

MAROOINED TRAIN PASSENGERS SAFE

GRAFTON, W. Va., Dec. 14 (AP)—Two dozen persons, marooned on a stalled railroad train for 24 hours during West Virginia's worst blizzard, were safe at their fire-sides today, none the worse for their experience.

The Baltimore and Ohio passenger train was forced to stop by snow and trees on the tracks Tuesday morning, 45 miles out of Charleston. There it remained until a relief train arrived yesterday morning. It finally crawled into Grafton early last evening.

Conductor Charles W. Cogar reported that none of the passengers suffered during the delay. A shipment of wieners and bread was commandeered and 4-H girls from the village of Elkhurst pushed through drifts with hot coffee.

There was heat in the cars until within a few hours of the arrival of the relief train, Cogar said.

14 COMMUNICABLE DISEASES REPORTED

The Oregon Health bulletin revealed that Klamath county had 14 communicable disease cases reported for the first time during the week ending December 2 of this year. Of these, one was measles, nine were chicken pox and four were mumps. Adjoining Lake county reported one case of tuberculosis for the same period.

In October of 1944 a total of 25 people died in Klamath county. Causes and numbers of deaths from specific causes were as follows: One from diphtheria,

Leyte Casualties Speeded to Hospital Ship



Wounded on battle-scorched Leyte Island, two American fighting men are moved by comrades away from the front, lifted aboard hospital ship waiting offshore. This swift, careful handling of casualties saves countless American lives on the far-flung war fronts. Coast Guard photo.

one from tuberculosis, two from cancer and tumors, two from diabetes, one from apoplexy, five from heart disease, two from pneumonia, one from digestive diseases, one suicide, one from accident and eight from other known causes.

Lake county reported three deaths for the same month. One from cancer, one from heart disease and one from a motor accident.

If it's a "frozen" article you need, advertise for a used one in the classified.

PETERSON TO TALK AT FARMERS DINNER

E. L. Peterson, director of agriculture, state of Oregon, will be the principal speaker at the Kiwanis club's annual Farmers' banquet to be given tonight, Thursday, at 6:30 at the Willard hotel. Peterson is making an

official visit to Klamath county this week.

Fred Peterson, superintendent of Klamath county schools, will preside at the banquet at which time each member of Kiwanis is to bring a farmer friend. The committee is composed of Peterson, L. L. Lombard, J. W. Kerns, Bob Robbins and Dr. Calvin Hunt. There will be music and stunts.

A battleship has a life span of a quarter of a century, but it can die in two minutes, according to history.

HITCHCOCK SPEAKS AT LION MEETING

Phil Hitchcock was the chief speaker at the meeting of the Lion's club on Tuesday, December 12. Hitchcock spoke on the activities of the civil air patrol, both locally and nationally, and stressed the importance of amateur flyers in the present war program by spreading enthusiasm and information to young boys interested in flying.

Hitchcock mentioned a few of the many services rendered by the CAP, among them being courier service which is used all over the nation, liaison patrol, and the transportation of critical materials, particularly in industrial areas. This organization has also been extremely beneficial in helping to alleviate the U-boat menace along the coast.

Sixty-five high school students are putting two hours, twice a week, into the study of ground work, theory of flight, and aero dynamics, as a part of this program.

Ray Byrnes was chairman of the Lions' meeting, and guests for the day included Elbert Stiles and Ben Trippett. John Janssen was introduced as a new member.

Donation Brings Sheep Back to Owner

NEWBERG, Dec. 14 (AP)—Walter Schaad has his sheep back today, but it cost him a \$25 donation to the Red Cross.

A neighboring farmer, J. E. Wolters complained that Schaad's sheep kept trotting through weak fences. So Wolters rounded up a dozen head and told Schaad the price was a Red Cross donation.

Returning from a trip to Red Cross headquarters, Schaad set out to repair his fences.

Forty-four pounds of corn make four gallons of industrial alcohol which, when treated by new chemical methods, is transformed into the 11 1/2 pounds of synthetic rubber necessary for just one tire.

Flashes of Life

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 14 (AP)—Because servicemen have driven busses before, passengers in an interurban bus thought nothing of it when a soldier slid behind the wheel.

But after the vehicle dragged a rear wheel over a curb, barely missed a parked truck, and finally tangled up traffic at an intersection, they knew something was wrong. As traffic jammed, the young driver abandoned the machine hurriedly.

A passenger then drove the bus back to a worried civilian driver at the terminal.

FUGITIVES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 14 (AP)—Shore patrol and naval intelligence officers were beating the bushes between here and Norman for 16 bowling balls.

Having been repaired, the fugitives were being returned to the Norman naval air station when they rolled off the end of a pickup truck.

THEIVING RAT

MOORHEAD, Minn., Dec. 14 (AP)—Joe Fabian is on the prowl for the rat that stole about 100 gallons of gas from a drawer in his service station.

Fabian reported the theft to police but later he found the stamps, most of them intact, in a rat's nest in the bottom of a desk. The rat, however, hasn't been caught.

Officials Warn Against Forest Fires

PORTLAND, Dec. 14 (AP)—Forest officials warned today against an outbreak of forest fires in dry Oregon woods.

Although no blazes have been reported yet, officials said that the strong wind presented a menace, particularly in the Columbia river gorge and the Willamette valley.

The northern hemisphere contains 93 per cent of the world's population.

A sweater is an excellent insulator in still air, but very poor in a wind.

TOWER

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— SECOND HIT —
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See Him Knock Down Willard 7 Times in One Round

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RAINBOW STARTS TODAY

BOX OFFICE OPENS 6:45 P. M.

See A Dead Man WALK!
The **SOUL OF A MONSTER**
ROSE HOBART
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