

LOCAL SCOUT EXECUTIVES AT MEETING

Returning from a regional conference of executives of the Boy Scouts of America, Robert H. Lamont and L. Parker Martinez, local executives, reported plans for bringing the scout program to many more boys who have not yet had an opportunity to belong.

In attendance at the conference were men from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana which area comprises region XI of the Boy Scout movement. Lamont and Martinez participated in studies of leadership training, troop organization and commissioner service.

Three members of the New York home office staff of the Boy Scouts assisted in the leadership of the conference, namely Dwight Ramsey, assistant director of the division of operation, Harry Nagle, assistant director of the division of personnel, and Ralph Mozo, specializing in the air scout phase of the senior scouting program.

According to nation-wide reports, the value of scouting in the lives of men in the armed forces are evidenced by thousands of letters written to parents, scoutmasters and scout offices, has presented a challenge to all men to make scouting available to more boys in every city, town and rural area.

Modoc area council will soon make plans to expand its program to hundreds more boys in Klamath Falls, Bend, Redmond, Prineville, Lakeview, Alturas, Merrill, Malin, Tulelake and other communities within the council area. A definite program of new troop organization will be launched at the meeting of the Klamath basin district committee which will meet at the chamber of commerce on Thursday, September 16 at 4:30 p. m. Institutions which would be interested in organizing a scout troop or cub pack with the assistance of local scout leaders and the continued supervision of the local council personnel, are asked to phone scout headquarters, 6918, before September 16.

BUILDING PERMITS GIVEN APPROVAL

Applications for building permits for the past two weeks were approved at a city council meeting on Tuesday night. They are as follows:

- Klamath Iron Works. Repair and addition to foundry at 845 Spring street. Cost, \$1000.
- Charles Griffiths. Reshingle building at 2145 Eberlein street. Cost, \$75.
- C. J. Sine. Reroof building at 2136 Wantland street. Cost, \$50.
- Annetta McCabe. Reshingle roof at 433 Michigan street. Cost, \$125.
- R. B. Hadley. Remodel residence at 425 Klamath avenue. Cost, \$125.
- Dr. H. S. Stone. Build chicken house at 2204 Darrow street. Cost, \$50.
- Sealey Brothers. Coat and patch roof of Cascade cleaners. Cost, \$192.
- W. B. Rice. Remodel church at Eleventh and High streets. Cost, \$500.
- J. H. Blehn. Porch on residence, 2611 Scott street. Cost, \$100.
- D. B. Savage. Remodel residence and build new flue, at 733 Roseway drive. Cost, \$70.
- Mrs. T. A. Higgins. Build garage and woodshed at 2136 Wantland avenue. Cost, \$150.
- F. W. Fleet. Remodel residence at 200 Conger avenue. Cost, \$130.
- Ted Richards. Remodel residence at 1804 Lookout street. Cost, \$50.
- H. A. Shearer. Foundation under residence at 2136 Holabird street. Cost, \$250.
- Ted Gelhaar. Addition to residence at 806 Owens street. Cost, \$200.
- Harry J. Beardsley. Remodel business building. Poole's bicycle shop at Seventh and Walnut streets. Cost, \$400.

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Oil Company Buys \$50,000 In Bonds



W. A. House of Standard Oil is shown at left handing Vernon Moore, war bond chairman in charge of oil company solicitation, two checks for \$25,000 each for Third War Loan bonds. E. B. Hall, general chairman, is at right. They will be credited on Klamath county's \$2,519,000 quota. Standard is buying \$15,000,000 in bonds in the Third War Loan, of which \$2,000,000 is credited in the state of Oregon.

Sour Dough Hotel House Rules Restrict Guests

A letter, headed Sour Dough Hotel, 1333 Icele avenue, was received Tuesday by The Herald-News from H. D. Robinson, formerly of Klamath Falls and now of Whitehorse, Y. T., Canada. The communication asks that his subscription be cancelled as the paper arrives there anywhere from three weeks to three months late.

Interesting was the Sour Dough Hotel house rules which are included in the letterhead and which read like this:

House Rules
Towels changed weekly.
Dogs not allowed in the bunks.
Candles and hot water charged extra.
Board \$2 per square foot.
Meals extra.
Spiked boots must be removed at night.
Guests are requested not to speak to the dumb waiter.

Anyone troubled with nightmare will find a halter on the bed-post.

If the room gets too warm, open the window and see the fire escape.

Guests wishing to do a little driving will find hammer and nails in the closet.

If the lamp goes out, take a feather out of the pillow; that's light enough for any room.

Further information about the hotel in the letterhead included a private entrance for ladies by ladder in the rear; every known fluid—water excepted—for sale at the bar; and the fact that the management is not responsible for diamonds, bicycles or other valuables kept under the pillows, they should be deposited in the safe. Robinson is with the Dowell Construction company in Whitehorse, Canada.

Hotel Death Toll Now Stands at 50

HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 9 (AP)—Two more deaths in hospitals Wednesday raised to 50 toll of flames which trapped screaming frantic men in the old, three-story Gulf hotel in downtown Houston yesterday.

Six have died in hospitals and 44 never got out of the building, turned quickly into an inferno by the swiftly spreading fire. They died fighting to reach the only fire escape not blocked by flames.

Hoover Comments On Italy Surrender

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (AP)—The Italian victory "is a glorious turning point in the war" and "great statesmanship now will hasten the surrender of others," Former President Herbert Hoover said in commenting on the unconditional surrender of Italy.

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TRAINING IN MEDICINE NOW OPEN TO WAC

Women who wish to obtain training in the medical field while serving in the WAC can now do so.

"This should be welcome news to the many women who have indicated in the past that they would like to have this opportunity and have been disappointed because it has not been offered up to the present time," Lt. Betty Herring, local recruiting officer, said today.

The army-navy hospital school at Hot Springs, Ark., has been authorized by the war department to accept more than 1000 members of the WAC for military training courses beginning September 10, according to Lt. Herring.

Training will qualify enrollees for positions as x-ray, medical and surgical technicians as well as for other hospital work, with classes beginning the tenth of each month. After completing courses extending over periods of two to three months, graduates will be assigned to duty at general and station hospitals.

This new field of activity for WAC personnel, formerly restricted to military men, was one of the many made available to women when their branch of the service ceased to be an auxiliary and became an integral part of the U. S. army on September 1.

Lt. Herring suggested that those who were disappointed because the auxiliary did not offer the particular training they desired would do well to investigate the new branches of service opened to women since the organization has become the WAC.

Inquiries may be made at her headquarters, now permanently located at the army recruiting office in the post office building, telephone 8401.

Oregon News Notes

By The Associated Press

Because of increasing fire danger, Mt. Hood national forest was closed to huckleberry pickers . . . Cannery operators in the Portland area appealed for more help, reporting that tons of vegetables and fruit have piled up since youths went back to school.

Rex Putnam, state school superintendent, in Portland revised downward to 47 grade and 4 high schools the number of schools he expects to remain closed because of the teacher shortage . . . Multnomah county commissioners voted to invest \$1,100,000 of county funds in war bonds.

Ray W. Gill, former state grange master, in a Portland speech criticized OPA regulations affecting farmers and credited victory gardeners with averting a serious food shortage . . . A Portland truck driver, who apparently dislikes parking meters, knocked two down by backing over them, then drove around a corner and bashed over a third.

The Multnomah county court appointed Mrs. John L. Karnopp state senator, succeeding Dorothy McCullough Lee, who resigned to enter the Portland city council.

Gypsy Held For Grand Larceny In "Power Money" Theft

GRANTS PASS, Sept. 9 (AP)—Mary White, or Mary John, 19, a gypsy who has been operating a horoscope parlor here, was held in Yreka today under a \$2500 bond as Deputy Sheriff Grover Mull returned to Grants Pass after serving a complaint charging grand larceny.

It was alleged the gypsy woman had taken \$800 "power money" from two Grants Pass men whose names were withheld by the authorities. The woman's attorney, W. F. Buffum, of Yreka, said she would fight extradition to Oregon. One of the victims went to Yreka with Mull and secured the return of his money, said to be approximately \$400.

RADIO CLASS TO START IN HIGH SCHOOL

A class in radio maintenance and repair will start on Monday evening, September 13, at 7 o'clock. This class will open for anyone between the ages of 16 and 65 and will take place at the high school.

The schedule is for three hours daily, from 7 until 10 p. m. for five days a week, Monday through Friday.

The course is outlined for approximately 300 hours of classroom practice and study. Valuable testing equipment is being loaned for the course by George Conner of Conner's radio service, who will also instruct the class. Additional instructors may supplement when necessary.

Enrollees may enter the high school by the Alameda street entrance next to the football field, and classes will be held in room 230B, directly over the welding room.

Cadet Examining Board Begins Tour

PORTLAND, Sept. 9 (AP)—Oregon youths may take examinations for pilots, bombardiers, and navigators during the next month under the army aviation cadet examining board, which today was beginning a statewide tour.

Examinations will be held by the board in Hood River, September 9; The Dalles, September 10; Heppner, September 11; Pendleton, September 13 and 14; Milton-Freewater, September 15; La Grande, September 16; Baker, September 17; Klamath Falls, September 22 and 23; Eugene, September 29 and 30; Albany, October 1; Salem, October 2.

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