

City Briefs

Son Marries—Word has been received of the recent marriage of Lewis Wilkinson, son of Mrs. Lee Sutton, of this city, to Elvora Love, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cash of Medford. The wedding took place in Vallejo, Calif., and was performed by Rev. T. Davis Preston, a former pastor of the Community Congregational church of Klamath Falls, now in Sequel, Calif. Rev. and Mrs. Preston, old friends of the Wilkinson family, motored to Vallejo for the ceremony.

Move to Medford—Mr. and Mrs. George Potucek and two sons, Edward and Kenneth, of Independence avenue, Homevale, left Friday for Medford where they will make their home. Potucek is employed on a housing project there. Mrs. Potucek is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Marin of this city.

Improving—Tommy Wells, four-year-old son of Arthur Wells, 1325 Pleasant street, is recovering nicely at Klamath Valley hospital where the child underwent a recent major operation.

Bike Found—City police recovered a bicycle on Shasta way and the owner may have the machine by calling at the police station in the city hall. The bike is a blue Rambler with license No. 1729.

Dinner—Foremen, superintendents and other officials of Ewauna Box company will meet for dinner in the Pelican party room Wednesday night of next week.

Improving—Pvt. Alfred G. Nichols, 27, whose home town is Bridgetown, N. J., and Pvt. Joe Vickers, 25, of Blythville, Ark. are recovering nicely at Klamath Valley hospital. Both young men were removed from a troop train by ambulance when they were found to be suffering from severe colds. The soldiers are members of a bomb squadron. Both hope to be out by Christmas.

Home for Christmas—Mary Frances Landram, first year student at Oregon State college, has returned to Klamath Falls to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Landram of 535 North Sixth street.

Send Toys—Girl Scout troop No. 2, of Fremont school, led by Mrs. Arthur Skinner, has completed a number of stuffed toys which have been sent to the Doernbecher hospital for crippled children in Portland.

From School—Helen Radcliffe, student at Southern Oregon Normal school, arrived Friday night to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Heber Radcliffe of Pacific Terrace. Mary Awdry Radcliffe arrived Wednesday from Oregon State college to spend the vacation period.

Son Born—Mr. and Mrs. William L. Boyer, 220 Lincoln street, are parents of a son, their second child, born at Klamath Valley hospital Friday. The Boyers have a daughter two years old. He is an employee of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company here.

Plan Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Beauford E. Hayden will leave Sunday for the holidays which they will spend with their daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Max Forsythe and son, Bruce, of Menlo Park, Calif. The Haydens will continue to Yuma, Ariz., for the month of January.

Fractures Elbow—Floyd Pierce Jr., 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pierce of 2010 Bristol avenue, was admitted to Klamath Valley hospital at 7:30 p. m. Friday suffering from a badly fractured left elbow. The boy was playing on a shed when he slipped and fell.

From San Francisco—Mrs. R. M. Lewis of San Francisco is visiting this week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kennedy, 605 Martin street.

REVIVAL CENTER PLANS PROGRAM

A Christmas program has been planned by the children of the Klamath Revival center Sunday school, Tuesday, December 22, at 7:30 p. m., under the direction of Mrs. Warren D. Combs, superintendent of the Sunday school.

The church orchestra will play four of the most familiar Christmas carols, "Joy to the World," "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," and "Silent Night," at 7:30 p. m., followed by songs by the assembly. The children's program at 8 o'clock will be filled with recitations, exercises, drills, carols, and a short play by five young girls, entitled, "The Greatest Gift."

The pastor of the church, Rev. Warren D. Combs, extends a cordial invitation to the public.

For Your Information

MAIL CLOSING TIME
(Effective June 16, 1942)
Train 19 Southbound: 6:15 p. m.
Train 20 Northbound: 10 a. m.
Train 17 Southbound: 6:30 a. m.
Train 16 Northbound: 9 p. m.
p. m., Evening Airmail.
Medford Stage, Westbound, 3:30

Circle—The Miriam circle of the Presbyterian church will be entertained Tuesday, December 29, at the home of Mrs. A. Theodore Smith at 2:15 p. m., instead of on the regular meeting day. There will be no gift exchange.

Dance—The Eagles auxiliary and drum corps will sponsor the regular dance tonight in the KC hall with Estin Kiger's music. The public is invited.

VITAL STATISTICS

KASPER—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., December 18, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kasper, 333 Martin street, a boy. Weight: 7 pounds 5 1/2 ounces.

BOYER—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., December 18, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. William L. Boyer, 220 Lincoln street, a boy. Weight: 8 pounds 15 1/2 ounces.

VINCZE—Born at Klamath Valley hospital Klamath Falls, Ore., December 13, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vincze, 2545 Applegate avenue, a girl. Weight: 6 pounds 9 1/2 ounces.

FUNERALS

LEWIS E. PARKER
The funeral service for the late Lewis E. Parker, who passed away near this city on December 15, 1942, will take place on Sunday, December 20, 1942, at 3 p. m., with a graveside service, with interment following in the Mt. Laki cemetery, the Rev. William Rice of the Immanuel Baptist church officiating. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Ward's Klamath Funeral home in charge of the arrangements.

FANNIE ALIDA UHRINE
Funeral services for the late Fannie Alida Uhrine, who passed away in this city on Friday, December 18, 1942 following an extended illness, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine street at Sixth, on Monday, December 21, 1942, at 3 p. m., with the Rev. Arthur Charles Bates of the First Christian church of this city officiating. Commitment services and interment, family plot in Linkville cemetery. Friends are invited.

The Germans can stand another winter in Russia only with the greatest difficulty. It is now impossible for the German forces to swing back and make a furious attack in the west.—President Eduard Benes of Czech government-in-exile.

If it's a "frozen" article you need, advertise for a used one in the classified.

NEWS OF THE THEATRES



Red, raw adventure with lightning action heads the program at the Tower theatre Sunday with Richard Dix, Preston Foster and Patricia Morrison in "The Round Up", a thrilling story of the old west.



Fred MacMurray, Madeleine Carroll and Sterling Hayden, due tomorrow at the Pine Tree in the technicolor hit, "Virginia." A second feature presents Brenda Marshall in "Singapore Woman."



After a bang-up job, exposing a group of racketeers, everyone is exhausted but the sob-sister. The three reporters are played by George Brent, Brenda Marshall and Roscoe Karns. The picture, opening tonight at midnight at the Pelican, is Warners' "You Can't Escape Forever."



Marjorie Main seems to resent Guy Kibbee's advances, as Aline MacMahon and Virginia Grey look on in a scene from Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's newest film release, "Fish," opening Sunday at the Esquire theatre. Zasu Pitts, Lee Bowman and Susan Peters have prominent roles.

The MP's Will Go Right Along on Soldier Holidays

By NEA Service
Washington, Dec. 19 — Spite and span and washed behind the ears, Johnny Doughboy will do all of his holiday train riding this season under the watchful eyes of military policemen.

All of the major railroads have completed arrangements with the army to carry military policemen on all passenger trains this month—an arrangement which probably will exist for the duration.

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Midland Empire News

LANGELL DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETS

LANGELL VALLEY — The regular monthly meeting of the Langell Valley Soil Conservation district was held December 11 at the Langell Valley Irrigation district office. M. T. Prince, chairman, presided.

Papers to complete the addition of land to the district were signed. The board decided to move the tractor in for a complete overhaul. The overhaul of the land-leveling scraper was also authorized.

The scrap drive was discussed and it was decided to intensify the drive by hiring an operator, if possible, to collect the scrap. Heretofore the scrap has been collected by donated labor.

The district regularly holds a meeting on the second Saturday of each month at 8 p. m. in the irrigation district office. The landowners of Langell Valley and other interested persons are invited to attend.

Mt. Laki

The Mt. Laki Sunday school will present their Christmas program Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the church building, under the direction of Mrs. Edgar Neese and Mrs. Albert Keady. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cory and children, Patricia and William, are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives near Spokane, Wash.

The community is extending its sympathy to the L. D. Jackson family on the death of their son, Willard, who was killed Tuesday night when his car struck a Southern Pacific freight train at the Stukel crossing. Lewis Parker, a friend, was a passenger in the Jackson car and was also killed.

Malin

Girl Scouts of Malin will be hostesses Monday night at a pre-Christmas party for Boy Scouts of Malin and Merrill. Rev. Donald Dod is leader of the Boy Scouts and Mrs. Dod directs activities of the Girl Scouts. The party will include a gift exchange and refreshments.

Mrs. Edith Rigor, long time resident of Malin, plans to leave in the near future for San Francisco, where she will make her home. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Evelyn, now a student at the Southern Oregon College of Education, Ashland, who will continue her school work at the San Francisco State college. Mrs. Rigor has assisted her mother, Mrs. Maud Thomas, Malin postmaster, in the local office.

Stockman Leaves For Washington

PENDELTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Congressman-Elect Lowell Stockman and his family left Pendleton yesterday for Washington, D. C., expecting to arrive several days in advance of the new congressional session, scheduled for January 6.

Stockman, who stands 6 feet 6 inches and weighs 270 pounds, will be the biggest man in congress, and also represents the largest congressional district in the country.

gan noticing that sometimes the high spirits came from pocket flasks or too many trips to the club car. So the army came up with its suggestion to put M.P.'s on all trains.

With their blue and white arm bands standing out as conspicuously as red lights, the M.P.'s now parade the length of trains, pausing at intervals with such soft spoken admonitions as:

"Button up your coat or take it off, soldier." "Not so loud, soldier." "Make that one your last beer, soldier."

Augmented details of military policemen will watch over train and bus terminals. And in cities where a large number of soldiers will congregate, M.P.'s patrol the streets.

If your dealer is out for the duration, advertise for a used one in the want-ads.

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Malin, Tulalake Granges Hold Joint Installation

MALIN—Earl Mack of Henley grange, assisted by Joe La-Clear and F. P. Addleman of the Malin grange, presided at a joint installation for newly elected members of the Malin and Tulalake granges this week. All officers were present for the ceremony.

Following the installation, members and guests were seated at long tables gay with Christmas decorations for a dinner arranged in the basement of the Malin Presbyterian church.

Officers of the Malin grange are: Master, Jess Z. Smith; overseer, F. P. Addleman; lecturer, May Taylor; steward, Lou Dragger; assistant steward, Joe Zumpfe; chaplain, Mrs. F. P. Addleman; secretary, Frank Paygr; secretary, Mrs. Annabelle Dod; gatekeeper, Charles Hamilton; Ceres, Mrs. Claudia Cleveland; Pamona, Bertha Wertz; Flora, Mrs. Doris Smith; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Ethel Hamilton.

Tulalake grange: Master, H. T. Street; overseer, Elmer R. Scott; lecturer, Otto A. Schultz; steward, W. H. Anderson; assistant steward, Albert Scott; chaplain, Rev. Hugh L. Bronson; treasurer, D. W. Turnbaugh; secretary, Mrs. Gladys England; gatekeeper, Bud Haggerty; Ceres, Mrs. W. H. Anderson; Pamona, May Kirby; Flora, Mrs. Edna Scott; lady assistant steward, Mrs. D. W. Turnbaugh.

E. R. Scott was re-elected executive committee member for Tulalake and Elmont Kenyon will serve in the same capacity for Malin.

Merrill

Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Haley will have with them during the holiday season their two daughters. Maxine has arrived to spend a month here before returning to San Francisco, where she will be employed. She has just completed a business course at Armstrong's, Juanita Haley, employed in the bay city, will arrive December 23.

Betty Chatburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Chatburn, is home from the University of Oregon for the holidays. Arriving at the same time was a quartette of young men who are ending their college studies this term to enter the service: Lawrence Reed, freshman at the University of Oregon, James Hodges and Jack Fleck, also freshmen, and Frank Calise, a sophomore. Here for the vacation period also is Edna Beasley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Beasley, who is studying at St. Helen's in Portland. Mary Chin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wong, a student at Armstrong's, is also home.

Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick is assisting at the postoffice during the Christmas rush.

Mrs. Guy Sheldon and two sons, Gene and Gerald of Bremerton, Wash., will arrive soon after Christmas for a visit at the home of Mrs. Sheldon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dieter. The Sheldon family were formerly residents of Merrill and Malin.

Elma Nash, employed on the Alexander ranch, will leave next week for Salem to spend Christmas with his parents. Nash's father built and operated one of the first livery stables in Salem and has been actively associated with the development of the capitol city.

Midland

Arthur Stewart and George Hartley drilled a well at the J. D. Hooper ranch this week and are now drilling at the Harry Boyd home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huff have moved back to their home in Midland after spending the past several months at Canby, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Burnett have moved from their home in Klamath Falls to the S. L. Burnett ranch on Miller island.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mutschbacher spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart on Bisbee street in Klamath Falls.

The Midland grange held a meeting on Wednesday, December 9. New officers were installed. A Christmas party is planned for Wednesday, December 23, at 8 o'clock. All members and friends are invited to attend.

Pearl Porter moved to Utah, where he plans to visit with relatives and friends.

Don't be a procrastinator. See or call Hans Norland about that policy this moment. 118 North 7th. Phone 7176.

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CHRISTMAS AT CHURCH
First Baptist Church
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11:00 a. m.—Special Message for this Hour, "The Family Christmas"
7:30 p. m.—A Christmas cantata by the choir, "The Christmas King"

The public is cordially invited



(Army Signal Corps Photo from NEA) Wherever they are stationed over Christmas, U. S. fighting men at home and abroad will get their Yuletide mail—for Santa knows in advance who's going where—and when.

By JAMES CULLINANE
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—Santa Claus wasn't fooled last October by those Christmas packages mailed to troops in Ireland, Britain and other invasion bases. He'll deliver them in Africa.

Willing conspirators with Santa were Brig. Gen. Clayton S. Adams, chief of the army postal service and his military postmen.

Long before the men for whom the presents were intended ever dreamed they would be in Africa, the army postal service knew which units would be assigned to the invasion front.

As the deadline drew near, mail for the invasion units was separated from that intended for troops who would remain in Britain, Ireland and the other way stops on the road to Berlin.

It was marked for delivery to new American bases in Africa when they opened.

Shipped 14,729,680 Pounds
Doughboys on the second front, as a result of this happy conspiracy with Santa, will receive in front line zones this month the presents their families and sweethearts mailed two months ago.

Military postmen shipped 14,729,680 pounds of Christmas packages and mail to soldiers overseas between October 1 and December 1.

Heaviest shipments cleared through the army post office in New York which handled 146,138 sacks of parcel post, weighing about 8,037,590 pounds; 27,488,135 pieces of first class mail; 5,225,220 pieces of air mail and 1,809,200 V-mail letters.

One of the cargo ships carrying mail to the British Isles sank in the North Atlantic. On it were 4886 sacks, most of them stuffed with parcel post packages. All of these packages which went to the bottom were mailed before October 3.

At the time the army received Christmas mail there were some 800,000 troops outside the United States. The 14,729,680 pounds of packages and mail dispatched to them compare with only 5,200,000 pounds of mail sent to the 2,000,000 men of the first AEF for the last two war Christmases.

The army post office in San Francisco which clears mail for troops in Pacific outposts handled 104,045 sacks of parcel post weighing 5,722,426 pounds between October 1 and December 1. In addition 11,047,050 pieces of first class mail; 3,086,090 pieces of air mail and 2,272,000 letters were dispatched to the Pacific fighters.