

# Marshall Says Army's Morale Hurt by Debate

### Chief of Staff and Stimson on Way West to View Maneuvers

Denver, Aug. 21 (AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall, U. S. army chief of staff, says the army's morale was "splendid" until it became a subject of national debate. "Naturally it has been affected by the public discussion of the length of service," he said last night in an interview. He would not say whether morale now is improving.

He and Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson planned a motor trip through the mountains before continuing their flight tomorrow to the Pacific northwest to observe army maneuvers.

General Marshall said the war department's decision to release selectees and national guardsmen after an average of less than 18 months service was not prompted by concern for morale.

"The move was taken in accordance with plans of the war department and statements made by me in my biennial report before these debates took place," he said.

"Morale is vital to an army; far more important than the character of its equipment and it depends in a large measure on the morale of the people behind the army and their unity of purpose."

"The decision to release selectees, he said, was a 'procedure necessary in order to make way for the annual increment of selective service men."

"Such a course would not be taken if a tremendous increase in the army were underway and I can say that it is not the case at the present time," he said.

"The decision to release selectees is 'holding up fine.'"

"These maneuvers are of utmost importance," he said. "They permit the making of mistakes at a time when such mistakes are not costly to the nation."

## People in The News

(By United Press)

**Cynthia Taft, 13**, grand-daughter of the late President Taft, is in serious condition from infantile paralysis at New Haven, Conn., hospital. Sen. Robert A. Taft is her uncle.

**Dr. Henry Noble McCracken**, president of Vassar college, said the United States would become involved in a war of staggering size if it committed itself to the eight-point policy drafted by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

**Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies** of Australia said in Canberra that his country is sending large quantities of supplies to Russia.

**H. B. Peterson** of Dillon, Mont., was elected vice-president of the Amateur Trapshooting association of America.

Wide circulation was given in Spain to charges by German Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels that policies of President Roosevelt constitute a "threat" to South America.

## Out Our Way



## By J. R. Williams

## S. W. Redmond

Southwest Redmond, Aug. 21 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Beach and daughter, Ruth, of San Francisco, were guests Monday at the Charles Wilden home. Beach is a brother of Mrs. Chas. Wilden.

Vernie Davenport has been spending a week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davenport. Sunday the family drove to Diamond lake, where Vernie was joined by friends with whom she returned to Medford.

Pay Hein and sons, of Prineville, were dinner guests Wednesday at the Owen Brown home. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Holt and children surprised Mr. and Mrs. Milfred Wallenburg of Terrebonne Thursday evening by arriving at their home with cake and ice cream, the occasion being Milfred Wallenburg's birthday.

Allan Aplet, of Salem, is spending a week as a guest of his cousin, Burton Brown.

of Sisters and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Brown and children enjoyed a picnic at Jack Lake Sunday. During the afternoon a sudden and violent electrical storm raged among the crags of Three-Fingered Jack, with sharp peals of thunder uncomfortably close.

Mrs. A. B. Davenport recently received a very interesting letter from her sister, who at present is living in the city of Quito, Ecuador, South America. She states that the town did not come up to expectations as far as cleanliness is concerned, but that they get along very nicely if they can manage to keep warm. Located both near the equator and very snow-covered mountain peaks, she says it is like sitting by a fireplace one freezes on one side and roasts on the other. Every one, even those in moderate circumstances, wears beautiful and luxurious fur coats, while the lowest class are content with plenty of blankets. Servants come in by the day, and living costs are low, but the housekeeper managing to feed the entire household on the equivalent of \$1.05 per day. This includes laundress, maid, cook and two chauffeurs. Gorgeous flowers grow everywhere, and vegetables, such as cabbage and lettuce, are enormously oversize. At the time the letter was written, people in the streets seemed to be celebrating some sort of holiday, but the writer remarks that it may have been merely another declaration of war.

Mrs. Jim Bozarth assisted Mrs. Marion Brownfield in cooking for harvest hands several days last week. Harvest operations in this community have been delayed in some instances by the recent showers, but combining, threshing and the cutting of the second crop of alfalfa are in full swing at the present time. Excellent crops are reported, considering the water shortage.

Pay Hein and family of Prineville, Paul and Lorraine Brown

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## MORE ABOUT Rain Sends

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all borrow pit material was washed away, leaving the highway elevated above a rocky foundation. At dusk last night, one-way traffic prevailed at several points.

A considerable flood of water crossed the highway in the basin just west of Millican. A heavy rain in the vicinity of the Cascade Lakes highway damaged roads near Dutchman flat yesterday, forest service officials reported this morning. Exact extent of the damage was not known.

The road between Dutchman flat and Sparks lake was badly washed in many places, and work now being done in that area was thought to be set back. Part of the Broken Top road was also washed out.

The forest service has no gauges to measure rainfall in that area, but Wednesday rains were said to be "heavy" all around Todd lake.

Rainfall figures for the Bend district follow:  
Cultus mountain, .01; Round mountain, .81; Deschutes bridge, .07; Fall river, .15; Wanoga butte, .03; Wickiup, .30; Lava butte, trace.

Crescent district:  
Davis mountain, .70; Odell butte, .25; Crescent, .12; Deer butte, .10. Cabin Lake district:  
Pine mountain, .60; Paulina peak, .20; Camp No. 2 Guard Station, .05; Fox butte, .02.

If a towel is used as a mop, grit—which occurs on the cleanest floor—will cut the fabric and shorten the life of the towel, laundering research reveals.

## Voice of Central Oregon KBND 1340 Kilocycles

- ### TONIGHT'S PROGRAMS
- 5:00—Mutiny on the High Seas
  - 5:15—Walt Schuman and His Music
  - 5:25—Trade Time
  - 5:20—The Bulletin News
  - 5:45—Glenn Miller Orchestra
  - 5:50—Sport Stories
  - 5:55—Frankie Carle
  - 6:00—Tommy Chambers at the Piano
  - 6:15—Fairy Tales
  - 6:30—Ivan Dittmars and Anita Boyer
  - 6:45—U. S. Army Band
  - 7:00—Don Allen and His Music
  - 7:30—House of Peter MacGregor
  - 7:45—Western Serenade
  - 8:00—Victor Arden Concert Orchestra
  - 8:30—Hollywood Hi Jinks
  - 9:00—Number Please

## MORE ABOUT Roosevelt

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- ### Friday, August 22, 1941
- 7:00 News Flashes
  - 7:05 Sunrise Salute
  - 7:15 Morning Greeting
  - 7:30 Wake Up Time
  - 8:00 Pal Club
  - 8:15 Singing Sam
  - 8:30 News
  - 8:35 Behind the News
  - 8:40 Mark Levant
  - 8:45 Brick Holton
  - 9:00 World Bookman
  - 9:05 Gaylord Carter
  - 9:15 Church in the Wildwood
  - 9:30 Ranch Boys
  - 9:35 Gray Gordon
  - 9:45 Neighborhood Grocery Program
  - 10:00 Eb and Zeb
  - 10:15 Johnson Family
  - 10:30 News
  - 10:35 News of Prineville
  - 11:30 Lady about town
  - 11:35 Will Hudson
  - 12:00 Lum and Abner
  - 12:15 Harry James
  - 12:20 Songs of the Isles
  - 12:25 Bob Crosby Orchestra
  - 12:30 News
  - 12:45 Farmers Hour
  - 1:00 Melodic Moods
  - 1:30 Mahlon Merrick
  - 2:00 Sing Song Time
  - 2:15 Lee Sweetland
  - 2:30 Alfredo Antonini Concert Orchestra
  - 3:00 Bing Crosby
  - 3:15 Mildred Melody
  - 3:30 News
  - 3:35 Jay Burnett

## Aid to China Held Essential

That aid to China is essential to America was pointed out today by A. G. Hedstrom, chairman of the Deschutes County China Relief committee.

"We can't think of China as a country a good piece away, and in which we have no interest. The Chinese people are fighting one of two major battles in the world today—the struggle of democracy versus totalitarianism in the eastern hemisphere. And every bit of help we can give this great nation, both to show her that we are with her in her struggle, and also to aid her materially in fighting that battle, is helping America too," he said.

A county-wide drive to raise \$400 for the national United China Relief organization began today, with every business house in Bend, and with most of the communities outside of Bend, being covered.

"What I'm trying to say is this," Hedstrom explained, "that when you sign your name on the contribution sheet and give your quarter to the collector, you're not only helping China, but you're maybe keeping America out of this war, by assisting another nation that's already in it."

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Fruit Cocktail . . 2 cans 25c

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No. 1 Cans

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BAH! A LOTTA HEAVY JUNK! IT'S THAT JEWELLED BELT OL' MONKEY-FACE TOOK OFFN' BLACKBEARD THAT I HAD MY EYE ON!

NEH-ME TOO! NOW YOU'RE TALKIN'

By V. T. Hamlin