

COMMITTEES SELECTED FOR KLAMATH USO

Permanent committees of the USO operating organizations were announced today by H. H. Humble, chairman of the operations group.

The executive committee will consist of Humble, chairman; Roycroft, vice chairman; Chase, secretary; Lt. Col. Austin, Major Henry Faus, Lt. Humphreys, as well as members of sub-committees.

Other committees, with chairmen named first:

Building — Malcolm Epley, Roy Reed, Rose Poole.

Entertainment and programs — Lynn Roycroft, Major Joe O. W. Jones, Judge U. E. Der, Vera Chase.

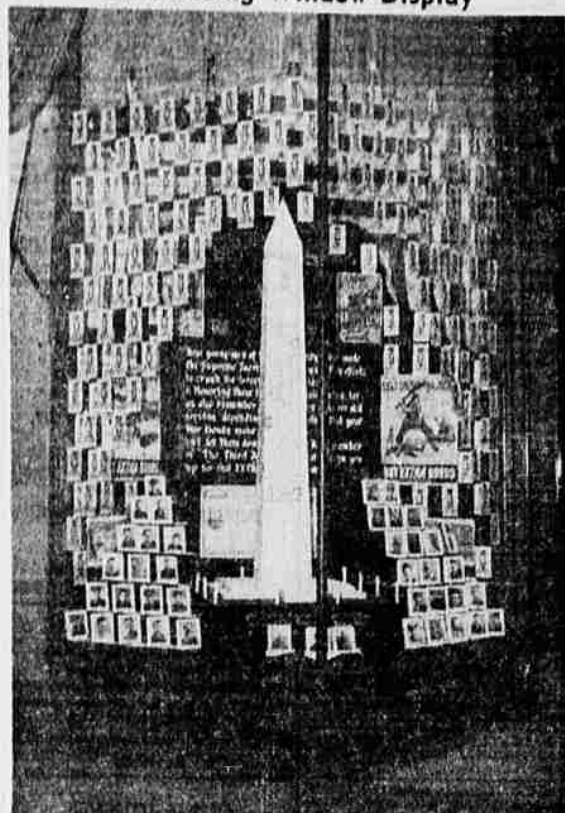
Budget and finance — G. C. Collier, Martha Collier.

Refreshment — Arnold Gralapp, Mel Brixner, Myrtle Elling.

Hostesses — Virginia Schubert, Vera Jackman, John Sandefer.

Publicity — C. R. Stark, John Stenon, Esther Lawler.

Outstanding Window Display



This replica of the Klamath World War II memorial shaft is on display in the window of Woolworth's. The miniature shaft bears the names of Klamath war dead, as they appear on the big obelisk on the courthouse lawn, and a tiny light burns in front of the display, similar to the perpetual light at the courthouse. The shaft is surrounded by pictures of men who gave their lives in the war.

SEVERE CASUALTIES LISTED IN FIGHTING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 (AP)—Under Secretary of War Patterson said today that in the fighting on the western front "We are suffering severe casualties and are facing the grim prospect of more to come."

He made the statement in a weekly war review which disclosed that on this third anniversary of Pearl Harbor United States battle casualties amount to 552,016.

Patterson said army casualties reported through November 22 totaled 474,898. This was an increase of 13,840 from the report last week which covered the period through November 15. The new navy total is 77,120, an increase of 1228 for the week.

The latest army casualties, together with those reported a week ago, follow: killed 91,625 and 89,840; wounded 268,099 and 258,108; missing 58,926 and 57,514; prisoners 56,249 and 55,598.

The navy casualties: killed 29,738 and 29,480; wounded 33,469 and 32,600; missing 9427 and 9326; prisoners 4488 (unchanged from previous week).

Capt. Moore Hurt, Captured in Europe

Details have been received concerning the wounding and capture of Capt. Lynn Moore, former Klamath lawyer, in the European theater of war.

Mrs. Moore, now at Toledo, Ore., has written friends here that Lynn was first bayoneted on D-day, June 6. He was hospitalized 10 days, and returned to the front.

Shortly thereafter, he was again wounded and was captured. He is now in a German prison camp.

Capt. Moore's address is Capt. Lynn L. Moore, United States POW 85563, Oflag 64, Germany. Those wishing to write him should get a special form at the postoffice.

Collectors' School Held In Klamath

A school of instruction for deputy collectors dealing with the problems of income tax returns for 1944 began Friday and will continue on Saturday, December 8-9, at the local deputy collector of internal revenue offices in the federal building. These offices will be closed to the general public during those two days.

L. W. Sims, deputy collector from Portland, will conduct the school for the benefit of the following deputy collectors from towns in this general area: A. E. Hull of Bend, Beth Thompson, Erle Gray and Earl Clements of Medford and Paul H. Wright and Elenora Weatherford, local collectors.

Cold Storage Plant Bought By Apple Men

HOOD RIVER, Dec. 8 (AP)—Purchase of a cold storage plant at Portland from Terminal Ice and Cold Storage company at an undisclosed price was announced today by the Hood River Apple Growers association.

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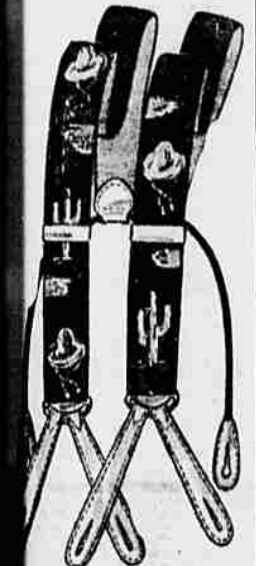
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Navy Prisoners Escape Twice In Day

OLYMPIA, Dec. 8 (AP)—Twice escaping from military guard in the same day, three navy military prisoners were under lock and key in the county jail here today after two Thurston county

sheriff's deputies "boxed" their stolen command car and forced it off the road north of Tenino last night.

Deputies Ed Stearns and Dick Bryan, who made the capture, said the prisoners identified themselves as Ray D. Pitts, 17; William E. Jones, 22, and Gail Uhrh, 18.

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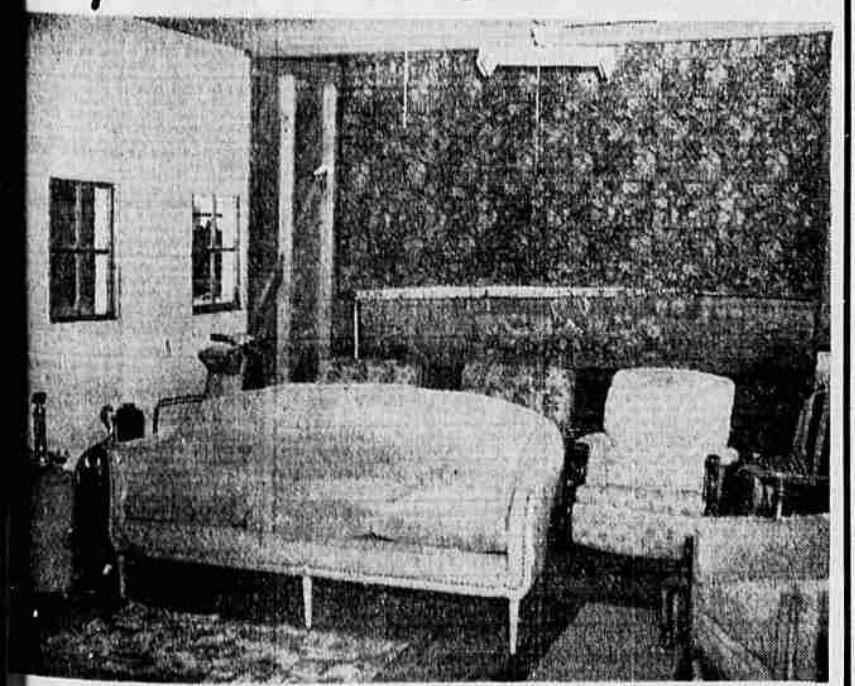
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