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In the Day's News

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a top priority and addressed to a very close relative of the king and the queen. You may be quite sure that the RAF, or the British army, or whatever organization handles such transport matters in Great Britain, would see to it with all due diligence that the aristocratically-sponsored canine was whisked to its destination in a minimum of time and with a maximum of swank and protocol.

It is wholly unlikely, however, that a casual dog being sent in a routine way to some member of the British royal family could ever get out of Buckingham palace with a gilt-edged top priority that would carry it to its destination by searce and precious air express reserved for military transportation of the utmost importance.

The British palace system, which is old and wise and far-sighted, would see to that efficiently and with NO slips. Some minor flunkey—probably a hereditary flunkey, with generations of training ground into him—would spot the pup and its fancy transportation and would mutter to himself the British equivalent of "what goes here?"

Thus the whole affair would be brought to a halt in time. THE British royal system is very, very old and very, very wise. It knows what the king must do and what he must not do.

THE king of England, COULD of course send a dog by top-flight air priority clear around the world, if he need be, and gain great kudos thereby. But it would have to be done in the RIGHT way. The right way would be to send the animal as a mark of royal favor and distinction to some British hero who had stopped a Jap charge in Burma, or something of the sort. It would then be accepted as another sign of the eternal rightness of the throne and would be highly

PRISON FOR POACHERS

By Charles V. Stanton

EDITOR V. HOWARD of the Port Umpqua Courier, published at Reedsport, has attacked a problem which we believed should be widely considered. The Reedsport editor, who incidentally, is proving that a woman can do an excellent job in newspaper publication, is urging a new state law, "with teeth in it" to stop wholesale spotlighting.

This is a subject we have heard quite generally discussed since four spotlighters, who shot a woman to death in her trailer home near Albany, escaped with fines of \$100 each, being paroled from sentences of five years in the state penitentiary.

We are not criticizing the court. We are not in possession of all the facts, other than appeared in the press of the state, which reported that a plea for leniency was made by the husband of the woman whose life was taken in the accident.

But all too frequently game law violations are treated lightly, the penalties lacking sufficient severity to discourage the risk involved. Meat rationing has been conducive to material increase in illegal hunting, particularly by spotlighters.

The Port Umpqua Courier editor says:

Right now is the time that the Oregon state game commission can really do something for the protection of wild life in Oregon by getting a law passed in the state legislature so severe that it would have a tendency to discourage spotlighters or night hunters. A law with more severe penalties would not only save thousands of deer from being killed and crippled—left lying on the highways and side roads to die—it would also protect the farmers from loss of thousands of dollars worth of valuable sheep, cattle and horses, killed every season by careless and illegal hunters. Last, but not least, it would protect human life.

The state game commission would have the enthusiastic backing of a majority of the farmers if they would get a real law enacted—one with teeth in it—with a mandatory sentence of not less than one year in jail for this type of pastime. The loss of livestock in 1943 was in the neighborhood of \$15,000 and it is expected that the 1944 losses, if they were all in, would be even higher, to say nothing of the loss of human life.

Game laws are among the most difficult to enforce. The state has never furnished a sufficient force of officers to give adequate control. In fact, it would take an army of wardens in a county the size of Douglas to do an effective job. With the state police department reduced in experienced personnel, as at present, little time can be given by the department as a whole to game law enforcement, while the few men definitely assigned to that work are limited by travel restrictions. Altogether, the situation is one, which, when coupled with meat rationing, encourages poaching, spotlighting and other illegal hunting.

The few arrests made in Douglas county have met with rather heavy penalties, but it is known that night hunters are still operating. Even though the fact is known, their apprehension remains an almost impossible task, particularly as the general public does not cooperate with police in reporting game law violations.

A law with very severe penalties, particularly in cases of spotlighting and night hunting, might act as a further deterrent, although we doubt if it would completely halt illegal activities.

Something should be done, however, to reduce game law violations to a minimum and the suggestion of the Reedsport editor is well worth considering.

Wool Growers of Oregon Ask For Various Changes

PRINEVILLE, Ore., Jan. 22. (AP)—After four years the Oregon Woolgrowers' association had a new president today in Wayne Stewart, Dayville, elected to succeed Mac Hoke, Pendleton, who declined to serve another term.

Stewart said it will be his objective in office to press for a single government agency instead of the existing three to handle wool regulations.

The association voted to work for removal of all lamb ration points during the marketing peak season.

Announcement of the Commodity Credit corporation that it will purchase the 1945 wool clip drew praise. Delegates asked congress to adjust the parity price base on wool and lambs, and opposed the sale in this country of wool from here by foreign governments.

The association also opposed increases in grazing fees while wool and mutton ceilings are unchanged and condemned further federal land ownership in Oregon.

Asked levy of a sales tax; enactment of a uniform truck size law; use of only domestic wools for government and lend-lease purchases; reimbursement to counties of taxes lost because of federal land ownership; established in all the pubs.

But just casually slipping it to a member of the family to save the delays and discomforts of ordinary freight! Such things simply aren't done.

THIS British system is centuries and centuries and CENTURIES old. It is onto all the angles. It long ago instilled into all its palace functionaries a proper sense of the fitness of things.

Our experience with the palace system is still so brief that the point on it isn't yet dry. We have much to learn. This dog incident reminds us of that sharply.

Army Cots Requested For Use at Blood Center

The American Red Cross is making an appeal to the public for army cots, which in turn will be turned over to a blood center. A great demand has been made for army cots at the blood centers and all Red Cross chapters are appealing to their communities to donate all such cots not being used. Anyone having a cot to donate has been asked to either leave it at the Red Cross office in the Pacific building or to call the office to have it picked up.

Divorce Fought When Wife Tries to Take Hogs

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 20. (AP)—A Tulsa husband showed no interest in a divorce suit filed by his wife until he learned his meat supply was involved. Served with an order restraining him from selling his five hogs, he rushed into court prepared to put up a defense.

Pay Increase Granted to Cereal Workers Union

SEATTLE, Jan. 20. (AP)—The War Labor board today ordered second and third shift premiums paid to 1500 northwest members of the Flour, Feed and Cereal Workers' union, retroactive to July 1, 1943. Premiums had been set at 3 cents an hour for the second shift and 3 cents an hour for the third shift. The union has members in Pendleton, Erewater, The Dalles, Athena and Portland.

Vital Statistics

BORN: DOLAN, To Mr. and Mrs. Edmond L. Dolan, 1224 Winchester street, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, Friday, January 19, a son, Terrence Austin; weight eight pounds three ounces.

DIED: PONSONBY—To Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ponsonby, of Azalea, at Mercy hospital, Sunday, January 21, a daughter, Patricia Mary; weight seven pounds eight ounces.

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



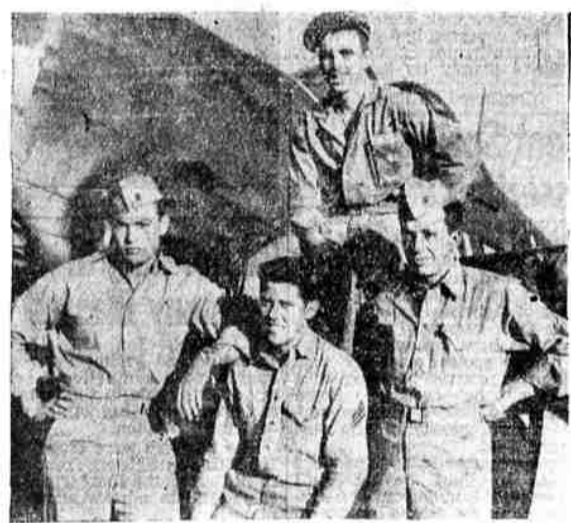
U. S. Subs Take Heavy Toll of Jap Ships

Table with columns: COMBATANT SHIPS, NON-COMBATANT SHIPS, Sunk, Damaged, Totals. Lists various ship types like Battleships, Aircraft Carriers, Cruisers, Destroyers, Submarines, Tenders, and others.



They garner no glaring headlines, their individual heroes' exploits will go unsung until the end of the war, but the Navy's submarine service has been carrying on steadily—and successfully—against the Japs since Pearl Harbor. Chart above, compiled from Navy data, includes sinkings of more than 3,500,000 tons of shipping.

Glide Man in Checkerboard Unit



Pictured are three Oregon marines and a navy corpsman all serving with the "Checkerboard", veteran marine Corsair squadron in the Pacific. They are, left to right, standing, Private First Class Russell J. Hawk, of Valley View, Ashland; Staff Sergeant Herbert C. Melvin, Glide, Pharmacist's Mate First Class Roy H. Ostrin, and sitting on wing, Corporal Lloyd E. Dickenson, Rainier.

Home of Returned Jap Target Of Fire and Dynamite

AUBURN, Calif., Jan. 20. (AP)—After marauders tried to burn and then dynamite a shed at the home of the first Japanese family to return here from a Colorado relocation camp, Sheriff Charles H. Silva announced today he had placed a 24-hour guard on the premises of Sumio Doi, eight miles northwest of town. "The government is sending these people back here," said Silva. "The constitution says they've got to have protection." Silva said the first attack on the Doi place—where the Japanese came with his parents from Lamar, Colo.—was made Wednesday night, when a wall of the shed was soaked with gasoline and set afire. Doi put out the blaze and did not report the incident immediately. Early Friday he telephoned the sheriff's office that several carloads of persons were parked on his property and shots were being fired over the house. When deputies arrived, the cars had gone, but nine sticks of dynamite were found under the corner of the packing shed.

Broadcast to Feature Kiwanis Anniversary

Horace Berg, president of the Kiwanis club of Roseburg, will be interviewed by Houston Walsh in a 15-minute radio broadcast over station KRNR at 6:30 Monday, Jan. 22. The program, commemorating the 30th anniversary of Kiwanis International, will feature a discussion of the service club and its role as a guardian of democracy in a war-torn world. Some 2,250 clubs and 139,000 Kiwanians throughout the United States and Canada will observe the anniversary of the organization, which recently announced that its administrative theme for 1945 would be "Win the War—Build for Peace." The Roseburg Kiwanis club quartet will be heard in the musical section of the program. Auxiliary to Hold Session—The Eagles auxiliary will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the Eagles hall.

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Anniversary Week Of Kiwanis Cited By Mayor Harris

Commemorating the community service activities of Kiwanis International, founded in Detroit 30 years ago this month, Mayor W. F. Harris today issued a proclamation setting aside the period of Jan. 21 to 27 as Kiwanis Anniversary week in Roseburg. Mayor Harris declared in his proclamation that local communities throughout the United States and Canada have not faltered in the face of the supreme tests of World War II and credited Kiwanis with helping to provide much of the moral stimulus. Kiwanis International, according to the proclamation, now has a membership of 139,000 in some 2,250 clubs in this country and Canada. Last year members of the service organization purchased and sold war bonds valued at more than \$1,000,000. War Aid Considerable Records also show that they donated 55,000 pints of blood, bought millions of cigarettes for soldiers overseas, served on draft, ration and other emergency boards, established canteen and entertainment centers, and kept in direct touch with upwards of 2,000,000 servicemen and women. The Kiwanis club of Roseburg will observe the 30th anniversary of Kiwanis International at a meeting to be held at noon Tuesday, Jan. 23, at the Umpqua hotel, Club President Horace Berg said today. Highlights of the program will include the reading of a message from Ben Dean, Grand Rapids, president of Kiwanis International, and announcement of the organization's objectives for 1945. Berg said that Kiwanis International's administrative theme for this year, "Win the War—Build for Peace," will be discussed.

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U. S. Naval Leader crossword puzzle. HORIZONTAL: 1. Pictured U. S. naval commander, Vice Adm. Howard. 2. Italian city. 3. Winty blanket. 4. Containing nitrogen. 5. Stage performer. 6. Fogues. 7. Erects. 8. Pacific. 9. Younger. 10. Vegetable. 11. Loose egg. 12. Near. 13. South-sayer. 14. Roman date. 15. Not any. 16. Guinea (ab.). 17. Fish. 18. Girl's name. 19. Garrett. 20. One who repairs. 21. Area measure. 22. Upward. 23. Paid notice. 24. Accomplish. 25. Yes (Sp.). 26. Universal language. 27. Symbol for actinium. 28. Transpose. 29. Krome (ab.). 30. Mother. 31. His ships. 32. The Japs. 33. Acid fruit. 34. Light brown. 35. Bombard fiercely. 36. Goddess of infatuation. 37. Peetition. VERTICAL: 1. This is active in the Pacific. 2. English. 3. Sulfurman. 4. Volcano. 5. River (Sp.). 6. Ascends. 7. Fish. 8. Melodies. 9. One who paces. 10. Bear. 11. The gods. 12. Aircraft. 13. Seeks to attain. 14. Glitter. 15. Blasts. 16. Idolize. 17. Performs. 18. Series of links (pl.). 19. Engines. 20. Fresh. 21. Capers. 22. Demesne. 23. Journey. 24. Fabulous birds. 25. Part of "be". 26. Dread. 27. Greek letter. 28. Station (ab.). 29. Ream (ab.). 30. Symbol for cerium.