

Couples Are Honored On Anniversaries

ALPHA HUBER—Chore of the Aloha Community Baptist church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ewer for a pot-luck dinner Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ewer and Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Love also celebrated their wedding anniversary.

Ole Tollefson is home for a visit from the merchant marine. He has enjoyed visiting with his brother Fritz, who was a prisoner of war of the Germans.

Senior group of R. Y. F. from Aloha Community Baptist church enjoyed a picnic at Bellwood park Friday evening.

Store Opens—Electric Home store in Aloha was opened for business this week. Janna Higgins is proprietor.

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No Fraud Found in State Liquor Deal

No evidence of fraud has been found in the \$7,300,000 deal by Oregon and Washington through which the states purchased 3,200,000 gallons of liquor from the Waterfall & Frazier and Shawhan distilleries at a time when liquor stocks here were low, the legislative committee was informed by auditors in Portland last week.

State Senator Paul Patterson of Hillsboro is chairman of the legislative investigative committee. Other members are Senator Angus Gibson of Junction City and Representatives Ralph T. Moore of Bend, Henry Senon of Klamath Falls, and Harvey Wells of Portland. The auditors for the committee are Smith, Kimberling & Co.

The committee sessions were last Monday and Tuesday. The next meeting will be in about a month, when it expects the audit of the deal it has ordered from the auditors to be completed.

Job Well Done—The railroaders are as much a part of the war effort as the army and navy themselves; they are performing a war duty unequalled in magnitude, with insufficient equipment and personnel; and they have, by the sheer brilliance of their performance, prevented an acute transportation crisis from becoming a national disaster.—Chicago Herald American.

Cpl. Wismer with The 12th Air Force

HEADQUARTERS, 12th AIR FORCE, Italy—Cpl. Lawrence H. Wismer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wismer of Hillsboro, Ore., is serving with headquarters squadron air command of the 12th air force, which furnished air support for the 5th army in the victorious Northern Italy campaign.

Preparing for the final drive in Italy, fighter bombers, night bombers and other aircraft of the 22nd tactical air command dealt devastating blows to the German forces in the Po valley. Day after day they cut enemy supply lines, blowing up rail yards, motor transport concentrations, fuel and ammunition dumps, military equipment and factories.

When the Po valley push got underway, the 22nd TAC fighter-bombers concentrated upon close air support of the advancing ground forces.

Both on the ground and in the air fighter control observers directed the fighter-bombers in the attack upon enemy-held points, barring the path of the 5th army. P-47 Thunderbolts, Spitfires, A-20 Havocs, A-26 Invaders, P-61 Black Panthers, Mosquitos and Kittyhawks were called as they were needed to liquidate these targets, often employing newly-perfected fire bombs and rockets in the process.

School Consolidation Proposed in County—Consolidation of the Laurel, Laurelvale and Fir Grove districts for elementary school purposes is up for consideration, according to County School Superintendent Austin T. Scafford. Petitions have already been received from Laurel and Laurelvale.

The districts will vote some time this month, he said.

County Men Killed On Field of Battle (Continued from page 1)

Gaston, according to word received from the war department last week by his parents. The 19-year-old combatant entered the army May 21, 1944, and went overseas in January with an infantry division. He is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos, who formerly lived at Hillsboro.

John Amos, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos, has been missing in action in France since October 6, 1944. Also an infantryman, he had been wounded in action in Italy and hospitalized three months prior to transferring to France, where he was listed as missing. He had been overseas for over two years.

Tigard Man Killed—Jordon Lee Mootler, 19, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Mootler of Tigard, lost his life on May 13 when his LST was struck by a Japanese aerial torpedo off the island of Ie in the Ryukyus, according to word sent by his commanding officer.

A graduate of Tigard high school, Mootler enlisted in the navy in December, 1943, and was a motor machinist's mate third class. Mootler took part in the invasion of Normandy June 6, 1944, and of Iwo Jima and Okinawa. For the month prior to May 13 his ship had been operating as a supply vessel for small boats at Ie.

Memorial services for him and other members of the crew who lost their lives were held June 10 on the island.

Soldier Missing—To Bob George, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. George of Portland and formerly of Reedville, is reported missing in action over Tinian May 25, according to a message from the war department received Thursday by his parents.

He is a graduate of Beaverton high school class of 1942 and graduated from the bombardier flying school at Big Springs, Texas. He trained for turret bombing on a B-29 before going overseas.

Robert L. Prater, ship cook 3/c, husband of Mrs. Gladys McPrater of Glenwood, reported missing in action.

First Lt. Walter M. Dickinson, son of Mrs. Dorothy E. Dickinson of Sherwood, reported missing in action in Pacific.

Marine Wounded—Marine Cpl. Lloyd Spencer, husband of Mrs. Alice E. Messenger of Astoria and son of Mrs. Alice E. Baxton, has been wounded in action.

70 Per Cent Traffic Fatalities Were Rural—Seventy per cent of the traffic fatalities reported in Oregon during the month of May occurred in rural areas, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell said this week. Of the 27 persons killed in accidents, 19 were killed in rural areas.

There were three bicycle fatalities in May, the first to be reported so far this year, Farrell said. There were only four pedestrians killed, the lowest pedestrian fatality toll of any month so far this year.

For the first five months of the year.



"FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS," starring Gary Cooper and Ingrid Bergman, film version of the celebrated novel by Ernest Hemingway, opens a seven-day run tonight at the Hill theatre.

Bombers Blast Nippon Cities; Drive Near End

Japanese radio Thursday said two powerful American air fleets attacked the Tokyo area, the port of Nagasaki and other targets on Honshu and Kyushu, the 30th straight day of pre-invasion softening blows.

Island Drive Near End—Entire Philippine islands now liberated and the campaign can be regarded as virtually closed, Gen. MacArthur announced Thursday. He said the Japs employed 23 divisions—more than 400,000 men—which were practically annihilated. Mopping up last hideouts left to native guerrillas.

Biggest B-29 Raid—Greatest B-29 fleet ever to hit Japan sent a flaming 4000 tons of incendiary bombs down on four of the empire's industrial cities before dawn Monday—a record load for the record number of nearly 600 Superfortresses.

Supers Hit Japs—Four fleets of B-29s, totaling between 450 and 500 planes, struck four Jap cities with nearly 3000 tons of fire bombs Wednesday.

Land at Balikpapan—Australian ground forces land at Balikpapan on Southeast Borneo and secure firm beachhead, Gen. MacArthur announced Monday.

Defense Readied—Japs announce plans to evacuate civilians from Singapore as allied power to east on Borneo rolled up dangerously close to the great island base.

Casualties Mount—An increase of 6258 casualties reported in the last week raised total for armed forces in World War II to 1,038,937, of whom 239,583 were killed.

Fleet Casualties 9731—Pacific fleet casualties from March 18 through June 29 were 9731, bringing total cost of Okinawa seizure and all associated naval operations to 46,319. Of the total, 11,897 were killed or missing.

Less Two Destroyers—Navy announces sinking of two U. S. destroyers—Twigg and William D. Porter—with casualties of 24.

45th Sub Lost—Navy reports that submarine U. S. S. Tragger overdue and must be presumed lost with all its officers and men.

Spatz to Head Bombing—General Carl A. Spaatz, who directed strategic bombing that leveled Germany, given same assignment in Pacific.

Stettinius Appointed—Edward R. Stettinius, who has resigned as secretary of state, named by President Truman as U. S. representative to the United Nations.

Byrnes Appointed—James F. Byrnes of South Carolina, former senator, supreme court justice and war mobilizer, appointed as secretary of state by President Truman.

Pioneer Breakup of Germany—U. S. group of allied control council institutes program which it hopes will lead to complete decentralization of Germany by breaking it up into regions. Three allies may approve program after Yanks enter Berlin July 4.

Navy Takes Over—President Truman Thursday ordered the navy to seize the strike-bound Goodyear Tire and Rubber plants at Akron.

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Gerber-Mitchell Nuptials Friday

At a beautiful church wedding with nearly 175 relatives and friends, Miss Helen Mitchell of Portland became the bride of Reuben Gerber at 8:30 Friday evening at the White Temple Baptist church.

Following the reception in the parlors of the church the young couple left for several days' honeymoon at the beach, after which they will make their home at Bethany where Mr. Gerber is farming.

DeFrees Celebrate 34th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. DeFrees celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary Wednesday, July 4, with a family dinner at their home here. This was the first time in nine years that the family had been together.

Those present were Sister Mary Gilbert and Sister Mary of St. Mary's Academy in Portland, Lt. and Mrs. Norman DeFrees, Mrs. Marshall Hatfield and son David of Portland. Many relatives called during the day to offer felicitations. In the evening, Mr. and Mrs. DeFrees were entertained at a dinner party in Portland by their son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. DeFrees.

Home on Furlough

First Sgt. Hugh Rogers and wife, Sgt. Alma Rogers, of San Francisco, arrived Saturday night for two weeks' furlough with Mrs. Rogers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Eslinger, and Mr. Rogers' relatives.

Holiday Guests Here

Holiday guests of the R. W. and J. J. Englehardts were Miss Clara Van Fossen, Miss Katherine Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Lampman, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Portello, and babies, Mrs. Elizabeth Tullos and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mason, all of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Paynter and daughter Pam of Tillamook.

Visit from Tacoma

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Schulmerich of Tacoma, Wash., arrived Tuesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mitchell.

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