

Red Cross Campaign

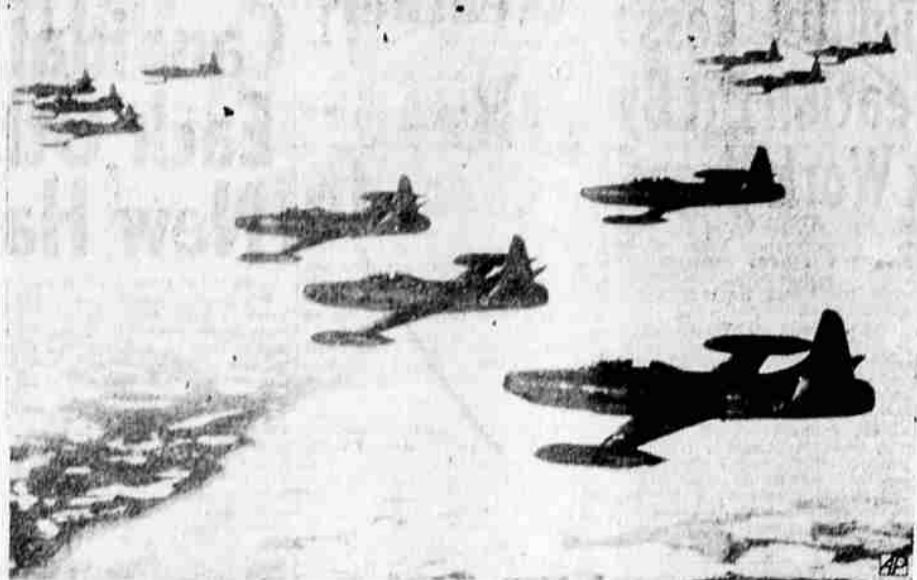
As members of the Board of Directors, we wholeheartedly endorse the administration and activities of the local Red Cross program and urge your generous contribution to the fund campaign now in progress.

We are convinced of the value of the Red Cross blood program. In addition to supplying blood to the men at the fighting front and for disaster cases, more than forty-five pints of blood are returned to Klamath Falls monthly, to be used for patients of our local hospitals and doctors. There is no charge to the patient for this blood. The hospital makes a transfusion charge of \$5.00 to \$10.00 per pint; the blood, if received from a paid donor, would cost \$25.00 per pint in addition to this transfusion fee. Thus, through the Red Cross blood program, over \$1,000.00 per month in monetary value is returned to our community. However, we believe the greatest value of this program is the immediate availability of a blood supply safeguarding our community. It is the responsibility of our local medical profession and hospital authorities to requisition from the Portland Regional Blood Center a sufficient amount to meet local needs.

We have examined the budget requirements of the local Chapter for the coming year; the cost of the Blood Program, coupled with general increase in operating costs due to inflation, and also the increased demand for local Red Cross service resulting from the war in Korea, makes it imperative that the goal of \$25,000.00 be reached or exceeded if possible in our present fund campaign.

If any reader has doubts in his mind as to the need of contributing more generously this year, or the merits of the Red Cross activities in our community, any one of the following will be happy to answer or obtain satisfactory answers to his questions.

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NEW JET PATROLS ALASKA — A formation of Lockheed F-94's, new jet fighter-interceptor, fly over ice-choked Cook Inlet near Anchorage, Alaska, on a training flight. These "all weather" planes, capable of hunting down an enemy plane in darkness or storm with airborne radar, are now operating from Alaskan and Japanese bases.

Legion Post Holds Meeting

One of the meetings of Winema American Legion Post this year, took place at Veterans Memorial Hall Wednesday evening.

Commander LaYonne Roemer announced two new women veteran members. They are Lupe Soto and Barbara DeBoll.

Plans are being made to welcome and entertain visiting women's American Legion posts during convention days here in Klamath Falls next July.

Dorothy all the new adjutant, succeeding Irene Young, announced there will be an Easter egg hunt on Palm Sunday, for the children of the members of the Post at her home at 434 Conger Ave., weather permitting. Members who do not have children of their own may "borrow" some from some one else so they may join in the hunt.

Helen McCall drew the "Silver March" prize. Refreshments were served by Sarah Allen and Martha Hurd.

Next meeting will be March 19 and will be a social affair, celebrating St. Patrick's Day. All women veterans are cordially invited. Contact Commander Roemer by telephoning 2-1817 for further information.

Judge Finally Gets Real Story

NEWARK, N. J. (AP) — For some time now, Mrs. Anna Herkaler of Hackensack, has been receiving \$11.50 weekly support from her estranged husband.

The award was made by Domestic Relations Court on her charges that her husband, John, had been cruel to her during an argument and she was forced to leave home for the 25th and last time after 11 years of marriage.

The Appellate Division of Supreme Court changed things Thursday. It threw out Mrs. Herkaler's cruelty charge saying the argument started when she served her husband soup—made from his pet pigeons.

Coast Guard Men Visit

Two Coast Guard representatives paid an official visit here today to announce the present enlistment standards of the United States Coast Guard. The recruiters, Ed Swenson, Chief Quartermaster, and Dick Daoust, Seaman who are working out of their Portland office, are visiting all the principal cities of Oregon for the purpose of promoting more interest in their branch of the armed forces.

Basically, the qualifications for enlistment in the U.S. Coast Guard are as follows: Men without previous service must be between the ages of 17 and 25, and may have on dependent (wife). Enlistments in certain petty officer ratings are now being offered to qualified servicemen having not more than three dependents.

All applicants must pass a rigid physical and mental examination, and be of high moral character.

Upon acceptance, applicants are enlisted for a period of four (4) years and transferred to Alameda, California for basic training.

Daoust and Swenson disclosed that men who are interested in enlistment in the Coast Guard may receive further information by contacting the nearest recruiting station, located at 514 S.W. Salmon Street, Portland, Oregon. Telephone BRoadway 5827.

Marines In Korea Fight Off Chinese

By MILO FARNETI

SEOUL, Korea (AP) — U.S. Marines beat off five pre-dawn attacks on the rugged eastern front in Korea Friday.

None of the attacks was in force. But they were the largest reported along the 150-mile front.

The Reds began probing positions of the U.S. First Marine Division about 2 a.m. The skirmishes continued intermittently until 6:45 when the Communists pulled back to the safety of their bunkers. The longest fight lasted about 20 minutes.

Stormy skies put the damper on aerial activity Friday after highly successful raids on Red supply facilities Thursday.

25th Air Force planes flew only 200 sorties and cut Communist rail lines in 12 places Friday, compared with 750 sorties Thursday.

Land and sea based war planes cut Red rail lines Thursday at a blistering 354 points. They also destroyed or damaged eight locomotives and more than 70 freight cars.

Scores of supply vehicles, 11 bridges, gun emplacements and supply or troop shelters, and other Communist supply facilities were destroyed.

Planes of the Fifth Air Force tore up North Korean rail lines in 194 places and put four Red locomotives out of action in addition to wrecking 30 boxcars and other supply vehicles.

Attack bombers from the Carriers Valley Forge and Anticum cut Red rail lines in 160 places, destroyed one locomotive, damaged two others and trapped another in a tunnel by demolishing the entrance.

They also took a heavy toll of freight cars, trucks, buildings and other Communist supply facilities.

The Eighth Army identified three U.N. Divisions now in the battle line. The Third and British Commonwealth Divisions are on the western front, facing the Chinese. The Marines are on the mountainous eastern front. The announcement made no mention of the 40th and 45th National Guard Divisions, which recently were shifted into the front lines from Japan. It did not say whether any other divisions are in action.

Bennett Tosses Gauntlet --- Again

PORTLAND (AP) — Jake Bennett, the storm center on the Portland City Council, issued a statement Thursday that was designed to tell what he would do under various possible election developments.

He will resign as commissioner even though the present recall against him fails, if the voters don't like him well enough to nominate him for mayor.

But if they do nominate him for mayor, it will have to be by majority vote if at the same time they recall him from the commission.

Just a plurality nomination for mayor wouldn't be enough, he said, along with a no-confidence vote in the recall. Of course if the recall fails, a plurality for mayor will be enough.

Bennett, a prohibitionist and anti-gambling crusader, has been in the news repeatedly. A year ago he engaged in fistfights during a legislative hearing on liquor control.

Entertainers On Plane Arrested

PORTLAND (AP) — Two youths, who entertained passengers on a Hawaii to Portland bound airplane, were arrested Thursday when the craft landed.

The pair, Kenneth Niskromoni, 18, and Andrew Bumalay, 20, played Hawaiian music on a ukulele for members of an Oregon Journal tour party during the flight.

They were wanted in Honolulu on auto theft and bail jumping charges, Sheriff's Deputy George Minnelly, who arrested them, said.

Jap Loot To Be Split Up

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has ordered a nine-nation split of 3 1/2 million dollars realized from the recapture of loot seized by Japanese forces during World War II.

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End Sought To Bus Strike

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Federal Conciliator Omar Hawkins says he still is seeking an approach to warrant reopening of sessions between Pacific Greyhound Bus officials and representatives of 3,500 striking employees.

He met with each separately Thursday but reported no progress.

The strike has halted Greyhound buses in seven Western states since Sunday.

A spokesman for the AFL Motor Coach Employees Union said about half of the strikers have obtained temporary employment.

Chief strike issue is the union demand for a five-day, 40-hour week. They also asked wage increase of 15 to 20 per cent.

The company has offered a 4.6 per cent increase and a cost-of-living escalator clause.

Coats Stolen From Hotel

Rogue River Chieftains lost a basketball game to Bonanza last night and two loyal Chieftains reported another loss to City Police.

James Cobble of Gold Hill and Ronald Burk from Rogue River reported two coats stolen from their hotel room while they were witnessing the game at Henley gym.

Cobble reported a three-quarter length gabardine coat missing from his room and Burk a dark maroon jacket stolen.

KILLED

PORTLAND (AP) — Orlan Nicholas Elstead, 63, of Portland, was killed Thursday in a head-on collision on the Columbia River Highway near Corbett.

A passenger in the other car, Mrs. Nellie Hoffman, 67, Home Valley, Wash., suffered critical injuries. Her husband, Arthur Hoffman, 51, driver of the car, suffered lesser hurts.

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Third District Man Will File

PORTLAND (AP) — Alfred Corbett, 37-year-old attorney for the Defense Electric Power Administration, will be filed Friday as Democratic candidate for Congress from the third district of Oregon.

The announcement of his candidacy was made Thursday by Howard Morgan, state Democratic chairman, and Corbett's brother-in-law, Corbett is in Washington, D. C.

Corbett is the son of Henry L. Corbett, a Portland financier and a Republican of long standing.

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