

MAJ. DURNO SAYS PLASMA, PENICILIN CUT CASUALTIES

Speedy evacuation of wounded from combat areas and ample supplies of blood, blood plasma, sulfa drugs and penicillin made it possible to save a high percentage of casualties in the European invasion, Major Edwin R. Durno told members of the Medford Rotary club in an address Tuesday noon at the Hotel Medford. A high tribute was paid to army medical corpsmen and nurses for their contribution to this effort. The efficiency of the ATS and other transportation units and the skill of army medical officers were also lauded by Durno, just back from Europe. "France was glad to see the Americans come and will be glad to see them leave," Major Durno said in highlighting some of his personal impressions of the war. "The British are out to get what they can and can't forget that they fought the war alone in its early stages. Some Englishmen hold the belief that their empire is on its way out, and practically all of them were outspoken in their wish for

Roosevelt to be re-elected in the last presidential race. English people seem more interested in us than we seem to be in them." In discussing English medicine Major Durno explained that surgery is confined principally to specialists, and that their surgeons are as good or better than those in the U. S. but their number is too limited.

The speaker, who witnessed some of the Nazi bombing of London and subsequent assault upon Germany, said that the devastation of German and Holland cities was far greater than bomb damage in London. He also described the flourishing black market in Paris, with ruinous inflation held only in check with U. S. financial support.

FISHING REVENUE LARGE

Milwaukee, Wis. (U.P.)—Fifth among the states in the amount of revenue received from 1944 fishing licenses, Wisconsin collected receipts of \$578,385.

The U. S. Wild Life Service reported that California led the states with receipts of \$902,188, followed by Michigan with \$723,451, Minnesota with \$599,150 and New York with \$384,619.

Arkansas ranks seventh among the states in production of lumber.

Rough, Tough and Ready



With its latest film presentation, "Rough, Tough and Ready," co-starring Chester Morris and Victor McLaglen, the Rialto presents an exciting record of what goes on behind the scenes of the

Army Engineers Port Repair Service. "Rough, Tough and Ready," and "The Cisco Kid in Old New Mexico," will play the Rialto for the remainder of the week.

Thrill Of A Romance



"Thrill of a Romance," another smash hit from the producers of "Music for Millions" and "Two Girls and a Sailor," now at the Craterian Theatre thru Saturday brings to the screen another grand picture with music—and glorious Technicolor.

Van Johnson is teamed with the exquisite Esther Williams, who scored such a sensation in "Bathing Beauty" not so long ago.

GOP CHIEF SAYS PARTY WILL WIN IN '46 ELECTIONS

Washington, Aug. 22—(U.P.)—The home front political war got underway in earnest today when the Republican party charged the administration with "fumbling" in reconversion and predicted republican control of congress in the 1946 elections.

Herbert Brownell, Jr., chairman of the Republican National committee, returned from a cross-country tour with the assertion that the country is tired of the "incompetency, waste and carelessness" of the democratic party.

WEARING APPAREL SHORTAGE ACUTE

Washington, Aug. 22—(U.P.)—The clothing industry warned the public today against entertaining any hopes for an immediate increase in the supply of wearing apparel.

Louis Rothchild, executive director of the National Association of Retail Clothiers and Furnishers, said it would be at least 60 days before any degree of improvement could be noted and after the first of the year before stocks are anywhere near normal.

He said the shortages of men's underwear, dress shirts and socks are so acute that it will be two months before retail outlets feel the effect of increased production.

RECORD FLIGHT

Guam, Aug. 22—(U.P.)—The Superfort "City of Maywood" today claimed the world's longest non-stop airplane flight—a 4,500 mile round trip from Guam to Hokkaido—only 125 miles short of the airline distance from Seattle to Tokyo.

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

FIRE CREWS EYE HEAT, HIGH WIND IN TALL TIMBER

Fire suppression crews of Rogue River National Forest and state forest patrol are "alerted" today, with high temperatures and low humidity, combined with strong afternoon winds in forest areas, maintaining the greatest forest fire danger period of the season.

Two new fires in the Union Creek district were reported to the national forest service headquarters yesterday, probably caused by lightning Sunday.

State forest patrol crews were dispatched yesterday to three lightning fires, two near Prospect and one in Waffin canyon, a tributary to Little Butte creek, and one fire caused by a careless smoker at the Siskiyou summit. State patrolmen and nearby farm crews extinguished a fire in a grain field at the Edwin Dunn ranch south of Ashland yesterday afternoon, started by a combine machine.

CRIME DOESN'T PAY
Cleveland, O. (U.P.)—Gust Weber just ached when a robber held him up in front of his home here and made off with his wallet. Contents of Weber's wallet—two cents.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Clear to scattered clouds tonight and Thursday with scattered showers in higher mountains. Continued warm.
Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday with scattered showers mostly in afternoon. Cooler east of Cascades Thursday. Moderate westerly wind off coast.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 85; Lowest 30.
Total monthly precipitation 1.13 inches.
Excess for the month 1.06 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1944, 29.41 inches.
Oregon for the season 3.74 inches.
Relative humidity at 3:30 p. m. yesterday 18%; 3:30 today 57%.

Sunrise 8:27 a. m. Sunset 8:00 p. m.
Observations taken at 4:30, 120 Meridian time.

	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	83	69	
Boston	92	76	
Chicago	78	64	
Denver	58	52	
Eureka	69	51	
Hayne	83	48	
Los Angeles	90	62	
Medford	101	62	
Portland	95	62	
Reno	94	52	
Roseburg	100	61	
Salt Lake	82	55	
San Francisco	82	54	
Seattle	83	54	
Spokane	89	52	
Washington, D. C.	87	69	
Yakima	90	51	

ARMY TO OPERATE ALASKA HIGHWAY

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 22—(U.P.)—The Alaska highway will continue to be operated by the United States army for some time, army officers said today.

"Our mission will continue under the terms of the agreement between Canada and the United States until all arrangements are concluded for turning over our properties to the Canadian government," said Col. C. M. Clifford, commanding officer of the 60th service command, northwest district.

He said he believed travel restrictions on the Alaska highway would not be relaxed at once.

Court House News

Divorce Complaints
Homer L. Dale vs. Esther Dale.
Ettie Barry Pair vs. E. J. Pair.
Don B. Callahan vs. Joyce V. Callahan.
Virginia Agren vs. Loren L. Agren.
Rhea Favor vs. Daniel W. Favor.
Velma Champion vs. Ralph Champion.

Divorce Decrees
Ardis A. McFadden vs. Thomas W. McFadden.
Avalene Colby vs. Wendell Colby.
Cathrena Vasseur vs. Earl Vasseur.
Virginia Agren vs. Loren L. Agren.
Lynn E. Waggener vs. Ivadell Waggener.

Delores Lorraine Sharrett vs. Roy L. Sharrett.
Dorothy May Sanders vs. Louis Samuel Sanders.

State Police
Ray Robert Bradford, no clearance lights, overwidth load, cited.

HUNGRY FOR CANDY
Chicago (U.P.)—Demand for candy will be double the supply in the second half of 1945, according to National Confectioners Assn., which predicts that for that period the American candy appetite will go unsatisfied to the extent of 862,500,000 pounds.

BEAT THE HEAT
Help prevent stinging, smarting heat rash, prickly heat and painful chafing that torment you in hot weather. Sprinkle on Mexazone, soothing medicated powder. Eases itch of mosquito bites. Grand overseas gift. Save in large sizes. Get Mexazone.

Crab Appetites Sell War Bonds

New Orleans (U.P.)—Sidney Roux, of New Orleans, has a host of friends who love boiled crabs as much as he does and he used their appetites to sell \$203,700 worth of war bonds during the last week of the Seventh War Loan.

Roux, a carpenter at Higgins Industries, Inc., staged a mammoth crab boil and notified his friends that attendance fee would be in war bonds—to be purchased from Roux.

They bought bonds ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$10,000 to attend the event and to eat "the

best darn crabs that ever touched boiling water in New Orleans."

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