

Food-for-Freedom Campaign of '43 To Start Jan. 4

A statewide program to swing the full weight of Oregon's agricultural resources behind the nation's 1943 war food production effort will be launched during the week of January 4, R. B. Taylor of Adams, chairman of the state USDA war board, announced.

The schedule of events agreed upon by the cooperating agencies in Oregon will carry through January 12, which has been proclaimed "farm mobilization day" by President Roosevelt.

Establishment of county production goals will be the first step in Oregon. Teams composed of representatives of the state war board, the extension service and the state AAA office will meet with war boards and farm leaders in each county to determine the best contributions that each county's farm plan can make to the Food-for-Freedom program.

The goals will represent each county's 1943 share of the nation's food responsibility to the armed forces, the home front and America's fighting allies, Taylor said. Farm resources and shortages will be taken into account in setting the goals, but so will programs to provide labor, materials and machinery needed for essential production.

Community meetings to acquaint farmers with the nation's need for food will follow during the week of January 14, preparatory to an every-farmer canvass conducted by AAA committees. Each farmer will be asked to fill out a farm plan and work sheet. Together, these forms will furnish an inventory of each farm's production capacity, show what is needed to get the production to get whatever is lacking.

The Food-for-Freedom drive will be directed by USDA war boards, concentrating the resources of every agency of the department of agriculture. This will permit all possible assistance to farmers in overcoming obstacles that stand in the way of production, said Taylor.

Wallace's Peace Plans Seen as "Feeler" for Roosevelt's Message

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foresee that South America, Asia and Africa will in the future experience a development of industry and agriculture comparable

ble to what has been experienced in the past in Europe and North America? Is it soggy sentimentality to hold out hope to those millions in Europe and Asia fighting for the cause of human freedom, our freedom? Is it the dispensing of milk and honey to picture to their minds the possible blessings of a higher standard of living when the war is over and their own productivity has increased?

The world today, as measured by travel time, Wallace said, is actually smaller than was the United States of 1787, and it is in that kind of world that the united nations soon must decide upon the guiding principles of the world-wide new democracy they hope to build.

Liberty Without Anarchy

Now the united nations, he said, "are groping for a formula which will give the greatest possible liberty without producing anarchy and at the same time will not give so many rights to each member nation as to jeopardize the security of all."

"As territory previously overrun by the Germans and the Japs is reoccupied by the forces of the united nations, measures of relief and rehabilitation will have to be undertaken," Wallace said. "Later out of the experience of these temporary measures of relief, there will emerge the possibilities and the practicalities of more permanent reconstruction."

The guiding principle, Wallace suggested, should be "the maximum of home rule that can be maintained along with the minimum of centralized authority that must come into existence to give the necessary protection."

Reds Closing Trap in Stalingrad Region

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42 miles north of Elista, the Kalmyk capital.

A third force has driven up inside the Don elbow northwest of Kotelnikovsk, where the Russians were reported yesterday within 45 miles of a juncture with troops from the north. This would close a second trap around the nazis to the east.

2. The fight around Millerovo, where the Russian drive across the middle Don has pushed on into the eastern Ukraine and wedged south within 100 miles of Rostov at the mouth of the Don on the sea of Azov.

3. On the Ukraine front, the Russians reported the capture of Chertkov, 30 miles northwest of Millerovo and battlefield dispatches said other nearby towns had been won back under the red banner in a continuing advance.

Dispatches from the middle Don front said that the Germans were rushing up reinforcements, but that the red army was striking so swiftly these new nazi troops had no time to get into position.

Nazi Attacks Repulsed

On the Kotelnikovsk front, Red Star said German counter attacks from carefully prepared defense positions were beaten down, and the Russian drive continued. It reported that the retreating Germans were abandoning undamaged guns and equipment.

The Russians also hold Maiorsky, nine and a half miles to the northwest, and Karatehev, a few miles east, all but ringing the city in the drive that has carried them down the railroad from Stalingrad despite bitter axis counter attacks.

The midday communique said that in the latest battles "our units fought their way forward and occupied a number of populated places. According to incomplete data, more than 2,000 enemy officers and men were killed."

This brings to more than 21,000 the toll of axis soldiers reported slain in the region since Dec. 12. Twenty tanks and other arms were destroyed, the newest communique said.

The night's fighting also was reported to have brought new smashes down through the middle Don corridor leading toward Rostov, increasing the Russians' chances of uniting that army with the forces fighting west on the Stalingrad-Likhaya railway and with the columns around Kotelnikovsk.

College-Military Plan Embraces "Stay Put" Urge

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—"Stay in college until called to military service," the advice given men students by Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt, is seconded here by administrative officials after studying recent announcements of the educational plan worked out by the army and navy.

The plan announced for contracting with selected colleges to train enlisted men in uniform in specified technical fields has the full approval of officials here and is in line with previous proposals by many educational groups. It is assumed that this will apply, among others, to all those now enlisted in navy or army reserve programs and those in advanced ROTC courses.

Several months, however, may be needed for this program to be put into operation, officials here believe. Pending that time, and even afterwards, there is every reason for men to continue their college work and for high school graduates to start, according to Commissioner McNutt and to educators here.

With voluntary enlistments closed except for special cases, and with selective service boards given definite instructions as to who should be left in college and who should not, there no longer is a question of patriotism involved, it is pointed out here.

More stable conditions than have existed since last fall are now foreseen, as men will know that the government will call them either for active service or to assign them to college when wanted, pending which call they can continue as usual. Should the call come within a term, provision is made for the refund of unused fees and for granting full credit earned.

Senior high school students eligible for graduation in mid-year who desire to start to college can, in most instances, be released to enter the winter term starting here Tuesday, December 29.

Deadline on Coffee Ration Stamp Cited

Coffee purchasers who have not yet used ration stamp No. 27, good for one pound, must do so before midnight, Sunday, January 3, they are reminded by the state office of price administration.

Stamp No. 28 in ration book No. 1 (sugar book) will be good for the purchase of one pound of coffee from January 4 to February 7.

Tunisia War Continues On Minor Scale

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line was sunk in the Mediterranean.

The Germans said their submarines had sunk 15 cargo ships, a destroyer and a corvette in a two-day running attack on an allied convoy bound from England toward North Africa. Three additional ships of the convoy were reported to have been torpedoed.

British submarines have sunk at least two more axis supply ships in the Mediterranean and have probably destroyed two others, the admiralty announced today.

Three of the enemy ships were hit in the gulf of Hammamet, on the east coast of Tunisia.

French Score Successes

The Morocco radio, meanwhile, announced that French forces were continuing their advance below Pont Du Fahs on the southern flank of the Tunisian front despite counterattacks by reinforced axis troops which they said had driven their lines back slightly at one point. Pont Du Fahs is 30 miles south of Tunis.

"Numerous prisoners have been taken, two 4.7 inch guns were captured, several tanks were destroyed and one enemy plane was shot down by French fire," said the communique. "In the region northwest of Teroub a raid brought in some 20 prisoners, including two officers. We suffered no losses."

Fighting French forces driving up from Lake Chad in Equatorial

Africa also are continuing to advance south of Fezzan, some 550 miles below Tripoli in southwestern Libya, the Brazzaville radio said last night.

French Somaliland in east Africa has joined the fighting French, Gen. Charles De Gaulle's Headquarters announced today. It said the flag of the Fighting French was raised last night in Djibouti. The Vichy radio announced last night that French and British troops had entered the colony.

To the east in the high North African battlefield, meanwhile, the British eighth army was advancing well beyond Sirte in its chase of Marshal Rommel's Libyan army.

Touhy Gang Smashed by FBI in Chicago Trap

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to drive them out.

Money, Arsenal Found

In the apartment where Touhy, Banghart and Darlak were nabbed, agents found \$13,533.27 in

cash, but Hoover said it had not been determined immediately whence this money came. Five revolvers, five sawed off shot-guns and one 30-30 rifle, all loaded and plentifully supplied with ammunition were confiscated.

Touhy, 44, prohibition era liquor ruler of Chicago's north-west side, and Banghart, 42, machine gunner for the old Touhy mob and described by Chicago detective as the toughest man who ever walked into their bureau, were serving 99 years each for the 1933 kidnaping of John (Jake the Barber) Factor when they escaped.

O'Connor and McInerney were slain last night when they opened fire on FBI agents who surrounded their hideout in the Norwood apartments on Leland avenue.

The FBI men ordered them to surrender peacefully. They answered by opening fire. G-men's bullets brought them down.

Surrounded by newspapermen, Hoover read off the criminal records and backgrounds of each of the men captured or killed. Probation and parole figured in the histories of most of them and

Hoover declared "I emphasize mention of these paroles because I think it stinks."

He said he believed in "parole recently administered" but condemned the practice of "turning rats like these loose on the streets to indulge in gunplay against innocent citizens."

The Touhy raid, Hoover said, brought to 24 the number of persons killed by the FBI in the last years while capturing 55,000 criminals. This has been accomplished, he said, with the loss of only 13 agents in gun battles.

Allies Lunge Deeper Into Japanese Lines

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ed the harbor area at Meruke, in Dutch New Guinea, causing slight damage, the communique added.

BRITISH GO FARTHER INTO BURMA, BLAST AIRDROME

NEW DELHI, Dec. 29—(AP)—Advance elements of the British forces pushing into western Burma have reached the vicinity

of Rathedaung, approximately 25 miles northwest of Akyab, a British communique disclosed today.

The bulletin also disclosed that the RAF had twice attacked the important Japanese airdrome at Magwe yesterday in a follow-up to a heavy aerial assault on the same objective Sunday. Magwe is about 120 miles east of Akyab.

Bombs were dropped on a runway and among grounded aircraft and the airdrome was shot up.

Loss of one fighter was acknowledged.

U. S. WARSHIP REPAIRED AFTER STRIKING REEF

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29—(AP)—Secretary of the Navy Knox said today very early in the war an American battleship had struck an uncharted reef but had long since been repaired.

He gave no detail of the occurrence nor did he say where it occurred.

The reports about which the secretary was told were that the incident had occurred in the south Pacific.

The secretary also said that the navy did not plan to release its enlisted men over 35 as the army intends to do where possible in the cases of men who were drafted. He explained that such a policy would not apply to the navy because the navy has not heretofore taken men through selective service and therefore would not be affected by the recently announced selective service policy against drafting men over that age.

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Resolve to be a Really Good Cook

There's nothing quite so wasteful these days as economically prepared meals that the family just won't eat. And as victory begins at home, in fact, right in our own kitchens, why not start off 1943 by trying to be a really good cook.

Naturally, planning meals ahead is difficult with restrictions and rationing programs—but meals must be nutritionally good. As it's sometimes easier to plan well-balanced menus if you have a pattern by which to go, I think you'll find the ones given below particularly helpful.

BREAKFAST PATTERN

Fruit or Juice
Cereal with Milk
Eggs Occasionally
Toast or Other Bread
Milk
Coffee for Adults

DINNER PATTERN

Meat, Fish or Poultry or Protein-Rich Made Dish
Potato or Other Starchy Food (if starch is not included in main dish)
A Cooked Vegetable
A Raw Vegetable or Fruit Salad
Bread and Butter
Dessert
Milk for Children
Hot Beverage for Adults

LUNCH PATTERN

Light Protein Dish (cottage cheese, beans, macaroni, etc.)
Bread and Butter
Fruit or Vegetable
Salad or Fruit Dessert
Milk or Milk Drink for Everyone

YOUR FAMILY CIRCLE

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10 lb sack 49c
Apple Juice, Nu West 32 oz glass 24c
Harvest Blossom Flour, guaranteed results, 49 lb \$1.49
5 lb jar 23c
No. 300 can 15c
Corn Flakes Albers 8 oz pkg 5c 11 oz 2 for 15c
Peanut Butter Real Roast 2 lb jar 49c
Cider Vinegar Speas gallon jug 30c
Tomatoes, Gardenside brand No. 2 1/2 can 14c

SAFESWAY MEATS

Beef Roast lb 27c
T-Bone Steak lb 39c
Rib Steak lb 37c
Smoked Link Sausage lb 35c
Country Style Pork Sausage lb 25c
Beef and Veal Mock Chicken Legs 4 for 25c
Bologna and Liver Sausage lb 35c
Mince Meat 2 lb for 32c
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Quart Jar **36c**

Nu-Made Mayonnaise Pint 27c
Quart Jar **46c**

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