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PHONE 600
Ask for the Ad-Taker or a representative will call at your office.

Florists 1-A
PLACE YOUR Easter order early for lilies, potted plants and cut-garages.
CHERRY'S

FOTTED PLANTS are at their best now. We carry a complete selection of them.
FITZGERALD FLOWER SHOP

Card of Thanks 3
The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting words.
Kenneth, Bernadene and Sharon Eshelman

Lost and Found 10
LOST: Saturday nite. Side comb set with rhinestone. Valuable as keepsake. \$5 reward. Phone 2084.

Special Notice 12
DROP A CARD to Carrie Romine at 2908 N. Greenwood if interested in buying trees, shrubs, etc. from Starks Nursery. I will call.

Professional Service 13
WOODELL Chiropractor
2194 Greenwood street, phone 612-W.

Disc. 15
partly restyled and rebranded.
Mrs. Henry Lyon, 1908 St.

CHARIS HOME CORSETRY - 18
Girdles, foundations and bras.
Mrs. Celia Gates, Corsetiere,
2194 Greenwood street, phone 612-W.

Building Services 18
WIRING & REPAIRS - Prompt and efficient service. 116 Depot street. Phone 93.
LA GRANDE ELECTRIC & HARDWARE

KEM-TONE, the modern miracle wall finish for inside use. Dries in one hour with only one coat necessary.
HOME LUMBER & COAL CO.

FULLER PAINTS, Varnishes, Enamels. A paint for every purpose, inside and out. Automobile, implement, barn and roof.
ZIMMERMAN'S

FAIRWAY ELECTRIC now under new ownership. Roy Ramsey, formerly of H & S Electric, wiring foreman. L. F. Johnston, owner.

DUTCH BOY Wansover, a one coat wall paint, 2.50 a gallon.
VAN PETTEN LUMBER CO.
Phone 732

INSULATE Your Home Now, nothing down. Pay with fuel savings. Phone 732 for free estimate.
VAN PETTEN LUMBER CO.

If You Miss Your Paper
Call 600 Before 6:30 P.M.

Wood, Coal, Fuel 22

GREEN WOOD, \$7.00 a double load. For 5 loads \$32.50. West Brothers, Union, phone 2981.

Situations Wanted 23

CUSTOM WORK, mowing plowing, wood sawing, tractor work and grain grinding. 2112 Walnut, Orville Pellett, La Grande.

Help Wanted 24

MAN WANTED—Opening available, come in and let's discuss your working at MONTGOMERY WARD.

MAN WANTED for steady work in essential industry. Call 39, Pioneer Flouring Mill Co.

WANTED — Man to herd and salt cattle for the Summerville Stock association. Phone or write Wesley Street, Summerville.

HELP WANTED: Housekeeper to stay in my home. Good hours. Very desirable home. Phone 924-W.

Merchandise 25A

FULLER BRUSHES — B. T. Kitterman. Try our all purpose cleaner, wet mops, dust mops, brooms, furniture polish, waxes. 403 1/2 Spring St. Phone 346-J.

SOME EXTRA nice large chairs, rocking chairs, sewing machines some nice cupboards, one good pack saddle and bags, nice rugs, some good cook stoves, and many small articles for the home. Come in and see. F. & T. TRADING POST

PLUG-IN G. E. Mazda night lights and elements for electric heaters. Also radio tubes. ROSENBAUM'S

COME IN and see the new white embossed dinnerware pattern just received at MELVILLE'S

Miscellaneous for Sale 26

SOLO-VOX For Sale. Like New. —RADIO & MUSIC SUPPLY. Phone 805

FOR SALE: Dining room set with buffet. Wood range, St. Clair. All in good condition. Call 279-R.

UNFINISHED CHESTS in 3, 4, 5 and 6 drawers. Cedar and pine construction. ZIMMERMAN'S

1 1/2-H.P. FAIRBANKS gasoline engine. Wesco range. Also rabbit hutch, room for six does. Phone 238-W after 5:30 p.m.

TOOLS — 1/2" electric drills, electric soldering irons, light, medium or extra heavy. Diston saws, hack saws, key-hole saws. Furniture clamps, floor scrapers, Stanley planes. ZIMMERMAN'S

IMPERIAL WALLPAPER, Fix-tex and Handitex for inside decorating. TEEL PAINT STORE

WALL PAPER — See our 1945 patterns of wall paper. A paper for every purpose. Living-room, dining room, bedroom, kitchen, bathroom, halls and closets. By far the largest showing of wall paper in eastern Oregon. ZIMMERMAN'S

RICHARDS Electric and Battery Fences. Also Parmak Fences at RADIO & MUSIC SUPPLY CO.

VAN PETTEN'S Weekly Special —Sawdust, rose trelises, insulation board, Wansover paint, roll-brick-siding, steel wool, paint cleaner, wall-paper cleaner and Old English scratch remover. VAN PETTEN LUMBER CO. Phone 732

Home Furnishings 26A

LINOLEUM FLOOR Coverings. Select inlaid, cut or laid. Select is a stainless linoleum built for years of satisfactory service. Quaker-Armstrong and Congoleum print linoleum in 6-9-12 widths. Congoleum rugs 6x9 and 12x12. ZIMMERMAN'S

UNFINISHED CHESTS of drawers in three sizes. Also garbage cans and play pens. TURN'S FURNITURE STORE

Farm Products & Equipment 27

FOR SALE: DeLaval Separator, No. 15. Good running order. See J. P. Roper, 2 1/2 miles NW of Summerville.

FOR SALE: 7-months-old sorrel saddle colt out of sorrel mare, sired by "Little Grey" registered thorough stallion. See Tom Standley, 2702 N. Greenwood or call 129-W.

FOR SALE: One electric Jamesway Brooder. Used one season. Call 139-J.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE paid for cream and eggs. Baby chicks and turkey poulters for sale. Karl R. Stone, 1505 Jefferson.

Wanted To Trade or Buy 30

WANTED TO BUY: Sewing machine. White or Singer. Must be in good condition. Phone 847-J.

WANTED TO BUY: Two-bedrm. house in La Grande with acreage. Write Box 394, La Grande Evening Observer.

WANTED TO BUY: 1935 or '36 coupe in good condition. Inquire Mr. Costy at Montgomery Ward.

Rooms for Rent 35

ROOM FOR RENT, close in. Available April 1st. Call after 5 p.m. 1802 Third street.

Apartment for Rent 36

FOR RENT: 2-room furnished duplex. Gas heat and for cooking. Close in. Inquire Jones' Shoe Shop.

4-ROOM FURNISHED, ground floor apartment, private bath. Outside entrance. For 2 middle aged people. 1427 Wash.

FOR RENT: Apartment at Landis Court. Two rooms and bath. Electric stove and refrigerator. Steam heat. Phone 685-W.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Steam heat, electric stove, and refrigerator. No children or pets. Washington Apts., 1606 Washington.

Houses for Rent 37

FOR RENT: 1 1/4-acre tract, house, outbuildings, orchard and berry patch. Located at 2008 H Ave. Call 619-R.

Wanted to Rent 44

UNFURNISHED HOUSE or large apartment. Call 924-W after 6 p.m.

WANTED TO RENT: 2 or 3 bedroom modern house in La Grande. Phone Ralph Nelson, 736.

Real Estate 50

FOR SALE OR RENT: 40 acres near Cove. See Frank Conklin, 805 N Ave.

FOR SALE: 4-room modern house and garage. Close in. Call 639-J.

FOR SALE: A good buy in 5-rm. modern home. Hardwood floors, basement, furnace, garage, 2 choice lots with some fruit trees and shade tree. Located 402 Adams. Price \$4200. Immediate possession will be given. For further information call or see. CLAUDE BERRY 297 Depot St. Phone 106

Automobiles for Sale 55

FOR SALE: 1931 Model A Ford. Very good condition. Call at Lester Weld's, Island City.

FOR SALE — 1936 Willys. Good condition. May be seen at 2005 E. Penn. Ave.

Automobile Services 56

NOTICE: John's Body Shop opened under new management. Painting, body and fender work. Would appreciate your business. Mr. Carmen, S Avenue.

Legal Notices 60

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County, executrix of the estate of Ray Eugene Price, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, verified as required by law, to the undersigned at the office of her attorney, Henry L. Hess, First National Bank Building, La Grande, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first publication, March 24, 1945.
Myrtle Black Price, Executrix.
Henry L. Hess, Attorney for Executrix
March 24-31 - April 7-14

Reapportionment Law Is Approved

SALEM, Ore., March 24 (UP)—The senate bill (313) which would create a new senatorial district in central Oregon from Lake, Jefferson, Crook and Deschutes counties, was signed by Gov. Earl Snell today.

The bill's effectiveness is contingent upon the passage of senate joint resolution 21 in the next general election. The resolution seeks to amend the constitution to allow for a 31st senate seat.

The new district would be carved from the present 17th district, giving Klamath county a district all its own.

Flynn and 'Bride' Mum on Marriage

HOLLYWOOD, March 24 (UP)—Errol Flynn took Nora Eddington to the fights last night, but neither would say whether this was a preliminary step toward setting up housekeeping as Mr. and Mrs.

One thing they did say, there wouldn't be a divorce in the family. But they still wouldn't admit they were married.

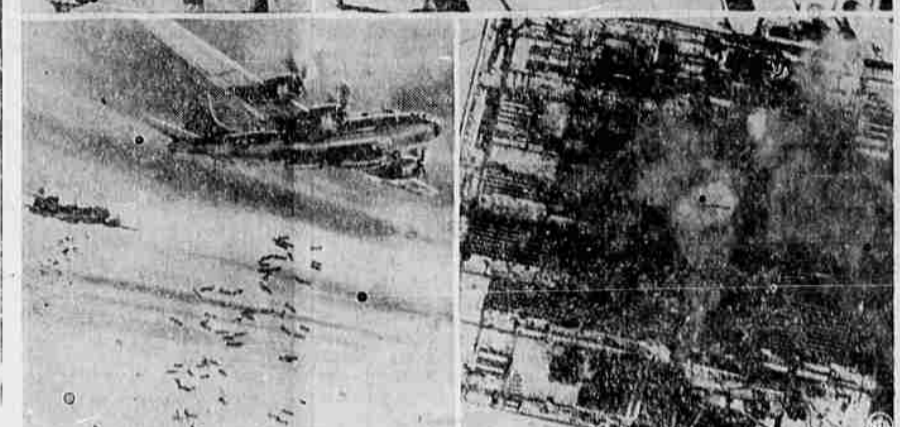
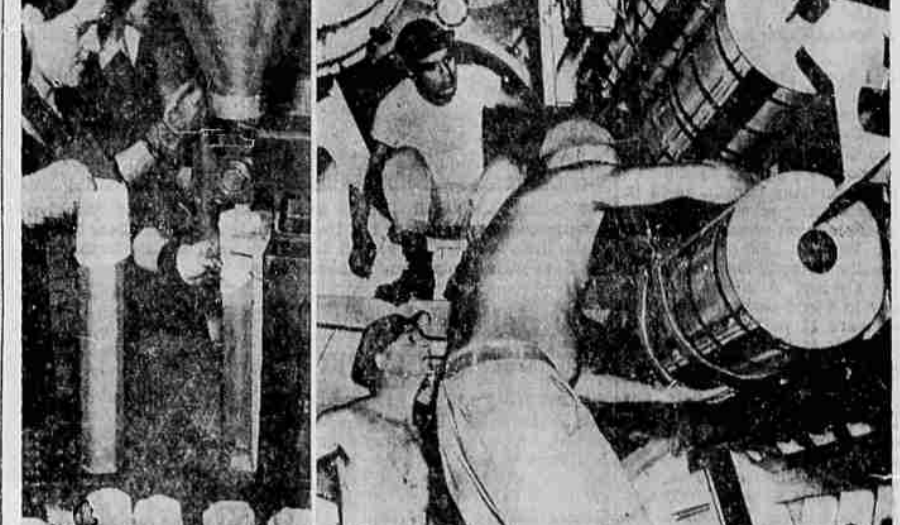
It was the same kind of "no comment" answer they had given on the subject ever since the birth of a daughter to Miss Eddington in Mexico 16 weeks ago.

FOR 'AULD LANG SYNE'

The most famous New Year song in the world, "Auld Lang Syne," was composed by Robert Burns in 1788 as an example of an old Scottish song. The words were set to the present familiar tune about 1792.

Smoke Blots Out Rising Sun

Saturation Raids with New M-69 Incendiaries Hit Jap Industries



By NEA Service

Hundreds of B-29 Superfortresses have launched full-scale incendiary raids on Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka and Kobe in recent days. These saturation raids, many of them made with the new jellied-gasoline M-69 incendiary bombs, have been even more effective than precision attacks with explosive bombs.

Because of the wide decentralization of industry in Japan, saturation raids have been necessary in order to hit thousands of little shops. Most of these shops are located in the centers of Japan's leading cities.

The M-69 looks like a piece of hexagonal pipe. Cut off square at the ends, it has no fins, receiving its stability from cloth streamers. Streamers slow the fall of the bombs to a speed

which gives them power to pierce a roof without damaging the interior mechanism.

Each bomb carries 2 1/2 pounds of jellied gasoline, loaded into a cheesecloth sack (see photo at upper left). The sack is smashed on impact, hurling the ignited "gel gas" against a structure as much as 100 feet away. Since walls in Japan are usually combustible, even bombs that do not score direct hits may start fires.

Individual incendiaries are placed in large housings, each of which encases a cluster of 60 bombs. On the first lap of its trip to Japan, the bomb cluster is loaded into a B-29 bomb bay (see upper right photo). Fusing mechanisms are attached to the 500-huge Superfortresses are ready pound admirable clusters, and the for their raids.

Once they reach their target, bombardiers rain their incendiaries down on Japan. The individual bombs fall free from their larger housings (see lower right photo). Each of the 60 bombs scatters sticky globes of burning gasoline.

Intense fire power of the bombs has proven so effective that structures of the type common in Japan can be reduced in a few minutes. Photo at lower right shows burned-out and blackened buildings in Tokyo following an incendiary raid.

The M-69 incendiary bomb was developed by the chemical warfare service, in collaboration with Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, and is now being turned out in huge quantities by many manufacturers.

City of Union Is 15 Percent Over Red Cross Quota

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\$50 of the fund through disposal of a quilt, and that a contribution of \$25 was made by the lumber and sawmill workers union No. 2689.

She expressed her appreciation for the assistance given by Christ Mitchell and Bruce Morehead, who handled the solicitation during a period while Mrs. Fehrman was ill.

Other contributors in the area were announced as follows:

Gus Anderson, Pete Brandon, Ed Bartell, Harold Brown, Orval Burnett, Floyd Burnett, Ralph Carper, Carl Clark, Ralph Coats, Ivan Cunningham, L. Collins, Steve Carr, Jesse Davis, R. L. Davis, Pete Dason, James Digging, Eric Erickson, Elmer Falk, Charles Fishback, Frank Fehrman.

K. Girdner, Jack Haga, C. Hagey, Grover Hartzell, W. M. Hartzell, Harold Hopkins, Ed Hug, Frederick Hughes, Albert Johnson, Oscar Johnson, Elmer Johnson, N. Kurisu, William Keffer, Sadie Lambert, Pete Lloyd, James Mantakes, Fred Mattes, Robert McAhee, Bruce Morehead, Arthur Motanic.

Orval Myers, Oscar Metzker, Christ Mitchell, Tom Meredith, Joe Mohley, P. M. Nelson, Mrs. Sam Nelson, Cleveland Parker, Clem Patty, Oscar Pearson, Kenneth Pierson, Hans Retersen, Carl Perrine, Rudolph Plegler, Jesse Plunket, Ray Rohn, John Sakas, Marion Salina, Darrel Scott, Gus Scroukas.

John Stevens, Joe Stephens, Eugene Shefer, Ted Stieckler, Wesley Taal, Winnie Taal, Rufus Townsend, Gust Tsiatos, Harry Thomas, Paul Unkelieh, Marsden Walker, L. White and William Williams.

Markets

Stock Prices Sag On Inactive Market

NEW YORK, March 24 (UP)—Trading in stocks shrunk to the smallest total since last October in the short session today as traders withdrew to the sidelines of the highly favorable war news.

Prices sagged irregularly after a narrow opening in which small gains and losses balanced each other. Dealings came almost to a standstill on the announcement that the allied armies of the west had swept across the Rhine.

All sections were dull. Railroad shares, regarded as the No. 1 war stocks, eased fractionally in most instances. In Delaware & Hudson, Missouri-Kansas-Texas preferred, and Nickel Plate preferred, losses extended to a point or more. Steels, easier at the opening, remained stationary at their lows of the day on very small trading. Motors lost slightly. So did coppers, rail equipments, oils, and mercantiles.

Sales were 451,640 shares compared with 400,000 shares last Saturday. "Big board" bond sales aggregated \$3,395,000 against \$6,020,100 last Saturday. Curb stock sales totaled 129,390 shares against 153,230 shares last Saturday.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (UP)—Weekly livestock:

Cattle 2160, calves 210. Compared week ago market generally steady to strong, instances 25c higher on medium grade steers and cows; market closed active on lighter receipts. Good fed steers \$15.50-18.25, top 18.50 on good to choice lots. Common-medium steers 11.00-14.50; common to medium heifers 10.00-13.50. Good heifers to 15.00. One good-choice lot 6.50. Canner and cutter cows 15.00-9.00. Fat dairy type cows to 10.50. Medium-good beef cows 10.50-13.00; medium-good bulls 10.50-13.00. Few to 13.50, one bull 14.00 Monday, common down to 9.00. Good and choice vealers stronger at 15.00-18.00.

Hogs 835. Market mostly unchanged, butchers above 300 lbs. Stronger. Bulk barrows and gilts all weights 15.75, some 15.00 with supply inadequate to fill orders. Feeder pigs active, steady, mostly 16.50-17.50.

Sheep 885. Market active, steady. Good-choice wooled lambs 15.00. Few 15.75 with strictly fat lambs quotable to 16.00. Medium predominated late at 13.50-14.25. Good slaughter ewes 8.00-8.50. One lot 8.75.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON, March 24 (UP)—Foreign wools for nearby delivery continued scarce this week in the local wool market, the war food administration reported today in its weekly wool review.

It was reported that the bulk of Texas 1943 and 1944 wools remain unsold; as buyers refuse to pay clean prices comparable to those of territory wools of similar grade and staple. The comparatively small weight of these wools sold was of lots which were free of any vegetable matter.

Shearing of the new clip was said to be well underway and well ahead of last year both in the territory and fleece wool states.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 24 (UP)—The new allied crossings of the Rhine river caused grain futures to sag on the board of trade today.

Wheat closed of 3/4 to 1 1/4 cents a bushel, corn off 1/2 to 3/4, oats of 1 to 1 1/4, rye down 3/4 to 1 1/4, and barley off 3/4 to 1 1/4.

The crossings and the rapid progress which followed led to general selling of all grains.

Wheat trading was light and at no time were prices above the previous close. In addition to the good war news, favorable crop reports had a bearish influence on wheat. Traders ignored the high cash wheat prices and the announcement that the government will begin purchasing soft wheat flour here Monday. Likewise, the freight car shortage, which showed no signs of improving, failed to bolster the market.

Rye was more active than the other grains and weakened on selling incited by the war news. Rye lost the strength loaned by reports of huge export sales, "yet unconfirmed."

Corn followed the trend of other grains and the December delivery dropped below \$1.05 for the first time this season.

A broker with cash and elevator connections sold oats early in the session. Later, selling became general as a result of the war news, but also because of the approach of the lake shipping season, which will mean extensive importations of Canadian oats.

Shipping Periled as Storm Lashes Coast

COOS BAY, Ore., March 24 (UP)—All shipping was tied up in Coos Bay harbor today as a raging storm nearly foundered a tanker with all hands and forced another tanker to turn back after attempting to cross Coos Bay harbor.

After being held off the bar for five days, a steam schooner last night took a pilot aboard off Port Orford and succeeded in crossing the bar between breaks in the churning seas. This was the only ship able to get across, and indications today were that the storm would continue.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (UP)—Grain exchange. Wheat range unchanged.

Cash grain:

Wheat: S white hd wh app 152; S white hd wh no Rex 152; white club, 152; western rd 152; hard red winter ordinary 152;

hard white Barg ordinary 152. Coarse grain:

Oats No. 2 38, white 48.50; barley No. 2 45 47.60.

Silesian Bastions Captured in Red Drive On Vienna

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from the capital, before being halted yesterday. German broadcasts admitted.

The Germans said a battle was raging in the outskirts of Gdansk. Other German broadcasts said Soviet pressure was increasing all along the Oder front between Kucubin and Frankfurt, 16 miles to the south.

The Russians have been attacking Klessin, 33 1/2 miles east of Berlin and nine miles south of Kuestrin, fiercely "from all sides" for nine days, the German said. The reference to "all sides" indicated the fortress town two miles west of the Oder may have been surrounded.

Last Rites Are Held For Jesse Lovelace

Funeral services were conducted March 18 in Rosalia, Wash., for Jesse (Spec) Lovelace, 49, the son of Mrs. Stella Carson of La Grande.

Present at the funeral services were his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wallace Miller of La Grande, and his brother-in-law, Mrs. Charles H. Jones of Union.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Earl Crow of Spokane, and two sons, Ray of Seattle and Duward of Spokane; a brother, William of Lancaster, Calif.

Floating 'Hotels' to Speed U. S. Troops On Road to Tokyo

PORTLAND, March 24 (UP)—One of the navy's "floating hotels" — an auxiliary personnel vessel — which will eliminate need for permanent shore facilities on islands on the road to Tokyo, was put into service today.

The first of six APAs to be converted by the navy to "floating hotels" is the USS (LST-1161) and Steel Corp. yards. It is a personnel transport vessel 265 feet long and carrying a complement of six officers and 65 enlisted personnel. Barracks are provided for 800 men. Fully APAs have been or are being converted for the navy.

A feature of the craft is the recreation facilities. The ship carries a small band organ, piano, instruments for a nine-piece orchestra, library, equipped sound movie theater, and equipment for back, tennis and other games.



READY TO SAY "YES"—Erlo Galbraith, 21 year old Arkansas girl, has indicated she will say "yes" to the all-important question which Al Johnson, 56, said a day or two ago he will ask her when he returns to Hollywood.

Hirohito Bombing Urged by Former Teacher in Japan

SEATTLE, March 24 (UP)—A rain of bombs on the Japanese imperial palace in Tokyo was urged yesterday by Dr. Jesse Steiner, former resident of Japan.

Steiner, now executive officer of the University of Washington sociology department and who spent seven years as a teacher in Japan, said spicing of the shrine now is "unrealistic and absurd."

"Bombing the palace and hitting the old gentleman himself wouldn't be