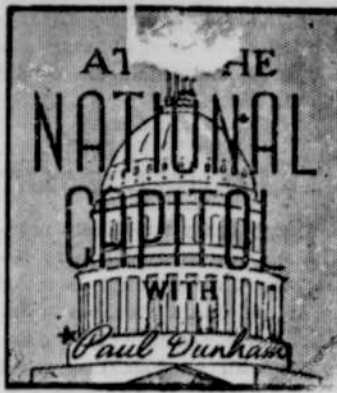




Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—With more than ten million men in the armed forces, with more than half a million casualties to date and army discharges running at the rate of 25,000 a month, the lack of adequate hospital facilities is regarded with deep concern by members of congress, who realize that something must be done about it. In the Pacific northwest the veterans hospital at Portland is the only one providing general medical and surgical care for discharged soldiers. Also, the hospital at Walla Walla is the only veterans administration facility for the hospitalization of discharged men suffering from tuberculosis. There are two hospitals for neuropsychiatric patients and these are taxed to the utmost. Other temporary hospital facilities are provided for casualties previous to their discharge from the army, but after his release the patient is on his own regardless of whether he has fully recovered from physical or mental injury sustained while in the service. He then becomes the responsibility of the veterans administration and must await his turn for hospitalization.

In all the United States there are but 26,636 beds for general medical and surgical cases in veterans hospitals, 6,493 beds for tubercular patients, and 41,126 for neuropsychiatric cases. According to war department figures, 1,167,000 soldiers in this war have already been discharged as disability cases and therefore entitled under the law to hospitalization in facilities provided by the veterans administration. Fortunately

for them, the vast majority of these discharged men do not require hospitalization at this time; many of them have completely recovered from illness or wounds and others are being cared for in their homes.

The imperative need for additional hospital facilities is recognized by congress as well as by the veterans administration and efforts are being made to work out a suitable program for construction. One amazing feature of the situation reported on the floor of the house is the statement by an American Legion official that he was told by a veterans administration officer that the medical profession opposes the expansion of facilities for the care of veterans and that a "lobby will see to it that this potential future business will not be taken away from civilian doctors." However, even if this statement is true it is not believed such opposition will prevent the carrying out of the expansion program.

Some support is rallying to the proposal by Representative Lea of California for a constitutional amendment extending the terms of members of congress to four years instead of two, with half the members from any state elected each two years. Argument in favor of the plan advanced by Mr. Lea is that members must be active candidates, including the primary and general election, for various periods ranging in length from two to ten months, and that this detracts from their ability to render efficient service to the country. The original purpose of fixing a two-year term was to keep the lower house of congress more directly in touch with public sentiment and this, Mr. Lea asserts, would be accomplished by his plan for alternative terms of four years while at the same time affording the member a greater sense of security. However, it is not believed prospects are bright for submission of the proposed amendment at this time.

Evidence is at hand in the national capital that some thought is being given plans to limit American competition with Great Britain in world trade after the war for a sufficient length of time to enable the British to get back on their feet.

This is a bald statement which does not present the true picture or proposed complicated arrangements for a form of government supervision of export trade which may become necessary in the interest of world stabilization. So far the subject has not passed beyond the discussion stage and nothing may come of it. As a matter of fact, British manufacturers are already far ahead of their American competitors in preparing for resumption of world commerce. Their sales agents are in the near east and in France almost as soon as the armed forces arrive and they are reported to be taking orders for delivery after the war. Up to date American industrialists have displayed no such enterprise.

An entirely new method of fixing prices for farm products is being considered. The parity system has not worked out well because it encourages over-production and consequent necessity for crop control. The former is unsatisfactory to the government and the latter is resented by farmers. Exact details of the new plan are still in the discussion stage.

Lincoln Heights

An all day service was held at the schoolhouse Sunday. The Arcadia Sunday school members were invited guests. Sunday school was held at 10:30. Following classes a program was given. The numbers were: Lois Hainline, recitation; Grace

Houston, list of service men; Ione Robbins, song; Harry Smith, recitation; Eldon Hickey, recitation, and the young people's choir, special number. A co-operative dinner was served at noon. Rev. and Mrs. R. G. Chandler and Donny were guests at dinner and the afternoon session. Rev. Chandler gave a talk followed by a message by Rev. C. D. Honeyford of Ontario.

Rev. J. J. Oberg of McCall, Idaho is expected to arrive in this vicinity next week to hold several nights of Bible study. He is expected to give lessons concerning "The Tabernacle".

Buell Hickey has been employed at the poultry house in Ontario the past two weeks.

A third teacher has been secured by the Lincoln school board because of the large enrollment this term. She is Mrs. Lester Pifer of Vale, who will teach the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. She began her new work Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Smith and Harry were Wednesday visitors at the Rev. R. L. Kriner home. The Buell Hickey family were visitors of the Kriner family Thursday evening.

Miss Ida Nelson of Payette is spending a few days at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Smith and son.

Piano pupils of Mrs. Mary Gilchrist gave a recital Sunday afternoon at the LDS chapel at 4 o'clock. They were assisted by Miss Irene

Brewster, violinist of Payette.

Students who took part in the recital included Rowena Wilburn, Delma Gregg, Earl Enevoldsen, Shirley Nofziger, Ronny and Bobby Kriner, Joan Phillips, Joyce Ann Aston, Jean McCarty, Cleone and Geardine Pettet, Nani Child, Beverly Hansen, Bill Phillips, Val Dee Child and Nola Caverhill.

Mrs. Geardine Hall will hold a demonstration at the home of Mrs. George Markham December 4. All of the women of the neighborhood are invited to attend.

Mrs. George Pennington, who underwent an operation at the Payette general hospital has been released and has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Evans and family, who have been living on the William McElroy farm the past two years, have leased a farm on Dead Ox Flat and will move to their new home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Frank went to New Plymouth, Idaho, Saturday evening to visit the Eurie Musick family. One of the Musick boys was home on furlough from military service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snyder of Orville, Washington arrived Sunday morning for a visit of several days at the Lee Smith home. Mrs. Snyder and Mr. Smith are sister and brother. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Vern Smith and son.

Owyhee

The Owyhee PTA will meet at the schoolhouse Thursday evening, December 14 at 8:15.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scholl and two children were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culbertson Tuesday as they were en route from Ellensburg to Buhl.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Skinner entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner Thursday evening for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crocker and family, Mrs. Mary Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Patton, Jr., and son, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Peutz and Miss Esther Neil.

Mrs. Charles Bradley of Nampa was a guest of Mrs. Charles Culbertson Tuesday.

Mrs. Martha Klingback entertained at Thanksgiving dinner Thursday for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. William Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gregg and Becky Lou, Mrs. George Gregg, Mrs. Annie Gregg, Mrs. Russell R. Wolf, Jr., and daughter, Ellen, and Fred Klingback.

Mrs. Charles Culbertson and children, Betty and Larry, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Slippy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Larson and son of Caldwell were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Anna Larson and Mr.

and Mrs. Bob Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Glenn and son, Billy, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Kreeger in the Kolony Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Biglow had as their guests over Thanksgiving and the week-end their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jungquist and two boys, Dustin and Jon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Pullen and grandson, Jerry Pullen of Nampa, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Biglow Monday.

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IF YOU think Japan is a pushover—you're fooling yourself, mister. Every American soldier, marine and sailor in the Pacific knows he has a tough fight on his hands. You can't tell them their war is almost over! Even as you read these words, American men are dying in the fight against Japan.

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Once again you are asked to buy at least one extra \$100 War Bond. Buy more if you possibly can. Not only is it for the final Victory—it's for your future. Sign up for extra War Bonds on the Payroll Plan. Welcome the Victory Volunteer when he or she calls at your home. Remember—the job in the Pacific is still terrific.



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Payette, Idaho

Farm Sale

As I am leaving the farm, I will sell at public auction on the H. L. Day farm, 3 miles south and 5 miles west of Nyssa, on Enterprise avenue, or about 2 miles north of Olie's corner, the following described property:

Wed., Dec. 13

Sale Starts at 1 P. M.

- 1 Gray gelding, 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
- 1 Black mare, smooth mouth, weight 1400 lbs.
- 1 Brown horse, 8 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
- 1 Bay mare, 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
- 1 Black colt, coming 2 years old.
- 1 Holstein cow, Zonie, 6 years old.
- 1 Holstein cow, Tiny, 5 years old.
- 1 Holstein cow, Dolly, 3 years old.
- 1 Black roan cow, Nig, 6 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Mag, 5 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, LaVern, 5 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Dot, 4 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Lillie, 6 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Daisy, 5 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Horns, 3 years old.
- 1 Guernsey cow, Queen, 2 years old.
- 1 Jersey cow, Shorty, 6 years old.
- 1 Jersey cow, Bess, 2 years old.
- 1 Jersey cow, Bunny, 3 years old.
- 1 Jersey-Guernsey cow, Auntie, 3 years old.
- 3 Coming 2 year old heifers to freshen Mar-May.
- 8 Coming yearling heifers.
- 1 Bull calf.
- 1 Roan Durham bull, 2 years old.

These cows are T. B. and abortion tested

- 1 John Deere hay rake, 10 foot.
- 1 Iron wheel wagon with rack.
- 1 Walking plow.
- 1 Two-section harrow.
- 2 Sets of harness.
- 4 Collars.
- Other articles too numerous to mention.
- 1 John Deere one-row cultivator.
- 1 Pump jack.
- 4 Ten-gallon cream cans.
- 3 Milk buckets and strainers.
- 1 .22 calibre rifle.
- Some household goods.
- 1 McCormick Deering 6-foot mower, oil bath, nearly new.
- 1 McCormick Deering electric cream separator, No. 3, good as new.

Lunch will be served on the grounds.

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