

Dewey Reaffirms Intent to Keep War From Politics

By JACK BELL

ENROUTE WEST WITH DEWEY, Sept. 16 (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey traveled toward northern Idaho today for a round of conferences with Gov. C. A. Bottolfsen after a give and take exchange with newsmen over his expressed determination to keep the conduct of the war free from political discussion.

At a Billings, Mont., news conference, the republican presidential candidate answered a question concerning the Pacific war effort by exclaiming that he hoped allocation of supplies and men to General Douglas MacArthur "is now being determined by the chiefs of staff."

Dewey was to meet Bottolfsen at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The New York governor entered the MacArthur discussion as his special train sat on a dusty railroad siding at Valentine, Neb. Earlier in the week, he proposed that the talents of the man

President Roosevelt called "Doug." at the Pearl Harbor conference be given wider scope in the drive against the Japanese, "since MacArthur is no longer a political threat," to the president.

His remarks then were prompted by reports that Mr. Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill might pick an over-all commander for the Pacific at their conference in Quebec.

The question came up again at a lengthy news conference yesterday when Charles Van Devander of the New York Post said it seemed to some people that Dewey's previous complaints that MacArthur had been allocated insufficient supplies, were not consistent with your promise that you would keep the conduct of the war out of politics.

"That's a speech, not a question," said Hal Foust of the Chicago Tribune.

"Your question is answered over here," Dewey said, pointing his thumb at Foust. "That is a speech, not a question. My remarks spoke for themselves."

"Is it or is it not true that the selection of a supreme commander in the Pacific is the responsibility of the combined chiefs of staff and not exclusively the responsibility of the president?" Van Devander asked.

"That is exactly what I said in answer to a question at my previous conference," Dewey replied. "I not only said it, but it actually got reported as I answered it."

"If you had been president," Van Devander continued, "would you have made a different allocation of supplies?"

"I am not crying over spilled milk," Dewey answered. The republican nominee said that if the selection of a Pacific commander had been made before President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill sat down at the Quebec conference, as reported in an Associated Press dispatch from Quebec by William L. Beale, Jr., then the information he had received previously was erroneous. He remarked that when the agenda of a conference were not made public, "speculation invariably arises."

Dewey said he was not being informed on the progress of the Quebec meeting by any information given to John Foster Dulles, his foreign affairs deputy, by Secretary of State Hull. While he was to be told of any decisions on an international security organization or on sanctions against axis powers, the nominee said he did not know if these questions were "part of the discussions between these two individuals."

Portland Legion Post Third Largest In World, Report

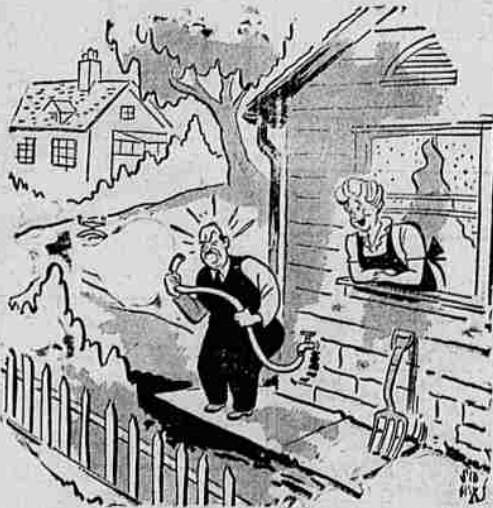
PORTLAND, Sept. 16 (AP)—Portland's American Legion post No. 1 is the third largest in the world, national headquarters notified local officials today.

Only an Omaha and a Denver post surpass Portland, which has 8600 members, including 1100 discharged veterans of World war 2.

Milton, Freewater Eye Consolidation

MILTON, Ore., Sept. 15 (AP)—Milton and Freewater, Umatilla county towns so close together that casual conversation links them up as "Milton-Freewater," are considering official consolidation.

Representatives of the twin towns proposed that Milton citizens vote in November on a proposal to extend city limits to take in Freewater—and Freewater votes on extending their city limits to include Milton.



"I'VE GOT GOOD NEWS DEAR. JUNIOR LED THE ENTIRE SCHOOL IN BRINGING IN RUBBER SCRAPS!" ... Follow Junior's patriotic example. Do your share by buying more War Bonds at

FIRST FEDERAL
MEMBER FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN INSURANCE CORPORATION
540 Main St. Phone 5195

Flashes of Life

By The Associated Press

COULD BE POTTSVILLE, Pa.—Sgt. Walter J. Rogers, though happy to be home after 15 months fighting in the Italian campaign, sadly said: "All my buddies are gone. There's no one to go out with except girls."

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—Thomas W. Slick, a federal judge since 1926, has just been admitted to practice in the courts over which he presided. Graduated from Michigan in 1893, he "just forgot" to apply in federal courts to practice, he said. He retired last year.

SALT LAKE CITY—William V. McIntosh and Tony Ventura sang together in the high school glee club three years ago. Sgt. William V. McIntosh paused a few days ago outside an army installation in France where an entertainment was being given. He thought he recognized a voice. Yes, he wrote his parents here, it was Pvt. Tony Ventura.

NURSE WIFE BRIGHAM, Utah—Lt. Stillman Harding of Willard, Utah, wounded in a plane raid over Germany, was returned to Bushnell General hospital here for treatment.

A cadet nurse walked into his room. Harding blinked. It was his wife.

BEAR SNACK KALISPELL, Mont.—Truck Driver Pete Sterner heard a mighty thump as he rounded a curve. He stopped and found a 400-pound black bear had run smack into the side of his truck and killed itself.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Master Sgt. Bernard C. Sheehan, stationed in England, asked his parents in Springfield for some cooked spaghetti and chow mein. They sent it in a specially prepared tin can. Sgt. Sheehan heated it before opening—it tasted fine. He repeated the process with a second can he received but this was a disappointment. It contained pipe tobacco.

Road Commissioners Complete Inspection

HOOD RIVER, Sept. 16 (AP)—State highway commissioners completed a six-day inspection tour of central and eastern Oregon roads here yesterday by voting to continue the sale of materials on high bids even if they exceed ceiling prices.

Commissioners contend they are governed by state laws rather than by federal directives.

Hood River residents urged the proposed relocation of the Columbia River highway thru their city. T. H. Banfield, commission chairman, said the project would entail considerable expense for right of ways and construction operations.

FREE



We want you on our mailing list. Hence this sensational offer. The world's most talked-of stamp, Francisco de Goya's painting of the Duchess of Alba—better known as "THE NUDE DUCHESS." Remember, the stamp is entirely FREE. When mailed, other of our special offers will be included for your inspection. Send for yours now. Only one to each new customer. T. K. Barker, P. O. Box 418, Palo Alto.

FRANKIE MASTERS TO PLAY AT ARMORY

"Music by Masters," a tag line that has been heard on records, broadcasts and at hotels, theatres and ballrooms throughout the land, will be seen and heard in person at the armory Wednesday, September 27.

With Masters will be 20 top-flight musicians and entertainers, headed by Phyllis Myles, Eddie Williams and Marty Kay. Pat and Joe, Frankie's famous girl quartet.

According to "Baldy" Evans, who is booking Masters, this band is one of the most sought after, and he is proud to be sponsoring his appearance in Klamath Falls September 27.

Farmers Requested To Hold Grain

ENTERPRISE, Sept. 15 (AP)—Farmers were asked today to hold harvested grain upon their farms because of an acute shortage of freight cars for shipment.

A heavy crop has completely filled the elevator here, and nearly exhausted space in the grain warehouse at Joseph.

Unwary Waltzers Win Dance Contest

PFC Charlie Metos and Mrs. Neal Stewart won the waltz contest held at the Marine Barracks dance Friday night, before they realized they were in a contest.

PFC Metos was awarded a season's ticket to the KUHS football games, and Mrs. Stewart was given a bracelet. The ticket had originally been given to S. I. V. J. Meadows of the naval air station as winner of a quiz contest, but he was transferred before being able to use it, so it was decided to give it to the marine winning the waltz contest.

PFC Metos declares that he didn't know the contest was going on, and had just asked his partner for the dance. They were chosen the best waltzers on the floor before he knew what was going on.

FUNERAL SLATED

ROSEBURG, Sept. 16 (AP)—Funeral services for Alton Duley, 42, victim of a logging accident east of Sutherlin Tuesday, will be held in Glendale tomorrow. He was employed by the Roseburg Lumber company. The widow and a daughter survive.

GOP GETS 50,001 CLUB UNDER WAY

The republican headquarters were officially opened Friday night when county republican leaders and interested citizens appeared at the open house at 313 Main.

The 50,001 club got underway at the meeting, and Paul Lee, county chairman, gave a brief history of the club and the reasons for it. Don Orput, state manager of Oregon 50,001 club, was in town last week to aid in the organization.

The club was organized when it was discovered that there were 50,001 write-in votes for Thomas E. Dewey for presidential nominee in the Oregon primary election.

Lloyd Lamb is publicity director for the club in Klamath Falls.

RATIONS REDUCED

PORTLAND, Sept. 16 (AP)—The district OPA announced that gasoline rations for motor boats not used for occupational purposes will be reduced on October 1 to a maximum of 24 gallons for three months.

Boeing Employees to Honor Late Official

SEATTLE, Sept. 16 (AP)—Employees of the Boeing Aircraft company will pause for a moment of silence Monday afternoon in honor of P. G. Johnson, company president, who died Thursday in Wichita, Kas.

H. Oliver West, executive vice president, in announcing plans for the funeral service at 2:30 p. m. Monday in First Baptist church here, said there would be no work stoppage. Burial will be in the family plot at Lake View cemetery.

Johnson's body was reported flown here yesterday in one of the Boeing V-17 Flying Fortresses.

Accompanying the body were Mrs. Johnson, her two children, Esther Mary, 18, and Phillip Jr., 14; and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schaefer, Wichita. Schaefer is manager of the Wichita Boeing division which Johnson had stopped to visit when he was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A
COLD
USE 666
Cold Preparation's as directed.

PLANT TO OPEN
ENTERPRISE, Sept. 16
The Enterprise time plant
will open after several years
two weeks. Raleigh
owner, said today.

Coming!
FRANKIE MASTERS
Wed., Sept. 27
DANCE SAT. NIGHT AT ARMORY
Music by
Baldy's Band
Featuring
MARY MAHON
PAUL SWIGAN



Back Yard "Lend Lease"
back-bone of our country's strength

It's a good old American custom, this swapping of neighbors' tools and gadgets. It's one of the things that makes America... and we say, more power to it!

Whether it's businesses or people, we're all inter-related by the goods and services we produce. The products we make here go out to other towns and enterprises, and the money we receive in return goes back into our own local services and businesses through our payrolls and expenditures.

Here at the plant, we're increasingly aware of our growing opportunities as producers and consumers. We're doing all we can to keep up high standard production during the war through harder work and improved methods of production. At the same time, we're striving to build practical, worthwhile plans for the future, so that all of our businesses, families and neighbors here at home may realize the progress and prosperity that is our common goal.

Yes, the "good neighbor policy" begins at home. It is an American ideal to which we proudly subscribe.

Fluhrer's
KLAMATH'S FINEST BAKERY

Wolf Dressed Like Sheep

No—No—You must not mail that letter today for it would travel on Sunday and that must not be. So ordered the small-city banker. Nor would he permit daughter Josie to play a sacred number on her violin in the church. Such a worldly thing!

Far and near, the man made for himself a name and the people trusted their money over to him. Then one day, the bank examiners found him to be crooked. Out of it he went to the pen. Just another wolf in sheep's clothing, was he.

The love of money was his pet sin. What is yours? Whatever it may be, it roots from your heart, for out of the heart come evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, uncleanness, thefts, false witness, slander. See Mt. 15: 9. Tell me what your heart is and I will tell you how you look to God, for God looketh on the heart. With the human heart set as it is, no wonder Christ said—Ye must be born again.

One—God breathes his Spirit into your soul the instant you believe in Christ as dying for your sins. Feelings or no feelings, you are then born again—born of God—born from above. So it is to all who turn against their sins and count on Christ's death as having cleared them.

Two—Make Christ the Lord of your life. Yield all to Him. Casting all your care, worry, sin-habit on Him for He careth for you. Count yourself raised from the dead and born into the family of God.

Dean Taylor
S. W. McClesney Road,
Portland 1, Ore.
This space paid for by an Oregon Businessman.