

Charges Jap Signals Early in War

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Signals from the shore aided the Japanese in attacks on the west coast early in the war, but after the evacuation of Japanese from the area the signaling was "virtually eliminated," Lt. Gen. John L. DeWitt says in a report issued here.

In three cases specifically cited in the general's report to Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff, he said that all three attacks by airplane or submarines were aimed at spots where there were no defenses to catch them.

Cessation of the signaling, DeWitt said, also brought a reduction in the number of submarine attacks on ships sailing from west coast ports.

DeWitt gave the account of the ship-to-shore communications in a 600-page final report on the evacuation of the Japanese residents, a movement he supervised as commanding general of the western defense command and fourth army in 1942.

DeWitt said that the decision to evacuate all persons of Japanese ancestry from the west coast was not taken immediately on the outbreak of war, but grew out of a series of intermediate steps.

Signaling was observed from buildings that could not be entered without obtaining a search warrant, radio messages were intercepted and a "fix" obtained on the sending station within an area of a city block, but the justice department was not willing to make "mass raids" and the army still lacked jurisdiction, DeWitt said.

For several weeks after Pearl Harbor, he reported, every ship leaving a west coast port was attacked by an enemy submarine.

"This seemed conclusively to point to the existence of hostile shore-to-ship (submarine) communication," he said. In a footnote he added "It is interesting to note that following the evacuation, interception of suspicious or unidentified radio signals and short-to-ship signal lights were virtually eliminated and attacks on outboard shipping from west coast ports appreciably reduced."

DeWitt's report asserts that, "whether by design or accident," Japanese communities on the west coast invariably flanked strategic installations. While it was believed that some were loyal, it was believed also that others were not, he says, and a positive determination could not be made.

Willamette Collects 80 Per Cent War Fund

Willamette has collected over 80 per cent of its proposed centennial war fund, according to an announcement made Thursday. \$41,020 of the \$50,000 total has been received.

Of the amount received, \$29,745 was in cash and was made up of 226 individual contributions. The committee collecting the fund has set the summer commencement as the deadline for collecting the total.

1944 Orchard Spray Recommendations Are Completed

PORTLAND, Jan. 20 (AP)—Orchard spray recommendations for 1944 were completed today at the 18th western cooperative spray project conference. E. J. Newcomer, Yakima, was chairman of the two-day meeting attended by 100 scientists from Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California and Utah.

Re-Appointed



Paul E. Gurske, re-appointed state industrial accident commissioner, will serve until January 5, 1948.

Around Oregon

By the Associated Press

Campe Adair troops marched through Corvallis streets to open the fourth war loan campaign.

Wage scale for farm laborers wielding the hoe was set at 75 cents an hour by Washington county berry growers.

Mrs. Noble D. Stanton was appointed Josephine county superintendent of schools to complete the unexpired term of Dale F. Ginn, resigned to operate an Astoria funeral home owned by his brother, the late Forrest Ginn, Clatsop county coroner.

The Oregon Bankers association announced a 4H club contest to produce enough food for all Oregonians serving in the army, navy and marines. Charles Fuller, 88-year-old veteran river boat captain who piloted the first boat through the Oregon City locks, will be buried in Portland Friday.

Portland hospitals began admitting visitors again as the state health department recorded a 60 per cent drop in cases of influenza. Postwar orders for \$200,000,000 worth of wood products—many of which will be built at Lebanon—have assured continuance of the Lebanon plant of Evans Products company, President E. S. Evans announced.

Income of Mountain States Power company climbed from \$657,144 in 1942 to \$728,969 last year, President Z. E. Merrill said at Albany.

Oregon's quota of waste fats for 1944 was set at 172,500 pounds a month, including 10,061 from Marion county, 3856 from Yamhill, 3441 from Benton, 4969 from Linn and 2848 from Polk. Funeral services will be held at Rainier Thursday for Mayor Ernest R. Zimmerman, 53, who died of a heart attack Monday.

Dr. Blair Holcomb, Portland, and Lynn Parr, Marshfield, were listed as candidates for the presidency of the University of Oregon Alumni association. Multnomah county truck gardeners will cut down production this year to avoid the surpluses of 1943, County Agent S. B. Hall announced at Portland.

Polk county infantile paralysis officials set as their goal \$3500 for purchase of an iron lung. The district office of price administration (OPA) announced that the Pogo Pogo, Portland night club, and the Turf Club restaurant, operated by the same management and using a joint kitchen, would be deprived of meats, butter and cheese for 60 days for violating rationing regulations. Benton county loggers reported favorable winter weather was making possible unprecedented production for contract markets.

Live Hog Ceiling Is Revised

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The live hog ceiling was revised this week to let public stockyard dealers charge normal service fees when this would bring the hog price above the ceiling limit.

A dealer who purchases hogs in his own name at a public stockyard and resells the animals at the stockyard thus will be permitted, the office of price administration said, to collect from his buyer a service charge not in excess of that listed by the dealer in his tariffs filed under the packers and stockyards act of 1921. The order is effective January 22.

Previously such dealers were forbidden to make any charge for services if the service charge plus the hog price brought the total cost to the buyer above the hog ceiling. This meant the dealers had to buy at considerably less than the ceiling or discontinue the service charge.

Since it was impossible in many cases to buy hogs at less-than-ceiling prices, some stockyards buyers were forced to give up the selecting and sorting services they had been performing for many eastern slaughterers.

OPA said the new action, while correcting this situation, would not increase retail prices of pork, because the latter are sold under specific cents-a-pound ceilings by geographical zones.

The service charge maximum of \$9 for a 14,000 pound truckload was extended to \$13 for a 22,000 pound truckload in the amended regulations. The new rules also permit dealers to charge for trucking hogs from their buying stations to the customer's receiving points, even though the addition of trucking charges boosts the over-all price above ceiling.

Santiam Twists Turnidge Tax

The strange whims of the Santiam river 50 years ago have created a situation on the southwestern tip of Marion county. In that area 566 acres of land owned by J. H. Turnidge have been converted into Linn county territory by a wide twist in the river's course—and the catch, as far as Turnidge is concerned, is that he continues paying property taxes to Marion county while never receiving benefits due a taxpayer.

County Judge Grant Murphy, cognizant of the situation, has called a meeting of the Marion and Linn county courts for next Tuesday to discuss the question, and take under advisement Turnidge's request for a road to be built through the land under Marion county auspices, so as to provide an outlet for produce raised on the land. Linn county has not been willing to act as the property is officially in Marion county.

Workmen Start USO Alteration

Workmen were busy Thursday at the Boise building, 188 North Commercial street, site for Salem's downtown USO club, after a \$12,000 alteration permit had been issued to Edward Viesko, contractor.

The work is to take 60 days or less. The street floor and basement of the corner building are included in the alteration plans for the clubrooms which will be occupied by the Salvation Army USO, now operating in smaller quarters across the street in the same block on Court street.

Come On! Lets All Enjoy A Real Old Fashioned SUNDAY BREAKFAST



Now that those shipyard dads have their Sundays free again, let's get the family together for a real old-fashioned Sunday breakfast! Let's make it a real meal with bacon and eggs, pancakes with lots of syrup or cereal and fruit juice and milk and coffee.

TO TOP THAT CRUNCHY, GOLDEN BROWN TOAST

Treat Orange Marmalade

1 1/2-lb. Jar 35¢ No Points!

A ration-free spread, made of tree-ripened Florida oranges, filled with tasty orange segments, but free from membrane. Grand on toast!

- No Points King Kelly Orange Marmalade, 1 lb. 17¢
- 5 Green Points Tea Garden Mxd. Fruit Jelly, 20 oz. 25¢
- 4 Green Points Welch's Grape Jelly, 1 lb. 24¢
- 4 Green Points Welch's Grape Juice, 1 lb. 22¢
- 4 Green Points Everbest Grape Jam, 1 lb. 20¢
- 16 Green Points Lady Corrine Grape Jam, 1 lb. 48¢
- 12 Green Points Star Plum Jam, 2 1/4 lbs. 49¢
- Fred Meyer 100% Milk Bread, 1 1/2-lb. loaf. 14¢



Serve Dad's Favorite Hot-Cake Topping! Fred Meyer Pancake and Waffle Syrup

A rich, sorghum-flavored pancake syrup, a taste-delight. Sold in 19¢ qt. Deposit milk bottles for war-time economy.

- Oregon Maid Syrup, 24 oz., 30¢
- Aunt Dinah Molasses, 16 oz., 13¢; 2 for 25¢
- Grandma Molasses, 30¢ qt.
- Bear Rabbit Green Label Molasses, 12 oz., 15¢
- Bear Rabbit Gold Label Molasses, 12 oz., 18¢
- Mountain Bloom Honey, 2 lbs. 59¢
- Maple Syrup Mix, 5¢ pkg., 25¢
- Amelco Dark Syrup, 1 1/2 lbs., 12¢
- Amelco Crystal White Syrup, 1 1/2 lbs., 14¢
- Staley's Sweetest Syrup, 1 1/2 lbs., 18¢

Back 4th War Loan Buy Bonds & Stamps

- Fred Meyer Dried Black Fig, 1 lb. 30¢
- Fred Meyer Dried White Fig, 1 lb. 45¢
- Dried Ripe Banana, 1 lb. 45¢
- Fisher's Wheat Germ, 20-oz., 23¢
- Pure Cane Sugar, 5 lbs. 33¢

CUSTOM-GROUND TO SUIT YOUR NEEDS

Drip, Regular, Silex or Pot Grinds

My-Te-Fine Triple Fresh COFFEE

The coffee that is roasted, delivered to your own store and ground fresh each day. 25¢ lb.

- Kaffee Hag, Reg. Grind, lb. 35¢
- Figo, 1 lb. 28¢
- Instant Postum, 8-oz., 42¢
- Our Mother's Cocoa, 2 lbs. 25¢

EGG PRICES HAVE BEEN GREATLY REDUCED

Straight From Local Farms to You

Fred Meyer Grade A Large Eggs 42¢ doz.

- Fred Meyer Grade A Medium Eggs, 28¢ doz.
- 16 Brown Points, Fred Meyer Grade A Butter, 1 lb., 19¢
- 6 Brown Points, All-Sweet Margarine, 25¢ lb.

THERE'S PLENTY OF TEA AT FRED MEYER My-Te-Fine Orange Pekoe Tea

1/4 lb. 23¢ pkg.



For you who prefer tea, here is a high quality blend of fine leaves that will give full satisfaction.

- Lipton's Orange Pekoe Tea, 1/4 lb. 26¢
- Tenderleaf Orange Pekoe Tea, 1/4 lb. 24¢
- Tree Tea, Orange Pekoe, small, 9¢; 3 for 25¢

DELICIOUS, TANGY BREAKFAST JUICES

There's Health and Flavor in Every Glassful

My-Te-Fine Sweet Grapefruit Juice

No. 2 13¢ Can \$1.49 Doz.

- A tall sparkling glassful of vitamin-filled grapefruit juice will start breakfast right.
- No Points, S&W Apple Juice, 12 oz., 15¢; for 50¢
- No Points, New West Apple Juice, 22 oz., 25¢
- 4 Green Points, My-Te-Fine Tomato Juice, No. 3 can, 19¢
- 2 Green Points, Sunsweet Prune Juice, 12 oz., 15¢
- 4 Green Points, Here's Health Veg. Juice Cocktail, 46 oz. 21¢

BREAKFAST ITEMS FOR RESTRICTED DIETS

Enjoy the Same Hearty Menu Without Ordinary Sweets

Dia-Mel

Pancake Sweetener 30¢

For use on pancakes, waffles, French toast, etc., by persons who must restrict their intake of ordinary sweets.

Dia-Mel Casein Cocoa 30¢

A delicious breakfast drink for restricted diets.

Dia-Mel Breakfast Puffs 30¢

A ready-to-eat cereal, made from soy beans. Serve with Dia-Mel sweetener, cream, or fruit topping.

Hygrade Sliced Bacon 1 1/2 lbs. 75¢ Can

- 6 Brown Points A convenient form of your favorite type of breakfast bacon.
- Hygrade Pork Sausage 1 1/2 lbs. 65¢ can 6 Brown Points Tasty, tender sausage.

Famous Since Mrs. Lincoln Served It to the President

Durkee's Famous Dressing 10 oz. 27¢

An old-fashioned favorite that hasn't changed a bit in quality or flavor. Try it on your salads.

CLIP THIS HANDY RATION CALENDAR

January 20, 1944
CANNED GOODS—Green Stamps G, H, I, Book No. 1, valid through February 20.
MEATS, FATS, CHEESE—Brown Stamps R, S, T, U, Book No. 2, valid through January 25, Series V becomes valid January 23, through February 26, Series W valid Jan. 30th thru Feb. 26th.
SUGAR—Stamp No. 30, Book No. 4, valid for 5 lbs. between January 16 and March 31.



Libby's Standard BABY FOOD

4 1/2 oz. 7¢ 83¢ doz. oz. 7¢ 1 Green Point

Carefully prepared to meet high nutrition standards.

For All Cooking and Baking Snowdrift

3-lb. Jar 68¢

15 Brown Points

Better Fried Foods, Salads Wesson Oil

52¢ qt.

10 Brown Points

Home Plate Dog Food 10 lbs. 95¢

Well-balanced, nutritional food for your dog.

For Whiter Cleaner Washes Clorox Bleach 15¢ qt.

Makes your linen whiter with less scrubbing.

Smooth Texture, Delicious Chocolate Cream Flavor! Chocolate Cream Cakes

Serves 10 to 12 43¢

A cake with a different flavor for your Sunday dinner. Made with the finest ingredients, skillfully blended, guaranteed fresh.

Butterhorns, for breakfast or lunch box, 2 for 18¢

Fred Meyer Bakery Section

Fred Meyer Fruit & Vegetable Section

Florida New Red

Potatoes 3 lbs. 23c

Just what you have been asking for—the most popular new potato and the first of the season.

Lettuce 2 heads 23c

Large, crisp and fresh

Celery 10c lb.

Best quality and a real bargain

Calavos 2 for 25c

Large size, ready for immediate use

Apples 2 lbs. 19c

Roman Beauty

Excellent for baking and for pies

Oranges 1/2 case \$1.99

Small juice orange—best buy—extra sweet with plenty of juice

Prices Effective Friday thru Monday - Fred Meyer Food Building

Select Your Family's Favorite From Our Complete Assortment



Fisher's Pancake and Waffle Flour 25¢

Makes delectable pancakes, 4-lb. pkg. 25¢ with the genuine goodness of real wheat flour.

- Duff's Waffle Mix, 14 oz., 22¢
- Soycrame Mix, 24 oz., 16¢
- Old Mill Pancake and Waffle Flour, 2 lbs. 16¢
- Triangle Pancake and Waffle Flour, 4 lbs. 28¢
- Pillsbury Pancake and Waffle Flour, 2 1/2 lbs., 22¢
- Albers Flapjack Flour, 10 lbs., 66¢
- Sperry's Pancake and Waffle Flour, 4 lbs. 35¢

BUY BONDS SUPPORT THE 4TH WAR LOAN!

Prices Good Friday thru Monday

Fred Meyer FOR THRIFTY BUYERS

Food Building

Grand for That Golden Breakfast Toast

My-Te-Fine White Bread 1 1/2 lb. 12¢ loaf



Smooth-textured, tender, sliced bread for that extra special breakfast.

Prepared Bread Dressing 29¢ pkg.

Made of bread crumbs, seasoned and richly spiced. Keeps several months and is ready for instant use any time.

Fred Meyer Grocery and Bakery Section