

### Civilian Defense Need Recognized

The war department is "thoroughly aware of the importance of maintaining a well-trained force of civilians in our communities to assist the war department to meet possible war hazards beyond the scope of its primary mission," Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson has declared in a statement issued to civilian defense councils of the nation, Marion County CD Administrator Bryan H. Conley said Wednesday.

"This requires the continued maintenance and training of the civilian protective forces along our Atlantic and Pacific coasts for protection against all such war hazards, including air raids," Stimson's statement continues. "In inland areas, the continuance of civilian defense training to protect against disasters of all kinds is likewise of major importance," he adds.

Stimson's statement was issued when he was informed that recent orders placing air raid warning spotters upon alert instead of a 24-hour basis and others limiting blackouts and practice air raid alerts involving public participation might create misunderstandings among legislators making civilian defense appropriations.

Simultaneously with Stimson's declaration came an announcement from the headquarters of the Seattle fighter wing of the fourth fighter command that the aircraft warning service was not included in the recent war department orders limiting civilian defense blackout drills to Sundays and once each three months.

Emphasizing that it is necessary to the air defense of the coast that the AWS be ever ready, the headquarters spokesman, addressing his announcement to the 15,000 AWS volunteers on the Pacific coast, asserted that drill alerts will be continued at frequent intervals to insure efficient operation. There will be no set schedule of drills so that the AWS will be prepared in event of an emergency and the status of the AWS, which was changed from 24-hour operation to a standby basis on October 16, 1943, is not altered, the announcement declares.

### He's in Love So - - -

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10—(AP) The girl friend said, "I dare you to stand on the railroad tracks and stop the train."

So William Kane, Jr., 19, struck a pose, arms folded, on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks at 23rd street. An electric suburban train approached at 40 miles an hour. It ground to a stop a few feet from Kane, who maintained his Napoleonic stance.

City and railroad police arrested Kane on a charge of trespassing. The girl had disappeared.

At a police station, Kane refused to name his companion. "I'm a gentleman," he said. "Why did you do it?" "I'm in love."

### Snappy Stitchers Hold Meeting

SIDNEY—The Snappy Stitchers met at the Sidney school February 3. The standing committees were appointed as follows:

Program, Florence Marlatt, Lois Boswell and Jeanette Gilmour; social, Darlene Winns, Dona Zehner and Betty Wintermantel; exhibit, Donna Wiederkehr, Lois Boswell and Darlene Winns; contest, Jeanette Gilmour, Donna Wiederkehr and Lois Boswell; special committee, Dona Zehner, Florence Marlatt and Betty Wintermantel. The club members sewed and worked on a needle case. Refreshments were served by the leader.

### Swegle 4H Clubs Receive Home Posters

SWEGLE—Members of the 4H clubs have received the club emblems for display in their home windows, the first year some have had them. The intermediate grades have started work on the annual spring health posters. The upper grades have just completed some unusual pictures using pussy willows for cats with amusing results.

### Club Demonstration Will Be Held

MIDDLE GROVE—Mrs. John C. Cagle is directing 4H Cooking clubs and two, which meet at the school each Wednesday. A demonstration will be given at the meeting at the home of Mrs. Cagle. Biscuits and coconuts will be prepared. Janice Bevens is taking cooking two and Carol Hilliker, Shirley Page, Joan Fabrey and Betty Satter are in the cooking one division.

### Valley Births

SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jacobson of Mount Angel are reporting the birth of a daughter at the Silverton hospital on Wednesday, Mrs. L. A. Meyer, RN, is helping out at the hospital during the nurse shortage.

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# Fruit Bread 15¢

Deliciously studded with fruits and nuts. Makes grand bread-and-butter sandwiches.

### That Homemade Flavor for Your Sunday Dinner—Broad Pan Rolls

# 11¢ Doz.

Heat in the oven a few minutes and serve piping hot with butter.

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## Her Valentine Gift From You Because She Likes Lovely Things



Fred Meyer Parade of

# Slips

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Pamper her love of beauty and personal daintiness with a gift of a Fred Meyer slip for her valentine—these have been chosen with an eye to trim fit and good style.

Fred Meyer Women's Wear Section

### For Parties or a Family Treat A Lovely Holiday Cake Sweetheart Cakes



# 75¢

Made of light, moist silver cake, two layers, frosted with melt-in-your-mouth icing. The heart-shaped delicacy will serve 14 to 16 generous portions.

Valentine Cookies, heart-shaped, 20¢ dozen Fred Meyer Bakery Section

### Rat in a Trap!



This is what we've been working for all along. This is the year to hit and HURT the enemy. This is the time when everything you do counts double. If we all get together and do ALL we can, we'll be over this hurdle and well on our way to complete and crushing victory.



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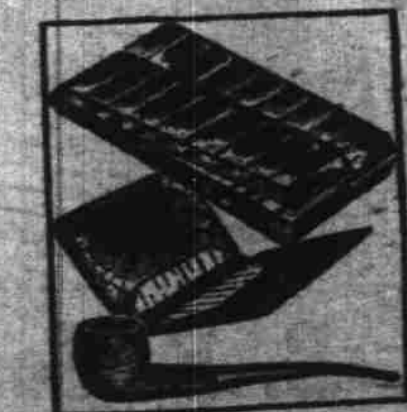
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