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SATURDAY  
Continuous Shows  
SUNDAY

## OUR DEMOCRACY by Mat

### SHARING THE JOB.

MOLLY PITCHER WAS THE FIRST AMERICAN WOMAN SOLDIER WHEN HER HUSBAND WAS KILLED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR. SHE MANNED HIS GUN, FOUGHT IN THE BATTLE OF MONMOUTH, WAS MADE A SERGEANT BY GENERAL WASHINGTON.



THE SPIRIT OF MOLLY PITCHER IS STRONG TODAY. WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES—ARMY AND NAVY NURSES, WAIFS, WACS, WAVES, SPARS, MARINES... WOMEN IN HOME AND FACTORY...

SHARING THE JOB—  
GETTING INTO THE FIGHT.

#### ENROLL SCHOOL CHILDREN IN THRIFT CAMPAIGN

School children throughout Jackson county will be enrolled in a thrift campaign this year as part of a schools at war program conducted by the Oregon war finance committee.

To help win the war, children should be thrifty and the war stamp savings program is designed to fix this idea firmly in youngsters' minds during the war.

#### THOMAS BRUNK

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Litwiller Funeral Home for Thomas Brunk, who passed away at Yreka, Sunday. He had lived in Siskiyou County, California for a number of years, being interested in mining. He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Noah Strong of Spokane, Mrs. Ella Deweese of San Francisco, Mrs. Jennie Regan of Port Townsend, Washington and Mrs. Lucille Dozier of Ashland.

## THE LESSON OF COLUMBUS

by Ruth Taylor

"Behind him lay the gray Azores. Behind, the Gates of Hercules; Before him not the ghost of shores;

Before him only shoreless seas." So begins Joaquin Miller's great poem on Columbus - a poem for all those who are facing a time of danger. Columbus had only a belief by which to sail. He set out into an unknown ocean, which the fears of more timid men had peopled with fabulous monsters and half-hinted perils. His ships were small, his crew mutinous, his seconds in command envious that this "foreigner" should be placed over them.

All he had was an idea - a plan which was new, and which wise men swore could never be carried out. But he did it. He set his course straight ahead, and stuck to it. The monsters did not appear but unforeseen hardships did. The ships were becalmed for days in the doldrums - that patch of ocean where the wind seldom blows. The provisions and water ran low, and the ocean was wilder than his wildest calculations. But still he went on.

What he faced, we face today. We face the difficulties of curtailment of what we deem necessities. We will need the extra energies of men to pull us through the inaction of the Doldrums. We will have to meet with and handle mutinous subversive forces and envious, self seeking leaders. But where Columbus had the idea of a new road to the Indies, we have the ideal of a new world where democracy will have an opportunity to progress, and where all men will be free. If we steer straight ahead along the course we know to be right, with our faith in the sanctity of the individual and in the inborn right of all men to be free and equal, as our guiding star, we will reach our goal. But we must persevere - or take its original meaning - we must follow through. "The good mate said: "Now must we pray

For lo! the very stars are gone, Brave Admiral speak; what shall I say?"

"Why say: 'Sail on! Sail on! And on!"

Then pale and worn, he paced his deck, And peered through darkness. Ah, that night

Of all the dark nights! And then a speck - A light! A light! At last a light! It grew, a starlit flag unfurled! It grew to be Time's burst of dawn.

He gained a world, he gave the world Its grandest lesson: "On! Sail on!"

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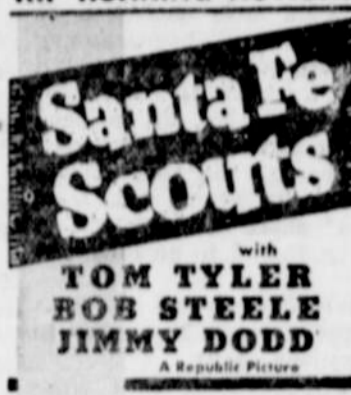
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#### Seek Women For Dietitian Training

The U. S. Civil Service Commission is seeking young women for training as dietitians in Army hospitals. Both college graduates and women with food experience beyond college are offered select training and ultimate opportunity for appointment in the U. S. Army as Medical Department Dietitian with the relative rank as second lieutenant.

Applicants must be between 20 and 40 years of age. Certain physical requirements prescribed in Army regulations must be met.

Applications for student dietitian positions must be filed by November 4, with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. The Commission, however, will accept applications for apprentice dietitian positions until the needs of the service are met. There is no written test for apprentice positions.

Full information and application forms may be obtained at first- or second-class post offices U. S. Civil Service regional offices in regional headquarters cities, and from the Commission in Washington 25, D. C.

Miss Lulu Smith of National City, Calif. has sent in her renewal to the Miner.

#### CAUTIOUS CORPORAL AT USO SUNDAY

Two recruits were rushed into the breach at the USO Sunday afternoon when the cookie jar ran low. Drafted to renew the supply were junior hostess Carolyn Rose and Crp. Harry Batzler of New York. Miss Rose was indifferent about the publication of her efforts, but Crp. Batzler was more cautious. "Don't tell anyone we are doing this until we see how the cookies turn out," he said. They turned out well and were served during the Sunday evening coffee hour.

The Lady Elks served their third waffle supper last week, with Mrs. Florence Farlow, Mrs. Harold Merrill, and Mrs. Murray Murphy in charge. A good number of men turned up at the USO to enjoy their hospitality.

Miss Berna Haight is continuing her Sunday afternoon piano music in the USO music room. Music of one kind or another is always popular there; the juke boxes go continually, and records for the two phonographs are soon worn out with use.

#### ATTEND MEET IN MEDFORD

A delegation of 14 men and women from the Methodist Church attended a council on Religious Education at the Methodist Church in Medford on Tuesday afternoon and evening. The principal speaker for this occasion was Miss Pearl Sherlock, director of religious education for Methodism in the Oregon Annual Conference.

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And those of us whose job is production—whether of goods on farms and in factories, or of services in stores and banks and utilities—can best see the results of our work in the high standard of living which we have helped to create in America. For this standard is built on our ability to produce more per person than any other nation on earth. And the people of every country, who are looking hopefully to us for food and weapons, can count on America because it has this great productive might.

After the war is over? Many people are talking about a richer life for all of us then. And they're right! For that richer life will be brought about, not by promises, but by hard work on the part of America's producers. And they—those who grow and make and do things—can do this post-war job better if they work together and understand each other. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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