

Today We Pay Tribute to—



S/Sgt. Wayne R. McKee, 26, who served with the army medical corps with the field hospital stationed in India. He attended high school at Pendleton and was a student at Eastern Oregon college before entering the service in January, 1942. His wife, the former Frances Smith, and their daughter, Judith Lynn, reside on east Adams avenue in La Grande. His father, J. I. McKee, resides in The Dalles.

Updrafts Throw Bombs Back Into B-29 Bomb Bay

TINIAN, July 11 (UP) — The crew of a Superfortress described today how a thermal draft threw released bombs back into their plane and caused it to head back over their flaming target upside down. The incident occurred over Wakayama, Japan. Crew members believe the first bombs released over Wakayama started intense fires. The resulting updrafts then caused incendiaries released later to fly back into the bombs bay where they ripped off the door and damaged the horizontal stabilizer. The B-29 did a half-loop and headed again over the burning city.

Lt. Richard R. Baskett, bombardier, Holton, Kans., said it was "like the middle of a horror movie — turmoil raged inside the plane as loose equipment began to hit the crew."

Lt. Louis Avrami, Atlantic City, N. J., said, "it happened all of a sudden when I looked out of the bomb bay, expecting to see fires. Instead, I saw the stars and moon. The next second I saw fires. I wondered if I were dead."

The plane was commanded by Maj. Robert H. Langdale, Houston, Tex.

RATION CALENDAR

- Processed Foods:**
Book 4 — Blue stamps T2 through X2 valid through July 31. Blue stamps Y2, Z2, A1, B1, C1 valid through August 31. Blue stamps D1 through H1 valid through September 30. J1 through N1 valid through October 31.
- Meat, Butter, Fats, Cheese:**
Book 4 — Red stamps K2 through P2 valid through July 31. Red stamps Q2 through U2 valid through August 31. Red stamps V2 through Z2 valid through September 30. A1 through E1 valid through October 31.
- Sugar:**
Book 4 Sugar stamp 36 valid through August 31.
- Shoes: Loose stamps invalid.**
Book 3 — Airplane stamps 1-2-3 now valid. New stamp valid August 1.
- Gasoline: Coupons not valid unless endorsed:**
"A" — 16 coupons (6 gallons each) expire September 21.
- Stoves:**
Apply local board for oil, gas stove certificates.
- Wood, Coal, Sawdust:**
Delivery by priorities based on needs.
- Fuel Oil:**
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- Waste Paper and Cans:**
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Summerville Pair Celebrates 25th Year of Marriage

COVE, July 11 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baker of Summerville, formerly of Cove, celebrated their silver anniversary Sunday.

Allen and Austen Berry, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Berry, left Sunday for Los Angeles where their father is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duncan who live in the canyon have sold a two-acre tract of hay land to Jack Maren of La Grande. The Duncans have also sold one of their registered Jersey cows to Charles Chase, who now lives on his farm on the hillside that he purchased from Edith Pease last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Delo Gauthier are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. A. Gauthier from Portland and Mrs. Nettie Cardis from Mt. Angel and Mrs. John Garneau from Alberta, Canada.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Hancock returned Friday from a trip to Fort Worth, Texas to see their son Robert who is ill in a hospital. They found him on the mend but still too ill for dismissal. He has spent 20 months over seas as pharmacist mate and hopes to be discharged on his recovery.

Mrs. E. E. Miller is seriously ill at a hospital in La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wheeler who have been at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Price, left for their home in Weiser last Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Downing of Portland, who came up a week ago to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price, has returned but she left her small son, Billy Robin, with his grandparents for a visit.

Mrs. Serena Campbell, of Oregon City, is visiting her sister Mrs. Julia Wilson. She has a small granddaughter with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Meiner of Walla Walla are in Cove where she is caring for her father L. D. Sutherland who has been seriously ill though recovering slightly.

Miss Ella Sutherland another daughter has been taking care of the father but has returned to Spokane where she is employed in a hospital.

Stars Take New Type Parts In 'Belle of Yukon'

Not only is International pictures' new technicolor musical extravaganza, "Belle of the Yukon," which opens today at the Liberty theater, itself far out of the ordinary, with its gay plot largely devoted to satirizing the Alaskan gold rush days, but its stars are playing roles of a kind they've never previously attempted on the screen.

Randolph Scott, heretofore a stalwart hero in everything from westerns to society dramas, turns over a new leaf to become a debonair confidence man in a Klondike frontier town.

Gypsy Rose Lee, who appeared in a number of repressed and colorless roles on the screen some years ago, now blossoms at as a lively and worldly-wise dance hall queen in the picture's title role.

Can congress with its present setup do the job that lies ahead? Can it give President Truman the help he has asked? These questions are worrying many thinking Americans today. One of them, industrial engineer Robert Heller, has made a detailed report on what's the matter with congress and suggests a fourteen-point program to correct it. You can see what is in that report and what difficulties stand in the way of strengthening congress in the latest March of Time, "Spotlight on Congress," now showing at the Liberty theater.

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Society Briefs

Mrs. Rose Hazen was in Elgin Sunday, attending a birthday party given for Donald Keith Stroeber, 7, in the Herman Stroeber home.

Charles Erickson, with his wife, the former Dorothy Stewart, and children, Linda and Erland, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Erickson, May Park. Erickson works in the office of the superintendent of the express company in Seattle.

Mrs. Alice Sanburg and her son Spencer of Tacoma, Wash., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Welchko.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Jones, who have spent the past several months in Oklahoma City, Okla., Dallas, Tex. and Ingleswood, Cal., have returned to La Grande.

Paul Reavis is spending a week vacation in Spokane. Taking his place for the week is W. C. Armstrong of Spokane.

Miss Milodene Goss is visiting in Weiser, Ida., a guest at the home of Miss Doty Keeney.

Mrs. W. M. Pearce is expected to return to La Grande tonight after three weeks in Portland.

Mrs. Glen True, the former Etta Severns, is here from Hays, Kas., a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Severns.

First Lt. and Mrs. John McManus arrived here from Milwaukee and are guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McManus. He has recently returned from active duty in Germany, spent part of his leave at his wife's home in Milwaukee, before they came west.

Richard McManus, stationed at Amarillo, Tex., is also here on leave from his army base. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McManus, Lieutenant and Mrs. McManus, and Richard and Harold McManus are spending today at Wallowa Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams have returned from Colfax, Wash., where they attended the funeral services of his grandfather, Daniel Burger, 94, a former La Grande resident.

Interment was in the Milton cemetery.

Lon Stiner, football coach, "Slats" Gill, basketball coach, and Percy Lacey, athletic director, all from Oregon State college at Corvallis, were in La Grande yesterday renewing acquaintances. This morning they continued on to Baker.

Mrs. Edna Seitz returned Monday from a two weeks vacation, a few days of which was spent in Portland, the rest at a summer resort about 50 miles out of Eugene.

Society and Clubs

News and Activities Engagements... Weddings Social Events

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Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY

7:30 p.m. St. Mary's Altar society, USO room.
8 p.m. American Legion auxiliary nomination and installation, Sacajawea hotel.

THURSDAY

1 p.m. Riverside Ladies Aid. potluck luncheon, Riverside park.
4 p.m. L. A. to B. of R. T. potluck picnic, Riverside park.
8 p.m. Sew and So club with Mrs. Vernon Waite, 2815 Second street. Bring gifts for white elephant basket.
8 p.m. Navy Mothers, USO room.

FRIDAY

2 p.m. Pollyanna club, Riverside park.
2 p.m. Meet Your Neighbor club, Riverside park. Bring sandwich and salad.

WBA Plans Picnic At Riverside Park

The Women's Benefit association held a business and social meeting last evening in the 100% hall. During the business, presided over by Mrs. Roe Buchanan, plans were made for a picnic to be held July 17 at 2 p.m. in Riverside park, for members and their families.

Refreshments were served in the Odd Fellows dining room by Mrs. Gerald Pierson and Mrs. Charles Murchison. Miss Donna Williams favored the group with several guitar selections.

Friendly Club Has Picnic at Riverside

More than 50 persons last night attended the potluck dinner of the Friendly club of the Presbyterian church, held last night at Riverside park.

After the dinner games were played including softball, croquet and horseshoe pitching. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Ehlers and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Johnson were the committee in charge.

GOVERNOR BACK FRIDAY

SALEM, July 11 (UP) — Gov. and Mrs. Earl Snell will return to the capital Friday, after attending the governor's conference at Mackinac Island, Michigan, his office said today.

Mrs. Thomas Riser Honored at Shower

Members of Beta Sigma Phi complimented Mrs. Thomas Riser, nee Margaret Davy, with a miscellaneous bridal shower last evening when Mrs. George Wilson entertained in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Williams.

A dessert course served at a table decorated with spring flowers and bride and groom figurines, was followed by games and the opening of Mrs. Riser's gifts. The remainder of the evening was spent visiting.

Guests present besides the honoree were Mrs. Lowell Williams, Mrs. J. R. Davy, Mrs. Robert Bruch, Mrs. Harold Lockwood, Mrs. Layton Graham, Mrs. Jack Denny, Mrs. Keith Walker, Mrs. William Hamilton, Mrs. Mildred Galloway, Kathryn Foley and Kathleen Rochester.

Service Guild To Keep Up 'Mystery'

The Wesleyan Service guild of the Fir Street Methodist church last night voted to change the meeting night from the second Tuesday to the second Monday of each month. It also voted to continue with the mystery mother-daughter plan through the ensuing year.

Those who wish to participate in the mystery group may contact Mrs. Otto Cochran or Mrs. J. M. Severns.

The next meeting will be a picnic supper at 7 p.m. Aug. 13 in the small park behind the church. The lesson on "advancing and understanding," was presented by Mrs. Bert McNeil. Mrs. Glen True of Hays, Kas., was a guest. Refreshments were served by Miss Eva Dougherty and Mrs. W. A. Elam.

Tommy Baker Guest Of Honor at Party On 3rd Birthday

Mrs. Farris Baker entertained at her home yesterday with a birthday party for her son, Tommy, in celebration of his third birthday anniversary.

The lawn of the Baker home was the setting. The children played games and the small honored guest unwrapped his many gifts. Refreshments featuring a lighted and decorated birthday cake were served at two tables with the table cloths, napkins, plates and favors carrying out the birthday motif.

Present for the occasion were Steven and Dennis Dickey, Gail and Michael Cherry, Dean and Larry Yeske, Sandra Guthrey, Cheryl Anderson, Karen Boylen, Marlene Welchko, Spencer Sanburg, Judy Ann Smith, Margie Jean Case and Tommy Baker.

Adults present, and assisting Mrs. Baker were Mrs. Julia Cary, Mrs. Martha Anderson, Mrs. Clyde Dickey, Mrs. Dale Cherry, Mrs. Jerry Welchko, Mrs. Alice Sanburg, Mrs. Harold Smith, Mrs. William Guthrey and Mrs. John Fehr.

Relatives Here To Visit Set of Twins

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swayze, Mrs. Mary Swayze, Mrs. Fred Dutil and Walter Dutil, all of Enterprise, were in La Grande yesterday to see the twin daughters, born yesterday at St. Joseph's hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dutil.

The girls, one weighing four pounds and ten ounces and the other weighing just a half ounce more, have been named Barbara Jean and Beverly Jane.

The mother is the former Helen Swayze of Enterprise. Mr. and Mrs. Dutil also have a son, Freddie.

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PORTLAND, July 11 (UP) — Federal Reserve bank officials reported today Oregon's complete E bond total in the seventh war loan drive was \$56,751,000 with

the over-all state total \$201,073,000.

The state's E bond quota was \$55,000,000 while its over-all quota was \$110,000,000. The latter goal was exceeded by \$91,000,000.

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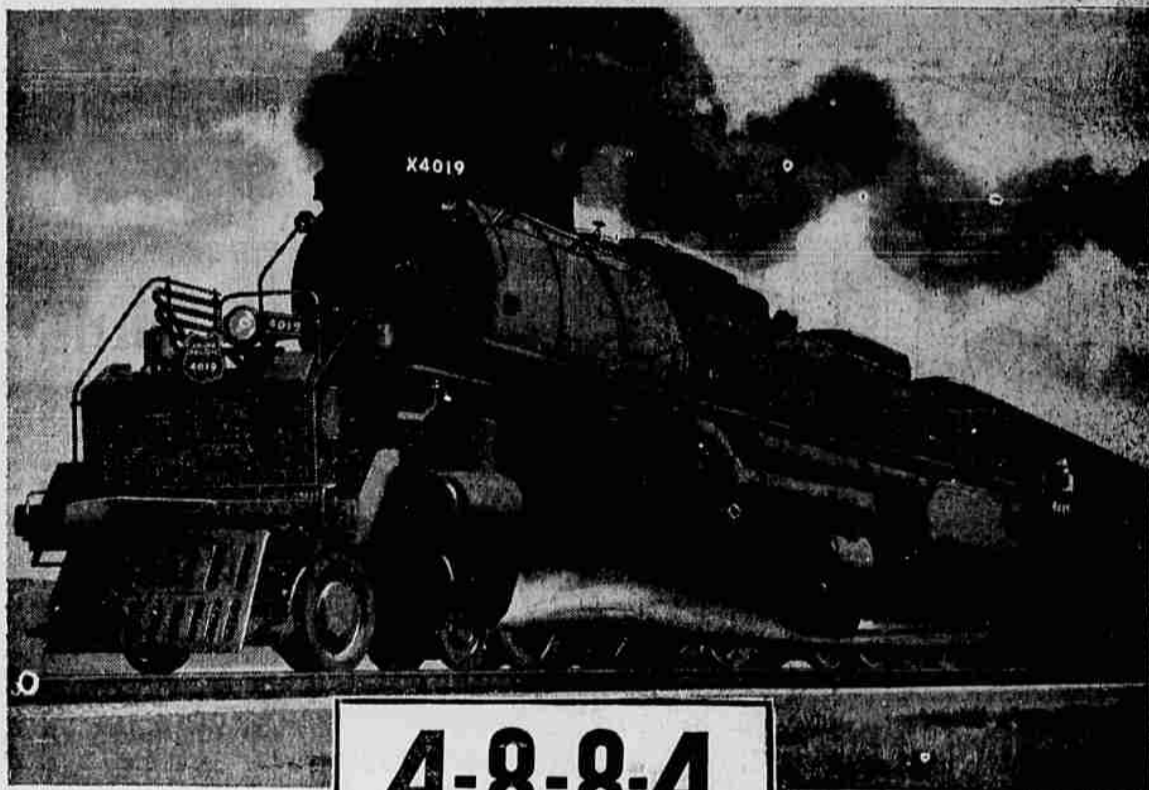


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