

Our Men and Women in the Nation's Service

Charles Hinkle
 Pearl Harbor—Charles E. Hinkle, USN fireman, first class, 713 Oak St., Medford, Ore., has been serving with the Naval Construction Battalion here, constructing with the war's end, a long period of duty that began in the Aleutians.

In cold and heat, this battalion of Seabees performed the strenuous, difficult work necessary to victory. It spent 17 months in the Aleutians, from there came to the South Pacific.

George Kile
Emery Hilger
 On the USS Argonne in the Pacific—Two Rogue River, Ore., Navy men, George Everette Kile, storekeeper, second class, and Emery Eugene Hilger, boat-swin's mate, second class, are serving on this tender which has been acting in almost every sea lane from Pearl Harbor to Leyte Gulf.

She escaped with minor damage in the Pearl Harbor attack, then began her travels that took her to New Caledonia, Tulagi, Guadalcanal, New Zealand, the Marshalls, the Admiralties and Leyte.

Darrell Mitchell
 A Darrell Mitchell, seaman, first class, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mitchell, Route 2, Medford, Ore., communication specialist with a Navy mobile communications unit, arrived with the first Navy men in Tokyo in operation.

A swift-moving convoy of jeeps, trucks and weapons carriers transported the radio trans-

mitters and receivers 20 miles from Yokohama to the station site—a former radar warehouse and an abandoned Jap army ordnance warehouse. Japanese on the streets paused to stare impassively at these first American sailors to enter their city.

Edward Conner
Roy Johnson
 Aboard the USS Xanthus—Two Medford, Ore., Navy men, Edward Conner, electrician's mate second class, 828 South Newtown St., and Roy W. Johnson, chief special artificer (instruments), 44 North Peach, serve aboard this fleet repair ship, which assisted in the occupation of Ominato, Honshu, in Japan.

The Xanthus was commissioned in May 1945, and served in the Hawaiian area and the Aleutians before joining the 4th Fleet under command of Vice Admiral Frank Jack Fletcher.

Sgt. Wallace Casebeer
 Santa Barbara, Calif.—Sgt. Wallace R. Casebeer, of Medford, Ore., has reported to the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station here for two weeks of rest and relaxation at this southern California city's famed resort-hotels, now under Army management. The veteran recently returned from seven months' overseas duty in Europe.

Robert Alspaugh
 With the 96th Division in the Philippines—Private First Class Robert E. Alspaugh of Medford, Oregon, is now entitled to wear on his right sleeve the gold and yellow wreath denoting membership in a unit which has been cited by the Army for outstanding meritorious performance of duty.

His organization, the 96th Division Band, has been so cited for its fine work on Leyte and Okinawa, where in addition to handling their musical duties, the bandmen served as military police and command post guards.

Arthur Grubb
 Camp Walters, Tex.—Pvt. Arthur David Grubb, son of Mrs. B. R. Elliott, route 2, box 194, Medford, Ore., has arrived at this Infantry Replacement Training Center to begin his basic training as infantryman. He has been assigned to a battalion stressing rifle.

La Verne Dunagan
 On the USS Giansar in the Pacific—(Delayed)—La Verne Wayne Dunagan, seaman, first class, USN, 412 West Jackson boulevard, Medford, Ore., is serving on this cargo ship which did its share to float the Stars and Stripes over Tarawa, Okinawa and Tokyo by delivering food and tools of war to our fighting ships.

The men of the Giansar shot down no Jap planes and sank no Jap submarines but when it comes to commendations, they have to take a back seat for nobody. From service squadrons and various units of the Fleet have come "well done's" for delivery of thousands of tons of supplies where and when they were most needed.

John Taylor
 Sarasota, Florida.—The Commanding Officer, Sarasota Army Air Field, has announced that Private John M. Taylor has reported to the field for duty as a truck driver.

Taylor resided with his wife, Rebecca, and daughter, Mildred, at 1708 Main Street, Medford. Private Taylor is the son of Mrs. Julia Taylor of Kess, Texas.

Glen Russell
 Base M. San Fernando, La Union, Luzon, P. I.—Promoted to technician Third Grade, Glen E. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nate H. Russell, Route No. 2, Box 195, Medford, is a mechanic

First Run Is Peanuts



(Acme Telephoto)
 Peanuts Lowery scores first Cubs' run on Bill Nicholson's single to center in fourth inning of third Cubs-Tigers World Series game, Detroit, Mich. Swift is Tigers' catcher; umpire is Art Passarella.

and general repair man with an Ordnance Unit at Base M.

Marion O'Conner
 Newport, R. I.—Marion M. O'Conner, 25, gunner's mate, second class, USN, Central Point, Ore., has been assigned duty aboard the USS Midway, first of the Navy's new super carriers.

The Midway is named for the famed battle of Midway in which American forces turned the back of a Japanese fleet in one of the decisive engagements of World War II. She is the third vessel to bear this name.

Boyd Tryon
 On the USS Block Island in the Pacific—Boyd P. Tryon, chief water tender USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tryon, Medford, Ore., has been serving on this escort aircraft carrier.

The first Block Island was sunk by a German submarine off Africa in May 1944, but accompanying destroyer escorts picked up every man of the crew and then finished off the U-boat.

D. L. Davis
 D. L. Davis, boatswain's mate, second class, USNR, Route 2, Joe Jack Rd., Medford, Ore., served aboard the famed Pacific Fleet aircraft carrier Enterprise, the "fighting carrier in the fleet", now back in the States for repairs after having been hit by a Jap suicide plane on May 14. The Enterprise, whose record of battles dates back to Pearl Harbor, accounted for 911 Jap aircraft shot down by her planes and guns, and 71 ships sunk and 192 probably sunk by

Committee Cut In Congress Seen In Reorganizing Plan

Washington, Oct. 10.—(U.P.)—The joint senate-house committee to reorganize congress will shortly recommend that both chambers reduce the number of their committees by more than 50 per cent, it was learned today.

A committee member said that a formal report will be made to congress within a month. As one of its main features, he said, it probably will advocate the consolidation of the 35 senate legislative committees into 13 committees and of the 46 house units into 18.

The special 12-member reorganization committee was set up last year to study ways and means of "streamlining" the present legislative set-up of both houses. With Sen. Robert M. La Follette, Jr., Prog., Wis., as chairman, the committee heard testimony of more than 100 congressmen, government experts and students of political science.

STALIN ON VACATION
 Moscow, Oct. 10.—(U.P.)—Soviet newspapers said today that Generalissimo Stalin has departed from Moscow for a vacation his first since 1941. His destination was not disclosed.

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