

NEWS FROM THE ARMED FORCES

Salem Man Executive Officer on USS Forrestal

In the post of executive officer of the aircraft carrier USS Forrestal is a Willamette university graduate, Cdr. Arthur J. Brassfield, USN, son of Mrs. Sara Brassfield, Salem.

The commander, who is the second executive officer of the carrier, started his naval career as an aviation cadet in July, 1937. He was a pilot with VS-17F42 on the USS Ranger and the USS Yorktown until 1942 and in 1945 was on the USS Core as air officer, executive officer and commanding officer. His last assignment with the navy before going to the USS Forrestal was with the chief of naval operations in the Pentagon.

Cdr. Brassfield has the Navy Cross for heroism in the battle of the Coral Sea, where he shot down three Japanese planes, had his own aircraft damaged and was wounded. He received the Gold Star in lieu of a second Navy Cross for his part in the Battle of Midway, where he shot down four Japanese planes during one fight. He also has the Air Medal with Star and the Purple Heart among his ribbons and decorations.

Mrs. Brassfield and the couple's two sons are making their home at Norfolk, Va., while Cdr. Brassfield is on the Forrestal.

Pvt. LeRoy R. Jones, son of Mrs. Edna Marie Jones, Sheridan, who recently began a new tour of duty with the regular army, is serving in Germany as a machine gunner in company I, Sixth Infantry regiment. A former Willamette high school student, Jones entered the army in March, 1956, and arrived overseas in August of 1956.

Carl E. Haynes and Ronald E. Bieberich, Salem, recently have been graduated from recruiting training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. Haynes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Haynes, 270 West Rural St., and Bieberich, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bieberich, 7165 Wheatland Rd.

Robert E. Howard, aviation machinist's mate third class, USN, and Darrell R. Thomas, airman apprentice, USN, are among those men serving at the Naval Air Station, Whidbey Island, Wash. Howard is the son of Mrs. Dora Howard, 3273 Duncan Ave., Thomas' wife and his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thomas all reside at Route 2, box 476, Salem.

Cpl. Edward O. McKee, U.S. Marine corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh E. McKee, 1854 Hazel Ave., is serving at the Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, Santa Ana, Calif. Prior to entering the service in 1954 he was graduated from the North Salem high school.

Pfc. Donald L. Slaughter, son of Tom Slaughter, Rt. 1, Molalla,

Brassfield Exec Officer



Cdr. Arthur J. Brassfield, USN, executive officer of the super-carrier, USS Forrestal (right) shows the below decks area to Secretary of the Navy Charles S. Thomas during the secretary's recent visit to the carrier. Brassfield, a graduate of Willamette university is the son of Mrs. Sara F. Brassfield, Salem.

was recently graduated from the army's European Engineer school in Murnau, Germany. A graduate of the Molalla high school with the class of 1945, Slaughter entered the army in October, 1955 and has been in Europe since June, 1956.

Pvt. Harold A. Davenport, son of Mrs. Edna Gregory, Rt. 1, Sweet Home, has completed a five-week course in medium and heavy artillery maintenance at the army's Antiaircraft Artillery and Guided Missile School at Fort Bliss, Tex. A former student at the Sweet Home union high school, Davenport entered the army in February, 1956.

Pvt. Walter C. Jackson and Pvt. Daniel L. Gust, both Salem, have

recently been assigned to duty at Fort MacArthur, Calif., with the 865th antiaircraft artillery missile battalion. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jackson, 1415 North 18th St., is a former employee of the Valley Motor company. Gust, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Duke M. Gust, 5875 McLeod Lane, attended the North Salem high school and was employed by Hunts Foods, Inc., before entering the army.

Donald Mischeke, Lebanon, has re-enlisted in the air force. Mischeke, who has been with the air force four years is stationed at San Antonio, Texas.

A.J.C. Ray E. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Lewis, 542 Kingwood Dr., has completed the first

phase of his training with the air force at Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tex., qualified in specialized training and been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss.

Pvt. David S. Vale, U.S. army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Vale, Gates, recently completed his basic combat training with the Ninth Infantry division at Fort Carson, Colo. He was graduated from the Gates high school in 1956.

Pvt. Bernard M. Blum, U.S. army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Blum, Rt. 2, Aurora, is among those men recently completing his basic training with the 9th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colo. Blum is a 1955 graduate of the Canby Union high school and a former student at Portland State college.

Carroll D. Serene, who is serving with the 24th Infantry divi-

sion in Korea, has been promoted to a private first class. Serene, son of Mrs. Beula Dehut, Woodburn, arrived in the Far East in August, 1956, and is a clerk in service company of the 21st regiment. He was graduated from the Woodburn high school in 1950 and entered the army in April, 1956.

Sgt. Wallace B. Stone, U.S. army son of Mrs. Klea B. Stone, Independence, was among those men participating in "Operation Call and Haul" at Fort Riley, Kans. He is a squad leader in company C, 18th Infantry regiment, first battalion. A former student at the Central high school, Stone entered the army in 1954.

Roger V. Hari, whose wife resides at Lebanon, has been promoted to a specialist third class in the army. Hari, in the army since September, 1955, is a mechanic serving with the 90th ordnance company at Fort Benning, Ga.

3 Guard Units Slate 'Muster' Open House

As a part of their "Operation Muster," which is aimed at recruiting more men for the Oregon National Guard units, Salem Guard outfits will hold open house on Sunday.

Battery D, 722 AAA, AW battalion, will have its open house from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the quonset huts on Lee street and at noon will serve its regular mess to men of the unit. Companies B and D, 162nd Infantry regiment, will have their open house at the National Guard armory on Ferry street with their hours from 1 to 5 p.m. All units will serve refreshments during the open house to their guests and on display will be weapons, clothing and equipment. In addition there will be classes. Sunday will also find teams from all of the units out contacting men between the ages of 17 and 25 years for enlistment in the National Guard. Those enlisting before April 1 will not be required to take six months of active duty training.

Capt. William R. Porter commands Battery D. Capt. Dewey Rand is commander of company B and Capt. Louis Osborn is the commanding officer of company D.

CABBIE'S LAMENT DENVER, Colo. (AP)—Robert Rich will turn a deaf ear to future back seat scraps between passengers in his taxicab. He learned his lesson when he picked up two women. When the women started fighting, Rich attempted to intervene. They quickly forgot their own differences and attacked Rich. Shortly thereafter, the cabbie turned up at a hospital with teeth marks in his right ear.

Chamber of Commerce Slates Legislative Forum on Monday

A legislative forum has been called by the Salem Chamber of Commerce, to meet at the Marion Hotel Monday noon for a luncheon session.

Speakers will include William Bado and Mrs. Louise Humphreys of Oregon Tax Research and possibly Senator Lee Ohmart.

Stanley Groe, manager of the chamber, said that retailers, manufacturers and all others who are interested in pending legislation pertaining to taxation or in any other way affecting business are invited to attend the meeting.

The discussion will be general and there will be questions and answers.

The meeting is considered so important that it was called regardless of the fact that the chamber and the schools of the county are observing the annual Education-Business program Monday.

To meet Thursday noon of this week at the Marion will be representatives of Salem, McMinnville, Newberg, Woodburn and any other city of the mid-Willamette Valley interested in the Willamette

Faster Truck Speed Okayed

The House Tuesday passed and sent to the Senate legislation increasing the maximum speed of trucks on Oregon highways from 45 to 50 miles an hour.

Log trucks and school buses are not affected. Their maximum speed remains at 45 miles an hour.

Rep. Joe Roger (D), Independence, said the higher speed is justified because of better and safer equipment. Washington also has a 50-mile top speed for trucks, he said.

Mrs. Sunday Dies PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Mrs. Helen (Ma) Sunday, widow of evangelist Billy Sunday, died here Wednesday. She was 88.

Bush Selected President of Rotary Club

William Bush, office manager of the Salem Sand and Gravel company, was unanimously elected president of the Salem Rotary club Wednesday noon at the Marion. As has been the custom of the club for years there was but a single nomination for the presidency.

Others elected to office were:

Jock Brydon, vice president; Richard Petrie, treasurer; Hugh Morrow, secretary; Harold Hank and Del Milne, directors and Rev. John Cagle, member of the classification committee. In commemoration of the birth of George Washington, William Richter, South Salem high school senior and prominent in debate and speech, gave a talk concerning the first president. Willamette university's band, directed by Prof. Maurice Brenner, presented a 20-minute concert of popular selections. The band, recently returned from a successful trip, gave its tour concert in the Fine Arts auditorium Wednesday night.

THE PIKE ICE CREAM AND SHERBET 138 S. Liberty—At the Bus Stop—Ph. EM 3-6828 "Tu-Fer" Ice Cream Sale Featuring CHERRY CORDIAL One Round Half Gallon 95c in Reusable Carton 2 for \$1.69 2% GREEN STAMPS Open Daily and Sunday 'Til 11 P.M.

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SPECIAL ON CHILDREN'S OVERSHOE TOTES "Lightweight Rubbers" 80 Pair Brown Reg. Price 98c to \$1.29 Just 29c Pair THE JUNIOR BOOTERY 236 North High SENATOR HOTEL BLDG. OPEN UNTIL 9 P.M. FRIDAY NIGHTS

PENNEY'S Fabulous Values Now in All Depts. WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY SUPER BARGAINS Very limited quantities!!! They'll go fast... Hurry!!! Doors open promptly at 9:30 am. 10 Only Women's Print Dresses 44c Broken sizes... don't miss out... 4 Only Better Table Lamps 66c Fiberglass shade... be early... 2 Only Men's Tropical Suits 9.99 Size 37 L or 40 R... fantastic price... 20 Only Toddler's Corduroy Bonnets 25c Assorted colors... be here early... No sales to dealers... no phone calls

W.T. GRANT CO. 260 N. Liberty The Family Store WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY SPECIAL (1 Day Only) 25c CHERRY SUNDAE 13c

At Your Downtown Salem Stores! 155 N. Liberty Montgomery Ward Ph. EM 3-3191 SPRING DRESS SALE 2 for \$5.00

NEWBERRY'S 241 N. LIBERTY GIANT ARDEN'S CHERRY Ice Cream Sodas 10c 1 p.m.-5 p.m. 7 p.m.-9 p.m.

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Bulgaria Gets Soviet Credit, Vows Loyalty

Albanians Due Next in Moscow With Their Hats in Hands

MOSCOW (AP)—Bulgarian and Soviet officials have wound up a "solidarity" meeting here with an agreement for a 200-million-ruble credit to Bulgaria.

The credit (50 million dollars at the official ruble-dollar rate) will go to help finance capital construction in Communist Bulgaria. Plans call for the Soviet Union to supply Bulgaria with pig iron, metals, coke, rubber, oil products and raw materials. Bulgaria will send the Soviet Union uranium ore, nonferrous metals, ships, tobacco, shoes, furniture, fruit and vegetables.

The credit is in addition to the 370-million-ruble long-term loan Bulgaria got a year ago from Moscow.

The Bulgarian delegation headed by Premier Anton Yugov and Communist party boss Todor Zhivkov also signed joint declarations reaffirming close government and party relations between the two countries.

Albanian leaders are the only satellite chiefs who have not made—the post-Hungarian revolt—pilgrimage to Moscow and they are expected soon.

A Kremlin banquet for about 2,000 guests was held in honor of the Bulgars immediately before the signing ceremony.

The guests included Chester Bowles, former U.S. ambassador to India, who is visiting the Soviet Union as a private citizen.

Bowles told reporters he had asked for an invitation to the Kremlin party out of curiosity and added: "It's a very interesting spectacle."

Totem Pole Strays

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—An 8-foot totem pole was found on a Telegraph Hill sidewalk by Police Patrolman Frank McFarland. He and three other officers loaded the 350-pound pole into a paddy wagon and took it to the Hall of Justice. Its owner is being sought.

HOW NOW, BLACK COW? HAMPTON, Va. (AP)—John C. Bull reported \$50 damage to his car—the result of hitting a black cow that ambled in front of it on Armistead Ave. The cow seemed only shaken up a bit and limped away from a policeman who went to check her damage.

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