

# City Briefs

## SURVEY DATA DEPOSITORY NEED SEEN

OLYMPIA, Feb. 7 (AP)—Need of a state depository for survey data was acknowledged generally, but the advisability of creating a separate commission for the purpose was questioned last night by Sen. Ted Schroeder (D-Pierce).

Schroeder, chairman of the senate resources, forestry and land committee, presided at a hearing on proposed legislation to create a five-member commission of surveys and maps, with a salaried executive officer, to recover long lost section corners and coordinate survey information in cooperation with counties and cities. The bill asks an appropriation of \$500,000 for the purpose.

Schroeder said the trend is away from additional commissions and bureaus.

Art Garton, director of the state department of conservation and development, commended the project but said how it should be set up as a legislative matter. He attended on invitation of Schroeder.

Prof. H. M. Chittenden of the University of Washington said that to place the projected survey program in the hands of any present elective official or code head would be to give him another work equal in importance to that for which he has been chosen.

## OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE



**MAXWELL IN HOSPITAL**  
PFC John M. Maxwell, who was wounded in action in Germany, returned to a military hospital at Brigham City, Utah, Wednesday, February 7, after a 30-day furlough. While here Maxwell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Maxwell, 3157 Lodi, and his wife and son, Jerry Wayne.

His brother, PFC Clarence Maxwell, was wounded December 19 in Belgium according to word received here recently. He was hit in the shoulder and chest, but is making normal recovery.

Friends may get in touch with him through the following address:  
PFC Clarence Maxwell 39335887  
165th General Hospital APO 562  
Postmaster, New York, N. Y.



**SORENSEN AIDS**  
Jack W. Sorensen, aviation radioman first class, of 1101 Mitchell, Klamath Falls, is one of the airmen who helped VPB-61, a navy search and patrol squadron, overcome weather and Japs during a recently completed nine months tour of duty in the stormy Aleutians.

The squadron made three single-plane flights over the Northern Kuriles, which are located just north of Japan proper. Other special missions included the rescue of the pilot of an Army P-40 who was forced down off Kiska Island in the Aleutians. He was located a short time before he would have succumbed to the intense cold. Two navy airmen ferried the army pilot in a rubber life raft through the rough water between the island and the rescue plane offshore.

## OFFICIALS LOOK INTO SHOOTING

Sheriff Lloyd L. Low and District Attorney Clarence A. Humble left at noon today for Bend and Shevlin, where they will investigate the shooting of Claude Powell, 27-year-old timber feller, who is under treatment at Lumbermen's hospital in Bend.

John Hayter, Powell's partner, is being held in the Klamath county jail on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon in connection with the shooting. Both men are employees of Shevlin-Hixon company and lived at the logging town of Shevlin in Klamath county. Disposition of Hayter's case is being withheld, pending the outcome of Powell's condition. Mrs. Vera Chase, dispatcher in the district attorney's office, accompanied Low and Humble to Bend.



The Battleship Oregon Commission may, as reported, be preparing to send General MacArthur the American flag that first flew over Manila, on Aug. 13, 1898, but they can't send all of it. That's because John W. Trimmer, Cleveland, O., Spanish War veteran, has the piece he proudly displays in photo above. Though he values it highly as a souvenir of his service in the Philippines, he is more than willing to give it to General MacArthur.

## EXTREME COLD, SNOW MOVING TO NORTHEAST

By The Associated Press  
Sub-zero cold and snow over the upper midwestern states today moved toward snowbound northeastern states where mild weather yesterday improved the fuel and transportation situation. Temperatures dropped to as low as 18 below zero at Bemidji, Minn., and sub-zero minimums were recorded also in Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota. Two or three inches of snow fell in central Wisconsin and northeastern Iowa and it was snowing in eastern Minnesota and northern Illinois. Chicago expected the deposit to total about two inches.

Forecasters predicted snow flurries along the eastern Great Lakes, moderate snow today in New York state and three to five inches in New England. The northeast generally expected a sharp drop in temperature tonight and tomorrow.

Freight movement at Buffalo, N. Y., came back to 75 per cent of normal. The New York state department of public works reported, however, that many secondary roads would remain snowbound until spring thaws because there was no equipment "strong enough to clear them."

Freezing weather extended down through the Carolinas. In the midwest there was rain south of Springfield, Ill. A rain area covered Washington and Oregon. Los Angeles reported a minimum of 47 while at Miami, Fla., the low was 81, but Tallahassee, Fla., reported 39.

**Mrs. Loreta Peter**—Mrs. Loreta Peter, 409 Michigan, received word Tuesday that her son, Mel Ramos, United States Air Corps, had arrived at his overseas destination, some 10,000 miles from home, from two years' service at various points in the Pacific during early days of the war, arriving in Klamath on March 1944. He returned to San Diego and from there to Cherry in the further training in the air corps. The letter received yesterday from her son and mailed February 2. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson spent Christmas with their two sons, in Fresno with their son, C. J. Peterson, and in El Centro, Calif. Friends may write to Mrs. Peter at 409 Michigan, Klamath Falls, or at 543 F.M.F., 341780, V.M.F. (M) 543, F.M.F., P.O. San Francisco.

**In Portland**—C. G. Woodhouse, radio speech instructor at Klamath Union high school, is in Portland to attend the annual meeting of the Oregon conference of the Association for Education by Radio, which was held at the Portland chamber of commerce on February 5. While in the northern city, Woodhouse will confer with radio instructors in the Portland school system, as well as inspect radio equipment there.

**At Pearl Harbor**—Carl E. Eller, Willis L. Griffith and Howard L. Davis, all of Klamath Falls, have arrived at Pearl Harbor navy yard to assume duties as civilian workers. The three have signed to remain at the naval base for 18 months to support the Pacific fleet. Eller, Griffith and Davis are residing in a civilian housing area operated by the navy for war workers.

## GRANGE MEETS

The quarterly meeting of the Klamath county Pomona grange will be held at Midland Saturday, February 10, at 10 a. m. Jack Marshall, Pomona master from Olney, will preside and Charles Smith, A.P. organizer for the state of Oregon, will be the principal speaker.

## RIVERSIDE PTA

Members of Riverside Parent-Teachers association will meet Tuesday, February 26, at 2:30 p. m., at which time a Founder's Day program will be presented. It was announced by Mrs. Lane Warren, president of PTA. All mothers are urged to attend. Tea will follow the program.

## IN HOSPITAL

Alice M. Waldron, 63, resident of the Ramona apartments, suffered a fractured hip and arm in a fall, February 5. She is a patient at Klamath Valley hospital and reported improving today. Miss Waldron resides with her sister, Elizabeth Waldron.

## RETURNS

Mrs. Lou Luckett, 224 East Main, has returned to her home after spending the past two weeks in Medford, where she was called by the sudden death of her father, John D. Williams. Williams was a former resident of this city.

## TO MEDFORD

George Peters, county 4-H club agent, was in Medford Monday and Tuesday attending a conference of district 4-H club leaders. Seven Klamath county 4-H club leaders accompanied him to Medford.

## TO MEET

The Bly home extension unit will meet Thursday, February 8, at the home of Mrs. F. H. Armstrong. The demonstration will be on "Making Slip Covers," conducted by Mrs. Winifred K. Gillen and assisted by Lois Lutz, extension specialist from Oregon State college.

## MEET THURSDAY

Officers of the Klamath County Dairy association will meet Thursday, tomorrow, at 9 a. m., in the county agent's office to consider current legislative matters affecting the dairy industry.

## CHASE'S OFFICE

Chase's Office, 203 — IOOF Building will "put you right" on your withholding receipts. May save something.

## SCHMITZ PROMOTED

**HEADQUARTERS, ARMY AIR FORCES IN BURMA**—Recently promoted from second to first lieutenant was Lawrence J. Schmitz, 21, son of William Schmitz, 317 Lincoln, Klamath Falls. The promotion was announced by Maj. Gen. Howard C. Davidson, commanding general, 10th air force.

Lt. Schmitz, who has been a pilot for the past six months with the 2nd troop carrier squadron of the 10th air force in the India Burma theater, was a former welder at the Winslow shipyards at Bainbridge Island, Wash. He is the holder of the first Oak Leaf cluster to the Air Medal and the Distinguished Flying Cross and is credited with 415 hours of flying time. The lieutenant, who attended Osmond, Neb., high school, has been in the service 22 months, and his wife, Mrs. Virginia Schmitz, resides in Lewiston, Ida.

## ADAMS ARRIVED

Pvt. Wm. M. Adams arrived in Klamath Falls Sunday night, February 4, to spend his first furlough of 14 days with his wife, Mrs. Doris Adams, and their two children, Sharon and Milton, who reside at their home at 1763 Derby.

Adams was inducted into the army at Ft. Lewis, Wash., in October, 1943, where he has been stationed the past three months. He is attached to the engineers training section.

He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kolb of Dairy and was employed by the Bill Raymond Logging company, north Hildebrand, before induction.

## PVT. TINGLEY LEAVES

Pvt. Ruby L. Tingley, daughter of Mrs. Ella Sutton, 2410 Oregon is a member of the Women's Army Corps and left recently from Fort Des Moines, Ia., for duty with the army at Mason General hospital at Brentwood, N. Y.

## CLINTON PROMOTED

**ADVANCED AIR SERVICE COMMAND BASE IN BURMA**—Clarence Clinton, full-blooded Klamath Indian and resident of Chillicothe, Ore., has been promoted from private first class to technician fifth grade, in orders published recently by Col. Marvin Sledge, commanding officer of the famous "Burma Peacocks" air service command group. The mechanic command has been in India Burma theater of operations for 18 months. He wears the Good Conduct medal, and the Asiatic Pacific theater ribbon with one bronze battle star, having participated in the campaign of air service command in support of the tactical air units "on the road to Mandalay."

## NASH FLIES

Lieutenant (jg) USNR, of 2 Mill, Klamath Falls, is one of the fliers who helped VPB-61, a navy search and patrol squadron, overcome weather and Japs during a recently completed nine months' tour of duty in the stormy Aleutians.

He flew in Consolidated Catalina (PBY) flying boats on search missions, convoy duty and inshore patrol. The squadron flew a total of 6150 hours, averaging more than 800 hours a month in weather often extremely hazardous for flying.

## HAMMOND PROMOTED

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hammond, Merrill, have received word that their son has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. S/Sgt. Hammond is a surgical technician in a station hospital in the

## MOVIE EQUIPMENT INSTALLED AT POST

With the installation of the best projection and sound equipment obtainable, the Marine Barracks theatre is ready to begin full-scale operation, and the showing of Bing Crosby's latest hit, "Here Come the Waves," formally opens the movie house Wednesday night.

Two shows nightly, at six and eight, will be run from now on and are free to marines and guests. Tsgt. Howard Case, theatre manager, who has been in Portland booking films, announces the following week's schedule:

Thursday, "For Whom the Bell Tolls"; Friday, "Ministry of Fear"; Saturday, "The Story of Dr. Wassell"; Sunday, "The Three Caballeros"; Monday, "Meet Me in St. Louis"; Tuesday, "Murder, My Sweet"; and Wednesday, "National Velvet."

The theatre has a seating capacity of 1020, with a large stage, dressing rooms and orchestra pit.

## PTA

The Fremont PTA will hold the annual Founder's Day at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, Thursday, February 8, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, in the school auditorium. An interesting program has been planned for the occasion and Rev. Howland of the First Church will talk on "Our Church." Mrs. Donald McKay, president of the League of Women Voters, will outline the Dumbarton Oaks conference. A registration meeting will follow the program, presided over by Henry Gerber, president. The meeting will be held for a minutes at the close of the program when a silver offering will be taken for the PTA extension work. Girl Scouts will be in charge of the refreshments while mothers attend the meeting. Mrs. Gerber announced.

## Fairhaven PTA

Members of Fairhaven PTA will celebrate Founder's Day at their meeting, Friday, February 3, at 3 p. m. Fifth grade students will present a short program, after which refreshments will be served by the committee. The executive committee meeting will be held at 1:30 p. m. immediately preceding the club meeting.

## Flight Officer

Junior Cummings, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cummings, 1934 Auburn, arrived here at noon Monday for a brief visit with his parents. He will leave this week for Foster field, Tex., where he was given his wings last Friday. This Cummings' first home in more than one and a half years.

## Gordon Lund

Gordon Lund, 313 1/2 son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Lund, 5674 Leland drive, is visiting his parents and ends on a leave from Jacksonville, Fla. He left here to return to his station Wednesday.

## Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Serruys

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Serruys, 1935 Manzanita, are to leave here Wednesday for southern California on a business trip. Their daughter, Mrs. Mary Ray, and their grandson, will accompany them.

## Robert F. son of Klamath Falls

Robert F. son of Klamath Falls and Hugh D. Nicholas and Hugh D. Nicholas of Lakeview, left Tuesday night for Portland to take a night qualifying exam for general service in the navy.

## Oregon State Nurses Association

The Oregon State Nurses Association, district number 8, will have its regular monthly meeting Thursday, February 8, at 8 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Iva Olson on 2211 Oregon avenue.

## Phil Lee

Phil Lee, who associated with Ballou and light auto supplies, was in Klamath and Fort Klamath today on business.

## B. G. Courtright

B. G. Courtright, superintendent of the Klamath Inn agency, spent Tuesday in Klamath Falls on government business.

## Thomas Odum

Thomas Odum, Klamath county pioneer who served a broken arm and leg struck by a truck, September 2, 1944, is gradually improving at Klamath Valley hospital where he has received treatment since that day.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who sent us letters to the funeral of Mr. W. L. Williams of Medford. Mrs. LUCIE MAE LUCKETT, WALTER WILLIAMS, DONALD WILLIAMS.

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## One always stands out



MAN O' WAR—During his two-year racing career, "Big Red" finished first in all but one of the twenty-one races he entered. Fame was his constant mate for many years after. Man O' War sired more than one million dollars for his owner, and lived to sire the famous horse, Secretariat. The world's greatest money-maker—Secretariat—was his grandson.

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## Native of Japan Becomes Citizen

PORTLAND, Feb. 7 (AP)—A man who said he had always considered himself an American although he was born in Japan was a full-fledged U. S. citizen today.

He is William Henry Thompson, son of an American sailor, who explained to Judge James A. Fee he had lost his birth records. The judge accepted his explanation.

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