

U. S. Army Will be At Peak in 1942

Nation Trying to Achieve in 2 Years What Nazis Did in 7. War Dept. Aide Announces.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The describing America's armament program as "pioneering for our national security," Assistant Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson today envisioned "by March of 1942" an army fit to meet any challenge.

In an address prepared for the annual N. Y. Herald Tribune American forum, Patterson described national defense as "the paramount issue in American life today."

"Everything else must be subordinated to it," he said. "There can be no exception. We must put aside individual and group objectives and think and act in terms of national safety."

"I am not rattling the sabre," he continued. "It is not a question of going to war—war may come to us."

Unprepared Now.

Although he conceded that "we are not in shape today to defend ourselves on land," by next September "we shall be ready to maintain in the field a basic force equipped with the finest armament the world can produce, a force trained to the limit."

He explained, "we are trying to do in two years what Germany did in seven," then said that "three-fifths of our army contracts have been let," "the war department has been issuing letters of intent to manufacturers, guarantees of protection against losses incurred in the tooling up process. Huge contracts involving increased facilities have in most instances been recorded by those letters of intent so that once the contracts were awarded the plants have been able to move toward production with a minimum of delay."

"The war department knows what time means," he concluded, "we know that time is the one immediate enemy and the conquest of it is the one immediate objective. For the struggle with that foe, the war department will put forth unremitting effort."

U. S. SAFETY RESTING ON ARMS SPEED, BULLIT SAYS

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—(AP)—The nation's security, says Ambassador William C. Bullitt, depends on its remaining at a wartime pace and on the ability of Britain and China to hold off their foes until the United States is prepared.

The ambassador to France, speaking last night to the Chicago council on foreign relations in a broadcast address, termed the German-Japanese-Italian pact a "clear warning" of a contemplated "future assault" on the United States.

"Faced by this threat," he said, "our most urgent task is the obvious one of increasing our own armed forces."

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Incompetence In Surgery Scored

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE (Associated Press Science Editor) CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—

A charge that hundreds of unnecessary surgical operations are performed daily in this country was made to the American College of Surgeons hospital standardization conference today by Dr. Harold L. Foss, surgeon-in-chief of the Geisinger Memorial hospital, Danville, Penn. He said that the public is becoming aware of the condition and that state or federal governments may have to step in. The trouble, he said, applies mostly to small, unregulated hospitals.

He charged that for every well trained surgeon there are probably 20 who do the incompetent work. "In many hospitals," he said in a prepared address, "countless major operations are being attempted by men thoroughly unskipped by training and experience to assume the responsibility of handling any but the simplest surgical problems. We all know this but have been loath to talk about it."

"The situation is a delicate one in many of the phases and the problem is most difficult, yet so grave and so seriously important is it that it is coming with increasing force to the attention of the public. If it is not, in due course, solved by those in whose hands the matter should chiefly rest, the surgeons themselves, then it may become the problem of the public or possibly of the state or federal governments."

Around the County

Glendale

Mrs. Francis Nelson and Mrs. C. L. Normoyle were visitors in Roseburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bernskey of Drain and former Glendale residents visited here Sunday with Mrs. Emma Wilson.

The meeting held in Roseburg to instruct the registrars for the registration on October 16th was attended by Mrs. E. J. McMullen, Mrs. Clara Austin, Mrs. Gertrude Lyall and Mrs. Jess Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bartle left Tuesday for Portland where Mr. Bartle may undergo another operation on his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wardrip are spending a few days here visiting friends and Mrs. Wardrip's mother, Mrs. Hazen. The Wardripes, former Glendale residents, now make their home in Corvallis.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Knott, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kreig of Independence, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harvey are fishing and enjoying a vacation on Rogue river.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bartle visited Mrs. Bartle's parents for a few days in Medford.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mrs. A. J. Raess, and Mrs. Margaret Stevenson spent Tuesday afternoon in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Normoyle have returned from a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. Esther Miller, Mrs. Clifford Miller and Dwane visited in Grants Pass Monday.

Roy Cunningham and Luella Cunningham were Grants Pass visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Olders and Mrs. Geo. Rudolph were Grants Pass callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ratcliff of Tacoma, Wash., were over night visitors at the Bud Belcher home. They have been making an extensive trip and were accompanied here by Mrs. Vera Broadshaw of San Diego. Mr. Ratcliff and Mrs. Broadshaw are cousins of Bud Belcher.

Mrs. Frank Woodley and her mother, Mrs. John Turk were business visitors in Grants Pass Monday.

Yoncalla

YONCALLA, Oct. 22.—The crew of the Biceflow mill all went to Oakland Saturday afternoon where a private funeral service was held for Dick Welding, who was instantly killed at the Biceflow mill Thursday night. The body was shipped to Sebrass Saturday night accompanied by a brother, Lawrence Welding, who works in Crowell.

Dr. McKaig reports the arrival of a nine pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker Thursday, Oct. 17. Mrs. Walker will be remembered as Miss Evelyn McCoy.

Members of the Yoncalla Y. G. A. accompanied by Jack Wilson, attended a meeting at Melrose held recently, at which time Miss Norma Hitchcock was elected secretary and Glenn Phillips, steward. Those attending from here were Erma Glenn, Wayne Phillips, Norma Hitchcock, Quentin Richard, Pearl Jobe, Layon Morin, Jim Robinson, Shirley and Twilla Schosso and Paul Haffig.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard and two children, Earline and Earl, of

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especially on air force," he said. "If you have enough airplanes you do not need to take an airplane to Munich and you do not have to suffer the bombing of your people into slavery."

All phases of the defense program should be pushed at "war

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U. of O. Board Again to Sponsor Artists Series

The University of Oregon educational activities board has announced sponsorship again this year of the Greater Artists series. Portland is the only other Oregon city in which the artists will appear.

Features to be presented this season include Paul Robeson, baritone, Nov. 7; Cornelia Skinner, pianist, Nov. 15; Don Cosulich, Jan. 14; Gladys Swarthout, opera, radio and screen star, Feb. 11; Alec Templeton, blind pianist, April 15.

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Eddyville, arrived here this week for a three months' visit.

Mr. Howard, who has charge of the section at Eddyville has taken a three months' leave on account of ill health.

Mrs. Allen left Thursday for Dallas, Ore., where she will visit her son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wertz spent the week-end visiting at the Dare Kingery home. Mrs. Wertz is from Bend, Ore., and Mr. Wertz from Toledo.

Mrs. D. J. Rogers left Sunday for Salem, where she will visit her daughter for a week and have some dental work done.

Dare Kingery, Elbert Kingery and Glen Cox are enjoying a few days mule deer hunting in Klamath county.

Albert Cockeran, Kenneth Mulkey, Ralph Cockeran and Ward Cockeran left Sunday for eastern Oregon, mule deer hunting.

Miss Lucille Long of Corvallis spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cody Long.

Mrs. Joy Inlah and son, Billy, of McMinnville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts of Culp creek spent the week-end visiting at the B. F. Roberts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cozcart and daughter of Seattle, Wash., visited at the Harold Turpin home in Scotts valley last week. Mr. Cozcart and Mr. Turpin both play with the Seattle baseball club.

Miss Ruth Gorman, who has run a beauty parlor in Yoncalla all summer left Saturday for Portland where she will make her home.

Eighty-eight young men, restricted Wednesday, conscription day, at the Yoncalla polls.

Mrs. Martin Shields will entertain the members of the Yoncalla Townsend club at her home, at their next meeting, Tuesday, Nov. 5.

Elkhead grange will hold a "hobo" party at their hall, Thursday, Oct. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. William Castor spent the week-end visiting relatives in Portland.

Luther Daugherty, John Gelder, Cassius Ryehard, Gairie Upshaw and his brother returned home Friday from a successful duck hunting trip to Klamath county.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson are driving a new 1941 Plymouth coupe.

Cars of Stewart Mathis and Victor Hooper collided Sunday morning, badly wrecking the Mathis car, breaking the windshield, bumper and spring and axle of the Hooper car. Jim Towner, who was riding with Mr. Hooper, was badly cut on his face, his head going through the windshield.

Illegal Smoke Eater

DES MOINES, Ia.—All these years Des Moines firemen have been spending too many false pretenses.

Thumbing through some old ordinances, a member of the city legal staff discovered that an 1881 ordinance creating the fire department

never had been signed by the mayor. An up-to-date fire ordinance has been started on its way to passage.

Visit at Shields Home—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Starmer have returned to Eugene following a few days in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shields.

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