

Marion County Selectees at Fort Knox

Fort Knox, Ky., Sept. 8.—Ready to begin their basic training course which, when completed, will qualify them for duty with the armored force, the following newly-inducted selectees have arrived at the armored force replacement training center here preparatory to duty with the newest and fastest-moving land force of the army:

Private Cletus J. Ansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ansen, route 1, Mt. Angel, Ore.; Private Percy R. Galkins, husband of Mrs. Gertrude D. Galkins, route 1, Dallas, Ore.; Private William E. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith, St. Paul, Ore.; Private Charles A. Woodruff, son of Mrs. Elzie Woodruff, St. Paul, Ore.; Private Bush Ector, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ector, route 2, Salem, Ore.; Private Lawrence R. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore C. Anderson, 607 Whittier street, Silverton, Ore.; Private Wylas V. Freeman, son of Mrs. Louise Freeman, route 1, Woodburn, Ore.; Private Lyman R. Debut, son of Mrs. Benita Debut, 444 Gatch street, Woodburn, Ore.

For the first six weeks of the 12-week training period the men will be taught the fundamentals of soldiering. They will study the organization of the army and armored force; insignias of rank; military courtesy and discipline; care of clothing and equipment; map reading and many other courses.

During the second six-week period, the men may find themselves in any one of the following companies: special training, light tank, medium tank, scouting and patrolling, mortar, anti-tank, machine gun, assault gun, reconnaissance.

The training center is equipped to house and care for thousands of trainees at once and with the rapid expansion of the armored force the Fort Knox "grammar school" has been operating at capacity. There are eighteen training battalions under the direct supervision of Maj. Gen. Charles L. Scott, and each boasts that when it graduates a class of trainees they are the best qualified men in the armored force.

Upon "graduation" from the training center, most of the men will go into an armored division, while those showing exceptional ability will be sent to the armored division, while those showing exceptional ability will be sent to the armored force school here at Fort Knox to become technical specialists.

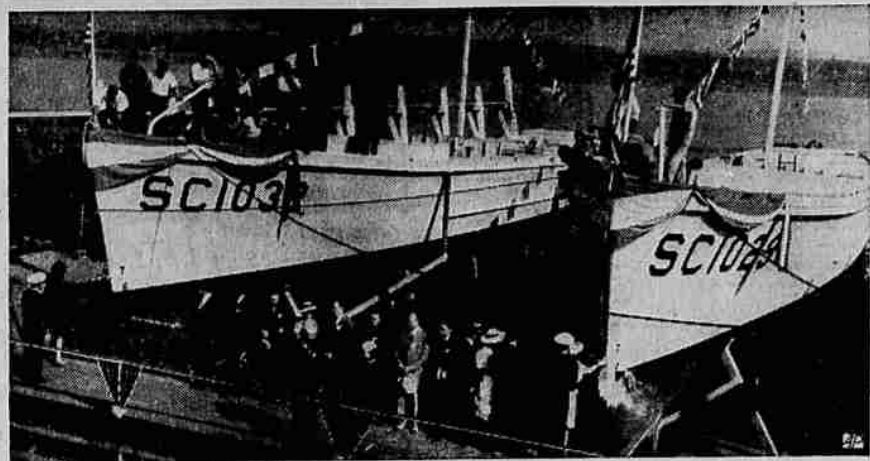
Coos Bay Hospital Gets Official Frown

Washington, Sept. 9 (AP)—The possible use of an unoccupied hotel at Marshfield, Ore., as a hospital was frowned upon today as Senator Charles L. McNary (R., Ore.), received unfavorable reports from medical heads of the army, navy and veterans administration.

General Hines, head of the veterans administration, Surgeon General McIntire of the navy and Surgeon General McGee of the army, all returned similar reports in which they stated there was no need for a hospital in that area now, it was learned.

Council Meeting Deferred One Week

Silverton—Because the first Monday in the month fell on the Labor day holiday, the city council's regular monthly meeting was deferred until Monday, September 14, City Manager E. K. Burton announced.



WARCRAFT ON LAKE CHAMPLAIN — These two sub chasers at Burlington, Vt., yards are first warships built and launched on Lake Champlain since War of 1812.

Resolution Aimed at Sulphur Nuisance

Referred to the committee on health and sanitation of the city council last night was a resolution introduced by Alderman Charles H. Heltzel, intended to compel the Oregon Pulp & Paper company to eliminate the sulphur fumes and cinder nuisances. The resolution, if finally adopted by the council, will authorize the city attorney to take such action against the company as seems appropriate. City Attorney Lawrence N. Brown suggested that an injunction would be the best method.

"I would not bring up this matter if only a few persons were affected by these nuisances, or if only a few dozen or a few hundred were," said Alderman Heltzel. "But I venture to say that thousands are suffering from them. I realize that the paper mill is a great benefit to Salem, and we are all proud that we have the industry here. But there is no doubt that these fumes cause damage to the health of many people. It's too bad they can't be bottled up and sent to Japan where they would do some good."

Alderman M. E. Gadwa moved that the resolution be referred to the proper committee, and Alderman Frank P. Marshall seconded the motion on condition that the city recorder be directed to write to the League of Oregon Cities and find out what is being done in other cities having paper mills. This condition was approved and the mayor referred the resolution to the committee on health and sanitation.

Military Bill Passed

Ordinance bills passed by the council last night included one being adopted by other cities in military areas which empowers the cities to full enforcement of regulations pertaining to wartime protection. It applies especially to the dimout regulation, and a model for the ordinance was furnished by United States Attorney Carl Donagh of Portland. The bill prohibiting the deposit of grass, tree limbs and other debris in the gutter channels of the city streets was passed, and also a bill regulating the movement of logs, poles and pilings on the streets. This requires a permit from the city engineer and provides for a license fee of \$1 for from one to 60 days and \$5 for from 60 days to one year.

Pay of street department employees who work on an hourly basis was fixed at a minimum of 68 cents an hour dating from September 1 by adoption of a resolution. It makes the pay the

Recreation for Service Men Studied Here

Spending two days in Salem investigating the city's possible recreation facilities for service men stationed in this area are Faber Stevenson, Oregon and Washington USO regional director, Harry Stoops, regional recreation representative of the division of recreation of the federal government for the Pacific coast, and Donald T. Orput from the Portland office of the division of recreation.

The group has been visiting the towns in the area surrounding Camp Adair and acquainting themselves with the problems faced by these towns.

They have been studying the possible need of USO service at Monmouth and are considering the possibility of making the Monmouth unit an extension of the Salem center under the direction of Robert R. Boardman, director of the Salem center.

After considering the recreation problems of the various communities the men suggested that the three towns of Salem, Corvallis and Albany arrange to stagger their large events planned for the entertainment of servicemen, so that there will be no conflict. Salem is the first of the three to open its center though all of the three have been staffed. A portion of the Corvallis building will be completed and put to use next week.

German Radio Attacks Sweden

New York, Sept. 9 (AP)—German propaganda delivered a sharp attack today upon neutral Sweden, a Berlin transocean broadcast quoting German foreign office circles as saying that "Sweden has the honor of being at present the active central comintern in Europe."

(The comintern is the international organization of the communist party with headquarters in Moscow.) Trans-ocean said today's critical words from the foreign office followed a sharp attack by the same source a few days ago over what was described as anti-German statements in a Stockholm daily newspaper.

"At present Sweden is the only country in Europe where the communist party is existing and the communist newspaper is being published without curtailment and without being contradicted," the news agency further quoted a foreign office statement.

Carnival Will Raise Uniform Fund

Silverton—An indoor carnival and dance is being planned by Co. A, 12th battalion of the local Oregon state guard unit, to raise funds with which to purchase caps and uniforms for its members. The affair will be held at the armory Saturday night, September 12. There will be dancing and fun for everyone. Games of chance and a dart throwing game with replicas of Hitler and Hirohito to furnish the targets are included for the evening's entertainment.

Admission to the hall is free, and there will be free ice cream for everyone from 10:30 until 12 o'clock.

Dallas—Leaving last week for San Diego, Calif., to receive preliminary training were Paul Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Palmer, who recently enlisted in the Marines at Salem, and Ernest Harold Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cooper, who recently enlisted in the navy.

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State Guard to Have Maneuver Sept. 12-13

The combined forces of cavalry and infantry of the Oregon state guard will hold a combat maneuver in the vicinity of Portland, Beaverton, Forest Grove and St. Helens, Saturday and Sunday, September 12 and 13, under the command of Brigadier-General Ralph P. Cowgill.

The following cavalry troops, under command of Major E. R. Errion, from the upper Willamette valley, will move from their respective communities and combine with Troop A of Portland.

Troop C, under command of Capt. H. Hofstetter from Salem; Troop D, under command of Capt. Alan Wright, from Dallas and Monmouth; Troop E, under command of Capt. Paul Blackmon, from Mt. Angel, Silverton and Aumsville; Troop H, under command of Capt. Richard Barton, from Sheridan; Troop I, under Capt. R. Donnelly, from McMinnville, and Troop L, under command of Capt. Jack Swanson, from Lebanon.

Horses and equipment will be transported by trucks to the mobilization point near Portland,



CHEETAH SIGNS—The chimpanzee Cheeah goes through motions of signing a movie contract with a Hollywood studio.

and forced night march to the bivouac near Beaverton, from which point the combat maneuver starts.

The operations staff will consist of Major H. C. Tobin, USA, retired, as cavalry coordinator; Major E. R. Errion, squadron commander; Capt. Kenneth Hay executive officer, and Lieut. Grey U. Munjar, liaison officer. The assumed general situation is that enemy troops of unknown

20 Delegates Named By GOP

Twenty delegates, in addition to the club's president, Joseph B. Felton, and the secretary, Barbara Benson, were named at a meeting of the Marion County Republican club last night to attend the state convention at Eugene. Those selected were:

Frederick S. Lampert, Mrs. R. L. Wright, C. A. Lewis, Chris J. Kowitz, Murray Wade, O. K. DeWitt, Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead, Henry Werner, Dr. O. A. Olson, John Steelhammer, H. R. Jones, Robert Sears, George Manolis of Silverton, Lawrence Spraker and Harry Humphreys of Stayton, Mrs. Ray Glatt of Woodburn, Fred A. Williams, Irl S. McSherry, Herman W. Lank and R. J. Hendricks.

Robert S. Farrell of Portland, republican candidate for secretary of state, who gave the main address, pointed to unusual and important responsibilities facing the republican party in the war emergency and urged all voters to go to the polls. Robert Fischer of Eugene, state president, told of plans for the state convention October 2 and 3.

troop commanders in their specific sectors.

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