

Railroad Must Have Workers to Meet Draft Loss

Facing new manpower losses to the armed forces, an urgent appeal for thousands of additional workers to help the railroads keep the Victory trains rolling, and to avoid delays in busy rail yards and shops, was made today by L. B. McDonald, vice president in charge of operations for Southern Pacific.

New draft rules, calling up all able bodied men under 26, threaten to cancel the deferments of hundreds of Southern Pacific workmen in skilled crafts, Mc-

Donald said, including firemen, brakemen, boilermakers, machinists, blacksmiths, carmen, signalmen and members of other important crafts.

Any further depletion of railroad personnel necessitates immediate replacements by patriotic response of workers not now engaged in essential war activity. If the rail lines are to handle without delay the heavy volume of war traffic and keep rolling stock in repair, McDonald added.

Southern Pacific, as a whole, now has nearly 15,000 former employees in the armed services and the railroad's worker shortage now stands at 8600. Thousands of jobs for skilled and unskilled men and women are open on the Pacific coast railroad front. Southern Pacific alone,

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

it was pointed out, has employed more than 4000 women on jobs formerly performed exclusively by men.

Missionary to Speak — The public has been invited to attend a meeting at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the First Christian church to hear Harry Schafer, Missionary on furlough from India.

Ex-RHS Athlete Trains for War



Private Merlin E. Anderson, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Anderson, Eugene, is shown at the marine corps rifle range, San Diego, Cal., where he is undergoing a portion of his eight-week basic training course. He is a former class president and baseball and basketball star at Roseburg senior high school. He joined the marines in February a month following his graduation from school.

High Serve



Lt. Gardner Mulloy, USNR, gazes from bridge of the LST under his command. Navy fighter was high ranking tennis star.

The Feminine Touch



Bull appears to have upper hand—or horn—here, but beef was dead a few minutes later when Conchita Cintron left ring in her native Lima, Peru. Daughter of a Puerto Rican diplomat and Connecticut woman, 21-year-old Senorita Cintron has appeared in most Latin American rings, will tour Spain and Portugal. Commanding 5000 U. S. dollars a performance, Senorita Cintron expects to retire with more than million before she is 25.

Around the County

Azales

AZALEA—Mrs. Henry Smith has sold 40 acres of her place to Mr. and Mrs. Hallstead of California. They plan to build a house immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jantzer and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jantzer and sons, Johnny and Glen, were in Roseburg on business Wednesday.

Bill Sparks made a business trip to Roseburg Friday.

Mrs. William Jantzer and son, Billie, T. C. Johns and son, Dale, and Mrs. Cora Chadwick made

a business trip to Grants Pass Friday. They were accompanied home by Martin Newman.

Mrs. R. C. Head, Mrs. Vernon Gaedecke and Mrs. Carroll Dill, Sr., shopped in Roseburg Thursday.

Mrs. Clyde Lunnan spent the weekend in Portland on business. Ryce Wilson and Hurley Wilson from Roseburg were here the first of the week on business.

Esther Thorpe shopped in Roseburg Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallstead and Mrs. Henry Smith were in Roseburg on business Friday.

Yoncalla

YONCALLA—Honor roll students at Yoncalla high school for the past six weeks were Jack Mc-

Daniels, Betty McGinnis, Pat Beutell, Barnadine Clouser, Pat Brooks, Lylla Jean Campbell, Suzanne Cockeram, Verla Highley, Oliver Martin, Phyllis Wright, Norma Raper, Betty Jackson, Doris Shiley, Pat Jackson, Doris Kingery, Betty Gene Kunz and Ruth Patrick. Perfect attendance students were Joan Billings, Joan Billings, James Brant, Jack Grimes, Oliver Martin, Norma Raper, Lylla Campbell, Suzanne Cockeram, Aaron Baldwin, Jack McDaniels, Betty McGinnis, Ida Miller, Gloria Mittan, Doris Shiley and Jeanne Lunney.

Mickey Mittan, who is with the U. S. army at Vallejo, Calif., has returned to his post after spending several days here with his parents.

MISS GENEVA SAYRE, MISSIONARY

Recently returned on the exchange ship Gripsholm after six months internment in a Japanese concentration camp, will speak at

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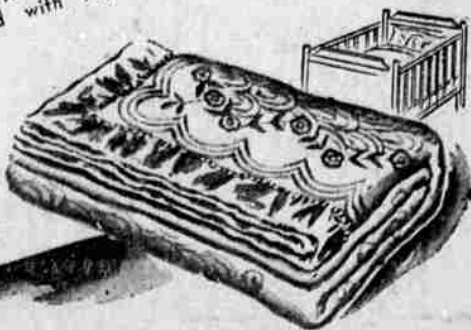
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