

Approximately 1000 Attend Easter Affair

Major Harmon Delivers Message At Ceremony in The Field House

Close to a thousand attended the Easter Sunrise services conducted at the Field House last Sunday. Chaplain Lloyd V. Harmon delivered the Easter message.

Outstanding features of the program were three trumpeters, a trombonist, Dr. Paul Petri's Oregon State college chorus, and Cpl. Glenn S. Daun's organ music. The three trumpeters were Pfc. William Duncan, De Los Smith, and Telford Dutton. Pvt. Richard Davis played the trombone.

Chaplain Lloyd V. Harmon complimented Chaplain Victor E. Newman whom he said had planned this service and who was ordered elsewhere before Easter day.

Major Harmon also announced that much credit was due Post Commander Col. Gordon H. McCoy, Major Carl Forsman, Capt. Gilbert Waite, Lt. Walter Sindlinger, and Lt. Byron Wright.

Enlisted men who did their part toward making the program a success are Cpl. Glenn S. Daun who presided at the organ in the Field House ceremony, Pfc. Lawrence Smith and Pvt. Paul N. Sturnbaugh.

The wife of Lt. F. L. Moore provided a \$25 display of cut lilies as well as a variety of other flowers, fitting for the Easter occasion.

Major Harmon declared that particular credit should be given to Dr. Paul Petri the conductor of the Oregon State college chorus. The chaplain reported that Father Vincent Gray's "Te Deum Laudamus" was very impressive.

Frenzied Finance

by

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Last week I stated in my column that spring was here. Since then I have received various comments such as, "Who said spring was here?"; "What do you mean spring?"; etc. Well, that is a long story. To make it short I will tell you how I know spring is here and why I believe it is so.

In the office there are two old-timers from tent-city days, Sgt. Louis Geirman and myself.

During the last week in June 1942 we arrived at Camp Adair and occupied an apartment in Company C. We were the first Finance department of Camp Adair. However, for the first six weeks we were inactive and since we got tired of sitting around watching the rookies from Camp Dix take their basic training, we toured the state of Oregon. During our sojourn we hit the "bean center of the U.S.A., Stayton, Oregon.

Bean Kings

We arrived just in time for the annual bean festival and were crowned the "Kings of Bean." The title didn't amount to a row of beans, but the welcome we received by the local citizenry was amazing. We were the first soldiers to come to the town and we were truly "kings that day."

Now the point is that these bean growers really know the weather. We were there only about an hour and we were both under the weather which goes to prove the point.

Last week I received a letter from the mayor telling me that the beans were being set out and the only possible answer is that spring is here and the bean festival can't be far behind. They also raise quite a bit of hops there but I can't seem to recollect a thing about it.

In and Around the Office

Perfect example is Pvt. Tom

Writer Learns What WAACs Would Prefer

Send an Overnight Bag; They Travel?

Anticipating the "whenever they do" arrival of our sisters in arms, the WAACs, the Sentry presents forthwith, thanks to Miss Marie Hornbeck, of the "Oregonian," the result of a recent survey to find out just what the G.I. gals like best in the way of gifts.

In true Army fashion, the girls rated regulation clothing, portable radios, and folding irons high on their list.

Stockings Supported—Well

As usual among the feminine population... silk stockings were nicely supported. In the jewelry department, pen and pencil sets, wristwatches, cameras, and extra film led the race.

The girls also made some suggestions of their own not covered by the survey. These included home town papers, airmail stamps, cleansing tissue, bobby pins (Woo Woo!!), and clothes hangers.

The girls definitely do not want lingerie, housecoats, bathrobes, pajamas, rings (who do they think they're kidding?), and cards.

What? No Dice?

No survey was made on dice. The best bet if you don't know what to send is to pass along the old folding green, and let them buy what they want themselves. Most of the girls said that as soon as the get their hands on that discharge, they are going to tear home and buy crazy hats, spike heeled shoes, and black lace negligees.

Those things are out for the duration, but as a hopeful not for some of the boys, overnight bags rated high on the list.

Gibbs when answering the telephone. When Tom first got here from the reception center he had trouble answering the telephone in a military manner. Try as he could he always said something wrong.

Finally he decided to perfect the art. With a lot of diligent practice while managing Post Theatre number one and with a few minor corrections by some of the more experienced men we are proud to say that we believe we have the most polite and efficient telephone answerer on the post, with the exception of the professional phone answerers at the telephone exchange. Gibbs says that they don't bother him as he intends to maintain his amateur standing.

In the last few weeks we have had quite a few fellows leave the office and they were all greatly missed. Lately none have left, but there is a feeling that something is gone. Not until this morning did we realize that possibly it is Sergeants Hoyt, Johnson and Corporal Bracco of Ordnance department, who cohabited barrack 465 with the Finance Section. Three good men, and we all miss them as much as the Ordnance gang does.

Source of wonder to the Finance Section is why the band is permitted to practice before duty hours at eight o'clock in the morning. It sounds terrific and although we have a bunch of jitter-bugs in the outfit they aren't "hep to the jive at 6:45."

Albania and the Dodecanese islands are the last remnants of Italy's overseas empire.

Gals of the United Nations. Yes, Indeed



At Theatre 2 tomorrow night at 6:30 and again at 8:00 p.m., they'll be on hand to charm you—this is part (just part) of the Victory Revue which Prof. Charles Watt of Oregon State College will present for EM and officers of Adair. It's Free. The lasses are lovely. But read the story elsewhere in these here columns.

Victory Revue Tomorrow Nite

20-Girl Song, Dance Chorus at Theater 2; Two Shows. Artists Back From Long Tour

A whiz bang, razz ma tazz, well, what-the-hell-have-we-got-here revue presented by the students (Shades of Kay Keyser!) of Oregon State College will be shown for the benefit of the officers and enlisted men of Camp Adair tomorrow night at Theatre No. 2.

The show has just returned from a tour of several Canadian Army Camps where the OSC performers reportedly wowwed the boys. A cast directed by Prof. Charles Wattle, featuring blues singer Virginia Steel, hula dancer Penny Reed, and tap artists Phyllis Dickey, and supported by a 20-voice chorus, all go to make this an hour and twenty minutes of pure, unadulterated enjoyment.

The show will go on twice, once at 6:30 and again at 8:00. If you miss the early show, go to the late one, but which ever one you choose, don't miss it. It's free.

Salem M-Sgt. Marries, Camp Adair Man Sings

Master Sgt. Mathews, a lithographer in the Timber Wolf Division stationed in Salem, Oregon, was married on last Saturday to Miss Helen Scott of that city in the First Presbyterian church there. The couple will leave on a fifteen-day honeymoon for Boise, Idaho, next week.

Pfc. Bernard Kovler of the Sea Gulls in the Timber Wolf Division sang two numbers at the wedding ceremony. They were "For You Alone" and "Because."

M/Sgt. Mathews has been in the service for eleven years. He spent eight years in the navy and the rest of the time in the army.

In his spare time he enjoys fishing and hunting. The Mrs. likes bicycling and bowling. She also likes to hunt.

Inspired by 3.2, Private's Speech Makes History at Depot Co. Binge

"After the Ball Game Was Over" and Lt. Walter F. Cordes' Misfits had edged out Olson's Wisconsin Alley Cats, the QM at 2nd North and D were treated to a 3.2% party (a mild sort of beer-bust), between the hours of 8-11 last Tuesday evening.

First Sgt. Windell Martin, emcee, introduced Pfc. Harry Foster, who usually hands out the bread at the warehouse but Tuesday night played the piano and sang for the boys.

Diplomatic Private?

Pvt. John Wiede, called upon to give a speech from a private's view, with a glass of beer in one hand and an eye to the future, declared:

"We all b--- about this and that, but no matter how mad we get, there's no getting away from it that our organization has a good bunch of Non-Coms."

Private Continues

Pvt. Wiede hesitated for a moment and then continued: "I still say, however, if it wasn't for the

buck private, there would be no U. S. Army."

A trio consisting of S/Sgt. Ronald Brock, S/Sgt. Johnny Forbes and Sgt. Alva Kinkade played "Chop Sticks" as they have never been played before.

Pvt. George Ericson was called upon to make a speech. The accompaniment was handled by that boogie woogie artist, Pfc. Joe Montalano. Pfc. Vincent Newman and Pvt. Emmett Larkin put on a tap dance.

Sgt. Homer Boone, Cpl. Francesco Bellucci, S/Sgt. William Trout, and S/Sgt. Art Dieleman demonstrated jitterbugging.

To make the party complete, S/Sgt. Guy Blackmore and Pvt. Johnny Villalobos put on their usual wrestling match. Cpl. William Quigley tried to help Villalobos out when he got into trouble, but the ever-victorious S/Sgt. Blackmore dropped them both to the floor.

Fittingly the party closed with "God Bless America."

Timber Wolves to Air Show on KOAC at 7:30

Tonight at 7:30, station KOAC will air the Timber Wolf show. The program will be devoted entirely to music.

Featured is the Timber Wolf Infantry orchestra under the baton of Sgt. Merle Howard. Among the tunes to be played are "I Surrender Dear" and "Begin the Beguine." The band presents as well an original composition by Cpl. John Ray Thomas entitled, "GI Jive." The vocalist is Pvt. Ray Eisemann.

Also on the program will be the Timber Wolf Bulletin Board, a weekly roundup of athletic events.

The show is written and directed by Cpl. Donald Chapman of the Timber Wolf Special Service Office.

Timber Wolf Lectures Aired on KOAC May 11

Tuesday, May 11, is the opening day of the New Timber Wolf Orientation lectures which will be aired over station KOAC at 5:45

6:15. The series will be written by Sgt. John C. O'Neill and Cpl. Donald Chapman. This program will be under the supervision of the Timber Wolf Division Special Service Office.

So the Sgt. Remained In a Helluva Hurry

In Tunisia, Sgt. Worden Lovell of Malden, Mass., an Army photographer, was speeding along in a jeep trying to catch up with advance units of the Eighth army. Spotting a group of soldier in battle dress by the roadside, he stopped to ask his way. One of the soldiers asked why he wanted to know. The hurried sergeant told him he was in a helluva hurry and he didn't exactly watch his language in telling him. Later Sgt. Lovell said to a British soldier who'd been listening, "That guy must be a sergeant the way he talked."

"Oh no," he was told, "That's General Montgomery."

Bulgaria's seaport of Varna was covered by a tidal wave in 540 A.D.