

MOST ARMY MEN PLAN RETURN TO OLD HOME TOWN

Survey Shows Half of Whites Expecting to Move Will Head for West States

Washington, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—The war department reported today that a survey of army men showed that the great majority of them plan to return to their former homes after the war to embark on their postwar careers. The survey showed that eight out of every 10 white enlisted men in the army expect to return to the same state in which they lived before the war, the department said.

Negroes For Change
Negro enlisted personnel, however, tend to have somewhat more migratory intentions. Only about two-thirds of the Negroes expect to go back to the same states in which they lived in civilian life.

About half of the white men who plan to move expect to go to the far west. Among Negroes, the main stream of migration will be from the south to the northeast. The survey said that if these and other shifts materialize, the Pacific coast can expect about 250,000 veterans after the war.

An exodus of some size from the agricultural south and the western part of the north central farm section is indicated, the survey showed.

The industrialized northeast, on the other hand, will get some migrants, although on a much smaller scale than the west coast, while the mountain states are expected to break even.

Doctor Leaves Huge Bequest To College

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Dr. Logan Clendening, noted medical writer, left his medical library and a \$50,000 bequest to the University of Kansas for the use of its library of medical history, filling of his will for probate revealed today.

Value of the entire estate was believed to be between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

Dr. Clendening, 60, was found dead, his throat slashed, last Wednesday in his home here.

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4 NEW MEMBERS ADDED TO ROSTER BY TOASTMASTERS

Medford Toastmasters club has added four new members to their roster since start of the year, bringing their total within one of a full membership. New members taken into the organization were Dr. C. G. Van Valzah, L. L. Tornahan, C. E. Hedberg and V. S. Smith.

At the regular Monday evening meeting held at the Jackson Hotel February 5, Pat Graham acted as toastmaster and Glenn H Utz was topic master. Utz gave each member the opportunity of speaking two minutes on the subject, "What I Would Do If Elected Mayor of Medford." Many civic improvements were mentioned.

Claude Haggard spoke for five minutes on his trip back east to show his H-M stretchers; Archie Pierce talked seven minutes on "The United States, The Melting Pot of the World," and Dr. Van Valzah spoke for 10 minutes on "Putting Out." Frank Hants was critic.

RIVER DIVERSION PLAN DESCRIBED

San Francisco, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Col. K. M. Moore of the San Francisco district of the army engineers corps, today described to an eight-man interim committee of the state legislature the proposed diversion of the course of the Klamath river into the Sacramento river basin.

The project, currently being surveyed by the army engineers, would divert the Klamath river above the Pacific Gas & Electric company's Pit River power plant sending it into the Sacramento basin. The present course of the river carries it into the sea above Eureka.

Col. Moore said the survey was undertaken at the request of the national resources planning board, headed by Franklin A. Delano, an uncle of the president. The study will cover all phases of the project's effect on the involved regions, including flood control, irrigation, navigation, forest conservation, changes in land use, power and fish and wild life programs, the colonel said.

Boy Scout News

Boy Scout Troop 2
In celebration of the 35th anniversary of the founding of Boy Scouts, mothers of Troop 2 members will serve a father and son banquet for the troop Friday night of this week. The banquet will be at the armory at 7:30 p. m.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember



(a) Two-year-old Johnny Langer, legs and back paralyzed with infantile paralysis, offers a victory salute to show that although down, he's not out. (b) One year later, under the expert care and treatment being provided for Johnny by the Middlesex County Chapter (N.J.) of the National Foundation, he has regained the use of back and leg muscles and soon will be walking again.

BYRD AND BUTLER BILL TO REVISE BUREAU OCTOPUS

Washington, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Congress is always hollering about bureaucracy and now is about to try to do something about it.

Sen. Harry F. Byrd, D., Va., and Sen. Hugh Butler, R., Neb., have jointly introduced a bill entitled the "government corporation Control Act." The dispute about former Vice-President Henry A. Wallace's capacity to administer the Reconstruction Finance Corp. led indirectly to its introduction.

Byrd and Butler looked into the government corporation situation in general and discovered that RFC was one of many. Their bill lists 42 wholly owned government corporations and three groups of partly-owned government corporations, some or all of which have been operating outside the immediate financial control of congress.

Except for the initial grant of fund or borrowing or lending authority and a kick-off delegation of powers, these corporations for the most part operate on their own. Some of them do business in figures which dwarf the operations of such private operations as General Motors, American Telephone and Telegraph or the DuPonts. The RFC, for instance, has authorized itself or through subsidiary corporations about \$32,300,000,000 (B) in direct commitments for war purposes.

The RFC is fairly well known to the public and there has been no challenge to the carefulness of its management. But congress evidently is in a mood to have an accounting from all government corporate interests.

There probably is not a member of congress who could say off hand what is being done by Cargoes, Inc., a government corporation, or the United States Commercial Company, Prencinradio, Inc., the Intra-American Educational Foundation, Inc.—to name a few of the more obscure.

COURT ADJOURNS UNTIL MARCH 20

Federal court for the southern Oregon district was opened yesterday by Paul Hanlin, United States deputy marshal, and immediately adjourned until March 20 of this year. When the last session was completed here last October Judge James Alger Fee adjourned court until February 6. Orders received recently by Hanlin were to the effect that court should be opened and adjourned until the March date.

MRS. JOHNSON HURT
Washington, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Mrs. Hiram Johnson, wife of the senior senator from California, fell down a flight of stairs yesterday and broke her arm. She suffered no other ill effects, the senator's office announced.

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Led Luzon Rescue



(Acme Telephoto)
Lt. Col. Henry A. Mucci, Bridgeport, Conn., commander of U. S. Rangers and Filipino guerrillas who rescued 610 Allied war prisoners, many of them men of Bataan and Corregidor, in daring foray 25 miles inside Jap lines on Luzon.

HEDBERG, KYLE ON HOUSE AUTHORITY

R. F. Kyle and Elwood Hedberg have been appointed commissioners for Jackson County Housing Authority by the county court it was announced today. Kyle replaces Charles Towler, who has left Medford, and Hedberg succeeds Pearl Bonney, former mayor of Central Point, who passed away in December.

C. A. Meeker, Medford mayor, is chairman of the authority commission and Robert Duff is vice-chairman. Mark Goldy serves as executive director and the three members are Karl Janouch, Kyle and Hedberg.

Molesting Of SPARS By Canadian Sailors Being Investigated

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 7—(U.P.)—An official investigation was underway today following an alleged "unfortunate incident" last Sunday involving members of the U. S. Coast Guard show "Tars and Spars" and ratings of the Royal Canadian navy.

The Americans were guests of the Canadian navy on what was to be a three-hour tour of Vancouver harbor. However, the cruise was cut to 40 minutes when Spars complained of being "molested" by Canadian naval ratings.

SPECIAL MUSIC SUNDAY AT BUTTE FALLS CHURCH

Butte Falls, Feb. 7—A special program of music will be given Sunday at 7:45 p. m. in the Butte Falls church to which the public is cordially invited.

The program will include chorus, solo and group singing.

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EAGLES INITIATION THURSDAY NIGHT FOR ANNIVERSARY

The 47th Anniversary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, said to be the largest fraternal organization in America, will be observed with a class initiation and program on Thursday by Crater Lake Aerie, it was announced today by Shannon O. White, Aerie president.

From its founding in 1898 at Seattle, Wash., the order has grown to a membership of more than 900,000, of which more than 135,000 are in the armed forces. At its present rate of growth, the order is expected to attain its 1,000,000 membership goal before 1948.

Crater Lake Aerie has 1,000 members with 75 of them in armed services. All Eagles and auxiliary members are invited to attend the anniversary meeting Thursday night.

Sergeant Maskew Wins Bronze Star On Italian Front

With the 5th Army, Italy—Staff Sgt. William V. Maskew, 24, of Loco Hill, N. M., recently was awarded the bronze star for heroic achievement in action.

Serving on the 5th army front in Italy, he is a squad leader in the 361st infantry regiment of the 91st "Powder River" division.

His wife, Virginia Maskew, lives at 907 South Oakdale, Medford, Ore. Maskew entered service in August, 1940.

SOLON SEEKS REASON OF PRIORITY FOR DOG

Washington, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Sen. Harlan J. Bushfield, R., S. D., demanded today that the senate be given an explanation of how Col. Elliott Roosevelt's

dog Blaze got an "A" priority on an army cargo plane before a vote is taken on promotion of the president's son to Brigadier General.

Bushfield late yesterday forced postponement of a senate vote on the promotion for one week.

He told reporters he was "hopeful" that a senate military affairs subcommittee investigating alleged air priority abuses could meanwhile turn up evidence on the Blaze incident.

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