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AND BONITA GRANVILLE in **TOMORROW**

Cash Help Accepted For Ship

Contributions of money which will go to fill the Christmas Ship sailing out of Portland for Europe shortly after New Year's Day, were coming in slowly but with the approach of Christmas it was hoped that more money to buy food would reach the mayor's office here.

No more clothing can be accepted as it must be shipped to Seattle today, Fred E. Fleet, chairman, and Earl Kent, Jaycee coordinator, reported this morning.

Some money from the churches following Sunday's services, were expected late this afternoon and a number of firms and organizations said they were contributing toward the fund which will be sent out of Klamath Falls.

Those wishing to contribute money were advised that donations would buy the following:

- 25 cents, 2 cans of milk
- \$1, 8 cans of milk
- \$6, 1 case of milk or 48 cans
- \$10, 1 can of canned meats
- \$1, 1 case of canned meats or 24 cans

Each can will make generous portions of meat for four people. Each case of such meat will provide meat for a family of five for one month.

- 20 cents, 1 can of baked beans
- \$5, 1 case of baked beans
- \$6, 1 case of dehydrated potatoes which will make 400 servings of mashed potatoes
- \$1, 66 portions of mashed potatoes

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THE CHRISTMAS SHIP

"From Your Heart—Do Your Part"

I wish to help load the Christmas ship.
Here is my donation. Name _____
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Send cash donations or leave at Mayor's Office, the City Hall, Klamath Falls, Oregon. (Any amount you wish to give, from pennies to dollars, is welcomed by the Christmas Ship committee.)

FRED E. FLEET, Christmas Ship Chairman.
EARL KENT, Coordinator, Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Make checks payable: Christmas Ship Fund.

Oregon's Ex-Service Men And Women In Vet Hospitals Will Have Happy Christmas

Santa Claus will visit every Oregon ex-serviceman and woman who is a patient in a veterans administration hospital over the Yule holiday, managers of the Portland, Barnes and Roseburg institutions have assured local VA representatives.

Gifts, stage shows, carol-singing, religious services, holiday dinners and movies will fill Christmas Day and much of the week for 1500 or more patients at the three hospitals. More than a score of service groups, lodges and clubs have pooled finances and effort, with the VA coordinating preparations to assure every patient his share of the festivities.

Four gifts will be the average for each patient from the volunteer groups. The American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars are leading the way by each giving at least

one present per person. Other groups have joined to give one or two more. At Portland and Barnes hospitals, William B. Kline of Portland Meadows has furnished a pen for every patient.

Both Catholic and Protestant services are slated for Christmas Day and the previous Sunday, with special music. The world premiere of a first-line Hollywood film will be shown and stage shows will feature community talent.

Biggest holiday schedule is at Roseburg hospital, where events extend for 15 consecutive days, starting December 20. Dr. George M. Melvin, manager, reported that two Christmas parties are planned for Christmas Eve. The Roseburg Presbyterian choir will present a cantata this Sunday, December 21, at the 10 a. m. religious service.

Holiday dances for the patients will be sponsored by the Jackson County Red Cross on December 22 and by Elks lodge No. 326 on December 29. The final USO camp show will appear twice on December 27. Elks night will close the season Saturday after New Year's.

At the Portland veterans hospital, Dr. Paul I. Carier, manager, stated that carols are being sung in the wards by community groups on seven successive evenings. Religious services will include a program this Sunday, December 21, by the 70-voice cappella choir of Jefferson high school, and Catholic midnight mass Christmas Eve, at which the Maryhurst college choir will sing.

The Christmas Eve party will feature "remote" broadcast of KCW's "Music Solace," then distribution of gifts and refreshments. Movies are billed Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, with a preceding concert by Monty Brooks' band on Christmas Day. VFW police post and auxiliary will handle the New Year's Eve party.

At Barnes hospital in Vancouver, caroling groups are invited to sing Christmas Eve. Santa Claus will arrive at 9:30 Christmas morning to distribute gifts from trees in each ward. A stage show, arranged by the Red Cross will start at 1 o'clock. A similar program is lined up for veteran patients at Northern Permanente hospital, also in Vancouver.

WHY WE SAY "YULE"

By Lloyd J. Stawson

There is nothing certain about the origin of "Yule." It appears to have always been used to mean Christmas, although one scholar found that yule or jule was once applied to both mid-winter and mid-summer in reference to the solstices. The "yule log" for the fire is a custom originating in Scotland.

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Party Ends In Double Death

LAUREL, Miss., Dec. 22 (AP) — A wedding anniversary party which started as a quiet family affair at a roadside night club ended early Saturday with gun blazing and two persons dead and four wounded.

One of the dead was Mrs. Ernest Bishop, in whose honor the party was given. Her husband was critically wounded. Dead also was Mrs. Bishop's 30-year-old brother, George McNair.

Sheriff Luther Hill said he was still trying to piece together the details. Hill said McNair's body was found in the night club kitchen. He still gripped a pistol in his hand. The sheriff said two other pistols were found.

Receiving minor wounds were Tommy McNair, 25, Mary Jo McNair, 20, and an unidentified negro cook who worked at the night club. Tommy and Mary Jo were brother and sister to the dead man and woman.

"We aren't certain who shot first or how it started," Hill said. "There are three conflicting stories in this respect. No charges have been filed."

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