

### Innocent Bystanders of War



Not the least amazing thing about this war is the manner in which children have endured terrible hardships and came up smiling. Their resilient young spirits apparently unimpaired, left, a little lad of Surbiano, Italy, puts on a winning grin. Right, a young lady of Trun, France, hauls her wagon load of possessions.

Mrs Chester Watkins of Camp der, Mrs G A Sargent, and Mrs Campbell, Kentucky arrived at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs Steven McMullen Monday.

Mr and Mrs Hal Shelton and daughter Nancy left Friday for a weeks vacation in Portland and Albany.

Mr and Mrs Lewis Scholl returned from Northwestern Lake Saturday after spending the summer in their cottage.

Mr and Mrs F S Lamborn accompanied by Mr and Mrs F J Royse went to Portland Friday. Mr and Mrs Lamborn attended the golden wedding of Mr and Mrs Rood at the Multnomah hotel Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Weaver and daughter spent the weekend at Pasco, Washington.

Mr and Mrs Lowell Burres and children, Joan and Jimmie, were weekend guests at Northwestern Lake.

Mr and Mrs Fred Cole spent the weekend in Heppner.

Rev. and Mrs F L Cannell, accompanied by Mrs Harry Van Gil-

The two table contract club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs Herbert Root. A one o'clock luncheon was served followed by cards. The first prize going to Mrs Harry Van Gilder and guest prize to Mrs George Harris.

Mrs Francis Guy was elected G and Mistress of R of C at the Grand Lodge in Portland Wednesday. Mrs Guy was a charter member of Golden Rule Temple before moving to Portland.

Mrs Wiley McDonald came home from the Mid-Columbia hospital Monday.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Clothier and daughter, Anne, were business visitors in Portland Sunday.

Mrs Frank Reid and son David of Portland are visiting the parents of Mr Red, Mr and Mrs David Reid.

Mr and Mrs Shaw of The Dalles were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs P G O'Mears.

Mrs T. Lester Johnson returned from The Dalles hospital last week, where she has been suffering from a broken arm.

George Lamborn returned from The Dalles hospital Saturday, Mrs Lamborn fell and fractured her arm Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs L E Kaseberg and children, Patricia and Larry, were weekend guests of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs John Foss of Moro, other guests were her sister, Mrs Jack Matson and son of Oakland, California.

The Standard Bearers met Wednesday evening and the following officers were elected, president, Lorraine Gosson, vice-president Beatrice Welk, secretary and treasurer Patricia Kaseberg, nitelby treasurer Dorothy Patey, pianist, Mrs Gertrude Edwards, and song leader Jean Shull.

Rob Richardson was taken to a Dalles hospital Monday.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs Bill Reid of Portland arrived Friday to spend a 15-day furlough at the home of his parents Mr and Mrs W E Reid.

### Trashy Fallow Aviator Wrecks Plot Seeded Early Plane Landing Now Up Near Wasco

Joe Belanger came down from Pendleton Tuesday to get some of his farming equipment with which to do some trashy fallow seeding in Morrow county. Accompanied by J B Adams he inspected the trashy fallow plot on the Moore farm that was seeded two weeks ago and found the grain to be well up all over the field. Seeding was done very deep, some of the grain being down five inches to good moisture.

Wendell Balsiger was in Spokane Monday to attend a meeting of the North Pacific Grain Growers of which he is a director.

Zina Wise and Paul Westeroff stopped Tuesday afternoon at the Collis Moore home when returning to their homes in Portland after a hunting trip to Pendleton.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Barzee are here this week looking after things on the ranch.

Lt. Green of Seattle, Wash., driving a hellcat fighter plane from Reno, Nevada, made a forced landing at Wasco airstrip Friday. He was on his way to Pasco, Wash., but it was cloudy and he flew off his course.

The plane was sent in for repairs. Lt. Green escaped with slight injury.

Jerry Nisbet spent Sunday in Portland.

G. A. Merritt of Klondike received a telegram from his young brother, Russell Merritt, who has been returned to the United States after serving with the field artillery in the South Pacific for two and one half years. Russell was seriously wounded on Biak island and spent several months in a hospital in New Guinea, and when able was transferred to the army hospital at Spokane, Wash.



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Mr and Mrs August Prusmier and Mrs Prusmier's aunt, also Mr August Prusmier, were here the first of the week from Portland to attend the funeral of Jack Eva. Mrs Prusmier Jr. and Mrs Eys are cousins.

Mrs A S Johnson came down from Hermiston with her daughter and son in law, Mr and Mrs James Belshaw, with whom she had been visiting. She remained here for most of the week visiting her daughter, Mrs Lamer Sayers and family and friends. The Belshaws returned to Hermiston Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Harold Coyner were here over the weekend visiting Miss Lois Platt. Mr. Coyner was recently discharged from the army.

Mr and Mrs Wendell Balsiger left Thursday morning for a business trip to Portland.

Ben Peetz spent the week end in Moro visiting with his brother Leu and with friends. Ben is now part owner of a cabinet shop in Portland.

Father O'Brien of Dufur and James Engles went here Wednesday and spent the evening at the Ernest Woods home.

The small son of Mr and Mrs Lyle Wallan of Portland is here with his grandparents this week. Curtis Reid, visual education

leader for Oregon, was here Thursday to see what he could do to encourage the use of educational motion pictures in the county.

Will's Boegli met with the county and community committee of the county AAA here Tuesday at an all day meeting.

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**Saturday, Oct. 21**

**THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...**

"The war stories I like best, Judge, are the ones by the special writers overseas who live right with our troops. They give us a better idea of how our men react to things going on over there and back here at home."

"I agree with you, Sam. I never miss one of those stories in the papers or magazines. And there's one thing those writers seem to agree on no matter where they are stationed with our men... and that is that the men who have left their homes and families to go away and fight this war don't want to come back and find that prohibition has been out over on them while they were away... either nationally or locally. They have heard about the attempts being made and they resent it bitterly."

"I agree with them, Judge, even though I don't happen to drink myself. Furthermore, I don't think it's fair for us at home to be making any major changes while 10,000,000 of our fighting men are away and have no chance to express their opinions."

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