

WITNESS SECT HAS TROUBLE HEARING TALK

SEATTLE, March 22 (AP)—Members of Jehovah's Witnesses heard the president of their sect yesterday in the organization's own hall, after their scheduled meeting had been moved by successive official requests from the civic auditorium and the Masonic temple.

N. H. Knorr, Witnesses leader, talked on "Fighting for Liberty On the Home Front" from Kingdon hall after firemen had cleared the aisles and overhanging balcony of several hundred persons standing.

The Masonic board of trustees yesterday cancelled the rental of the temple after conferring with city officials who the day before voided the sect's lease of the Civic auditorium.

Famphlets containing Knorr's talk passed out after the speech carried this forward: "The mayor and city officials closed the Seattle Civic auditorium to the delivery of this speech. Are these men opposed to fighting for liberty on the home front? Read this and learn the truth!"

In connection with the cancellation of the Masonic lease, U. S. Commissioner Harry Westfall, chairman of the Masonic board of trustees, issued this statement: "We did this in the interests of good government and to prevent our temple from being desecrated by riots."

SOIL SUPERVISORS DISCUSS LAND PLANE

LANGELL VALLEY — The regular meeting of the Langell Valley Soil Conservation district board of supervisors was held March 13, at the Langell Valley Irrigation district office. Eighteen farm operators in addition to the board of supervisors attended the meeting.

The use of land plane for assisting all farmers smooth their ground for this year's crop was discussed and this work was decided as the most important use of equipment which the board could make in order to assist in war crop goals.

The security bond for M. D. Settle, secretary-treasurer, was ordered increased from \$1000 to \$2000.

The board considered the plans for conservation work in the newly added area to the district. Work would be largely confined to assistance to the Willow Valley Irrigation district distribution system and reservoir, and range.

BUG-BANISHER — MAGNA, Utah (AP) — James Phillips has an effective insect repellent for his squash patch. The pests have been absent since he planted nasturtiums. "The scent's just too much for 'em," he explained.

Our Home Town "Multiple Duties"

By EARL WHITLOCK It is our first duty to shield the bereaved from as much of the pain of parting, as possible.

To accomplish this, we have created here a haven of peace and beauty where, in home-like comfort, family and friends may call to pay a final visit to the one who has departed on the great adventure.

We have added to the basic format of the Funeral Service, scores of extra attentions and conveniences which, in time of crisis, help to take the entire burden of detail from shoulders already bowed under a weight of sorrow.

It is also our duty, we think, to make sure that every Funeral Service held under our care, is furnished within — and well within — the means of the family whom we are aiding. Thus the beautiful ceremony of leaving-taking need never entail an over-heavy financial burden.

The public's realization of the uniformly lower prices in effect here, has much to do with the preference for our services which is so widespread.

Next Monday Mr. Whitlock of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home will comment on "Mother's Vacation, 1943 Model."



Henley Girls Do Red Cross Work



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he was digging a latrine trench "in a rather leisurely fashion," because the heat, as he cites in another place, beats down there until the soldier feels his head is being pounded by his helmet.

Ration Boxes . . . Reading Kahn's plain account of how a supply dump was built up out in the jungle, from boxes toted in by native carriers or dropped by transport planes, you will get another snapshot of our main job in this neck of the home front.

But we are having it tough here at home! Boy! How do we stand it?

Irish Nationalists Escape From Prison BELFAST, March 22 (AP) — Twenty Irish nationalist internees escaped from Londonderry prison through a tunnel early today and sped across the border into neutral Eire in a furniture truck after cowering border guards with a submarine gun.

Seven Die in Bus, Train Collision GRANITE CITY, Ill., March 22 (AP) — Seven persons were killed and 14 others were injured today in the collision of a Granite City-Nameoki intercity bus and a fast St. Louis-bound Illinois Terminal electric train on the northwest edge of the city.

Fourteen Trains Bombed in Italy VALLETTA, Malta, March 22 (AP) — Fourteen trains in southern Italy and northern Sicily were attacked in widespread intruder sweeps by the RAF from Malta last night and fires were started among freight cars, a British communique said today.

Elsewhere In Oregon By The Associated Press State Grange Master Morton Tomkins protested in Portland a proposal, now under consideration by the OPA, that housewives surrender an eight-point blue ration stamp for each pound of sugar used in home canning.

Identity Noted of Klamath Navy Man Cited for Bravery Jack Wallace Sorensen, young Klamath Falls navy man who was cited for bravery under fire at ceremonies held at Whidby island air station, Washington, is the foster son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Frazier, 1101 Mitchell street, it was learned Monday.

Relief At Last For Your Cough Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

How To Hold FALSE TEETH More Firmly In Place Do your false teeth annoy and embarrass by slipping, dropping or wobbling when you eat, laugh or talk? Just apply a little FASTEETH on your plates. This alkaline (non-acid) powder holds false teeth more firmly and more comfortably. No gummy, gooey, pasty taste or feeling. Does not sour. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get FASTEETH today at any drug store.

Used Tires & Tubes Bring your certificates to Hauger's Service Station, Main and Broad. We have over 50 used tires and tubes in popular sizes. Also a supply of recapped tires. Just arrived—8x5.25 50x17 new war tires available with a Grade II certificate. Special price on Grade I—7.00x15 tires. Come early as this supply will not last long.

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News of the Commandos

This week we have Technical Sergeant Mary Beth Hammond, who holds the position of publicity manager, formerly filled by First Sergeant Elenora Karspeck. She joined the Commando unit in August, 1942 and has worked her way up to the rank she now holds.

On Friday, March 12, we were guests at a dance given by the CPT's at their new home on Summers lane. The boys certainly deserve a vote of praise for the lovely decorations of draped red, white and blue streamers.

Three new members were initiated into our unit on March 8. They were: Jean O'Sullivan, Norma Ernest and Alice Stout. Welcome, girls, we are very happy to have you with us.

The floor at the center is really getting a general overhauling under the supervision of Sergeant Turpin, of the armory. The CPT's and a Canadian soldier are "pitching in," too, which certainly helps a lot.

It seems there is a little contest between Corporals Leech and Hutchinson each vying for a coveted sergeant's rating. Each girl has taken an equal number of new girls and is putting them through the paces of drill and march. How's it coming, gals?

We have had the pleasure and honor of having one of our marine guests, Sergeant Bill Morehead, return to Klamath Falls to spend his two weeks furlough. We feel it is a fine tribute to Klamath Falls, don't you?

The following is a letter, one of many, received from another of the marine guests showing the deep appreciation of these boys for the grand hospitality of our Klamath people. It reads: "Dear Commandos,

"I arrived back here at the island with a couple of hours to spare last night, after an unexciting and very depressing southward journey. Naturally, after such an eventful and interesting stay in your most wonderful little city, none of us was exactly looking forward to our return here.

"I wish to express my very deepest appreciation for the wonderful time which you all helped to show me during the past week. There was only one trouble with everything and that was the lack of time we had to spend.

"I think I can very well say that never in all my life have I seen a better manifestation of true Americanism than was shown by all of you. The work which you are doing is truly wonderful and should, and I hope, will be given national publicity.

"If ever the government of this country decides to award medals for patriotic service, I shall be the first to nominate the Commandos for this honor. Not one of you, but ALL of you!

"In closing, I'll just say—it was wonderful and thanks a million for a grand time. (Signed) Sincerely, "Sgt. Bill MacDowell "U. S. Marines."

OLD STAMPING GROUND MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—Don't shy when you see all those letters on the wall of J. C. (Cap) Whitaker's pharmacy. All—nearly 100 of them—are from young men in the armed forces who used to gather at Whitaker's store in peacetime.

He reads 'em, pastes 'em on the wall for reference by any of the group on furlough.

Klamath WAAC Joins After Seeing Pearl Harbor Raid

FORT DES MOINES, Ia., March 22—Auxiliary Scottiona T. Rhoades, daughter of Mrs. Cora Armstrong of Tulelake, Calif., is one of the members of the Women's Army Auxiliary corps who has seen what war is like. That is why she joined the WAAC.

A resident of Walkiki, Hawaii, for five years, Auxiliary Rhoades was there on the morning of December 7, 1941, when the Japanese attacked. Walkiki is eight miles from Pearl Harbor. "After the first stunning news

of the attack was heard over the radio," says Auxiliary Rhoades, "there came the call for all doctors, nurses and Red Cross workers. Then civilian help was sought and I volunteered along with almost everyone else who could go. I drove a station wagon and helped at a schoolhouse where many of the wounded had been taken. I have had a glimpse of what war is like, and I want nothing better than to serve in the corps wherever I am needed most, in this country or overseas."



Word has been received from Pvt. Mark "Bud" Hanna, who left here for Fort Lewis February 12, that he is stationed with the field artillery at Camp Mackall, N. C., for 13 weeks' training in the parachute troops, prior to one month's "jump" training. "Bud" was graduated from Klamath Union high school in 1942 and is 19 years old. He was employed by the Pacific Fruit and Produce company when he enlisted through voluntary induction. He is the son of Mrs. Ted Blanchard of 2027 Earle street.

Brothers Serve — Leland and Delmer Criss, sons of Mrs. Maggie Criss of Macdoel, are serving in the U. S. navy. Leland, gunner's mate 3/c, enlisted in September, 1940, and was at Pearl Harbor December, 1941. Delmer entered service in October, 1941, and is in aviation ordnance school at San Diego.



Lakeview Lions to Organize Cub Pack For Local Youths LAKEVIEW—Under the leadership of Jim Thompson of the U. S. forest service who will become the new clubmaster, the Lions club has formally launched its program for the younger boys. Members of the pack committee are Vern Mickelson, Bruno Buonanoma and Tom King.

PRIORITIES PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Counterfeiting in a slump. It's priorities again, a secret service agent explained. The bad money boys can't get their materials.

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LOCAL RESERVISTS GET AIR TRAINING

COEUR d'ALENE, Idaho, March 22—Seven army reservists from Klamath Falls, Ore., are numbered among the initial class of cross-country students which commenced instruction March 21, in a two-months' course conducted by the Buroker-Hicks Flying service under a government contract with war training service.

Klamath Falls' contribution to the Coeur d'Alene cross-country school, which is of the largest type under the CAA, includes: Louis Avery, 1745 Wall street; Herbert Lloyd B. Brown, box 156; James Lyman Hawkins, 220 North Fifth; Burge Worden Mason, Jr., 79 High street; Donald Langdon Sloan, 1981 Harriman; Dallas Lavant Vernon, 224 Broad street. All received prior aviation training through courses sponsored by the University of Oregon, except Howard E. Reeder, 1709 El Dorado street, who was trained at Seattle.

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Oregon Coal Mining To Be Rejuvenated MARSHFIELD, March 22 (AP) Coos County Judge E. L. Peterson said today the Newport arch coal bed probably will be the site of the first drilling in a program to rejuvenate Oregon coal mining.

The program, approved by the state legislature, will be financed jointly by the county and state with each authorized to spend up to \$20,000.

SNELL SIGNS BILL TO DIVERT MONEY

SALEM, March 22 (AP)—Gov. Earl Snell today signed the 1943 legislative bill diverting a part of the state highway department revenues to cities for maintenance of non-highway streets.

The act gives the cities five per cent of the state road revenues when the fund exceeds \$11,000,000. The highway department will continue to maintain city streets that are part of the state highway system.

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