

300,000 More to Be Exempt From Going Overseas

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (UP)—An additional 300,000 army officers and men were exempted from future service outside the United States today when the army lowered its overseas "screening" scores.

Effective immediately, no enlisted men will be sent overseas if on last Sept. 2 their critical point score was 36 or more, or if they were 37 years old or if they were 34 years old with more than a year of service.

Officers will not be shipped overseas if their point score or age as of Sept. 2 was equal to or exceeded:

- Male officers, except medical department—48 points.
- Male officers, medical corps and dental corps—45 points or 40 years of age.
- Male officers, veterinary corps and medical administrative corps—30 points or 35 years of age.
- Nurses—12 points or 30 years of age.

Medical department distillations and physical therapy aides—18 points or 30 years of age.

WAC personnel, as previously announced, will not be sent overseas.

Acheson Receives Senate Approval; Wherry Objects

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (UP)—The senate today confirmed the nomination of Dean Acheson as undersecretary of state after spirited debate over congressional complaints he had rebuked Gen. Douglas MacArthur on matters dealing with the occupation of Japan. The vote was 69 to 1.

The only dissenting vote was cast by Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, R., Neb., who charged a controversial press conference statement by Acheson last week constituted a rebuke to MacArthur.

A motion by Wherry to send the nomination back to the senate foreign relations committee for further consideration was beaten, 66 to 12.

Action came after lengthy debate during which Wherry charged the existence of a "smear" campaign aimed at ousting MacArthur as occupation chief in Japan. He charged the campaign was being conducted by "what I call the liberal press," but what others sometimes called the "radical" or "communist" press.

The debate, which covered some phases of U. S. occupation policies in Japan, was touched off when Wherry rejected as "entirely unsatisfactory" a reply by Acheson to a dozen questions the Nebraska had submitted for public answer.

Fireman Killed in Collision of Trains

PROSSER, Wash., Sept. 24 (UP)—Two Northern Pacific trains collided head-on a half mile west of Prosser early yesterday, killing a fireman, Melvin Schagel, 35, and injuring two other members of his family.

Injured are the fireman's father, Paul, the engineer, and a brother, Orville, student fireman.

Both locomotives were knocked off the track and demolished. A freight car loaded with iced fresh salmon was smashed and the fish were scattered over a wide area.

Prison Labor for Flax Protested

JEFFERSON, Sept. 24 (UP)—Use of prison labor for state flax production in competition with Oregon farmers was under fire today from the Willamette valley fiber flax association.

In a resolution the association requested the state flax board not to purchase flax for a price higher than other plants could afford. It was pointed out labor from the state penitentiary cost \$1 a day or less, while flax farmers have been forced to pay as high as \$10 a day.

FAUSETT HONORED

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 24 (UP)—Buck Fausett, hard-hitting third baseman and manager of the Hollywood Stars, has been chosen the most valuable player of the Hollywood club for the 1945 season, Bill Schroeder, director of the Helms athletic foundation, announced today.

CONCRETE EXAMPLE
Floor on the U. S. navy base at Philadelphia, Brookfield and Bayonne are a solid slab of concrete an 1000 feet long, 150 feet wide and 14 feet thick. The lock gate end is bigger than the end of the Panam Canal.

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NIPPER THE RIPPER—"Nipper," small bull terrier, stands behind bars of his Los Angeles jail cell after he ran amuck at school playground, bit 16 children, a school custodian and his owner. He'll undergo tests for rabies.

GOP Leaders to Demand Fuller Probe of Loans

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (UP)—House republicans demanded today that congress determine definitely whether President Roosevelt was involved in the loan operations of his son Elliott. They expressed dissatisfaction with the house ways and means committee's report on Elliott's financial transactions, saying there were "discrepancies" about the late President's role.

Republican members of the committee said Elliott's testimony indicated his father had nothing to do with his business affairs. He said Roosevelt did not help him in obtaining the much-publicized \$200,000 loan from John Hartford, president of the Atlantic & Pacific Tea company, or in bringing in former Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones to negotiate a settlement for only \$4,000.

Veterans Committee Will Meet Tonight

In reminding the public of the meeting of the Union county veterans' employment committee at 8 p. m. today in the city hall, Fletcher Milton, secretary, states: "The Union county veterans' employment committee was organized in March, 1944, and the first regular meeting was held on the 27th of that month. A further organizational meeting was held the first part of April, and starting April 24 of that year a meeting was held on the last Monday of each month. The only exception was during the months of July and August of this year, at which times meetings were suspended due to vacation period.

During the first year and up until March of this year Ray Snider, service officer of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, served ably as chairman. Committees were formed as follows: publicity and program; finance; industrial survey; legislation and planning; education and training.

In March of 1945, Herbert G. Voruz was elected chairman. Fletcher Milton has been secretary.

"We especially wish suggestions from younger groups, such as World War II veteran groups and the Junior Chamber of Commerce," said Milton.

Samuel Simmons Injured by Auto

Samuel Simmons, 73, Island City, is convalescing in Grande Ronde hospital today following an accident Saturday night on the Island City highway.

Simmons, police reports show, was walking down the highway, when he was struck by an automobile driven by Hazel March.

La Grande's first aid car brought the unconscious man to the hospital. The extent of his injuries is not known, but it is believed he may have a fractured skull.

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Society Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spaeth and their daughter, Freddie, are spending the week in Portland on a combined business and pleasure trip. They plan to return here Friday.

Francis Brown auxiliary will meet at 12:30 p. m. Thursday in the Women's club rooms at Union for a potluck luncheon. Mrs. J. R. Jones of Union is chairman of arrangements and will be assisted by her committee.

St. Mary's Altar society has invited every woman of the parish to attend the meeting of the group to be held at 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. F. F. Nolton, 603 O avenue. The meeting is to be a social session.

Wednesday will be sandwich day at the Country club instead of the usual luncheon. A rummage sale will be conducted Oct. 27, the place to be announced later.

Hospital Notes

Grande Ronde Hospital—Admitted: Gary Spain, Union, George Smith, La Grande, medical, Sam Simmons, Island City, accident; Verda Lee West, Summerville, surgery.

Dismissed: Mrs. Mary E. Anderson, Mrs. Leoma Finley, Mrs. Leola Klein, La Grande, Mrs. Ruby Kennedy, Union, Mrs. Robert McBride, Elgin.

Murphy Re-elected Actors President

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 24 (UP)—George Murphy last night was re-elected president of the Screen Actors Guild after promising to reopen negotiations for a new union contract with movie producers next year.

Other officers elected were: Franchot Tone, first vice president; Walter Pidgeon, second vice president; Anne Revere, third vice president; Paul Harvey, recording Secretary, and Russell Hicks, treasurer.

Walter Abel, Louise Beavers, James Cagney, John Hodiak, Evelyn Keyes, Harpo Marx, Robert Montgomery, J. Carroll Nash, Dennis O'Keefe, Gregory Peck, Jane Wyman, Leon Ames, Marsha Hunt, Rose Hobart, Agnes Moorhead and Robert Shayne were elected to the board of directors.

Oregon Home Owners To Spend 48 Million

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 24 (UP)—Oregon home owners will spend more than \$48,000,000 in remodeling and major improvements in the next five years, according to a study released today by the tile council of America.

Kitchen and bathroom modernization are highest on the list. Addition of rooms, construction of new porches, outside paint work, interior redecoration, new roofing and plumbing were other universal desires in remodeling, according to the study.

Sexton Charged in Shooting Wrong Man

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Sept. 24 (UP)—A 59-year-old cemetery sexton was to be arraigned today on a charge of slaying a mistook acquaintance whom he mistook for another man while the victim's five children screamed "please don't shoot our daddy."

A threatened eviction and a home-buying deal were involved. Deputy Sheriff William J. Delahunty said Dan Miller had signed a confession in which he said he fired two shotguns blasts into James M. Bridges, 43, in the belief he was shooting a man Miller accused of killing his brother.

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Girl Scout Troop Has Dinner Meeting

Members of Girl Scout troop No. 2, the one sponsored by the Methodist church, met Saturday afternoon at the home of Dr. Lewa Ager. The feature of the meeting was each scout preparing and serving her own dinner. At present the group is under the leadership of Mrs. R. E. Humlick.

Special Services at Tabernacle Planned

Special services will be held in the Gospel Tabernacle at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Stilson of Springfield, Mo., the guest speakers. Rev. Mr. Stilson, a world war veteran, who has traveled over 75,000 miles in the interest of service men will speak on the subject, "Miracles of War." The public is invited.

Two Leave Here for Portland After Visit

Miss Jean Gavin and Mrs. Don Grover of Battle Creek, Mich., left this morning for Portland, after visiting here since yesterday. They were house guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Pearce while here.

Miss Gavin, born and reared here, was formerly executive secretary of the state board of registered nurses, state nurses association, and has returned to Oregon to make her home. She has accepted a position with the state board of health.

Mrs. Grover accompanied her for the trip, this being her first time in the west and will return to her home in Battle Creek soon.

Hope Chapter Will Confer First Degree

The initiatory degree will be conferred on one candidate at the meeting of Hope chapter, Order of Eastern Star, when the organization will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Masonic temple. At the close of the business meeting refreshments will be served by Mrs. Mary Skala and her committee.

Books by Law

One copy of every book published in England must, by law, be supplied on demand to certain specified libraries, including the Bodleian Library at Oxford and Cambridge University Library.

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Social Calendar

MONDAY
7 p. m. Presbyterian Girl Scouts, recreation room Presbyterian church.
7:30 p. m. Historical society, Sacajawea hotel. Mrs. Dee Davis in charge of the pioneer story.
8 p. m. Royal Neighbors of America, IOOF hall.

TUESDAY
1 p. m. Neighbors of Woodcraft, with Mrs. Lou Richards, 2015 Cedar street for potluck.
7:30 p. m. Daughters of Utah Pioneers will meet with Mrs. Harry Weimer, 905 O avenue.
8 p. m. St. Ann's guild, St. Peter's Episcopal church.

WEDNESDAY
2 p. m. General meeting of WSCS of First Methodist church will meet with Mrs. W. M. Pierson, 1315 Tenth street.
2:30 p. m. St. Mary's Altar society will meet with Mrs. P. F. Holton, 603 Washington avenue for social. All women of parish invited.
8 p. m. Hope chapter, Order of Eastern Star, business meeting and initiation, Masonic hall.

THURSDAY
12:30 p. m. Frances Brown auxiliary potluck luncheon in Women's club rooms in Union.
2 p. m. VFW auxiliary sewing group will meet with Mrs. A. P. Nelson, 508 N avenue. Sewing for bazaars.

FRIDAY
7 p. m. All Girl Scouts of the city will have an indoor picnic in the MIA recreation hall.

Miss Letha Carson Bride of Pfc. Leo O'Neil at Perry

Miss Letha Carson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carson, and Pfc. Leo O'Neil were married Sunday, Sept. 23, at the home of the bride's parents in Perry.

The double ring ceremony was read in the presence of the immediate family by Rev. R. W. Tomeransen of the Zion Lutheran church.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a dress of black with white accessories and a corsage of geraniums and carnations. The groom was in army uniform.

Mrs. Douglas Riggs, sister of the bride, was matron of honor.

Alvah O'Neil, uncle of the groom, was best man.

A reception followed at the Carson home. The three-tiered wedding cake was cut first by the bride and groom, with Mrs. Minnie Carson serving assisted by Mrs. Riggs and Mrs. Alvah O'Neil.

The groom recently returned from 40-months overseas duty. The young couple will be at home to their friends at 1306 O avenue, La Grande.

The moment a camel loses its footing in a stream, it turns on its side and exerts no effort to save itself from drowning.

In Appreciation

I Wish to Thank

. . . the chairmen and their assistants for the fine work they did in presenting the Union County Horse Show.

. . . the Queen and her attendants and their parents for their genuine interest.

. . . the directors and participants of both drill teams and the Mt. Emily Quadrille Team for their co-operation.

. . . the Indians and all the contestants for their help in making the Horse Show a success.

HARLEY D. SMITH
President, Maverick Club

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