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Hilt Aviator Reported Killed in France

Word was received in Yreka today of the death of 1st Lt. Louis Gordon Alphonse of Hilt, who has been reported killed in action in France on August 14. His father, Louis Alphonse of Hilt, has been notified by the War Department.

No details of the action in which the young pilot was reported killed were learned here. Because his plane apparently fell in enemy territory, the report of his death had to go through international channels by way of Switzerland and the telegram to his father was consequently delayed.

Lieutenant Alphonse had been awarded the Air Medal recently by his commanding officers at his base in England.

He was graduated from Yreka High school in 1939 and was student body president during his senior year. He later attended College of the Pacific at Stockton before enlisting in the Air Force in February, 1942.

Lieutenant Alphonse's wife, the former Gwendolyn Darby, gave birth to a daughter, their only child, on August 22 at Oxford.—Yreka Journal.

USO Clubs Receive Many Compliments

Mrs. Jewell Lockhart, Director of local USO, submits the following letter of praise from an Army wife.

Dear Mrs. Lockhart:

I want to thank you for so many pleasant months my husband and I spent at the USO in Ashland. We were both so sorry to leave such a pleasant community.

Unfortunately, all good things must come to an end. I am back in my home town, New Bedford, Mass., and my husband probably in Europe by now.

Among the many things I enjoyed there was the game of "Liverpool Rummy." I am wondering if it would be too much trouble to ask you if you would send me the rules. I would appreciate this very much.

Very sincerely yours,
Mrs. May Casey.

Fire in Persist Area Controlled by Loggers

A crew of more than 100 men, loggers and forest service fire-fighters, Tuesday morning had brought under control a fire in the Persist area on the Umpqua Divide, which started from a logging operation Monday afternoon and awhile threatened to get away completely.

The Rogue office here reported that a line had been thrown around the fire, and that it will remain under control unless winds come up.

More than 125 acres were burned over, the worst fire in the local district this year.

The Persist area is between Prospect and the head of Elk Creek, and the smoke billowed so high that it could be seen from the valley floor. Travelers coming down the Crater Lake highway thought the whole county was on fire.

Junior High Coach Comes; Practice Starts

John Roberts, the junior high school coach arrived in Ashland this week. For the past several months he has been training army men and previous to that time, was coach on a college football team. Mr. Roberts and Roland Parks principal of the junior high school, have been busy this week in lining up the football possibilities for the coming year, and Tuesday evening called a meeting of all junior high boys

large and small, who might be interested in football.

Prospects for a good team are bright, even though there was not any games played last year. Games have been scheduled with Medford, Grants Pass and Klamath Falls.

Letter Praises Local USO and Community

Many letters of gratitude and praise are sent to Club directors for the little favors being done daily. Another sample letter follows:

Dear Mrs. Lockhart:

Under the present circumstances a letter is the only way I have of showing my gratitude for the help you gave me in acquiring the money from home I needed to complete my trip to Portland.

You may not remember me for you have occasion to help so many soldiers. I am the soldier that had a three day pass and was trying to make a trip to Portland to visit my parents. I came to you for help. Due to your help I was able to make it home, have a nice visit and return to camp on time.

It is very nice to know there are people as good as you who will help a soldier when he needs it.

A grateful friend,
Edward Grogan
Camp Beale, Calif.

Rogue Sports Club Fights River Dam

The Rogue River Sportsmen's Club has gone on record as opposing the construction of any dam on Rogue River after a discussion of the proposed dam at California-On-The-Rogue above Trail.

The club also went on record as opposing the taking of any water out of Mill Creek, which would ruin the beauty of Mill Creek Falls. The secretary was instructed to notify the Oregon State Park Commissioner of the decision.

The club also voted to commend the park commission for its attitude in acquiring the land in the Camp White area for the establishment of a state park along the Rogue River.

Talent Man Dies at Ashland Hospital

George William Thompson, aged resident of Talent, Oregon, passed away at the Community hospital Wednesday, August 30 at 10 o'clock a.m. He has lived in Oregon for 10 years and in Jackson county for the past five years. He was a member of the Christian church in Missouri and had been engaged, before his retirement, in the mercantile business.

The deceased was born in Indiana, on October 3, 1846, and was 97 years 10 months and 27 days at the time of his death. He is survived by four children, Alvin C. Thompson, Osawatomie, Kansas; Mrs. Chloe Butler, Talent, Oregon; Joseph G. Thompson, Santa Rosa, California; Mrs. Sarah Thebo, Cave Junction, Oregon; and grandchild, Mrs. G. E. Ellis, Talent, Oregon.

Funeral services were held in the chapel at the Litwiler Funeral Home, Friday, September 1, at 10:30 o'clock with the Rev. Earl F. Downing, pastor of the Church of Christ bringing the message of comfort to relatives and friends.

Cremation followed at Grants Pass.

Marilyn Young Sings at Local USO Dance

During the intermission of the Ashland USO dance Saturday night Marilyn Young, Junior

hostess, sang two vocal numbers to an appreciative audience. Goldie Yorton's Orchestra furnished the music for this affair. Punch and cookies were served by senior hostesses, Mrs. Mildred Frazier and Mrs. Carmel Barnhouse. Desk hostess for this hour was Miss Ethel Reed and Door hostess was Mrs. Sid Reed. Cookies for this Saturday were furnished by the Ladies of Church of Christ Scientist.

Ray Bechtolt spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wilson last week. He came from San Francisco. Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Bechtolt are brother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dahl of Portland were Ashland business callers on Tuesday.

H. G. Bowers of Route 2, Ashland, was in town Wednesday on business matters.

A card from Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Giffen, former owners of the Miner, to the editor Tuesday, stated that they had arrived back at Mrs. Giffen's parental home safely, at Cozad, Nebraska. Mr. Giffen suffered a heart attack just before arriving home, but has since recovered satisfactorily.

The Ashland real estate board met Wednesday noon, with their wives, for dinner and business discussion at the Plaza Cafe. H. L. Moore is president and W. W. Robison is secretary-treasurer of the group.

E. E. Lady of Fern Valley was attending to business matters in Ashland Wednesday forenoon.

Max DeMille, reported ill last week, has sufficiently recovered this week to be about some. His condition was considered serious last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Myers of Medford were Ashland business callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo J. Norby and family returned to Ashland last week end, after they had spent most of the summer in California. Mr. Norby taking summer work to attain his doctor's degree at Stanford University. Tuesday Mr. Norby was back on the job as superintendent of the Ashland school system.

Lador Scripter, partner in the Marshall-Weiss store, has been operating the Signal service station, formerly operated by Roy Frazier, who relinquished his lease September 1. Company officials have promised a new lease for the station by Sept. 10.

Kenneth Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Burns left Wednesday for San Francisco, where he will be inducted into the armed services, the navy, he hopes. Mrs. Burns and two small daughters are to make their home here, until he returns. They have been living at Dunsmuir, where Mr. Burns was a railroad employee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broady left this week for Portland where they will spend a week or so.

Mrs. W. A. Martin, of Abilene, Kansas, after visiting a son at Eugene, came last Wednesday to visit at the Hugh McKeever home. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. S. D. Scripter, mother of Mrs. McKeever, left Wednesday to return to their home in Kansas. Mrs. Scripter has been here for several months.

Captain Robert Angel with his wife and two small children

visited the local USO club on Sunday. The Angels have just returned from a months vacation spent in California. Captain Angel is director of the Medford USO club.

About \$250 damages were sustained to a small cabin at the Flanders Market, owned by George Miller in a fire which started about seven in the morning. Cause of the blaze is unknown. Clint Baughman, fire chief stated. The cabin was insured for some \$100.

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NOTICE!

Due to heavy volume of legal work my office will not be open until 10 a.m. and will not be open at all on Saturdays. It is an experiment to see if we cannot complete legal work more promptly, if we have a working period each day which is not subject to interruption through appointments.

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Thanks, Folks!

The Ashland Riding Association, speaking through their executive committee of Jim Warren, Walter Hamby, Henry Enders and C. F. Talent, wish to thank one and all for the wonderful public support given in support of Ashland's first Horse Show, which resulted in a most successful and well attended event. To one and all—a most sincere thank you. This includes the many who have expressed a desire to donate, but were missed in our solicitation.

We appreciate the special efforts put forth by Director Mirick and the Ashland City Band. It takes "a hand to make a parade"—and the hand was

the subject of a great deal of praise, especially from our many out-of-town visitors. Two others groups who aided greatly in the Horse Show were the Jackson County Sheriff's posse and the Ladies' Auxiliary. Likewise an "orchid" for the efficient judging of Henry Owens, Valley View, Walter Hamby, Ashland, and Ward Hulbert of Medford.

To the mayor and City of Ashland, to the public address man Glen Prescott, master of ceremonies C. Lyall Fidler, and timekeeper V. D. "Bert" Miller—our appreciation. We have endeavored to make the credit list below complete—but will ask your pardon in event of any omission.

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