

MUNITIONS DUMP EXPLODES. Fire mushroomed into the sky, exploding flares touching off the scene with bright colors as a series of explosions destroyed the largest U. S. Army munitions dump (above) in Korea, located at Haeunde. Supply officers said the big blasts took place in a section for salvaged ammunition, not usable at the front.

Air Power Buildup Asked By Senate Subcommittee

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Preparedness Subcommittee called Tuesday for a faster buildup of U. S. air power and cited testimony by the joint chiefs of staff to support its stand. The subcommittee, headed by Sen. Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex.), said everything must be done to step up rates of production in order to reach a goal of 143 wings as quickly as possible and overcome a "terrifying" Russian air superiority. "To do otherwise would render our defenses below safe levels and be an invitation to disaster," the subcommittee said in a report dealing with the recent "stretch-out" decision by President Truman and his advisors. The report said the subcommittee established that the joint chiefs of staff, headed by Gen. Omar N. Bradley, recommended a 143-wing air force, consisting of 126 combat wings and 17 supporting wings, not later than the end of 1954, with mid-1954 preferable. The report contained this testimony by Bradley: "In general, the effect of the stretch-out on security will be to postpone until 1956 the full realization of the United States military capabilities originally planned for achievement in 1954."

"Thus, the stretch-out program will seriously reduce the anticipated military capabilities of the United States and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to withstand successfully any all-out attack on the part of Russia prior to 1956."

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Firm Starts 3 Projects

LAKEVIEW — Work has been started by Brosterhouse Construction Company of Klamath Falls, on three local projects, the new intermediate school, the new industrial arts wing and the addition to the Youth Center which will be used by the Lakeview schools for kindergarten. It was announced by H. B. Ferrin, city superintendent of schools.

That firm was awarded the Youth Center job by the Lake County Youth Foundation trustees May 29 on a low bid of \$15,240 among three bids submitted. Money for this project is put up by the J. T. McDonald-Trauman Collins Trust Fund which originally built the Youth Center. The school district will lease it on the basis of certain interior maintenance.

This work includes adding two rooms to the south, joining the present two rooms by sliding doors. The work is to be completed by September 1.

Foundations are to be poured this week on the industrial arts wing, which attaches to the present agricultural building. Work was started Monday on the intermediate school site just west of south school.

Ferrin said that Brosterhouse plans to hire local men for the skilled and unskilled work on all of these buildings.

Bids on the \$270,000 bond issue, which was approved by the voters to pay for the intermediate school construction, were to be opened by the school board at 1 p. m. Monday, June 16.

Bids on remodeling and enlargement of the home-making and academic departments at the high school were called this week. To be opened by the board on Thursday, June 26. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the architect, Howard R. Perrin, 1121 Main Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

GORDON MALLORY, son of Harold M. Mallory, 509 of Klamath Falls, and Mrs. Minnie Mallory, Ashland, was graduated recently from Northwestern University in Chicago. Young Mallory received the Master's Degree in Music. He was the only Klamath Falls student in the large graduating class. Gordon completed two years study at Southern Oregon College in Ashland, two years at Willamette University in Salem, and two at Northwestern. Mrs. Mallory went to Chicago for the graduation and will return to the West Coast with her son about July 1. They plan a tour of Canada and the Black Hills of the Dakotas.

Lakeview Girl Heads CAP

LAKEVIEW — Cadet Lieutenant Christine Langlois of the Lakeview Civil Air Patrol Unit has been selected to represent the entire Oregon CAP Wing at the first all-girls CAP national encampment at Lackland Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas, it was announced by L. Douglas Fetsch, public information officer of the local unit.

The encampment will include only 48 girls, one chosen from each state, and will be under direction of the WAF. The camp will last for two weeks.

Miss Langlois is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langlois. At the CAP encampment at Portland last year, Miss Langlois was honored by being awarded the cup as the outstanding girl cadet at the camp.

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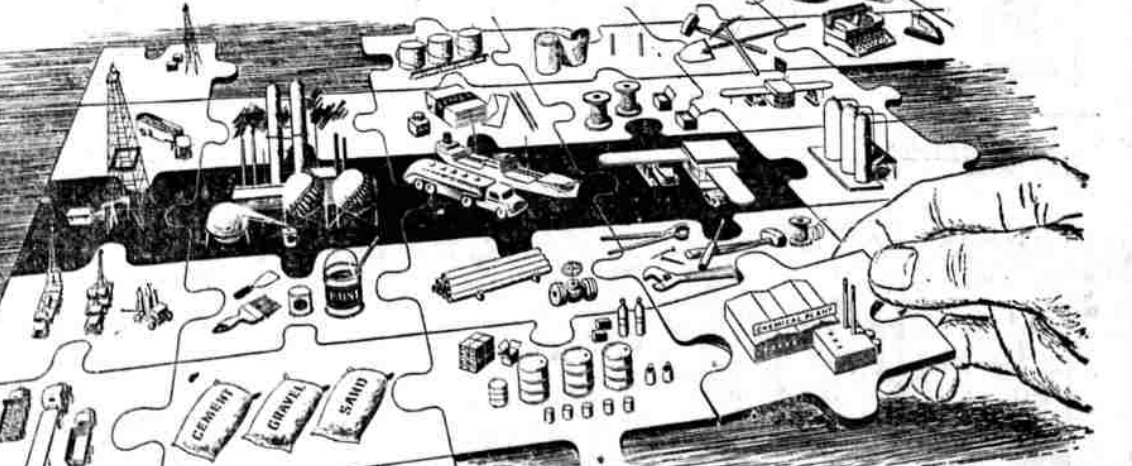
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