

# LOCALS

Kingsley Stone WT1c left Friday of last week for Philadelphia where he will study diesel engineering. He has served three years with the navy in the South Pacific area.

Billy Miller arrived home last Saturday to spend the holiday season with home folks after completing a 7000 mile cruise with the merchant marine service.

George Pischel motored to Corvallis Tuesday to attend a regional meeting of the REA.

Mrs. C. Neuhaus motored to Estacada Monday taking her son who was inducted into the armed forces. Mrs. Neuhaus returned to Estacada Tuesday where she will be employed as telephone operator by the Estacada telephone company.

A large number of boys from Sandy and vicinity have been arriving home to spend the holiday season, some from overseas and some from stations in the states. A register of those arriving is being kept at the office of the local ration board.

John Christensen and Billy Johnston left Monday evening for Los Angeles to spend the holidays with the former's sisters, Mrs. Phyllis Calhoun and Mrs. Ruth Christensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. LaGourgue left Tuesday night for Los Angeles where they will spend the holiday season visiting relatives. Their son, Robert Jr., is in an army hospital at that place with malaria.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson received a letter early this week from her husband who is in a hospital in England recovering from wounds received in action on the European front. A brother of Mr. Anderson has been reported killed on that same front.

Jack Harbert was over from Estacada Tuesday on business with the local ration board.

The Eastern Star is sponsoring a card party at the Masonic temple, Saturday night, December 23. Everybody is invited and a good time is assured.

The Kelso Women's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Bagley on Thursday, December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tooley will go to Clatskanie to spend the holiday season. The latter's parents celebrate their golden wedding anniversary December 24th and all their children will be present to help them celebrate a double holiday.

A large number of local Odd Fellows motored to Estacada Tuesday night, taking a candidate to receive the third degree which was conferred by the Estacada lodge. After the meeting refreshments were served and a smoker enjoyed.

The Post was a little premature in announcing last week that a new man was to take over the Sandy Shoe Shop. We were informed that the deal had been closed and that the new man was on hand to take charge but Friday something happened and the change failed to materialize.

Mrs. Robert Jonsrud reports that the total sales for Xmas seals to date is \$240. All returns should be sent in as soon as possible so that the drive can be cleared up.



## To Each and All--

May your Christmas of 1944 approach in joyousness the carefree Christmases of early years when you dreamed of the coming of St. Nicholas.

**Empire Furniture Co.**  
Gresham, Oregon



The approaching holiday season makes us appreciate more than ever before the priceless value of our friends and customers, like yourself. It reminds us, too, of the sacrifice being made by many of our friends now in the service of Uncle Sam. To you, and to all these, go our thanks for your patronage in 1944 and our wishes for a joyous holiday.

**MEINIG'S Inc.**



A MERRY CHRISTMAS

**Chapman Funeral Home**  
SANDY ESTACADA



## "OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE"

sums up, in two words, the achievements of our armed forces. We, too strive for outstanding performance in every item of service. We thank you most cordially for your good will and patronage and wish you the Season's Greetings.

**LA GOURGUE'S CAFE**



Yuletide draws people closer together, helps us all towards quiet friendliness and group enjoyment of days like Christmas.

A most proper time for us to express our sincere appreciation for your friendship, and to wish for you an abundance of Xmas joy.

**DUKE & PROCTOR**



Wishing You A  
**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**Brownie Beauty Shoppe**



—a candle in the window  
—the gleam of a star on a tree  
—the light in the eyes of a child on Christmas morning.  
But Christmas is more than these . . . how much more we cannot put into words, but you do know that we are wishing for you all that Christmas at its best implies, and all that Christmas can bring.

**LEUM'S**  
General Merchandise



As one hands down a good name, Christmas each year hands down its traditions, and all are good. It has been a tradition here to regard the good will of our customers as the most precious asset. In this holiday season of 1944 we extend to you not as a customer, but as a friend, our very best wishes for a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

**Greenwood Truck Line**  
"The Old Man of the Mountain"



## YULETIDE JOY

As you tie up your Christmas packages think of us. We'll be thinking of you . . . thinking of how good you've been to us in 1944, and of what a pleasure it has been to serve you. And we'll be wishing you a very MERRY CHRISTMAS.

**Bunnell's**  
Variety Store