

MERRILL, LEGION SIGN HALL LEASE

MERRILL—A 20-year lease on the Merrill Community hall turned over several months ago by stockholders to the city of Merrill was signed by the city and the Merrill post, American Legion at the last meeting of the council. The building will be maintained as a community hall by the Legion, to be in readiness for public functions. A dance is scheduled Saturday night, October 14 by the Women of the Moose and the annual bazaar, card party and supper sponsored by the Altar society of St. Augustine's church is also planned for the hall.

Paul Lewis, member of the executive committee of the Legion, will be in charge of the building. K. C. Burkes is the newly installed commander of the post.

City fathers again call attention to the necessity of getting a permit from the city for installation of sidewalks and her future building within the newly outlined fire zone. An ordinance governing permits within the zone was recently passed by the council.

Abe Lincoln Won Foot Race At 42

URBANA, Ill., Oct. 13 (AP)—Abraham Lincoln, whom history relates was a better than average wrestler, won a foot race when he was 42 years old, it was disclosed here last night at a meeting of the half-century club.

An entry in a worn notebook that was used by an Urbana carpenter in the 1840's and 1850's said that on May 2, 1851, "Seen Abe Lincoln run a foot race with Samuel Waters from Maine (Six St. to Walnut St. in front of the court house. Abe beat."

The record of the race was reported by C. A. Kiler, Champaign businessman, who said the volume was received from William Harvey, 85, of Peoria, a son of M. D. Harvey, who wrote down brief notes of current events in his account book.

Few Ballots Opened By Army Censors

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP)—War Secretary Stimson said today there had been an "infinite" number of reports of military censors inspecting service men's election ballots. He added that the number indicated the ballots were inspected "through accident or mistake" and "not by design."

Of more than 4,000,000 ballots sent overseas by the states, plus thousands of federal election blanks, Stimson told a news conference only 268 reports have been received by the war and navy departments of even the outer envelope being stamped by army and navy censors. In just two instances, he said, was the inner envelope of an army ballot opened.

Mildred McPherson Enlists in WAC

Mildred I. McPherson, 2244 Wantland, enlisted in the WAC's October 12 through the local recruiting office, 219 Federal building. She will leave soon for Ft. Des Moines, Ia. where she will take basic training.

Choice of primary station and type of job will be allowed enlistees in the WAC until October 31, after which a recruit will be sent wherever the army feels that the need for her is greatest.

DEHYDRATOR BEGINS OPERATION TODAY

McMINNVILLE, Oct. 13 (AP)—A dehydrator here, which began operation today, will produce the dried equivalent of 2000 tons of potatoes for the army quartermaster corps.

Japanese Threaten Foochow



Arrow pointing near Foochow indicates the Japanese landing which is threatening that last large east coast port held by the Chinese. In the drive on Kweilin, former U. S. air base site, the Japs have captured Hingan and to the northeast the invaders are fighting in Changning. (AP wirephoto).

Railroad Pension Group to Meet

The local chapter of the Railroad National Pension association which is open to all classes of railroad labor, is to hold a potluck supper in the Community hall on Garden Monday, October 16, at 6:30 P. M. and employes and wives of all railroads in Klamath Falls are urged to come and bring a covered dish for the supper.

Later in the evening Ralph Darmody, a long time resident of the association, will explain its aims and answer questions as to its workings. This association has a bill at present before congress which will give a pension to all widows of railroad employes after they reach the age of 55, and will also pay an annuity to their children until the age of 18.

The dues are small, \$1 per year for women and pensioners and \$4 per year for men employes. Trainmen, clerks, sectionmen, shopmen, telegraphers and all other workers are urged to attend, with their wives.

Grant General Loses Jacket, Asks Return

Has anyone found a boy's green jacket, with white leather sleeves, in his car?

A letter was received here this week from Mrs. Irving Neder of Portland stating that her son, Calvin, who played with the Grant Generals in that team's game with Klamath last month, believes that he accidentally left his jacket in the automobile of a Klamath motorist who had given him a ride to the Willard hotel.

Mrs. Neder writes "the fellow who was kind enough to give my boy a ride, didn't know Calvin's name and vice versa so neither could get in touch with the other."

Calvin would very much like the return of his jacket and if it has been found the finder is asked to please bring it to The Herald and News office from where it will be forwarded to the boy's address in Portland.

Trial of Coplin Set For Monday

Trial of Obie Coplin, accused of statutory rape, is scheduled for next Monday at 10 a. m. in circuit court.

Coplin is charged with the rape of a young local girl on last May 25. He was arrested several months ago and indicted by the grand jury July 10.

The prosecution will be handled by District Attorney L. Orth Sisemore and Deputy Attorney Clarence Humble. Attorney for defense is U. S. Balentine.

ITALY TO SETTLE OWN RULE, FATE

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Day. Recalling the millions of Italians who have followed Columbus to the western hemisphere, he said:

"Reason for Welcome
"This is one of the many reasons why the forces of liberation have been welcomed so cordially by the Italian people after 22 years of fascism."

Saying aviation has brought the old and the new worlds closer, Mr. Roosevelt asserted "that if we do not now take effective measures to prevent another world war and if there were to be a third world war, the lands of the western hemisphere would be as vulnerable to attack from Europe and Asia as were the island of Crete and the Philippine islands five years ago."

Klamath Hunters To Open New Front Against Waterfowl

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In possession a federal hunting stamp which must be validated with the signature of the hunter. Also guns must be plugged so as to hold not more than three shells including the shell in the barrel and the shells in the magazine.

Britons Want More, Better Corsets

LONDON, Oct. 13 (AP)—England's women are demanding more and better corsets and the Corset Guild is seeking action from the government.

"If Mr. Dalton (Hugh Dalton, president of the board of trade) does not agree to see us and listen to reason," said the guild's secretary, "the leaders in the corset industry are ready to stage a sit down strike on the steps of the board of trade."

Corsetiers report that in the black market women are paying as high as \$80 for inferior corsets.

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and destroyed on the ground and 93 Jap ships sunk or damaged. (The Japs say we're at it again today in Formosa.)

MAG ARTHUR'S land-based planes (as the Tokyo radio reported yesterday) smacked Balikpapan again, wrecking a gasoline-"cracking" plant beyond repair, heavily damaging a refinery and starting big fires among oil storage tanks.

The big Liberators were escorted by Lightnings and preceded by Thunderbolts. They shot down 32 attacking Jap planes.

IN all these actions before the inner gates of the Jap citadel NO JAP WARSHIPS were even sighted.

Where is the Jap fleet?

THE answer to that question is rather easy. It is staying in hiding, hoping to catch us off balance and momentarily unprepared so that it can jump onto us suddenly, inflict heavy damage quickly and then RVN.

That is the Jap naval way. It is the way they licked the Russian fleet.

LINFIELD TO EXPAND
McMINNVILLE, Oct. 13 (AP)—President Harry L. Dillin of Linfield college announced plans for an expansion program to include the construction of a new infirmary, gymnasium, student union, fine arts building, amphitheatre, chapel and a modern stadium.

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