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## Letter From Bomb Scarred Scotland

### SCOTTISH WOMAN WRITES TO DAUGHTER AT SANDY ON WAR CONDITIONS

"It's the good spirits a person has that keeps life jolly even in this war," writes G. W. Miller's 86-year old mother from Aberdeen, Scotland, but while writing the above she dropped her pen to seek a bomb shelter. Continuing "it's all over now, I don't worry much save when the bombs drop. I'm not like one poor old lady the ARP found under a stairway holding a cooking pan over head for protection. The poor thing hated to leave her home even to seek shelter, and a good many got a laugh out of that."

"Everyone's going to war. I wish I wish I could go too; your brother Murdoch tried to enlist but they told him he was too smashed up in the last World War, so they put him to training recruits."

Mrs. Miller who has been in this country 20 years has a son, James Stewart who passed the examination in Portland Wednesday for enlistment in the United States navy. "Even since he was nine James has wanted to be a sailor," Mrs. Miller said. With James, Edward Wolfe also passed the examination for the navy. The lads are chums in Sandy high school and excellent in sports.

## "GONE WITH THE WIND" COMING TO ESTA THEATRE

The greatest motion picture of all time "Gone With the Wind" will be shown at the Esta theatre in May, Mrs. E. A. Hartman announced this week. This gives local people the opportunity to see this wonderful technicolor picture at home without going to the expense of traveling elsewhere.

Other outstanding pictures coming to the Esta in the near future include "Chad Hanna" "Ghost Breakers," "Land of Liberty," "Tug Boat Annie Sails Again," and "Northwest Mounted Police."

Turn your old gold into cash. We pay highest prices. A. H. Mealey, "Your Jeweler," Main Ave., Gresham. --Adv.

## FREE POTATO ROLLS OFFERED BY BAKERY

Clip out our ad in today's issue of this newspaper and give it to our bakery truck driver when he calls or bring it to our bakery. With the purchase of one dozen Potato Rolls at 15 cents you will receive One Dozen Rolls free. This offer good Saturday, Sunday and Monday, March 15, 16 and 17. Gresham Bakery.--Adv.

## BOY SCOUT PLANS MADE

The monthly business meeting of the Clackamas county boy scout district committee was held last night at the county court house with Chairman J. B. Caldwell presiding.

Jas. Redman, training committee chairman outlined a major training program beginning with the "Elements of Scout Leaders Training," with the date set for Tuesday, Mch. 25 and running for a period of six weeks. The week end session will be held at Eagle Fern park May 3 and 4. A cub leaders training course with the dates to be announced later also was announced.

Gene Good district commissioner reported on troop conditions and stated that they were in excellent shape and added that a new Sea Scout ship has been formed by the Kiwanis club at Canby.

Lex Templin field executive announced that the Clackamas county district camp will be held at Eagle Fern park from July 27 to August 9.

## LODGES HOLD VISITATION AT SANDY TUESDAY

A visitation of Mountain Chapter No. 108, Estacada and Mountain View chapter of Sandy, Order of the Eastern Star was held at Sandy on Tuesday evening, of this week. A large attendance is reported.

## BIG NINE BASEBALL SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

The following schedule of baseball games for the season starting April 4th has been announced by the Big Nine conference.

April 4, Sandy here.  
April 8, Silverton, there.  
April 11, Canby here.  
April 18, Chemawa, here.  
April 22, Corbett there.  
April 25, Woodburn there.  
May 2, Gresham here.  
May 9, Molalla here.  
May 16, Parkrose there.

## 200 NYA YOUTHS ARE RELEASED FOR DEFENSE

With 200 NYA youth workers having been recently released for jobs in national defense industries in Clackamas and adjoining counties after having qualified for such jobs thru their work experience on NYA projects other young men and women in this vicinity are availing themselves of getting actual job experience on projects being sponsored by the National youth administration according to Jack W. Benefiel, NYA area director.

Some of the placements of young men have been in the electrical, metal, wood working, automotive and construction fields; while young women have been placed in clerical and similar positions.

There are still opportunities for any youth between the ages of 16 and 24 to obtain valuable work experience by the NYA, Benefiel said, adding that interested persons may obtain further information by getting in touch with the Oregon City office of the Oregon state employment service.

## CAST IS PICKED FOR THE JUNIOR PLAY

The Hycada reports the following cast as having been selected for the junior play "Cross My Heart" to be given in the near future.

Bob Adams	Don Douglas
Eleanor Ross	Mildred Kiggins
Dave Adams	Howard Lovell
Bess Adams	Doris Lankins
Jerome Ross	Wilbur Breeze
Jim Ross	Ray Rickey
Charlie Westover	Bob Brown
Carl Young	John Stormer
Patsy Jones	Dorothy Yocum
Pauline Adams	Shirley Tucker
Mrs. Ross	Pat Dany
Henrietta Duvall	Betty Jean Somen
Lola Pomeroy	Eva Jean Bush

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## GARDEN CLUB HAS SPECIAL SHELVES

The Estacada library board has reserved two commodious book shelves in the local reading room for the special use of the Estacada Gardener club. All who are interested in gardening will find here books on horticulture, flower arrangement, birds of Oregon bulletins on gardening and late flower catalogs.

If you have books on gardening, bulletins or recent flower catalogs that you would like to give for these shelves please leave them with the librarian.

## MORE HOP CONTRACTS FILED WITH CLERK

Five more hop contracts have been filed with the county clerk, the buyers being S. S. Steiner, New York; Williams & Hart, Portland; and John I. Haas of Washington, D. C.

Steiner contracted to purchase 10,000 pounds each from Cribble Bros. at Canby and Lawrence Pulley of Marquam at 25 cents per pound.

Haas will take 30,000 pounds from J. H. and Louis Schwabauer routh 1. Hubbard and 20,000 pounds from F. J. Seaman and Son, Molalla the price being 25 cents.

Williams and Hart agreed to purchase 6,000 pounds from Walter Eefsen, Wilsonville the price ranging from 25 to 32 cents per pound depending on seen content of the hops.

## Power Lines Are Shorted

### NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH BY LAD WHO THROWS WIRE ACROSS HIGH VOLTAGE LINES

An unnamed 16-year old boy narrowly escaped death but is alive today because the copper wire he threw across the 60,000 volt transmission line of the PGE company was too short for him to hold in his hand. If the wire had been longer the boy would have been killed instantly according to officials of the power company.

Considerable damage was reported from a large portion of the county served by the high tension electric power wires as a result of the short. Electrical apparatus was burned out thruout the Redland-Viola area when the 60,000 volts of electricity was sent thru a 7200 volt distribution line in the district as a result of the lad's act. Many transformers, radios, electric pumps, light bulbs, and other electrical appliances were burned out.

The vandalism was discovered just south of Redland Four Corners by repair crews who had worked until 12:30 a.m. the night before restoring service.

The wire which caused the damage had been thrown across the 60,000 volt transmission line which carries power south from the River Mill dam, below Estacada. The wire also fell across the lighter voltage distribution line causing the big power load to flow into domestic outlets.

## JACK BENNY, FRED ALLEN ARE COMING TO ESTA THEATRE

Jack Benny and Fred Allen will be starred in "Love Thy Neighbor" the first feature of the big double bill at the Esta theatre this Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15. It is the laugh picture of the year with America's two leading fun makers together for the first time on the screen. Featured with Benny and Allen are Mary ("My Heart Belongs to Daddy") Martin and Benny's valet de gag, Rochester. When Jack Benny steals Mary Martin's heart he doesn't make a hit with Fred Allen but he'll make a hit with you. When Allen steals Rochester with the Flower and Bee gag he doesn't make a hit with Jack but he punches home the biggest laugh scene ever filmed. The second feature is the drama of a frontier caravan called "Wagons Westward." A tale of gallant men and their women thrown together in the maelstrom of frontier life which spares no one the hardships of newborn empires.

### "Hudson's Bay"

On Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings, March 16, 17 and 18 the Esta presents one of the greatest most compelling roles the screen has ever shown, Paul Muni as Pierre Radisson, renegade, traitor, rogue, in "Hudson's Bay." Beautifully filmed, enacted and directed "Hudson's Bay" depicts a turbulent story of roving action in the north's frozen wilderness. Although it is essentially the dramatic story of the founding of a great commercial empire in Canada the film is also a powerful and eloquent story of courage. Woven in to the story is a gripping romance between John Sutton and lovely Gene Tierney. Program concludes with cartoon "What a Little Sneez will Do," the scenic "Esquimaux Trail" and Metro News.

## RIDERS OF CASCADES WILL DRILL SUNDAY

Riders of the Cascades will hold a drill session next Sunday at the Ray Tracy Flying T ranch. Those attending are asked to bring a basket lunch.

## WILL PUBLISH ARTICLE BY E. M. LATOURETTE

Next week's issue of this newspaper will contain an interesting article entitled "Simplifying the Treatment of Milk Fevers," by Everett M. Latourette of Estacada. This article gives valuable information for both goat and sheep breeders. Watch for it.

## Publishes Nut Growers' Book

### CARROLL D. BUSH OF BUSH'S NUT NURSERY WRITES VALUABLE BOOK ON NUTS

A new book entitled "Nut Growers' Handbook" written by Carroll D. Bush of Bush's Nut Nursery on Orchard Ridge is just off the press. The book is profusely illustrated and is a practical guide to the successful propagation, planting, cultivating, harvesting and marketing of nuts.

Local nut growers will be particularly interested in Mr. Bush's new book not only because he is well known as a local grower but also because it contains many pictures of nut orchards in this locality and much of the book relates to local conditions.

Mr. Bush for many years has made a thoro study of the entire subject of nut growing and the results of his experiences are valuable and interesting. He points out that the trees require intelligent care to produce capacity crops.

All the nuts that can be grown in America are discussed at length, their value and uses for food presented and the secondary importance of their trees for ornament, forestry and lumber are discussed.

Specific chapters detail planning, the orchard, planting, pruning, working, seedling and worthless tree by grafting, harvesting, washing, peeling, drying, storing, marketing and uses. In short the book covers the whole field of nut growing.

The Estacada country is well adapted for nut growing and the prospects are bright for nuts as a profitable crop for several years to come. Mr. Bush has given a copy of his book to the Estacada library as a gift.

## WILL PRESENT A SCHOOL TALENT SHOW

Be sure and come to see the Estacada union high school all school talent show in the high school auditorium on Friday night, March 14 at 8 o'clock. This will be the last time many of the students will perform for their alma mater. Everyone surely would like to see these talented boys and girls provide entertainment for your enjoyment.--Adv.

## MISSISSIPPIAN JUBILEE SINGERS COMING HERE

The Mississippian Jubilee singers, world famous singers, will appear Estacada Tuesday, March 18th 2:45 p. m. at the Estacada union high school auditorium. The singers are sponsored by the student body of the school.

Probably no jubilee quartet in America is giving a more authentic interpretation of negro spirituals, caroling shouts or of the popular plantation melodies.

An admission charge of 10 cents will be made.--Adv.

A card party and dance will be given by the Eagle Creek grange their hall Saturday night, March 16. Good prizes and refreshments. Admission, adults 25 cents, children 10 cents. Come and bring a friend.--Adv.

## ESTACADA DRAWS 1942 REBEKAH CONVENTION

The 1942 Rebekah district convention will be held in Estacada and Mrs. Lora Schoenburg was elected chairman for the ensuing year. The 1941 meeting held at Molalla last week. There were 23 present at Estacada, the following officers of the convention: Mrs. Schoenburg, chairman; Mrs. Ewalt, treasurer; Mrs. Weston, chaplain; and Mrs. Mer vice chairman.

Van Beck of Estacada, Evalina Gallegos of Portland, Mrs. Ewald, Beck of Estacada, Mrs. Ewalt, Ruth Bar of Estacada, and Mrs. Mer of Estacada.

## SPECIAL RADIO PROGRAM IS SCHEDULED

A special radio program dealing with livestock production and marketing by 4-H club members will be heard over KOAC Monday evening, March 17 says Edwin Keltner, county club agent of Clackamas county. He recommends the program as a valuable one for Clackamas county club members to tune in on.

H. H. Burdick president of the Portland union stock yards company will speak on "The Livestock Markets in Relation to 4-H Club Work." The Portland union stock yards have for twelve years sponsored a hog feeding contest among 4-H club members for which \$1200 per year is supplied by that organization. Those who participate in the contest feed out for market at least four pigs that are litter mates.

The second speaker on the program will be A. A. Albright, president of the Portland livestock exchange who will speak on "The Portland Livestock Exchange Scholarship Loan Fund." Scores of former club members now in college have received financial aid from this fund built up by diverting the commission fees on 4-H club livestock sales to this purpose.

R. L. Clark secretary of the Portland livestock exchange will close the program with a review of "Twenty Auction Sales of 4-H Club Livestock." Clark has been in charge of these sales since they were started at the Pacific International two decades ago.

## 40,000 Rainbow Trout Planted

### FIRST PLANTING OF 450,000 RAINBOW TROUT MADE IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY

Yesterday the Oregon state game commission and U. S. Forest service planted some 40,000 rainbow trout each having a clipped fin for identification purposes. The experimental area is in the vicinity of Oak Grove ranger station according to Roy Weeman, forest ranger for the Estacada division of the Mt. Hood national forest.

Mr. Weeman said that this is the first planting of some 435,000 fish to be planted in the Clackamas river and tributaries during 1941.

The state game commission have plans for employing three checkers during the entire summer for the Clackamas river area to determine the number of fish caught, their size, condition and also for the gathering of other important information.

The following summer the program will continue to determine how many of the 40,000 marked fish will be taken.

## OPENS THIRD ADVENTURE

Evening