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THAT'S WHAT WE TOLD 'EM

By Charles V. Stanton

Directors of the Shippers Car Supply committee, meeting in Salem recently to seek some solution to Western Oregon's continuing car shortage, "came to the conclusion," according to a report from the meeting, that "solution of the perennial box car shortage will not be permanent until competitive service is made available to the western part of the state where presently a single railroad dominates the transportation."

Ha! Ain't that what we've been telling 'em all along? The statement continues:

Factors influencing this conclusion were the tremendous growth of industry and population in the territory during the last twenty years and the fact that the railroad serving this area has not extended its trackage nor its ownership of freight cars to keep pace with this advance. The lumber industry is said to have more than doubled its production during this period, which has also seen development of a new industry in the production of seeds shipped to all parts of the country.

The Shippers committee also agreed that its members should do everything within their power to stimulate shipments of merchandise into this territory by rail rather than by truck in order that more cars would be made empty in communities where cars are needed for loading lumber.

Reports of the representatives placed in the field by Public Utilities Commissioner Flagg indicate considerable variation in the percentage of car requirements filled in different areas. Although Southern Pacific Co. had stated last month that it was attempting to supply better than 50 percent of the requirements of all shippers, check of station agency records in some communities showed as few as 35 percent being delivered.

If the Southern Pacific lines in Western Oregon were opened to joint usage, we'd be willing to gamble the brightest necktie we receive next Christmas that we'd not only improve our car loading facilities, but we'd also get better passenger transportation.

It would be too bad though to lose the famed Southern Oregon Nightcrawler. Or would it?

TAKE IT EASY, PLEASE

If Roseburg landlords, freed from rent controls, fail to use discretion in rent adjustments, they may soon find themselves back under regulations. It will be difficult for some landlords to resist an effort to make up for past losses, boosting rents unreasonably. Conscientious landlords should set up their own committee to police the field and try to keep increases within reason. Flagrant abuses of the privilege of raising rents undoubtedly will bring controls back tighter than ever.

Roseburg's housing shortage has eased materially, but it still is difficult to find suitable living quarters, particularly for large families. Not many unoccupied homes, even of substantial quality, are to be found in a survey of the city. "Hundreds of families still are living in house trailers."

The city council might be hard pressed to prove its claim that no housing shortage exists, but there will be no need to prove or disprove the statement if landlords will exercise restraint in rental adjustments.

So, please, Mr. Landlord, take it easy.

THE WORLD TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE, AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Should Washington decide to reverse the policy of no arms aid to the Chinese Nationalists on Formosa, that would fit a widespread western belief that Red China must be restrained from aggressive adventures.

We may hear more relative to that point when W. Averell Harriman, President Truman's new special assistant on foreign affairs, returns from consultation with Gen. MacArthur in Tokyo. Harriman has instructions to discuss the whole Far East in political situation with the general.

Communist China, despite her huge size and population of half a billion has given plenty of evidence that she has ambitions for extending her dominion and influence. Moreover, as a hand and glove partner of Russia she is the fulcrum which Moscow may well attempt to use to pry loose other Asiatic countries, one at a time.

Moreover, Malaya not only is a great prize economically but militarily. The British point out that if the Reds could gain control of Malaya they would neutralize Singapore, Britain's great naval and air base at the tip of the peninsula. A salient fact in this situation is that out of some 6,000,000 people in Malaya, 2,615,000 are Chinese. A large proportion of them were born in Malaya, but naturally the danger of their being oriented to outside loyalties has increased with the communization of neighboring China.

Overtime

The China-Russian partnership is taking full advantage of this situation and is working overtime to pull Malaya into the Red fold. This is being done partly by the usual fifth-column methods, but the British say Chinese terrorists are playing a big role, many of them coming from outside Malaya. The threat of communism in that country, it is added, is one of coercion rather than conviction.

There are numerous other danger spots—notably Indochina, where major warfare is developing rapidly—a fact which increases the anxiety of the West regarding Peking's intentions. Radioactive Phosphorous Will Tag Mosquitoes

TURLOCK, Calif.—(AP)—There will be a million "hot" mosquitoes around here in the next few days. Each will be tagged with a shot of radioactive phosphorus.

Then they will be trapped over a 10-mile radius. Geiger counters and other atomic detecting gadgets will identify them. Thus scientists will learn how fast and how far the pests travel.

Mr. Triton L. Halverson, state director of public health, said the experiment is the first use of radioactive materials to tag mosquitoes in pursuit of information about their habits.

The experiment will help check the suspicion that the type found here might be a carrier of sleeping sickness. A million mosquito larvae have been collected in big tanks.

Three's A Crowd



DO YOU SUPPOSE THIS BIRD CAN TAKE A HINT?
Goggles from the MENDING BASKET
By Vincent S. Martin

About a year ago Smith College arranged an exhibition of outstanding books in the past 75 years written by women. They chose one for each year, and published the list in a catalogue. The list was intensely interesting. Since the collection was limited to one book for each of the 75 years, it must have been very difficult at times to make the selections: think of the thousands of books that have poured out of the binderies!

Book lists always interest me, even if I can read so few of the books. For one thing it is a great comfort in these troublous times to realize that in just about every best-seller list is one or more books with a religious theme and of course, even if it is not listed on current lists, we all know and give thanks to the fact that the Holy Bible is of all books the best seller! Year after year after year... the Bible!

In the trade-journal magazines for writers one reads again and again that religious themes are wanted now, not only in the novel-type of book but in the straight-non-fiction class. There must be a reason, and the reason would seem to be that the uncertainties of modern living—especially since World War II are driving people to find relief from pressure in a renewal of the faith in the heart of each one. In emergencies strong men turn to prayer, I like to remember the fact that when our founding fathers were in a seemingly hopeless deadlock in framing the Constitution, it was suggested that all turn to God in prayer. And after this was done, things went more smoothly—the task was accomplished. Our very country, our national life, was built upon devout prayer by strong men who were not afraid to admit their need of divine guidance. How could we face the days right now without the comforting sustenance of prayer? What better preparation can we give the younger generation than to gently lead them through the pages of the Scriptures, and to fortify their hearts for whatever may lie ahead by making sure that the Bible's precious passages, strengthening promises, and comforting assurance are a part of their thinking? In times of stress the brotherhood of man is truly revealed. Who could forget the story of the "Four Chaplains?"

Older Registrants Obey Rules Of 1940 Draft Act

Oregon state headquarters, Selective Service system, announced that the local boards of the state were receiving information in connection with changes of address, marital status, etc., from men who were registered under the 1940 act but who were too old to register under the 1948 act.

"It is rather a healthy sign," Colonel Francis W. Mason, deputy state director, said, "as it indicates that the general public is gradually awakening to the fact that registrants under the Selective Service act must keep their local boards advised of all changes."

Colonel Mason continued that the only men in whom Selective Service is now interested are those born after Aug. 30, 1922. "Until such time as the congress enacts legislation raising the age for registration," he concluded, "these older men have no responsibility under the existing statute."

Joint Picnic Slated By Methodist Church

Plans are being made for the annual Dillard-Winston picnic Sunday, Aug. 13 under the auspices of the Dillard Methodist church.

The picnic will be held on East Willis creek with a basket lunch at noon. All residents of the two communities have been invited to be at the church building in Dillard after Sunday school. Transportation will be available in private cars and by bus, which will leave the church at 11 a.m.

A morning worship is planned upon arrival at the picnic grounds. Those attending are asked to bring covered dishes, salads, or desserts and their own table service. Coffee will be furnished.

In charge of arrangements are Lawrence Gastorf, Mrs. Estel Nickerson and Mrs. Charles McCord.

OSC Honor Roll Lists Three Local Students

Thomas H. Bulpitt and William H. Brady of Roseburg and Richard B. Nichols of Brockway were among students listed on the spring term honor roll at Oregon State college.

Bulpitt, a sophomore in science; Brady, a freshman in lower division of liberal arts; and Nichols, a junior in business and technology, all received grade point averages of 3.50, midway between an A and B, or above.

Sixty-three students made grade point averages of 4.00, or all A's, and the remaining number received grades of 3.50.

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In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

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Communist's horse had stumbled, and Sir Galahad had raised his lance and ridden by. THE COMMUNIST WOULD HAVE TURNED AROUND AND STABBED SIR GALAHAD IN THE BACK.

Well, you say, what would you have our boys do? Start shooting down innocent non-combatants? I don't know.

Not yet. They haven't become sufficiently hardened. But THEY WILL IN TIME. They'll have to. War just does things like that to people. Self-preservation is the first law of nature.

But it poses a problem. We mustn't ever forget that in fighting Communists, especially Communists of Mongol descent, we're fighting a different kind of enemy.

Still — Down in Arizona in the early days, Geronimo was a pretty tough opponent. His ways, and the ways of his Apache braves, weren't nice. It makes our blood run cold, even yet, to read about them. But — In time, we licked Geronimo.

Melrose

BY NETTIE WOODRUFF

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Thompson have sold their dairy farm on Cleveland hill road and are moving to Idaho to make their home near their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Simmons and family had the former's sister, Louise, as their guest recently. She resides in San Francisco.

Mrs. David Funk and son, Billy, and Mrs. E. L. Cooper were visitors at the Walter Kruse home last Sunday. Mrs. Funk is the former Georgia Emery and makes her home in Los Angeles.

Billy and Phyllis Williamson, Gail Conn and Darlene Kruse are picking beans for Rice and Moore near Dillard. Dick Dow, Jerry Feuston, Roger Reece and Jimmy Nelson are picking at Garden Valley on the Lee place.

True Hines and family of Sacramento, Calif., visited last Monday at the L. L. Whitwood home.

James Conn is building a cabin on his property at Scottsburg. He is being assisted by Jerry Stidham and Jack Wagoner.

Jack Trent, Donnalee Weeks, Dale Bonebrake and Frances Stone went to Crater Lake and back by way of Prineville last Sunday.

Jeanie Conn is confined to her home with a sore throat. Mrs. E. L. Goodburn is in Mercy

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