

Society Doings

Daughter Elks report several members on the sick list, including Mrs. Marion Brown, Mrs. Jason Fontane, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Lillard Evans.

The Daughter Elks are also planning a Carnival and Dinner to be given about Dec. 15th.

Mrs. Randolph of 2407 N. Williams Ave. entertained the Usher Board of Mt. Olive Baptist Church recently.

The Younger Youngsters had a grand time at a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Fay Gordley last Sunday for their son Tyrone, age 7, at their home 2202 N. Flint Ave., Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Bibs of St. Louis, Mo., stopped in Portland en route from Seattle, Wash., to their home to visit a life-long friend, Mrs. A. L. Randolph of 2407 N. Williams Ave. Mrs. Bibs is on the staff of the St. Louis Argus.

G. I. Harry Daniels has been home on furlough for three weeks and returned to his station. He has been visiting his wife and parents who are residents of Portland.

Mr. Benjamin Langston, of 74th Avenue, has joined the Armed Forces.

Mrs. Eunice Collier, who was the house guest of Mrs. Grace LaBell for the past month, has returned to her home in Arkansas.

The former Rose Mary Swartz, 328 N. W. 5th Ave. and Mr. Geo. Boston, 328 N. W. 5th Ave., were married on Friday, Nov. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver E. Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. Keith Johnson and their son Teheran, Mr. George Taylor, a seaman, formerly of Portland, now in the Merchant Marine, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Holmes at dinner in their beautiful home on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Kimba Lee Avritt of 339 N. Cherry and Mr. Abraham J.

Turkey Overcharges

Following an OPA checkup which revealed sales of turkeys at above ceiling prices, settlement of OPA administrator's treble damage claims for one and one-half times the amount of the overcharges has been made by a local truck peddler and one retail market, Miss Cecelia P. Gallagher, OPA attorney, reported Saturday.

Guy G. Foreman, peddler, 2800 S. E. 122 St., and George's Food Market, near 72nd on Sandy paid \$62.52 and \$32.70 respectively, in settlement of treble damage claims.

On November 21 Foreman bought a truckload of dressed Grade A turkeys, weighing 2,779 pounds, from an Eugene processor at 42c, one cent above ceiling, and resold some of the turkeys to a Portland Market at 43½c a pound which was 1½c a pound above the price he paid. Because he did not qualify under the regulation for the wholesaler's mark-up, this 1½c constituted an administrator's treble damage claim which Foreman settled for 1½ times the amount of the overcharges or \$62.52 which he paid to the U. S. Treasury.

George's Food Market, which bought 67 of the turkeys sold 484½ pounds to another local market at 48c a pound, or 4½c a pound over the ceiling. As a result, George's Food Market settled administrator's claim for \$32.70, one and one-half times the overcharges.

A number of complaints involving further overcharges are awaiting investigation, Gallagher said.

Rice of 2809 N. Cottonwood, Vanport, were married on Saturday, Nov. 18.

The Literary Research Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Brown on Friday evening.

Correction: Mr. and Mrs. Irving Proctor announce the birth of a baby girl, Lolita Maria, on Nov. 22nd. Mother and baby are doing fine.

NEW GI FAVORITE



JEAN PARKS, the enchanting girl bandleader who is slated to make her debut with an all-girl orchestra, is the new favorite of the G.I's. At this early date Miss Parks has been forced to hire two secretaries to answer her soldier-sailor-marine mail. They write in, of course, for autographed photos of their new pin-up doll.

NEW FOOD STAMPS DUE

Five more blue ration stamps, used for processed foods, become valid on December 1, Willard Case, district OPA food rationing representative, announced today.

Blue stamps X5, Y5, Z5, A2 and B2, each worth 10 points—a total of 50 points—will be good beginning Dec. 1 and may be used indefinitely.

No other stamps are expected to be validated for processed foods until January 1, 1945, Case indicated.

PRICES MODIFIED ON FRESH SNAP BEANS

A 20 cent per bushel reduction in the adjusted f. o. b. base price for all fresh snap beans except those produced in California, for the month of December, was announced today by W. H. McCargar, district OPA food price specialist, effective Dec. 1.

The new adjusted ceiling price will be 04.60 per 28-pound bushel, f. o. b. country shipping point, McCargar said.

This reduction is made on the basis of a more complete report by the Department of Agriculture, indicating that the Florida hurricane reduced the snap bean crop to 50 per cent of the 10-year average instead of to 48 per cent, as indicated by early reports.

Negro Seabees Get 'Pat on Back'

Major General Rupertus, former Commanding General of the 1st Marine Division, commends Negro Seabee battalion for service during landing on Peleliu.

The Seventeenth Special U. S. Naval Construction Battalion, a Naval unit of Seabees, has received a "Well Done!" and a Letter of Commendation from Major General William H. Rupertus, U. S. M. C., Commanding Officer of the First Marine Division during the landing on and occupation of Peleliu Island in the Palaus, for helping relieve a shortage of ammunition on the first lines during the night of D-Day.

The letter, addressed to Lieut. Commander Moses E. Berry, U. S. NR., of 3621 11st St., Gulfport, Mississippi, Officer in Charge of the Battalion, follows:

"On the eve of departure from this area, I wish to inform you of the excellent manner in which every member of your command performed the various duties during the landing and occupation of Peleliu. The unloading was accomplished by the untiring efforts of the shore party in which members of your command played a vital part. The cooperation and complete understanding exhibited throughout the assault phase by your command was no small factor in the success of this operation. You deserve a "Well Done" in every respect."

Major General Rupertus at present is Commandant, Marine Corps School, Quantico, Virginia.

The activity report of the battalion showed that the first section of the 17th Special Battalion landed with the First Marine Division on Peleliu at H1hour plus 2 on D-Day. They were part of the shore party, but, while engaged primarily in that duty, on the first night responded to a call for volunteers when a shortage of ammunition was reported in the forward lines.

Practically the entire 17th carried ammunition to the front and brought wounded back. The Seabees also, the report said, took part in the fighting on one of the fronts when the Marines became shorthanded in that sector. Part of the 17th manned 37 mm. guns, and did what ever else was needed.

RATION CALENDAR
(Clip and keep for handy reference)

- Processed Foods:**
Book 4—Blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through W5 valid indefinitely.
- Meat, Butter, Cheese:**
Book 4—Red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through P5 valid indefinitely.
- Sugar: Book 4.**
Sugar stamps 30 through 34 valid indefinitely, 5 pounds each.
Sugar stamp 40 valid through Feb. 28, 1945 for 5 pounds home canning only. For more canning sugar apply local board using spare stamp 37.
- Shoes: Loose Stamps Invalid**
Book 3 — Airplane stamps 1-2-3 valid indefinitely. New stamp valid Nov. 1.
- Gasoline Coupons: Not valid unless endorsed.**
"A" 13 expires Dec. 21. Each coupon worth 4 gallons.
- Stoves:**
Apply local board for purchase certificates for oil, gas stoves.
- Wood, Coal, Sawdust:**
Delivery by priorities based on written statements of needs.
- Fuel Oil:**
Current coupons valid through August 31, 1945. Not more than 14 per cent of season's rations should have been used to date.
- Price Control:**
Refer inquiries and complaints to price clerk at local board.
- Rent Control:**
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