



Washington, D. C., Dec. 2—WITHOUT any pulling, hauling or political pressure Klamath Falls a few miles from the Japanese relocation center at Tule lake, has been recommended as the site for a 3,000-bed navy hospital. It will be one of the largest such institutions in the country. This hospital is intended for the exclusive use of patients who are suffering from malarial diseases contracted in the swampy, but picturesque, jungle islands of the South Pacific. The size of the hospital gives some idea of the prevalence of malaria in that theater of war, and the Klamath Falls hospital is intended for navy personnel alone—not the army, although the army also is suffering severely from the disease.

After making a survey of the midwest and northwest an examining board concluded that at Klamath Falls the disease could be more effectively treated than elsewhere because of the climatic conditions and the elevation. The elevation of Klamath Falls is about 4,500 feet above sea level.

In passing, it may be observed that when Klamath Falls asked for the establishment of an air base the powers that be rejected the location because, they said, fighter planes might run into wild geese or pelicans, that vicinity being a refuge for wild water fowl, and such a collision would be disastrous to the pilot and plane, not to

mention the geese. Now the government is spending in excess of \$2,000,000 for an air field at Klamath Falls.

THERE are altogether too many peace rumors going the rounds to suit the army and navy big-wigs. Every week silly rumors crop up which have it that peace is just around the corner, or that Germany will ask for an armistice, that Rumania will withdraw from the war, and so on into the night. Such rumors seem to gain momentum as the war goes on, and they come thicker and faster after each allied victory. All of which adds up to

rale, and is giving the war department bunk, bad for civilian moment one grand headache. Such rumors also have a very bad effect on the millions of men in the armed forces who have been undergoing months of vigorous training in many camps scattered throughout the nation. This matter has become a subject of serious concern to the army and navy high command, who are now trying to devise ways and means to stop this dangerous propaganda. Officials emphasize that the public will be truthfully informed of any peace overtures and will always be kept abreast as to the progress of the war. They are also very emphatic that any credence given to such rumors will only prolong the war and help to break down war production schedules and morale of our home front. We are winning the war but the struggle ahead will take many months of hard and bitter fighting. The successful ending is still along ways off. Moral: Don't spread peace rumors.

THE senate committee which now has the house anti-food subsidy bill up for arguments, both pro and con, is now holding "open house" on the measure. The farm bloc lobbyists, who are against subsidies, will be arrayed on one side vs. organized labor and housewives league on the other side of the fence.

From all advance indications a good time will be had by all. It begins to look like the senate will not take the house bill as is. It is predicted the togamen will make several amendments to the measure, toning down some of the more drastic provisions incorporated in the house bill. Compromise, in some form, seems to be in the air.

Considerable heat is being turned on many senators by scores of pro-subsidy groups. Letters and telegrams are flooding the desks of the lawmakers, urging a continuance of subsidies in some form to hold down food prices. There isn't anything that has more effect on the boys than letters and telegrams from the home folks. When they hear the voice of their constituents they sit up and take notice, and that's exactly what is happening now.

OREGON'S Senator Charles L. McNary, minority leader and one of the mainstays of the Republican steering committee in the upper house, will not be at his desk for several months. The senator is a sick man, and to properly recover derwent recently, it will be necessary for him to take a long rest. During his absence Senator Vandenburg of Michigan will handle the reins of the minority, and he doesn't relish the job one bit.

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HAPPY 4-HERS ELECT

The Happy 4-Hers met recently at the home of their leader, Mrs. John Bergstrom. A dinner was served at 6 o'clock by the leader and election of officers was held for the coming year. They are: president, Carolyn Bergstrom; vice president, Patty Healy; secretary, Mary Ann Hunt; song leader, Patty Healy; program leader, Nancy Ferguson and news reporter, Marilyn Bergstrom. Mrs. Rodgers was a visitor and she organized the club for another year.

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