

City News In Brief

TWO INITIATED—Dorothy Elliott and Edward Elliott were initiated into Kappa Delta Pi, honorary national education fraternity, this afternoon at Corvallis, where both have been attending state college. Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, is speaker for the banquet which is to follow this evening; toastmaster will be Dean Jewell, dean of education. Both Dorothy and Edward Elliott took their undergraduate work at Eastern Oregon college of education and took their masters' degrees at State college. Mr. Elliott will be superintendent of schools at Umatilla next year.

NO ONE INJURED—Automobile owned by A. H. Tiffany was hit early today on Fir street by an unidentified driver coming from an alley. Damage was slight.

BOYS LOSE WAY—Two out-of-town boys will be glad when La Grande's street markers are planted. Visiting at the home of a friend, the two boys walked down town to see a show—had an enjoyable evening—And then spent two hours trying to find their friend's house again. Finally they asked police.

NEW FORMS—New forms for traffic reports have been received and will be put into use soon, Chief of Police Clyde Lund announced today. The new forms, while smaller, are similar to the ones previously used, but are printed on yellow paper instead of white.

SHOW PEOPLE HURT—Miss Dorothy Peterson of Seattle, who runs a concession with American United Shows, which played here two days ago, now playing in Baker, was seriously injured when a horse ran away with her Thursday. Two fingers of one hand were severed and she received several deep face cuts when the horse stepped on her. A near accident was avoided Monday night when a strong wind blew a chair from under Harry Matthews, performing 115 feet in the air on a trapeze. Matthews caught the trapeze rope several inches above the bar with one hand and managed to avoid a serious fall.

NO INJURY—Automobile driven by Constance E. Miller, La Grande, collided with an automobile driven by Martin Maine, Pilot Rock, yesterday afternoon on highway 30, police reports show. Damage was estimated at \$100.

ONE ARRESTED—Robert Wilbur Byer, Imbler, was arrested by city police last night on a charge of reckless driving. He was cited to appear in city court today.

ON BUSINESS—A. H. Labbe was in town on business yesterday.

PROMOTED—Miss Hazel Trolinger has recently been promoted to secretary to the vice-president of the Plomb Tool company, according to word received here today.

BACK ON JOB—Jimmy Kain, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kain, 2006 East N, has returned to work following recovery from a concussion received July 12 when he fell from a farm wagon.

TO PRAY ROSARY—Friends will pray the rosary for William Conarty, who died Sunday, at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Snodgrass funeral home. Funeral services will be held at the Catholic church at Union at 10 a. m. Wednesday, with Rev. Father Baumgartner officiating. Burial will be in Union cemetery.

Annual Canadian catch of halibut amounts to more than 30,000,000 pounds.

New Ration Book Due in December; To Be Last One

Gasoline Book Also Due To That Time

WASHINGTON, July 24 (UP)—Price chief Chester Bowles announced today 150,000,000 copies of war ration book five—which he hopes will be OPA's last—will be distributed between Dec. 3 and 15.

At the same time, he said 23,000,000 motorists will get new "A" gasoline books, the third edition since gas rationing began. The agency hopes, Bowles said, these will be the last of the wartime ration series and that there will be plenty of stamps in them "we won't have to use."

Short Supply
Bowles said book five was designed to serve from 10 to 15 months because "it looks as if a ration book will be needed at least through most of next year." He said the supply agencies—the department of agriculture and war production board—has informed OPA meats and fats, canned goods, sugar and shoes "all will be in tight supply for some months to come."

Bowles described book five as "smaller than a dollar bill" and as much of a delight to a housewife's eyes as a ration book. He said the stamps are the same size as in book four but the number and letter combination is "out."

Less Work
"All the housewife and grocer have to remember is that stamps of certain numbers are good," he said.

Both book five and the "A" gasoline books will be handed out by school teachers in public buildings throughout the country. The new gasoline book, with five sets of stamps for a 15-month period, will become effective Dec. 22. Ration book five will not go into use before Jan. 1.

Searchers Hunt For Girl's Body

PORTLAND, July 24 (UP)—Searchers today were attempting to recover the body of Betty L. Williams, 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Minnie Williams, who drowned Monday in the Sandy river near the Troutdale bridge. Strong currents that had caught her hampered rescue efforts of her brother James, 17, and sister Wanda, 10. James was pulled to safety by Theorn Martin, but Martin's efforts failed to save Betty.

PLANT SEIZURE CERTAIN
PORTLAND, July 24 (UP)—Military seizure of the Springfield plywood corporation plant appeared certain today after AFL spokesmen said they were unable to get striking workers back on the job.

FIRST USED AS MEDICINES
At first, tea and coffee were used as medicines, and did not become popular until they became more pleasant to the taste by a better knowledge of brewing and the addition of sweetening.

An expedition headed by Dr. Alfred Wegener found ice in the center of Greenland more than one and two-thirds miles thick.

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1944, Jan.-June 33,000,000 Tons	1945, Jan.-June 26,000,000 Tons

SOFT COAL	
1944, Jan.-June 319,000,000 Tons	1945, Jan.-June 297,000,000 Tons

BUY COAL NOW!—Urging coal users to lay in supplies now, while demand is light, the solid fuels administration points out that anthracite (hard) coal production during first half of 1945 was 19 per cent below same period of 1944. Bituminous (soft) coal output was 7 per cent off. Chart above indicates comparative productions.

Stock Market Dull; Auto Shares Strong

NEW YORK, July 24 (UP)—Strength in aircraft, automobile and steel shares today featured an irregular, dull stock market today.

Trade fell off to around the lightest levels in three months as traders moved cautiously. Early in the session yesterday's losses were expanded, but when the small recessions failed to bring in liquidation the market rallied.

Douglas aircraft and Grumman each rose more than a point. Chrysler at its high was up a point in a firm automobile section. The leading steels gained fractions. Some of the rails, mercantile shares, utilities, and sugars moved ahead. Airlines were steady to easier with American off more than a point.

New York state had 1,345,000 milk cows on its farms in 1942.

Markets

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO, July 24 (UP)—Hogs—8,000; active, fully steady. Good and choice barrows and gilts 140 lbs. and up at \$14.75, ceiling; good and choice sows \$14.00 complete clearance.

Cattle—6,500; calves—700 choice fed steers and yearlings steady to strong, active early, closed slow, all others slow, unevenly steady to 25 cents lower. Good grades at 1550-1560 showing most decline, top \$13.90 on yearlings, bulk fat steers \$14.75-17.35, grassy kind most \$13-15, heifers steady, best \$17; cows, bulls, slow, steady to weak, vealers fully steady at \$16.50 down, good beef cows \$25-1250; cutters \$8.50 down, heavy beef bulls to \$15.50.

Sheep—500; native spring lambs steady to 15 cents lower, western absent. Good and choice grade \$16.35-16.40, practical top \$16.25, with bucks out at \$1.00 discount some good lambs 15, few common sort-outs \$12.50-13, shorn old crop lambs and yearlings practically absent, aged ewes steady, good and choice shorn native ewes \$25-335 common light weights down to 7.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, July 24 (UP)—Livestock:

Cattle: 125, calves 25. Active, steady; quality mostly medium and below; steers scarce early. Few common-low medium heifers 10\$10.00-12.25; some held higher; cutters down to \$9.00; canner-cutter cows \$6.25-8.50; fat dairy type cows \$9.00-10.00; beef cows to \$12.00; choice light vealers quotable to \$15.00; good calves and vealers salable \$14.00-14.50.

Hogs 25. Few sales steady. Weights 148-285 lbs. \$15.75; sows \$15.00; choice feeder pigs salable \$20.00.

Sheep 600. Active, steady. Medium-good spring lambs predominated at \$12.00-13.00; few good-choice \$13.25-14.00; one lot choice 98 lb. \$14.50; common lambs mostly to feeder buyers \$10.00; good yearlings \$10.50; one deck Monday \$11.00; good ewes \$6.25.



THE ORTANS, world-famous teeterboard acrobats with the big Russell Bros. Pan-Pacific Circus.

Acrobatic Wizards Give Circus Crowds Thrilling Action

If it's action you want, the Ortans will hurl it at you in exciting measure, for this troupe of acrobatic teeterboard wizards, conceded to be the greatest act of its kind, and one of the top-flight features of the big Russell Bros. Pan-Pacific railroad circus, coming to La Grande, Friday, July 27, has almost a corner in thrilling aerial somersaulting action.

The Ortans troupe, which hails from Italy, is known throughout the world as tops in springboard triple, quadruple and tandem somersaults to the shoulders of their understanders. Somersaulting four persons high in their routine is done with amazing nonchalance.

Belmonte is "bottom man" in the family's sensational "four

high" acrobatic feat. The act features pretty Christine Ortans, who is sprung from a teeterboard to the shoulders of her brother, who is standing on another brother, atop Belmonte's shoulders.

Performances will be given at 3 and 8 p. m., the doors opening at 2 and 7.

LENGTHY VALLEY

The Great Rift valley, a crack in the earth's surface, is 4000 miles long. Geographers have traced this opening in the earth from the Jordan valley, Palestine, through the Red Sea, Abyssinia and East Africa, to Lake Nyasa.

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Denver Restaurants May Close En masse

DENVER, July 24 (UP)—Denver restaurant patrons faced the possibility of a week-long famine today when operators of the city's major eating place revealed a protest move against recent OPA red point allotment reductions was being considered.

A meeting of the Colorado restaurant association, representing about 100 of Denver's largest restaurants, will be held Thursday where members will vote on a proposal to shut down for a week.

Rex Reese, president of the group, said restaurants and sandwich shops affiliated with the association serve more than half the city's patrons. If the proposal is approved, he added, other non-member operators will be asked to close.

Reese explained the action could not be considered a "strike," since restaurants will be forced to close for lack of red points. "We have to close anyway," he said. "We might as well do it in a body to bring our troubles to the attention of the public."



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PEAR CROP INCREASES
MEDFORD, July 24 (UP)—The coming Rogue river pear crop was estimated today by the Rogue river traffic association at 2,209,000 boxes, an increase of 367,000 boxes over last year. All varieties show an increase but Boacs, it was said.

JUST RECEIVED!

- Ammunition . . . 12-16 and 20-ga. shotgun shells, 22 L.R. and 30-30 Rifle shells. (Sale subject to farmer use).
- Crescent Wrench Parts
- Starrett Speed Indicators
- No. 2 Lamp Chimneys
- No. 2 & 3 Lamp Burners
- 18-in. Rigid Pipe Wrenches
- 2-Gal. Thermal Jugs
- Coping Saw Blades
- R.R. Lantern Batteries
- Sewing Machine Oil Cans
- Pyrex Flameware in Skillets and Sauce Pans
- Cup Grease, 1-lb. cans
- Acid Core Solder
- Dog Collars & Harness
- Vollrath Enamel Ware
- No. 4 and 5 Screen Door Hinges
- Baby Jumper Springs
- 32-oz. Size Mop Heads
- Miller House Brooms
- Fruit Picking Ladders
- Farriers Hammers
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