

**WANTIONS TO
ARITY VOTED
T CLUB MEET**

CLUB MEET — The Merrill Ladies Club, meeting March 1 at the home of Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick, voted to contribute \$25 to the Red Cross drive for the month of March. To give \$5 to the March drive, to sponsor a cooked dinner for the last of March, and to give \$5 to the Red Cross drive for the month of March. Mrs. E. A. McCollum, Mrs. R. S. Wilkerson and Mrs. O. Wheeler, chairman of the sale, will be assisted by William Walker, Mrs. Max Grode, Mrs. A. J. King and Mrs. Everett Jones. Joe Bailey, first vice president of the club, presided at the meeting. The president, Mrs. Palmer, announced the committees for the year as follows: Chairman, Mrs. W. C. S. Mrs. C. E. Sharp, Mrs. Hartlerode, Mrs. Lester and Mrs. Albert Blakely. Mrs. Leonard Henry Cox, Mrs. Leonard Henry Cox, Mrs. John Degnan, Mrs. Warren Fruits, Mrs. Blatch, Mrs. Gene Hill, Edward Noel. No meetings were held in July and August. Member, Mrs. Clifford Mrs. J. W. Grove, Mrs. Castleman, Mrs. C. E. Jay, Mrs. Lewis S. Kandra, October, Mrs. West, Mrs. Gus Haag, Mrs. William Walker, Mrs. November, Mrs. J. Le-Pope, Mrs. Harold West, Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Moore. Mrs. Lewis Kandra was reported to be ill in San Francisco. Geraghty and Mrs. W. C. Jr. were greeted as new members. Mrs. Kilpatrick were Mrs. McCallum and Mrs. Kenwell. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Mrs. Joe Bailey, Mrs. Gus Haag, Mrs. Geraghty, Mrs. Bailey Jr., Mrs. Max Harwood, Mrs. William Walker, Mrs. J. King, Mrs. O. M. Casper, Mrs. W. C. Bailey Sr., Mrs. A. McCallum, Mrs. M. A. and the hostesses.

Japs Use Flame Throwers on Manila Family



(NEA Telephoto) This is the Estrandrate family of Manila, defenseless victims of savage Jap brutality. They are shown in San Lazaro hospital after Jap arson squads locked them in their home, set fire to it with flame throwers. Angel Estrandrate, the father (seated, right), broke his way out of the burning house and his wife, Isobel (left), and son, Jose (lying on bed), followed. Once outside, the Japs turned their flame throwers on them. Mother and father escaped with painful but not serious burns but Jose caught a blast in his face. U. S. Signal Corps photo.

**MEN AND
WOMEN IN
SERVICE**

TAKE EXAMS—Men who left for Portland to take the USNR qualifying examinations are Robert E. Rhinevault and Elmer C. Smith, both of Bonanza.

FLIES 20,000 MILES

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER STATION, England—A veteran of more than 30 high altitude combat missions with the eighth air force, 1st Lt. William Laahs, 22, B-17 Flying Fortress navigator from Klamath Falls, has flown more than 20,000 miles to reach the enemy and hit him with over 70 tons of high explosives.

Six times decorated, the flyer holds the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf clusters for "meritorious achievement." He has taken part in missions to oil refineries at Muegling and Marseburg, ordnance plants in Berlin and chemical plants at Ludwigshaven. "The attack on chemical plants at Ludwigshaven was comparatively rougher than the other missions," said Lt. Laahs. "One engine was out and the other three were hit. There was a big hole in the nose of the plane and over 50 elsewhere."

Before entering the army air forces in July, 1942, Lt. Laahs was employed by the Lamm Lumber company. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Laahs of 1109 Pine.

The airman is a member of the 490th bomber group, which is a unit of the third air division, the division cited by the president for its historic England-Africa shuttle bombing of Messerschmitt aircraft plants at Regensburg, Germany.

ANDERSON GRADUATED

S 2/c Eldredge Erb Anderson has graduated from the naval air technical training center at Norman, Okla., and will now be transferred to a naval unit afloat or to another shore station for further instruction and work.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Anderson of 4820 Summers lane.

Anderson, a member of Phi Beta Tau fraternity, attended KUHS and the University of Pacific prior to enlistment in the USNR June 1, 1942 in Portland. He entered NATTC October, 1944, and graduated February 17, 1945.

BRADSHAW HAILED

PFC James Bradshaw in Guadalcanal was hailed by a fellow soldier from Klamath basin who threw him a copy of the Herald and News.

Always happy to read the home state news Bradshaw was exceptionally pleased to see a picture of his brother Kenneth. The paper was dated 1-18-1945.

Bradshaw is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradshaw of Bonanza. They recently received a letter from their son telling of the incident.

F 1/c Kenneth D. "Speed" Bradshaw is at present stationed in Gulfport, Miss.

STOPS MISSION

WITH THE 24TH INFANTRY (VICTORY) DIVISION IN THE PHILIPPINES—The company of PFC Hector Nelson, of Modoc Point, stopped the Japanese suicidal sabotage mission cold.

In a crucial operation in the Philippines campaign the unit, company "G" of this victory division's fighting 34th infantry regiment, was sent deep behind enemy lines to block the route which offered the Japanese access to our flanks.

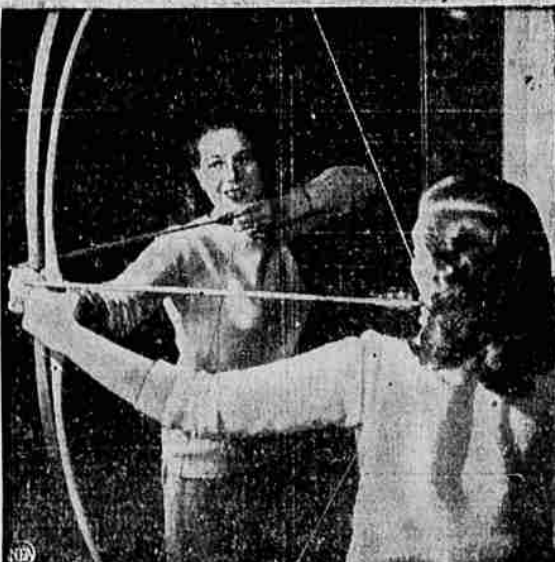
In 28 days of fighting in continuous rain, they defeated a con-

Cutting Figures



California cuties who will make a bid for the national figure skating championship in Madison Square Garden after competing for Pacific Coast title. Left to right: Gretchen Merrill, national senior ladies champion, Carolyn Welch, Barbara de Julio, Barbara Uhl, Marcella Ray, national dance champion and Helen Uhl.

Reflection on Archery



There's not a flaw in sight as Gloria Sanders, co-ed archery enthusiast of Northwestern University, studies form in mirror.

**Ruthless Punishment
Needed to Conquer
Spirit of Germany**

PORTLAND, March 5 (P)—After an absence of 10 years the name Beaver, linked with the colorful history of the Columbia river since 1835, will return once more.

The Shaver Transportation company will launch a 48-foot towboat to bear the name in honor of the company's sternwheeler which founded in the upper Columbia in 1935. The first Beaver was a sidewheeler brought from England to Fort Vancouver.

**Pea Cannery Slated
In Pendleton Area**

PENDLETON, March 5 (P)—Umatilla county's sixth pea cannery will be erected in the Pendleton area with Orville S. Ramsey as manager.

Charles Wood will succeed Ramsey as manager of the Smith Canning company. Ramsey, Cecil Curi, Barney Foster, Fay La Grow, and H. W. Collins will own the new plant.

California's first telephone exchange opened in 1877 in San Francisco.

Eileen Evans, Mrs. Effie Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Aubrey. The next meeting will be held at the home of Effie Johnson, Malin on March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graham received a wire this week advising them that their son, Lester, wounded in action in the European theater of war several months ago, arrived February 27 in the United States and was located at Charleston, S. C. He stated that he was feeling "fairly good." No details of his arrival were available.

BOUND FOR RECORD—NOTRE DAME—Vince Boryla netted 271 points in 18 games for an average of 15. With two games to go, Notre Dame's freshman center needed 23 points to crack Leo Klier's season scoring record for the Irish, 293 points made last season.

Members present were Mrs. Ethel Frye, Mrs. Effie Evans, Mrs. Emma Morelock, Mrs.

pendix. With Cox, Mrs. Cox visited her parents' home during the Christmas holidays. The Friendly club of Malin, honored Mrs. Ray Aubrey on a birthday anniversary at her home near Merrill on February 23. The honored guest was showered with a host of lovely gifts and a delicious potluck luncheon was served at noon. The linen-covered table was centered with a birthday cake and pussywillows and ivy decorated the living room. Mrs. Effie Evans, entertainment chairman, led the guests in a game, "Scrambles." High score went to Mrs. Effie Johnson and Mrs. Eileen Evans, low score going to Mrs. J. W. Reeder, and Mrs. Ray Aubrey. Mrs. Reeder a guest was welcomed into the club as a member. Members present were Mrs. Ethel Frye, Mrs. Effie Evans, Mrs. Emma Morelock, Mrs.

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gram to blow up our artillery, motor pools and supply dumps, which had been outlined in secret orders of Gen. Yamashita, found on a dead Jap officer.

The company patrolled the area continuously. Fifteen times the small units flashed suicide squads and dispersed them. More than 100 Nips were slain. The majority carried 20 pound packages of TNT in which hand grenades had been inserted. Not one of the enemy missions materialized.

The Nips attacked the company's base of operation on a ridge five times, trying to force it to withdraw, but all were beaten off, with 50 Japs killed. Three of the attacks were in pitch darkness. At times the Japs were within seven feet of the perimeter positions. Once they attacked with bayonets tied to sticks.

SMITH VISITS

S 1/c Lane Smith together with his wife who resides in Salem visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith of Kane, on a short leave. Smith, who is in the armed guard, has seen service in the Pacific. His wife planned to accompany him to San Francisco.

LT. HALEY IN ETO

Malin—Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Haley have received word that their eldest daughter, Lt. Iola Haley of the Wac, has arrived safely in the European theater of war. Prior to going overseas Lt. Haley was stationed with the 231st General hospital at Camp Ellis, Ill. She has been in service nearly two years.

A graduate of Oregon State, Lt. Haley went immediately to the Massachusetts General hospital for one year's work as a dietician, later spending some time at Kennedy General hospital in Memphis, Tenn. She visited her parents here during the holidays.

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Her brother, Pvt. Thomas W. Haley, is serving with an infantry replacement battalion in the Philippines, going to the islands by way of New Guinea. He left the states January 12. He is an only son.

EXPECTS TRANSFER

Mrs. Joe H. Foster has received word from her nephew, James E. Whitlatch, that he expects to be transferred from

north Fort Lewis, Wash., in the near future. Sgt. Whitlatch is in an engineer construction battalion. He is a former resident of Klamath county. He entered service from O'Brien and has lived most of his life in this state. Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitlatch, he attended school in Keno and entered the service from O'Brien.

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