

EUGENE D. HAYES ON LANDING SHIP

Ten invasions in a year of rugged campaigning against Japanese bastions in the South Pacific is the fighting record compiled by the USS LSM 40, a landing ship medium, of which Ensign Eugene D. Hayes, 724 Alder street, Medford, is commissary and ship's service officer.

Ensign Hayes is the husband of Mrs. Evelyn Hayes and the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Hayes, all of whom reside at the Medford address. He joined the complement of the LSM 40 before it left the States in September, 1944.

The "40" got its baptism of air raids at Morotai and took part in most of the Philippine landings, including Bataan and bloody Ormoc, in Leyte, and made its tenth beachhead on Balikpapan in Borneo, just six weeks before Japan began begging for peace.



Olive Barber's Letter

I was doing the weekly laundry when the near-elderly gentleman entered the yard. He had, he announced, come for a visit. We were no end pleased but I knew my husband shared my own consternation as to how we were going to add any lengthy visiting to our already overcrowded schedule. Some of this must have shown in our faces for the man said, "Now you folks go right on with your work and I will work with you. Right now I'll help you hang up the washing."

So he held the sheets while I pinned them to the line. He handed me the smaller pieces, item by item. Then we came to certain more private garments. I hadn't blushed for 30 years, but I did then. Not because those garments were pink silk, but because it had taken so much pink silk for each one. This generosity inferred an expansiveness my outer garments more or less camouflage.

But just the same, we did get in quite a lot of visiting. Much more than was accomplished while the guest picked a tub of fruit from the topmost branches of the Damson plum trees. With but one ladder, it was a solitary job. Visiting also languished while he fixed an ailing tractor, due to the roar of the logging operations thereabouts.

After three days of splitting wood while I worked in Scribble Shack and doing the chores while the head of the house painted a truck cab, he said he must go home. But by this time he was so popular, we couldn't bear to part with him. In fact we felt it would take well into November to get all our visiting done. Did he know anything about repairing defunct electrical units? The hot-plate had a burned out element. So he visited with that for a while. Then the gears in the wringer and separator proved a little off. This seemed the visitor with a one-way topic for half a day.

We had other conversational resources but this morning the guest said he truly must leave. We regretted this. There still remained such little matters to be discussed as the missing rung in the ladder, the leaky faucet in the bathroom and the generator in the pickup needed debating. But he seemed to be about to go; said he still insisted he be about talked out.

I do not believe he is the talker he used to be; seemed to me he worked with a slight wobble when he left. But I sure like that man's conversation and hope he comes again soon.

STETTINIUS ILL.
London, Oct. 16 — (U.P.) — Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., chief American representative on the United Nations Organization Preparatory committee, will return to the United States almost immediately by plane for a gall bladder operation in New York, it was revealed today.

Wild horses are rounded up annually in Wyoming by airplane.

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Medford Students Members of Band At U. of Oregon

University of Oregon, Eugene — Five students from Medford are members of the university band which will play at all home games and several at rival schools under the direction of John Stehn, acting dean of the music school.

Members from Medford are Barbara Weisz, daughter of Mrs. Hugo Frohreich; Marilyn Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wright; Robert Pittenger, son of C. C. Pittenger; Joyce Niedermeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Niedermeyer, and Richard Shafer, son of Frank E. Shafer. Barbara Weisz has also been appointed temporary secretary of

the Independent Students association on the campus. The group met recently to plan an all-campus dance for November 7. Anne Van Velzah, daughter of Mrs. Zelta Van Valzah of Medford, is president of the ISA.

Central Point

Central Point, Oct. 16 — Table Rock ladies' club met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Margaret Wilson, with twenty members present. After the business meeting the ladies worked on Red Cross sewing. Refreshments were served by Lucille Frink and Margaret Wilson. Next meeting will be at Mrs. Nelda Sears' home. Alvin McQuigg has been discharged from the army and has returned home.

Margery Sullivan is confined at home with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes have with Mrs. Hayes' daughter, Mrs. Hayes, who has been ill for several months, stood the trip very well. Staff Sergeant John Wilson telephoned his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Wilson, that he expects to be home in about two weeks. He has been overseas about two years.

Parent-Teacher Association met Oct. 5 with the largest number present for a long time. The third grade entertained. After the business session, a reception was held honoring the teachers. Miss Barbara Hilton of Ashland, a pupil of Mrs. Prentice, entertained on her accordian. Home Extension Unit will meet Wednesday at 10:30, at the

home of Mrs. Myrtle Patterson instead of Mrs. Paul Anderson's as previously announced. Miss Marion Farrell will present the lesson, "Developing Good Taste in Clothing." Lunch will be served by the committee in charge.

Miss Mary Jane Matthews has been elected president of the junior class. Ladies of the Church of Christ will hold their regular missionary meeting at the E. Gilbert Cays home, Friday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Lacy will lead.

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Mrs. Cordy has been ill with a cold the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tetherow returned last week from Gold Beach, where they vacationed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Otis Hedge, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lindman of San Francisco are visiting Mrs. Aletta Bigham, of Table Rock. Mrs. Hedge and Mrs. Lindman are sisters of Mrs. Bigham.

An evangelistic meeting will start Tuesday at the Church of Christ. Francis Winder and

CHICKEN and STEAK DINNERS KING'S CAFE Owned by OTTO and WAVE KING Highway 99 at Talent Come Out and See the Bears!

Bert Thomas of Portland will be the evangelist. The public is cordially invited to attend.

If all the LST's put in service at the Naval Repair Base in New Orleans were placed end to

end they would form a solid wall of landing craft 45 miles long.

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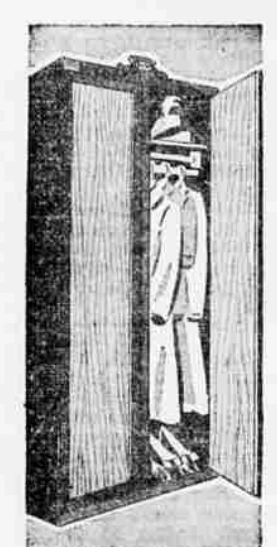
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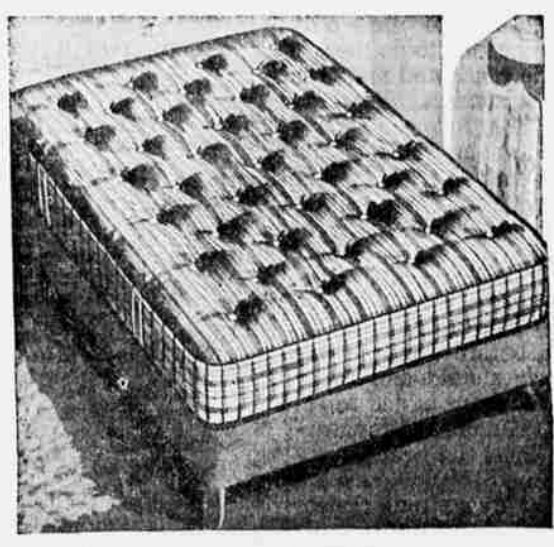
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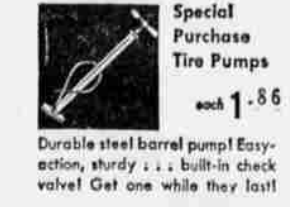
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