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**LOCALS**

Emil Bozar of Birdview was attending business in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Farr were visiting over the week end in Everett.

Mrs. Bea Kalamas was visiting in Mount Vernon Monday.

Mrs. Harry Dodds was visiting in Sedro-Woolley Thursday.

Mrs. Bea Kalamas spent last Thursday visiting in Everett.

Mrs. Raymi of Birdview visited at the Angel home Saturday.

Helen Dwellley made a business trip to Sedro-Woolley Monday.

Mrs. Swanson left for her home in LaConner Friday.

Mrs. Robert Mathany was visiting with friends and relatives in Seattle Monday.

Mrs. I. Cugini and daughter Tecla made a trip to Rockport Sunday.

Mrs. Reilly Crooks was visiting with friends and relatives in Everett Wednesday.

Mrs. Russell Scott of Bremerton was visiting Monday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Regen.

George Neihe of Bellingham was calling on old friends in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Angel spent Sunday evening at Marblemount.

Mrs. C. Biggerstaff was visiting at the Holyfield home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lund were visiting and shopping in Sedro-Woolley Saturday.

Miss Myrna Debolt of Birdview was visiting at the Robert Lang home over the week end.

Mrs. Charles Bullock of Van Horn was visiting at the Holyfield home Thursday.

Miss Emily Sullivan spent the week end visiting in Mount Vernon.

Nadine Heek spent Sunday and Monday in Bellingham for dental treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jensen were visiting in Bellingham Thursday.

Harry Jaffers is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews were calling on friends in Clear Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cornwell and daughter Frankie made a business trip to Mount Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Royal of Birdview were visiting in town Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed were visiting at the Harry Pressentin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Royal spent Saturday in town visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Payne of Marysville were visiting at the Roy Payne and Doc Arnold home over the week end.

Mrs. Thornton Angel and daughters Helen and Betty visited with Mrs. Angel's mother in Mount Vernon a few days last week.

Mrs. John Jaffers and daughter Kay were in Sedro-Woolley and Mount Vernon on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Henderson and children spent the week end visiting Mr. Henderson's folks in Algiers.

Mrs. Laura Medford of Seattle visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathany, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Angel and daughters Bette and Helen are spending a few days visiting in Alger with Mrs. Angel's mother.

Mrs. Chester Rhodes arrived home Tuesday from LaConner where she has been visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Angevine and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Angevine of Port Angeles were visiting with friends and relatives in town over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Cleave returned home Saturday from a five weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Colorado. It was reported they had a very enjoyable trip.

Miss Anna Boyd returned from Seattle where she had enlisted in the cadet nurses' corps. At present she is working in Everett, until she is called in March.

Of 700 research projects under way at the Pennsylvania State College before the war, more than half have either been discontinued or revised to consider problems directly related to the war.

**BURLINGTON WINS FROM CONCRETE BY A 32 TO 21 SCORE**

Last Friday afternoon the Burlington Tigers played the Lions on the local gridiron and during the first quarter had a field day, running up a score of 20 to 0. The second quarter things quieted down a bit with each side making one touchdown. The half ended at 26 to 7.

The second half our boys began to click and two more scores were pushed over as well as two extra points for goals. Burlington also scored, Peth, who made all their touchdowns, getting away from the Lions again to make the score at the end of the third quarter, 32 to 21. Neither team scored in the last quarter and so the game ended at 32 to 21.

Concrete, although not making a good showing in the first half, outplayed the Tigers in the last two quarters. Both sides were weak on defense.

Touchdowns for Concrete were made by Hornbeck and Sullivan.

**FOOTBALL SCHEDULE**

October 6—Mount Baker, here

October 12—Oak Harbor, here

October 20—LaConner, here

October 27—Coupeville, there

November 3—Anacortes, there

November 10—Stanwood, here

**BOY SCOUTS PLAN SILVER LAKE CAMP**

Boy Scouts of Skagit county have a future summer camp at Silver lake, Whatcom county, that when brought into full development will be surpassed by no camp in the country.

This camp site and lodge, known as the Black Mountain Scout camp, was purchased last week by the Mt. Baker Area Boy Scouts, embracing scouts in Whatcom, Skagit and San Juan counties.

The lake is located 35 miles northeast of Bellingham, within a mile and a quarter of the Canadian border and has a background of small mountains and trees that create a perfect setting. The lake is one and a half miles long and one-half mile wide at the widest point. Two streams run into the lake from the mountainside and the water is warm enough for swimming comfortably in the summer.

It is hoped that soon the camp will accommodate 100 boys per week for six weeks each summer. The lodge is located on the north-west section of the lake. Large maple trees furnish shade in the camp ground area near the large lodge, which will be used as a kitchen, dining room, and spacious assembly hall. A large stone fireplace centers the end of the hall, or recreation room, as it will be in rainy weather.

The 80-acre tract was bought from Henry P. Jukes of Bellingham last week at a cost to the area of only \$7,151. This summer it was used for four weeks as a Scout camp and several local boys are highly enthusiastic about the fun to be had there.

In an ideal rustic setting there will be erected enough tents to handle four troop camps of 32 boys to each map. Plans are that the facilities will be used throughout the year.

Funds were raised in the three counties during the past year for the purchase of the lake and grounds, and the total subscribed was \$8,775 so far, with more still coming in. Extra amounts will be used to purchase equipment.

In addition to the huge Black Mountain lodge located on the shore of the lake, there are seven cabins facing the water, for housing camp leaders. Nature trails around the lake and on the mountainside are camp plans for the future. Volunteer work crews from each town in the area will be sought to make repairs and improvements during the coming winter months.

The camp site is a former farm and homestead and has a large orchard of many kinds of trees.

**Have Ladies' Night**

The last regular meeting of the Lions club was ladies' night.

After dinner the group was entertained by the Nonettes from the high school with two singing numbers.

Miss Jean Ross of the United States marines was introduced and spoke on the duties of a lady marine.

At the business following the dinner the halloween party for the youth of the town was discussed. A committee was appointed to meet with school officials and see if it would be possible to get uniforms for the high school band.

After the business meeting the group enjoyed dancing and cards.

**Duck Season to Open in Skagit County Oct. 14**

Saturday morning, Oct. 14, duck hunters of the county will begin banging away at the ducks in numbers of fields and tidelands of the Skagit flats. But while game is plentiful, hunters' ranks have been thinned by calls to service and the press of wartime jobs. In addition, those lucky enough to be able to get away for a few days' hunting this year will be beset by lack of gasoline and ammunition.

Deer season opens on October 8th until the 29th, inclusive, in all counties lying west of the summit of the Cascades and in Asotin, Columbia, Garfield, Klickitat and Walla Walla counties. Hunters began going through town today with trucks of pack horses so that they might be into the hunting grounds on opening day.

**TO HOLD CLASSES**

Mrs. Theodore Brusgaard, Skagit valley chairman of home nursing, American Red Cross, announces that the classes under the direction of Mrs. Rachel Sawyer of San Francisco will be held for a six-week period starting Oct. 18.

Much interest is being shown in this service which is sponsored by the Skagit Valley Red Cross chapter. All those interested here should contact Mrs. Jennie Hanstead as soon as possible so that the groups can be formed into classes of from 15 to 20.

**CAMPBELL PASSES**

George M. Campbell, a long time resident of the Sauk community, passed away Tuesday. Mr. Campbell had been ill only a few days preceeding his death.

Funeral services will be held in Snohomish on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

**With The Boys In The Service**

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Our lady Marine, Miss Jean Ross, is expected home today for a furlough visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross. Jean has been stationed at Quantico, Virginia, for several months.

The latest on the boys in San Diego—Eddie Pulice is in sound school with graduation coming up soon. Had a letter from him last week and he said he ran into Russel Wiseman down there. He was out at Balboa Park watching the monkeys perform when he thought he recognized the navy ensign beside him. Eddie says he looked at his feet and knew darn well he knew him. Eddie managed to get over to see Editor Chuck and they had a nice time talking about home. Chuck will graduate this month too from his torpedo school. Bob Bishop, who went through boot there now has an APO and Don Johnston and Bruce Pressentin are in quartermaster school.

We were pleased to receive a letter from Deb Everett this week. Deb is in New Guinea and writes: "Dear Mrs. Dwellley: I believe it is certainly time that I show some appreciation for your efforts. The Concrete Herald has been coming through regularly to me and boy, do I enjoy it."

"You know this old world seems a pretty big place sometimes, but I believe the town of Concrete is one of the biggest little towns of them all. The other day while we were on our way to work we noted a stack of cement piled in storage and sure enough it had Superior Portland Cement Co., Concrete, Washington, as big as you please on it."

"As you probably know I am stationed in New Guinea and have been here for five months. I can truthfully tell you I wouldn't trade a half a square block of Concrete soil for all of New Guinea. I understand there are quite a few Concrete fellows here somewhere but so far I haven't located a single one. I hope to do so soon though."

"I have often sworn to myself never to be a logger, but here I am right in the middle of it. Our's is a sawmilling forestry company and I guess we are doing alright. I believe that if any of the loggers in Concrete could see what we are up against here they would give it up as a bad job. Half of the time we don't even know what kind of timber we are logging, there are so many different species."

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**Goddard Dies**

Lester Goddard, pioneer lumberjack, died at the Rowley hospital in Mount Vernon Sept. 29. Mr. Goddard had been a resident of this community for over 35 years and was well known by those of the logging industry. No services were held and the body was taken to Bellingham on Wednesday for cremation.

Lester Goddard was born in Michigan, April 5, 1884. He is survived by one brother, Roy, of this community.

**Congratulate Students for Paper Drive**

The students of the Concrete school are to be congratulated on the very fine showing they made in gathering paper last week. There is close to a carload, as we had hoped. If there is any paper that was missed, will you please bring it to the store when you are over to town? If this is not possible, will you drop a card to the American Legion stating the location so that we can send someone to pick it up?

The success of the paper drive really made it difficult to decide which teams made the better showing. Fotina Jeffers, Harold Johnston, Conny Leonard, Mari Harris and Norman Hornbeck were apparently the first to arrive with their bundles, for their stacks were arranged around the edges of the store where the amounts could be readily seen and the amounts as above. Armelda Craft's stack was in front of the door where everyone who followed conveniently deposited to her credit.

**PLAN HOLIDAY**

School children will have a half holiday next Friday owing to all teachers in this district attending the annual regional institute on that afternoon at the Bellingham high school.

The Concrete schools will dismiss the pupils at the regular lunch hour, but school buses will not leave until 12:15, so as to allow bus students time to eat lunch.

School at Marblemount will be dismissed at 11:30 and at Rockport at 11:45.

There should be more low-priced single-flavor hard candies on the market soon. Under a new OPA pricing method, candy-makers are expected to produce more, and those good old lemond drops, peppermints and similar popular flavors will be selling to consumers at 33c a pound bulk.

**COUNCIL APPROVES MEASURE OPPOSING REFERENDUM NO. 25**

After considerable discussion on the matter, Mayor McGovern and the city council passed a resolution at their regular meeting on Monday evening against the passage of an act pertaining to public power resources and public utilities and the acquisition and operation of such by public authorities and authorizing public utility commissioners to create joint commissions.

The resolution passed read as follows:

Be it resolved that the council of the town of Concrete does oppose the passage of Referendum No. 25. Whereas, the council does hereby find that Referendum No. 25 would curtail free competition in the power enterprise in the state of Washington; and would have a most detrimental effect on our local taxes. Therefore, for the above named reasons we do hereby disapprove of the passage of Referendum No. 25.

Among regular business items discussed was the bad state of the Crowfoot addition sidewalk. Certain repairs were done on this some time ago in preparation for surfacing it. Up to this time it has been impossible to obtain the surfacing material, but plans are now laid to finish the work. A letter was read from the state road department in answer to an appeal to have some work done on the main street. The letter stated that some work would be done in the near future, but would be just resurfacing as that was all that was possible at this time.

The road grader repair work is nearly finished and as soon as possible a man will be hired to run it and work will begin on all city streets needing repairs and grading.

The council decided to leave the city tax levy at 15 mills as before. Although the city has considerable money on hand at this time it was felt that a reserve should be built up for post-war improvements for the city.

It was brought up that people have been riding their horses on the sidewalks and that anyone doing so in the future would be liable to a fine. Another nuisance that was pointed out are cars and trucks being parked on the sidewalks near Craft's Service Station and the Stop and Save store, causing pedestrians to walk in the street. Also drivers of large trucks will be asked to park on the side streets so as not to take up so much parking space on the main street.

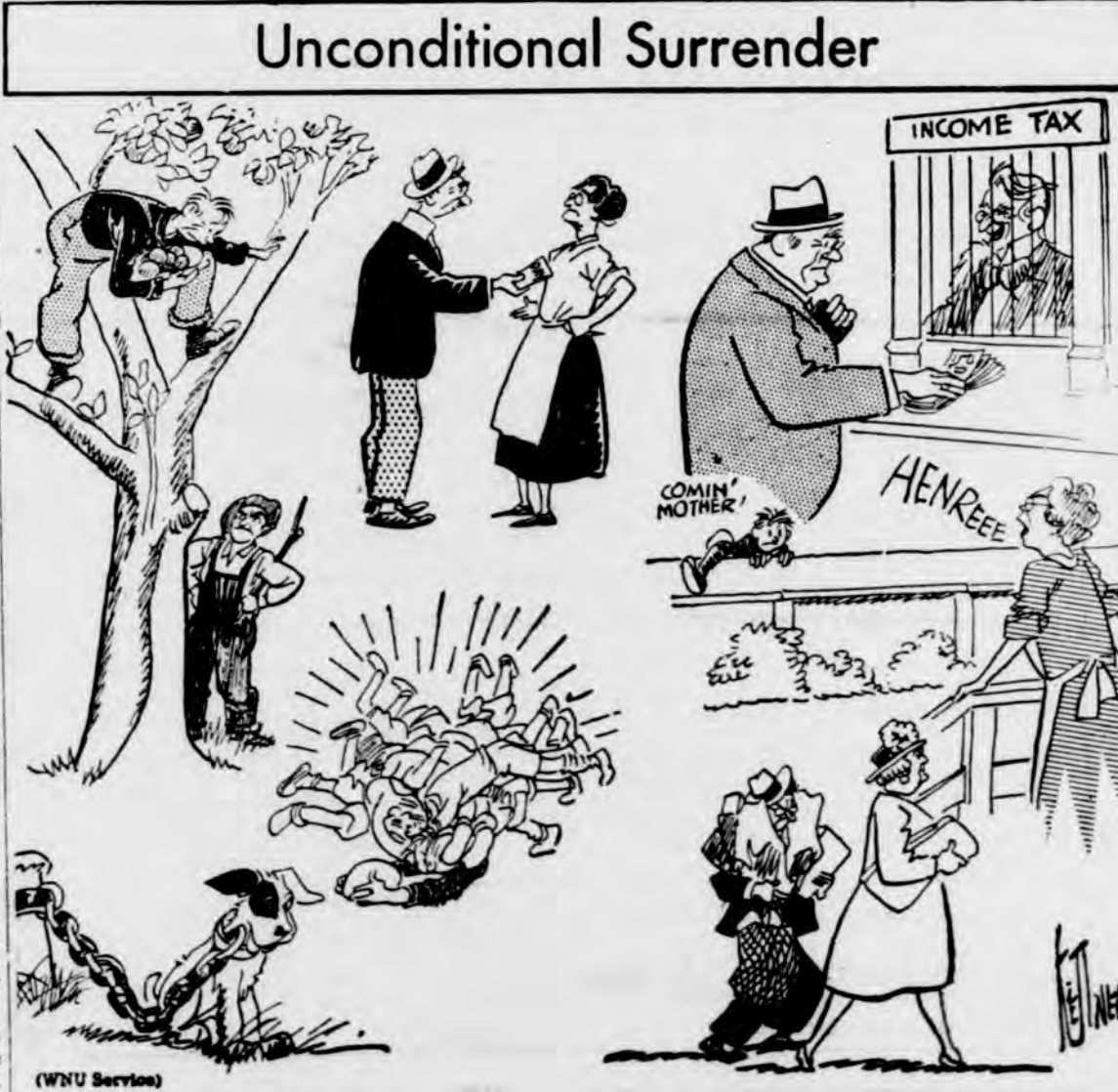
**3,167 WORKERS ARE NEEDED IN YAKIMA**

The local United States employment service office announced today that a very urgent call has just been received from the Okanogan, Wenatchee, and Yakima areas for help in sorting, packing and processing the apple crop which is now being harvested in those areas. A shortage of 3,167 workers is now recorded in Eastern Washington for these activities.

Labor requirements include warehousemen, packers, sorters and cannery workers. Women can handle any of the jobs with the exception of that of warehousemen. Previous experience is not required except for apple packers. Wages range from 63½ cents an hour to 80 cents an hour with time and one-half paid for over 48 hours. It is customary to work 60 hours a week and the work is expected to last until Nov. 1 or later.

"All workers who are physically able and available, even those who are taking vacations at this time are urged to help out in saving this essential crop and should contact the U. S. employment service at 309 Kincaid street in Mount Vernon at once," stated W. R. Truax, manager of the local office.

Concern over a high school enrollment decrease of 1,000,000 students in the United States since the beginning of the war has caused the government to launch a go-to-school drive.







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### SERVICE BOYS

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ies. But then we do cut some beautiful species of black mahogany too.

"Well, Mrs. Dwelley, I would like to thank all those again that make it possible for all us fellows to get the home news and I surely hope we will all be back there soon. I guarantee there should be plenty of news when we get back. If there

### CHURCH NOTICES

**Mt. Baker Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. Goodrow  
Sunday Services  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening service 7:30.  
Topic for Sunday evening, Oct. 1st:  
"Why Should Men Pray?"

**St. Catherine's Catholic Church**  
2nd Sunday of each month—  
Sacrament of penance, 8:30.  
Mass and sermon 9:00.  
4th Sunday of each month—  
Sacrament of penance 10:30.  
Mass and sermon 11:00.  
All non-catholics welcome.  
Fr. Edmond Long, pastor.

### Classified Advertising

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Five cents per line, minimum charge 25c. Blind ads 25c extra, 1st insertion.

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**—WE FIT TRUSSES**—Concrete Drug Store.

**—ADDING MACHINE ROLLS**—2 1/2 and 3 1/2 sizes; rubber stamp pads; order and sales books, envelopes. Concrete Herald office.

**—TYPING PAPER**, second sheets, air mail onionskin, packed 500 sheets, 8 1/2 x 11. For sale at the Herald office.

**—FOR SALE**—80 acres north and east of Marblemount, known as part of the Perrault homestead. For information write Mrs. John Grim, Ellensburg, Wn., Route 3. 10p

**—FOR SALE**—Motorcycle, '40 Indian, with extras. Very good. Will trade. Inquire at Farris, in Mill Addition. 2p

**—FOR SALE**—Saddle, in top condition. Inquire 534 or 291 Concrete.

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dents can keep it going.

"They even have WAVES for teachers here. Just like the good old high school days.

"I guess I had better close for this time. Thanks again for the

paper. Very truly yours, David Stone S2/c."

Dublin road workers are demanding a bonus, boots and protective clothing.

Canberra, capital of Australia, has ascertained that virtually all its women bake their own bread.

Ecuador will spend nearly \$1,000,000 on public works of vital importance.

## THE CONCRETE THEATRE

Sunday and Monday, October 8 - 9

They've Taken the Ceiling Off Laughter!

"RATIONING"

Starring WALLACE BEERY and MARJORIE MAIN

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# Absentee Voting

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\*  
CIVILIANS AT HOME**

**MAKE DEMOCRACY LIVE!**



Since a substantial number of citizens of the State of Washington are serving their Country either in Military Units or Defense Plants, this information is presented to assist (1) Members of the Armed Forces in voting the absentee WAR VOTERS' BALLOT, and (2) civilians at home who, because of business, working hours or traveling conditions, expect to be absent from their election precincts on the day of the election—or because illness or physical disability can not appear in person to vote and consequently must cast an Absentee Ballot.

## HOW MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES VOTE

The "War Time Elections and Voting" law provides that MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES DO NOT HAVE TO BE REGISTERED VOTERS IN ORDER TO CAST THE ABSENTEE WAR VOTERS' BALLOT. The affidavit they sign at the time of voting is considered as registration for that election. However the state constitutional requirements as to age and residence must be recognized. Every person (either in the service or civilian) voting the State of Washington ballot must be at least 21 years of age on the day of the election (November 7th, 1944), and must have resided in the state one year, county 90 days and city or precinct 30 days. For War Voters this residence means prior to entering military services.

The "War Time Elections and Voting" law was passed for the benefit of all members of the armed forces wherever they may be. These include: WACS, WAVES, SPARS, etc.

Any officer or member of a crew of a merchant vessel documented under the laws of the United States and serving outside the territorial limits of the United States.

IF YOU WISH TO VOTE AN ABSENTEE  
BALLOT CLIP THIS AND SEND TO YOUR  
REGISTRATION OFFICER

Send this application to your city clerk if your voting precinct is within the city limits or to your county auditor if your voting precinct is in a rural precinct.

### APPLICATION OF ABSENT VOTER

I hereby state that I am a currently registered voter in the county of \_\_\_\_\_

State of Washington, my legal residence being \_\_\_\_\_ (Street and Number, or Rural Route) (City or Town)

and my voting precinct to the best of my knowledge is \_\_\_\_\_ (If possible fill in precinct name or number)

and am entitled to vote at the General Election to be held therein on the 7th day of November, 1944: That (Strike out either Paragraph No. 1 or Paragraph No. 2 below)

(1) I shall be absent from my precinct and unable to vote in the usual way on the day of said election.  
(2) I am so incapacitated that I cannot attend at the polls and vote in the usual way at said election, my incapacity being, in manner as follows \_\_\_\_\_

(Write Your Name Here)

(Mailing Address)

(Print name here for positive identification)

FORM APPROVED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL



BELLE REEVES, Secretary of State  
OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

1944

Date

Being a member of the armed forces, or auxiliary branch thereof, or otherwise a war voter, and desiring to vote in the coming state-wide elections, I hereby apply for an official absent War Voters' ballot. I understand that I do not have to be a registered voter and that the affidavit I sign on the absentee ballot envelope will constitute temporary registration.

My legal residence (address before entering the military service) in the State of Washington, is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ in the city or town of \_\_\_\_\_

and my voting precinct, to the best of my knowledge is \_\_\_\_\_ (Precinct Name or Number)

I desire that the ballot be sent to me at the following address: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE PRINT PLAINLY)

(Print Name and Serial Number Here for Positive Identification)

(Write your usual Signature Here)

(THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY THE VOTER)

Any citizen of the State of Washington sojourning outside the territorial limits of the United States. Example: Salvation Army or Red Cross worker, civilians employed in Alaska, Canada or Hawaii, etc.

Any discharged veteran who has not been out of the service long enough in order to register and vote as a civilian.

## HOW CIVILIANS AT HOME VOTE AN ABSENTEE BALLOT

The civilian who is a citizen of the State of Washington and residing within the United States MUST FIRST BE A REGISTERED VOTER BEFORE HE IS ELIGIBLE TO CAST AN ABSENTEE BALLOT. This is one of the most important differences between servicemen voting and civilians voting the absentee ballot. (Last day to register is October 21st.)

YOUR APPLICATION MAY BE MADE TODAY! Use the form marked "Application of Absentee Voter." All you do is fill out, sign and mail! It's as easy as that! Mail to your city clerk if you vote in a city precinct or to your county auditor if you vote in a rural precinct.

In order to facilitate your voting, public spirited organizations and the various labor unions will see that notaries public are available. We suggest defense workers contact their lead man, foreman or shop steward for information on this.

Please remember that your ballot must be marked and affidavit executed not later than the day of the election (November 7, 1944). Furthermore, your absentee ballot must be in the mails not later than election day.

Should you wish additional application blanks or other voting information do not hesitate to write my office.

BELLE REEVES, Secretary of State, Olympia, Washington



## ROCKPORT

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harris of Rockport were visiting in Marblemount on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pressentin were shopping in Burlington on Saturday.

Otto Peterson of Marblemount was a business visitor here last Monday.

Roger Healy of North Bend was looking after business interests here on Thursday and Friday.

Bill Reed of Mount Vernon was transacting business here Monday.

William Eseritt was looking af-

ter business interests in Sedro-Woolley Saturday.

Mrs. Grover Samms spent a few days this week visiting with Mrs. Lyman Davis of Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson of Mount Vernon were visiting with friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Benton of Seattle spent the week end here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Pressentin.

Mrs. Manford Thosath and baby son returned home on Thursday from the Rowley hospital in Mount Vernon.

Mrs. John Roseware of Seattle spent several days this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ness.

Phil Anderson, Al Olson, Bruce Comeron and Dick Prankard of Mount Vernon were visiting with friends here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunziker spent the week end in Sedro-Woolley visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph LaFuler and children of Rockport were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Okerlunds of Concrete on Sunday.

Cpl. Laurence Muchan of Fort Lewis and Bill Knight of Seattle spent Monday here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Prater and daughters Jane and Anne spent Sunday in Sedro-Woolley visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Biggerstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maxwell and son Donald of Sedro-Woolley spent Wednesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hunziker.

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CONCRETE

WASHINGTON

personally appeared Chas. M. Dwelley, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Concrete Herald and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager is:  
Chas. M. Dwelley, Concrete, Wn.

2. That the owner is:  
Chas. M. Dwelley, Concrete, Wn.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are:  
State Bank of Concrete, City.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear on the books of the company but also, in cases of where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, as given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bonafide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as to stated by him.

CHAS. M. DWELLEY, Publisher.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of Oct., 1944.  
W. D. ROSS, Notary.

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## STAGE SCHEDULE

**ROCKPORT - CONCRETE-  
SERO-WOOLLEY - MT.  
VERNON**

(Effective September 20, 1944)

### WESTBOUND

	A.M.	P.M.
ROCKPORT	Lv 6:30	Lv 1:30
CONCRETE	6:50	1:50
BIRDSVIEW	7:05	2:05
HAMILTON	7:15	2:15
SERO-W.	Ar 7:42	Ar 2:42
MT. VERNON	Ar 8:20	3:20

### EASTBOUND

	A.M.	P.M.
MT. VERNON	Lv 11:10	Lv 5:30
SERO-W.	Ar 11:45	Ar 6:00
SERO-W.	Lv 11:50	Lv 6:10
HAMILTON	12:12	6:32
BIRDSVIEW	12:20	6:40
CONCRETE	Ar 12:32	Ar 6:52
CONCRETE	Lv 12:42	Lv 7:02
ROCKPORT	Ar 1:02	7:22

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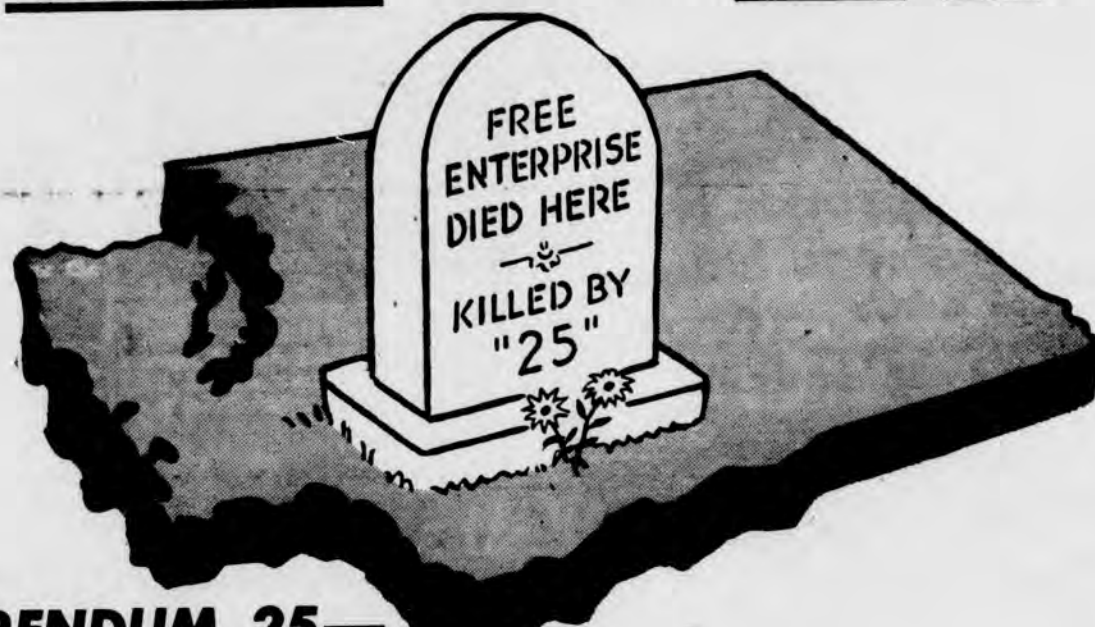
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**REFERENDUM 25—  
Proved Unnecessary for War Production!  
Is a Threat to Peacetime Prosperity!**

Initiative 12, now Referendum 25, was presented to the 1943 session of the Legislature as a "Hurry up—provide a market for Bonneville-Coulee power—win the war" measure and carried an emergency clause demanding immediate enactment.

### The Record Exposes False Claims

Obviously such claims were false, for the State has made a magnificent war production record, the Bonneville-Coulee projects have found a ready market for their power and, on the say-so of the Bonneville Administrator, have made substantial profits. Yes, this has been done without Referendum 25 and without putting the private companies out of business.

Having blown a fuse with their "win the war" scare-head propaganda, the backers of "25" are now making the ridiculous claim that unless their pet scheme is put over on the people at the polls on November 7th we are going to have "ghost towns" in this State after the war.

### Here Is the REAL Danger:

A sure way to have ghost towns is for "25" to pass and then the lights will go out because of "25" political wire-pullers" running a business that takes more than soapbox oratory to make it click, and the ghosts of the pioneers will haunt those who would conjure up such dark days for their people.

**A big task lies ahead—the answer is not to put anybody out of business and make fewer jobs—it is to work together to put more people in business and to create more jobs.**

**PUGET SOUND POWER & LIGHT COMPANY**

FRANK McLAUGHLIN, President

Referendum 25 is not any more essential to postwar development than it was on a "win the war" measure.

### "25" Jeopardizes Postwar Jobs

The passage of "25" would jeopardize rather than promote postwar development. By putting all the private power companies out of business, the rest of the nation would be told in no uncertain terms that the State of Washington had repudiated free enterprise. This at a time when the State needs to convince "risk" capital and industry, essential to provide postwar jobs and to use Bonneville-Coulee power, that they will profit by coming here.

Tombstones evidencing the death of free enterprise are not good sales arguments for attracting new industry. They are, however, effective danger signs. They say, "Beware, or you will suffer our fate." They mark ghost towns.



