn't make it his business to prophesy, but only to indicate trends—possibilities and probabilities. There's the possibility of a German debacle in White Russia. However, the facts don't warrant us in assuming a collapse at the moment. A bit more time will tell whether Prussian military skill will again enable a withdrawal to other defenses.

## Approaching Downfall

**I**N any event, the disaster already visited on the Hitlerites, and the great military advantage gained by the victory in the Minsk sector, rank this as one of the decisive contributions to Hitler's rapidly approaching downfall.

Possession of the ancient citadel of Minsk is permitting the red armies to roll westward towards East Prussia, Warsaw—and Berlin. Polotsk is the open Sesame to Latvia and Lithuania, and the onrushing Muscovites were said to be less than a score of miles from the frontiers of these Baltic states today.

## Phosphorus Bomb Injures Boys

**PORTLAND, July 5 (AP)**—A phosphorus bomb, set off accidentally by Camp Adair soldiers yesterday, severely burned Bruce Howe, 91, and slightly injured four other boys, all newspaper salesmen.

The boys asked soldiers demonstrating at Oregon shipyard for a repeat performance, and two soldiers, without authorization, set off a bomb which proved to be a phosphorus bomb rather than a smoker.

## KILLED

**LONDON, July 5 (AP)**—Flight Lt. P. M. C. Hill, only son of Sir Roderic Hill, chief of air defense for Great Britain, has been killed in action, it was announced today.

## Comparatively Safe Fourth Results in 439 Fatalities

By The Associated Press

America celebrated a comparatively safe Fourth of July with 447 persons meeting death in accidents throughout the country over the long holiday weekend less than half the toll expected by the national council of safety.

But, the fatality record was nearly 150 more than last year when 298 violent deaths were reported over the three-day weekend.

The safety council had estimated 1000 deaths this year from traffic accidents, drownings and miscellaneous causes.

Traffic fatalities again headed the death list, 170 reported in 38 states and the District of Columbia. Last year, 127 persons were killed in highway accidents while in 1941, before travel restrictions, there were 500.

Drownings claimed 140 lives and 129 persons died from miscellaneous causes. There were no fatalities from fireworks reported.

California led the states in the number of deaths, 22 traffic fatalities, nine drownings and six from other causes for a total of 37. The traffic toll was the highest in the nation.

Illinois reported 35 accidental deaths and Pennsylvania had 32.

## SIDE GLANCES



"I guess the soap is all I forgot, Mrs. Jones! Sorry, but you know there's a war on!"

## Yanks Bomb Airfields in Holland, Belgium, France

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

**LONDON, July 5 (AP)**—American Fortresses and Liberators bombed airfields in Holland and Belgium, rocket bomb nests and other targets in the Pas-de-Calais department of France today in swift continuance of devastating attacks by the RAF from the channel coast to the German Ruhr.

Up to 500 U. S. planes, half heavy bombers and half conventional fighters, carried out the forenoon assault in cloudy weather with opposition so scant that all returned. Other fighter formations dive-bombed and strafed a variety of targets at undisclosed points in Europe, again without loss.

British heavy and light bombers struck before dawn at railroads, troop bivouacs and rocket bomb launching platforms, and a synthetic oil plant in the Ruhr.

American Marauders supported British ground troops by bombing two road bridges over the Orne river close to Caen. Both were valuable links for movement of German reserves and materiel into that embattled inland port.

Other Marauder formations bombed fuel and supply dumps in the Senonches forest, 20 miles southwest of Dreux, a rail junction near Laigle, 30 miles west of Dreux, and supply points in the wooded area 25 miles southwest of Dreux. Dreux is two-thirds of the way from Caen to Paris. The Marauders and their Thunderbolt escorts encountered no interceptors, but German flak brought down two of the medium bombers.

During the sweeping overnight operations, which climaxed a July 4 display of aerial might in which nearly 5000 planes ranged over the continent yesterday, RAF Lan-

casters and Halifaxes pounded railway yards at Villeneuve St. Georges on the southeastern outskirts of Paris and at Orleans, 75 miles to the south.

The blows renewed a campaign—recently interrupted by bad weather—to disrupt the movement of enemy supplies and reinforcements to the Normandy battlefield.

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## MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Marine Private First Class Edward R. Hoff, of Sprague River, Ore., who landed with the first leathernecks to invade the Marshall Islands, has been promoted to his present rank. He is a son of Mrs. Pearl E. Rogers, of Sprague River.

PFC Orson M. Stearns of 310 Lewis street, Klamath Falls, has recently been promoted from PFC to the grade of corporal, according to an announcement by the authorities at the army air forces' proving ground command at Eglin Field, Florida.

Corporal Stearns has been in the army since March 11, 1942. He was formerly employed by the Ewauna Box company in Klamath Falls.

The following officer was commissioned June 27, 1944, and awarded the silver wings of a military pilot at graduation exercises at the advanced twin engine flying training school here.

The winning of his commission marks the successful completion of three phases of flying training—primary, basic, and advanced.

Second Lt. James A. Bickers, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bickers, P. O. box 86, and husband of Mrs. Renata D. Bickers, 5327 S. 6th, Klamath Falls.

Lt. Bickers was a student officer while in training here and entered into flying training October 23, 1943.

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## Steel Equipment Limits Train Wreck Casualties

**FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., July 5 (AP)**—All steel streamlined equipment was credited today by railroad officials with limiting casualties when the locomotive and 12 cars of the Santa Fe Chief, high-speed luxury train, hurtled from the tracks.

The fireman and three passengers were killed and more than 30 were injured, three seriously, in the spectacular wreck about midnight Monday 20 miles west of here.

There were 158 passengers on the 14-car all pullman train bound for the west coast. Killed were J. S. McLeod of New York City, identified by Metro Goldwyn Mayer studios in Hollywood as head of all MGM film exchanges in the nation; John H. Edwards, Winslow, Ariz., the fireman; Mrs. Ann Brady, Hammond, Ind., and H. H. Helper, Los Angeles, Calif.

The mountain-type steam locomotive left the tracks as the extra fare streamliner whisked around a curve before a 15-mile straightaway. Two mail cars and a baggage coach catapulted ahead on the left side of the engine.

The first sleeper in the train—fourth car from the locomotive—skidded into the engine tender, causing two of the passenger fa-

## Warren Approves GOP Nominees

**SACRAMENTO, Calif., July 5 (AP)**—Gov. Earl Warren described the Dewey-Bricker republican presidential ticket as a "good combination" upon his return today from Chicago.

The governor, his wife and daughter, Virginia, were greeted at the train by his four other children, his grandson and a crowd of state officials.

Warren, who declined to be a candidate for the vice presidential nomination at the republican national convention, said no plans had been developed on his particular part in the campaign.

"But whatever part they ask me to do, I'll do," he added.

Asked what he thought of the republican chances of victory in November he replied: "They are good if we make the fight that should be made."

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