

Move to Build Up Sheep Flocks Is Sought By OPA

WASHINGTON, June 29 (UP)—The government is considering a new subsidy to lamb producers, not to bring lambs to market but to keep them off, it was learned today.

This may seem strange in days of meat shortages but the producers say they can't meet costs at present ceiling prices. As a result they are selling off flocks at record rates and jeopardizing the future lamb supply.

Consumers might suffer a temporary new cut in their meat supply if the subsidy were approved. But officials say they would profit in the long run. With flocks built up again, more lambs would be produced for market next year and the year after.

The proposed subsidy would be paid to producers for all lambs marketed now or over a stated period of a year or so. Officials have not yet agreed on the amount but \$1 per 100 pounds was one figure suggested. The theory is that if producers, through the subsidy, were assured of good prices for a substantial period, they would not rush their flocks to market but would be more inclined to hold some of them back.

Backers of the plan argue that if producers are assured higher prices they can afford to hold back breeding stock to re-build herds.

Opponents contend that the higher prices would encourage even greater sales. Producers probably would rather take present market prices than gamble on the future when demands for meat may drop, they say. They also maintain that lack of experienced sheep herders is the real cause of flock liquidation, not low prices.

The matter is now before economic stabilization director William H. Davis. The plan was developed by the office of price administration and the war food administration.

Germans Reveal Hitler Threat of War on Turkey

ROSENHEIM, Germany, June 29 (UP)—Germany delivered a secret ultimatum to Turkey early in 1941, threatening war if the Turks interfered with the Nazi occupation of Bulgaria, it can be revealed today.

"Proof that the ultimatum was handed to the Turks just before the German march into Bulgaria in March, 1941, has been obtained by this correspondent from an authentic German source.

It points up vividly the double-edged power diplomacy used by the Nazis when their armies were overrunning Europe and neutral states lived in continual fear of attack.

The United Press informant disclosed that Hitler, when he sent his troops into Bulgaria on March 2—with King Boris' permission—was fully prepared to war on Turkey if the Turks made a hostile move.

But Hitler operated deviously. He himself wrote honeyed letters to Turkish government leaders and held out glowing promises of post-war German favors if they would remain neutral or throw in with him.

At the same time, his foreign minister, Joachim von Ribbentrop, rushed secret orders to Ambassador Franz von Papen in Ankara telling him that the occupation of Bulgaria was imminent and that the Turks were to be silenced at all costs.

Ribbentrop Hoard Of Gold Found

LONDON, June 29 (UP)—A London News-Chronicle dispatch from Salzburg, Germany, said today that the American third division has found five tons of gold worth \$28,500,000 that has been hidden on orders of former German foreign minister Joachim von Ribbentrop.

The cache was discovered beneath the home of a former burgomeister and an adjoining house at Bad Gastein, the dispatch said. It included gold bars and British, American and Italian coins.

Ribbentrop was captured by British troops in Hamburg several weeks ago.

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 miles of tiny tubes of filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up at night. Frequent or noisy passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, restful sleep. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may also cause nagging backache, rheumatic pain, leg pain, loss of pep and energy, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Don't wait. Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills. They will relieve you in 40 years. They give lumpy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous matter from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

Words Are Weapons in Psychological War



Makoto (Truth) is the name of this 8 by 11 inch newspaper, similar to Jap papers in format. Its aim is to infiltrate Japan with true news of allied victories, thus encouraging Jap defeatism. Japs distrust stories printed in their own papers, so news has proved to be strongest form of propaganda. This airborne edition tells of American progress in Philippine invasion.



Effective leaflet urges Jap civilians to cease resistance. "Force your leaders to bring an end to a hopeless war," its message says. "That is the best prevention against destructive bombing."

Jap civilians as well as Jap soldiers are targets for propaganda barrages fired by psychological warfare teams. Here are examples of airborne leaflets dropped on Japan proper.

Allied propaganda includes colorful surrender passes dropped behind the Jap lines. Leaflets are used to convince Nipponese troops that prisoners of war are given good treatment. Some leaflets are directed to factory workers, urging them to stay away from plants that are sure to be targets of allied bombings.



Typical psychological warfare team is this group, made up of Americans and Nisei (American-born Japanese). Here they check inscriptions on a captured flag to obtain useful data.

Combat Casualties Of U. S. Forces are 7,226 For Week

WASHINGTON, June 29 (UP)—U. S. combat casualties, climbing gradually, reached 1,030,679 today, an increase of 7,226 in a week.

The total, of which 236,735 were killed, includes 966,925 army and 122,654 navy, marine corps, and coast guard casualties.

Meanwhile, Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, commander of U. S. forces in the Mediterranean theater, reported that American casualties there totaled 186,616.

He said this figure included 30,910 killed, 108,271 wounded, and 47,435 missing.

McNarney said the best estimate of German casualties in the Mediterranean theater was 1,341,690 killed, wounded or captured.

The overall casualty table:

	Army	Navy	Total
Killed	190,277	46,458	236,735
Wounded	864,302	60,986	925,288
Missing	39,255	10,965	50,240
Prisoners	114,191	4,225	118,416

From Washington, in normal times, it is possible to reach more than 60 countries by telephone.

Deeds Filed

Mary Crawford et al to Lester A. Fox et al, portions of SW 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4 all in Sec. 39; E 1/2 of NE 1/4, Sec. 31; and NW 1/4, Sec. 32; all in Twp. 2 N, R. 40 E, S10.

Mary M. Harris to Albert Harris et al, portion of SE 1/4, Sec. 22, Twp. 3 S, R. 40 E, S1 and other considerations.

Union county to Arthur Hallgarth, Lots 23, 24, Blk. 34, Hindman's addition, Elgin, \$25.

Union county to Carl Larson, S 1/2 of Blk. 30, M. A. Stevenson's addition, Elgin, \$15 and other considerations.

Arthur Hallgarth et ux to Viola Sadler, Lots 23, 24, Blk. 34, Hindman's addition, Elgin, \$10.

William W. Holden, by guardian to Mike Kleng et ux, portion of N 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 34, Twp. 2 S, R. 37 E, \$29.70.

Alex Arvans et ux to Stanley P. Miller et ux, Lots 1, 2, Blk. 31, Predmore addition, La Grande city, \$10 and other considerations.

Lee D. Houston et ux to Ruth L. Kilgore, Lot 7, Blk. 2, Pleasant Home addition, La Grande city, \$1 and other considerations.

Alberta Goodman et ux to H. S. Overpeck et ux, portion of

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE



John W. Shepherd, MM 1/C, arrived Sunday to spend a 30-day leave with his wife, the former Betty Jennings, 1706 Cedar street. Shepherd, who recently returned from 18 months' service in the south Pacific, will go to Bremerton, Wash., for reassignment.

The 7th fighter command headquarters on Iwo Jima reports Roland K. McCoskrie, 23, of La Grande, has been promoted to major at that army air forces base.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. McCoskrie, live at 1305 Oak street in La Grande, and his wife, Mary Louise, lives in San Francisco. He was graduated from La Grande high school in 1939 and entered the service in January, 1940. A sister, Jean F. McCoskrie, is a seaman first class in the WAVES.

Information that their son, Fabian Cote, reported missing in the Philippines since March 12, was a passenger on an evacuation plane which failed to reach Leyte on a mission from Mindoro, has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Dona Cote of La Grande, former residents of Island City.

They were informed the plane crew radioed that they were returning to Mindoro and it is believed the plane was forced down by bad weather.

Sgt. Cote's commanding officer informed the soldier's parents the plane, a hospital transport, was taking 33 soldiers for a change of climate or to be discharged when it was reported missing. He said that even though Sgt. Cote was not in good health (due to asthma) he did his work as an arc welder well and was well liked by all with whom he worked.

Army air force officials at Roswell, N. M., have announced that 2nd Lt. Elwin C. Houle of La Grande is taking a five-week course there as part of his transition training to become a flight engineer on a B-29 Superfortress.

When he and two other members of his unit complete their course they will join other members of the crew for operational training. The three-man unit consists of the plane commander who actually flies the ship, the pilot, who serves as his assistant, and the flight engineer, who "engineers" the plane to and from its bombing expeditions.

Among a large group of overseas veterans who received discharges today at the Fort Lewis separation center was Pfc. Vernon C. Martin, 1606 Washington avenue, La Grande.

Pvt. Ormond Emmons has returned to Camp Hoxie, Texas, for advanced training after a furlough with his mother and brothers. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Emmons. He entered the service last January.

Lt. (jg) Douglas V. Olds has returned to the western Carolines after a leave in the states. He is a navy pilot, commissioned at Corpus Christi in 1943, and for 16 months was a member of the famous navy Black Cat squadron, which operates at night.

After the completion of his missions, he was made aide and private pilot to an admiral in the navy air corps.

With his wife, the former Ruth Jeanne Zurbrick, Lt. Olds visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Zurbrick. They went to California for the rest of his leave, and Mrs. Olds returned with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph F. Olds of Camas, Wash.

Today We Pay Tribute to—



Peter Carl Westenskow AOM third class, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Westenskow of Imbler.

He enlisted in June, 1942 in the V-7 program. He attended school at Brigham Young university and Eastern Oregon college. In July, 1943, he was sent to Berea university, Berea, Ky., for further instruction and from there to Great Lakes naval training station, Ill., to Norman, Okla., and to Alameda, Calif.

He lived all his life in Imbler until entering the navy.

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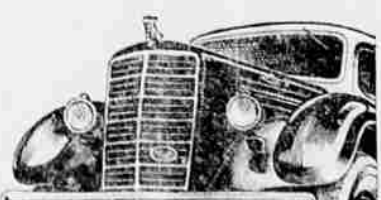
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