

Service Men

Where They Are—What They Are Doing



24,000
Cpl. Dan Cohen of the Trallblazer division here counts the bonds that represent the \$24,000 purchase he made recently during the fourth war loan drive at Camp Adair, shoving the division's quota over the top. Cpl. Cohen, whose army pay amounts to \$64 a month, scraped and saved and sunk his profits from his New Orleans business in government bonds to obtain one of the largest single holdings at the camp.

MT. ANGEL—William Brockhaus, chief electrician's mate, USN, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brockhaus of Mt. Angel, is here on a 30-day leave after a year and a half of service in the south Pacific. Brockhaus has been in the service six years, enlisting in the navy soon after he graduated from Mt. Angel college. When he returns to duty, he will be assigned to an aircraft carrier.

Wallace J. Reed, radio technician first class, has been a visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. Arden Reed for a few days, leaving on Saturday morning. Reed has been transferred from the university at Houston, Texas, to Del Monte, Calif., where he will be radio instructor.

JEFFERSON—Mrs. E. M. Ackerman has received word that her grandson, Norris Doty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Doty of Klamath Falls, is in an army hospital and will return home in two months. Doty, instructor in the air corps, has been in the service for the past two and one-half years. He has seen action in the south Pacific, where he was wounded, receiving the purple heart.

GERVAIS—Word has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bierly, that their son, Cadet Elmer L. Bierly, has been advanced and is now engaged in preflight training at the San Antonio aviation cadet center.

Jimmy Schneider, fireman first class stationed with the coast guard at Port Angeles, Wash., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schneider, accompanied by his recent bride.

Pvt. Robert Edwards, stationed with the engineer corps at Camp Abbott, was a recent guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards, 1511 South Liberty street, while on furlough. He

was accompanied by his wife and small son of Sweet Home. A visit was also had with a brother, Lawrence, of Turner.

George William Koski, whose Salem address is 555 North Winter street, has been promoted from first lieutenant to captain in the army air forces, the war department has announced.

Mrs. Leonard Greig of 841 South street was notified by telegram from the war department that her brother, Sgt. James R. Sewell, was seriously wounded in Italy on January 30. No details were given. Sewell lived at Labish Center before entering the army. Charles Hines of Salem is his foster father.

Albert John Frick, Corvallis, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant in the air corps, according to an announcement from the war department.

Ralph H. Asbury, Jr., has completed his boot training at Far-ragut, Idaho, and is now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Asbury, route 2, Salem, for a 15-day furlough.

Pvt. Charles F. Bilow of the US marines, has notified his mother, Mrs. Leone Danniel, 1190 Colonial avenue, by V-mail of his arrival overseas and that he witnessed the taking of the Marshall Islands. Bilow is with a tractor battalion and is now driving an amphibious tractor. He was formerly employed by the Dairy Co-operative association hauling milk to Camp Adair.

SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rue are expecting their son, Walter Rue, home from Fort Benning, Ga., this weekend.

SILVERTON—Capt. John D. George, infantry, was awarded the silver star for gallantry in action on Scout Ridge, New Guinea recently, according to word reaching here Thursday. Mrs. George makes her home with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Dahl at 307 McClaine street, Silverton. Capt. and Mrs. George lived at Salem prior to his entry in the war.

Many spots in the Holy Land have been visited by Cpl. Albert F. Doogan, technician fifth grade, nephew of Mrs. A. C. Meyers of 1434 North Cottage street, who is with the signal aviation corps somewhere in Egypt. The excursion into Palestine was made possible by the Red Cross, and was highlighted by such experiences as a swim in the Red Sea, visit at St. Joseph's church in Nazareth and the Garden Tomb.

Mr. and Mrs. John Majeski, 3380 North River road, have as guest their son, Ralph V. Majeski, seaman second class who is home on 12-day leave. Young Majeski will enter V-12 training on March 1 at Occidental college, Los Angeles.

DALLAS—Staff Sgt. Delbert Hunter of the US marines is spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Florence Hunter, who accompanied him and is

spending some time in Salem visiting her parents. Hunter has been stationed at San Diego for the past year.

Kendall Helgeson is spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Helgeson. Helgeson is with the military police stationed at Delta, Utah, and this is his first visit home since entering the service.

Valley Sidelights . . .

Cook? Want a Job?
SILVERTON—Leo Childs, prominent Salem broker, was being admired in a chef's outfit at Silverton this week.

However, the admiration was not lavished upon Mr. Childs himself but upon an old-time photograph which someone had dug up. It was recalled that Mr. Childs spent his youth in the Silverton community and that at one time his parents owned the home now owned by Mrs. M. J. Madsen.

The occasion for the chef's costume could not be recalled, but the photograph was enjoyed.

Taking in Washing New?
PEDEE—The C. L. Burbank home was destroyed by fire last Sunday night, only a washing machine and an electric iron were saved. Welman works and lives at the Simpson Logging company camp on Ritner creek.

Shearers Wanted
SILVERTON—A shortage of sheep shearers is feared at Silverton, according to gossip current in local sheep-raising circles. It is rumored that a number of former sheep shearers will not function this spring because of other employment or because of too much work on their own ranches.

With the shearing season scarcely more than seven weeks off, considerable concern is being expressed over this new problem of life on the farm.

450 Pillows—Soft Job?
HOPEWELL—Fourteen men of the congregation attended the annual wood cutting for the United Brethren church Wednesday and cut, sawed and piled nine cords in the basement. It is part fir and oak.

The men were dinner guests of the Ladies Aid, who had gathered for the weekly all-day quilting when 12 were present.

Lebanon Board Gets J. W. King

LEBANON—James W. King, principal of the high school in LaGrande, Oregon has been named by the Lebanon school board, to take the position of superintendent of the Lebanon schools left vacant by the resignation of Milton E. Coe who will go to Salem where he will be associated with the vocational education department of the state. The choice of Mr. King was made last Monday when he met here with the Lebanon board. It was announced until Mr. King had been formally released by the LaGrande schools. Mr. King is expected to begin his work here March 6.

Before going to LaGrande Mr. King was superintendent of the schools in Union and Imbler. He received his bachelor's degree from Pacific university in Forest Grove, and his master's degree from the University of Oregon. He is married and has three children. Mrs. King and the children will remain in LaGrande until the close of the school year as Mrs. King teaches there.

National Airs Feature Program

LAKE-LABISH—A patriotic program with much singing of national airs marked the 212th anniversary of George Washington. Several patrons of the school attended the program. Much of the children's work was displayed including many pastel and crayon landscapes by the children under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. E. M. Dimick. The children are also completing a fine Afghan for some government hospital. Children at this school are from beginners to eighth grade.



George Reeves, Paramount's new male heart-throb, tries to talk love-ly Claudette Colbert out of bathing him in "So Proudly We Hail" which is now at the Capitol theatre. But Nurse Claudette has her way in this, and subsequent scenes. The picture co-stars her with Paulette Goddard and Veronica Lake. Sonny Tufts, another new male find, is also in the film, as is Walter Abel. Companion feature on the bill is "After Midnight With Boston Blackie" starring Chester Morris.



"The Fighting Seabees," a tale of the navy's hard-working, hard-fighting, hard-loving battalion with John Wayne, Dennis O'Keefe, Susan Hayward, is now showing at the Grand.

Pratum Red Cross Quota Is Announced

PRATUM—Red Cross solicitors for Pratum area with Mrs. W. E. Branch, captain, met at the Pratum school Thursday and received instructions for beginning the drive March 1. Two hundred dollars has been set for the Pratum quota, \$80 for Centerville and \$50 for Willard. Mrs. Erickson and Elton Thompson were the speakers.

Solicitors attending were Centerville, Mrs. H. H. Paget; Willard, Mrs. Adam Hensch; Pratum, Mrs. George Kleen, Mrs. John Roth, Mrs. C. A. Lynds, Mrs. Archie Bowen and Mrs. Louis Cornu.

Dress Exhibit To Be Held

UNIONVALE—Eleven members of the Unionvale unit of the Yamhill county home demonstration attended the "Labor Saving in Meals" lesson given Wednesday at the Waldo Maker home.

Miss Jean McElhinny of McMinnville assisted by Mrs. Maker and Mrs. Charles Andrews were leaders and served the luncheon prepared in the demonstration.

Louis Gross, 4-H club county leader gave gardening talk. The Yamhill county home demonstration Spring festival will be held in McMinnville May 12. Each unit will display its own choice of outstanding achievement for this year's work. The local unit voted to display 16 "new dresses."

Silverton Feels Draft

SILVERTON—The large group of Silverton young men who took their pre-induction examinations on February 22 will take from the community a number of the prominent younger men who have previously had other classifications because of family and occupation. The loss will be felt in many local establishments.

Among those who passed their examinations are Clarence Simpson Smith, Roger Earlrand Anderson, Clifford Eklund, George Lovett, Leonard Strobel, Ronald Hicks, Syron, Earl Huston Wells, Vernon Vincent VonDracke, Kenneth James Frad, Virgil LeRoy Scott.

The men have 21 days in which to arrange their affairs before induction.

'Desert Song' Is Lavish

Morgan, Manning Star in Color Musicals

In one of the most lavish settings given a motion picture in recent years, Warner Brothers has gone all-out in its production of "The Desert Song," which is now showing at the Elsinore theatre.

The highly musical, highly entertaining film stars Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning, with a supporting cast of such favorites as Bruce Cabot, Lynne Overman and Gene Lockhart. Filmed in gorgeous technicolor, the picture has successfully recreated the wild beauty and indescribable love-liness of northern Africa, the setting of the story.

"The Desert Song" has been modernized and brought up to date for the film production. The intrigue of German agents operating in North Africa, using the French as unwitting cats' paws, has been drawn on to give the story present day significance.

Joan Davis, top radio comedienne, is the star of song-and-laugh associate feature, "Beautiful But Broke," which incorporates six popular hit-tunes in its story, including "Shoo Shoo Baby" and "Pistol Packin' Mama." The two features afford real entertainment balance to assure Salem theatregoers a maximum enjoyment of the program.

Dennis Morgan portrays a dual role in "The Desert Song." As Paul Hudson, he is cast as an itinerant American musician, stranded in French Morocco. This is the character he portrays to hide his identity—as that of El Khobar—long-time friends of the Rifis, who spends the major part of his time aiding their cause in lightning-like raids to free them from enslavement by the Germans.

Running throughout the story are exquisite renditions of Sigmund Romberg's beautiful music, all of which has been included in this successful present-day version. The much-loved and familiar numbers such as "One Alone," "The Desert Song," and others are greatly enhanced by the youthful singing team of Morgan and Manning.

Staats Named Polk Officer

DALLAS, Feb. 26—Tracy Staats, deputy county treasurer for the last year, was this week named county treasurer to succeed Rachel Hawkins, who resigned because of ill health. Mrs. Hawkins was named treasurer by the county court two years ago upon the death of her husband, George L. Hawkins, who had been treasurer. She was elected to the office in November, 1942, and Staats was named deputy in February, 1943.

Since her resignation Mrs. Hawkins has been with her daughter, Mrs. A. Gerlinger, in Salem.

Staats has indicated he will be a candidate to succeed himself in the office. The appointment by the county court is only until the next election.

Old Alm Store To Be Reopened

SILVERTON—That the old Alm store will be reopened here in the near future was the report by Julius Alm, former owner and manager, this week. However, Mr. Alm, who retired from business some months ago, does not plan to reopen, but his son, Otto, formerly associated with him here, will open in late spring, it was said. The young Mr. Alm is at present employed at Wenatchee, Wash., but plans to return to Silverton as soon as school is out.

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3 Women Star In Army Nurses' Drama

Three great stars, Claudette Colbert, Paulette Goddard and Veronica Lake, a great producer and director, and two new male heart-throbs, George Reeves and Sonny Tufts, all have contributed to the production of one of the finest pictures ever made. It is "So Proudly We Hail," triumphantly returned to Salem for its popular request showing at Warner Brothers Capitol theatre.

"So Proudly We Hail" tells the stirring story of a group of American army nurses who fought side by side with their men on Bataan and Corregidor. What happened to them before they were flown to safety in Australia, how they lived and loved on the besieged islands, is unfolded in a movie that is tops in entertainment.

Two exciting romances, one between Miss Colbert and George Reeves, another between Miss Goddard and Sonny Tufts, are played against scenes that reproduce, amazingly well, the action on the Philippines. They are scenes to be long remembered and to see again if the picture has been seen before.

"After Midnight With Boston Blackie" with Chester Morris as the fictional Boston Blackie is associate feature on the program.

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Silverton Man In Astoria Post

SILVERTON—Rev. Alexander Borrevik, a graduate of the Silverton high school about 20 years ago has been appointed director of the Lutheran Service Center at Astoria, according to word reaching Silverton. Before going to Astoria, Rev. Mr. Borrevik was in charge of a pastorate at Madelia, Minn.

The Center has attracted rather wide attention. It is situated in the business corner of the city of Astoria, and contains a small chapel where marriages have been performed, a snack-bar, where there is always something to eat for the service men, and the larger reading and recreation room.

Rev. Mr. Borrevik is a son of the Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Borrevik who were in charge of the Calvary Lutheran church at Silverton for many years and who are now at Everett, Washington.

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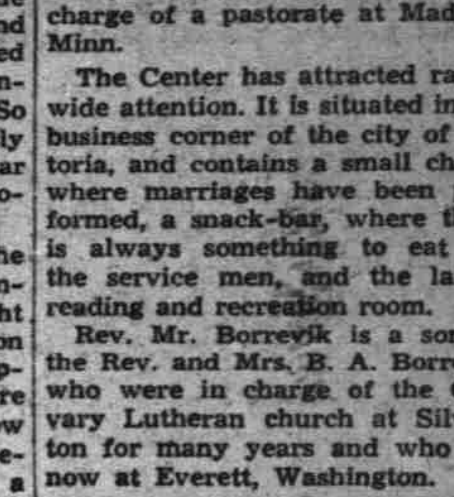
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Leslie Howard explains to high officials the principles of his new design in aircraft in a scene from his picture "Spitfire" by Samuel Goldwyn. The second big hit is Bing Crosby co-starred with Dorothy Lamour in "Dixie," their swiftest and gayest musical hit of all! Both features appear Sunday through Tuesday on a double bill at the Hollywood theatre.



Brought together for Warner Brothers technicolor production of "The Desert Song" where the accent is definitely on action and music, Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning have their first opportunity to do what Hollywood has long denied them—sing. Joan Davis is beautiful but broke in the companion on the program now showing at the Elsinore theatre.

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