

ON THE HOME FRONT

News From Jackson County for Men in the Armed Services

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

The Mail Tribune suggests you clip and mail this news roundup to a relative or friend in service.

Date.....

Dear.....

Well, boys, Christmas is "just around the corner" as they used to say of prosperity in the mid-1930's and managers of hotels and rooming houses are wondering how they will be able to take care of all the people who will be streaming into little old Medford to spend a portion of the holidays with their sons and brothers, and other relatives stationed at Camp White.

Citizens are being urged to take in the visitors if at all possible, because there just won't be room for everybody in the public hostels. Of course a lot of the Camp White boys will have furloughs and go home for Christmas, but far more won't and their relatives will come here to see them.

Incidentally, Camp White is filling up rapidly. Every night the streets of Medford are jammed with soldiers. It's a military secret as to just how many troops are at the camp now, but suffice it to say there are thousands.

Sorry we can't give you much local sports news this time, but it's right between seasons—football has bowed out and basketball hasn't picked up full steam. The high school cagers are working out regularly under the coaching of Lorn Arnold and four men have apparently lined positions on the team.



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They are Captain Don Fawcett, Dale Niedermeyer, Alan Weir and Darrell Monteith. The fifth starting post is "wide open." First game for the Tigers will be against Weed, Calif. here Dec. 18.

Medfordites and Jackson countyites pledged up \$29,387 for war bonds on December 7, first anniversary of Pearl Harbor, and Mrs. Lela Rogers (mother of Ginger) said she thought it was the biggest day's sale yet recorded. Mrs. Rogers heads the county bond sales committee.

Crater Lake National Park has gone to war, just like all you fellows. The road has been closed for the winter, equipment used in the park has been turned over to the army and most of the personnel necessary to keep the park open in the winter has joined the armed forces. Speaking of Crater Lake reminds us that the new Crater Lake highway, starting near the Big-Y market on the north Pacific highway, has been opened to traffic. It is 9 1/4 miles long and stretches to Antelope Creek in the Camp White area, where it joins the old Crater Lake highway. It is a little shorter than the old road, and much better in all respects.

We had a mock attack drill here the other night. All the air raid wardens, auxiliary police and other persons connected with the civilian defense effort swung quickly into action, and the drill was declared to have been a complete success.

After Sheriff Syd I. Brown warned that his office and the state police would rigidly enforce the new 35-mile per hour speed limit, there was a notable decline in the number of cars seen traveling over that rate.

That Medford's population has increased over that of last year can be seen in the attendance figures released by the city school superintendent's office. There are now 3,506 students attending the sixth public schools, compared to 3,200 for the same period in 1941.

Camp White had a tragedy recently, when two soldiers connected with an engineers' unit

Alice Fay Heads Cast Rialto Hit



Alice Fay heads the cast of "Tin Pan Alley," opening a four-day run today at the Rialto Theatre. Betty Grable and John Payne also star.

Favorite Stars In Sunday Picture



Jean Rogers and Richard Ney (star of "Mrs. Miniver") have roles with Fay Bainter and Edward Arnold in "The War Against Mrs. Hadley," which comes to the Craterian Theatre Sunday for a three-day run.

were drowned in Rogue River. As today their bodies had not been recovered or names of the victims released.

Andy LaMar, Jr., who used to be a star trackman for Medford high, has received an appointment to the United States Military Academy. He is now residing in Birmingham, Ala.

Frank Dixon, another high school graduate now attending Oregon State college, has been

appointed second alternate to the U. S. Naval Academy.

George Rohrer has received his wings and commission in the army air forces and is now stationed at Salt Lake City, Utah, and Donald C. Root was recently commissioned an ensign after completing a course at the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's school, New York City.

Dick Jewett of Central Point

Richard Dix In Drama of Crime



Richard Dix rips open the web of a crime-ridden city in "Eyes of the Underworld," companion mystery film with "Get Hep to Love," opening a three-day run Sunday at the Holly Theatre. Wendy Barrie and Lon Chaney star with Dix.

Roxy Headliner



Jane Withers stars tonight and Saturday at the Roxy Theatre in her 4-H club hit, "Young America." "Riding the Wind," with Tim Holt, plays as the companion Western.

is in North Africa with the American invasion forces. He writes his parents, and Bill Reed of Medford is stationed at Stillwater, Okla. for training as a radio technician, second class, U. S. naval reserve.

Victor Dallaire, former local resident, is "somewhere in England" with the U. S. air forces and Donald P. Helm of Trail has started a course in aviation mechanics at Amarillo, Tex.

Enjoying furloughs at their homes the past week were Eugene V. Riebe, a machinist's mate, first class, in the navy, stationed at Bremerton, Wash.; Corp. Glenn Balderston of Eagle Point, stationed at Camp Haan, Calif.; Pfc. Lloyd Arnold, stationed at Merced, (Calif.) Flying School and Richard A. Morgan, who is taking a course in advanced airplane mechanics at Farringdale, N. Y.

John E. Prentice, former center on Medford high's football team is now at Marfa, Tex., taking advanced training in the army air forces. He completed his basic training recently at Pecos, (Tex.) Army Flying school.

A bunch of local boys joined the navy recently and are stationed at the new naval training station at Farragut, Idaho. Among them are Hal Adams, Freddie L. Keene, Russ K. Johnston and Harold L. Peterson. Also a couple of youths from Butte Falls—Johnny Kent and Gordon Moore.

Enlisting in the army a short time ago were Wentling Hilkey and Ernest Parker, both of Central Point. Phillip Todd enlisted in the navy air corps and will train at a naval aviation cadets school.

COYOTE BOUNTY NOT NEEDED NOW

The county so far this winter has paid out \$179 in coyote bounties, according to records of the county clerk's office.

It was different in the winter of 1933-34 when the coyote killing industry flourished here, and the bounty bill for one month alone ran to approximately \$1,200. It was a source of income to a number of residents, augmenting in many instances, relief money.

There are just as many coyotes in the hills now as in the depression days, but the hunters have gone to war or the defense plants. The coyote kill now averages about 24 a month. Many of the coyotes were slain by country housewives, when they found the varmints prowling

Landlady Identifies Private John Lonch

Private John E. Lonch, mentioned in a United Press dispatch from Atlantic City, N. J., yesterday, as having been reunited with his mother after 28 years, lived here for about year, according to Mrs. John Lay, 245 South Central avenue, at whose apartment house he made his home.

Mrs. Lay said today the soldier entered the army air service in March of this year. He was a shingler by trade.

Use Mail Tribune Want ads

BIRTHS

McKENZIE—To Mr. and Mrs. Don, 23 Chestnut street, Medford, December 10, a girl, seven pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

Closing time for Classified ads 9 a. m.—To late to classify 12:30 p. m.

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Waldorf BATHROOM TISSUE..... 3 rolls 14c

Sperry Pancake and Waffle Flour No. 10..... 59c

No. 5 bag..... 33c 28 oz. box..... 19c

Crystal White Syrup Karavan..... 89c

Lipton's Tea Bags Orange Pekoe 20 count pkgs. 23c



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American..... 5 lb. loaf \$1.89

Pimiento..... 5 lb. loaf \$1.95

Swiss..... 5 lb. loaf \$1.95

Veal Chops..... lb. 35c

Rib or Loin. Extra fancy.

Lard, home rendered..... 3 lbs. 59c

Skinless Weiners..... lb. 29c

Kraut, new pack, bulk..... lb. 10c

SATURDAY FEATURES

*** Buy * WAR BONDS and STAMPS**

PEANUT BUTTER 24 oz. 39c
Wheaties a champion's breakfast 2 pk. 21c
WOODBURY'S

FACIAL SOAP, 4 bars 25c

RINSO..... 1 lg. pkg. 23c

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At Cut Rate

\$1.00 size Hinds Honey and Almond

LOTION only 49c

50c Dreskin After Shave Lotion..... 39c

25c PALMOLIVE SHAMPOO..... 23c

Wildroot Wavaset..... 10c

Sloan's Liniment..... 29c

Anacin Tablets..... 19c

30c Bromo Seltzer..... 25c

Vick's Nose Drops..... 39c

WONDERSOFT

Kotex Pkg. 22c

2 pkgs. 43c

Fruit & VEGETABLES

ALWAYS GARDEN FRESH

PUMPKINS..... pound 11 1/2c

LETTUCE Crispy Heads..... 8c

BANANAS WHILE THEY LAST

APPLES TO COOK..... lb. 5c

ORANGES

New Crop Navels

25c doz. 5 doz. for \$1.00

HORSE RADISH MUSTARD Knight's 9c

FRUIT COCKTAIL Popular Brand 2 Cans 35c

TOMATO JUICE Standby 20-oz. cans 10c

PEACHES Sliced Clings Handy Size 10c

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- Lace Table Cloths.....\$3.95 to \$9.50
- Crystal Dresser Sets.....\$2.25
- Crystal Mirrors.....\$1.50
- Quilted Satin Hosiery Boxes.....65c to —1.25
- Ladies' Hand Bags.....\$2.50 to \$12.95
- Dainty Handkerchiefs.....25c to 85c
- Wall Plaques.....\$1.00 to \$1.98
- Glider Bon Voyage Sets.....\$1.25
- Vanity Fair Gowns and Slips.....\$2.25 to \$2.95

GIFTS FOR A MAN

- Wemby Wrinkle Proof Ties.....\$1.00
- Wings Shirts, white or fancy.....\$2.00
- Ty-Hold Tie Racks.....\$1.00
- 100% Wool Sox, English knit.....85c
- Bill Folds of Fine quality leather.....\$2.00 - \$3.50 - \$5
- Men's Fine Pajamas, broadcloth, Pull-over or Button style.....\$2.50
- Lounging Robes, Bath Robes.....\$4.98 to \$8.95
- Silk and Rayon Mufflers, for civilian wear.....98c
- Army Wool Mufflers.....\$1.25 and \$1.95
- Initialed White Handkerchiefs.....25c - 50c

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