



ITALIAN GRATITUDE—NAPLES, Italy—Grateful is this Italian woman as she kisses the hand of an American infantry officer, a member of the Fifth Army, shortly after the American troops occupied Naples.

### War Chest Fund Workers Start Drive Reedville Women's Group Sets Meet;

REEDVILLE—Church Women's association will meet October 28 at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Grant Brown. Mrs. Otto George will lead devotions. Mrs. E. J. LaRue will give a talk on "Alaska." Mrs. Brown Mrs. Anna Lingman, Mrs. Arvid Nordlund and Mrs. L. Bleakney will give a synopsis of the four study books available for this year. War Chest Drive Starts Mrs. Harry Bear and Mrs. Archie Brown, who are in charge of the United War Chest drive here, have appointed assistants in various parts of the community who will solicit each home. All are asked to give liberally to this most worthy cause. Mrs. Donald Hammer (Helen Inlay) left early Saturday by train for Santa Ana, Cal., where she joined her husband Lt. Hammer, who is stationed there indefinitely. Miss M. Weber and Mrs. E. Weber of Beaverton, sister and mother of Mrs. Dan O'Meara, came October 19 for an indefinite stay at the O'Meara home. Miss Weber is seriously ill with plebitis. Mrs. M. J. Wooley, who worked as a welder in the shipyard since June, gave up that work Saturday. She may return to work after a period of rest at her home.

### Committees for PTA Announced; New Club Formed

REEDVILLE—P-T-A met Friday afternoon at the schoolhouse. Mrs. LaRue, president, announced her committees for the ensuing year as follows: ways and means—Mrs. Oscar Hagg; Mrs. Archie Brown; membership—Mrs. Ida Kirkwood; Mrs. Grant Brown; publicity—Mrs. Anna Taylor; Mrs. M. Vandermast; hospitality—Mrs. Grace McOrnick; Mrs. A. Taylor; budget—Mrs. Charles Inlay; Mrs. G. Brown; Mrs. I. Kirkwood; magazine—Mrs. Elmer Gray; program—Mrs. Henry Classen; Mrs. Charles Stubbs; Mrs. Peter Lambing; Miss Vivian Hesse; social—Mrs. A. Carlson; Mrs. A. M. Mathesen; Mrs. A. F. Melek; Mrs. R. Hannaford; round-up—Mrs. Louis Harris; safety and war emergency—Oscar Hagg; Charles Inlay and Charles Stubbs; Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Brown gave reports from county council held October 12 at Sherwood. Mrs. Brown reported 25 members. Mrs. Hagg reported more than \$62 in war stamps sold Thursday at school. Tea was served by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. La Rue and a social time was enjoyed.

**New 4-H Club Formed**  
A local 4-H sewing club has been organized with Mrs. F. L. McGeorge as leader. As only four girls were able to be present at the meeting at the school Friday afternoon, the group met again Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McGeorge to complete organization. The "Darn It" club was chosen as a name. Pat Bramhall was elected president; Joanne McGeorge, vice-president; Eileen O'Meara, secretary; Flora LaRue, song leader. Other members are Joan Wagenblast, Ida Lou Hagg, Leone Nelson, Beverly Bramhall, Ann Marie Melek and Pat Wolfe. They will meet at the various members' homes the first Sunday of each month for instructions, given by the leader, the sewing to be done later at their homes. The first project will be hemming of tea towels. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

**Demonstration Given**  
The 4-H Breakfast club met the afternoon of October 7 at the school. Joan Beasley and Darlene Hill demonstrated the making of Scottish fancy cookies, and Gertrude Snipes and Gertrude LaRue the various methods of serving jelly. At each meeting following the business session and demonstration a 20 minute social period is allowed the other members while the demonstrators are completing their food preparations, after which a general serving is given to all present. Thursday (today) Wayne and Harold Morris will demonstrate and serve vanilla drop cakes and Dick Carter and Franklin Richards, baked apples. Mrs. H. Bergquam and Mrs. J. Lorentzen in charge.

**Mrs. Walters Honored**  
In celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. John Walters, a group of 22 relatives gathered for a dinner party at her home Thursday. Guests were present from Beaverton, Cedar Mill, Reedville and Vancouver, Wash.

**Mrs. Belle Fires of Portland was a guest for a week of Mrs. Ernest Graf. Mrs. W. J. Wilcox, also of Portland, spent part of the week with her daughter here.**

**Beverly and Barbara Brown of Mawazine, who stayed with their grandmother, Mrs. Grant Brown, for several weeks, returned Friday to their home.**

**Members of Beaverton orders of Masons, Eastern Star, and Job's Daughters met Saturday night for a pot-luck dinner and social evening at the Masonic Temple in Beaverton, with more than 200 in attendance. A clever skit was given by 10 courtesy girls, including Phyllis Lambing of Reedville, Harry Ellender, most worshipful master of the Masons, and Mabel Goyt, worthy matron of the Eastern Star chapter, were in charge of the event.**

**Mrs. Williams Delegate**  
NORTH PLAINS—Mrs. Mabel Williams attended as a delegate from Friendship No. 8, Grand Temple of the Pythian Sisters in Portland on Monday and Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Hazel Hollenbeck also attended the session. The intermediate room received new song books Monday morning. There are 46 children in this room.

### New Play Club At Cooper Mt.

COOPER MOUNTAIN—A new Cooper Mountain Play club, sponsored by the local P-T-A, held its first meeting Friday evening at the schoolhouse. The play club is a unit for children and young folks of the P-T-A. The dues are 25 cents a year. All children are invited to join. The money from the dues is used for games and amusement of members. Meetings will be held on the third Friday evening of each month, on the regular P-T-A meeting. Miss Geraldine Taylor was acting sponsor for the first meeting.

**Sale October 29**  
The Cooper Mountain P-T-A is sponsoring a white elephant sale on Friday evening, October 29, at the schoolhouse. There will be a free program and refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

**Nine new stars were recently added to the service flag at the Cooper Mountain school. One red star was added for Miss Susan Johnson, who joined the WAVES. This is the first red star on the flag.**

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**Nineteen were in attendance at the Cooper Mountain Sunday school last Sunday, and the birthday of Mrs. Charles Clayton was honored. The missionary collection was \$10.03. Last week this Sunday school again sent \$23 away to missions.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hiddleston returned to their home in Portland, after spending the past week at the Charles Barron home.**

**Mr. R. W. Riley reports that Cooper Mountain won out in its quota in the recent bond drive.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McDonald and son Kenneth have returned to their home in LaGrande after visiting at the R. W. Riley home.**

**With the China Pheasant season being open, many hunters from Portland are in this community trying their luck at hitting a bird.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weiss and family of Newberg have moved into the Ross Hart house on the former Rychen place. Their son Lloyd is attending the Cooper Mountain school as a seventh grader, and their daughter Miriam is a sophomore in the Beaverton high school.**

**Mrs. Bertha Palmer, Clara Erickson with her parents, and Myrtle L. Riley attended the last meeting of the county council of the P-T-A held at Sherwood October 12. They report a large crowd and special speakers were present.**

**Filbert picking is just about over in this community. A good crop was harvested at each orchard.**

**No business firm should send out a letter without its being on a printed letterhead and in a printed envelope. It lends dignity to the business and gives it good advertising.**

### Local Editor Back From Board Meet

Verne McKinney, Argus editor, returned Thursday from a week's trip to Chicago, where he attended the meeting of the board of directors of the National Editorial Association of which he is vice-president. Annual NEA advisory council meeting, which includes state press association officers, was held at the same time. Among the principal speakers were Eric Johnston, president of the United States chamber of commerce, and Palmer Hoyt, domestic director of the Office of War Information and president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers' association.

Travel conditions remain crowded and dinner problems seem to be getting worse. Chicago hotels are taxed to the limit and are forced to turn away many guests regularly.

### Stunt Night Postponed By Walther Leaguers

SCHIEFFLIN—Walther League Stunt night scheduled for Friday has been postponed until next month due to the abundance of activities just now.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mix and children of Milaca, Minn., who for the past month have been visiting Mrs. Mix's brother, Rev. C. J. Krueger, and family, have purchased a home and small acreage near Forest Grove. They took up their residence there Saturday.

Zion Ladies' Aid met Thursday with Rev. C. J. Krueger conducting the devotions. Plans were made to clean the parish hall October 19. Mesdames P. Hergert, H. Sahnow Jr. and Kenneth Biersdorf were elected to investigate the feasibility of affiliation with the Lutheran Women's Missionary League. It was voted to make a donation to the Lutheran Hour. Mrs. R. W. Heinrich was empowered to purchase a throw rag for the church. Hostesses were Mesdames P. Hergert and Kenneth Biersdorf, who carried out decorations in a patriotic theme.

Mrs. G. J. Schwanke, who has been for some time under the care of Dr. Sears at the Portland Convalescent Home, arrived home Friday.

Mrs. C. Evers and children of McMinnville have been visiting the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vanderzanden.

Mrs. H. Kerkman is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meinecke, of Sherwood.

Do your trading with Hillsboro merchants. Money spent at home remains to circulate locally and may eventually get back to you.

### Methods of Defeating Tire Gremlin That Causes Grief for Motorists

Ever hear of a little guy called "Skippy"? Most every motorist has suffered from his antics at one time or another. Skippy is the mythical little Gremlin who follows in the wake of the first stormy weather of winter time, and brings grief and woe to those unwary motorists who have worn their tires until the tread is smooth. He's an unmanageable imp, and whenever he starts working on a tire the result is liable to be disastrous. While he's one of the busiest of the tire Gremlins right now, he has plenty of helpers to promote punctures, cuts, blowouts and uneven wear.

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"No you weren't, George. The truth of the matter is that a year before Pearl Harbor, the beverage distilling industry voluntarily offered its facilities to the government. Many companies started to produce alcohol for war purposes almost immediately. And just as soon as the government's requirements increased, the distilling facilities of the entire industry were converted 100% to the production of war-alcohol and nothing else. As a matter of fact, the beverage distilling industry is producing about half of the government's needs for this vital war material. And that's a 24 hour a day, 7 day a week job, George."  
"I'm glad I told you about my talk with Sam, Judge. You've given me a lot more facts on that subject."

**Program Scheduled For North Plains**  
NORTH PLAINS—The primary room is practicing on a program to be put on October 26.  
Richard Sande of Meacham fractured his arm October 17 while playing with other boys who were playing on a porch.  
Sgt. D. Ward, Mrs. Roy Roger's brother, was about to be sent overseas when his ears became infected and he was sent to a hospital for an operation.  
Mrs. M. L. King is visiting her parents in Minneapolis, Minn.  
Mrs. M. Thies, mother of Ralph Thies, visited with her son and family Sunday. Marnel Thies went with her grandmother to Cottage Grove for a week's visit.  
Audrea Miller, Dan Miller and Mike Miller of Salmon, Idaho, entered the North Plains school Monday.

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