

Mrs. A. J. Tuck of Edenbrow Dies

Mrs. Arthur J. Tuck, 77, died this morning at Mercy hospital, following a long period of ill health.

Born Sept. 16, 1865, at Chatham, N. Y., she came to Douglas county in 1920 to reside at Edenbrow.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. C. E. Clark, Le Roy, N. Y., and Mrs. Robert Soltz, Newport, Conn.; a son, Ralph Tuck, Salt Lake City; a brother, L. M. Gobeille, San Francisco, and a sister, Miss Addie Gobeille, San Francisco.

Mrs. Tuck was a life-long member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Melville T. Wire at the Roseburg Undertaking company parlors at 2 p. m. Monday. The body will be taken to Cleveland, Ohio, for vault entombment.

Work Relief Program Ordered Discontinued

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administration, thereby conserving a large amount of the funds

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Toulon Harbor: Where French Scuttled Their Fleet—and Hitler



As Hitler's hopes of plucking off the great French battle fleet at Toulon were literally sunk when, according to French reports, 63 ships were blown up and scuttled by their own crews to prevent their falling into the hands of the Nazis. Part of the fleet is shown in the harbor at Toulon, France's greatest seaport.

The Strasbourg—Blasted to Keep It From Nazis



The pride of the great French battle fleet, the 26,500-ton Strasbourg, above, according to French reports, has been blown up by her own crew to keep her out of Hitler's hands. Sixty-two other warships were said to have been blasted and scuttled in the French harbor of Toulon at the same time.

Parity Bill Stirs Query

Adoption by the house of a bill to include all farm wages in figuring parity prices brought the comment from President Roosevelt today that the first thing to do was to find out the effect this would have on the cost of living.

The president had taken a vigorous stand against this revised parity formula at the time anti-inflation legislation was before congress.

Opponents of the bill contend it would raise the cost of living several billion dollars.

PORTLAND, Dec. 4—(AP)—Oregon has only about 400 on WPA rolls and will not be heavily affected by the President's order discontinuing the works projects relief program, Walter Marsh, state officer engineer, said today.

At one time were 23,000 workers on WPA in Oregon.

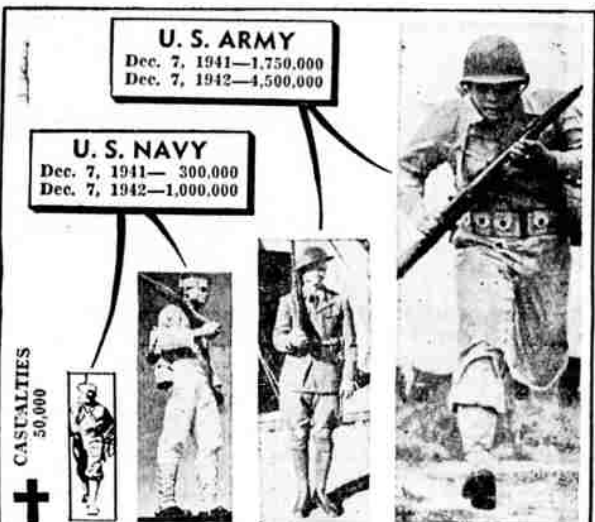
Loa Howard, state relief administrator, said the order will "mean little to us." Since last March state relief has been granted only persons incapable of working or holding jobs in private industry. Such relief will be continued.

Frozen Dessert Output Limited for 2 Months

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It seems that the multi-flavor ed frigid is a food and not a confection, which makes it one of the necessities. Besides, the frozen fluid will melt the resistance of a lot of people who don't get

Armed Forces Growth in Year of War



All our armed forces have expanded with wartime rapidly in the year following the Jap attack on Pearl Harbor. The Army—through selective service begun in 1940—already had a good start, while the Navy was at little more than normal peacetime strength on Dec. 7, 1941. Marines and Coast Guard have grown to a combined total of more than 300,000 men. Casualties include dead, wounded, missing or prisoners and are for all forces on all fronts; 6000 Americans have been reported killed in action in the first year of war.

their milk any other way—thus improving their health in spite of themselves.

CANADA TO CUT PRICES ON FOUR COMMODITIES

OTTAWA, Dec. 4—(AP)—In a pre-Christmas gift to ease the strain of the high cost of living on the consumer's purse, the Canadian government is taking direct action to give the nation cheaper coffee, tea, oranges and milk.

The new assault on the cost of living, to be effected by reducing duties or taxes or by outright subsidies, was announced last night by Finance Minister J. L. Halsey, who estimated that the cost to the treasury might run up to \$40,000,000 a year.

Coffee is to be reduced four cents a pound, tea 10 cents a pound and milk two cents a quart from current retail prices.

Orange prices are to be put back to about the levels of September and October, 1941. No official figures were given but in September, 1941, oranges were being sold for 25 to 35 cents a dozen.

In addition, the finance minister said, the government was instructing the wartime prices and trade board to examine measures for reducing the profit margins of some retail dealers in beef "to reasonable limits for the benefit of the consumer."

The coffee and tea reduction are to be accomplished by government subsidy or sale to the trade by the prices stability cor-

poration at reduced prices. Cheaper oranges will be provided by elimination of duties and taxes.

Western Potato Price Ceilings to Be Raised

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4—(AP)—A higher price level for potatoes in California, Oregon and Washington will be ordered by the office of price administration in an order Dec. 10, Sen. Charles L. McNary said he was informed today. Present ceilings do not permit a profit after production and handling costs are deducted, growers complained.

Trio Held on Charges Of Violating Draft

PORTLAND, Dec. 4—(AP)—The U. S. marshal's office here today held three men on federal charges of violating the selective service act. They are Harvey Meade, 23, Toledo; Ralph DeKuyper, 25, Lebanon; Frank Harris, 37, New York City.

Maj. Church Instructs In Chemical Defense

Major H. C. Church, former Roseburg optometrist, now serving as chemical officer with the U. S. army at Fort Lewis, Wash., last night conducted a school in chemical warfare defense for headquarters detachment, 17th battalion of the Oregon state guard, in connection with the regular drill period held at the armory. Major and Mrs. Church are enjoying a brief leave.

Company A, the local rifle company of the state guard, was addressed by Harry Pinniger, county civilian defense coordinator, who is conducting a series of lectures before the guard unit in connection with bomb and gas defense, aircraft identification and like subjects.

Shooting Occurs Over Boundary Line Dispute

Eugene, Ore., Dec. 4—(AP)—Deputy Sheriff C. S. Carlson said last night that William Frank Turner, 77, Canby, was being held in county jail here on an open charge in connection with the shooting of Frank Fiske, 45, another Canby resident, yesterday.

Fiske, wounded in the head, was taken to a North Bend hospital. The two men had quarreled over a property boundary, Carlson said.

Greenhouse Proprietor Dies of Gas Poisoning

PORTLAND, Dec. 4—(AP)—Benjamin F. Van Kirk, Portland Floral company proprietor, died last night in a greenhouse from what the coroner's office said was gas poisoning.

Investigators said Mrs. Van Kirk, who discovered her husband lying in the greenhouse, almost died of gas poisoning before a rescue attempt.

VITAL STATISTICS

MARRIAGE LICENSES
TELLER-WHITTAKER—Melvin Harold Teller and Inez P. Whittaker, both residents of Roseburg.

HOISINGTON-JENKINS—Arthur Earl Hoisington, Bridge, and Ida Myrtle Jenkins, Sutherlin.

Rev. Perry Smith Gets Seminar Bid

The Rev. Perry Smith, rector of St. George's Episcopal church, Roseburg is one of 24 leading clergymen and educators of the western United States invited to attend a seminar in San Francisco, Dec. 7 to 12. The seminar will be conducted by Sir Cecil Robert, DSM, a personal friend of the Bishop of Canterbury, an advisor to the British government and a leading British broadcaster.

Clergymen and educators will attend by special invitation. Problems of the allied nations in war and plans for the peace to follow the war will provide the principal topics for study.

The Rev. Mr. Smith, who is a past national chaplain of the Veterans of Foreign wars, and who also served as a member of the national monuments committee of the American Legion in which capacity he toured Europe to inspect veterans' cemeteries, will leave Sunday for San Francisco.

Axis Convoy Toll Off North Africa Increased

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seizure of 756 prisoners, including 300 British parachutists, was reported by the Italian high command. Rome credited the nazis with taking 456 of these captives.

The Italians failed to give the location of these reported actions, but the allies have told of heavy fighting in the Mateur-Tebourba-Djedida triangle. Here the axis, compressed into a narrow, well fortified area, has the geographical advantage of fighting allied forces attacking from the outer rim.

An allied spokesman estimated the Germans have about 14,000 combat troops in the battle area and said it was evident they "intend to stay in Tunisia until the last possible moment."

Nazi Air Force Blasted
A spokesman of the U. S. air force reported that American airmen alone had shot down five enemy planes in combat Wednesday and destroyed three on the ground. Twenty-one more were damaged, he said—six in combat and 15 on the ground.

Considerable axis aerial activity also was reported over the battle area, with nazi divebombers making repeated attacks on the allied positions.

In one instance, dispatches from the front said, allied fighters intercepted a Stuka formation, drove it off and forced the Germans to jettison their bombs on their own troops.

Body of Alvin Mason to Be Sent to California

The body of Alvin Mason, who died Tuesday at Mercy hospital, is to be sent to Whittier, California, today for services and burial. Arrangements are in charge of the Roseburg Undertaking company.

C. M. Normoyle of Glendale Passes On

C. M. Normoyle, a well known Glendale resident, died suddenly Thursday in Portland. He had gone to Portland for treatment of a heart ailment, having been

in poor health for several months. He was employed for a number of years as sales manager for the Ingham Lumber company at Glendale, where he had made his home for the past 15 years.

Schools Asked to Hear Special Radio Broadcast

Schools throughout Douglas county are being requested by Mrs. Lula C. Gorrell to make arrangements, if possible, to receive a special radio broadcast tentatively scheduled for 1:30 p. m. Monday, Dec. 7, at which time a farewell ceremony will be held in connection with the removal of the battleship Oregon. The ship is to be taken over by the navy for salvage purposes.

Canyonville

CANYONVILLE, Dec. 3—Mrs. E. A. Sawyer of Seattle visited her brother, Emmett Moyer and his family from Wednesday until Sunday. Jim Moyer, who is a freshman at the U. of O., visited his parents Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Moyer and Norene took him to Eugene Sunday. Mrs. Sawyer went with them as far as Eugene and went by train to her home.

Mrs. Clifford Beals was operated on for ear trouble in Medford Sunday. She is expected home Wednesday. Her husband has been driving the school bus for her.

Ernie Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long, was operated on for appendicitis at Mercy hospital in Roseburg Friday night. His father heard from the hospital Monday that Ernie has pneumonia.

Mrs. Barbara Hopkins is home after visiting in Oakland with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Burnett, for several days last week.

Mrs. Victor Shaw was absent from her duties at Shaw's grocery for several days due to an attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Tudes Hughes and daughter, Joan Marie, and Mr. Hughes' brother, Jack, were in Eugene Saturday and Sunday on business.

Mrs. Lillian King spent the weekend in Ashland visiting her husband's parents.

Jack Hughes and Bill Knight of Eugene are boarding at the home of Mrs. A. E. Duncan.

Synthetic Rubber Must Wait, Jeffers Declares

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4—(AP)—Rubber Director William M. Jeffers said today that any delay in bringing synthetic rubber factories into production would be "disastrous" and that there were indications there would be some delay.

Jeffers said that "although the only sure solution of the rubber problem is to subordinate other important programs to it, the demands of the services make this impossible."

Francis E. Pope of Azalea Passes Away

Francis E. Pope, 70, a resident of Azalea, died Thursday at Mercy hospital, following a long illness. Born at Canby, Oregon, March 23, 1872, he spent 68 years as a resident of the state. Surviving are four sons and two daughters. Graveside services will be held at Civil Bend cemetery at 10:30 a. m. Saturday. Arrangements are in charge of the Roseburg Undertaking company.

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