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Harder Job Ahead.

WITH the impending downfall of Madrid and the virtual domination of much of Spain by the insurgent forces, increasing importance is attached to the debonair figure of General Francisco Franco, who takes his place as the newest of the military dictators of Europe.

Although only 44 years old, Franco is a veteran militarist and an astute leader of men. The manner in which he planned and carried out the present revolution has served as indication of his talent for strategy, his foresight and his executive ability. His life and career have been intimately bound up with the army which he entered as cadet at the age of 14.

The "new Spanish state" does not, and may never, control the territory around Barcelona and some of the most important industrial sections of Spain. Even if Franco should succeed in establishing military control of the sector, it is doubtful whether the strong leftist sentiments of the workers would be easily converted. It is even possible that Spain will eventually break up into two parts, each controlled by governments of opposing faiths.

Aside from the problem he faces in carrying the revolution to successful conclusion, Franco is faced by a huge task in keeping under control the discordant elements in his own faction. His support consists of the military leaders who seek power and position; the wealthy aristocracy whose objective is to keep their huge landed estates, and the fascists who would establish a corporative state. It would appear that General Franco has considerable of a job cut out for himself.

More Cars, Better Roads.

AUTOMOBILE manufacturers are confident that the coming year will be one of the most prosperous in history for the industry. It was recently predicted by one prominent executive that the American public could use 35,000,000 cars before the saturation point is reached. This figure is in comparison to 25,500,000 cars and trucks which were registered at the beginning of 1936.

If the total number of automotive vehicles in the United States does reach the anticipated peak of 35,000,000, it will be necessary to provide more and better roads to meet with the increased traffic burdens. Legislation governing drivers' licenses and operation of vehicles will also have to be enacted and enforced in a judicious manner.

Considerable impetus is also being given the automotive industry from the increasing demand for trailers. It is now estimated that several hundred thousand people are either living part of the year or the entire 12 months in these "homes on wheels." The depression has tended to increase this "nomadic tribe" who journey from section to section, seeking more favorable employment conditions.

Both higher prices and growth in membership contributed to a substantial gain for dairy cooperatives in Oregon during the 1935-36 marketing season, as compared with the year before, it is reported by A. C. Adams, president of the Bank for Cooperatives at Spokane. In the 1935-36 period Oregon associations did a business of approximately $7,200,000 for their 11,000 members, against $6,170,000 the previous year, Mr. Adams points out. The cooperative groups have continued to emphasize high quality products and efficient operations to win their way.

Here Yesterday—L. Rowe, of Elkton, was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

METZGER DRAWS CAR LICENSE 100

E. R. Metzger of Roseburg drew automobile license No. 100 in the drawing held at the office of the secretary of state Friday. The 1937 license plates will be for use on December 15.

S. Llona of Juntura, Malheur county, won automobile license No. 1.

Florence L. Barlow of Boardman will have license No. 2, while No. 3 goes to F. W. Stadter of Portland. Samuel S. Houston of Portland will be able to place No. 1 on his car, while No. 5 goes to F. Kramer of Medford.

Robert Marsden, Jr., of Marshfield, theater operator in the Coos Bay city, drew the unlucky 13 for his car. No. 7 goes to Mabel Elkins of Lebanon, and No. 11 to Henry B. Miller of Grants Pass. W. H. Grebe of Portland will receive No. 10.

The drawings were made by newspaper correspondents at the capitol from all applications received to date.

V. F. W. POST OUT FOR NEW MEMBERS

The first regular meeting since the installation of new officers for 1937 was held Thursday night by Patrick W. Kelley post, Veterans of Foreign Wars. More than 30 members attended the meeting, which was followed by an address by Commander Crockett.

A recruiting campaign for the purpose of doubling the membership of the post will be one of the principal activities during the next twelve months, Commander Crockett announced. Committees were appointed to make a systematic canvass for the purpose of locating every veteran eligible for membership in this overseas organization. Eligibility to the V. F. W. is determined by service overseas recognized by the government campaign medals. This qualification includes men who served overseas in the war with Spain, Philippine insurrection, Chinese Boxer rebellion, World war and Nicaraguan campaigns.

"The advantages of an increased membership for our organization are too obvious to need explanation," Commander Crockett said. "The larger our membership the greater our influence and field of opportunities for unselfish and patriotic service."

Editorials on News

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is fully as savage and ruthless as any Asian fighting that ever occurred. Civilization hasn't softened the horrors of war in any way.

THE NEWS dispatch telling of these calcium bombs adds:

"These bombs were responsible for destruction of a number of famous and beautiful buildings, particularly the palace of the Duke of Alba, perhaps the finest in Spain."

CENTURIES of peaceful effort were required to complete these great buildings and to stock them with art treasures, but they are destroyed in a few hours.

Such is war.

THE DUKES of Alba, and their kind all over Europe, built their great castles and palaces, and stocked them with treasures of every description, out of the sufferings and the privations of common people, whom they oppressed in more ways than there is space to tell here, and the hatreds growing out of this oppression of the commoners by the kings and the nobles and the whole aristocratic crew are fundamentally responsible for the savagery of the warfare now going on in Spain.

The hatreds that grow out of oppression lasting over centuries take a long time to cool.

SEWING CLASSES TO RESUME HERE

Sewing classes under the adult education department are to be resumed next week. The class in tailoring will meet Monday from 2 to 5 p. m. and Thursday from 7 to 10 p. m. The class in rugs and stitching will meet Monday, 2 to 5, and Tuesday from 7 to 10 p. m. The dressmaking class will meet Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 2 to 5. Mrs. Luella Rice is the instructor.

DEGREE WORK SET FOR GRANGE MEET

Melrose grange will present work in the first and second degrees at the regular meeting to be held at the grange hall tonight. Candidates from Sutherlin and Looking Glass granges are to be given the obligations of the order.

TRAFFIC SPEEDER PAYS FINE OF $10

A fine of $10 was paid in the city court here today by Leo O. Thompson of Yoncalla, arrested by city officers last night on a charge of motor vehicle speeding. He entered a plea of guilty upon arraignment before City Recorder A. J. Geddes.

KRNR PROGRAM
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REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:15—Highlights on the Day's News.
4:30—Popular Dance Time.
4:45—Sign Off.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21
Morning Hours
8:30—Sacred Selections.
9:00—Program Dedicated to Veterans Facility.
9:30—Arkansas Log Rollers.
10:00—Sunday Request Program.
10:30—Sunday Concert, Pearl Rose Robinson.
11:00—Baptist Church Services.
Afternoon Hours
12:00—Jesse Crawford at the Organ.
1:00—Douglas County Creamery Presents Max Dolan and His Salon Orchestra.
1:15—C. B. Hays Devotional Program.
1:30—Music Appreciation Hour.
2:00—Hansen Motor Co. Variety Program.
2:15—Ruth Hoover at the Piano.
2:30—Spanish Rhythm.
2:45—Johnny Johnson and His Orchestra.
3:00—Gwen Rose Zenor.
3:15—Charles Vagaland's Orchestra.
4:00—The Angelus Hour.
4:30—Clark Wilson's United Artists.
4:45—Sign Off.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23
Morning Hours
6:15—Early Birds.
7:00—Alarm Clock Club.
7:15—Hansen Motor Co. Variety Program.
7:30—Alarm Clock Club, Cont'd.
7:45—News-Review News Broadcast.
8:00—Good Morning, J. M. Judd.
8:15—Hawaiian Melodies.
8:30—Sacred Selections.
8:45—Songs Seldom Heard.
9:00—Jesse Crawford at the Organ.
9:30—Manhattan Concert Band.
9:45—John McCormack.
10:00—Famous Music.
10:30—Belle and Martha, Copco.
10:45—Women's Exchange.
11:00—Your Highroad to Health.
11:15—Modern Melodies.
Afternoon Hours
12:00—Time Signal, Knudtson's.
12:00—Johnny Johnson and His Orchestra.
12:30—Five Spades.
12:45—News-Review News Broadcast.
1:00—Myrtle Creek Community Program.
1:30—Dorano Ensemble.
1:45—Evening Airs.
2:00—Popular Band Selections.
2:30—Richard Crooks.
2:50—News-Review News Broadcast.
3:00—Roseburg Book Store Presents World Cook Man.
3:05—Memories Lane.
3:30—Children's Request Program.
3:45—Jack Demarchant.
4:00—News-Review News Broadcast.
4:15—The Grab Bag Program.
4:45—Sign Off.

LOST

Large fox terrier, white with black spots. Near Winston. Answers to name of "Cocky." Reward. Phone 21F4.—Adv.

The Old Girls Are Having a Time!

THE BIG FOUR

A Mystery-Romance by Agatha Christie

CHAPTER XXXVI

"And in what way will your laying down your life benefit the world?" Ryland sardonically asked Achille.

"I see that you do not perceive the true inwardness of Hercule's plan. To begin with, your place of retreat was known some months ago, and practically all the visitors, hotel assistants and others are detectives or secret service men. A cordon has been drawn round the mountain. You may have more than one means of egress, but even so you cannot escape. Poirot himself is directing the operations outside. My boots were smeared with a pungent ointment to-night, before I came down to the terrace in my brother's place. Hounds are following the trail. It will lead them infallibly to the rock in the Feisenjungfrunth where the entrance is situated. You see, do what you will to us, the net is drawn tightly round you. You cannot escape."

Madame Olivier laughed suddenly.

"You are wrong. There is one way we can escape, and, like Samson of old, destroy our enemies at the same time. What do you say, my friends?"

Ryland was staring at Achille Poirot.

"Suppose he's lying," he said hoarsely.

The other shrugged his shoulders.

"In an hour it will be dawn. Then you can see for yourself the truth of my words. Already they should have traced me to the entrance in the Feisenjungfrunth."

Even as he spoke, there was a far off reverberation, and a man ran in shouting incoherently. Ryland sprang up and went out. Madame Olivier moved to the end of the room and opened a door that I had not noticed. Inside I caught a glimpse of a perfectly equipped laboratory which reminded me of the one in Paris. Number Four also sprang up and went out. He returned with Poirot's revolver which he gave to the countess.

"There is no danger of their escaping," he said grimly. "But still you had better have this."

Then he went out again.

The countess came over to us and surveyed my companion attentively for some time. Suddenly she laughed.

"You are very clever, M. Achille Poirot," she said mockingly.

"Madame, let us talk business. It is fortunate that they have left us alone together. What is your price?"

"I do not understand. What price?"

"Madame, you can aid us to escape. You know the secret ways out of this retreat. I ask you, what is your price?"

She laughed again.

"More than you could pay, little man! Why, all the money in the world would not buy me!"

"Madame, I did not speak of money. I am a man of intelligence. Nevertheless, this is a true fact—every one has his price! In exchange for life and liberty, I offer you your heart's desire."