

Durfee Child's Funeral Held At The Dalles

By Eliza M. Leathers
The funeral of the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durfee of Wetmore who smothered to death by an apple core lodging in his windpipe on Nov. 12, was held in The Dalles on Tuesday at 2 p.m. The small child was the nephew of Mrs. Lee Neth of Kinzua, and Mrs. Neth had the other two children here while her brother and his wife are away. The Neths attended the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rood were

visiting his son, Jerry Rood, and wife from Weston, and also attended to some business at the Kinzua office. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Adams have been at The Dalles several days, where he is receiving medical attention. They returned on Thursday. Harve Boyer returned home after a two weeks' visit in Portland. His granddaughter, Letrice Ray Collins, returned home with him. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Samples accompanied their daughter Darlene and Johnny Green to Goldendale, Wash., Saturday, where the young couple were united in marriage. Both Mr. and Mrs. Green are employed here, and plan to make their home here.

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MANY VETERANS REINSTATE NSLI
Taking advantage of current liberal reinstatement privileges which expire December 31, 1947, 36,240 veterans in the Pacific Northwest have put \$314,498,000 worth of National Service Life Insurance back in force during the past nine months. * In the one month of October, 2863 veterans in the four north-west states and Alaska reinstated NSLI with a face value of \$17,723,500. Until December 31, a veteran may reinstate his term insurance by paying two monthly premiums and completing a simple form. After that date, to reinstate insurance lapsed more than three months, passing a physical examination will be a reinstatement requirement. Reinstatement forms may be obtained from any VA office or service organization, or by writing the Northwest Branch Office of VA, Exchange Building, Seattle 4, Wash. **VA ADOPTS NEW LEAVE POLICY** All student-veterans attending colleges under the G. I. Bill will receive unbroken subsistence payments for the full enrollment period, providing there are no more than 15 days between terms, under new procedures put in effect by the VA this fall. Eligible college students will be granted 15 days leave automatically, to permit continuous payment of subsistence, unless the VA receives a request not to grant such leave. Such requests must be received at least 30 days before the end of the fall term. Time on leave between terms will be charged against a veteran's entitlement, so veterans preferring to forego the leave in order to make use of their entitlement for actual schooling should be sure to notify the VA to that effect before 30 days from the end of the term.

Wheat Replacing Rice In Diet of Filipino People

Extension workers in the Philippines with family life are currently engaged in helping the people there change from rice to wheat, according to Miss Presentation Atienza, home economics extension specialist from the islands who is doing special work at Oregon State college this fall. Most rice fields were destroyed during the war. When Miss Atienza reached Oregon after visiting a number of American states at her own expense, she was granted a \$500 fellowship by the Oregon Wheat commission to help her study rural extension methods here with special emphasis on nutrition applicable to her home people. As wheat is not considered a practical crop under Philippine conditions, wheat used now and in the future will mostly come from the United States. It has been shipped from here since the war as flour for bread and cracked wheat for cereal foods. Miss Atienza and her fellow extension workers have been busy preparing recipes using wheat to fit the tastes of the Filipino people. Wheat was distasteful at first but is being accepted gradually, first by mixing it with rice in cereals. A one dish meal cooked in a single clay pot is the usual fare of country families in the islands, the visitor told O.S.C. extension home economists. In recent years the chief of the Philippine extension work designed and introduced a simple clay oven which is proving popular. The Philippines extension service is patterned closely after that in the States. From the central office seven specialists work through the Islands while 37 home extension agents are stationed in the provinces. Clothing is still so scarce that no specialist is maintained in that field, Miss Atienza explained. Many are dependent on relief clothing from the States.

Central Point, north of Medford, has enjoyed substantial all-around growth, and is rapidly becoming the industrial center of Jackson county, according to Eugene Thorndike, manager of the Medford branch of First National, who is representing the bank at Central Point until a regular staff is appointed. "There are five lumber mills

and other industries at Central Point," Thorndike commented. "It is also trading center for 60% of the rich Jackson county farm area, with a cooperative grange of 200 members. Farming is well diversified, with orchards and dairies the leading specialties." "The town itself has a growing population, now 1200, and its school, drawing pupils from

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