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## Government Agencies Plan Check On All Delinquent Registrants

On January 4, 1943, National Headquarters announced start of a nation-wide program to eliminate delinquencies under the Selective Service Act. Designed to locate for compliance or prosecution all delinquent registrants and non-registrants, the program involves cooperation of United States Attorneys and representatives of the Federal Bureau of Investigation as well as all agencies of the Selective Service System.

Principal mechanics of the program are outlined in local board release no. 173, same subject as above, and details of the plan to be followed in Oregon are contained herein.

In order that the delinquency files of this headquarters and of the United States Attorney, Oregon district, may coincide with data on file in Oregon local boards, a list of delinquents on file at state headquarters and not yet cleared is being prepared in duplicate of each local board and will be forwarded as soon as possible to each local board for

check with its files. Immediately upon receipt of the list, the local board should check its files to determine whether any names have been omitted or erroneously listed. Necessary additions or deletions will be made on both copies of the list and the original returned to state headquarters.

By means of the lists referred to in the preceding paragraph, this headquarters will make any necessary correction to its own files and also check with the files of the United States District Attorney. This action will not eliminate local board responsibility for compliance with paragraphs 8 and 9, local board release no. 173, in which the local board is required to furnish certain information to the United States District Attorney.

Local boards are requested to utilize radio and newspaper publicity to the fullest extent to locate any delinquents whose whereabouts are unknown. A list of such delinquents shall be furnished by the local board to newspapers in the local board area requesting that such delinquent registrants communicate with the local board at once and asking any information as to their current addresses. A similar list should be furnished to any radio stations located within the local board area. Local boards are urged to notify the newspapers and radio stations as soon as any of the listed delinquents have been located.

## Elected Principal



Floyd Light, assistant superintendent of the Silverton school system, who has been named principal of Sandy union high school effective July 1, to succeed George D. Orr. The latter will become Lincoln county superintendent.

## Potato Price Ceiling Clarified by Ruling

Recent OPA regulations have clarified the potato price ceiling situation somewhat, says E. R. Jackman, extension crop specialist at Oregon State college.

The maximum price allowable on U. S. No. 1 Netted Gems or Burbanks in January is \$2.25 per hundred. This is the price f.o.b. country shipping point. In some instances dealers are paying this amount to the farmers, although in other cases some deduction is made for local handling and loading. Specified premiums are allowed for special packs such as where all potatoes are above a certain size.

If farmers sell direct to retailers instead of to carlot distributors, they may charge the basic ceiling price plus transportation costs, plus 25 cents per hundred. If sales are direct to consumers by house-to-house canvases, the ceiling is the basic figure plus transportation, plus \$1 per hundred, says Jackman.

Mrs. Ella Lucas of Gresham is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Gunderson, and family.

Mrs. A. W. Bell is still confined to the hospital, and it is expected she will be there for several weeks.

## IT TAKES BOTH!



U. S. Treasury Department

## It Takes Both, War Bonds and Taxes, to Win — Victory Tax Special Direct Levy Asked to Help Meet Heavy War Costs

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Approximately 50,000,000 American workers began to make an added contribution to the War cost this month in the form of a 5% Victory tax.

For many millions of Americans the Victory tax and the 1943 income tax are the first direct levies to be made by the Government to meet the staggering War costs. And it will take both . . . taxes and War Bonds . . . to provide the supplies and materials to win the War and the peace afterwards.

The Treasury Department estimates that the Victory tax will raise approximately \$2,000,000,000. Every person receiving more than \$12 per week must pay the Victory tax upon that part of his income over and above the \$12. For example, a married man with a salary of \$50 per week, with two dependents, would make only a net payment of \$1.06 per week after allowance for post-war credit.

The Government has made every effort to make the impact of the new tax as light as possible. The law, in effect, provides that in the case of married persons whose sole income is from wages or salary, 40 percent of the Victory tax paid (up to a maximum of \$1,000) plus 2 percent for each dependent (up to a maximum of \$100) may be used as a credit against whatever Federal income taxes the individual may owe at the end of the year—provided he

has purchased certain War Bonds, or paid old debts or paid life insurance premiums equal to the amount of this credit. In the case of single persons this credit will be 25 percent of the Victory tax paid (up to a maximum of \$500). Should the Victory tax credit exceed the individual's Federal income tax, the unused portion of the credit may be refundable to the taxpayer.

Even with the Victory tax, the 1943 income tax, and all other taxes paid by individuals, the average American will have more money with which to buy War Bonds than he has ever had before. Here are the statistics which explain that statement: In 1940 the total income payments made to the American people amounted to about 76 billion dollars. In that same year the total personal taxes paid, Federal, State and local, were roughly 2.5 billion dollars, leaving 73.5 billion dollars of disposable income. During 1943 total income payments are expected to rise to 125 billion dollars and total personal taxes under existing revenue legislation will be 15 billion dollars—leaving 110 billion dollars of income at our disposal as against only 73.5 billion dollars in 1940.

U. S. Treasury Department

## Three Die in Trailer Blaze Local Man and Daughter Victims

Trapped in a trailer house when it was engulfed in flames from an exploding drum of gasoline at the Western Auto Court, S. E. 164 avenue and Stark street, Jesse Pritchard, 24, meat market clerk at Sandy Market in Sandy, and his 2-year old daughter Ardeth, were burned to death Monday night.

Mrs. Nellie Pritchard, 22, sister-in-law of the dead man, was burned in the blast and subsequent blaze and was taken to Providence hospital, where she died at 3:15 a.m. Tuesday.

According to information given Deputy Sheriff Louis Kestner, Pritchard and his daughter were visiting his sister-in-law on the way to see Pritchard's wife, who had given birth to a son Monday morning at Portland sanitarium. Joe Pritchard, owner of the trailer and brother of Jesse, who was working at the Oregon Shipyard at the time of the tragedy, was summoned. He was at the hospital when his wife died.

The two had been in the place only a short time when a sharp explosion rocked the auto camp and the trailer was soon curtained by crackling flames.

J. W. Carper and Elby Jones, residing in adjoining trailers, heard the blast and rushed to the blazing structure, which was described by one of them as "hell on wheels."

Carper, several times driven back by the intense heat, finally managed to kick open the door and Mrs. Pritchard, her body horribly seared, staggered outside and collapsed. Jones hurriedly rolled her in a blanket and she was rushed to a hospital.

The two men, unaware that death, cloaked in smoke and flame, had invaded the living quarters of the Pritchard family, summoned the Parkrose and Gresham fire departments and the responding departments prevented the blaze from spreading through the trees to other trailers parked at the court.

It was only after the fire had been subdued that the bodies of Pritchard and his small daughter were discovered in the charred ruins.

Joseph Pritchard told the officers that the gasoline was used in a three-burner cook stove but because of the cold weather the family had burned it more than usual to help heat the trailer house. It is believed that the occupants were attempting to fill the stove with gasoline when the explosion occurred.

Jesse Pritchard was the son of Mrs. Ed Pryor, formerly of Bend, Oregon. He married Lyla Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Jones of Sandy on September 8, 1940. Mrs. Pritchard is a graduate of Sandy union high school. The family has been living recently in the Bob Smith house in Sandy.

Funeral arrangements for Mr. Pritchard and his daughter have not yet been completed.

## New City Head



Eldon Mills, who assumed his duties as mayor of Sandy recently, succeeding Charles Sharnke. Mayor Mills is a member of the Sandy rationing board and is an employe of the Hubbard creamery.

## Appeal Agents

C. T. Sievers, Oregon City, and Frank Shelton, Estacada, have been named government appeal agents for selective service board no. 2 located in the Masonic building at Estacada.

Any registrant may, without charge, obtain from these officers, advice as to their rights under selective service law and regulations and where necessary obtain assistance in taking appeals.

## Takes Bride

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Chase and Mr. and Mrs. John Harris of Orient were guests Sunday afternoon, January 17th, at the wedding of Mrs. Gladys Peake Stith of Portland and William Krieger of Sandy. The ceremony was read in the Immanuel Lutheran church at Sandy.

## Orient Youth Hurt When 'Cycle Skids

Condition of Boyd F. Fisher, 17-year old Orient youth who was injured in a motorcycle accident about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, was reported to be fair by the Providence hospital in Portland today. The lad has been unconscious since the accident and it is thought he suffered a fractured skull.

Boyd was on his way home from his work at the Portland Wire and Iron company factory and was only a quarter of a mile from his home on the Bluff road east of Orient, when his machine skidded on the icy road and he was thrown hard to the pavement. He was employed as a welder at the Portland factory.

## GENERAL MONTGOMERY IN THICK OF THE FIGHT



CAIRO, EGYPT—This radiophoto sent from Egypt to New York showing General Montgomery, left, Commander of the British Eighth Army that is pursuing the German Africa Corps across the desert, sharing a pot of tea with members of one of his tank crews who have paused for a few moments rest. What appears to be wrecked vehicles show in the background.

## Pioneer Society to Meet Jan. 31st

The Sandy Pioneer Society will meet at the Masonic Temple on Sunday January 31st at 10:30 a. m. for their mid-winter meeting. It is at this meeting that the King and Queen will be selected for the annual summer meeting the last Sunday in July. This meeting will probably be held at the Masonic Grove and Hall as it was last summer.

The members are reminded that a pot luck dinner will be served at the mid-winter session. As at other gatherings of the society, coffee will be furnished, but the sugar and cream will have to be supplied by the individuals.

An extremely interesting program is being prepared for presentation at the January meeting. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The Sandy Pioneers Society was organized in June 1926 at

the home of John H. Revenue at which date the following officers were elected: J. H. Revenue, president; Al Cook, vicepresident; Ed F. Bruns, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. Jonsrud, custodian. Mr. J. H. Revenue was the first white child born in Sandy.

Present officers are Ed F. Bruns, president; Anton Malar, vice president; J. I. Roberts, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. Jonsrud, custodian. This society has done a great deal towards preserving the historical points in and about Sandy, and will continue to do so. The society has a membership of about 200 pioneers from the vicinity of Sandy, and the annual meetings are attended by crowds ranging in size from 300 to 800 persons.

—On Pay Day, Buy Bonds—

## Local Boy Arrives At Training Station

Arriving at the U. S. Naval Training Station at Farragut, located in the mountains of northern Idaho, Paul Judson Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Orr of Sandy has begun his recruit training for service with the U. S. Navy.

During the next several weeks, he will learn the fundamentals of seamanship while he trains there. Located on the shores of beautiful lake Pend Oreille, Farragut is one of the Navy's newest training stations. Every facility is available for the conditioning of future man-of-war's men. On graduation from the recruit training, the new bluejacket will either be sent to a Navy service school for additional training in a specialized field or will join the U. S. fleet at sea.

## THEY'RE HOG RAISING CHAMPIONS



IDA GROVE, IOWA — George and Karl Hoffman (left to right above), brothers of Ida County, Iowa, are America's undisputed hog raising champions. At the recent Chicago Market Fat Stock Competition, the wartime edition of the world famous International Live Stock Exposition, they won all firsts in the hog carlot division, and the Grand Championship over all breeds with the 260 pound Berkshires shown above. The Hoffmans had twice previously won the International Carlot championship in 1939 and 1941, but never before had anyone won all firsts. The brothers' farms near here look not unlike thousands of other farms of the state. No special hog raising equipment is used. All of the Hoffmans' hogs are pure bred Berkshires.