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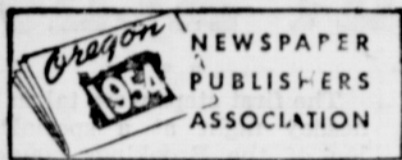
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forms offer a retreat where those who start wars can once again be safe from any holocaust which they are instrumental in starting.

One solitary factor, however, gives me consolation. Competing with the instinct for survival is the equally powerful sex instinct. No man is going to banish himself into space and leave the dear ladies behind and no woman is ever going to let herself get far from the shopping center and the beauty parlor. Thus there is still hope that my original conclusion will stand.

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Why any woman would want to be a waitress has always been, for me, one of the mysteries of the age. If she received a fabulous salary, I could accept that as a plausible inducement; but from what I can learn, very few of them are sailing their own yachts.

This thought came to me recently as I sat eating my breakfast in a Portland hotel. While waiting for my short stack, I looked down the long line of hungry consumers at the counter and found myself trying to visualize the scene as it must appear to the waitress.

It certainly must be a harrowing sight to have facing you fifteen to twenty ravenous humans, all gnashing their teeth, slurping their soup, inhaling their coffee, gulping and swallowing, and at the same time watching your every move.

Worst of all, there is always one of those characters, who not content with eating like a hog must also remain true to the animal kingdom by making like a wolf. Deeming himself the answer to any maiden's prayer, he ogles as he munches and between swallows serves his own worried line to the gal across the counter. Little does he realize that she is much more concerned with the state of her bunions than she is with any Romeo dripping syrup down his shirt front.

This is the same sort of ignorant lover-boy who when confined to a hospital bed assumes that because the nurse, in her line of duty, rubs his back that the act is tantamount to announcing their wedding date.

Rivaling the wolf in this ability to cause waitresses to grow old before their time in the public griper. This is the guy who in spite of the fact that at home he never dares raise his voice relative to the quality of the meal placed before him, suddenly, with an audience, endeavors to establish himself as a connoisseur of food. The waitress, trained to respect the old fairy tale that the customer is always right, suffers ridicule and embarrassment as old Milquetoast makes up for the fact that at home he isn't allowed to open his mouth.

I dream of the day when I may be so fortunate as to witness a waitress cooling a wolf's ardor with a pitcher of ice water strategically distributed or silencing a chronic critic with a lemon meringue pie flush in the puss.

**Hassett Family Leave**  
For Japan Home

Mrs. Chas. Hassett and three daughters, of Seattle, Wash., have just left for Japan to join 2/Lt. Chas. T. Hassett, who is now stationed at the Tokyo International Airport, as a weather forecaster for the Air Force. Charles has just finished a ten month tour of duty in Korea and expects to spend the next two years in Japan.

He received his first experience in Meteorology as a relief observer at the local weather station and then spent four years at the U. of W. at Seattle. Both he and his wife are former Brookings residents.

Reach that buyer through a the Pilot Class Ads.

**SEALS IN MAIL FOR COUNTY**

This year's Christmas seals are in the mail, after a hectic week end by a group of volunteer women who sat down in the Pilot building all day Saturday to get the envelopes addressed, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Lester Twohy.

Others helping Saturday were Mrs. Paul Whirry, Mrs. James E. Koeller, Mrs. Cliff Beem, Mrs. Charles Stanhurst, Mrs. William B. Johnson, Mrs. Wayne Davis, Mrs. William Rooney, Mrs. Clyde Sellers, and Mrs. Edward Peterson.

The volunteers were members of many local organizations in-

cluding the VFW Auxiliary, Azalea Garden Club, Lions Auxiliary, Topaz Rebekah Lodge.

Several children also helped with the posters. They were Jeanne Beem, Nigel Smih, and Kathleen Ann Koeller.

The group is working in cooperation with Dr. Cartwright, Curry County Health Officer, and Mrs. Eben "Doratheia" Miller, Curry County public health nurse.

**FLY TO MICHIGAN**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reiser have left Brookings to fly back to Flint, Michigan, where they will pick up a new 1955 Buick. From there they will make a tour of the south, including New Orleans and visit relatives in Los Angeles before returning home.

**We Need 30,000,000 Signatures**

There isn't much point in raising a big hue and cry about that fellow Wisconsinite, Joe McCarthy, although individually the publishers of the Pilot have some strong feelings on the subject.

One thing that has attracted our interest though, is the rash of petitions being circulated, both pro and con.

Petitions are pouring in to New York on which 10,000,000 "Americans for Democracy" are supposed to have signed backing the Senator and his methods.

Then Saturday we noted in the big city papers where group is trying to secure petitions with 20,000,000 signatures which will condemn McCarthy and his methods.

Now, we in this office are busy printing petitions which we are going to circulate, calling for 30,000,000 signatures "to forget about the whole damn business".

Who is going to try to 40,000,000?

**FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH**

By **CLIFFORD P. ROWE**

Until just recently, I was steadfastly firm in the opinion that war was a highly remote possibility. Regardless of the continual threats of conflict, I had arrived at my stand after some deep study of nations and the men comprising them. I had also delved a bit into psychology, the science which explains why men act the way they do.

The psychologist claims that one of the man's primary instincts is that of self-survival. Practically every thing he does is based on the desire to stay alive. It was only natural to assume,

them, that with the arrival of the atom and hydrogen bomb, man would give up fighting.

History of wars shows that the older men who santed the wars did not have to fight them. As a result the instinct for survival had no influence on their decisions. With the high-powered bombs of today available, the man who decides that we shall go to war is putting himself on the spot. His own home, his family, and even he, himself, can be blasted from the face of the earth just as quickly as the man in uniform packing the rifle.

That is why I had to come to the conclusion that wars were to be a thing of the past. Today, however, I am not feeling so confident. I have been reading in the paper that both Russia and the U. S. are racing to see which can be first to shoot a space platform clear out beyond the pull of gravity. Whoever gets there first will be in a position to keep an eye on the entire world and to watch every move of any possible enemy.

What the scientists aren't aware of and a fact that the press has so far overlooked is that these Peeping Tom space plat-

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