

# City Briefs

**Skiers Return**—Ben Burgess, Jim Howard and Herb Barry returned Saturday from a skiing trip which put 2000 miles on their car and took over two weeks' time. They went first to Sun Valley, Idaho, and from there they went to Mount Rose, Nev., where they spent the remainder of the time skiing. They reported fine skiing conditions and sunshine. They spent Sunday relaxing from their trip with the Sun Mountain Ski club on the club's Sun Mountain run.

**Re-enlists**—PFC. Jack Leroy Bowers, 22, son of George Bowers of Anchorage, Alaska, has re-enlisted in the U. S. army for three years. He has chosen the chemical warfare branch in the United States. Bowers who gave his address as 3231 Hilliard, has already served three years and 10 months most of which time was spent in the South Pacific. He is a graduate of KUHS and a carpenter by trade.

**Thursday**—Grange agricultural committee members will meet Thursday in the county agent's office to discuss farming and to outline the program for 1948. All members of the Pomona grange agricultural committee, members of all subordinate granges and masters of Pomona and all subordinate committees will be included in this meeting.

**Spud Growers**—There will be a meeting of the board of directors of Klamath Potato Growers association in the county agent's office Wednesday. The meeting will start at 10 a. m. and last all day. Association business will be closed for 1948 and preparations for 1949 business will be made.

**From Bay City**—Dr. C. B. Morrison, formerly of Klamath Falls and now residing at Bay City on the northern Oregon coast, is visiting his son, James Morrison of 328 Lincoln, en route home from a stay in Hayward, Calif. He expects to spend several days here.

**Back In Office**—Major John M. Clayton Jr. has returned to the U. S. army recruiting office, Klamath Falls post office building, after spending one month at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., attending officers recruiting school.

**Emergency**—John Robinson, 42, route 3 box 232F, underwent emergency surgery at Hillside hospital Saturday night. His condition was reported fair this morning. Robinson is a Weyerhaeuser employe.

**Moved**—Bill Jordan, Coos Indian who was severely beaten at Chiloquin a week ago, was moved from Hillside hospital Monday morning to Cushman government hospital at Tacoma, Wash. He was laid improved.

**Fire Alarm**—The city fire department answered an alarm at 5:12 p. m. Sunday from the H. Buetrask residence, 801 Delta, where a flue fire was burning. There was no damage, firemen said.

**With Parents**—Mrs. Charles Marrs of Dallas, Texas, is making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilkenson, 1435 Oregon.

**Medical Care**—Mrs. Robert L. Lowe, 317 Pine, is receiving medical attention at Klamath Valley hospital.

**Aid to Meet**—Klamath Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the church at Cross and Crescent. There will be vocal solos by Patricia O'Leary, accompanied by Geraldine McGinnis. Mrs. Inger Schultz will speak on "Christian Leadership in Public Life." Hostesses will be Mrs. Victor Bark and Mrs. A. O. Davig.

**Meeting**—Members of the American Legion will meet tonight, Tuesday, at 6:30 o'clock for a regular session and potluck supper. The affair will be held at the Legion hall, 4th and Klamath and each member is asked to bring a prospective member with him.

**Official Trip**—Cpl. Art Bragg and S/Sgt. James Younger are on a three-day trip covering Lakeview, Valley Falls, Silver Lake, Lapine and Chemult on business for the Klamath Falls U. S. recruiting station, Post-office building.

**Visiting**—Phillip Brown of Blue Lake, near Eureka, Calif., is visiting here with his brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Roenicke of Portland street. Brown expects to return to the coast Wednesday.

**In South**—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bradbury left last week for South Pasadena where they are visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. Spence. They are expected home this weekend.

**To Speak**—Kelly Farris, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henry of 336 Martin, is to enter the California state after-dinner speakers contest at Yreka Friday, February 22, representing Tulelake high school.

**Return**—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dunn have just returned to their home in the Winema hotel after a month's vacation and business trip to Richardson Springs and San Francisco.

**In Portland**—Mrs. Sheldon Brumbaugh and son Alex, and Mrs. Dale Altier and young son John, are spending several days in Portland.

**Visiting**—Mr. and Mrs. William Hicking of Coquille are visiting in Klamath Falls, stopping at the Winema hotel.

**Hearing Aid Man**—Ira J. Doyle, Sonotone representative from Portland and Medford, arrived in Klamath Falls Monday and is staying at the Winema.

**Convalescing**—Melvin Erwin, 1347 Wilford, postal carrier who had surgery at Hillside hospital is doing nicely now.

**To Dunsmuir**—Mrs. Timothy Murphy left Monday morning for her home in Dunsmuir after spending the weekend visiting here.

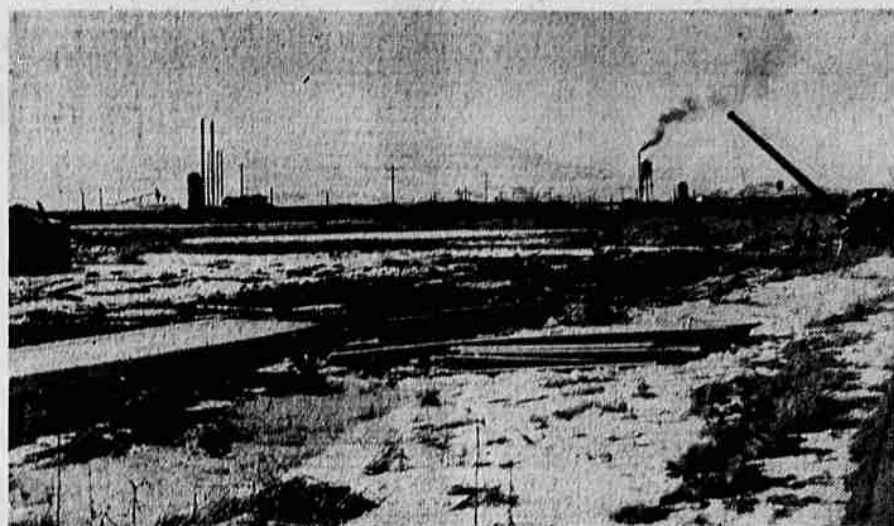
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## It's Been A Long, Long Time!



The first stage of construction on the long-discussed navy sewage disposal plant got underway at Shasta way and Owens last week. The plant will accommodate the federal housing units as well as part of the city in that area.

## Work Starts On Government Sewage Disposal Plant In Klamath Falls Area

After more than a year of negotiating, work on the government sewage disposal plant on Shasta way and Owens began last week.

If materials are readily available, the work will be completed in four to six months, according to C. A. Dunn, contractor. E. A. Thomas, city engineer, explained that since the order for steel materials was placed before the steel strike brought production to a standstill, there is a chance that the order has been completed and will be delivered on schedule.

Originally, the need for the plant came about because of the six government housing units constructed in Klamath Falls. The government requested permission to hook up to the city sewage disposal system, but because that system was already overtaxed, the request was refused.

The government housing agency recommended that the city make an application to the federal housing authority for means of constructing the plant which would serve the six housing projects and the section of the city in that area. The city agrees to pay 10 per cent of the total cost if the application is accepted.

The detailed plans, made by the city, were submitted to the

federal housing authority, but by the time the plans were approved, the war had ended and, according to the agreement, the government funds would be furnished through the Lanham act, which was canceled at the war's end. The cancellation of funds left the city without government help to undertake the job.

For some time nothing was done until the navy intervened, because housing was badly needed by military personnel.

The navy drafted plans and agreed to appropriate funds to build the sewer plant. The total cost of the project will be approximately 10 per cent over the amount allotted to it by the navy, and the city will make up the balance very much like the

conditions in the original plan. Upon completion of the sewage disposal plant, the city will handle operation of it.

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## Hawthorne Daniel To Speak At Knife And Fork Meeting

The next speaker at the Knife and Fork club on Monday, February 23, will be Hawthorne Daniel, noted American author who has just returned from the Pacific. The meeting will be held at the Willard hotel.

During his trip Daniel was fortunate in being able to interview scores of generals and admirals and, according to him, "with enough lesser lights thrown in to fill a New York telephone directory."

He was in Hawaii, the Marshalls, the Marianas, the Carolines, the Philippines, the Moluccas, Australia, China, the Cocoa Islands, Ceylon, Calcutta, Egypt and European spots on his way back to the United States, while he was gathering material for a new book which has been published a short while.

Among others that he talked with were Admiral Nimitz, General MacArthur, Lord Louis Mountbatten, Generals Richardson, Styers, Krueger, Wheeler, Wedemeyer and Marshall, and he also visited with a number of his old friends in the service—all admirals who were classmates of his at the naval academy.

Daniel, who has been a long-time favorite in associated clubs is no mere "just back" speaker but a keen analyst who has some-

### To Speak Here



Hawthorne Daniel, author, who will speak at the Knife and Fork club dinner February 23.

thing important to say and says it in an excellent manner.

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**Return**—Dr. and Mrs. James H. Hilton, 435 Hillside, returned Tuesday morning from a trip which took Dr. Hilton to Chicago while she visited with relatives in Minneapolis, Minn. They reported extremely cold weather in the Dakotas where it went down as low as 23 degrees below zero. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hicks, who accompanied the Hiltons east, are expected home Wednesday. They returned the southern route and stopped briefly in Los Angeles.

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