

PURPLE HEART TO SELL TAGS TO AID COMBAT WOUNDED

To raise funds to help returning servicemen who have been wounded in combat, Rogue Valley Chapter No. 147, Military Order of the Purple Heart will hold the annual Purple Heart tag sale April 7, officers announced today.

"This money will be used to help the combat wounded men to work again, to walk once more, to send them to school if their education has been delayed, an officer of the order stated yesterday. It has been estimated that the war with Japan will not be over for at least two years after Germany has surrendered, and that means additional wounded men who must re-educate themselves and train to overcome handicaps."

Francis H. Walker has been appointed chairman of the tag sale and in commenting on the necessity of raising the fund voiced this plea, "Will you wear a Purple Heart tag in honor of the wounded men and help them back to happiness once again?" In recognition of the sale Clarence A. Meeker, mayor, issued the following proclamation: "I, Clarence Meeker, mayor of Medford, do hereby proclaim Saturday, April 7 Purple Heart Tag Day and request all citizens to wear the Purple Heart tag in honor of our wounded men who are returning from the battle-fronts."

BENGTSON SERVES WITH COMMITTEE

To carry out a study called for in Joint Resolution No. 10 passed by the legislature during the recent session dealing with the care of delinquent children of the state, an interim committee has been appointed by Eugene E. Marsh, speaker of the house. Serving on the committee will be O. H. Bengtson, Medford attorney and representative from this district.

Bengtson stated that he would serve with Rep. Hendricks of Marion county, Johnson of Multnomah county and Parkinson of Douglas. Two senators will also serve. The legislator said that the committee would consider the possibility of the state having an institution somewhat on the order of Father Flannigan's Boys' Town.

STAN SHERWOOD RETURNS TO P.O.

Stanley G. Sherwood, who served in the navy from August 13, 1942, until recently when he was given an honorable discharge, resumed his former position as clerk in the Medford post office today. Sherwood has charge of the money order window.

Mrs. Bancha O. Moulton has assumed charge of the postoffice station at 28 South Central avenue, Postmaster Frank DeSouza announced today. She succeeds Mrs. Geneva L. Young, resigned. Mrs. Moulton was clerk for the station when it was located on North Bartlett street.

Phoenix Seniors To Present Play Friday Evening

Phoenix, April 4—The senior class of Phoenix high school will present "The Night Was Dark", a three-act mystery comedy Friday at 8 p. m. in the high school gymnasium. Long weeks of practice have gone into the thriller with the result that a first-class evening's entertainment is promised all attending.

The cast includes Lloyd Ferns, Lee Shafer, Gloria Walker, Auriole Johnson, Fred Newton, Faye Cook, Marian Ferns, Peggy Reynolds, Elmer Tompkins, Max Whitted, and Wesley Claffin. Mrs. Mabel Sims is director. The school orchestra under direction of Harry L. Meyers will furnish music during the intermissions.

THE GRANGE

Roxy Ann Grange will entertain Griffin Creek Grange Friday. The meeting will begin at 8:15 p. m. A special program has been planned and a good time is anticipated. Roxy Ann ladies are asked to bring pie and sandwiches. All Grangers are urged to attend.

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CABANATUAN VETS GUESTS AT JUNIOR CHAMBER MEETING

Sgt. Lorne B. Cox and Sgt. George Distell, recently released from Cabanatuan, Japanese prison camp, were guests of the Medford junior chamber of commerce at a dinner meeting in Holland Hotel last night. Sgt. Distell, a student of chirography read and characterized several handwritings and gave a short talk on his experiences as the highlight of the program.

Reginald Staggs, general chairman of the United National clothing drive, outlined the drive setup in Medford and announced committees.

Other guests were Chief RM Don Cook, who has served two and one-half years aboard a baby flattop on Atlantic patrol, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hixson of the Klamath Falls Jaycee club, and Don Falwell, Medford. C. Lyall Fidler outlined plans of the "Heroes' Homecoming Day" Thursday. Vic Milnes, president, presided at the meeting.

FRANK B. SILLIMAN PASSES IN SOUTH

Frank B. Silliman, rancher who resided near Atwater, Calif., passed away at O'Connor Hospital, San Jose, Calif., March 26 after major surgery 10 days previous. Funeral services were held at the Dahleen Funeral home in San Jose, March 30.

Survivors are his widow, the former Mrs. C. C. Van Scoyoc of Medford, a son, Howard Silliman; one grandson, Wayne, and a sister, Mrs. J. W. Wakefield of Medford.

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Vatican Paper in Appeal To Nazis

By United Press
A London broadcast said today that Osservatore Romano, Vatican newspaper, has "addressed an urgent appeal to the Germans, asking them to lay down their arms."

The CBS short wave listening station recorded the broadcast which quoted the paper as writing:

"In view of the attitude of the German government and the German general staff, unconditional surrender can only take place de facto, when the German army will suddenly lay down its arms."

Lifeboat Radios Distress Calls

New York, April 4—(U.P.)—The Radiomarine Corporation of America announced today that the development of a lifeboat radio which sends out distress calls automatically over a range of more than 1,000 miles.

Charles J. Bannill, president, said the increased operating distance was made possible by a 300-foot antenna elevated by a kite or a balloon, both of which

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souls, Mont., asserted today that rumors of her engagement to former President Herbert Hoover "are absolutely without foundation." Mrs. Gillie, widow of

the late John Gillie, Anaconda copper executive, said "reports of such rumors have been reaching me from Montana, but I can't imagine how they got started."

Official FBI records show that there were 13 major kidnapping cases since the Lindbergh baby incident. Of these, six of the victims were killed.

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