

Campships Given Number of Girls

Campships were awarded outstanding girls in Camp Fire and Bluebird groups in Roseburg enabling them to attend Camp Tye, local Camp Fire Girls camp which operated for the first time this year. The campships were given by business men and women and interested firms in the community. The camp is now in its last week, and 156 girls were registered for the three one-week sessions. Forty-six Bluebirds are in attendance at the camp this week.

Through the efforts of P. M. Lee, 12 campships were secured for various girls who were outstanding in their groups. Mr. Lee volunteered his service in securing these campships, which in turn were given to the guardians for distribution. Other camp-

ships were secured by guardians or donated by various individuals. The list of donors includes: Barcus Sales and Service, The Hub Lumber Company, Walter Fisher, Myron Haynes of Associated Lumber Co., Jack Doyle, Charlie Brant, Earl Evans of California-Oregon Pine Sales, Ethel Van Voorst, Mary Peterson, Dr. E. J. Walmscott, Phyllis Cafe, Phil Staley, Helen Lander, Stephen Kiss Lumber Co., L. E. McClintock, D. F. Johnson, Joelson Lumber Co., S. M. Crites, A. Abraham, Union Garage, Jim Wood, Umpqua Tractor and Implement Co., and Umpqua Auto and Implement Co.

David H. Hill Receives Award From U. S. Navy

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though no longer in the regular line of duty, his interest in naval activity never waned, and he has worked long and tirelessly with the local unit. All his efforts have been without remuneration. They have been strictly voluntary, in the interest of his community and national defense.

Following the ceremony, Hill was further honored at a farewell party, as he is leaving shortly for Birmingham General Hospital, Van Nuys, Calif., for hospitalization for the recurrence of the disability which caused his discharge from active Navy duty.

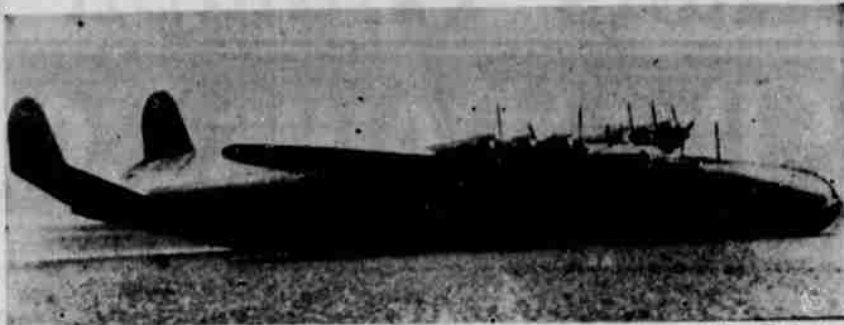
The idea for a Roseburg Naval Reserve was conceived Armistice Day, 1946, and the ground work laid soon after for its organization. It was not officially recognized until February 1947. The Electronics Warfare Company was organized and went on the air March 4 of that year, the first in Oregon. The Reserve became a Composite Unit in May of 1947.

Wide Recognition Won. Now boasting a strength of 472 members and equipment valued in the open market at close to \$500,000, recognition of Roseburg Volunteer Composite Unit 13-1 has extended far and wide. First to be organized in the 13th Naval District, and one of the first in the United States, its pattern of operation has been followed elsewhere.

In addition to Mallory as commanding officer, Commander James E. Campbell is Naval Reserve medical officer; Lt. (jg) Stanley Short commands the Electronics Warfare Company 13-16; Carl Meske is cruise officer, and Ray F. Parslow is electronics technician.

Disaster Unit Forming. In the process of being organized.

World's Largest Commercial Airliner Missing



Air France announced that a six-motored flying boat (of type shown above), the largest commercial plane in the world, is missing on a flight between Martinique and French West Africa with 52 aboard.

FROM NINE TO FIVE

By Jo Fischer



These shoes are the right size... it's just that my feet are getting bigger.

ized at the present time is a mobile disaster unit. Most of the equipment is on hand, including first aid equipment, emergency power and lighting, radio communication, repair facilities for disaster, water rescue, breathing apparatus, emergency fire fighting equipment and hospital equipment. The unit will be available when organized for any immediate emergency and will cooperate with other city and county units in case of need.

Just received is a seven-and-a-half kilowatt hour generating plant for emergency lighting installed on a trailer. The power can be used for communications, signaling and power to operate equipment.

The unit headquarters for radio communications is at the present located in the basement at the home of Parslow, 540 East Lane. This and other equipment, which fills Parslow's basement and garage, are soon to be moved to the quonset hut armory erected on a 170 by 210-foot area at the County airgrounds. A second quonset hut and later a third are to be constructed from available material at this location, according to plans, and the area eventually will be landscaped.

The radio equipment now being used for sending and receiving noon and evening broadcasts appears miniature, compared with two huge transmitters, worth \$13,000 each, stored in Parslow's

garage. One is a 500-watt ship-board type transmitter for code only. The other is a 300-watt voice and code transmitter. They are to be moved eventually to the quonset armory. Stored here also are movie equipment, radar, direction finding gear, shop and office equipment.

Prized among the equipment stored at the foot of Washington Street are two 125 KVA generators, valued at \$50,000 each and capable of lighting the entire town of Roseburg, in case of an emergency. They must be worked over, however, before ready for use. Stored at this location also is a 24-inch searchlight valued at \$3,400; milling equipment worth \$11,000, and complete galley equipment.

At the Fairgrounds the quonset hut is filled to overflowing with training and disaster equipment of every sort. Much of it is stored outside. Included are quonset hut material, band saws, joiners, fire fighting equipment, airplane engine for training, scroll saws, turning lathes, meat cutter, air compressors, table saws, welding machines, all sorts of power and hand tools, drill presses, electric welding, hospital gear and dispensary equipment and many other items. In addition to wall lockers filled with equipment.

Silvermaster Denies Aiding Ex-Soviet Spy

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mation to the Communist "ring" but that she did not believe he was a Communist.

Baldwin is a former government official and is now the campaign manager for Henry A. Wallace, Progressive Party presidential candidate.

"The charges made by Miss Bentley are false and fantastic," Silvermaster said. "I can only conclude that she is a neurotic liar. I am and have been a loyal American citizen and was a faithful government employee. I am not and never have been a spy or agent of any foreign government."

Silvermaster is no longer in the government. He lives at Harvey Cedars, N. J. He said he is in the house building business.

Committee Handicapped. Before the hearings were resumed, Chairman Mundt (R-S-D.) told reporters the committee is only out to get the whole story of Soviet spying but before the public. He said "there is nothing we can do legally or legislatively at the moment."

Silvermaster told the committee he was born in Odessa, Russia. He said he came to this country in 1915 and was naturalized 12 years later.

Silvermaster held various government jobs from 1935 to 1946—with the Resettlement Administration, Maritime Labor Board,

War Security Administration, board of economic warfare and war assets administration.

Details of Accusation.

Miss Bentley testified last week that she first knew him while he was with the War Security Administration and Board of Economic Warfare.

Her story, in brief, was this: She was a courier for a Soviet spy ring and had her headquarters in New York. She made frequent trips to Washington to pick up information gathered by Communists and "fellow travelers" in the government.

She said Silvermaster was a Communist and a representative of the Russian Secret Police. She said she used his home to pick up information and as a Washington meeting place.

A photographic laboratory was set up in the basement of Silvermaster's home, she said, and used to photograph secret documents.

Denies Whole Story. Denying the whole story, Silvermaster said that he had been under investigation during "almost my entire twelve years of government service" and was cleared by various agencies.

He added that neither the FBI nor a New York grand jury had taken action against him although he said the jury had heard the same witnesses the committee has produced.

Silvermaster told the congress members that if he has committed a crime he should be "indicted and prosecuted in the courts." Without indictment and prosecution, he said, "my reputation should not be smeared."

He wound up his statement by saying that upon advice of his lawyer, "I shall stand upon the constitutional right of every American citizen and shall refuse to testify further on matters relating to Miss Bentley's charges in the exercise of my constitutional privilege against self-incrimination under the 5th amendment."

Remington Voices Denial

William W. Remington meanwhile told senators today he believes Miss Bentley's story of a wartime Communist spy ring in the government is "the truth," but swore he was not a part of it.

He said he never gave her any "secret or confidential information" and suggested that senate investigators locate Communist copies of what he did give her. That would prove, Remington said, that the information was unimportant.

"You are too intelligent to think the committee can recover them (the documents)," Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) told him.

Remington said he thought Miss Bentley was a newspaper reporter. Under oath before a senate investigating committee, the young government official acknowledged that he used to meet her on street corners and in parks. It was a "preposterous" thing to do, he said, but he was young and "romantic."

Miss Bentley told the senators last week that Remington gave her secret data on American plane production during such furtive meetings. She named him as one of several score government employees from whom Communists were collecting information.

But Remington said the only information he ever gave her was non-secret matter that her reporter could have.

At that time, Remington was 24 years old and worked for the war production board.

Now, 30, he has a just-under-\$10,000 a year job with the Commerce Department.

TRAFFIC FINES LEVIED. Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle reported the following traffic fines imposed in his court: Larry Wayne Aldred, Roseburg, speeding, \$20; Raymond R. Solnicka, Roseburg route 2, failure to yield right-of-way to a pedestrian, \$2; Fred L. Goedeck, two non-stop charges, \$2 on each count.

GRASS FIRE

The Roseburg Fire Department was called to put out a grass fire on Route 2, about two miles northwest of Roseburg, Tuesday at 5:40 p.m.

16 Girl Campers Win Leather Honor

Sixteen girls, who attended Camp Tye during the two Camp Fire sessions which closed Aug. 1, were awarded the Tye Good Camper's leather honor for use on their bolero or ceremonial gown. The honor, painted on leather, was symbolized by the "black pool" and the "wishing tree," two camp traditions.

Requirements for receiving the honor included all-round good camping, cooperation, good manners, and being selected by the junior and senior counselors as outstanding girl in her cabin. One girl was selected from each of the eight cabins each week and the award was made at the Saturday evening ceremony at Council Rock.

Receiving the honor the first week were Carmen Ford, Marie Shirley, Jacqueline Matthews, Jeanine and Louise Conn, Noreen Allen, Nancy Bodin and Sharon Ostrander.

Second week winners were Carol Bjerke, Joan Phillips, Peggy Pfaff, Martha Stritzke, Etna Flo Joiner, Sue Wissing, Norma John and Nancy Allen.

Voters in Three States Decide on Candidates

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Roanoke attorney.

All Congressmen Win.

In congressional contests in the three states, incumbents were in all cases either unopposed, assured of victory, or leading.

In two of these races, however, lawmakers had to put up a tough fight to keep their seats.

Republican Rep. Dewey Short faced stiff opposition from young Quentin Haden in the Seventh Congressional District of Missouri before he finally nailed down the victory.

The Third District in Kansas saw an even closer struggle, with GOP Congressman Herbert A. Meyer hanging on to a slim lead over former Rep. Thomas D. Winter with returns almost two-thirds complete.

A Virginia congressional seat left unoccupied by the resignation of Rep. J. Lindsay Almond last winter went to Mayor Clarence G. Burton of Lynchburg.

Cattle Smuggling From Canada Draws Officials

SEATTLE, Aug. 4.—(AP)—U. S. Customs agents trained their sights today on what they termed a "widespread" U. S.-Canada cattle smuggling ring.

Customs Collector Howard MacGowan said cattle by the "hundreds" are crossing the border to be butchered and sold in the United States where prices are approximately double those of Canada.

He said the acts violate both the Canadian cattle embargo and U. S. Customs law.

MacGowan said first inkling of the border activities was uncovered by Paul Dolstad, deputy customs collector at Lynden, acting on his report, MacGowan said he put three agents on the job.

Shortly after, they seized 20 hogs and two trucks at Orville, he said.

Other borderline hauls have totaled 40 head of cattle and a truck, MacGowan said.

Southerners Win In Senate Filibuster

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3. The conference discussed amending the displaced persons bill passed at the last session, but no definite decision was reached. Any change, Millikin said, would be limited to moving up the eligibility date for refugees from Dec. 22, 1945 to April 21, 1947.

Wolcott said the House banking group may act on the GOP anti-inflation proposals today, sending it to the House for consideration tomorrow.

The measure completely ignores President Truman's request for selective price-wage controls and rationing powers. Likewise, there is no mention of the President's proposed excess profits tax estimated to yield \$4,300,000,000.

A group of House members headed by Rep. O'Toole (D-N. Y.) petitioned Republican leaders not to allow Congress to adjourn without acting on cost-of-living and housing legislation.

Treasury Chief Pleads.

As the GOP anti-inflation bill was brought out, Treasury Secretary Snyder appeared before the House banking group. Pleading for credit controls, Snyder said: "Unfortunately, as a result of both the tax reduction bill (passed by Congress in the spring) and of the increased foreign aid and defense expenditures made necessary by the tense international situation, we no longer have a budget surplus at our disposal as a weapon for combating inflationary pressures."

"We must, therefore, lean to an increasing extent upon other measures for restriction of bank credit."

Senator Taft, who has proposed next Tuesday as quitting time for Congress, said GOP senators appeared to be split about evenly on the proposal to change the poll tax measure to a constitutional amendment.

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Harry Rice, Formerly Of Roseburg, Passes Away

Harry Rice, former resident of Roseburg, died at his home in Douglas, Wyo., Tuesday, after a short illness.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Nellie Rice; a son, Chester Rice; a daughter, Mrs. Vern Patterson of Casper, Wyo., and three grandchildren.

Mr. Rice is brother of Gene Rice and brother-in-law of Mrs. Charles Poirat, both of this city.

Popular

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