

TOTAL U. S. CASUALTIES ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Army losses in the 38-day conquest of Sicily numbered 7500 killed, wounded and missing to bring the army's over-all war losses to 70,872 and lift the announced casualties for the armed services and merchant marine to 105,446 since Pearl Harbor.

The latest army figures were given at a press conference today by John J. McCloy, assistant secretary of war. He said that of the 70,872 casualties in all combat zones, 21,784 were missing, and 19,740 have been officially reported prisoners of war.

Of the army wounded, McCloy told a press conference, more than 8000 have recovered completely and returned to active duty. He added that the total of missing included a large number of Philippine scouts lost in Bataan and Corregidor.

Navy casualties announced to date are 21,556; marines 7904, and the coast guard, 363. The latest merchant marine summary showed 4751 dead and missing.

In all the services, the dead now total 19,883.

McCloy said he had no report on British and Canadian casualties in the Sicilian campaign but called General Dwight D. Eisenhower's August 18 announcement that the total in his command was approximately 25,000.

"It might be well also to call attention to the fact that although the Sicilian operation was a relatively easy one, with no substantial opposition on the beaches and with our forces advancing rapidly through the island," McCloy said, "it cost us a substantial number of American lives, and operations to come no doubt will cost us more."

Casualty summaries of services other than the army:

Navy—7840 dead; 2553 wounded; 8917 missing; 2246 prisoners of war.

Marines—2005 dead; 2501 wounded; 663 missing; 1925 prisoners of war.

Coast Guard—182 dead; 22 wounded; 153 missing; 1 prisoner of war.

Merchant Marine (from Sept. 27, 1941, to Aug. 1, 1943)—827 dead; 4124 missing.

GRITTON NAMED JUSTICE AT BLY

SALEM, Sept. 2 (AP)—Governor Earl Snell Wednesday appointed J. W. Gritton, Bly, as justice of the peace for the Sprague River district of Klamath county, succeeding William P. Titus. Gritton for several years has occupied a small farm near Bly.

Keno

Edna Bloom arrived in Keno on Thursday of last week from Grants Pass. She will teach in junior high this year.

Alice Lytle, who has been in Ashland for the summer, arrived here Friday. Miss Lytle will be one of the teachers of the elementary grades.

Students who will attend high school in Klamath Falls from Keno this year are Monnette Calmes, Marjorie Huskinson, Betty and Harry McAllister. The last two named will attend the Sacred Heart academy. Worden, Weyerhaeuser Camp 4, Ellingson Mill and the Klamath Falls-Keno highway will send an additional 10 or 15, who were previously students at Keno high school.

Mrs. Guy L. Moore returned from Los Angeles on Saturday night, where she visited with relatives for about five days, and will be in charge of the Keno school cafeteria.

Mrs. Jean Woolfolk has arrived in Keno to be one of the teachers of the school. For the present she will live in the Tenney home.

The Oehlrich family has moved to Keno. They are located in one of the Simmers' houses for the time being. Oehlrich is principal of the schools for the coming school term.

KIDNEYS MUST REMOVE EXCESS ACIDS

Help 15 Miles of Kidney Tubes Flush Out Poisonous Waste

If you have an excess of acids in your blood, your 15 miles of kidney tubes may be overworked. These tiny filters and tubes are working day and night to help Nature rid your system of excess acids and poisonous waste. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause headach, backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Kidneys may need help the same as bowels; so ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

WAVE Broadcast



Ensign Lucia Brown guides the noted radio announcer, Art Kirkham, through the WAVES recruiting office in Portland in a 15-minute program which will be heard over station KFJI at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday, September 1. The broadcast has been made possible through arrangements of the U. S. navy.

LAMM MOVES LOG CAMP TO CHINCHALO

FORT KLAMATH — The Lamm Lumber company is moving its camp from Yamsay to Chinchalo on Klamath marsh, and has already started logging near there. Claude Houghton, veteran woodsman and former employee of the company for many years, is again employed as superintendent in charge of logging operations at Chinchalo. Joe McInturff, until recently superintendent of the woods for the company, went to Greenville, Calif., this week to take over the position of logging superintendent for the three

camp of the Setzer Box company in that vicinity.

The scene of the new logging operations is approximately 20 miles north of Fort Klamath, and during the past week there has been an influx of loggers and their families into Fort Klamath. Twenty-five fallers and buckers are quartered at the Fort Klamath hotel, and all available houses are being rented by loggers and their families here. The men are taken back and forth to work in a company truck daily.

CONVICTS CONTRIBUTE

Inmates of Lewisburg, Pa., penitentiary recently raised \$850 among themselves for the Red Cross war fund campaign.

The DeHavilland Comet plane is the fastest low-powered ship of its type ever built.

PROTEST FILED OVER COAST WMC PROGRAM

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Authoritative sources here reported last night that the management-labor advisory committee of the war manpower commission has protested to WMC Chairman Paul V. McNutt against a program projected for labor shortage areas of the west coast.

In a letter approved unanimously, it was disclosed, the committee objected to imposition of complete control by the U. S. employment service, an arm of the WMC, over the hiring and referral of all workers in essential activity and creation of "priorities" among plants.

The WMC has made no announcement on the program it has developed with other agencies, subject to approval of the office of war mobilization, for various west coast centers where labor shortages have been blamed for failure to meet aircraft production schedules. Various features of the plan have disclosed authoritatively, however.

We are convinced that it is not only the armed power of the fascist nations which makes them dangerous to us but the philosophy of subjugation and conquest—Archibald MacLeish, librarian of congress.

Preference Rating Changed on Plumbing Equipment by WPB

The preference rating assigned for repair and replacement of plumbing and heating equipment was raised to AA-5 from A-10 on an amendment to Order P-84, according to J. Fred Bergesch, district manager of the war production board, who stated that that action was taken to bring this rating in line with ratings assigned for needs of similar importance.

The revised order requires a certification of need by the ultimate consumer for purchase of plumbing and heating equipment or parts costing over \$5. Previous restrictions required certification only when cost of equipment was \$50 or more. Any person making sales of items costing less than \$5 may use the AA-5 rating to replace his stock.

Legion Officers To Be Installed

MALIN — Newly-elected officers of the Malin post, American Legion, will be installed jointly with officers of the Klamath Falls post in Klamath Falls, September 7.

Charles Hamilton will be installed as commander succeeding Merle Loosley. Ben Tucker will serve as adjutant, Elzie Roberts, vice commander; Frank Victorine, sergeant-at-arms; Dr. F. M. Trout, finance officer and Merle Loosley, chaplain.

ITCHING OF MINOR SKIN IRRITATIONS

Soothe with Mezarna, formerly Mexican Heat Powder—cooling, medicated.

We are happy to join Klamath in the THIRD WAR LOAN

Under Leadership of Klamath ELKS LODGE

MESSAGE from Vern Moore

who serves with Jack Linman as vice-chairman of the Klamath War Loan Committee



For many years I've had the pleasure of talking to you folks all over the Klamath country, selling automobiles. Today, we have no new cars to sell. You know why. But I do have something to sell you—and it's the best investment any man has had to sell, ever (Except Ford cars). I mean War Bonds, government securities of all kinds, to fit the needs of all kinds of individuals. We have the biggest job this month that Klamath ever tackled. The Third War Loan must go over — to back up our boys in the fighting services. To bring victory and to bring them home. Klamath can do it. Let's go!

Klamath's Goal \$2,518,000 in War Bonds

We are proud to have Vern Moore, our sales manager, serve in this vitally important War Loan drive. You are invited to come in to Balsiger's and see Vern for your Bond applications.

Let's remember that we can't leave it all to the committeemen. The burden of putting Klamath's drive over rests with every individual!

BALSIGER MOTOR CO.

We Will Be Closed All Day Labor Day

LABOR DAY

HEADLINERS From MOE'S

New Junior Mode Fall Suits

Newest all-wool dressmaker styles in herringbone, tweeds and plaids. Jackets in Fall's smartest, youthful lines. Skirts in the newest pleat detail. It's a sound duration investment at

SIZES 12 to 18 FOR JUNIORS \$14.95

For Warmth and Double-Duty Wear Classic Coats

Here are the sturdy tweeds, plaids and 100% wool polos that will take you through seasons of care-free wear! They're tops in style as well as cozy warmth, too! Dressy types and boys' styles to choose from in newest Fall shades.

\$16.95 to \$24.50

Womanly, Yet Youthful Half-Size Dresses

For Fall

You'll be thrilled with these dresses designed for larger women—with a young viewpoint. There's fashion-dash in every one of these new Fall models in one and two-piece styles. All the newest rayon crepes—in black, navy and rich colors. Come in today—and choose from the grandest collection in town! Sizes 16½ to 24½

\$10.95 to \$24.50

NEW SHOWING OF CHESTERFIELD JUMPER DRESSES

Here's the versatile dress for young mothers-to-be or for general utility wear. It's a wonderful budget stretcher. Comes in Luggage, Blue, Green, Red. Fashioned of genuine Jungs rayon crepe.

SIZES 12 to 24 \$7.95

Dartmoor Junior Classic Skirts

Here are the skirts with lots of zip and youth—fashioned for the campus parade. Finest flannels and tweeds in 50% and 75% wool. Plaids and solids in new Fall colors. Sizes Junior 12 to 18.

\$4.95 AND \$5.95

New Campus Type Sweaters

\$2.50 to \$5.95

Pullover and Cardigan modes in Sloppy-Joe styles. Ribbed or plain waistlines, crew necks. Pastel or hi-tones—coarse or fine weaves to select from. Sizes 34 to 40.

AMERICA CALLS! Join the WAC Special Recruiting Week Aug. 30 to Sept. 4

Give Your Old Jewelry and Knives to the boys in the service. Leave them at our store.

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