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RECRUITING FACTORS

EDITORIAL

By Charles V. Stanton

RECENTLY we placed before News-Review readers the question of why recruiting in the women's auxiliaries to the military services is lagging behind expectations. Answers to the questions boil down to three principal factors. First in importance is the eligibility age. If the age requirement were dropped from 20 to 18 years, it is apparent there would be a much greater response. Parental restraint is another issue. An arrangement whereby women married to service men could secure furloughs simultaneously with their husbands, or could be assured of discharges in time to be at home when their men return would also increase the number of volunteers.

We appreciate the letters written on this question, particularly by girls of eligible age and those who are ineligible because the age limit is too high. In nearly every case the writers have agreed with the correspondent quoted previously, who called attention to the women's earlier maturity and the fact that to correspond on maturity basis with draft age for men, women could be accepted at 16 years.

Some girls who would like to volunteer have been discouraged by parents. A good many boys in the 18-21 age group would not be in military service today had it not been for selective service, as consent of parents would not have been available. Parental restraint is more effective with girls than with boys.

"The reasons of some mothers to doubt the ability of their daughters is understandable," one writer comments. "Mary and Alice and Jane have been lifted, laid and toted until they are almost helpless. They have been handed so many material things and luxuries that mothers fear their daughters will be miserably unhappy should they be called upon to sacrifice a luxury or two—even though their service might mean the saving of lives."

"Had my mother once said to me, 'Darling, that's a grand thing to want to do but I'm afraid you can't, it's hard work you know,' that challenge would be enough. I'd do it or die in the attempt."

"My sincere prayer is that the young women will accept the challenge—leave the counters and offices to older women and 4-Fers."

Another suggestion is that the rate of recruiting would be speeded if the recruiting officers would only tell the gals they can get rayon and nylon stockings from the ship's store.

We read where chemists have discovered a new type of insect repellent which is keeping our soldiers free from lice and other insects. We know now why our present-day army is so much more efficient than in the last war. The modern Yank can expend all of his energy fighting the Germans and the Japs instead of tiring himself out scratching cooties.

News of 4-H CLUBS

County Club Agent E. A. Britton reports that there are already enrolled, 66 4-H clubs in Douglas county which will carry on projects throughout the years 1943 and 1944. These are listed as follows: Health clubs 28, marketing 7, woodworking 3, livestock 4, hobby 5, clothing 10, cookery 8 and forestry 1. Besides these clubs organized a large number of individuals are also enrolled.

Mr. Britton states that plans are being made for the judging of home economics projects early in May. Therefore, he urges that clubs be organized just as early as possible.

The Fair Oaks school has a health club of 6 members this year. This is led by Mrs. C. A. Campbell. Of this group, Avann Weber was elected president, Delbert Gurney vice-president, and Robert Parazzo, secretary.

A large clothing club of 22 members has been enrolled from the Oakland school. Mrs. Thelma Broszko will direct its activities. Two girls, Genevieve McTuell and Betty Hill, are carrying the third division but the others who have not had as much experience, will carry the Division I and II. Members of the club are Barbara Bullock president, Frances Callahan vice-president, Margie Hathaway secretary, Genevieve McTuell, Stella Wilson, Betty Hill, Barbara Murray, Maryanna Hakanson, Virginia McHughill, Florence Pound, Marilyn Wegner, Shirley Williams, Dorothy Feagins, Shirley Hart, Patsy Snyder, Willa Haines, May Dean Smith, Angelina Smith, Eleanor Starr, Lauretta Hudson, Betty Higgins and Lucille Bennett.

New members added to the Oakland woodworking club dur-

ing the past week are Elton Kelley, Don Hopkins, Bob Harzig, Jack Pealer and Allen Stephens. A letter has been received by the county club agent from Mrs. Adda J. Steuer, principal of the Canyonville school, stating that nine boys and one girl want to organize a livestock club. At the present time they are looking for a leader to direct them in their activities. Each expects to be enrolled in the near future.

On Friday evening of last week, the Lookingglass P.T. A. gave a program at the school. County Club Agent Britton showed sound motion pictures and a report was made by Mrs. Ernest Voorhies and Mrs. A. A. Jacoby on the program of the 4-H clubs. It was pointed out that the home cookery club, led by Mrs. Voorhies, has held the second meeting and that the club is doing some junior Red Cross work. Mrs. Jacoby reported that she has a girls' sewing club and a boys' bachelor sewing club. All of these members are also doing some Red Cross work in connection with their 4-H club projects.

A second cookery club is enrolled and meeting under the leadership of Mrs. Storey. The livestock club has had one meeting with Mr. A. A. Jacoby, who was selected as leader.

County Club Agent Britton has been called to Corvallis for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for the purpose of attending the annual extension workers conference.

Eight girls of Riddle enrolled in the first division of home cookery. They selected Mrs. Christine Townsend for their leader. Members of the club are Dorothy Weekly president, Clarice Burgoyne vice-president, Evelyn Bates secretary, Eileen Hammer, sley, Marjorie Boyd, Ina May Spencer, Dorothy Burgoyne and Jennie Howard.

Garden Valley school sent in an enrollment of ten members of an Arts and Crafts club. Mrs. Kittie Winniford, teacher of the school, is leader of the group, which elected Gordon Hughes, president, Kenneth Ewens vice-president, and Richard Schmidt secretary.

us) they may get some of their tail tales believed, thus WORRYING US—especially wives and mothers of men known to be in the Pacific.

They are helped by the fact that Americans have the strong feeling that they're being TOLD LITTLE (the recent Patton incident confirming this idea). Putting it mildly, our people feel that a much better job of informing them COULD be done without giving the enemy anything he doesn't know already.

Anyway, the Japs probably feel they have everything to gain and NOTHING to lose by all this lying.

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- BEST BETS FOR TODAY**
- MONDAY**
 6:15—Gracie Fields.
 6:30—Paul Winchell and Jerry Mahoney.
 8:00—Sherlock Holmes.
 8:30—Point Sublime.
TUESDAY
 11:30—Yours For a Song.
 2:15—Welcome Inn.
 3:30—The World's Front Page.
 5:45—Norman Nesbitt With the News.
 6:30—Music You Remember.
 8:15—Chuck and Jack.
 8:30—Sinfonietta.

- REMAINING HOURS TODAY**
- 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
 4:15—Johnson Family.
 4:30—Army Air Forces.
 5:00—Moods in Music.
 5:15—Supperman, Kellogg's Pop.
 5:30—Rhythm Road.
 5:45—Norman Nesbitt News, Studebaker.
 6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Krem.
 6:15—Gracie Fields, Pajl Mall Cigarettes.
 6:30—Paul Winchell and Jerry Mahoney.
 7:00—Raymond Clapper.
 7:15—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
 7:20—Musical Interlude.
 7:30—Lone Ranger.
 8:00—Sherlock Holmes.
 8:30—Point Sublime, Union Oil Co.
 9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
 9:15—Hi Neighbor, Carstens Furniture Store.
 9:30—General Malone, Union Oil Co.
 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
 10:00—Sign Off.

- TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14**
- 6:45—Rise and Shine.
 7:00—News, J. A. Folger Co.
 7:15—County Agent Program.
 7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
 7:35—Rhapsody in Wax.
 8:00—Haven of Rest.
 8:30—Happy Joe and Ralph.
 8:45—The Forester Reports.
 8:55—Strictly Personal, Gotham Hosiery Co.
 9:00—Boake Carter, 4-Way Cold Tablets.
 9:15—Man About Town, Jaazo Furniture Store.
 9:20—Moment Musical.
 9:30—Top of the Morning, Henningers Marts.
 9:45—Melodic Varieties.
 10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
 10:15—Shoppers Guide.
 10:30—Wencheon with Lopez.
 11:00—Cordic Foster.
 11:15—Morning Melodies.
 11:30—Yours For a Song.
 11:45—Melody Rendezvous.
 12:00—Musical Interlude.
 12:10—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer.
 12:15—Rhythm at Random.
 12:40—State News, Hansen Motors.
 12:45—News-Review of the Air.
 12:55—Terminal Market Report, Sig Fett.

- 1:00—Harrison Wood, Grove's Laboratories.
 1:15—Moments in Music.
 1:30—Freedom Speech and Press.
 1:45—Full Speed Ahead.
 2:00—Ray Daily.
 2:15—Welcome Inn, G. W. Young & Son.
 3:00—Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
 3:15—Moods in Music.
 3:30—The World's Front Page.
 3:45—Rendezvous with Rhythm.
 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
 4:15—Johnson Family.
 4:30—Conclusion of Bonneville Dam.
 5:00—Good News Program, Assembly of God Church.

DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

We often hear with splendid spirit the crosses that are forced upon us. But the real test of Christian discipleship comes when we face a cross that we may or may not accept, as we choose. We are accepting today's war rationing in good spirit. But what will be our attitude when we are allowed to choose whether we will go without many things long after the war is over. So that we may help feed and clothe the needy of the world. From old English literature comes the history of a monk named Martyr, who, having been sent on an errand by the abbot, came upon a leper by the roadside, who begged the monk to help him to his hut near by. Forgetful of the abbot's orders and of his own personal safety, Martyr took the man on his shoulders and started back to the monastery. When he reached the monastery gates the leper alighted and, lo, the Christ stood there and blessed the merciful monk. It is when a man voluntarily assumes another's burden not counting the cost, that he finds himself in the very presence of God. The cross you accept may be the one that points your neighbor to God. Then the cross becomes a crown.

- 5:15—Superman, Kellogg's Pop.
 5:30—Rhythm Road.
 5:45—Norman Nesbitt News, Studebaker.
 6:00—Gabriel Heatter, Forhan's Toothpaste.
 6:15—Gracie Fields, Pajl Mall Cigarettes.
 6:30—Music You Remember, Douglas Supply Co.
 6:45—Freddy Martin's Orchestra.
 7:00—Treasury Star Parade starring Frank Lovejoy in "God Is My Co-Pilot."
 7:15—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.

RADIO STAR

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Pictured radio star,
 11 Average (abbr.)
 12 Rhode Island (abbr.)
 13 Symbol for tellurium
 14 Negative
 15 Symbol for ruthenium
 16 Id est (abbr.)
 17 Dutch city
 19 Not even
 20 Indian mulberry
 21 New Guinea port
 23 Bowling term (pl.)
 26 Entire
 27 Bohemian
 29 Roman road
 30 Any
 31 Visible sign
 34 Palm lily
 35 Gardener
 36 Either
 39 Fruit
 40 Universal language
 41 Sped
 44 Rupees (abbr.)
 45 Doctrine
 48 Royal Navy (abbr.)
 49 Us
 50 Condiment container for table use
 53 Vegetables
 56 Edge
 57 Diamond-cutter's cup
 58 Avicular
- Answer to Previous Puzzle**
- GRAPE, ITALY, OOLONG, CANOE, R. BARRISMER, LITTS, E. M. RIT, L. I. P. I, SODA, A. L. E. A. D, T. W. R. E. G. R. A. P. E. S., NO, J. A. N., B. E. T. S., D. R. I. E. D, E. A. R. V. A. N. G. E. L. S. L. Y, A. T. E. V. I. L. I. R. A. M. M. E. S., R. P. R. A. N. K. I. E. R. I. N. S., S. E. I. G. E. T. T. A. T. T. O. O, R. A. C. E. S., O. T. H. E. R. S.
- VERTICAL**
- 60 Singing voice
 61 Important liquid
 62 Wave top
 1 Prison
 2 Posterior pigmented layer of the iris
 3 Anger
 4 Helps
 5 Near
 6 Symbol for neon
 7 Conclusions
 8 Baton
 9 Verbal
 10 Invalid
 18 Roof finial
 19 Over (contr.)
 22 Wapiti
 24 Perfume
 25 Harness parts
 26 Emmet
 28 Whirlwind
 30 Rough lava
 31 Rocky pinnacle
 32 Anglo-Saxon money of account
 33 Slight bow
 35 Permit
 36 Before
 37 Decay
 42 She is married to Frank
 43 Compass point
 46 Female sheep
 47 Sewing tool
 50 Black bird
 51 Girl's name
 52 Toward
 53 Exist
 54 Small children
 55 Blenish
 59 Symbol for cerium
 60 Area measure

Ration Points Now Traded for Fats

Today, December 13, for the first time, OPA is allowing extra ration points for used household fats turned in to meat dealers.

In deciding that two meat ration points are to be paid in addition to the standard four cents a pound for salvaged fats, OPA has given housewives added incentive to participate in supplying raw materials necessary to the war effort.

The government has estimated that Americans throw two billion pounds of fat down the drain and into the garbage every year. Since on the average, each pound of fat yields one tenth of a pound of glycerine, Americans have been throwing away 200 million pounds of potential glycerine.

The government does not ask for these fats, even to make gunpowder, until all possible cooking good is gotten from them. But when fats are too black or highly flavored for further use, every spoonful, every single drop is urgently needed.

RETURN SLIP

CHICAGO—Mrs. Oscar Bredendach purchased two suits of longles for her husband, Oscar, only to discover they were too small. She put them away intending to return them, and eventually did.

In the meantime Oscar had hidden \$820 in one of the pairs. But all is well; the salesman at the haberdashery has the money waiting for them.

- 7:20—Musical Interlude.
 7:30—Jimmy Joy's Orchestra.
 8:00—Eye-Witness News, Copoo.
 8:15—Chuck and Jack.
 8:30—Sinfonietta.
 9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
 9:15—Rex Miller, Wildroot.
 9:30—Facts and Places, Vick's Products.
 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
 10:00—Sign Off.

DIAL LOG
 SUSAN

We seem to have developed those Blue Monday blues since finishing Saturday's column about fifteen minutes ago. After those nice, crammed-full-of-good-shows, weekend programs, we can't seem to work up much enthusiasm for the run-of-the-mill week-day shows. Lack-a-day! Let's see what gives for Monday night and Tuesday. Well, after a glance at Monday evening, we feel better—forgot this was the night for the new 6:30 Winchell and Mahoney show (it's good); also the dean of detectives, Sherlock Holmes, at 8. And (how could we forget it?) Point Sublime at 8:30. Come to think of it, this is one of the best nights of the week. Tuesday a. m. we like very much too—there's Top of the Morning at 9:30, Codric Foster at 11, Yours for a Song 11:30, and Melody Rendezvous at 11:45. Ever since they played Bing Crosby's recording of "White Christmas" on that spot the other morning we hang around the speaker hoping they'll do a repeat, and we'd hate to miss it. There's always our Welcome Inn too; that gives us a lift for the afternoon—and though we may do a little feudin' on the air, confidentially we think they're pretty cute. One special deal to call to your attention in the afternoon—it's the 4:30 broadcast of the conclusion of Bonneville dam and should be very interesting.

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 Total 55c
 Student Body tickets 30c
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 Total 11c

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