

Service Men

Where They Are—What They Are Doing



David F. Furlough has received a letter from Charles E. Winslow, formerly of 1569 Chemeketa street, Salem, praising the members of the local VFW for sending packages through to the boys in the service. Winslow, a veteran of the marine corps in the first world war, has enlisted to serve again in the navy. Furlough is serving as Hungry Nit of Carry on Puget No. 6, and Mrs. Furlough is secretary of Marion post 861, VFW.

Sgt. Tech. Otto Bowman, Salem attorney and active Chemeketa up to a few months ago, is spending a brief furlough in Salem with his mother, Mrs. Mary M. Bowman and his young nephew, Sammy Bowman. A brother, Carl Bowman, who is completing his work toward a master's degree at University of Washington, spent the weekend here also. The sergeant leaves Monday to return to Camp McCain, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. George O. Surgeon of Parkway Drive have received word of an impending visit from their son, First Class Petty Officer George Lee Surgeon, and Mrs. Surgeon in July. Mrs. Surgeon will arrive about the first of the month while Surgeon will come several weeks later in a navy bomber. Surgeon has been in the navy over two years, training at San Diego and seeing eight months service in the South Pacific. Since October he has been stationed at Cleveland, Ohio, where he is an instructor in the General Motors school. Mrs. Surgeon is the former Ruth Brewnlee of Salem.

Merill Graag Van Cleve, torpedo-man second class in the United States navy, is missing in action according to official information received by his wife, Mrs. Alice Van Cleve, 2954 North Church street. A similar message was received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Van Cleve of Aumsville. Merill Van Cleve, 24, was graduated from Aumsville high school as an honor student and attended Willamette university where he participated in numerous campus activities prior to his enlistment in the navy in June, 1939. On his last furlough in Salem last autumn, at which time he and Mrs. Van Cleve, the former Alice Tucker, were married, it was made known that he had been serving on a submarine which had been credited with sinking four Japanese ships and damaging three others. The submarine was at Manila at the time of the first enemy attack. Relatives in addition to Mrs. Van Cleve and his parents include two brothers, David and Kenneth Van Cleve, and his grandmother, Mrs. Beatrice Merrill, 119 Raleigh Drive, Salem, and Mrs. M. G. Van Cleve, Winlock, Wash.

Marion county men formed a large part of the servicemen who were inducted into the navy at Portland recruiting station recently. Men inducted from the district were: Charles Harold Beardsley, Lyle Donald Dierks, Lyle Leslie Dow, Ronald Vernon Haskins, Raymond Gerald Klecker, George David Lassie, Owen Keith Lomborg, Lawrence Lester Plank, Harry Gordon Robertson, Daniel Harding Ross and Peter Schweigert, Salem; Calvin Elbert Welch, Hubbard; and J. D. Neal Bruce and Wayne Tommy Finnegan, Scio.

Ray Farmer, son of Mrs. Velman Farmer, Salem, has reported to Salt Lake City for his initial training and will later complete his training at Camp Hood, Tex., for service with an anti-tank platoon. Farmer had completed three years at the University of Oregon before enlisting in the army and was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

Pvt. Kenneth L. Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson of Turner, has reported to Kansas State college where he will take courses preparing for his appointment as an aviation cadet in the army air corps.



Neil A. Thompson, petty officer third class, has returned to Salem after spending 16 months in the Alaskan combat district with the fleet. Thompson told his mother, Mrs. Verna Thompson, that "the states looked mighty good to him."

Enlisting in the navy as apprentice seamen who will take recruit training at Camp Farragut, Idaho, for six weeks are: Wendall Ulysses Macklin, route three; Arthur Douglas Parkes; John Peter Crockett; Freddie Theodore of Silverton; Neville Sevald Johnson, Silverton; Corwin Charles Logue and Robert Cecil Landon of Scotts Mills; Elmer Malon Jorgenson, Gervais; John Lanier Loyd, Independence; James Howard Smith, James Oral Sheldon, and Ansell Trone Ramey, route four, Salem.

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Auto Driver In Accident Is Jailed

Sgt. Melvin Huff, driver of a car which mowed into two parked cars in the Hollywood district Friday night, resulting in injuries to one of its seven occupants, was committed to the Salem city jail Saturday when he failed to pay a fine of \$100.

The fine, meted out to him by Municipal Judge Alfred Mundi, was on a charge of reckless driving and followed police and civilian testimony to the effect that no other moving vehicle was involved in the wreck and that the Huff car was driven at a high rate of speed.

Huff and a Sgt. Reeves on Friday night had maintained that they were sideswiped by another vehicle. No report on the condition of Sgt. Robert Mundi, injured in the crash, was available Saturday. He was taken by city first aid men to an army first aid station in the Salem area and by ambulance ordered by medical officers to Camp Adair hospital.

JEFFERSON—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knight received word this week from their son, Bill Knight, in New York, that he was leaving immediately for a visit at home. He is on active duty in the navy and this will be his first trip home since his enlistment.

Mrs. Blanche Libby visited recently with her nephew, Lt. William B. Adams and Mrs. Adams, Lt. Adams, who has been an instructor at Las Vegas, Nev., for the past seven months, is being transferred to Del Rio, Texas, with an eight-day leave, allowing them to make this trip and visit other relatives on the coast before moving farther east.

Lt. Maurice Mangis, pilot in the US air force training corps, is now stationed at Madras. He visited his grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Warner, and Jefferson friends Wednesday. Mrs. Mangis and children are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weddle in Salem, former Jefferson residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Wright enjoyed a visit last week with Mrs. Wright's brother, Cpt. David Lane, who is in the tank destroyer's division stationed at North Camp Hood, Texas. He had been visiting his father, C. H. Lane at Gresham, who has been ill. Mrs. Wright had not seen her brother for 15 years. Cpt. Lane reported that LeRoy Beach of Jefferson was in his division at North Camp Hood, while in training.

Hal Harrold, 1911/e US navy, arrived by plane Sunday for a two-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harrold of 1320 Ferry street. He has for the past two years been on active duty in the south Pacific. He reports his brother, Bruce Harrold, well, and recently advanced to shipfitter 1/c. The boys have been shipmates for the past three years. The third brother, Sgt. Harry B. Harrold, is in New Guinea.

Mrs. Lucy Lichty received word from her son, Pvt. Russell H. Lichty, that he was in a hospital in the south Pacific suffering from asthma. The war department reported another son, Donald R. Lichty, as still missing in action in the Philippines. Her son-in-law and daughter, Pvt. and Mrs. Ernest Doerfler, at Camp Young, Calif., sent word they were enjoying California.

Edward J. Yarnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Yarnell, 215 Park street, Salem, is stationed on the campus of Northwestern university studying radio transmitting and deciphering navy code messages. After completing his courses at the university within the next 16 weeks, Yarnell will be assigned to duty with the fleet.

Roy Letz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Letz, of Ft. Lewis, Wash., is home over the weekend. Another son, Walter, is at Camp Claiborne, La., and William is attending cook's and baker's school at Vancouver, Wash.

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'Chute Bombs New Weapon For Invasion

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—The invasion of Europe may be heralded by clouds of parachute bombs, filling the sky and raining deadly metal fragments on enemy personnel.

The use of parachutes in conjunction with fragmentation bombs was disclosed today by the army ordnance department as a new-but-old weapon proving its worth against the Japanese in the southwest Pacific.

The parachute bombs, strewn by low flying planes, float earthward slowly and explode accurately at a desired distance above the ground. The bombs are small never weighing over 30 lbs., but contain a high ratio of metal to explosive. The blasts distribute the fragments at high velocity.

Parachute bombs are not new. They were developed in this country some 10 years ago, but now are undergoing a revival of use, said Col. Merle H. Davis, commanding officer of the St. Louis ordnance district.

Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenny, commander of allied air forces in the southwest Pacific, helped develop the parachute weapon originally.

Blood Donor Registration Urged Here

Registrations of persons willing to give a pint of blood for the American Red Cross blood bank to be used in transfusions for fighting men on the nation's battlefronts are needed before Tuesday, E. J. Scellars, American Legion blood bank chairman, said Saturday.

The mobile unit, operating out of Portland, will be at the First Methodist church here from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Tuesday, with an army doctor, Red Cross nurses and volunteer assistants from the Marion county Red Cross chapter.

Requests for a later appearance of the unit here, so that blood could be donated after regular working hours met with the explanation Saturday that no other hours could be used for the blood donation.

The material gathered here must be taken to Portland, properly refrigerated and sent in the one shipment which leaves that city daily for the Berkeley plasma plant. Blood given at another hour could not be shipped within the necessary time limits for plasma manufacture, Scellars explained. The Berkeley plant is one of two on the Pacific coast, and it is "detached" to receive and care for the Oregon shipment at a specific time.

Persons interested in making this needed donation to the war effort and to the men who are bearing arms may register by calling the Red Cross office, 9277.

GT Club Raises Red Cross Funds With Fish Pond

ROBERTS—GT club met with an all day meeting to sew on Red Cross material in the Lee Eyerly basement. Proceeds from the pot luck lunch and "fish pond" netted the Red Cross funds \$10.25.

Members present were Mrs. Alice Coolidge, Mrs. S. C. Davenport, Mrs. Arthur Thompson, Mrs. Lee Eyerly, Mrs. Ernest Gray, Mrs. Frank Needham, Mrs. John Orsborn, Mrs. George Higgins, Mrs. Clara Blankenship, Mrs. Frances Bressler, Mrs. Albert Blankenship. Guests were Mrs. George Judson, Mrs. Blanche King, Cynthia Needham, Mary Jane Orsborn, Yvonne Gray and Donnie Blankenship.

Club will meet again at the home of Mrs. Alice Coolidge, July 8.

Protest No-Strike Bill

Protest to the proposed labor anti-strike bill were made to congressional leaders today by the Portland Metal Trades Council, AFL.

Miss Zemlicka Goes to Trinidad

JEFFERSON—Miss Fern I. Zemlicka of Portland has been visiting the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Zemlicka of Jefferson, before leaving for Port of Spain, Trinidad, where she will

be employed by the US army engineers. Miss Zemlicka was graduated from the Albany high school in 1940, where she was also majorette of the Albany band. She has been employed at the Portland army air base for the past year. She left Tuesday night on the Portland Rose for Miami, Fla., where she will embark. Miss Jane Symms of Portland will accompany Miss Zemlicka.

Mrs. Irene Pratt and children have moved from the Parrish house one mile north of Jefferson, to Mrs. Bishop's house a half mile farther on the Jefferson-Talbot road. Mrs. Oswald Pendegrift and children of Salem are spending a week in Jefferson visiting at

the home of her parents, Mrs. W. L. Cobb.

Heads Field Station

Lee W. Jacobs, Klamath field station which will report the Klamath Falls district office July 1.



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