

COLONEL URGES POSITIVE STAND FOR AMERICANS

Elks Flag Day Speaker Says
Character of People Will
Determine War Issue.

Declaring that "these are trying times and we are up against a tough job," Col. Owen R. Meredith, post commander of Camp White, called upon a Flag Day audience last night to be "for something, the good and worthwhile things, instead of against everything."

Speaking at the annual Flag Day exercises of the lodge, Col. Meredith emphasized that "our job now is to whip the Jap, the Hun and the Spig, so let's be for whipping them instead of against them whipping us."

War Tops Off

The colonel pointed out that nothing will be left for us if we lose the war, said: "The first thing for us now is to win it; everything else is secondary, and the character of our people will determine the issue."

The army officer stressed the need for good citizenship and unity and said that charity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity constituted the essence of good citizenship, for which the American flag was the symbol. "The extent and quality of our good citizenship is measured by our fidelity to the flag," he declared, and added that good citizenship would win the war.

Frank DeSousa, a past exalted ruler, in a short patriotic address said that "we must make any sacrifice, no matter what the consequence, in order to win the war and preserve our liberty and keep our homes."

U. S. Hope of Ravages

He contrasted the happy picture of American children at play, mothers secure and fathers going about their business, with the downtrodden, war-ravaged peoples of other lands, and declared that "the United States of America remains the only hope in the hearts of these peoples for eventual salvation."

Also included on the program were introductory exercises by Exalted Ruler Stanley L. Phillips and officers, the history of the flag by Don Newbury, assisted by Boy Scouts; altar service by equine and officers, prayer by Father Herald G. Gardner, chaplain; pledge of allegiance to the flag, led by Exalted Ruler Phillips, piano selections by Edna Daugherty of Ashland and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "America."

HOPS NEED SUN

Portland, June 12—(P)—Condition of the Oregon hop crop is regarded as "extremely serious," the U. S. department of agriculture said today, because of downy mildew infestation and unfavorable weather.

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"Twin Beds" Is Sunday Comedy



George Brent, the husband, isn't at all surprised to find a romantic Russian, Mischa Auer, underneath Joan Bennett's bed, in the new and hilarious comedy, "Twin Beds," which comes to the Craterian theatre Sunday for a three-day fun-run. Others in the cast are Glenda Farrell and Una Merkel.

Tim Holt in Thriller at Holly



Tim Holt takes a header in "Come on Danger," a thunderbolt of two-gun Western thrills, playing tonight and Saturday only at the Holly theatre. Frances Neal plays opposite.

"Jungle Book" Opens at Rialto



Sabu, the Elephant Boy, in one of the 10,000 amazing scenes in the technicolor filmization of Rudyard Kipling's "Jungle Book," which opens today at the Rialto theatre for one big thrill-jammed week. A two million dollar production, the film comes as the year's most eagerly-awaited masterpiece.

PARATROOPS GET \$50 EXTRA PAY

Sergeant Joseph W. Cushman, army recruiter for southern Oregon, announced today that it is possible for men between the ages of 18 and 30 to enlist in the parachute troops of the U. S. army. Any man between these ages is eligible to apply and if found physically and mentally qualified will be enlisted and sent to a replacement training center for 13 weeks of intensive basic training, and then forwarded to the parachute school at Fort Benning, Ga. At the start of his training a parachutist receives \$50 per month above his regular pay, Sgt. Cushman said.

The army is also seeking the enlistment of men 18 and 19 years of age for all branches of the army. Any man of this age group may select his branch of service from the following: Air corps; infantry; cavalry; field and coast artillery; armored force; engineers; or the signal corps.

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TEMPT FATE AGAIN

Seattle, June 12—(P)—Intent on signing aboard another freighter as soon as possible, most of the crew members of the ship sunk last Sunday off Cape Flattery have left Seattle for San Francisco. Each was given \$150 as compensation for belongings lost with the ship. Two crew members are still under treatment in Marine hospital.



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WHEELER URGES RED BASES FOR WHACK AT JAPAN

Montanan Hopes New Tieup
With Russia Will Open
Way For U. S. Operations.

Washington, June 12—(P)—The United States and Soviet Russia, once poles apart on most questions affecting human welfare, proclaimed themselves close partners today in two momentous undertakings:

1. The urgent task of "creating a second front in Europe in 1942."

2. The enormous task of preparing "to create a better world hereafter."

Belief was expressed in congressional quarters that the "full understandings" might result in the eventual opening of Russian air bases to American bombers operating against Japan.

While some legislators said such a future development appeared entirely possible, others voiced the conviction that nothing in the accord would precipitate the Russians into open hostilities with the Japanese while they were so heavily engaged with the Germans.

Means Early Victory
Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) told reporters he hoped that as a result of the help they had been getting and expected to obtain in the future, the Soviets would open bases at Vladivostok for American bombing operations against Japan, adding:

"If the Russians give us the right to use those bases, I feel confident that the United States could bring Japan to her knees in a short time."

But Senator Gillette (D-Iowa), a member of the foreign relations committee, declared it was a matter of prime importance to the Soviets that they not be forced to divert strength to a new eastern front when they needed all they could summon to repulse the Nazi armies in the west.

Few congress members believed the White House announcement portended any immediate effort by the United Nations to land troops in Europe.

Eagle Pt. Services In Tabernacle To Close on Sunday

Eagle Point, Ore., June 12—(Sp.)—The evangelistic services being conducted by the Misses June Locke and Helen Wilson at the Highway Tabernacle will be brought to a conclusion Sunday night. Tonight's topic will be: "A Wife's Warning." There will be no Saturday service. Sunday morning Evangelist Wilson will speak on "The Lost Book" and the closing meeting on Sunday night will feature an evangelistic message by Evangelist Locke.

A special feature of Friday's service will be presentation of children from the daily Bible school in songs and scripture selections.

At 6:45 p. m. on Sunday a model young people's service will be conducted by the young people of the Tabernacle.



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Desert Drama



William Boyd, as Hopalong Cassidy, transfers his activities to the Arabian desert and becomes a two-gun sheik in "Outlaws of the Desert," playing tonight and Saturday only at the Roxy theatre.

"A Gentleman's Gentleman," Walt Disney's technicolor cartoon starring Mickey Mouse and Pluto, plays as an added attraction with the Clarence E. Mulford adventure.

Sugar Beet Crop Is Saved by Japs

Portland, June 12—(P)—Eastern Oregon's sugar beet crop was saved by 300 Japanese volunteer laborers tipping the balance, R. B. Taylor of Adams told the Oregon U. S. Department of Agriculture War board here yesterday.

He said that only 1,000 of 21,000 acres of sugar beets in the Nyssa area had to be plowed under. The rest will be thinned within a week.

SOIL SUFFERS

Portland, June 12—(P)—Eighty-four per cent of the land in the Pacific northwest is suffering erosion damage, J. H. Christ, regional soil conservator, said yesterday as he prepared to open the new five-state office.

Sweden is to study the possibility of cultivating and utilizing the Siberian dandelion for production of latex rubber.



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Steaks, choice, lb 30c			Lard 3 lbs. 50c		
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Choice Veal Roasts, lb.	25^c	Meaty BEEF Short Ribs, lb.	17^c	CHOPS or Pork Steaks, lb.	30^c
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HAMS, No. 1 grade, 1/2 or whole, lb. 36c; BACON, Extra Fine Quality, lb. 28c					
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