

Russian Tanks Excel U. S. Type, Gen. Collins Says

WASHINGTON. — (AP) — Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Army chief of staff, says that "frankly our tanks aren't as good as the Russian tanks."

He said that Russia now has the best but that he had just seen in Detroit a light tank as good as any in the world and "all we need is a little money to buy them."

He said he also saw prototypes of medium and heavy tanks as good as any in the world.

Collins also said:

1. The armed forces have plans ready for moving in to maintain order and handle the situation in event of atomic attack on the United States.
2. As of the moment, the de-



LOCAL FIRE LADDIES PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS—Pictured above are three members of Roseburg's fire fighting force, busily engaged in preparing lighting effects to be set up along Jackson street, between Lane and E. 2nd Ave. So., during the Christmas season. According to City Manager Matt Slankard, \$700 was donated by the Retail Merchants Ass'n, to be used for the purchase of Christmas decorations for the city. Wire, sockets and insulators were procured and are now being assembled by the firemen. Each unit will be approximately 37 feet in length, with sockets set every two feet. Slankard said 70 strings will be set up. Pictured above are Chief William E. "Dutch" Mills, Bill Chalmers, and Assistant Chief A. F. Tony Shukle. —(Staff Photo).

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fenses of Alaska are inadequate but would be reinforced quickly in case of an emergency.

3. Troops in Europe are in top condition. Those in the far east will be in four or five months and in the same period those at home will be "ready to fight and ready to take on anybody in the world, anywhere, any time."

In response to a question, Collins said he does not believe any general or admiral will be afraid to express his views to congress. The question alluded to protests from some congress members that the ousting of Admiral Louis E. Denfeld as chief of naval operations will "gag" all officers of the armed forces. Denfeld was fired after criticizing military policy at congressional hearings.

One Fined, One Ordered To Leave Town By Judge

One person was fined and another ordered to "leave town" in municipal court Saturday morning, according to Judge Ira B. Riddle. The cases included:

Roy Vivian Moore, 50, Eugene, who paid a \$20 fine on a charge of drunkenness, and Thomas Edward Irons, San Pedro, Calif., given a suspended \$20 fine on a charge of vagrancy.

Judge Riddle reported that Orville Ernest Prowell, 39, Roseburg forfeited \$20 bail on a charge of drunkenness when he failed to appear in court.

Admitting such a development might come some day, engineers classify "smellovision" as "still scientifically unproven."

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A 19-year-old boy, with the mind of a five-year-old and an over-protective mother are the principles in the story of "The Dark Chain." In spite of every attempt to throw him off the track in finding a double murder, George Valentine puts the finger on the guilty party. (Tonight 8 to 8:30).

The most ambitious 1949 Christmas campaign in radio has been launched by Carlton E. Morse, producer-director of Mutual Don Lee's "I Love a Mystery" program, for nation-wide support of an international Santa Claus project to provide clothes, toys and other Christmas cheer gifts for millions of war-suffering youngsters throughout the world. The famed writer-producer broke a self-imposed 20 year radio silence to appear personally on his broadcast to launch the "Santa Claus for all God's Children" campaign. Although writing and producing network shows for more than a score of years, he never before spoke into a broadcast microphone. On each of the programs for the next several weeks he plans to present brief highlights of the overseas activities of the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children, and capsule outlines of the work the group is doing to rehabilitate and provide normal childhoods for children in war-torn countries. Tonight's "I Love a Mystery" broadcast will incorporate both Friday's and Monday's episodes into a full half-hour. (10:30-11 p. m.)

AROUND THE STUDIO: Newest addition to the KRNR announce-staff is Bob McCarl, of Portland, Oregon. You'll be hearing him late mornings and afternoons on local shows. Formerly with KRNR's sister-station, KFLW, in Klamath Falls, Bob has been free-lancing in between. Top-flight now is our announcing trio . . . consisting of Lyle Fenner, Ray McPherson (in person), and newly-initiated Bob McCarl.

Students On OSC Campus From 25 Foreign Nations

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—This campus has more of an international flavor than ever before with 102 students registered from 25 foreign countries, plus 20 more from the territory of Hawaii and five from Alaska. Many from the territories are attending on scholarships provided by the last legislature.

China with 28 leads all countries in the number of students enrolled. These are exclusive of a considerable number of American born Chinese students. Canada is second with 15 followed by India with eight.

Other countries represented are Gold Coast, Union of South Africa, Burma, Egypt, England, Holland, Finland, Iceland, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Japan, Korea, Latvia, Malaya, Norway, Pakistan, Siam, Sweden and Turkey.

Nine persons from eight other countries are on the college-staff. These originally came from Austria, Canada, China, France, Germany, Greece, India and Russia.

Oregon Trail Council Of Scouts Is Dated

The Oregon Trail Area council, Boy Scouts of America, will hold their annual meeting and planning conference December 4 at the Springfield union high school, Springfield, according to J. R. Bruckart, council president. Lee Murphy, Junction City; Marvin Sanders, Springfield; Gilbert Sprague, Joseph; Kipper and Ralph Kindler, all of Eugene, have been appointed by Bruckart to make the plans for the conference.

All members of the council will plan programs for the six operating committees for the 1950 calendar. During the evening session members will elect officers and receive reports for adoption to the program.

Leaders of all cub packs, scout troops and explorer posts will be given instruction in scouting skills as a separate part of the conference.

Ralph Kindler is working on a program of entertainment for the ladies.

The star Sirius is 8.6 light years away.

Judge Issues Warrants For Violators' Arrests

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of two persons who allegedly failed to observe citation to appear in municipal court Saturday on traffic violations, said Chief of Police Calvin H. Baird.

Named in the warrants issued by Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle are Charles Lee Ford, 1544 Post street, charged with driving without an operators' license, and Maynard H. Sowell, Dillard, speeding.

Freezer Locker Buying Secret To Be Topic

The secret of buying freezer lockers will be told at an extension meeting in Roseburg Thursday evening, Nov. 9, by M. G. Cropsy, assistant professor of agricultural engineering at Oregon State college. The meeting will be at 7:30 in room 2, in the basement of the armory, announced Mrs. Corinne McTaggart, home economics extension agent. The public is invited.

Queen bees may live for six or seven years, but are usually replaced when they fail to lay large numbers of eggs.

The guanaco and vicuna of South America are the only living representatives of the camel family out of captivity.

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REMAINING HOURS TODAY

- 4:57-Fulton Lewis, Jr.—MBS.
- 4:58-Hemingway—MBS.
- 4:59-Sons of the Pioneers.
- 5:00-News—MBS.
- 5:00-Tips and Tunes.
- 5:15-Music—MBS.
- 5:30-Pom Mix—MBS.
- 6:00-Music at Six.
- 6:15-Mutual Newswheel—MBS.
- 6:30-Sports Page.
- 6:35-Music.
- 6:40-Local News.
- 6:45-Southland Singing.
- 6:55-Bill Henry—MBS.
- 7:15-Sammy Kaye.
- 7:30-Cisco Kid—MBS.
- 8:00-Let George Do It—MBS.
- 8:30-You Name It.
- 8:45-Tex Beneke.
- 8:55-Johnny Desmond—MBS.
- 9:00-News—MBS.
- 9:15-10 Nights.
- 9:30-Scandinavian Melody.
- 9:45-Fulton Lewis, Jr.—MBS.
- 10:00-I Love a Mystery—MBS.
- 10:15-Dance Orch.—MBS.
- 11:00-McPherson in Person.
- 11:30-Sign Off.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1949

- 6:00-Musical Clock.
- 6:30-News.
- 6:55-Farm Fare.
- 7:00-Rise & Shine—MBS.
- 7:00-Hemingway—MBS.
- 7:15-Breakfast Gang—MBS.
- 7:45-Local News.
- 8:15-Music & Music.
- 7:30-Book Review.
- 8:00-Haven of Rest—MBS.
- 8:15-Music for Tuesday.
- 8:30-Haven of Rest—MBS.
- 8:30-Modern Home.
- 9:15-Music at Six.
- 9:30-Man About Town.
- 9:45-Gabriel Heatter's Mailbag—MBS.
- 10:15-Sweetwood Serenade.
- 10:20-Say it with Music.
- 10:30-News—MBS.
- 11:00-Ladies First—MBS.
- 11:30-Queen for a Day—MBS.
- 12:00-Music at Noon.
- 12:15-Sports Page of the Air.
- 12:30-Local News.
- 12:45-National News.
- 1:00-Market Report.
- 1:00-Man on the Street.

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