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A Job of Life-Saving

ONLY a few weeks ago aircraft warning service observers manning a lookout station near Seaside, Oregon, were watching an army bomber about five miles at sea. The routine report went through to the filter center. Suddenly an observer saw a puff of black smoke behind the plane and a moment later came the sound of a sputtering motor. Attention focused on the plane and it was observed that one engine was not operating while the other was missing badly. Then the ship began to nose down sharply and the observers heard the dying cough of the laboring motor as it quit entirely. One after another two objects fell from the plane, then their descent was checked as parachutes blossomed above them and it was realized that the crew had left the plane. Slowly the huge ship began to spin, its wings flashing sunlight into the eyes of the watchers before it disappeared with a great splash into the sea.

Practically an observer sent through the "Army Flash" by telephone to his filter center. Within seconds a navy amphibian was on the way to the scene and succeeded in picking up one swimming crewman, while the pilot of the ship, a strong swimmer, reached land without aid.

At Coalinga, California, recently a lost pilot, circling the town, was detected by the observation post. The nearest air base was notified, and, as a result of the prompt action, the plane was landed safely.

Contrast these two events with the disappearance Nov. 29, 1940, of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walbert, prominent Medford residents, who left their home in their private plane to fly to Portland. To this day the whereabouts of their crash remains a mystery.

Perhaps you have noticed the fact that planes lost in the area in which the aircraft warning service operates have been located within a few hours after their disappearance. Much of the credit for this achievement belongs to the men and women who are doing valiant service in manning strategic observation stations 24 hours a day.

When an army plane is reported missing it is an easy task, in most cases, to trace it to within a few miles of the place where it crashed or was forced down. Civilian, working with and for the army, have reported its progress from the time it left its base to the point of its descent. Thus a search can be concentrated in a definite area, as compared with the hunt for the Medford couple which was spread over almost the entire western half of Oregon.

The duties of the aircraft warning service observer are monotonous and frequently difficult. It may often seem useless to devote so much time and to make so many sacrifices, searching the skies for enemy planes which may never appear but the aircraft warning service is also saving the lives of our own fliers. Who knows but that the next report from an observation station here in Douglas county will be the one to result in saving the life of an American flier?

The men and women who are engaged in this service are playing a most important part in the defense of this Pacific coast area. Not only are they alert for the possible approach of the enemy, but they are helping to protect our own men. They merit the respect, praise and gratitude of all of us in whose behalf they serve.

Beta Sigma teachers' honorary at Southern Oregon College of Education, January 21. Membership in this honorary is based on character and scholastic standing, and only students registered in teacher education are eligible.

Editorials on News

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this narrow strip of solid ground. Instead of tackling this strong position head on one of the most difficult and costly of all military operations, Montgomery evidently decided to OUTFLANK it and swung around to the east through the desert to Beni Uld. With his rear thus threatened, Rommel had to pull out of the narrow and well-protected defile.

The heavier arrow shows the route of Montgomery's flanking column. He splits his forces and a lighter column followed Rommel through the defile. The route of this column is shown by the lighter arrow.

TODAY'S dispatches suggest that the two British columns may join for an attack on Tripoli, or the east column may attack Tripoli while the inland column passes the city and races on to get in Rommel's rear.

At any rate, it seems clear that Rommel's army is badly broken and unable to make a stand against Montgomery. He hopes now to join the axis forces in Tunisia, and our side is bent on preventing the junction.

All this, of course, is guesswork, but it seems a fair guess.

BREAKING the siege of Leningrad has brought a great lift in the Russian spirit. From one end of the country to the other there is rejoicing. Workers in the war factories shout and hug each other as loud speakers blare out the thrilling news.

THE battle at Leningrad was a real military accomplishment. In taking Schlüsselburg the Russians silenced 172 German batteries and demolished 470 German strong points.

Their artillery pounded the east bank of the Neva, shattering the German defenses, and then Russian soldiers rushed across the ice, backed by artillery and tanks.

AN interesting note is sounded from Sweden.

The Swedish prime minister warns his countrymen of the grave possibility of an ATTACK, by whom not specifically stated, but he speaks of the likelihood of a blitz, probably from the air, leaving little doubt that he has Germany in mind.

He says: "Beyond any possibility of doubt, we will defend ourselves."

SWEDEN'S iron is immensely valuable to Germany, and Hitler can't afford to lose it. If he should strike at Sweden, his excuse would be that he is beating our side to the punch.

In the fortress Europe he is planning, Sweden is practically ESSENTIAL to him.

In the South seas, the Buna Japs are being annihilated. Samanada point and Samanada village are taken, and the little yellow men have been broken into three pockets. Unless relief is brought to them spectacularly, they are doomed.

Dr. George Melvin Added To Rotary Club Roster

Dr. George Melvin, manager of the veterans facility here, was introduced as a new member of the Roseburg Rotary club at the regular weekly meeting held Thursday. Dr. Melvin was a member of the Rotary club for many years prior to coming to Roseburg to succeed the late Col. E. F. Lundy.

Announcement was made that the annual district Rotary conference is to be held in Vancouver, Wash., instead of in Portland, as originally planned.

Vernon M. Orr was awarded the war savings stamp prize.

The principal part of the club program was devoted to a round table discussion of the Rotary system of classification of memberships.

Methodist Supt. Dated At Wilbur and Sutherlin

Dr. Silas E. Fairham, superintendent of the Cascade district of the Methodist church, will speak Sunday at the Methodist churches in Wilbur and Sutherlin. It was announced today by the Rev. J. H. Needham, pastor, Dr. Fairham will be at the Wilbur church at 10 a. m. and will speak at Sutherlin at 11:15 a. m. and again at 7:30 p. m. He was for three years a stretcher bearer with Canadian forces in the first world war and will speak on the topic, "A Known Soldier Speaks Again." He also will show pictures concerning the last war.

Concerning the NORTHWEST As Viewed at the National Capital

By John W. Kelly

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Back of the nomination of Wiley B. Rutledge to the vacancy on the supreme court to fill the chair left vacant by Jimmy Byrnes, is an intriguing story which lawyers, newspapermen and organized labor are whispering. Judge Rutledge came to the attention of the administration when the president was attempting to pack the supreme court.

Judge Rutledge wrote a thesis favoring enlargement of the court, and eventually was appointed to the U. S. court of appeals for the District of Columbia.

Thurman Arnold, in charge of the anti-trust division of the department of justice, has been getting out of hand. He has been threatening to go after unions for alleged violations of the Sherman anti-trust act and labor leaders have been insisting that he be discharged. No one in this administration is ever tired; they are kicked upstairs.

Mr. Arnold had become the problem child. If he was dismissed the administration would be accused of favoring trusts. If he remained in office he would be stirring up more trouble, and among administration friends. Something had to be done. "They" looked around, and the only suitable spot to dispose of Arnold was on the U. S. court of appeals for the District of Columbia. To cause a vacancy and enable Arnold to be settled on that bench it was necessary to elevate Rutledge. There is the story.

Two-Way Injury

It is all very shush-shush, but taxpayers of the Pacific north-west are paying for the preparation and operation of a small fleet of steamers which will return from South America with special cargo that will be in direct competition with an article grown in Oregon and Washington. The chief beneficiaries will be growers in South America and an importer in New York City.

Expectation is to buy the good will of a Latin-American country which is wavering.

Aid Truth to Be Told

Between now and June when the lend lease act expires, the senate committee on foreign relations will know a few things, such as how much war material has been shipped to the allies and how much of it arrived safely. This will give the first idea to the public of what quantities of tanks, planes and food have been sent to the bottom of the ocean. It is known that German submarines and bomber planes have worked havoc in the Atlantic sea. The committee has heard, and read in reputable periodicals, that cost of food is lower in England than in the United States; that butter, cheese, lard, eggs and bacon are higher in this country than in England by 4 to 25 cents.

There is an understanding that the English government is paying a subsidy to keep prices within reason; but when OPA suggested a subsidy to maintain ceilings in this country it was opposed with vigor.

Halsey's Talk Deplorable

When Admiral W. F. Halsey declared the war will be over in 1943 he set high officials agog, for as much as they would welcome peace they recognized Halsey's declaration as dynamite. Immediately Admiral H. R. Stark, in command of the Atlantic fleet, gave an interview predicting that this would be "a long and tough war." He cited, as a single example, that Nazi submarines are being built faster than the United Nations can destroy them, and that the subs are nip and tuck with the shipyards in trying to weld more freighters than the Nazis send to the bottom. Admiral Stark is not optimistic.

Principal concern of the high command is that the people, believing in Admiral Halsey (he is operating in the Pacific) will lose interest in the war, will slacken their efforts, will object to heavy taxes, etc. Admiral Halsey is still tating the Japanese as the navy did before Pearl harbor, as inferior fighters with inferior equipment. The admiral appears to be the only top-flight official who clings to that delusion after 13 months of combat with the Japanese. To attack the backs of the people Stark and other spokesmen have been throwing cold water on the rosy forecasts of Halsey. No one is changing his reputation by guessing on the end of the war.

Draft Revision Sought

Offered for the consideration of congress is a bill that would revise the present draft law. It proposes that selectives be based on a state-wide system rather than being left to local boards. The measure would limit the induction of married men while a single man on the other side of the street but registered with another draft board is not disturbed. One point in particular is stressed—that no married man be drafted until every eligible single man has been taken. This bill was sponsored by the House last session

but rejected by the senate; that was before the teenagers were made subject to the draft.

Local News

Glide Visitor Here — Mrs. Earl Oden, of Glide, stopped and visited here Thursday.

Here on Business — T. N. Gurney, of Peed, spent yesterday in this city attending to business.

Ofalla Visitor Here — H. Z. Ireland, of Ofalla, spent a few hours here yesterday on business.

Here From Azalea — F. A. Farnam, of Azalea, was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

Mr. Cellers Here — E. N. Cellers, of Drain, spent a short time here yesterday attending to business.

Mr. Henry Here — W. D. Henry, of Umpqua, spent Thursday in Roseburg attending to business.

Women's League

Team	W	L
Deer Creek Dairy	4	2
G. W. Young & Son	4	2
Rainbow Grill	3	4
Sandy's Place	2	4
Games Last Night		
Deer Creek Dairy 2, G. W. Young & Son 1, Rainbow Grill 2, Sandy's Place 1.		
High individual game score: B. Elliott, 182.		
High individual series score: V. Blessing, 467.		
Averages, Big Ten: N. DeGroot 153, B. Elliott 141, V. Blessing 149, M. Black 140, A. McKibben 139, V. Whitlatch 138, C. Cloake 136, K. Ledebach 135, L. Pounds 131, E. Forcier 131.		
G. W. Young & Son:		
Handicap	37	37
C. Cloake	115	140
N. DeGroot	145	145
V. Blessing	147	154
Absentee	126	96
Totals	679	548
Deer Creek Dairy:		
Handicap	73	73
R. Ledebach	123	93
B. Fisher	139	137
L. Pounds	131	124
V. Blessing	180	147
Totals	649	574
Rainbow Grill:		
Handicap	81	84
A. McKibben	169	157
V. DeGroot	82	112
B. Porter	98	100
B. Elliott	102	137
Totals	535	598
Sandy's Place:		
Handicap	90	90
G. Sanders	102	132
G. Ercanlian	94	112
M. Kinstaffner	109	95
V. Whitlatch	114	151
Totals	509	580

Volleyball, Basketball Entertain Glendale Fans

GLENDALE, Ore., Jan. 22.—After the high school girls, in their flashy red shorts and white blouses, symbolizing Glendale high, won 45 to 12 over the women's team in a volleyball game, the boys of the sophomore class engaged in an exciting and thrilling basketball game against a team made up of freshmen, juniors and seniors Friday night and won 36 to 42. After the game the Greenies club served sandwiches and hot cocoa to both teams, managers and other members of the club.

To serve others as we would be served.

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BEST BETS TONIGHT

FRIDAY
6:30—Treasury Star Parade
8:00—Salute to the States.
9:30—John B. Hughes.
SATURDAY
8:30—U. S. Army Band.
10:35—Macalester College Choir.
1:00—Halls of Montezuma.
2:00—Navy Bulletin Board, with Glen Grey.
3:30—Hawaii Calls.
5:00—American Eagle Club.
5:30—Norman Nesbitt.
8:00—This is the Hour.
9:00—Newspaper of the Air.
SUNDAY
9:30—The Chaplain Speaks.
12:00—This is Fort Dix.
12:30—The Cisco Kid.
3:00—Campana's First Nighter.
5:00—American Forum of the Air.
7:15—Rabbi Magnin.
8:30—Wings Over the West Coast.
10:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour.

(REMAINING HOURS TODAY)

4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Johnson Family.
4:30—P. T. A.
4:45—Black and White.
5:00—Office of War Information.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's Pop. Studebaker.
5:30—Portia Faces Life.
6:00—Dinner Concert.
6:30—Treasury Star Parade featuring a discussion of Mein Kampf.
6:50—Copco News.
7:00—John B. Hughes.
7:15—Art Kassel's Orchestra.
7:30—Lone Ranger.
8:00—Salute to the States.
8:30—Music Without Words.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Hi Neighbor, McKean & Carstens.
9:30—John B. Hughes.
9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:00—News Bulletins.
10:02—Sign Off.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23

6:45—Eye opener.
7:00—News.
7:15—Morning Melodies.
7:30—State and Local News Boring Optical.
7:40—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest.
8:30—U. S. Army Band.
9:00—Man About Town.
9:10—Pipe Organ Melodies.
9:20—Here's Music.
9:45—Henry Jerome's Orchestra.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Office of War Information.
10:30—News Bulletins.
10:35—Macalester College Choir.
11:00—Lani McIntyre's Orchestra.
11:30—George Duffy's Orchestra.
12:00—Interlude.
12:05—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer Co.
12:15—Rhythmic at Random.
12:45—State News, Hansen Motors.
12:50—News Review of the Air.
1:00—Halls of Montezuma.
1:30—New Orleans Races.
1:45—Canadian Women in the War Effort.
2:00—Navy Bulletin Board.
3:00—I Hear America Singing.
3:15—Bowling Series.
3:30—Hawaii Calls.
4:00—Arthur Mann from Algeria.
4:05—Carlos Mojino's Orchestra.
4:30—Confidentially Yours.
4:45—Gideon Society Program.
5:00—American Eagle Club.
5:30—Norman Nesbitt, Studebaker.
5:45—They're the Barrys.
6:00—Dinner Concert.
6:30—Copco News.
7:00—John B. Hughes, Anacis.
7:15—Saturday Night Bond wagon.
7:45—Ina Ray Hutton's Orchestra.

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8:00—This Is The Hour.
8:30—Johnny Messner's Orchestra.
8:45—Dick Kuhn's Orchestra.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Horace Heidt's Orchestra.
9:30—Noble Sissel's Orchestra.
10:00—News Bulletins.
10:02—Sign Off.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24

8:00—Wesley Radio League.
8:30—Mutual's Radio Chapel.
9:00—Detroit Bible Class.
9:30—The Chaplain Speaks, Rev. Perry Smith.
9:45—Songs for Sunday.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Romance of the Highways, Greyhound Bus Lines.
10:30—Canary Chorus.
11:00—Baptist Church Services.
12:00—This Is Fort Dix.
12:30—The Cisco Kid.
1:00—The Lutheran Hour.
1:30—Young People's Church of the Air.
2:00—Augustana College Choir.
2:15—Treasury Star Parade featuring Irene Wicker in "Children, Tomorrow is Yours."
2:30—The Shadow.
3:00—Campana's First Nighter.
3:30—Anchors Aweigh.
4:00—Nobody's Children.
4:30—The Angelus Hour, Douglas Funeral Home.
5:00—American Forum of the Air.
5:45—Evening Melodies.
6:00—The Old Fashioned Revival Hour.
7:00—John B. Hughes.
7:15—Rabbi Magnin.
7:30—This Is Our Enemy.
8:00—Hancock Ensemble.
8:30—Wings Over the West Coast.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Voice of Prophecy.
9:45—Dr. Polyzoides.
10:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour.
11:00—Sign Off.

Hours of Shows Changed On Schedule of KRRR

Several of the most popular radio shows on KRRR have been scheduled for a new hour, Marshall Pengra, manager, reports. "Halls of Montezuma", the marine corps' show, formerly heard at 8:00 o'clock on Saturday evening, will now be presented at 1:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon. "This is the Hour" has been moved from 5:30 to 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening. That gay caballero, "The Cisco Kid", will air his adventures at 12:30 on Sunday afternoon, instead of on the former 5:30 Friday afternoon date.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

NOTICE HEREBY IS GIVEN That Saturday, February 20, 1943, at ten o'clock a. m. in the county court room in the court house in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to the final account of the undersigned in settlement of the estate of Mosman D. Garrison, deceased.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1943.

PAUL E. GEDDES,
Administrator of the Estate of Mosman D. Garrison, Deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the estate of John N. Hedden, deceased, has filed her final account in the county court of the state of Oregon for Douglas county, and said court has appointed Tuesday, February 9, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day in the county court room in the

court house in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections, if any, to said account and the settlement thereof. All persons interested in said estate are notified to file their objections, if any, to said account at or before the time appointed for hearing.

Dated January 8, 1943.
EMMA HEDDEN,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of John N. Hedden, deceased.

NOTICE OF CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the county court of the state of Oregon for Douglas county appointed executrix of the estate of Benjamin L. Eddy, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same, verified as required by law, to the undersigned at her residence, 721 South Main street, in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated January 8, 1943.
LAURA A. EDDY,
Executrix of the estate of Benjamin L. Eddy, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the final account of Ray E. Allen, administrator of the estate of J. A. Crawford, deceased, has been filed in the county court of the state of Oregon for Douglas county, and Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. in the county court room in the court house in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said final account and for the settlement thereof.

RAY E. ALLEN,
Administrator of the estate of J. A. Crawford, deceased.

NOTICE OF CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of Miles B. Green, deceased, now pending in the county court of Douglas county, Oregon, are hereby notified to present the same, verified as required by law, to the undersigned at her residence near Roseburg or at the offices of Rice & Orcutt in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, within six months from the 15th day of January, 1943.

ZELLA MAY GREEN,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Miles B. Green, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of Ruth M. Blair, deceased, now pending in the county court of Douglas county, Oregon, are hereby notified to present the same, verified as required by law, to the undersigned at his residence at Dillard, Douglas county, Oregon, within six months from the 15th day of January, 1943.

W. H. BLAIR,
Administrator of the Estate of Ruth M. Blair, deceased.

TODAY AND SATURDAY

Sound us more Japs!
Hell broke loose...
but they fought on!

WAKE ISLAND

BRIAN DONOVAN - ROBERT PRESTON
McDONALD CARY - WILLIAM BRENNE
Albert HERBER - Walter ABEL

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"Judge, I didn't realize till the other night when I ran across an article in the paper what a waste of a lot of industrial alcohol the government needs for the war."

"I should say it does, Chet. I understand the beverage distillers around the country are producing about 240,000,000 gallons of industrial alcohol this year for ammunition, tires, and other things. I'd say it's mighty fortunate these distilleries are available to do the job. Otherwise, if we still had prohibition, the government would have had to spend millions of dollars and use up a lot of critical materials to build plants...to say nothing of all the time it would take. It might have been just another case of 'too little, too late!'"