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## Today's Roundup

By MALCOLM EPLEY

A COUPLE of weeks ago we carried a story about a Link river Indian named Moses leading Lindsay Applegate and party over the present-day Marine Barracks road on their way to set up Klamath Agency in 1866.

We said that this was possibly the first use of that route by white men. We had a hunch when we wrote those sentences that someone would come forward with the information that the route was used prior to 1866, and sure enough, that's what happened.

Because we're interested in local history, and think that's a wholesome and worthy interest for Klamath people, we are glad to have things like that occur. Our attention has been called by Mrs. Buena Stone, local historian, and Bob Sawyer, Bend Bulletin publisher and historian, to the fact that Lts. R. S. Williamson and Henry L. Abbot evidently went through the Old Fort road pass 10 years before the Applegate incident.

Representing the topographical engineers, Williamson and Abbot made an exploration in 1854-55 to ascertain the most practicable route for a railroad through this region. They left Sacramento, came north by way of the Pit River to Wright (Clear) lake and Rhett (Tule) lake and the natural bridge on Lost river. They went up the Klamath valley to the southern end of Upper Klamath lake, and here is the story of their journey north from there, as told in their official report:

August 18, (1855)—The ridges on the eastern side of the lake, which were composed of vesicular trap, appeared to run parallel to each other, in a northeast and southeast direction, and to terminate abruptly at the water's edge. A well-marked Indian trail followed along the shore; but members of the party who explored it reported it very rocky, and impassable for "the little cart," as the odometer wheels still continued to be termed. Lieut. Williamson had observed several Indian trails diverging to the right on his last day's march; and he therefore determined to follow a south-east course, hoping to discover some good pass by which he could cross the ridge, and thus avoid the rocks and bends of the shore. We thus reached a narrow valley, lying between two steep ranges of hills, and filled with open pine timber. There was a large Indian trail in it, which conducted us to the lake. A precipitous and rocky ridge rose abruptly from the water, leaving barely sufficient room to pass along the bank. After traveling a short distance, we reached a point where several springs gushed from the hillside, and disappeared among the thick bushes, surrounded by luxuriant grass. The water was clear and pure, and Lieut. Williamson at once encamped.

Now, we have not read Mr. Sawyer's editorial, which he has promised to send us, but Mrs. Stone and he are agreed that Abbot and Williamson went through the Old Fort road route. Certainly, the springs mentioned are Barclay Springs.

We were somewhat concerned about the mention of a "precipitous and rocky ridge" rising from the water, which had to be skirted before reaching Barclay springs. You don't have to follow any such narrow ledge between ridge and water now, and we thought for a time Abbot and Williamson may have gone north by the present road through Colman ranch to Shady Pine, which virtually parallels the Old Fort road. In that case, they would have skirted Algoma point, to reach Barclay springs.

### Merrill

Dean Herman, Caldwell, Ida., arrived last weekend to spend two or three weeks with his sister, Mrs. T. O. Wheeler. His sister, Patricia, has been here for several weeks. They will visit an aunt at Midland before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Laymen have as their guests this week their son, Ben Layman, and family, of Bakersfield. Laymen is employed as a buyer for Safeway and is en route to Idaho Falls for the fall and winter potato buying season. They are visiting also while here with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Baird. Mrs. Baird and Ben Laymen are sister and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Humble, Klamath Falls, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bailey. Their son, Tommy, remained with the Baileys during his parent's absence in San Francisco.

Mrs. Jessie Lytle and daughter, Albany, were recent guests in the home of Mrs. Lester Pierce. Mrs. Lytle is a sister of Mrs. W. S. Reynolds, Tulelake.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lacey have received the APO address of their only son, Pvt. Tom Lacey, indicating that he has left for overseas duty in the Pacific. He has been training five months with the infantry and spent two weeks on furlough here recently from Texas.

He is serving with a transportation unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Krejlik are spending several days on the coast.

First assistant engineer, U. S. army, Jess McKoen, 24, serving in the Aleutians for the last three months with an army transport unit, is here on furlough for seven days. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McKoen, Malin, and a brother of Mrs. John O'Neil and Mrs. Herbert Graybael, both of Merrill, whom he is also visiting. He is accompanied by his wife, a former Seattle girl. Prior to entering the service, he farmed with John O'Neal and later was employed by the Boeing Aircraft company, Seattle. He will report to Seattle for further service orders.

Mrs. O. Y. Reeves, cashier at the Merrill branch, First National bank of Portland, is on vacation.

### Tulelake

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clinton have as house guests this week, Mrs. Gus Tilch and daughter, Daria Jean, Los Angeles. Mrs. Clinton and Mrs. Tilch are sisters and the Tilch family is former Tulelake residents. Tilch is employed by the Douglas Aircraft company.

Sixteen Girl Scouts and six adults spent last weekend at Medicine lake. Mrs. Thelma Mitchell is scout leader. The adult group included Mr. and Mrs. F.

## The War Today

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst

ALLIED acceptance or rejection of the Japanese offer of surrender hinges on the question of whether we shall accept the enemy reservation that the emperor retain his sovereignty.

This reservation—or the making of any other condition—is of course a deviation from "unconditional" surrender. So far as concerns the mikado, the allies never have said that they would depose the emperor, and they never have said they wouldn't. His status is one of the important matters which had been left open for decision after surrender, and so acceptance of the Japanese condition would place us in position of deciding the matter forthwith.

This accounts for the time consumed by the allies in replying to Tokyo. Had the Japanese government offered unqualified acceptance of the Potsdam terms, the peace bells could have started ringing within the hour.



MacKENZIE

### Japs Licked

AS it is, the allied answer won't be long deferred. And whether it accepts or refuses to consider any condition whatsoever, we can be sure that the war is in its death throes. The Jap militarists have tossed the towel into the ring, and that means they are licked, reservations or no reservations.

Perhaps they would continue to struggle if they were told now that they must give up their emperor. Indeed, there seems to be an intimation of that in the declaration of the Japanese newspaper Asahi Shimbun that "The elder statesmen should first of all exert their utmost efforts, even at the cost of their lives, for the welfare and preservation of the polity of our country." If Asahi uses "polity" in the sense that we do, it refers to the permanent form of the Japanese government and religion. The emperor is head of both state and church.

### Press Warnings

HOWEVER, the Japanese press today is soberly, warning the public of "the extreme gravity of the current war situation" and is urging the people to maintain "calmness in any contingency." I think we may assume this means that the public—which likely hasn't been told of Tokyo's offer to surrender—is now being prepared for news of capitulation.

One suspects that Tokyo would bow forthwith to an allied reply that surrender must be made without any reservation regarding the emperor, but that his status would be considered later. However, even if our answer should be unfavorable to the mikado and the Japanese should try to continue the struggle, it is clear that the backbone of their resistance is broken and the war couldn't last long.

### Emperor Problem

THIS problem of the emperor is no light one. His people have for some twenty centuries regarded him as their living God. He is the principal deity of their national faith.

There are two schools of thought among allied statesmen. One says "hang the mikado" and the other feels that it would be unwise to take such action against the head of national religion. Certainly the situation presents a question which nobody thus far has been able to answer satisfactorily, and that is what the effect of thus dealing with the emperor would have (1) on the Japanese nation and (2) on other Oriental peoples. It isn't a matter to be decided in haste.

C. Bergman, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. M. Rogers and Lee Dixon.

Several improvements are being added to the Tulelake hotel owned by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Card.

A glass enclosed stucco porch is being built as an addition to the apartment occupied by the Hodges, a full-length cement porch is being added to the front of the building and interior improvements are being made in the upstairs apartment occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Card.

Miss Eleanor Hamilton arrived last Tuesday afternoon for a visit with the Earl Butler family and many friends in the community. Miss Hamilton will teach again at Willows this fall but in the high school instead of the grade school as formerly.

## SIDE GLANCES



"Let me tip you off, Charley—develop some allergy and you can get out of all kinds of ornery jobs around the house like I did!"

## Klamath's Yesterdays

From the files—40 years ago and 10 years ago.

From the Evening Herald Aug. 10, 1935  
Plans are underway for the Shrine circus to be held soon with George W. Hillis as general chairman and Floyd Patty in charge of ticket sales.

From the Klamath Republican  
The Klamath Fish company of Medford has filed an objection to diverting Lost river water for irrigation use. The company undertook to build a factory on Lost river to can suckers. It has never developed this project.

Many pleasure-seekers are going weekly to Odessa and Spring creek.

## Cemetery Fund Receipts Told

NEW PINE CREEK—Donations received this week for the cemetery fund were as follows: Mrs. Ida Lunsford, Stockton, Calif., \$10.00; Mrs. W. F. Strief, San Jose, Calif., \$10.00; Homer and Grace Myers, Lakeview, \$5.00; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lightie, Lakeview, \$5.00; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Myers, Ft. Bidwell, Calif., \$10.00; and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vernon, Tulelake, \$10.00. In the near future a complete list of all donors to date together with the total amount of money thus far subscribed to the cemetery improvement fund will be published, according to Fred Fisher, treasurer of the cemetery improvement fund committee, who is now working on a complete list of donors and a financial statement.

## Brig. Gen. Rilea Sent To Fort McClellan

PORTLAND, Aug. 11 (AP)—Brig. Gen. Thomas E. Rilea, on leave as adjutant general of Oregon, will leave today for Fort McClellan, Ala., where he has been assigned to active duty.

General Rilea, who went overseas with Oregon National Guard units in 1942, has been a patient at Barnes General hospital, Vancouver, Wash., since his return from Australia in March.



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## BOYS ENJOY LIFE AT LAKE O' WOODS

Of 26 boys at 4-H camp, Lake o' the Woods, who could not swim at the beginning of the week, all but a few learned during the first few days. One boy got into the water at 11 in the morning, a non-swimmer, and was swimming all around and even diving by noon. Cpl. Robert Henderson of the Marine Barracks is camp swimming instructor and lifeguard.

Cecil Sumpter, Lakeview, is president of the 4-H boys' camp. Extension Forester Dan Robinson, of Oregon State college, is in charge of fire building instruction and cross-cut log sawing and conducted an exciting contest between the boys in these subjects one evening.

William Perry, state 4-H club leader, is holding classes in livestock and vegetable crop judging. Lloyd Seely, of the health center, took over first aid work at camp when Lt. Marilyn Bryan returned to Klamath Falls on Wednesday. Seely also giving instruction in leather craft, teaching the boys to make tool-leather cases, wallets, belts and other articles.

Camp cooks this week are Mrs. Charles Thurman, Mrs. Otto Clawson and Mrs. W. S. Metter, all of Klamath Falls.

The week's program will wind up with a water carnival Saturday morning, and boys will be delivered to the Klamath Falls post office building between 4 and 5 p. m. Saturday, August 11.

## EDITORIALS ON NEWS

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his bill he finds 10 per cent added to it for "grain tax." After which, just on a moral principle, he'll be tighter than the bark on a tree.

DESSERT here is called a "sweet." There are all kinds of sweets, but the tart gets this writer's money. A tart is an open-faced pie, served in square rather than conical pieces. And on the shallow side. A thicker one is apt to be called a pudding. They explain that PIE has a top on it.

The British war diet is adequate, and the figures show that health has improved during the war because of better dietetic balance, but there is no more sugar than the law allows, and you soon find that your sweet is relished, even though you may not have been fond of desserts in the States. Candy is scarce, and what little there is is strictly rationed.

Britain, incidentally, produces all her own sugar, from beets, which is quite an achievement, saving a lot of shipping.

FRUIT is extremely scarce, and unbelievably high in price. Little shiny, hard peaches that wouldn't even be dignified by being called culis in Oregon or California sell on the fruit carts and in the occasional fruit stores for three shillings sixpence—which is about 70 cents EACH. Little wormy apples about the size of crabapples are selling for 73 pence, which is in the rough neighborhood of 13 cents, per pound.

Plums are England's most plentiful fruit, and are now in the market. They sell at 44 pence per pound. Plums are raw material for jam, than which there is no more standard article of English diet. They are being served stewed as a sweet, and are good.

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## Entertained

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Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Scott of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Gunderson and children of Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hriclisse and sons, Jimmy Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Partridge, all of Langell valley.

Home — William Elwood Lewis, RM 3/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lewis, 4815 S. 6th, is home on a 30-day leave from England. This is his second leave in three years of service. He will report to Bremerton, Wash. Lewis is a graduate of KUHS class of 1942.

From Camp — Mrs. Buelah Holland returned Friday from Lake o' the Woods 4-H camp where she instructed classes in making winter lapel corsages and Christmas wreaths. Boys were returned from camp this afternoon.

Meeting — There will be a meeting of the chamber of commerce aviation committee and the city airport commission Monday at 10 a. m. to go over the rough draft of the airline bill.

Visitors — Mrs. Guy Harmon and daughter, Charlene, spent two days visiting with friends in Klamath Falls this week. Charlene was entertained by some of the younger girls.

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## City Briefs

Monday Meeting — Catholic Daughters of America will hold a short business meeting in the parish hall Monday, August 13, at 8 p. m. A very interesting program has been planned including a talk by Mrs. Ruth Glasgow, of the local USO, and the program will be followed by refreshments.

On Coke Show — Madeline and Mary Mahoney, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mahoney, this city, will appear again over the Coca-Cola Spotlight Bands radio program on Monday night at 6:30 over KPJI. Ted Fio Rito's band is to be featured that night from a navy station at Banana River, Fla.

Hospitalized — PFC James L. Sexton, 24, husband of Virginia Sexton, 1814 Johnson, has been transferred from a hospital in England to the Ft. Lewis army hospital as the result of wounds received in action. His wife, the former Virginia Morris, is on her way to Ft. Lewis to visit him.

Returns — PFC Fay Morris, 30, son of Mrs. Lillian Morris, 1814 Johnson, is on his way home from the European theater of war where he served with Gen. George S. Patton's 14th armored division. He has been overseas since October of 1944.

Receives Discharge — Don Nogle, former Klamath Falls resident, has received an honorable discharge from the marine corps and is now employed by the local telephone company. He is living with his wife in Malin.

Business Man Here — W. H. Buell of Lakeview is in Klamath Falls on business, staying at the Wi-ne-ma hotel.

Californians Visit Lake — and Mrs. Gus Luellwitz of Globe Lumber company, Angeles, are spending a few days at their Odell lake camp. Guests from southern California at the lake are Mr. and John Blair, Mr. and Mrs. J. man Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beale and Ross Ho

From Spokane — Mrs. J. Downing of Spokane, Wash. has arrived in Klamath Falls called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Dora B. (Hed) Mrs. Downing is a guest at home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred er, 1017 High.

Visit Here — Mr. and Jack Lewis of Point Richmond, Calif., have been visiting G Larsen, manager of the Will hotel, for a few days. Lewis a former chef at the Willard

Useful Trip — Mrs. H. Obenchain, of Bly, was in today for business, shopping and visiting.

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