

ON THE HOME FRONT

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

News From Jackson County for Men in the Armed Services

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

Date _____

Dear _____

There is so much news this week that your correspondent can scarcely decide where to begin. Here at home the city council has gone on record as favoring improvement of the library as a post-war project; there is a critical shortage of tires, especially of large sizes, such as logging trucks use, and emergency measures are being planned; someone popped up with a "prophecy" involving the ages of all the Allied leaders and declares that the war will end September 7 of this year; residents of the Table Rock area are planning how to get rid of hordes of mosquitoes making their lives miserable and the Chamber of Commerce ponders how to develop and expand the agricultural industry of the county.

The weather made news again last week-end, with squalls Thursday and Friday nights which tore down power and telephone lines, ripped off roofs and did other damage. Thursday saw much damage in the Rogue River and Grants Pass areas and Friday night the storm hit Ashland. Lightning set scores of fires, but no large ones developed.

Other home news included plans for another tin can salvage drive, release of figures on surgical dressing totals, showing that by the end of this month the Red Cross expects to reach the one million mark, and a statement by local authorities intended to scare the "day-lights" out of youngsters and end their goings and comings after curfew hours.

News from the men in France is eagerly looked for and there has been quite a little recently. Sgt. Wayne White, paratrooper who landed in the invasion's early hours, wrote that he was living in a fox hole, after the manner of a prairie dog, and that "things are pretty hot around here." His brother is Sgt. Frank White, with the air corps in Los Angeles. Capt. Edward C. Kelly, in France with the civil affairs detachment, writes that he is living

No. 8672—Equity
Summons for Publication
In the Circuit Court of the State
of Oregon for Jackson County.
JOSEPH S. Parker, Plaintiff

vs.
M. COOKSEY and JANE DOE
COOKSEY (whose true first name is unknown), his wife, if the said M. Cooksey be married; the unknown heirs of M. Cooksey; and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest, in the real estate described in the complaint herein. Defendants.
To: M. COOKSEY and JANE DOE COOKSEY (whose true first name is unknown), his wife, if the said M. Cooksey be married; the unknown heirs of M. COOKSEY; and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest, in the real estate described in the complaint herein. Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You, and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear in the above named court and cause and answer the plaintiff's complaint on file therein against you, within four weeks after the 4th day of August, 1944, the date of the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint within the time aforesaid, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to said Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, a succinct statement of which is:

That a decree be entered here in adjudicating and settling the right, title, estate, lien, or interest in which you, or any of you have, or claim to have, in, to, or upon real property located within Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit: Lots No. 13 and 14 in Block No. 4 Laurelhurst Addition to the City of Medford, Oregon, according to the official plat thereof now of record.

and decreeing any and all such claims and interest to be null and void, and decreeing that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the whole of said premises, free and clear of any and all right, title, estate, lien, or interest of all the defendants in this suit; and decreeing that all persons or parties claiming, or to claim, by or through them, or any of them, be forever restrained and barred from asserting or claiming any lien or interest in or to said real property, and that plaintiff's title to said premises be forever quieted and set at rest; and for such other relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable.

The date of the Order herein for service of this Summons for Publication is August 3, 1944, and such Order fixed once each week for four successive weeks as the time for such publication.
RAWLES MOORE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Cooley Theater Building, Medford, Oregon.

Ann Sheridan In Gay Musical



Ann Sheridan and Dennis Morgan in a scene from the gay musical "Shine On Harvest Moon," which opens Sunday for a three-day performance at the Craterian with Jack Carson and Irene Manning in the supporting cast.

Coming Sunday



Olive Barber's Observations

Notes of a hillside farm: And from first-hand observation, too. Never was so much observation crowded into three days before and it seemed to me that never before had the cherries on the trees in the back yard been so red; never had the Dorothy Perkins rose vine been so heavy with bloom. Romeo, the bantam rooster, perched in the walnut tree and crowed with the old-time arrogance. Familiar, too, was the fact that the cow had gone to visit the neighbors.

Not familiar, however, were the new built-ins in the little farm kitchen, or the cute little cupboards over the sink, all with blue handles. A blue patterned linoleum, too, "and if you'd not come for another week, the black mopboards would have been in place," pouted Frank.

"You should have told the Democrats to postpone their convention," I told him. "And if they hadn't held out for Wallace as long as they did, I'd not be here now," for I could be absent only for the duration of the Chicago melee.

Frank and I have always had hard work finding each other, no matter how carefully we planned a time and place for meeting. With no time or place named, the situation was worse than ever. I was told he had just left with a truck load of logging equipment for camp some 20 miles up in the hills. A radio call brought no results save reports as to where various persons had seen him headed south in more than his usual hurry. Not until I'd been in town 24 of the precious 60 hours I had to spend did we locate each other.

How I found him? Driving along the street with a friend. I saw the dirtiest car I'd ever seen before. "Stop," I shrieked. Only a Barber car could look like that." Sure enough, it was our car.

That night we went to the Pumpkin Rollers' Ball and it was like old times again. Our "Ball" is not what the term implies. We have potluck dinner, visit, sing a few play pinocle. Some of the old crowd were missing due to war and war industry.

There was a new baby; the women compared canning records; out of courtesy to me they sang old time songs, not realizing I'd had the latest tunes daily dinned into my ears from the omnipresent juke boxes of the city; or perhaps they did realize this and those last year's songs were given me as a relief. I liked it that they assumed my own experiences were of secondary importance. To them, I'd been away from the neighborhood and for that time I'd missed out on real living. My heart was in full agreement.

Before price control went into effect, the cost of living had risen 17 1/2 per cent, but since establishment of price control the rise has been only 7 1/2 per cent, according to the Office of Price Administration.

Studinger, who was born in Bavaria but had lived in the United States since he was three years old, said he had a five-minute interview with Weidmann early in 1940 and arrangements were made for him to travel to Germany by way of Japan and Russia.

He said he had served at German fronts for three years.

TOO MUCH DIRECTION
Boston.—(U.P.)—When firemen arrived at his home to extinguish a blaze, Michael Di Cicco put himself out to be nice to them and direct their activities. But, it didn't pay. The following day in municipal court Di Cicco was fined \$70 for causing "chaotic conditions" at the fire.

Wesley Erwin Lewis, aviation machinist mate first class, has also returned from Pacific duty during his Liberator search plane squadron operated from nearly a dozen Pacific bases. Burle Burcison, aviation electrician's mate, first class, is home after spending a year and

GUAM CASUALTIES HURRIED TO SHIPS FOR TREATMENT

First Wounded Return While Assault Waves Still Landing on Island Beachheads

By Charles P. Arnot
United Press War Correspondent

Aboard U. S. Flagship Off Guam, July 21.—(U.P.)—Sailors and officers crowded along the rails as the first wounded from Guam came aboard.

They gazed at the blood-soaked figures with mingled curiosity and sympathy. The wounded were hoisted up to the main deck on stretchers by means of ropes and pulleys, then rushed to the operating room in the nearby "sick bay" for emergency treatment.

Hit In Legs

The first casualty-laden landing boat came alongside while waves of assault troops still were hitting the Guam beachhead. As it approached, one of the boat's crew kept passing his hand across his legs like a football referee signalling a "clipping" penalty. The doctors on deck knew immediately that the casualties on the bottom of the

small boat had been hit in the legs.

If casualties have not already been treated at the emergency aid station on the beach, they generally are given morphine and plasma as soon as they are brought aboard. Surgery usually is necessary when a man is wounded seriously enough to be rushed out to a transport.

It is not difficult to spot a boat carrying casualties. The very expressions on the faces of the boat crews tell the story. The coxswain is nervous, his eyes anxiously sweep the decks of the ship for someone to whom he can give his emergency signal.

Ninety-nine per cent of the casualties never let out a whimper. They lie quietly in the bottoms of the boats, and if conscious, their faces wear expressions of surprise and disbelief. Most fighting men seem to think it can happen only to the other fellow; when actually wounded in battle, most of them seem genuinely surprised.

Fight For Life

One of the marines brought aboard this ship lay on his side quietly, smoking a cigarette. The other stared into space with wide open eyes that seemed to see nothing. The flesh of his right leg had almost been torn away from the bone, and the rest of his leg had to be amputated.

He died a few hours later—his eyes still open. The wounded fight desperately for life until the very last. Today a medical corpsman lived for hours after doctors had given up hope.

He had landed with the first wave, and had been hit in the temple by a machine gun bullet.

The 30-caliber slug passed through his head, ripping out both eyes and taking part of the brain.

He never regained consciousness, but he outlived by several hours two companions who had been given 50-50 chances for recovery.

NO WASHING

Everett, Wash.—(U.P.) Because he believes a woman's place is in the home, Pfc. Frank Cosentino,

Jr. of Everett hasn't done his own laundry in six months in Italy. "I just turn it over to one of the women every washday and she's glad to do it in exchange for army rations," he writes.

The average daily wage of a Korean worker is about one yen, or approximately 35 cents.



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