

# MARTINEZ TO ASSIST LOCAL SCOUT LEADER

The executive board of the Modoc Area council announces the employment of Lloyd Parker Martinez as assistant Boy Scout executive, effective May 1, 1943. According to K. G. Klahn, council president, Martinez was chosen because of his excellent scouting record and his fine educational background.

Martinez is a native of Taos, N. M., graduated from the University of New Mexico and took graduate work at the University of Washington. He has been a scoutmaster for five years and is a graduate of the national training school for scout executives. Martinez comes to this Boy Scout council to increase the effectiveness of the Boy Scout program in the six and one-half counties served by the council and as a climax to a program started two years ago to employ a second professional scout executive for the large area.

Martinez will work with Scout Executive Robert H. Lamott, and will do special work in the Fremont and Lake county districts. He is expected to report for work on or about April 28. Special attention will be given by the council to the matter of organizing new troops and to establishment of a strong Cubbing program for boys from 9 to 11 years of age.

# OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE



**Complete Training** — Private Glen W. Stough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Stough, 2219 Etna street, has completed his four month training at Camp Roberts, Calif., and has been transferred to Indio, Calif., for desert maneuvers. Glen serves as radio technician in the field artillery. He attended Klamath Union high school here and was also a former Herald-News carrier, for about four years.

**Naval Aviation Cadet** Glenn D. Plato of Lakeview, Ore., was a member of his battalion obstacle team at the U. S. navy pre-flight school at Athens, Ga., which reached the finals of the regimental champion ship. In the rugged physical conditioning program there, every future navy flier competes in nine sports.

**CHILOQUIN** — The community of Chiloquin enjoyed seeing the many boys home on fur-

lough during the past two weeks. One was Harold Collins, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Collins. Harold has been at Faraguto navy base on beautiful Pend 'Orelle lake at Sandpoint, Idaho, for the past nine weeks.

**IN AUSTRALIA** — Earl C. Deering, S. K. 3/c enlisted in the Seabees in August, 1942, and was called into service in November. He was stationed in Rhode Island for some time, but at present is in Australia.

**IN NORTH AFRICA** — Corp. Stanford Revenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Silvey of 3503 Summers lane, has written an interesting letter home from North Africa. He tells his family that he "never felt better in his life" but that the American soldier lives out of tin cans, "which isn't half bad," and all the milk is powdered. "I haven't

had a glass of fresh milk for months," Stanford writes. "We see very interesting things here and the natives treat us very well. The French troops treat us especially good. Soldiers buy only live chickens or eggs as everything, including the natives, are so dirty and as for the natives looking tough—well, we wouldn't take any prizes."

"I hear the frogs croaking just like they do back home in the spring, and at night the jackals make such a noise we can hardly hear."

"We really have very little use for money as the Germans and Italians cleaned out all the best things to buy."

Corp. Revenue entered the army March 20, 1941, and received his training in the second armored division at Fort Benning, Ga. He is the driver of a half track. The second armored division is commanded by General Patton and is termed "The Fighting Hell on Wheels," according to Revenue. The corporal says his half track is called "The Tomahawk" and he "should be able to bring home some German scalps." He also writes that no one wants to come home until the job is done.

**CHILOQUIN**—Maurice Percy, brother of Mrs. Blaine Stinson, joined the navy June, 1941, and was at Pearl Harbor when the Japs made their attack and has been in many a duel since that date, always coming out on top regardless of the odds. At one port in the South Pacific, Maurice was greatly disappointed because he was unable to locate a number of Chiloquin boys he knew were near there. Maurice is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Percy, now living in Klamath Falls.

# TWO MOTHERS KILL CHILDREN, THEN SELVES

**SEATTLE, April 22 (AP)**—Obsessed with despondency, two mothers killed their children and committed suicide in widely separated parts of Seattle last night, the coroner's office reported today.

Coroner John P. Brill Jr., said Mrs. Samuel H. Raymer, 34, drowned six-month-old Sandra Louise Raymer and herself in Green lake shortly before midnight. The bodies were recovered early today.

A few hours earlier, Mrs. John L. Frey, 24, drowned her son, John Roger Frey, 4, in a bathtub, slashed the throat of her daughter, Linda Carol Frey, 17 months old, and then lay down on a bed and cut her own wrists and throat, said Brill.

# Two Reclamation Projects Ready For WPB Views

**WASHINGTON, April 22 (AP)**—Two of the several reclamation projects which westerners contend would contribute most toward new food supplies are ready for submission to the war production board, Senator Murdock (D-Utah) said today.

Murdock said they are the Newton project in Utah and the Roza in Washington state. They will be recommended, he said, to the facilities committee of the WPB by the agriculture department, which has been working to prepare data for the board's consideration.

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# Idaho Ranch Man Killed in Home Shooting Fray

**PAYETTE, Ida., April 22 (AP)**—Tom Harris, prominent Payette rancher who was shot in his apartment Monday night, died, and his partner, Earl Clark, was held today on an open charge pending investigation.

Prosecutor W. R. McClure called an inquest.

McClure and Chief of Police Cecil Rose declined to comment on the shooting except to say Harris was shot in his apartment, that Clark and four other persons were present, and that Clark was held.

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