

TO SAY that the world is going to the dogs is to malign what we usually refer to as a dumb animal.

Germany's hurling of her military might against the British Isles has turned out to be a might not.

With the opening of hunting season today, the usual number of amateur woodsmen are expected to bag their limit of manslaughter charges.

While sympathetic Americans are collecting shoes for European refugees we'd like to suggest somebody give Hitler a boot.

"He tried to pass one near the crest—they laid a lily on his breast," writes Clark Wood in his Weston rag. Yeh, and he read the Leader so never met Saint Peter.

Although Windy Willkie loudly declares no one man is indispensable, he always explains he's the one man who should prove it.

Presidential Candidate Willkie now is asking southern democrats to drop their traditional voting habit, and few folks are at a loss to understand Wendell's motives.

Now Windy Willkie blames Roosevelt for Munich and selling Czechoslovakia down the river and next thing we'll hear will be the accusation that FDR conceived the Hoover boom of 1929.

Which reminds us of the loudest silence of the campaign which is being made by H. H. Hoover, who must be cracking under the strain.

All of which reminds us that politics, to the average voter, is an indulgence in everything he believes and an abuse of what he dislikes.

A report is as yet unconfirmed that southern Oregon hunters are planning to use Willkie buttons for doe tags.

The campaign reminds us, further, that great men never have big mouths.

FALL COLLEGE REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY

REGISTRATION for the fall quarter at the Southern Oregon College of Education is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 23. Students planning to enroll for the fall quarter should plan to register on registration day, as a late registration fee of from \$1 to \$5 will be assessed those enrolling after Sept. 23. Students planning to take work the fall quarter are urged to call at the registrar's office in order to make out their fall program prior to registration day. In this way the student will have plenty of time to determine his program before the actual registration begins. This year for the first time a change of program fee of 25 cents will be made for any change in the student's schedule after it has been approved by the registrar's office. For the first time in several years, students enrolling must pay all of their tuition and fees at the time of registration, as the Oregon State Board of Higher Education has abolished the use of partial payments. The fall program offers a complete and elaborate schedule for students interested in teacher education and training. In addition students interested in junior college work and liberal arts will find a wide variety of offerings in art, music, science and mathematics, English, social science, psychology, and health and physical education. Students desiring to study second year chemistry may, for the first time, be able to get this subject if enough students express an interest in it, according to Marshall E. Woodell, registrar.

F. L. Nelson and Companion
Are Invited to Be Guests of the Southern Oregon Miner
To See Their Choice of the Following
Varsity Theater Programs:
(Friday and Saturday)
"CAROLINA MOON"
"IT ALL CAME TRUE"
(Sunday, Monday, Tuesday)
"THE FIGHTING 69TH"
Please Call at The Miner Office for Your Guest Tickets

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SOCE AIRMEN TO TAKE UP FLIGHT AGAIN SEPT. 23RD

THE Southern Oregon College of Education again has been chosen to participate in the Civilian Pilot Training program. Seventy-two hours of ground work will be given jointly by the College of Education and the flight instructor, and a 35- to 50-hour flight course will be given at the airport in Medford. Ground instruction will begin soon after Sept. 23, while flight training will begin about Nov. 1. The course will be completed not later than Jan. 3, 1941.

To be eligible for Civilian Pilot Training, students must be citizens of the United States, they must have reached their 19th birthday but not their 26th birthday on or before Oct. 1, 1940 and they must not have held any pilot's certificate of private grade or higher. Students must be fully matriculated at the college, carrying at least eight hours of regular class work in addition to aeronautics. Freshman students cannot be accepted, as a minimum of one year of college work is required for participation. A physical examination must be passed before a student is accepted.

The cost of the course is somewhat lower than it was last year. A course fee of \$10, an insurance fee of \$9, and a health examination fee of \$6 must be paid by those students selected for the training. These fees cover the entire course and are paid in addition to the regular college tuition and fees. The complete course will carry college credit of six hours.

Anyone desiring further information concerning the Civilian Pilot Training program should call at the administration building of the Southern Oregon College of Education.

Mrs. G. S. Butler's Death Is End of Trail For Ashland Pioneer

Alice Barron Butler, wife of G. S. Butler, prominent Ashland pioneer, died at noon Monday at her Granite street home after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Butler was born Feb. 22, 1857, in a log cabin on the ranch southeast of Ashland known as the Ed Barron place.

Her parents, Major Hugh F. Barron and Martha Barron, were early settlers in the Oregon country.

She was married to Gwin S. Butler Nov. 2, 1879.

Besides her husband, other immediate survivors include two nieces and two nephews, Isabel Barron, Austie Barron, George F. Barron and Hugh Barron, all of Ashland.

Funeral service for the late Mrs. Butler was held at the Presbyterian church at 2 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 18. Entombment was in the mausoleum.

Big-Little Sisters To Party at AHS Today

The Big-Little Sister party for all the new girls and teachers will be held at the senior high school from 3 to 5 p. m. Friday.

The "new" teachers and girls will have to wear green, two-inch hair bows all day Friday and until they are initiated into the Girls' league.

Lela Griffith will act as chairman of the decoration committee and assisting her will be Margarette Barnhouse, Margery Newton, Mary Ann Delsman and Peggy Whittle.

The entertainment committee will be headed by Florence Clark, with the junior and senior girls acting as assistants.

Vera Segsworth, Dorothy DeLisle and Mary Alice Johnson will assist Marna Byrd, chairman of the refreshment committee.

BIEDE, KOOZER TO RUN

Miss Gertrude Biede, city treasurer, and Ralph Koozer, councilman, have been placed in nomination for reelection to their respective posts by circulation of petitions during the last week. Others seeking council posts include Guy Applewhite, incumbent, Marshall Woodell and Major Harold Jordan.

FOOTBALL!

Last week's football results: Ashland 7 at Lakeview 6. Chico 6 at Klamath Falls 13. Grants Pass 7, Dunsuir 0 (at McCloud).

Games Tonight
Weed, Calif., at Medford.
North Bend at Grants Pass.
Commerce high of Portland at Klamath Falls.

Married Men Must Confine Battles To Home, Says Army

THE old axiom about men preferring the trials of military combat to the distress of domestic battle must be credited with a certain amount of truth in the opinion of Lieut.-Col. H. D. Bag-nall, Oregon recruiting officer, Portland. Although a considerable increase in the number of marriages is reported since congressional action on the conscription bill, the Colonel reports that many men are now volunteering for the regular army in an effort to escape further marital difficulties.

Men who have already sworn "to love, honor and cherish" the "little woman" are not permitted to take the oath of enlistment. Army regulations specify that all applicants must be citizens between 18 and 35, physically and mentally fit and of good character. Even though no exceptions can be made, many pleas come in reading much like the following extract from a typical letter:

"Men are wanted in the army, and I want to get in, but I have been married a little over a year. Please write me an answer and tell me what I should do. I know I can make good, because my heart is set on it."

The army has no advice to offer. But perhaps one should agree with the cynical sergeant who remarked that he couldn't help admiring a fellow who was willing to take on the nation's troubles in addition to the domestic variety.

BOOSTER CLUB JOINS REQUEST FOR AIR ROUTE

ASHLAND'S chamber of commerce has gone on record endorsing a resolution favoring establishment of a shuttle service of United Airlines, serving southern, central and northern Oregon, it was announced yesterday.

Along with the city council, the chamber of commerce has forwarded a copy of the resolution to United Airlines officials preparatory to the hearing of the company in Washington, D. C., within a short time.

Under the proposal, the company would operate a secondary line between Medford, Eugene and Salem. It was estimated that approximately 60,000 persons in the various communities would be served, as well as bringing the communities closer together from a business and commercial standpoint.

Decision on the application is eagerly awaited and is expected to be made public from Washington within a short time.

Meanwhile, chamber of commerce officials are continuing their work on the newly adopted non-solicitation program, aimed at curbing unwarranted promotion and advertising schemes which take out hundreds of dollars and leave nothing of financial or material value in return. Cards stating that "This firm will consider only solicitations as approved by the Ashland Chamber of Commerce" will be distributed to chamber members within a short time.

C. M. Litwiler, president of the chamber, urged full-hearted cooperation on the part of all concerned. He declared that "if the members of the chamber of commerce will co-operate in this move, it will bring a noticeable decrease in the number of unad-vantageous solicitations."

Dean Pieper, chamber of commerce secretary, is away this week-end, attending the fall convention of Oregon Commercial Secretaries at the Oregon Caves.

GUARDSMEN TO BE GUESTS OF LITHIA SHOW TONIGHT

Officers and men of Battery B, 249th Coast Artillery, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hurst at the Lithia theater tonight, with a show "on the house" as a patriotic gesture to the soldiers who soon will leave for a year's training.

The battery will march in formation to the theater, according to officers.

NO PAY, MUST 'LAY'
Tim Harrington, home where-ever his hat is, if he has one, today is "laying out" a \$10 fine and \$2.50 police court costs on a charge of being drunk on a public street. Harrington was arrested Wednesday after transforming his "coffee" money into too many drinks.

Will Be Forum Speaker!



PRINCIPAL speaker at a Chamber of Commerce forum dinner here Thursday evening, Sept. 26, will be the Honorable Lawrence M. Judd, former governor of the Hawaiian Islands. Chief executive there between 1929 and 1934, the former official will discuss problems of the Islands from a military, economic and political standpoint. The meeting is scheduled for 6:45 p. m. at the Lithia Hotel.

Local Artillerymen Prepare for Year At Camp Clatsop

REGULAR army life became a routine matter for 109 Ashland young men this week following mobilization Monday of Battery B, 149th Coast Artillery, in the armory. Officers and men have been making their home in the large building and during last two days have been engaged in taking physical examinations preparatory to leaving for Camp Clatsop, where they will start their year's training as members of the regular army under the command of Capt. Hubert B. Bentley.

Officers and men of the battery Tuesday evening were hosts to Mayor T. S. Wiley, Councilman Guy Applewhite, Legion Commander Herb Moore, Elks Secretary Jerry Thornton, Will Dodge, Millard Grubb, former commander of Battery B, Dr. Arthur S. Taylor of SOCE and Ebe Dunn who, with Applewhite was co-chairman of the recent mess fund ball in the Elks temple which netted about \$165 for the battery's recreation and mess fund while at camp.

Mayor Wiley, in addressing the soldiers prior to the dinner which featured fried chicken, told them "You represent the flower of young Ashland manhood and you have the wholehearted support of the entire community, which is proud of you."

Sign Up 109 Men

Full strength of the battery has been set at 104 men, but an additional five have been enrolled to provide alternates for any rejected during physical examinations. The complete roster of the battery, including commissioned and non-commissioned officers, follows:

Battery B officers: Hubert B. Bentley, captain, commanding; 1st Lieut. William R. Clary, executive officer; 2nd Lieut. Lynn Neeley, mess and supply officer; 2nd Lieut. Benjamin H. Goldy, range officer; Lieut.-Col. Clyde G. Young, commanding First Battalion; Maj. Walter W. Abbey, (Medford), HQ 249thCA; Capt. Beecher Danford, HQ 249thCA, and Capt. Charles H. Delsman, HQ 249thCA.

Sergeants: Carl Bergstrom, Harry Hoxie, James McCallister, Le Roy McNeill and Lawrence Rude.

Corporals: Rolland Andrews, Stanley Coleman, James Coomes, James Curtis, Dale Frohreich, Marvin Messer, Harrold Russell and Glen Weybright.

Privates, first class: Paul Aikins, Victor Anderson, Robert Avery, James Beebe, Jack Bentley, Harold Baughman, Clarence Childers, Kenneth Evans, Russell Fowler, Steve Fowler, Paul Garren, Leo Grossman, Merle Henson, George High, William Hoxie, Delbert Jones, Walter Lee, Bennett Loftsgaard, Albert Peachey,

George Peachey, Vernon Riggert, Vernon Rush, Clyde Ryan, Kenneth Schilling, Fred Shere Jr., Howard Smith, Charles Warren and John Weaver.

Privates Are Listed

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List of tentative promotions: Sgt. Lawrence Rude to first sergeant; Corp. Rolland Andrews to sergeant; Corp. Glen Weybright to sergeant; Prvt. Victor Peiffer to sergeant (mess); Prvt. William Hoxie to sergeant; Prvt. 1st Class James Beebe to corporal; Prvt. 1st Class Paul Garren to corporal; Prvt. 1st Class Vernon Riggert to corporal; Prvt. 1st Class Fred Shere Jr. to corporal; Prvt. 1st Class Steve Fowler to corporal, and Prvt. 1st Class Kenneth Schilling to corporal.

Promotions: From private to private first class—Victor Anderson, Harold Baughman, Jack Bentley, Kenneth Evans, Steve Fowler, Leo Grossman, William Hoxie, Delbert Jones, Walter Lee, Albert Peachey, Clyde Ryan, Kenneth Schilling, Howard Smith, Charles Warren.

EIGHT REJECTED HERE

Following completion of rigid army physical examinations here Thursday, eight men of Battery B were rejected for service. Grants Pass lost 22 men and Medford 19 via the physical tests.

EXAMINER COMING

An examiner of operators and chauffeurs will be in the Ashland city hall from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Friday, Sept. 27, to issue licenses and permits to drive cars.

MANY EXHIBITS, CHICKEN DINNER TO FEATURE FAIR

SPONSORED by the Bellview and Talent Granges, the Southern Jackson county fair will open in the Bellview Grange hall Saturday, Sept. 21, and will continue through Sunday, Sept. 22, with many fine agricultural exhibits included among the many features of the event.

Prizes will be awarded for the following: garden products, flowers, threshed or bundled grains, fruits, nuts, fancy sewing work, canned and baked foods, bread rolls, loaf and layer cakes, cookies, pies, canned fruits and meats, pickles, vegetables, jellies, preserves, fruit from any orchard and exhibits from packing firms.

Entry tags for exhibits may be obtained from Mrs. H. Walter of Talent, Jack Williams or Mrs. John Heilmeyer of Bellview. Everything must be in place by Friday night, it was announced. The White Satin sugar contest will be held on Saturday, and all entries must be in by then.

A delicious chicken dinner will be served Sunday, and a church service with good singing and a fine sermon will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday.

A large crowd is expected to attend the fair, enjoy the chicken dinner and services, see the concessions by the community units. Fair sponsors hope that by getting persons interested in the fair a larger one can be held next year in a central location.

GRIZZLIES BUST GRIDIRON 'JINX'

Coach Leighton Blake broke a year-old jinx at the high school Friday night when he sent his charges to a 7 to 6 win over the Lakeview Honkers in the 1940 football inaugural for both elevens.

Lakeview recovered an Ashland fumble deep in Ashland territory in the first quarter and a double-reverse scored a touchdown but an attempt to kick the extra point was blocked.

In the second period Ashland took possession of the ball on the Honkers' 30-yard line and marched 70 yards for their score, Martin Herrin plunging through the center of the line on a fake reverse. A pass from Charlie Jandreau to Ken Caton in the end zone accounted for the margin of victory. The ball hit a Lakeview player and bounced squarely into Caton's arms.

Blake was well pleased with the performance of his inexperienced squad and said the boys executed players with comparative smoothness for so early in the season. The defense looked exceptionally good as it repeatedly stopped the heavy Lakeview line.

The Grizzlies remain idle this week-end and open the Southern Oregon High School conference against Grants Pass on the Cave-man field next Friday night, Sept. 27.



NANCY RING having her hands full at the military ball.

HAROLD BOOTHBY, on vacation, giving his razor a week off.

FLOYD CLARK defending himself against a whale scare by declaring "Well, they want me to show 'em a fish."

MARSHALL WOODPELL, stocking up on meat to substantiate his deer hunting trip.

HOLLIS BEASLEY wheeling up the street like a veteran bicyclist.

AUSTIE BARRON waving down traffic to let her sheep prance across the highway.

LIEBUT. LYNN NEELEY deciding the army will have to get another locksmith.

LIEBUT. BEN GOLDY eating lead sinkers before climbing onto the scales.

REBA EBERHART trying to tow a steelhead out to sea at the mouth of Rogue river, and hubby JEAN hurrying back to a hunting jilt by DR. C. A. HAINES.