

# The Gold Hill News

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## The Cantonment, Who Gets The Benefit?

Practically every newspaper in this section of the state near enough to Jackson county's cantonment site, announced the definite decision of the government to go ahead with the building. Along with the news stories various opinions from editorial pens as to the benefits etc. were expressed.

The writer believes that one of our readers expressed a good working plan when he said that "home men" should be given first opportunity to work on the government project. We, all over Jackson county, are making preparation to care for the influx of transients but giving little attention to making sure that the thousands of our own people are assured of work. We have "indexed" every available house and living quarters but little has been said about labor. It is not reasonable to expect that Jackson county working men will continue to wade mud half knee deep and prune in the orchards while the

transients from California to Maine draw fat pay checks on the government project. While we are preparing to entertain strangers let's not forget to lend a hand to our next door neighbors.

There are great sacrifices being made by some of the residents of the cantonment area. People who have worked for years to acquire a home, many of them now past middle age, are being "rooted up" and forced to move. The places are being acquired, as far as it is possible to learn, at a very nominal figure, whereas other property in this area is advancing in price. In most cases the man who is forced to move will find his funds insufficient to purchase another home. Will transient men benefit or will thousands of dollars of construction funds remain largely at home? We are made to wonder sometimes if our home supported institutions will benefit or suffer because of the government project.

## Prowley Urges Help In Maintaining The Telephone Defense Service

The following is a message from president N. R. Prowley of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.

"Prior to the tragic events of December 7, 1941, we were engaged in devoting our efforts to National Defense. We are now in an armed conflict.

"Our country can move no faster than its communication services. We all have the great responsibility to get the message through. "Notwithstanding the splendid work which we have done and are doing, it is required of each of us that we not only intensify but also redouble our efforts to make certain that we render the best possible telephone service in these trying and critical times.

"Each individual in each department of our company has the responsibility to put forth an all out effort in whatever work in which he or she is engaged, thus welding us all in a united effort, to help win this crucial war. We are faced with the biggest job which has ever confronted us. Our patriotic duty is to do, and to do with a will, the work for which our industry exists.

"In July 1940, I sent each employee a letter in which I pointed out the necessity of maintaining strict secrecy of communications. Each new employee has since then, I am informed, received a copy of that letter. I now ask that each employee read again the whole text of that message. If you have not retained your copy, your supervisor will be glad to obtain one for you.

"In maintaining strict secrecy of communications, we have the responsibility of doing our work well and of not talking to outsiders about what we do, or where we do it. Something which may seem inconsequential to us may today be all important to some outsider. We need to be alert at all times to safeguard our service and to protect our property. Tell your supervisor, or anyone in authority, if you note any unusual occurrences or observe strangers loitering about our property. All of these matters are 'Alert Signals.' They call for prompt action!

"Recently, I sent each of you a message expressing my sincere thanks and appreciation for the courageous and effective way in which you are meeting the problems of these emergency days. I now repeat that message and assure you that I have full confidence that each of you will carry our Nation's war program in accordance with the finest traditions of our service.

"Let us all go forward a united group, working as hard as we can, using good judgment to keep sealed, and giving the best within well and strong, keeping our lips us to our beloved Country which means our all to each of us.

## Army Life Described in Letter Received Here

In a letter to one of his friends in Gold Hill, Charles Ring of the United States Army at Camp Roberts, California, tells many interesting events pertaining to army life. In part the letter, which was written January 9, was as follows:

"I was very glad to receive your Christmas package recently and also the one from my community. Well, I have had quite a good time since I joined the army. Here are some things about life in Camp Roberts: You have all the sunshine one wants in summer and all the rain one wants in the winter. You have all the hills you want to climb over and all the dust you can eat in a year of Sundays. We have a small town of about 750 population within three miles and another town of 35,000, 12 miles from camp. But put 28,000 soldiers in either one of them and the streets and stores are all full of army personnel. That is not all, we have the Greyhound bus lines right into camp, but they are crowded so that you have to walk or hire a taxi. If an army man goes to town he can not buy anything of value without paying forty dozen prices for it. So now you can see what we have to put up with. We go for overnight hikes in rain and mud and sleep in both.

## Oregon Certified Seed Best Bet in Field Corn

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## SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

MARY EVELYN SHORT and ARLET A. SHORT, wife and husband, Plaintiffs

vs. JOHN A. CHASTINE and JANE DOE CHASTINE, husband and wife; and all heirs at law of said John A. Chastine and Jane Doe Chastine if any survive; JOHN G. BABCOCK and JANE DOE BABCOCK, husband and wife; and all heirs at law of said John G. Babcock and Jane Doe Babcock, if any survive; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the Complaint herein.

To John A. Chastine and Jane Doe Chastine, husband and wife; and all heirs at law of said John A. Chastine and Jane Doe Chastine, if any survive; John G. Babcock and Jane Doe Babcock, husband and wife; and all heirs at law of said John G. Babcock and Jane Doe Babcock, if any survive; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the Complaint herein.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you and each of you are hereby notified and required to appear in the above entitled court and cause and answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's Complaint within four (4) weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons upon you which is the 8th day of January, 1942; and if you fail to appear and answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's Complaint within the time required, or want thereof, Plaintiff will apply to the Court for a Decree quieting the title to the Plaintiffs in the premises described as follows:

All of Lots Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Two (2), according to the official plat of the Town of Phoenix, Jackson County, Oregon, excepting a strip of land off of said Lot Three (3) ten (10) feet wide facing on the Pacific Highway and extending Westerly eighty (80) feet along the South side of said Lot Three (3), as said exception is described in Volume 102 at page 468 of the Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon.

as the absolute owners thereof in fee simple; and for a further Decree decreeing that Defendants and neither thereof have any right, title interest, lien or estate in or to said described premises or any part thereof.

This Summons is served upon you by publication once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Gold Hill News, a newspaper of general circulation published in Gold Hill, Jackson County, Oregon, by Order of Honorable H. K. Hanna, Judge of said Court, which Order was made on the 8th day of January, 1942.

Gus Newbury Attorney for Plaintiffs. Room 207, United States National Bank Building, Medford, Oregon. 34-4tc

## SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

ED. F. MYSICKA and H. A. MYSICKA Plaintiffs

vs. W. M. AWBREY, also known as WILLIAM M. AWBREY Defendant

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby summoned and required to appear in the above entitled court and cause and answer the complaint of plaintiffs on file herein within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons which is January 8th, 1942.

You are further notified that a writ of attachment in the above entitled action has been duly issued to the sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon, and that said sheriff has duly executed said writ of attachment by levying and attaching the coal, oil, gas and other minerals contained in the following described real property and the whole thereof, together with the right of ingress and egress, situated in Jackson County, state of Oregon, to-wit:

West one-half of the southwest quarter, Section 20, and the south one-half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 19, and the north half of Section 30, all in Twp. 37 South, Range 1 East, W.M.

You are notified that in case you fail to appear and answer plaintiff's complaint within said time plaintiff will apply to the court for a judgment against you for the sum of \$1,000, together with \$150.00, or such other sum as the court may adjudge reasonable as attorneys fees herein, and for their costs and disbursements to be taxed, and that said above described attached property be sold for the satisfaction of said judgment, together with attorneys fees, costs and disbursements, insofar as the same may be sufficient so to do.

This summons is served upon you by publication once each week for four consecutive weeks in the Gold Hill News, a newspaper of general circulation, published at Gold Hill in Jackson County, Oregon, by order of Hon. H. K. Hanna, Judge of the above named court, which order is dated January 7, 1942.

NEFF AND FROHNMYER, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 200-204 Cooley Theatre Bldg., Medford, Ore. 34-4tc

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Forest Exchange 022675, United States Department of the Interior, District Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Dec. 30, 1941. Notice is hereby given that Stuart M. Hawley and Lois W. Hawley, c/o Jameson and Jordan, Burns, Oregon, did on Nov. 28, 1941, make application under the act of March 20, 1922, (42 Stat. 465) as amended by the act of February 28, 1925, (43 Stat. 1090) to select certain timber from portions of Sections 25 and 36, T. 21 S., R. 2 E., W. M., Rogue River National Forest, Jackson County, Oregon, in exchange for the NE 1/4, NE 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 22 S., R. 28 E., Lots 2 and 3, Sec. 19, T. 22 S., R. 29 E., W. M., Ochooc National Forest Harney County, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming the lands selected, or having bona fide objections to the exchange should file their protests in this office on or before February 4, 1942.

GEORGE FINLEY Register 35-4tp

## Extension of Time For Registration of Horses and Mules to January 20

The final date for voluntary registration of horses and mules has been changed from January 10 to January 20.

Horse and mule owners are requested to report by card or letter no special form is necessary, to their County Agents the age, sex, color, whether riding or draft type whether broken or unbroken and whether or not necessary for owner's use, of each horse or mule between the age of three and ten years inclusive.

## Traffic Tips and Quips

Fixed object collision showed a strong increase in Oregon during the year 1941 when ten per cent more motor vehicles consumed 14 per cent more gasoline than was used the year before, figures compiled by the state traffic safety division disclosed recently.

Speed too great for existing conditions, lack of attention to traffic conditions and general lack of caution contributed to this increase in the number of fixed object collisions, it was said.

To avoid such accidents, drivers are urged to reduce speed on curves, to maintain adequate road attention at all times and to avoid taking dangerous chances while passing care.

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# Local Happenings

Charles Kell and Darrell Hendrickson went to Portland on a business trip. They left Sunday and returned home Tuesday evening.

Miss Beth Paulsen of Medford was a visitor in Gold Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thelma Kenaston and baby daughter, Darlene, of Los Angeles is visiting indefinitely in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kenaston and Mr. and Mrs. William Penninger. They arrived here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and Mrs. Hugh Hayes made a business trip to Oroville and Susanville last week and returned home late Saturday night.

C. A. Henderson of Portland Chief Clerk of the Railway Mail Service was a business visitor in Gold Hill Monday.

Fred Altman of Trail Creek was a visitor in Gold Hill Saturday.

Lauren Van Horn left Monday for Portland to take his physical examination to enter in the service in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Belcher entertained in their home Monday night in honor of Mrs. Belcher's brother, Ray Sutton of Medford, who is leaving soon for service in the army. Those who came for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Sutton, Robert Sutton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sutton and family, Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson and family, Mrs. Albert Garson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sutton and family of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hayes left Tuesday to go to Oroville to visit with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hayes for several days.

Miss Janet Mullin and Miss June Mullin of Medford spent last weekend visiting friends and relatives in Gold Hill. Miss Janet spent Saturday night with Miss Rae Clement and Miss June with Miss Uorma Lee Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenyon who live in California surprised their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kenyon, and Beverly with their arrival last Saturday afternoon for a visit. They stayed until Wednesday of this week. Sunday they all visited on Evans Creek in the afternoon.

According to an announcement from the S.O.C.E. Mrs. Valentine Cook Davis and Miss Elsie Montgomery were on the honor roll for the past period. Their averages were between 3.0 and 3.5 to get this honor.

Jim Martin left for Idaho recently where he expects to be employed.

Clarence Kell left Wednesday night for Portland where he will take his physical examination to enter the army service.

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