

War Casualties 400,000-Mark

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Officially announced today that 400,000 war casualties were passed as compared with 389,125 a week ago. The total of 400,000 as compared with 389,125 a week ago, included 337,743 killed, 64,468 missing, 177,235 wounded, 48,725 prisoners of war and 47,315 missing. The army total was 10,020 more than that announced by the navy a week ago. The navy total was 1,508 larger than that of a week ago.

Senate Passes News Freedom Resolution

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The senate adopted unanimously today and sent to the house a resolution calling upon the United States to assume leadership in espousing the world-wide right of a free inter-change of news. The chamber acted without a word of debate immediately after Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) called its foreign relations committee called it up for passage following earlier approval by a subcommittee. Connally told his colleagues the proposal grew out of the introduction of news freedom resolutions by Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) and one he had drafted himself. Stimson announced that of the army wounded, 72,583 have returned to duty.

SPRINGFIELD

Child Care Center Moves To Lincoln

SPRINGFIELD—Working parents in the Springfield community may now be assured of all-day care of their pre-school children, it was announced Thursday. The child care center, operated during the summer months at the Brattain school, has been moved to the Lincoln school building until a separate building is available.

Sponsored jointly by the Springfield public schools and the federal works agency, the center includes in its day care, mid-morning fruit juice, a substantial well-balanced dinner at noon, mid-afternoon milk with sandwiches or cookies, naps, supervised play, music and stories. Government assistance with funds also makes it possible to provide before-and-after-school care of school-age children. All child care is under the supervision of qualified teachers.

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Teacher Shortage Reported Acute

PORTLAND—(AP)—Although no Oregon youngsters are being denied the "three R's," an acute teacher shortage exists; the Oregon State Teachers' association said here. Dr. Frank Parr, executive secretary, said that more than a hundred teachers are sought. Districts now open are operating with reduced staffs, and the shortage will become greater after Oct. 1. "By doubling up" teachers have been able to give some sort of instruction to pupils attending classes, Dr. Parr said. "The association is pressing a search for new teachers," the secretary continued, "and has made up a list of all vacancies. We expect to find some new teachers, and induce many who have retired to return during this emergency."

Roger Alan Babbitt

Roger Alan Babbitt, 17, formerly of Springfield, died Monday in Oakland, Calif., where he had lived for the past six months. He had attended Springfield high school the last of his junior year, and was a member of Reedspoor high school's graduating class last spring. He was born Nov. 19, 1926, at Westington, S. D. Surviving him are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Babbitt, a sis-

ter, Vera Jane, all of Oakland; a brother, Boyd A., in the U. S. navy. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the Phil Bartholomew mortuary in Springfield, Rev. Ellsworth Titton officiating, and interment in Rest Haven memorial park.

POSTMASTER VACATIONING

SPRINGFIELD—Harry M. Stewart, postmaster, is spending his vacation visiting relatives in Portland and will return Sept. 29.

MARK BUSINESS TRIP

SPRINGFIELD—Frank Bouck and E. H. Silke returned Thursday from Portland where they transacted business over Wednesday.

MCDONALDS LEAVE

SPRINGFIELD—Charles McDonald, S 1/c, and his sister, Miss Molly McDonald, of San Diego, left Wednesday after a week's visit with their mother, Mrs. Ida McDonald.

SPRINGFIELD—WCS circle

meets Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. C. Elliott, 513 Eighth street.

Mrs. Louise Randle

Mrs. Louise Randle, 77, native of Germany and resident of Eugene for 52 years, died Wednesday at a local hospital. She was born as Louise Krichner in Germany, Feb. 23, 1867, coming to this country at the age of six. She was married to J. M. Randle in Nevada in 1886, and they came to Eugene in 1892. Her husband died in 1916 and since that time she has made her home with her son, Edward Randle, at 1432 Orchard street.

Surviving are eight sons and daughters; Edward O. and James L. Randle, both of Eugene; Mrs. A. G. Heaton and Mrs. Howard Platt, both of Eugene; Mrs. M. G. Porter, Salem; Mrs. Alice Tenge, Vallejo, Calif.; Frank R. Randle, Vallejo; W. A. Randle, Monroe, Wash.; 15 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. at the Veatch-Hollingsworth mortuary with interment in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Five Officers Killed In Crash Near Redmond

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—Five army officers were killed and one enlisted man suffered a broken ankle and severe shock when a two-engine C-45 army transport plane carrying Col. Earl L. Naiden, commanding officer of the 317th wing of the 4th air force crashed in the vicinity of Redmond, Ore., Wednesday.

The dead include Col. Naiden, of Monroe, La.; Lt. Col. Ernest C. Young, Stillwater, Okla.; Lt. Col. William T. Moody, Glenville, N. C.; Maj. Frederick A. Zamboni, of Wallace, Idaho, and Chief Warrant Officer Clair K. Benser, San Bernardino, Cal.

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From where I sit, the strength of America lies in that family spirit—in the tolerance and mutual respect and understanding that have made the American family a strong and vital force for good!

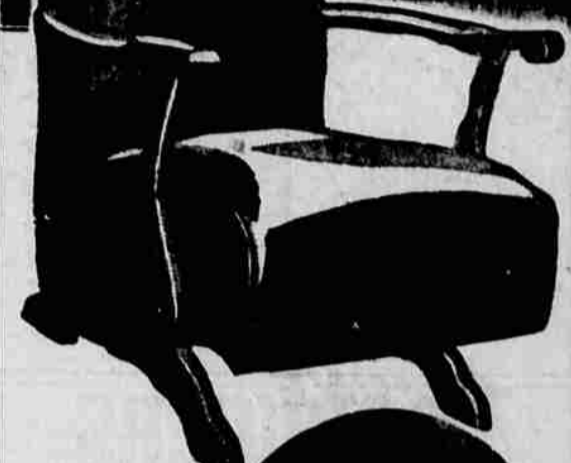
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