

### MANY CIVILIANS ENROLL IN FIRST AID INSTRUCTION

About 170 attended the organizational meeting of civilians registered for first aid defense at the Jackson county courthouse auditorium last night. Those enrolled were assigned to various classes.

Capt. S. M. Tuttle emphasized the importance of having a civilian population well trained in first aid work. C. C. Haggard, in charge of first aid instruction for the Red Cross, showed films illustrating proper driving on snowy and icy pavements.

Mr. Haggard announced that the text books to be used in the course would be available at the Red Cross office next week for those who had not received them. Initial assignment was the first three chapters of the text book.

Mr. Haggard said there was room for a limited number of additional enrollees in some of the classes. Persons registered for civilian defense who want to sign up for this work may notify the Red Cross office.

Instructors for the classes are J. B. Meehan, Dr. C. W. Lemery, Ed Kirtley, Marjorie Kelly and Harold Bither.

### DRUNKEN DRIVER GIVEN \$100 FINE

Hugh M. Rutledge, 41, 228 South Ivy street, was fined \$100 and his driver's license was revoked for a year by Judge W. W. Allen in city court this morning on a charge of operating a car while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Rutledge, a temporary resident here who held an Idaho license, was accused of running into a car parked in front of the GeBauer apartments on North Oakdale avenue late Tuesday night. The parked car was owned by D. H. McCargar of Grants Pass, the police report said.

John L. Detweiler, 56, 522 Edwards street, was fined \$10 for failure to give right of way. Detweiler's car struck an auto operated by Melvin L. Steinback of Ferrdale, Wash., who gave a local address of 1700 Prune street, and in the mixup the parked car of Dr. C. M. Young of 109 South Oakdale avenue and a sign post were struck, according to the police report. The accident happened at West Main and Ivy streets yesterday afternoon.

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### Los Angeles Blacks Out



In a three-hour blackout, in which unidentified planes were reported circling in the Los Angeles vicinity, the usually well-lighted downtown section faded into almost complete darkness. At top: Broadway's street lights have just gone out, other lights still blaze. Below: 20 minutes later, only a few isolated lights remained.

### DIVORCE

Baltimore — (P) — Christmas shopping figured as a cause for divorce in a case before Judge Ell Frank. The judge awarded Mrs. Naomi Nelva Horan an absolute divorce from Thomas James Horan, taxicab driver. Mrs. Horan testified they quarreled when she returned home

late from Christmas shopping in 1936 and her husband left in a huff. She said her shopping took "an awful lot of time" because of a heavy rain.

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### ALL MAY DONATE YULE DELICACIES FOR SOLDIER BOYS

Medford residents who wish to add Christmas joy to boys in Oregon military camps and cooperate with the national defense program have an opportunity this week to do both, and merely by leaving a donation of cookies, candy, fruit cake or nuts at Boy Scout headquarters tomorrow at the end of Bear Creek bridge on East Main street.

Christmas boxes of home made cookies and other delicacies will be packed by Medford unit Pro America members. All Medford residents who wish to donate to this project may do so. Those who have no means of sending their donations to Boy Scout headquarters may telephone 2477 and someone will call for the contribution. Donations will be received beginning at 10 a. m. and continue all day.

### AMATEUR PILOTS JOIN ARMY CORPS

Fred Beck and Richard H. Witt, local amateur pilots, enlisted today in the army and were accepted directly for the air corps, said to be an unusual procedure. They will leave tonight for Portland to take a final medical examination and to be formally sworn into service if they pass.

Beck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Beck of the Old Stage road and manager of his father's bakery plant in Klamath Falls, holds a private pilot's certificate and has had more than 150 hours in the air. Witt, plant manager and supervisor of the Beck Bakery here, holds the same kind of certificate and has had almost 300 hours in the air. Both expect to become army pilots.

Witt is the husband of the former LaMulle Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beck. Mr. and Mrs. Witt reside at 231 South Ivy street.

Time Served in 18 States Salem, N. J. (U.P.)—Arthur James, 48, of Atoka, Okla., who is serving a 90-day sentence in county jail here, believes he is one of the "most arrested" men in the country. James' record shows he was arrested at least 33 times, and that he has served sentences in 18 states.

### Feudalism to World Power Is Japan's Recent History

A. P. Feature Service Washington, D. C.—Doughty Commodore Matthew C. Perry sailed into Uruga harbor, Japan in 1853, heading a large U. S. naval squadron. He accomplished the design to frighten the Japanese into friendly trade with the United States, breaking her hostile isolation.

Perry's act also started Japan on its way from feudalism to a world power. Up to 1931, the U. S. looked on approvingly. Here's a thumbnail history: 1898—Treaty permits U. S. advisers, teachers, missionaries to enter Japan. 1899—Joins U. S. in "open door" doctrine in China. 1900—Japanese, American, European soldiers join to put down China's Boxers. 1905—U. S. mediates Russo-Japanese war.

1911—A "gentlemen's agreement" remedies influx of Japanese to U. S. Pacific coast. 1914-18 Japan joins allies. 1922—Signs the Washington treaties to limit arms and maintain status quo in the Pacific. 1931—Military clique rises in Japan. Seizes Manchuria (Manchouku).

1937—Japan invades China. U. S. gunboat Panay sunk. Enters axis anti-communist pact. 1939—U. S. denounces treaty of friendship. 1940—Japan joins Rome-Berlin axis.

1941—July-August, Japanese credits frozen in U. S., shipments of oil, metal from U. S. banned. November, Japan protests U. S. economic "strangulation." Takes control of Indo-China from Vichy France. Speeds a special envoy, Kurusu, to Washington.

Dec. 7, 1941—Japanese planes attack U. S. Pacific bases.

London, Dec. 18.—(P)—The Netherlands government announced today that allied troops had occupied the Portuguese island of Timor, between Java and Australia, strategic station on a Japanese air line.

But Timor's importance for Japanese submarine warfare was emphasized in the Dutch announcement, which said: "In view of Japanese submarine activities off Portuguese Timor it became an unavoidable necessity to take steps to safeguard this territory against Japanese aggression and to forestall its being used as a base from which attacks could be made on allied territory and communications."

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Seattle—(P)—Co-ed Isabelle Mae Smith at the University of Washington has a potential mink coat, on the hoof. Benny, a five-month-old mink she found on a Canadian Cascades field trip this summer, is her pet. "She'll answer to her name some times, too," Miss Smith said. "When she's mad, she barks just like a puppy and she won't sleep unless I scratch her back first."

**ROACHES IN MOVIES**  
Columbus, O.—(P)—Imagine anyone's wanting to raise bedbugs and cockroaches and even make movies of them! They do it at Ohio State university to learn better how to eliminate the pests. No one volunteered to be a dinner table for the bedbugs, so the scientists place the bugs in glass dishes and attach them to the shaved stomach of a rabbit once a week.

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