

Co. Service Officer Reports To You:

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OREGON VETERANS BONUS

Latest information on the bonus is that application will be available on or about October 1, at county clerk's office, post offices, V.F.W., and county service officers.

Veteran must have been a bona fide resident of Oregon at least one year immediately preceding the commencement of active service, with active duty of at least 90 days between September 16, 1940, and June 30, 1946. Living veterans are required to submit a county clerk's certified copy of discharge with the bonus application.

Photostatic copies will be accepted provided they have attached to them a statement signed by the county clerk, stating it to be a true copy of the original and containing the notary seal. Navy veterans also must submit the certified copy of Navy Form 553 with their application.

In the case of deceased veterans, payment to survivors shall be made as follows: (1) To the unmarried wife (or husband); (2) If there is no surviving unmarried wife (or husband), then to the surviving child or children equally; (3) If there is no child or children, then to the parent or parents equally.

In order to qualify for the bonus survivors of deceased veterans must establish (1) That the veteran was eligible and (2) the survivors' eligibility as next of kin. The following documents must accompany the application: (A) If the veteran died in service a certified copy of the official

notification of death (letter, not telegram); (B) If the veteran died following service, a certified copy of the discharge papers and a certified copy of the death certificate, also evidence of relationship, as the case may be; (C) In the case of deceased veterans, relatives are urged to contact your county service officer that he may assist in securing of needed certifications.

Survivors of veterans who were killed in action or who died of service connected wounds and veterans discharged with service connected disabilities of 50 per cent or more, granted by the Veterans' Administration within three months of separation from service are eligible to the maximum amount of \$600.

Your county service officer plans on being in Brookings on September 19 to attend the meeting of Brookings Post 966, V.F.W., also to confer with Malcolm Brainard, chairman of the Brookings-Harbor area and to arrange possible contact points where applications, assistance and notarization will be available to veterans.

Call, write or phone your county service officer for further details. Assistance will gladly be given in filing of applications.

Wives Urged To Purchase Flour

If every housewife of the state laid in a six months' supply of flour, a considerable easing of the wheat handling situation in Oregon and the Pacific Northwest would result, it was pointed out by E. Harvey Miller, chairman of the state committee, Production and Marketing Administration, USDA.

The official United States De-

partment of Agriculture estimate, made by Neils I. Neilson, agricultural statistician for the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, US DA, is a 28,708,000 bushel crop, second largest on record for the state of Oregon. Although the wheat is harvested and adequately stored due to substantial increases in storage capacity in recent years, there is still restricted movement to Portland and other Pacific Northwest terminal facilities.

To make a 100-pound sack of flour requires 136 pounds of wheat, or slightly more than 2 3/4 bushels. Storage of 100 pounds of flour in each of 500,000 Pacific Northwest homes would translate into a new wheat crop storage of from 1,135,000 bushels which would appreciably ease the daily movement problem, especially for wheat coming from eastern Washington to Puget Sound ports and Longview and Vancouver on the Columbia river.

Handling of the new crop is annually a problem which progressively grows more acute for both Oregon and Washington, although Oregon has largely solved the storage problem by substan-

tial construction in recent years. Linked to this fact are such unforeseen developments as the necessity for movement of troops and supplies to Korea and this year's Kansas flood destruction of rail cars.

Change Noted At Conty Fair

It has been noted by those attending the Curry County Fair that quite a few changes have been made which are a decided addition to the fair. In the Agricultural building the new location for floral displays gives more room and more opportunity for all arrangements to be shown to better advantage.

New tables for fruits and vegetables gives a chance for better arrangement there and a place to accommodate many more entries. The addition of the Girl Scout booth and the Juvenile Grange booth are an added attraction.

At the barns a new sheep shed, built by Henry Adolphson and his crew, answers a long-standing problem of shelter for that type

of livestock. It should result in building a better display in this part of the livestock show.

The Wranglers and 4-H clubs from Brookings area are to be commended for the active part they played in making a successful fair. Their work was thoroughly appreciated by all who had any part in preparing for the county fair and also those who saw them in parade and horse show and races.

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NOTICE

\$50. reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who stole a ladies black silk night robe with other articles from my home in Brookings the day my wife pass-away, April 27, 1951. The robe is solid black silk with raised white silk flowers all over the back and was a keepsake of my deceased wife. I will gladly pay this reward for the recovery of this valuable robe and to punish the culprit who stole it. This offer stands as long as I live.—Robert Lee Williams.

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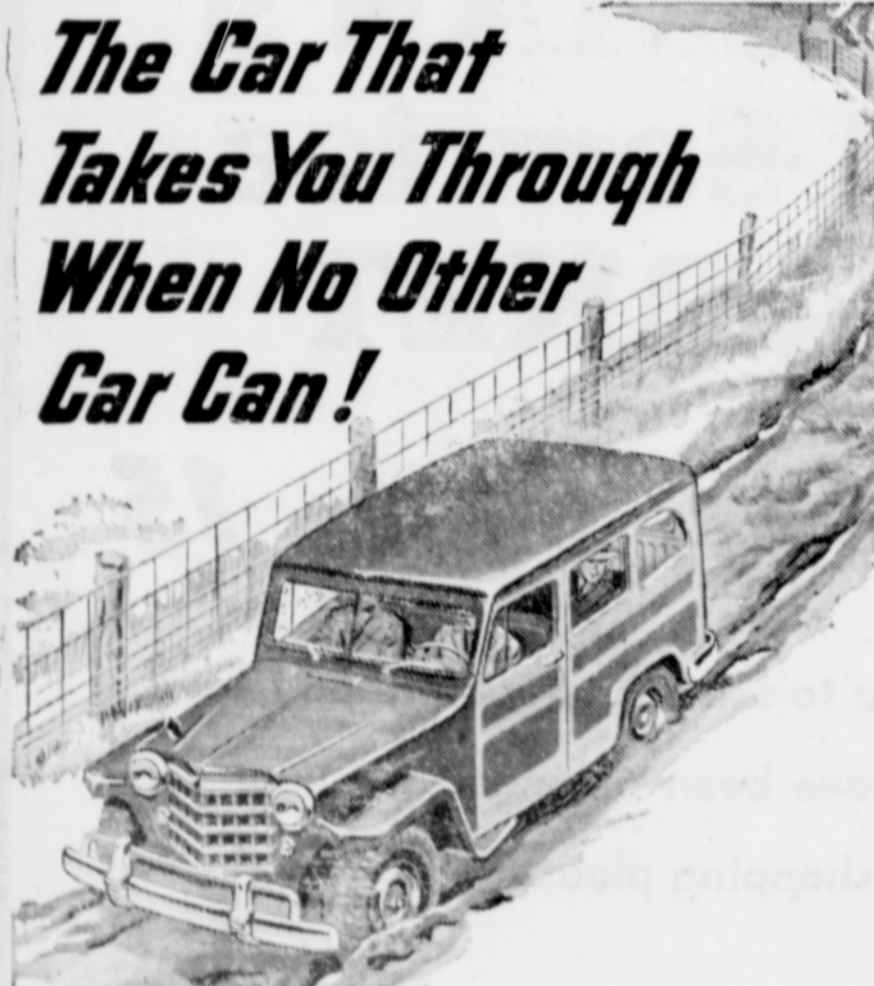
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