

NAVY DISCLOSES SUICIDE ATTACK ON BIRMINGHAM

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—The light cruiser Birmingham took her third major battle damage of the war when she was hit at Okinawa last May 4 by a Japanese suicide fighter-bomber.

The navy, disclosing this today, said the crash took its heaviest toll in the sick bay and officers' quarters. Casualties totaled 45 killed, six missing and 83 wounded. Both the ship's medical officers were killed, together with 19 of the 24 hospital corpsmen.

In action from the beginning of the Okinawa invasion, the Birmingham fought off three direct suicide plane attacks. But after more than 30 days of almost continuous action, the cruiser was hit by a Kamikaze which under heavy fire was unable to swerve from its vertical course.

The plane crashed, along with its 500 pound bomb, just aft of the No. 2 turret. The bomb penetrated three decks and exploded on the fourth level.

Gasoline, spilled by the plane's fuel tanks, ignited and spread. The fire, however, was under control in a matter of minutes.

The Birmingham was repaired at Pearl Harbor in time to return to action before the Japanese surrendered.

PROF. LAWRENCE TO VOICE CLASSES HERE

Professor Charles W. Lawrence, voice teacher, composer and author, will be in Klamath Falls to conduct master classes in voice from October 16 to October 24. Professor Lawrence is head of the voice department at the University of Washington and conductor of the a cappella choir and men's glee club. During the war, he was director of a navy glee club composed of naval ROTC students.

Reservations Made—Reservations for work with Lawrence have already been received from voice teachers in Sacramento, Marshfield and Medford. Lawrence will offer private study and class voice work and has requested that the class work be stressed and that people who have had but little training in voice be enrolled in the classes. A limited number of students will be enrolled in each class.

Students of Lawrence are to be found in professional positions throughout the entire United States, some on the concert stage, radio and various other positions. His career of voice teaching dates back to 1928 when he came to Oregon from Overlin as head of the music department at Pacific university.

Published Works—Among the better known of his published compositions are a set of Chinese poems set to music, the music-drama "Atsumori," and a set of Hindu poems set to music, all of which reflect his research in oriental music made in the Far East before the war.

He is author of "Wood Architecture in Song," and other contributions to vocal literature. Mrs. John A. O'Connor is making the arrangements for Lawrence to visit Klamath Falls.

Group To Oppose Columbia River Plan

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 29 (AP)—Opposition to establishment of a Columbia River valley authority was expressed yesterday by the Pacific Northwest Development association after a conference here.

Association President J. C. Compton of McMinnville, Ore., said the group is made up of representatives from reclamation, flood control and navigation interests in the Pacific northwest.

MEAT BALANCE—CHICAGO, Aug. 29 (AP)—For the first time in 1945 meat production in federally inspected plants last week equaled that of the corresponding week last year, the meat board reported yesterday.

Increased slaughter of meat animals brought the estimated meat output of the week ended August 28 to 289 million pounds, the report stated. This was 81 million pounds over the preceding week.

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MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

CAPTAIN RETURNS

Marine Captain John W. Mace, husband of Mrs. Victoria B. Mace, San Diego Calif. has



been returned to the U. S. Naval Receiving hospital in San Francisco, Calif., for treatment of a stomach ailment.

A veteran of 23 years service in the marine corps, Captain Mace served as assistant maintenance officer at the marine corps base, San Diego, and as post maintenance officer at Marine Barracks, Klamath Falls, before his overseas assignment.

SLATED FOR TEXAS

PFC Harold L. Robertson, son of Mrs. C. S. Robertson and the late Mr. Robinson, has been home on a 30-day furlough and left Tuesday night for Fort Lewis. From there he will report to Texarcana, Tex., for more training.

Harold served with the 3277th Ordnance Base depot while overseas.

JOINS FORCES WITH THE FIRST AIRBORNE ARMY OCCUPYING BERLIN

—Entering Berlin with elements of Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks' first airborne army, now occupying force in Berlin, company B, 208th engineer combat battalion, has joined the airborne forces in the new assignment as headquarters, Berlin district.

OAK LEAF CLUSTER

WITH SIXTH INFANTRY DIVISION ON LUZON—Gordon R. Andrews, son of Mrs. Dovie Andrews, Klamath Falls, has been awarded a Bronze Oak Leaf cluster in lieu of a second Purple Heart for wounds received in action at Bayanbayan, Luzon, March 3.

Andrews is now fully recovered from his wounds and has returned to duty with his organization, the 20th infantry regiment of the sixth infantry division.

At the time hostilities ceased, the Red Star division was engaged in mopping up remnants of Japanese resistance in the Cordillera mountains of northern Luzon.

ON USS IOWA

ABOARD THE USS IOWA OFF HONSHU (Delayed)—Lawrence Keith Senecal, 18, S2/c, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Senecal, 2030 Fargo, Klamath Falls, Ore., fought aboard this 45,000-ton battleship when she and other 3rd fleet battleships, cruisers and destroyers staged a daring midnight bombardment of industrial targets on this main Japanese island, just 70 miles from Tokyo.

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People don't like to talk about Pin-Worm infection. Sometimes they are too embarrassed to mention the tormenting rectal itching. And in many cases they have not known of any effective way to deal with this pest that lives inside the human body. Today, thanks to a special, medically recognized drug (gentian violet), a highly effective treatment has been made possible. This drug is the vital ingredient in P.W., the Pin-Worm tablets developed in the laboratories of Dr. D. Jayne & Son. The small, easy-to-take P.W. tablets act in a special way to remove Pin-Worms. So if you suspect Pin-Worms in your child or yourself, ask your druggist for a package of JAYNE'S P.W. right away, and follow the directions. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. It's easy to remember: P-W for Pin-Worms!

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60 MACHINISTS QUIT AS NISEI STARTS WORK

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29

(AP)—Sixty machinists at the Municipal Railway bus barn quit work yesterday when Takeo Miyama, 37, Japanese-American, reported for work after passing civil service examinations.

Miyama, with the backing of Mayor Roger Lapham and the civil service commission, reported Monday, but left when he was taken aside and advised there would be a "sitdown strike" if he stayed.

Charles McGuire, shop foreman, reported the men continued to work for a short time after Miyama, former resident of the Tulelake relocation center, showed up yesterday morning. A short time later the workers quit and gathered in front of the barn. No violence was reported and police were on hand to keep order.

Miyama talked on Monday to Mayor Lapham, who later went to the shops and told the machinists he would back Miyama's right to work and asked them to stay on the job. The machinists are members of AFL Automotive Machinists' local 1305.

MALIN CAMP WILL HOUSE 700 WORKERS

Up to 700 harvesters will be accommodated in the new permanent farm labor camp which will open in Malin this coming weekend. The camp, set up by Klamath county potato growers, has been under construction for the past two months, and has all the facilities for housing transient white farm labor.

This camp is one of several permanent camps in Oregon, sponsored by growers associations, and the agriculture extension service of Oregon State college. Last year a temporary camp was set up at Merrill to accommodate harvesters. Peak of the potato harvest is expected by mid-September in Klamath basin, C. A. Henderson, county agent stated.

Flashes of Life

FASTER THAN SOUND

TWIN FALLS, Ida., Aug. 29 (AP)—Authorities at Twin Falls City hospital called for blood donors to aid Martin Jensen, 74, critically ill. The appeal was telephoned to police headquarters, the sheriff's office and fire department.

Hospital authorities also called radio station KTFI and asked that an appeal be broadcast. The broadcast went out, but the appeal already had been answered—by Charles S. Crabtree, the station's program director.

AND THINK OF THE NOISE

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 29 (AP)—A department store received an order for "only a half pound" of "this here atomic stuff" to use for killing the bugs on a farmer's spud crop. They referred the order to the Salt Lake Tribune where the statistics department estimated that U-235 in concentrations up to 10 per cent may be available some day at about \$12,000 for a half-pound.

WANTED

PASADENA, Calif., Aug. 29 (AP)—A monkey hunt was on here today. The animal eluded Police Officer Jack Molden in a chase over hedges and fences, after a woman telephoned that the monkey was in an intersection—directing traffic.

DIPLOMATIC COPS

CENTRALIA, Ill., Aug. 29 (AP)—A police squad responded to a call from a person who reported a group of boys were engaged in a free-for-all fight. The officers made a report back to the station: "It was not police business inasmuch as the Southtown commandos were fighting the Japs."

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HOUSING TO CREATE JOBS IN NORTHWEST

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)

Architects and home builders predicted today a backlog of orders for home plans and construction would keep thousands of men busy in the northwest for several years.

Francis Jacobberger, president of Oregon Architects Institute, said the government could aid the progress if draftsmen were released by the army.

Edwin Sandberg, Portland Home Builders association president, said materials would probably begin flowing into market on a full scale by January. He predicted greater suburban developments than ever before, particularly when war veterans return and build with government loans.

INTEREST RATE CUT

SALEM, Aug. 29 (AP)—The state land board will reduce its interest rates on loans of more than \$2500 from 5 to 4 per cent, effective next Saturday, the board said today. The board said the action was taken to make the rates conform with rates which prevail generally.

Houston Crew News Told By Portland Businessman

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)

A business man who has compiled file cabinets full of data about the cruiser USS Houston and its men since the warship sank said today he expects a navy list of survivors will check with his unofficial record.

Fred G. Hodge started collecting information about Cruiser Houston and its men by writing relatives of crewmen in the hope of learning the fate of his brother.

A fourth issue of "exchange of information for Houston relatives" included names of 232 crewmen held prisoners of war. His brother is listed as "missing in action," along with some 400 others whose wives, husbands and brothers receive his exchange letters.

Hodge said he had difficulty at first because FBI agents and naval authorities suspected his motive. Most of the data came direct from relatives, foreign

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broadsheets and navy statements about the ship that went down "gallantly fighting" in the Southwest Pacific February 28, 1942. Hodge lists 18 men from Washington and Oregon cities.

RFC SALE

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)—About 150 five doors and 200 tons of chrome manganese steel rounds were placed on sale today by the reconstruction finance corporation's office here.

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Pacific Service On Priority List

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)

A steamship line official said today passenger service in the Pacific will be limited to priority travelers for many months until the bulk of supplies needed for occupation of the Orient moves.

Richard Kingsbury, Portland manager of Matson Navigation company, said his office had received numerous queries. He reported many merchant fleets operated by the war shipping administration had been sunk in military operations and must be replaced.

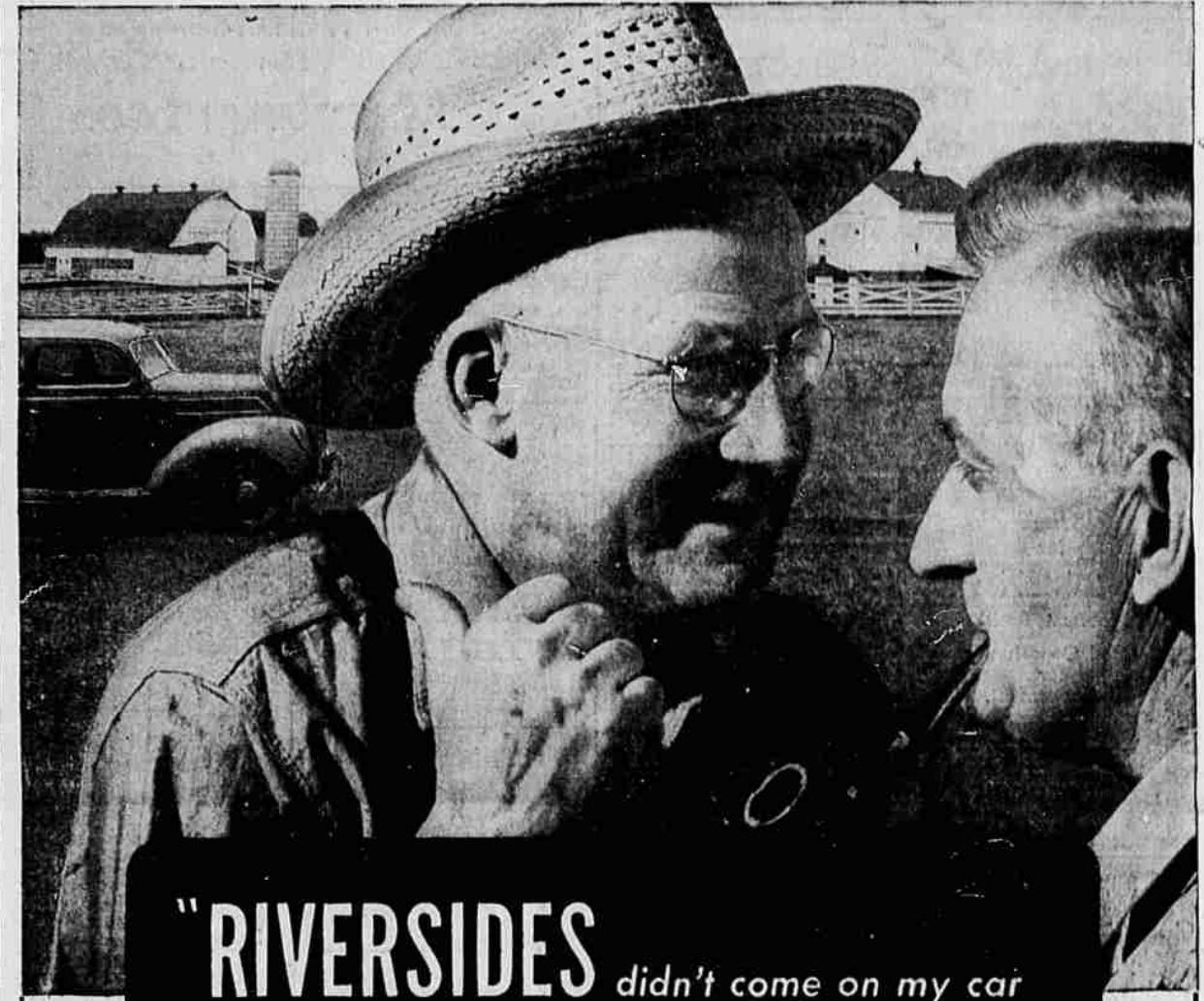
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5.25/5.50-18	11.65	2.65
5.25/5.50-17	12.80	2.75
6.00-16	13.95	2.95
6.25/6.50-16	16.95	3.55
7.00/15	18.75	3.45
7.00-16	19.20	3.65

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