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Mrs. America Meets the War

Editor's Note: War touches every home and every citizen. This column, based on official government information and prepared by the Office of War Information, shows how the war will affect Mrs. America and her home.

Life may not be as soft for Mrs. America's family during the coming year for upholstered furniture over wooden springs will be a new home furnishings note. But seriously, shoppers may be sure that they will get their money's worth from the new product. For the Office of Price Administration is checking to see that all substitutions for springs measure up to certain standards. Furniture manufacturers must have wooden spring tested at designated government station before they can submit the articles for price approval. This new ruling affects manufacturers of upholstered wood chairs, sofas, sofa beds, studio couches and box springs. A recent War Production Board order prohibited the use of metal springs in wood upholstered furniture, and so chair wooden springs up to the ingenuity of manufacturers.

Junior can smear the peanut butter on more thickly now that this product has been brought under a temporary 60-day price ceiling. And salted and shelled peanuts also now under price control. These three commodities have been exempt from price control since July 29, but now Mrs. America will not be charged more than the ceiling price which is each individual seller's price during the period from December 19 to 23, inclusive.

It takes 15 pairs of discarded silk stockings for Uncle Sam's experts to reclaim enough silk to make one pair of silk powder bag for military use. And Uncle Sam's niece turned in enough worn silk stockings during one month of the War Production Board's hosiery drive to make one pair of silk powder bags. The 2,800,000 pairs of old silk and nylon stockings turned in would stretch across the country from San Francisco to San Francisco if they were stretched end to end. If you want to contribute to the war effort, turn in your old stockings and then drop them in the collection box in the hosiery department of retail stores throughout the country.

Here's news that the children of the country apparently won't find distressing. The War Production Board reports that less than one month's supply of castor oil at the normal rate of consumption will be on hand this month because of the limited amount of shipping space available from South America. But there will still be enough castor oil for the children of the country. The policy of rationing from allocation castor oil for medicinal purposes probably will continue.

If your electric iron sticks as you work, rub it on a little salt sprinkled on paper or smooth with paraffin or beeswax. This is one of the tips contained in a new pamphlet, "Making Ironing Equipment Last Longer," which has just been issued by the Office of Price Administration and the Department of Agriculture, Division of Home Economics. Putting a pinch of salt in the starch helps to keep starched clothes from sticking to the iron, it is pointed out. And once a month was the ironing surface while still warm with a

Conference Called

PORTLAND—Oregon's second state-wide social hygiene conference has been called for Portland on February 5. Dr. Adolph Weinzirl, director of the division of social hygiene education of the University of Oregon medical school, stated. The conference is being called to implement further Oregon's anti-venereal disease program, already among the most effective and far-reaching in the nation. Health and law enforcement officials, physicians and social workers from throughout the state are being urged to attend.

Mrs. Sonnema Dies Hiteon January 6

HITEON—The neighborhood was shocked by the sudden death January 5 of Mrs. Gertrude Sonnema, mother of Mrs. William F. Campbell. "Grandma" Sonnema, as she was known to all, had made her home for a number of years with her daughter here. Mrs. Campbell left with the body Thursday night for Santa Monica, Cal., for burial. Mrs. Gertrude Sonnema was born August 23, 1857, at Grand Rapids, Mich., where she was married to H. Sonnema and where she lived many years with her husband and children, later moving to Santa Monica. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. A. Veerkor of Santa Monica and Mrs. William F. Campbell of near Beaverton, two sisters in Michigan and four grandchildren.

Chas. Schiebel Reports For Duty with Marines

WEST UNION—Charles Schiebel, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Schiebel, left January 5 to begin his training as a member of the United States marine corps. Herman Vokes is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vokes. He underwent a major operation at the Jones hospital and will make an indefinite stay at the home of his son Carl.

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Laurel Church Receives Third \$100 War Bond

LAUREL—Mrs. Raleigh Whitmore announced that a second bond has been bought for the church improvement fund, toward which the Ladies' Aid contributed \$14. This, with the bond which the Ladies' Aid bought last week, makes three hundred-dollar bonds which will be ready to use after the war for improvement of the church.

Morris McDonald returned home last week from North Dakota, where he has been visiting his grandfather for about a year. He is now working in the shipyard. Mrs. Harley Looney of Portland was a guest several days this week of her sister, Mrs. W. H. McNay.

Aid Makes Afghans—Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Edna McNay Wednesday. Members are asked to bring crochet hooks or darning needles to use for working on afghans the aid is making for the Red Cross. Birthday Honored—Beverly Lane was guest of honor at a birthday family dinner held at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Lloyd McDaniel, Thursday night. She was six years old.

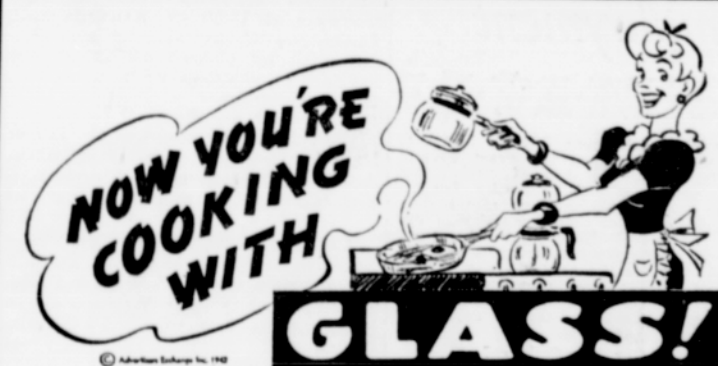
The Bert McNay family of Forest Grove were week-end guests of Mrs. McNay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown, and other relatives in the community. Lorene and Bernice Lee of Cherry Grove visited over the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Nora Whitmore, and their uncle, Raleigh Whitmore. Mrs. Nora Whitmore returned with them to Cherry Grove to spend a week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Olive Lee. Miss Jeanne Watkins was a house guest last week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Howard, who moved recently to Portland. The Howards are former residents of Laurel and Scholli, and entertained Miss Watkins in honor of her 17th birthday.

WAAC Honored At Laurel Party

LAUREL—Miss Lillie Brown, who has joined the WAACs, was honor guest at a party held for her and her friends at the John Mulloy home Saturday night. Mrs. Melvin Denfield was hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. E. Meyers, and Mrs. Lee Brown. Thirty ladies were present. Patriotic motifs were carried out with red and white carnations and blue candles in the decorations and with the same colors predominating in the luncheon. Favors were United States flags. Miss Brown was presented by her friends with a woolen sweater and a defense stamp corsage. She will leave January 23 for Des Moines, Iowa, where she will have a preliminary training of four weeks before being classified.

Girls in Czechoslovakia are excluded by Nazis from all but elite sons and daughters of "progressive" parents.

Patrick W. Ireland of Dublin, Ga., applying for enlistment in the Marine Corps at Atlanta, was unable to recognize the color green.



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Mrs. Shipley New Club President; Banks Junior Class Sponsors Dance

BANKS—Mrs. Tom Engen was hostess to the Mothers' club at her home Friday afternoon. Entertainment was provided by Phyllis Sheeley, who played piano selections.

Election of officers was held for the coming year as follows: Mrs. Charles Shipley, president; Mrs. Fred Wolford, vice-president; Mrs. Flora Munford, treasurer; Mrs. Merle Swann, secretary. Mrs. A. Dill will be hostess to the club next month.

Dance Held
A high school dance was sponsored by the junior class Friday night. After an enjoyable evening the group had refreshments of ice cream and cookies.

Howard McDonald spent the week-end in Portland visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Zimmerman, and little son.

Teacher Ill
Mrs. Bernard Sellers is ill at her home and not able to teach. She is the teacher at Thatcher.

Rev. E. J. Traglio and daughter, Mrs. Albert Allenbaugh of Portland, were guests at the H. L. Jensen home January 5. Rev. Traglio is a former pastor at Banks.

Mrs. Elmer Meacham spent the week-end at Newport, where she visited her husband, who is in the coast guard.

Wade Shook left Tuesday for the navy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shook, who are former Banks people.

Son Born
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lines (Helene Jean Smith) are the parents of a son, born in the Forest Grove General hospital, January 5. Mr. Lines is in the navy at San Diego, Cal.

George Moss is in the Forest Grove General hospital with the flu.

Rev. Charles Scheiber has announced the topic for next Sunday evening's services to be "Evangelism For Our Day." Church services begin at 7:30 p. m. and everyone is invited to attend.

Enters Navy
Everett McCormack, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McCormack, left Tuesday for the navy. He is a graduate of Banks high school with the class of 1942 and has been attending University of Oregon.

Mrs. George Packer of Battle Creek, Michigan was a guest several days last week of Mrs. H. A. Williams. Mrs. Packer was enroute to San Francisco to visit her son, who is in the army there.

Bob Shole, who underwent an operation in the Good Samaritan hospital last Friday, is improving nicely.

Otto Beard Back From Alaska Work
BANKS—Otto Beard, who has been in Juneau, Alaska, for several months on navy construction work, arrived in Banks last week for a visit with his wife and parents.

Miss Rieber a Trainee
Miss Marie Rieber left Monday for Seattle, where she reported as a trainee as a junior air craft communications, which is under the Civil Aeronautics Administration of the department of commerce.

First Aid Course Begins Wednesday At Orenco School

ORENCO—Ford Kenny, director of civilian defense, announces an enrollment of 22 for first aid classes starting Wednesday at 8 o'clock at the school house. Classes will be held each Wednesday at this hour for eight weeks. They will be 2 1/2 hours each. Bob Lieschfska will be the instructor. This offer is still open to anyone wishing to take it. Contact either Mr. Kenny or come to the school house for the beginning of the course.

Has Short Furlough
A group of friends and neighbors of the Brown family gathered at the home last Saturday evening in honor of son, Ernie, who was home on a short furlough from his station in Texas. He had to leave again Sunday evening, as he is due back there Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quaintance went to Wheeler Sunday, where Mrs. Quaintance hopes to get relief for her neuritis which has kept her on the sick list for a long time. Mr. Quaintance expects to stay with her for about a week. Mr. Brown has taken over the janitor job at the school until Mr. Quaintance returns.

Alaskan Visitors Here
Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Sturvesant of Wrangell, Alaska, were visitors at the home of his brother, Max Carnes, last week. Mr. Sturvesant owned a barber shop in Wrangell, but intends to go into defense work now.

Leland Deegan fell one day last week and received a wound which required six stitches.

Meetings Combined Soon
Ladies' Circle met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. Wilford. It was to have been at the home of Mrs. L. Woodward, but was changed because of Mrs. Woodward's bad cold. Eleven ladies were present. Refreshments were served. Plans are in the making for combining the Ladies Circle meetings with the Missionary meetings.

Supper Planned
The Missionary group is planning a pot-luck supper next Wednesday evening at the church. Efforts are being made to secure a speaker for that time. Everyone is invited to come.

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Orenco Woman Takes Training For China Work

ORENCO—Miss Elizabeth Carlyle, who has been employed since September in the Shriner's hospital for crippled children, left Portland January 2 for Nashville, Tenn., to take a three-months course in religion in Sacred college, after which she hopes to get sailing for West China.

Has Foot Infection
Mrs. A. Rose is laid up with a bad foot. About two weeks ago, a match dropped on it and burned a small place in which infection set in later.

Pipes Planned
A trustee meeting was held last Sunday evening at the Karlson home. Plans were made to put pipes in the ground for drainage for the church and the manse so they won't get flooded again, as they usually do when it rains hard.

Defense Meets Held
A civilian defense meeting was held last Thursday attended by quite a large group. These meetings are to be held oftener.

Grover Ledford Buried Tuesday

Grover C. Ledford, 52, died suddenly of pneumonia at Jones hospital, Sunday morning. He had been a life resident of Hillsboro, a sheet metal worker by trade, and a veteran of the first world war. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Donegan & Sewell chapel, Dr. Sullens officiating, with interment at the Masonic cemetery.

He is survived by two brothers, George of Hillsboro, and D. H. Ledford of route 1, Forest Grove; and a sister, Mrs. Altha Bagley of Gales Creek.

Mr. Ledford was born November 26, 1890.

West Union Club Aids Red Cross

WEST UNION—West Union Senior Women's club met January 6 at the home of Mrs. S. P. Schiebel. Dessert luncheon was served. Plans were made to contribute work and material to Red Cross unit that is providing for the soldiers in the hospitals near at hand.

Daryl and Lois Mason have returned to school after being ill with flu.

Darlene, Betty and Philip Runkle have enrolled in West Union school. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Runkle and family are living on the former S. J. Bechen place.

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