

Lexington News

Mrs. Mary Edwards

News has come of the death of Mrs. Leona Slate at her home in Bend Nov. 22. Mrs. Slate, the former Leona Davis, was born in Lexington May 22, 1897. She passed her girlhood here and was a graduate of the Lexington high school. She was married to Howard Slate 28 years ago and to this union were born three sons and nine daughters who with her husband are left to mourn her death. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Nettie Davis of Lexington, and three brothers, James of Lexington, Clark of Pendleton and Glen of Bend and four sisters, Mrs. Nettie Barton of Riverside, Calif., Mrs. Mabel Gray of Stanfield, Mrs. Lucy Pointer, Sealah, Wash., and Mrs. Gladystine Mikessell, Toppenish, Wash.

Word was received in Lexington Saturday evening that Stanley Way, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Way, had been killed in action Nov. 15 in the European theatre of war.

Cecil Jones of Hanford spent the week-end visiting his wife and daughter at the W. E. McMillan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Palmer left Saturday for Salem on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Breshears and Mrs. Helen Crump visited at Hermiston Sunday at the home of the Breshears daughter, Mrs. D. R. Gjb. son.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peck and Elwynne returned Monday evening from a short visit with relatives at Corvallis and Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carmichael entertained at a pinocle party at their home Saturday evening.

The high school had a farewell party for Roger Campbell Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bethel Taylor. Roger left that night to report to Farragut for naval training.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell went to Prairie City Tuesday and will take their son Robert to Baker where he will undergo a minor operation.

Mrs. Elsie Beach has gone to Astoria to spend the winter with her son Edwin and family.

VISIT IN VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. George Peck and son, Aviation Cadet Elwayne Peck, made a trip to the Willamette valley over the week-end, going as far as Eugene. They visited relatives along the way, some of whom Elwayne had not met before. Elwayne is spending a furlough with his parents, coming from San Antonio, Tex. where in recent months he has been taking a course in bombardiering. He has five or six more months of schooling before graduating.

HAVE NEW PROJECT

The Brownie Girl Scouts have been asked to collect beads and pieces of colored yarn for McCaw General hospital. Any kind of beads will do. The yarn must be woolen and clean. Old hand knit garments that can be raveled out may be brought in. Brownies are requested to ask their mothers and all their friends for these items and bring them to the next meeting, 2 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 9, in the basement of the Methodist church.

Fighting the enemy is not the only unpleasant part of war, according to Lt. Donald Drake of Heppner, who is with a rifle company in Germany. Cold weather is not making the war any easier for the boys and he hopes the war will end before the weather gets worse.

Claude Drake, who has just shipped out from San Francisco, recently was elevated to the rank of Seaman First Class, he has informed his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Drake of Heppner.

Norbert Peavy will come from Portland Friday night to move his family to the city. They will leave Saturday and their new address will be 4317 S. E. Pine street.

R. K. Drake is doing nicely at St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton where he submitted to an opera-

TRUCK OWNERS WARNED TO FILL IN BLANKS

It has come to the attention of the rationing office that many truck application blanks are finding their way into the trash can at the post office unopened.

Owners or operators receiving the blanks are warned that unless the blanks are properly filled out and returned to the rationing office they will receive no gas for the first quarter of 1945. All fleet owners must call at the office for gas rationing between Dec. 26 and 31.

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SUNDAY

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Have your tires fixed the OK way---no long wait or unnecessary delay.

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OK Tire Shop
FRANK ENKRAF, Proprietor

STRAIGHT TALK

ABOUT THE

SIXTH WAR LOAN DRIVE

Remember What Happened Three Years Ago Today?

It was church time on the west coast and the nation at large was following the usual Sunday routine when all at once flashes over the teletypes told of the treacherous attack on Pearl Harbor. We were stunned and at the same time aroused to the realization that this meant war—the greatest war this troubled old sphere has ever seen. The disaster at Pearl Harbor was but the beginning of a series of appalling losses of life and material, but we faced the future with courage and the conviction that our cause was just

and that we soon would turn back this threat to civilization. That conviction has been exemplified in the great victories of our fighting forces which long since placed the enemy on the defensive and all but wiped out his sea strength. . . . But the end is not yet in sight.

There is a long road to travel before Tojo or his counterpart yells the equivalent to the nazi "kame-rad. More guns, ammunition, ships, planes and the men to man them are needed on our far-flung fronts. We of the home front can do our part by buying

MORE BONDS—AND DO IT NOW! Morrow County has an opportunity to lead the state in subscribing its E Bond quota. Let's get it done this week-end!

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