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OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY OFFERS CONSERVATION COURSES LEADING TO B.S. DEGREE

According to an item in the New York Times, Ohio State University is offering a new 4-year curriculum in conservation leading to a B. S. degree. After studying the basic sciences, students majoring in conservation then specialize in soil conservation, land planning, or wildlife conservation. Field experience is one of the requirements for graduation.

J. ROSS EAKIN RETIRES

J. Ross Eakin, Superintendent of Great Smoky Mountains National Park since 1931, retired in March because of ill health.

Mr. Eakin entered on duty with the National Park Service in 1921, serving first as Superintendent of Glacier National Park. He has also served as Superintendent of Grand Canyon National Park. Prior to joining the National Park Service, Mr. Eakin served for more than a decade as a Topographic Engineer

with the U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior. In World War I he was an officer in the Coast Artillery and served overseas. He is now in the U. S. Veterans Hospital, Johnson City, Tenn.

CHATTANOOGA NATIONAL CEMETERY TRANSFERRED TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Chattanooga National Cemetery was transferred from the jurisdiction of the National Park Service to that of the War Department on March 1. This transfer was made in accordance with the Act of Congress of December 7, 1944 (Public Law 470).

ARMY CLOSES RECREATION CAMP AT MOUNT MCKINLEY

Operation of the Army's Mount McKinley Recreation Camp, located in the McKinley Park Hotel on the boundary of Mount McKinley National Park, ceased on March 1. The camp had been in operation since April 10, 1943.

MORE FUNDS FOR MISSOURI STATE PARKS

Word has been received from the Region Two Office that the State of Missouri has voted in favor of a new State Constitution, under the terms of which the legislature shall appropriate a substantial increase in funds for operation, maintenance, and protection of State parks and recreational areas.

SS BIG BEND LAUNCHED

Swan Island Shipyard of the Kaiser Company in Portland, Oregon, was the scene of the launching on March 17 of the SS BIG BEND, named in honor of the Nation's newest national park. Mrs. Paul G. Smith, wife of the Assistant Superintendent of the Pipe Department of the Kaiser Company, sponsored the vessel.

BUY BONDS!

In a memorandum to all the Interior Department employees announcing the launching of the Seventh War Loan Drive, Secretary Ickes urges that we continue in this Drive the fine record we have made in previous War Loan Drives.

The quota established is 18 percent of the gross monthly payrolls for April, May, and June, and all purchases of bonds bought through the payroll savings plan during these months, as well as all cash purchases between April 9 and July 7, will be credited towards our quota. As Secretary Ickes points out, there is no safer investment.

Assistant Director Hillory A. Tolson is Chairman of the bond campaign for the Service. Assisting him are Ward P. Webber and G. Frank Brown of the Director's Office, Mr. Webber handling the campaign for the field offices and Mr. Brown that for the Director's and Washington Liaison Offices.

LARGE OIL WELL IN EVERGLADES PROJECT ABANDONED

According to an item published in the Florida Times Union, the Humble-State Well No. 1, located within the Everglades National Park Project, has been drilled to a depth of 11,789 feet, declared dry, and abandoned. This is the third deep well within the boundaries of the park project that has produced nothing but geological information.

Another item appearing in the Florida Times Union states that State Authorities, in granting a year's lease to the Cracker Oil Company for oil explorations in the Everglades, specified that if provisions for drilling operations were not fulfilled by the company there would be no further extension on the lease. This is good news to those interested in the Everglades National Park Project who feel that drilling is the only solution of the oil problem.

DAMMING OF POTOMAC RIVER PROTESTED

Damming of the Potomac River, recommended to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors of the War Department by the Division Engineer of the Middle Atlantic Division, was vehemently opposed at a public hearing held in Washington, D. C., early in April. Of the approximately one thousand persons in attendance at the meeting, only three spoke in favor of the project.

As a result of this opposition, as well as that voiced by the National Park Service, it is reported that the Board of Engineers will recommend to the Senate that the project be abandoned.

From the National Park Service's standpoint, the adverse effects of the dams on Federal park properties would greatly outweigh any possible benefits. In its report on the proposal

the Service maintained that irreparable utilitarian, historic, scenic, and scientific losses would be sustained by the people of the United States through the destruction of the character of the Potomac River gorge and by the inundation of the scientifically and recreationally important Potomac Valley and the proposed historically famous Harper's Ferry National Monument.

ESPECIALLY MERITORIOUS PROMOTIONS

You may get an especially meritorious promotion if (1) you suggest or invent something which, if adopted, will result in improved technological or scientific processes or methods or in improvements in the administration or operations of the Interior Department (such promotions are passed upon by the Interior Department's Board of Suggestions Awards of which Assistant Secretary Michael W. Straus is Chairman); or (2) if you render service over and above normal requirements of your job and of outstanding value to the service (recommendations for this type of promotion are passed upon by the Committee on Especially Meritorious Promotions of which Mrs. J. Atwood Maulding, Director of Personnel, is Chairman.

Mrs. Maulding, in a memorandum regarding the granting of specially meritorious promotions by her committee, lists the following categories or reasons as worthy of consideration by the committee for such promotions: Performance highly valuable to the service; getting jobs done in spite of handicaps; unusual assistance to supervisors (performing work with minimum instructions); valuable contributions to better administration; improved public relations; act or service of valor over and above call of duty; monetary savings to the government; exceptional ability in training new employees; unique record for quantity and quality of work; substantial improvement to employee morale; highly efficient per-

formance (based on performance as a whole and not on single factors of efficiency); performing duties of higher grade for some time under conditions which cannot be readily corrected by reallocation; heavy work load and long hours to meet emergencies that ordinarily cannot be taken care of by redistribution of work; and unusual requirements added to duties by law and regulation.

The following reasons, standing alone are not acceptable to the committee: Long hours voluntarily worked; loyalty to the Service; high efficient rating; performing duties of a higher grade which situation could have been corrected by reallocation; reallocation to a higher grade without salary increase; and long and faithful service.

Grant H. Pearson, Acting Superintendent of Mount McKinley National Park, was recently given one of these especially meritorious promotions for successfully leading a party of Army men on a hazardous journey over unexplored mountainous terrain in Mount McKinley National Park to inspect the wreckage of an ATC airplane and search for the bodies of the victims.

VARIED ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED BY OFFICE OF NATIONAL CAPITAL PARKS

Again this year, the Office of National Capital Parks is offering a varied program of outdoor activities to Washington, D. C., residents. Bird, wildflower, tree, and general nature walks, campfire programs, hikes, junior nature outings, camera strolls, horse-drawn barge trips on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and historic tours are among the events scheduled. Park Naturalist Donald Edward McHenry and Park Historian Stanley W. McClure or their assistants will direct these activities, details of which are given in a booklet available on request from the Office of National Capital Parks.

SECRETARY OPPOSED TO NAMING NATURAL OBJECTS FOR LIVING PERSONS OR FOR PERSONS DEAD LESS THAN A DECADE

Secretary Ickes is opposed to naming natural objects for a living person or for a person who has been dead less than 10 years, especially if the deceased person was connected with the National Park Service. To use the Secretary's own words: "I have had more than one shock in discovering that names of living persons have been given to natural objects and I think we should be especially careful in naming natural objects after ourselves during our own lives or permitting them to be so named shortly after death. We are likely to create a bad impression and lay ourselves open to the charge of taking advantage of official positions for self-glorification."

JACKSON CHAPTER OF IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE FORMED

At a banquet held late in March, a charter was presented to the newly formed Izaak Walton League Chapter of Jackson, Wyo., by C. H. Simpson, President of the Wyoming Division of the League. Following the presentation, charter members of the chapter elected Richard Winger, President; Walter Spicer, Vice President; O. J. Murie, Secretary; and Lyle Bressler, Treasurer.

Members of the newly formed chapter have stated that they are in accord with the resolution adopted by the National Izaak Walton League giving support to the presidential proclamation creating Jackson Hole National Monument.

ERITON COMMENDS STEPHEN MATHER

In the opening paragraph of an article relating to preservation of England's historic and scenic treasures, published in the April 1945 issue of the National Geographic Maga-

zine, the author pays tribute to Stephen Tyng Mather, first Director of the National Park Service. Mr. Mather, the author of the article states, was "the great enthusiast and leader" in the movement for safeguarding for all time the outstanding scenic areas and haunts of wildlife, a movement which originated in the United States.

Later on in the article the author, in referring to a memorial to William Willett, founder of daylight saving, in Pett's Woods, one of the properties set aside by the National Trust of England, says: "Like Stephen Tyng Mather, Willett is one of the real benefactors of humanity. . . ."

APPRECIATIVE OF KNOWLEDGE GAINED WHILE IN PARK WORK

Former Civilian Conservation Corps enrollees now in the Armed Forces or engaged in war work in a civilian capacity frequently express appreciation for the benefits they derived from training and experience gained while working in NPS areas. Albert J. Winchell, an enrollee who served in the Sequoia Salt Creek Camp, writes: "If I could only see the Big Trees again, and meet all the fellows I had contact with while I was there. . . . I now have a good job with General Motors Corporation. . . . And I owe it all to the experience that I received while I was working with all of you. I have learned from you that everyone must pull together."

Another former enrollee, Pfc. A.E. "Tony" Garcia, who worked in several western national parks, writes: "I was with the 81st Wildcat Infantry Division, and was wounded on Peleliu Island. . . . My knowledge gained in State and national parks is invaluable. . . ." Private Garcia has been awarded the Purple Heart and the Silver Cross.

LEGISLATION

Bills of interest to the National Park Service which have been introduced in the 79th Congress during the period February 15 - April 1, 1945.

H.R. 2418 -- To authorize the United States commissioner for the Sequoia National Park to exercise similar functions for the Kings Canyon National Park. Introduced by Mr. Gearhart, March 1.

H.R. 2738 -- To authorize acceptance of a site for a national cemetery in South Dakota to be designated as the Verendrye National Memorial Cemetery. Introduced by Mr. Case, March 22.

H.R. 2423 -- To authorize the exchange of lands acquired by the United States for the Silver Creek recreational demonstration project, Oregon, for the purpose of consolidating holdings therein. Introduced by Mr. Mott, March 1.

S. 555 -- To establish a Missouri Valley Authority to provide for unified water control and resource development on the Missouri River and surrounding region in the interest of the control and prevention of floods, the promotion of navigation and reclamation of the public lands, the promotion of family-type farming, and the development of the recreational possibilities. Introduced by Mr. Murray, February 15.

H.R. 2658 -- To provide for one national cemetery in every State and Territory and such other national cemeteries in the States, Territories, and possessions as may be needed for the burial of members of the armed forces of the United States dying in the service or former members whose last discharge therefrom was honorable, and certain other persons as provided for in United States Code, title 24, sec. 281, amended. Introduced by Mr. Patrick, March 16.

S. 664 -- To amend the act entitled "An act for the preservation of American antiquities" approved June 8, 1906. Introduced by Mr. Robertson, March 1. Bill requires that 6 months' notice prior to issuance of a national monument proclamation be given to Governors, Senators, and Representatives; also that publicity be given in local newspapers. No monument proclamation issued in the period between December 7, 1941, and the enactment of this Bill would be effective unless approved by a majority of the persons to whom notice would be sent as prescribed in the Bill.

H.R. 2691 -- To provide for the administration of all public lands in the Jackson Hole National Monument by the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture. Introduced by Mr. Barrett, March 20.

NEWS OF NPS MEN AND WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES

CAPT. ROY E. APPLEMAN (Regional Historian, Region One) writes of having visited several Pacific Islands made famous by the war. At one of these islands he says "rusting hulks of landing barges and tanks littered the beaches and shell pitted Japanese steel and concrete blockhouses remained as evidence of the fierce struggle. The Navy has erected some historical markers at a few of the larger blockhouses." His address is APO 81, San Francisco.

LT. COMDR. HUGH R. AWIREY (Assistant Chief of Information, Director's Office) says in a letter datelined Paris, France, March 15, that he is associated with his old friend, Captain Dupre.

PVT. CHARLES BARTLETT, JR. (son of Storekeeper Bartlett, Glacier, and husband of Telephone Operator Dulce M. Bartlett of that park) single-handedly knocked out a German tank gun and helped corral 43 Nazi prisoners, using an empty gun, in his first battle of the war, according to a press dispatch datelined Modrath, Germany, March 3. Five of Private Bartlett's brothers, as well as his sister Ruth, are also serving in the Armed Forces.

Sic MARY BARTON (wife of Lt. Comdr. Merritt Barton now on military furlough from a position in the Office of the Chief Counsel, Director's Office) is a member of the SPARS temporary reserve. The work, she says, is volunteer and she must serve a minimum of 12 hours weekly.

DALE (son of Maj. Frank T. Been, Superintendent of Mount McKinley) served as antiaircraft gunner on one of the battleships which supported troop landings at Guam, Saipan, Tinian, Leyte, and Luzon.

T5 WILLIAM J. BROCKMEIER (son of General Mechanic Brockmeier, Zion) is in a Paris hospital recovering from leg wounds sustained early in March.

ENSIGN WAYNE W. BRYANT (Ranger Naturalist, Zion, and son of Supt. H. C. Bryant) visited his parents at Grand Canyon in March. Ensign Bryant was involved in the landing operations at both Leyte and Lingayan Gulf and visited most of the island groups which have made war news. During his months in the Pacific he acquired a series of spears from New Guinea natives, and these, together with his collection of invasion currency, sea shells, cats-eyes, and other trophies, proved to be of considerable interest to the members of the Boy Scout Troop at Grand Canyon.

PVT. CHARLES BUDGE (son of Park Mechanic Budge, Grand Teton) recently visited his parents at Grand Teton. He has served on the western front and has been wounded twice. His brother, BRUCE, a Flight Engineer with the Army Air Transport, Fairfield Air Base, Calif., was also home on furlough at the same time.

LT. DAVID E. CANFIELD (Superintendent, Rocky Mountain) recently completed a furlough in Rocky Mountain and then reported to Seattle for assignment.

LT. (jg) IGNACIO J. CASTRO (Director's Office) recently had a 30-day furlough with his family in Nogales, Ariz., following which he proceeded to Lake City, Fla., for training in land based bombers. Lieutenant Castro has had many months of service in the Pacific, and his campaign ribbon contains four stars. He hopes to return to the Pacific after completing his present course of training.

LT. COL. HARRY E. CURTIS (Assistant Regional Director, Region Two) is planning on a month's leave in the States in late April and May. He has had 2 years of duty in Central America and Asia.

LT. MARSHALL DAVENPORT (son of Ivy Davenport of Abraham Lincoln National Historical Park) writes that he has been receiving excellent care at the Valley Forge Hospital where he has been since his return to the States aboard the Gripsholm last summer. About 8 months ago, while serving in the European sector, he was blown from a burning tank and sustained serious injuries. His brother, JAMES, was recently killed while serving with the 1st Army in Germany. Another brother, EDWARD, is a Private with the 3rd Army in Germany, and yet another brother, CARL, is a Marine Private First Class and stationed in Hawaii.

JOHN C. DIGGS (Field Supervisor, Region Three) has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

PVT. CHARLES E. HATCH, JR. (Historian, Colonial) has completed infantry training at Camp Howze, Texas, and is now at Fort George G. Meade, Md.

M/SGT. ARTHUR J. HARRISON (Chief Clerk, Carlsbad) who was among those rescued from Cabantuan Prison Camp near Manila, is back in the States and has gained something like 40 pounds since his release. He is planning a visit to Carlsbad after visiting with his mother in Fresno, Calif.

LT. COMDR. MATT C. HUPPUCH (Recreational Planner, Director's Office) visited the Director's Office recently. He was en route to the West Coast for duty in the Pacific.

LT. FRANCIS D. LANOUE (Chief Ranger, Yellowstone) is taking a 6 month course in Japanese at Northwestern University in Chicago.

SGT. JOHN G. LEWIS (Acting Chief Ranger, Grand Teton) visited the Director's Office in March. He was en route to Fort Belvoir, Va., for training in camouflage work.

LT. COL. WENDELL E. LITTLE (Planner, Director's Office) has been decorated with the Legion of Merit. He is with the 6th Army in France.

STANLEY C. JOSEPH (Administrative Assistant, Region Two Office) is stationed at Camp Beale, Calif.

CAPT. P. F. MURRAY (Ranger, Mount Rushmore) is now in France. He was there during the last war also, and writes that he notices little change in the country.

COL. CARLTON P. ROBERTS (friend of Virginia Ayres of the Director's Office) took time out during a visit to France recently to place flowers on the grave of her brother, PFC GORDON W. AYRES, who was killed in action in Luxembourg last December.

LT. THEODORE T. SMITH of the Transportation Corps (on furlough from the position of Chief Clerk, Shenandoah) paid a visit to the Director's Office recently. Lieutenant Smith is the ASF Representative at the Cummins Engine Co., Columbus, Ind., and is under the general jurisdiction of the Army's Chicago Procurement Office.

MAJ. RANDLE B. TRUETT (Chief, National Monument and Historic Sites Division, National Capital Parks) is in Reykjavik, Iceland, which he finds quite interesting -- a land of many unusual sights and interesting people. He has been using much of his spare time in photography and says that after he returns home he hopes to issue a pictorial book on Reykjavik and its environs.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

TO THE ARMED FORCES:

Carlsbad Caverns: T. HOMMER BLACK,
Guide.

Yellowstone: LLOYD J. ASTLE, Dis-
trict Park Ranger, (Navy); EVELYN E.
KUMOR, Clerk.

APPOINTMENTS:

Region Four: LEONA M. MOORE, Clerk
(Personnel).

Carlsbad Caverns: GLADYS L. JACOBS,
Clerk-Cashier.

Grand Canyon: HUBERT B. CHASE, Fore-
man, Construction and Maintenance.

Mesa Verde: MRS. ELIZABETH L. BROWN,
Telephone Operator.

Mount Rainier: STANLEY D. JONES,
Park Ranger.

Petersburg: MRS. LOUISE W. HAP-
PEL, Clerk.

TRANSFERS:

Director's Office: ROSCO D. JACOWAY,
Chief, Audit Unit, to Clerk, Fish and
Wildlife Service.

Badlands: WARREN K. LELAND, Custo-
dian, to Refuge Manager, Fish and Wild-
life Service.

Crater Lake: CHARLES R. CHRISLER,
Chief Clerk, to same, Jefferson Na-
tional Expansion Memorial.

Mesa Verde: JAMES A. LANCASTER,
Fire Guard, to Park Ranger, Aztec
Ruins National Monument.

Petrified Forest: LEE E. GLASSBROOK,
Park Ranger, to Plant Guard, Packard
Motor Car Company.

RESIGNATIONS:

Region Four: SARA R. HUFFMAN,
Clerk-Stenographer.

Carlsbad Caverns: RENA L. BRIGGS,
Guide.

Grand Canyon: BARBARA JEAN EPPLER,
Clerk-Stenographer; ARTHUR PALMER,
Plumber.

RETIREMENTS:

Chickamauga & Chattanooga: JUDSON W.
MERCIEERS, Laborer.

Great Smoky Mountains: J. ROSS EAKIN,
Superintendent.

SEPARATIONS:

Castillo de San Marcos & Fort Matanzas:
INEZ M. MCQUAGGE, Clerk.

Gettysburg: JOHN J. BACHENSKY,
Clerk to go with the Signal Service,
Storage & Issue Agency, Philadelphia,
Pa.

REEMPLOYMENT AFTER WAR TRANSFERS:

Crater Lake: CHARLES W. CHRISLER,
Chief Clerk.

Hawaii: GUNNAR O. FAGERLUND, Chief
Park Ranger.

ABOUT FOLKS

HORACE M. ALBRIGHT, former Director of the National Park Service, has been elected a member of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission.

REGIONAL DIRECTORS ALLEN and TOMLINSON visited the Director's Office recently.

VICTOR H. CAHALANE, Service Biologist, plans to attend the spring meeting of the Absaroka Conservation Committee to be held in Yellowstone National Park, May 5 and 6.

LOUIS P. CROFT, who was among the Americans released from the Japanese Prison Camp in Manila last February, plans to remain in the Islands to aid with plans for the rebuilding of Manila. Mrs. Croft and their daughter Lois, also released from the prison camp, are now on their way back to the United States.

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR A. E. DEMARAY has been elected President of the Welfare and Recreational Association of Public Buildings and Grounds, Inc., Washington, D. C.

KENNETH B. DISHER, formerly of the NPS staff and now Executive Secretary of the Allegheny State Park Commission, New York, visited the Director's Office recently.

DIRECTOR DRURY left Chicago late in March to attend the Region Three and Region Four Superintendents' Conferences and Fire Training Schools at Big Bend and Yosemite National Parks, respectively; also the Western Conference of National Park Concessioners in Los Angeles. SUPERVISOR OF CONCESSIONS TAYLOR, CHIEF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT VINT, and REGIONAL DIRECTOR TOMLINSON also will attend the Concessioners' Conference.

HERBERT EVISON, Associate Regional Director, Region One, is now on detail in the Director's Office.

JOHN A. FLOWERS, Maintenance and Construction Foreman at Guilford Courthouse National Military Park, has been awarded a certificate of honorable mention for his suggestion resulting in adopting a two-man crosscut saw for use by one man.

DR. FRITIOF FRYXELL, former Naturalist at Grand Teton National Park and now associated with the Section on Military Geology of the U.S. Geological Survey in Washington, is mentioned, along with other officials, in a recent Saturday Evening Post article describing the work of that important agency.

WILSON H. GEORGE, Chief of the Operations and Contracts Division, Branch of Concessions, Director's Office, is now on an eastern trip which will include visits to Statue of Liberty National Monument, Colonial National Historical Park, and the Region One and Washington Liaison Offices. In the Liaison Office he will spend 2 weeks working with AUDITOR ROBERT C. MCCARTHY, also of the Director's Office, in auditing the books of the Welfare and Recreational Association.

DR. THOS. A. JAGGAR, who served for some time as Volcanologist at Hawaii National Park, has been awarded the Franklin L. Burr prize of \$1,000 by the National Geographic Society for his part in the development of the first "duck" or amphibious vehicle.

DRS. RALPH W. CHANEY, WALDO G. LELAND, and FRANK M. SETZLER, and CAPT. CHARLES G. SAUERS attended the Fourth Interim Committee Meeting of the Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic

Sites, Buildings, and Monuments held in Washington in March.

CHIEF NATURALIST CARL P. RUSSELL returned to duty in March on a part-time basis. He hopes soon to be back on a full-time schedule.

ISABELLE F. STORY, the Service's Editor In Chief, left recently for an

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BORN

A son, Richard Owen, to ASSISTANT TO THE SUPERINTENDENT and MRS. PAUL H. BALDWIN, Hawaii National Park, Jan. 20.

A son, Merritt Whitney, to MR. and MRS. LAVELLE M. HEWITT, January 25. Both parents are former NPS employees.

A daughter, Elizabeth Frances, to SGT. and MRS. FRANCIS SAUNDERS, January 30. Mrs. Saunders is a Clerk at Antietam National Battlefield Site.

A son, to ACTING CARETAKER and MRS. ANDREW L. PLISKO, Fort Necessity Battlefield Site, February 2.

A daughter, Carey Frances, to ASSISTANT NATURALIST and MRS. EDWIN C. ALBERTS, Carlsbad Caverns National

inspection tour of NPS areas in the West.

CHIEF OF LANDS CONRAD L. WIRTH has been appointed District Chairman of the Glencoe (Ill.) Boy Scouts.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT DORR G. YEAGER of Zion and Bryce Canyon is on a 60-day detail in the Director's Office.

Park, February 7.

A son, William Ross, to CUSTODIAN and MRS. WILLIAM R. SUPERNAUGH, Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument, February 17.

A daughter, to LT. COMDR. MATT C. HUPPUCH, February 24. Commander Huppuch served as Recreational Planner, Director's Office, prior to entering the Armed Forces.

A daughter, Anne Carroll, to SUPT. and MRS. J. WALTER COLEMAN, Gettysburg National Military Park, March 4.

A daughter, Pamela Lynn, to ASSISTANT DIRECTOR and MRS. HILLORY A. TOLSON, April 22.

MARRIED

PHYLLIS WOHLBRANDT, daughter of Park Engineer Philip H. Wohlbrandt of

Yellowstone National Park, and DON HERN of Gardiner, Mont., March 20.

DIED

A. B. CADY, father of Chief Clerk Alice C. Witt, Fredericksburg National Military Park, February 3.

MRS. ANNA SANDUSKY, wife of General Mechanic Sandusky, Mount Rainier National Park, February 16.

MRS. MAX WALLISER, former employee of the old Branch of Plans and Design, San Francisco Office, February 19.

JOHN H. CHRIST, 53, member of the Hawaii National Park staff from 1929 to 1942, February 23.

SGT. JAMES DAVENPORT, son of Ivy Davenport of Abraham Lincoln National Historical Park, killed in action.

DR. WILLIAM H. DEADERICK, 69, registered physician at Hot Springs, Ark.,

from 1914 until his retirement in 1930, and a member of the Federal Registration Board for many years, March 11.

HENRY E. BARBOUR, prominent Fresno, Calif., attorney and member of the 66th to 72nd Congresses, March 21. He was the author of the bill, enacted in 1926, enlarging Sequoia National Park.

MRS. CLAIR V. COOKE, wife of Custodian Cooke, Chiricahua National Monument, March 24.

Mother of REGIONAL DIRECTOR TOMLINSON, at her home in Frankfort, Ind., March 29.

MRS. HILMER OEHLMANN, wife of the General Manager of the Yosemite Park and Curry Company, April 7.