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During 1942 more babies were born in the United States than during any year in its history, a fact which has national significance because of its relation to the future social and economic development of the country. The birth rate began to climb in 1934 following the depression and the general trend has been upward since. In 1942 it made its sharpest upswing, introducing a new factor into the calculations and forecasts of the future population trends of the United States. The arrival of new babies means more to the nation than just a vital statistic. Three million new babies are three million new incentives to the determination of the people to win this war and to secure a peace which will give their children a life worth living. Their parents intend to see that the future is a worthwhile future with better material living conditions, full education, health building all along the line so that when war is won a better life shall be theirs. Three million new babies are three million new incentives for saving to assure that future—for buying War Bonds and Stamps, for setting aside funds for new homes when new homes are possible, for investing in life insurance—for doing everything possible to guard against inflation. —BUY BONDS— Buy your Memorials now for Decoration Day. (Mrs.) M. T. Burns. -On the Plaza.

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Appointment of Four County Candidates

Ellis McCurley, Route 2, Medford, as a Principal; Allen N. Smith, Charles R. Braley, Jr., and William F. Bauman, all of Medford, as Alternates, for the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland, was announced today by Congressman Harris Ellsworth, representative of the Fourth District of Oregon. The appointments are the result of a preliminary qualifying examination given in the district, February 6. According to the grades earned in the examination, the five principal appointments, with three alternates for each, are as follows: James M. McCallum, 1788 Riverview St., Eugene, principal; Frederick J. Vedder, 210 S. Parrot St., Roseburg, first alternate; Elden E. Breedlove, Charleston, second alternate; Herbert C. Baker, 1910 University St., Eugene, third alternate. David A. McCoskrie, Linn County, Route 3, Corvallis, principal; Floyd V. Lewis, C. V. Star Route, first alternate; Mervin L. Hanscom, Harbor, second alternate; Ralph O. Bolt, 690 S. 9th St., Marshfield, third alternate. Delton P. Pruner, Riddle, principal; Loyd D. Page, Route 2, Eugene, first alternate; Allen N. Smith, 906 W. 4th St., Medford, second alternate; Charles E. McCloskey, Jr., 1944 Lincoln, Eugene, third alternate. Lowell M. Campbell, 435 S. Main St., Roseburg, principal; Charles R. Braley, Jr., 245 Valley View Drive, Medford, first alternate; John R. Woodworth, 1145 E. 21st St., Eugene, second alternate; Sidney D. Gilstrap, 547 W. 10th St., Eugene, third alternate. Ellis McCurley, Route 2, Medford, principal; Eugene H. Bird, 610 W. 24th St., Eugene, first alternate; William F. Bauman, 516 N. Ivy St., Medford, second alternate; James M. Morgan, 814 Temple St., Roseburg, third alternate. Those appointed will be notified by naval authorities of the time and places of the regular mental and physical entrance examinations.

WAR BOND QUIZ

Q. How many coowners of a Bond can there be?
A. War Bonds may be issued in the names of only two individuals as coowners, and the registration must be in the alternative, such as "John X. Smith or Mrs. Mary Smith," without any qualifying words or phrases.
Q. If a person who already holds War Savings Bonds up to the limit for the current year should inherit additional Bonds, could they be registered in his name?
A. Yes.
Q. How can I be sure that I can get my money back if I buy a War Savings Bond?
A. The full faith and credit of the United States Government are pledged for payment of both principal and interest. Your Bond is just as sound as the Government itself.
Q. If the owner of a War Savings Bond dies, how is collection made?
A. In the absence of a co-owner or beneficiary in the registration, the bond will form a part of the registered owner's estate, and will be paid to persons entitled to share in the estate under local laws as provided in the regulations.
Remember—the longer you keep War Bonds, up to 10 years, the more valuable they become.

RUTH ALICE PORTER 1904. She belonged to the Christian Funeral services are being held Science Church. Survivors include this afternoon at the Litwiler her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Funeral Home for Miss Ruth Alice Porter, an uncle, Mr. Harry Porter Porter who passed away Tuesday and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. J. morning. Miss Porter was born Porter, all of Ashland. May 22, 1896 in Volga, South —BUY BONDS— Dakota, coming to Ashland in The Miner for Quality Printing.

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