

FATHER FLIES TO MEXICO FOR MISSING GIRL

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28 (AP)—L. G. Chrysler, midwestern college official, flew toward Mexico City today to meet his missing daughter who "thoughtlessly" abandoned her clothing on a Golden Gate swimming beach and vanished September 18.

"I believe she did it thoughtlessly and realizes now how the rest of us feel about it," said the mother of Jeanette Chrysler Curley, 20-year-old wife of Ens. Robert G. Curley.

Curley, aboard the battleship Missouri when Japan surrendered, still is in the Pacific. Mrs. Chrysler added that her daughter was in a highly nervous state because of the separation from her husband.

Fond Of Mexico
The Chrysleys came west from Iowa, where he is vice president of Grinnell college, on word that the girl was missing. They found she had cashed a large bank draft and taken additional, better clothing from her room. Her father, recalling that she was fond of Mexico City because of vacations spent there, queried Mexican hotels.

The manager of a Mazatlan, Mex., hotel replied that a girl of her description had left for the interior. Soon came a telegram from Mexico City signed by Jeanette herself, the father said.

"Sorry I had to do it this way. Just had to get away for a while and be by myself. Don't worry. You'll hear from me soon."

Before her disappearance, she had been at the home of Ensign Curley's parents here, awaiting her husband's return.

Around Oregon

By The Associated Press
Saturday is the deadline for Oregon farmers to obtain federal all-risk crop insurance on 1946 winter wheat seeded this fall. The Oregon Coast association will meet in Gearhart, October 21-23. . . Realty Associates of Oregon have sold the four-story Healy building in Portland to Simon Gevurtz, furniture dealer, for about \$100,000. Sixteen PC subcharters to be laid up at Tongue Point after decommissioning in Astoria will stop in Portland first for repairs. . . Reconstruction of Portland's Hawthorne bridge is expected to be completed by October 15.

CANNERY SLACK
FOREST GROVE, Sept. 28 (AP)—Cannery operations in this area slackened today, as the prune harvest came toward the close. All three canning plants have dropped night shifts. The filbert harvest will begin some time next week. Orchardists reported a spotty crop.

COVER CROP GOAL
CORVALLIS, Sept. 28 (AP)—Oregon's goal for winter cover crop seeds will be the same as the past season on all crops except hairy vetch, which will increase to 55,000 acres.

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GETS DISCHARGE

S/Sgt. Paul E. Reed of Merrill has been honorably discharged from the armed forces after 31 months of service with the army air forces.

As an armorer-gunner and an enlisted bombardier, Reed flew 29 missions in a B-17. He served 11 months in the European theater of operations and, during that time, was awarded the Air Medal with four clusters, the ETO ribbon with five battle stars and the Good Conduct medal.

His mother is Mrs. Agnes Reed of Merrill.

WINS BRONZE STAR

Captain Ralph P. Taylor of Klamath Falls, now at McCaw General hospital in Walla Walla, Wash., has been awarded the Bronze Star medal at a recent ceremony at the hospital on September 14.

Capt. Taylor was awarded the medal for heroic achievement in action on May 3, 1944, near Padiglione, Italy. He has been in the army for five years and served with the 45th infantry division.

ARRIVES

1st Lt. Gordon L. Wirth, 314 E. Main, who served four months in the European theater of operations as a pilot has arrived at the San Antonio district, AAF personnel distribution command. He is the husband of Ruth L. Wirth of this city.

BEGINS BASIC

CAMP WOLTERS, Tex.—Rhue Hurley Stevenson, son of Mrs. Esther Orso of Klamath Falls, has arrived at this infantry replacement center to begin his basic training as an infantryman.

INACTIVE STATUS

Capt. Richard L. Currin, son of Mrs. Lottie Currin of this city, who has served in the AAF for the past three years, will revert to inactive status on December 14, 1945. It was announced at Fort Lewis, Wash. Capt. Currin plans to return to Klamath Falls to resume his practice of medicine.

WINS SOLDIER'S MEDAL

Pvt. Bernard Morache, 458 Hillside, has been awarded the Soldier's medal according to word from the adjutant general's office, decorations and awards branch.

The following citation was also presented: "For heroism on August 23, and 25. When a fire broke out on a ship loaded with gasoline and ammunition, Pvt. Morache voluntarily boarded the ship, disregarding the warnings of men on the dock as to the nature of the ship's cargo. With the help of three other men, he played water on the fire with hoses until burns about the face and hands required treatment at a local hospital, after which he returned and continued to fight the fire until it was extinguished. By his courage and devotion to duty, Pvt. Morache assisted in saving a ship and its valuable cargo at the risk of his own life."

Shortage Of Nurses To Continue

GEARHART, Sept. 28 (AP)—The war's end will not mean quick relief for the shortage of nurses and high prices for hospital care, the Oregon association of hospitals declared here.

Members said these problems would last several years. Superintendents commended the government for providing veterans with medical care, but said ex-servicemen would best be served if they could get care in their own communities.

SOME HAUL!

HONG KONG, Sept. 28 (AP)—In the litter of shattered crockery, dishes and brassy bottles that bedecked the wardroom of the Australian minesweeper Strahan after the ship hit a mine, a seaman found a set of false teeth.

He asked several shipmates if they owned the teeth, then discovered they were his own, lost in the confusion of the blast.

Four of the crew were injured in the explosion of what was believed to have been an American air-sown magnetic mine.

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John Stevenson of Los Angeles weeps with joy as his son, Cpl. John Stevenson Jr., arrives at Hamilton field, near San Francisco, one of 80 symbolic prisoners of war freed from Jap camps. Photo by Jack Rice, Associated press photographer.

1st Cavalry Avenged Lt. Gen. Wainwright

In a final all-out blitz that carried it 114 miles in 60 hours, the First Cavalry division earned the honor of being the first to reach the city of Manila in the climactic battle for liberation of the Philippines.



By being the first to reach Manila, the First avenged Lt. Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright, courageous defender of Corregidor and Bataan, and a former brigade commander of the division.

The first order for the "Hell for Leather" men when they reached Manila was to smash forward, at any cost, and relieve the 4000 civilian internees in Santo Tomas university. In a spectacular dash through the barricaded, burning city, with enemy fire pouring from every building, the First overwhelmed the Jap garrison at the university and liberated the near-starved prisoners.

The First, elements of which date back to the Indian and Civil wars, had its first crack at the Japs early in 1944, when its doughboys landed on Los Negros island. Despite fierce opposition, they swept inland and secured

the key Momote airstrip within half an hour.

The "Hell for Leathers" next went into combat in the bloody battle for Leyte. For 42 days of the monsoon season the men endured what Gen. Walter Krueger described "as the most brutal terrain and conditions American soldiers have ever been asked to stand."

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MARINES TO BE 'MINUTE MEN' POSTWAR NAVY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (AP)—Plans for use of United States marines as "minute men" in the international organization to maintain peace were disclosed today by Gen. A. A. Vandegrift.

Testifying in support of a post-war marine force of 100,000 enlisted and 9200 officer personnel, the marine commandant told the house naval committee: "In the event that present efforts towards international organization to prevent war are successful, the scope of the fleet marine force will be expanded. It is a force of 'minute men,' and it will be held in readiness to be moved instantly with the fleet to any part of the world to strike hard and promptly to forestall at its beginning any attempt to disrupt the peace of the world."

"The basic navy post-war plan provides for two fleets, Atlantic and Pacific. In support of this

plan, the fleet marine force will be composed of two reduced strength divisions, one brigade and necessary supporting troops and aviation elements."

Planned Developments
Planned deployment of major elements of the fleet marine force, Vandegrift said, is for one division on the east coast, and one brigade in the Central or Western Pacific.

The total planned post-war strength of the fleet marine force is 59,289 officers and enlisted men, including 44,190 in the ground forces and 15,099 in the air force.

Marines, he disclosed, will furnish the entire aviation complement of eight escort carriers, although the carriers themselves will be manned by navy crews.

Attorney General Decides Issue

SALEM, Sept. 28 (AP)—Mutual Savings banks cannot make contributions to the community chest or other worthy causes, Attorney General George Neuner ruled today for A. A. Rogers, state superintendent of banks.

Rogers said these savings banks cannot make such contributions because the law does not provide for it. He said national banks can do so because congress in 1940 passed a law authorizing them to do so.

CITY POLICE MAKE 3 TRAFFIC ARRESTS

Three traffic arrests were made by city police Thursday. Robert W. Kangas, 5400 Independence, was cited to appear in court for violation of the basic rule and having no muffler.

William T. Elliott, 640 Riverside, was cited to appear for running a red light and Katherine K. Brower, 314 Washington, posted \$5 bail for violation of the basic rule.

William Eberhart of Klamath Falls was arrested Thursday on a warrant for allowing chickens to become a public nuisance. He posted \$15 bail.

Five drunks and three disorderly conduct cases appeared in police court Friday. One additional drunk and one drunk and disorderly case bailed out and 12 parking tickets were paid.

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