

CENTRAL POINT LEGION STARTS NEW BUILDING

Central Point, May 8—Myers-Holland Post 129, American Legion, has started construction of a memorial building under supervision of Comrade Christensen of Medford. The plans, which have been drawn up by T. C. Clark and Gilbert Stuart of Medford, call for a building 80 feet long by 50 feet wide with a frontage on East Pine street. It will have a colonial style front. It is to be constructed by voluntary contributions of money, material and labor. Members of the post are working evenings and Sundays and already have the concrete footings poured and forms ready for the concrete foundation.

The Post wishes to thank the Southern Oregon Sugar Pine company and the Cheney Stud Mill for donations of lumber and is most grateful to the Jackson county court and city of Central Point for selling them the site at a nominal fee, Commander J. R. Krupp said.

Completed plans of the building call for a post club room, auxiliary room, large auditorium with stage, dining room, kitchen and offices for commander, adjutant and service officer. Plans for a formal dedication when the building is completed are underway.

In addition to the building

program the post has obtained sponsors for 10 boys to attend Beaver Boys' State, has sponsored the local Boy Scout troop 40 and has organized the ladies' auxiliary.

At the last meeting Commander Krupp appointed a special committee to work with other organizations to hold services on Memorial Day.

Liberated Airmen Tell of Beatings At Hands of Japs

Calcutta, May 4—(U.P.)—American airmen, liberated from the Japanese prison camp at Rangoon, revealed today how the Japanese beat and starved U. S. fliers, especially B-29 crewmen, after the bombing raids on Japan.

The airmen, from the first group of Americans freed in Burma, are recuperating in a hospital here. More than 400 Americans, most of them members of the air force, and approximately 600 other allied prisoners were liberated at Rangoon.

The men were lined up and the guards beat them with "clubs made like pick handles," Davis said. The Americans were treated worse than the other allied prisoners, he added, and the beatings were more severe when the Japanese guards were drunk.

"I was slapped about four times a week," Davis said. "It got so you only hoped it wouldn't be too bad. You forgot the humiliation."

The first major university to recognize women as students on an equal basis with men was the University of Chicago.

POINT SYSTEM TO RULE RETURN OF G. I.'S OVERSEAS

Washington, May 8—(U.P.)—Military observers here believed today that most soldiers who went overseas before or during early 1943 stand a pretty good chance of being discharged after V-E Day.

The real situation won't be known until the army's point-system is made public. Men will receive points based on length and type of service, wounds and medals and dependency. Those with the most points will be the ones selected for dismissal if they're not essential to the war with Japan.

Here are a few clues to guide G.I.'s and their families in sizing up the situation as far as length of service goes.

At the start of 1943 there were about 1,500,000 soldiers overseas. Since the army expects there will be more than 1,300,000 men discharged in a year's time under the point system, it seems reasonable to believe that most soldiers with overseas experience who were in the army before Pearl Harbor, and those who went overseas by the first of 1943, will be eligible.

PRIZES OFFERED
Ralph Rothermel, president of the YMCA Camera Club announces a contest for the best enlargements, made on their new enlarging machine. Prizes will be given.

Washington School To Give Patriotic Operetta on Friday

In observance of National Music Week, Washington Grade school will present a patriotic musical sketch, "Yankee Doodle's Birthday," at the school auditorium, Friday, May 11, at 8 p.m.

A pupils' chorus of 65 fourth, fifth, and sixth grade pupils will sing the patriotic music for the operetta. On the stage Uncle Sam, Columbia, Liberty, Yankee Doodle, and the Fairy Queen ably supported by a cast of sixty players will tell the story of "Yankee Doodle's Birthday." The public is cordially invited.

P.-T. A. Activities

Eagle Point PTA
All parents and members of Eagle Point PTA are reminded of the PTA meeting May 9, at 8 p.m.

This being the last PTA meeting of the school year, it is hoped there will be lots of parents attending.

Sams Valley P.-T. A.
Regular monthly meeting of Sams Valley P.-T. A. will be held at the school house Friday, May 11, at 8:30 p. m. Feature of the evening will be a unit of work to be exhibited by the students. There will be an open discussion of plans for next year as well as value of this year's accomplishments. Refreshments will be served. P.-T. A. also announces a dance at the Sams Valley Grange hall Saturday night, May 12, starting at 8 o'clock prompt. Good orchestra music. Supper will be served by the unit.

Closing time for Classified Ads 8:30 a. m.—Too Late to Classify 12:15 p. m.

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Y.M.C.A. Group to Give May Dance

The Junior High YMCA committee met recently with Ben Schmidt to work out details for the annual May dance on May 12.

The following committees are at work: Bob Shangle, decorations; Nancy Newbury, advertising and publicity; Jerry Lausman, tickets and announcing; Mary Adams, refreshments; Mary Sue Green, entertainment; Lloyd Timmons, host for the evening. Music will be furnished by Winkie's band.

Copco Stockholders To Meet in Medford

It was announced today by A. S. Cummins, president of the California Oregon Power company that the long established policy of holding the company's annual meeting of stockholders in San Francisco had been changed and that this year's meeting is to be held at the main office of the company in Medford, at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, May 22. He said notice of the meeting has been mailed to all stockholders.

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- Fine Quality Hand embroidered Pillow Cases at \$8.95
- Rayon Dinner Cloths with Napkins to match \$22.50-\$30
- Rayon Dinner Cloths in Pink & Blue shades, ea. \$7.95
- Linen Dinner Cloths and Napkins \$37.50 to \$47.50
- Lovely Rayon Chiffon Scarfs for Mother \$1.25 - \$1.98
- Beautiful Pure Linen Handkerchiefs for Mother 75c
- Colonial Dames Dusting Powder for Mother \$1 plus tax
- Popular Old Spice Boxed Toilet Soaps at \$1 per box
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GOD of our fathers, known of old...
 Lord of our far-flung battle-line...
 Beneath whose awful Hand we hold
 Dominion over palm and pine...
 Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
 Lest we forget, lest we forget!

The tumult and the shouting dies...
 The captains and the kings depart...
 Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice,
 An humble and a contrite heart.
 Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
 Lest we forget, lest we forget!

This excerpt from Rudyard Kipling's famous poem "Recessional" is published as a tribute to the men, women and children of the United Nations who have sacrificed much to bring victory to the cause of freedom. A reproduction of this message in color (size 10 x 14") suitable for framing, with no company signature, will be sent free on request. Write Standard of California, Room 627, 225 Bush Street, San Francisco, 20.

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