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Pass the Pills, Please

WHILE engaged in swapping sugar and coffee coupons with our grocer, he called our attention to a new food product...

Dehydration of foods is one of the inventions of necessity growing out of the war. Although the processes have been in use for a considerable period of time...

Now, the task of providing food for millions of people in all parts of the world, coupled with the scarcity of cargo space...

Our fighting men carry with them in a small can sufficient dehydrated rations to supply them with meals for several days.

The post-war period will find many changes in our foods and diet. Necessity, as the mother of invention, has become prolific.

Despite these great possibilities for food preparation and distribution, and the discoveries connected with vitamins and balanced diets...

Editorials on News

itary service, hoping to use them as garrison troops in occupied countries or as desk workers to release younger men for active service.

Hitler hopes, it is added, to add another two million men to his armed services in this manner.

GERMANY is undoubtedly short on manpower, and the shortage certainly hurts.

But don't get all steamed up about it. Germans reading our newspapers could easily jump to the conclusion that we too are seriously crippled by lack of manpower.

We know we could use more men, but we know also that we aren't being CRIPPLED by the lack of them. The manpower shortage is beginning to pinch in Germany, but we aren't justified in assuming that the pinch is reach-

ing fatal proportions—yet.

BRITISH bombers pester the German Ruhr district eight times in 11 nights. Essen, home of the great Krupp war factories, is the target again.

SUPPOSE the Germans and/or the Japs heavily bombed Pittsburg, Detroit and Philadelphia eight times in 11 nights. Our war production would be seriously REDUCED.

Pittsburgh, Detroit and Philadelphia are about the American equivalent of the German Ruhr valley.

THESE bombing raids on industrial centers have little IMMEDIATE effect on the fighting power of the German armies, for the weapons the German fighting forces are using right now have been ALREADY made and delivered.

But their ultimate effect can't help being serious.

NORTH Africa is still quiet. The French are pushing forward their attempted drive to Sousse, on the Mediterranean (purpose: to prevent a junction between Rommel and the axis forces in Tunisia), and have taken a couple of strategic heights along the road.

Montgomery's 8th army (British) is reported to be gathering strength for the final 180-mile drive to Tripoli. That would put it about in the neighborhood of Misurata (see map).

From this one guesses (it's only a guess) that Rommel is dug in along the narrow Misurata defile between salt marshes and the sea, getting reinforcements on his own account.

Another big fight will probably follow when Montgomery figures he's strong enough to blast Rommel out.

BRENDEN BRACKEN, British minister of information (responding roughly with our Elmer Davis), says that neither the British nor the U. S. government is backing any particular candidate for leadership of the French.

He adds specifically that Britain is NOT backing DeGaulle and American is NOT backing Giraud. One gathers from his remarks that we're letting the French fight out their own political battles.

Which if true, as it seems to be, is the best way out of it. Mixing in the other fellow's political fights usually gets the mixer nothing but trouble.

Truck Operators Lag in Procedure To Up Gas Ration

Truck operators are told bluntly they can expect no increase to the original estimate for their operating gasoline after January 31, unless they cooperate in getting their certificate of war necessity in order.

Thousands of trucks will cease to roll if their owners, now able to keep the vehicles in operation because of temporary rations, do not obtain revised quotas, according to the office of defense transportation and the OPA.

OPA stated that very few appeals for revised certificates have been received from commercial operators and farmers who are operating vehicles on the basis of temporary rations, or from others who claim they should be allotted more gasoline to carry essential trucking operations.

According to ODT figures, only about one and one-half per cent of the 320,000 Pacific coast truck operators have filed appeals to date.

OPA and ODT both urge those now operating on temporary rations from OPA to file appeals for revised certificates at once. Commercial truck operators may file appeals with the ODT representative in their community and farmers should contact their nearest county farm transportation committee.

Officer Dated Here to Accept WAAC Recruits

Tech. Sgt. John T. Costello, U. S. army recruiting officer, Europe, will be in Roseburg Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week in connection with recruiting the women's army auxiliary corps.

Recently the WAAC has been given access of new duties for the air corps, and the corps has been enormously expanded. The need for officer candidates, who are selected from the ranks, is great. Thus the opportunity to become an officer has greatly increased.

Women interested in the WAAC and needing further information, should contact Sergeant Costello at the post office building, Roseburg.

OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Draft Board Asks Information On Nine Registrants

The Douglas county selective service board announced today that it desires to secure information concerning the following registrants: Fred John Nagie, Hugh Everett Baker, Jack Robert Gibson, Archibald Earl Shelton, John Frederick Watson, Fred Hall, John W. Phillips, Rickland Patrick Shannon, Mannie Vernon Andrews.

It is requested by the board that the above named registrants contact the board immediately. Any person knowing the whereabouts of any of the men named are requested to give such information at once to the selective service board at the courthouse, Roseburg, Oregon.

The board also announced the appointment of Attorney H. A. Canaday, of Roseburg, who has offices in the Kohlhaagen building, as a government appeal agent. Any selective service registrant may, without charge, obtain from Mr. Canaday advice or information regarding his rights under the selective service law and regulations and, where necessary, obtain assistance in taking appeals.

Local News

Expected Here—Miss Evelyn Wiley, of Spokane, Wash., is expected to arrive here this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wiley, on South Kane street.

Guild Meeting Announced—A very important meeting of St. George's Episcopal guild has been announced for Monday at 7:30 o'clock at the parish hall on East Cass street.

Return To Portland—Mrs. Pearl A. Hooper and granddaughter, Barbara Osborne, have returned to their homes in Portland following a visit in Riversdale with Mrs. Hooper's son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gulley.

Visiting Here—Tom Shukle, who is in the U. S. navy, has arrived here from San Francisco to spend a few days visiting his wife and also with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ritter, St. Helens, entering the navy, he was employed by the Roseburg Undertaking company in this city.

Membership Drive To Close—The membership drive of the Benson P. T. A. will close at the regular meeting of the association announced for Monday, January 18, at four o'clock at the school house. Mrs. Vernon Keel, president, has asked all mothers to be present. A prize will be given the room having the greatest number of memberships.

Former Resident Dies—Carrie Dixon has just received word of the death in Los Angeles recently of Mrs. Sarah Stroud (Sarah Ireland), who was a resident of Roseburg for many years. Her parents were among the early settlers of the Umpqua county and she was a sister of the late Alva Ireland.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



NEXT: Japs that go down with their ships.

HELPED AFRICAN INVASION

Word puzzle grid with clues: HORIZONTAL: 1. Pictured U. S. general. 10. Step. 14. Plant. 15. Weir. 16. Streamlet. 17. Flying devices. 18. Sewer. 19. Pealed. 21. Half an em. 22. Misplaced. 24. Facile. 25. Measure. 26. Color. 28. Born. 29. By. 30. Sun god. 32. Any. 33. Morindin dye. 34. Manner. 35. Novel. 37. North Dakota (abbr.). 38. British (abbr.). 40. Symbol for tantalum. 42. Tip. 44. Exclamation. 45. Distinguished Service Order (abbr.). 47. Registered. 23. Ocean. 27. Kind of bee. 29. Beg. 31. Total up. 33. Insect. 36. He engineered advance preparations for U. S. invasion of. 38. Heavy rod. 39. Compositions in verse. 41. Sour plant. 43. Come in. 44. Twice. 46. Hard outer covering. 48. So be it! 49. Group of three. 50. Negative. 51. He is a lieutenant-general in the U. S. 54. Age. 56. Likely. 58. Inevitable. 60. Tellurium (symbol). 61. Doctor of Philosophy (abbr.).

Crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a man in the center.

Concerning the NORTHWEST As Viewed at the National Capital

WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 16.—Harold Ikes, secretary of the interior, has invited congressional members of the northwest to meet with him for the purpose of discussing a site for an electrochemical development laboratory. The idea, and the appropriation for the laboratory, were sponsored by legislators from Oregon and Washington and it is hoped the laboratory will be located somewhere within those states. However, other states are pulling for it.

The plan now discussed for the laboratory requires five or ten acres, with buildings distributed as on a college campus. It is estimated that there will be a payroll of about 300 persons. With government power from Grand Coulee and Bonneville and a world of raw materials (copper, zinc, etc.) it is hoped that the laboratory may ascertain ways to use these ores and make them available commercially. The original idea was to have the federal government learn what could be done in the way of developing the clays and ores of the northwest.

Oregon agricultural college offered a site on the campus, but this was not accepted as it is expected the electrodevelopment laboratory will eventually be quite an institution of itself.

Hull's Costly Mistake Publication by the state department of the "White Paper" discloses that while Ambassador Grew, then in Japan, was warning Secretary of State Cordell Hull of the prospective war, little attention was being paid to his warnings. During that period Senator McNary and the then Senator Lewis Schwallenbach of Washington were begging Hull to prevent the shipment of scrap iron and gasoline to Japan. Thousands of tons of scrap steel were sold by junk dealers of Seattle and Portland which Japanese freighters loaded and carried away for stockpiles in Japan. Longshoremen's unions on the west coast added their protest and it was generally asserted that America was selling scrap to Japan which later would be returned as shrapnel. To the senators protesting Secretary Hull explained the "good neighbor" policy; but on his desk were repeated alarming reports, containing a prediction of the sneak attack upon Pearl harbor. The White Paper makes the lack of preparation and precaution at Pearl harbor more difficult to understand. The paper shows that the administration had full knowledge of what was brewing and what to expect but was caught asleep on the morning of December 7, 1941.

Trade Pact In Offing Conversations have been held, but not yet reduced to writing, for an agreement between the United States and Canada. The program is to place the products of this country (the Pacific north west) and Canada (British Columbia) on the same level, and the agreement is said to include exchange which would bring the American dollar down to the Canadian level. The general policy is said to have been agreed to by the president and the Canadian premier during visits of the latter to the white house. When this matter comes up, sometime before June, a wave of objection is anticipated from the northwest, which finds British Columbia a competitor in so many commodities ranging from wheat and apples to lumber.

To Study Forestry Phase One of the first bills introduced in the senate this session directs the secretary of agriculture to study the effects of tax laws, methods and practices upon forest perpetuation in cooperation with states. The secretary is directed to devise tax laws designed to encourage conservation of growing timber and study methods of insuring standing timber from losses by fire, etc. A substantial appropriation is proposed annually to carry on the work.

Welding Iron Scarce Welding iron, essential in repairing farm machinery, cannot be found in the hands of any dealer in the northwest nor in San Francisco. A grange official has taken up the subject and says that if the secretary of agriculture expects to feed the world he had better give a little more attention to the needs of American producers. There is a possibility that WPB will supply farmers with repair parts and with welding rods.

KRRR Mutual Broadcasting System, 1490 Kilocycles.

(REMAINING HOURS TODAY) 4:00—Carlos Molino's Orch. 4:30—Confidentially Yours. 4:45—Arthur Mann Reports from Algeria. 5:30—Arthur Havel's Orch. 5:00—American Eagle Club.

5:30—This Is The Hour. 6:00—Dinner Concert. 6:50—Coppo News. 6:55—Interlude. 7:00—John B. Hughes, Anacin. 7:15—Interlude. 7:25—Roseburg Hi vs. Marsh field, Boring Optical. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News. 9:15—Jan Garber's Orch. 9:30—Noble Sissel's Orch. 10:00—News Bulletins. 10:02—Sign Off.

SUNDAY, JAN. 17, 1943

8:00—Wesley Radio League. 8:30—Mutual's Radio Chapel. 9:00—Detroit Bible Class. 9:30—The Chaplain Speaks, Rev. Perry Smith. 9:45—Songs for Sunday. 10:00—Alka Seltzer News. 10:15—Romance of the Highways, Greyhound Bus Lines. 10:30—Canary Chorus. 11:00—Baptist Church Services. 12:00—This Is Fort Dlx. 12:30—The Cisco Kid. 1:00—The Lutheran Hour. 1:30—Young People's Church of the Air. 2:00—Augustine College Choir. 2:15—Treasury Star Parade, featuring Paul Heindrich in "Two Way Passage." 2:30—The Shadow. 3:00—Campana's First Nighter. 3:30—Anchors Aweigh. 4:00—Nobody's Children. 4:30—The Angelus Hour, Rev. Albert Chamberlain. 5:00—American Forum of the Air. 5:45—Evening Melodies. 6:00—Old Fashioned Revival. 7:00—John B. Hughes. 7:15—Rabbi Magnin. 7:30—This Is Our Enemy. 8:00—Hancock Ensemble. 8:30—Wings Over the West Coast. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News. 9:15—Voice of Prophecy. 9:45—Dr. Polyzydes. 10:00—Old Fashioned Revival. 11:00—Sign Off.

MONDAY, JANUARY 18

6:45—Eye Opener. 7:00—News. 7:15—Rise and Shine. 7:25—Roseburg Auction Mart. 7:30—News Bulletins. 7:33—State and Local News, Boring Optical. 7:40—J. M. Judd Says "Good Morning." 7:45—Rhapsody in Wax. 8:00—Breakfast Club, Mentholatum. 8:30—Yankee House Party. 9:00—Boake Carter. 9:15—Man About Town. 9:35—Earl Towner Concert Orchestra. 10:00—Alka Seltzer News. 10:15—Shopper's Guide. 10:30—News Bulletins. 10:35—Strictly Personal. 10:45—Two Keyboards. 11:00—Cedric Foster. 11:15—Wheel of Fortune. 12:00—Interlude. 12:05—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer Co. 12:15—Interlude. 12:20—Parkinson's Information Exchange. 12:25—Rhythm at Random. 12:45—State News, Hansen Motors. 12:50—News Review of the Air. 1:05—United Nation's Relief Luncheon. 1:30—Tom, Dick, and Harry. 2:00—Don Lee Newsreel Theatre. 3:00—The Dream House of Melody, Coppo. 3:30—Mutual's Overseas Reporters. 3:45—Songs for Service Men. 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co. 4:15—Johnson Family. 4:30—Mystery Hall. 5:00—The King's Men. 5:15—Superman, Kellogg's Pop. 5:30—Norman Nesbitt, Studebaker. 5:45—Portia Faces Life. 6:00—Dinner Concert. 6:30—Treasury Star Parade: Featuring a Discussion of "Mein Kampf." 6:45—Interlude. 6:50—Coppo News. 6:55—Interlude. 7:00—Raymond Clapper, White Owl. 7:15—Our Morale. 7:30—Lone Ranger. 8:00—Eyes Aloft. 8:30—Double or Nothing, Feecamint. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News. 9:15—Hi Neighbor, McKean & Carstens. 9:30—BBC News. 9:35—Erskin Hawkins' Orchestra. 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr. 10:00—News Bulletin. 10:02—Sign Off.

Move To Washington—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Debolt, former residents of Roseburg, are now located at Rock Island, Washington, where Mr. Debolt is employed. They formerly operated the Soldiers Home Cigar store here.

NOTICE

To veterans of the Civil war, Mexican war and Indian wars, and widows remaining unmarried thereof, veterans of the Spanish-American war and World war who are disabled to the extent of 40 per cent or more, and widows remaining unmarried of Spanish-American and world war veterans, notice is hereby given that all claims for tax exemption must be on file in this office on or before April 1, 1943. Ned Dixon, County Assessor. (Adv.)

News of Men From Douglas County In War Service

According to word received here, Burton Hale Laird, only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Laird, of this city, has been advanced in rank to captain. He was formerly in training at Fort Sill, Okla., and was transferred the first of October to Camp Howze, Tex., where he is now stationed. Recently his uncle, Technical Sergeant Carl Laird, who received part of his training in a camp at Wyoming, and was later sent to Camp Gruber, Okla., has just been transferred to Camp Howze. Carl Laird is well known here, as he was a driver for the Greyhound bus company between Marshfield and Roseburg for a number of years. He is a brother of B. H. Laird of this city.

According to word received here, Dale Woodruff, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Woodruff of this city, has been graduated in the U. S. armed guard school at San Diego and has since been assigned to a ship in the Pacific as an anti-aircraft gunner.

Holman Urges Use of Plywood When Possible

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 (AP)—Senator Holman (R-Ore) has urged the lumber and lumber products division of the war production board to use plywood from the Pacific northwest instead of steel in construction wherever possible.

He told the division that such construction could be substituted for steel in building huts for the armed forces in Alaska, and abroad.

Arthur Upton, director of the division, replied that plywood produced from Douglas fir would be available for the army and navy and that a new grade termed "hutment," has been developed by the industry for the purpose.

Lumber and lumber products are just as critical or even more so than steel," Upton wrote the senator, "but inasmuch as this is a program to house our fighting forces, it is felt plywood should be provided to meet this need."

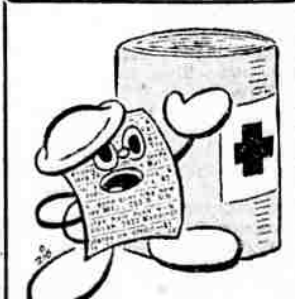
Holman told the division that material from which plywood can be produced is plentiful in the Pacific northwest.

"The question of getting an adequate supply of logs is merely that of priority on materials and equipment needed to obtain logs, and the labor market is considered in connection with ceiling prices and wages," Holman wrote the WPB.

"Whenever the government desires a more plentiful supply of logs from which plywood is manufactured, all it has to do is adjust the matters which have been brought to the attention of officials time after time during the long months.

"From this angle, the materials used in making plywood are not as scarce as steel because steel requires expensive equipment to increase production whereas all we need is the logging equipment and materials to maintain and repair existing plants."

Leaves For Pueblo—Don Gulley, airplane mechanic with the U. S. air force stationed at Pueblo, Colo., has left for his base, following a few days visiting his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gulley. Mrs. Don Gulley makes her home with her husband's parents. Don received his training at Sheppard field, Tex., and at Consolidated aircraft base at San Diego before being sent to Pueblo.



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