

### Chinese Army Puts Wuchow Under Siege

CHUNGKING, Aug. 10—(AP)—Re-surgent Chinese armies laid siege to the great inland river port of Tsangwu (Wuchow) and sent three columns marching on the former U. S. airbase at Liangling, the Chinese high command announced tonight.

Chinese forces reached Tsangwu and put it under siege after striking along the river in Kwangsi province, a communique declared.

Northward, strong Chinese forces hitting up the Hunan-Kwangsi railroad and across country from the west knifed into the outskirts of Chuanhsien, railroad city 66 miles northeast of Kweilin, and bitter fighting raged there, the high command said.

Chuanhsien is 38 miles southwest of Liangling, once a Flying Tiger airbase, and now menaced by two other Chinese thrusts. One of these has arrived to near Tung-an, 24 miles northwest of Liangling.

Still a third Chinese column, pushing east from Kweilin, captured Kwanyang, 48 miles from Kweilin, last Monday, and pursued the enemy toward Taohsien, 43 miles south of Liangling, the communique declared.

### Glass Cuts and Dog Bite Make Aidmen Work

"Summer ailments" provided three clients for the city first aid crew Friday.

Jerry Nairns, 1785 S. Capitol st., got glass cuts on the bottom of his left foot when he stepped on a milk bottle broken a moment before beside Leslie pool.

Peter Meyer, 2161 N. Front st., received a cut in the artery of his left wrist as he cleaned up some broken glass at his home.

Oma Weaver, 491 N. 20th st., was bitten in the palm of her left hand as she separated her dog from a neighbor's in a dogfight.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—G. I. athletes keep up with the times. A softball team from MacDill army air field, Tampa, has entered a district tournament here under the title "Atomic Bombers."

### Too Late to Classify

PEACHES: Extra fancy Golden Hales canning peaches now ready. 11 mi. north on Wallace Road. So. Wheatland ferry. C. M. LaFollett.

ATTENTION HOP PICKERS: Hop picking will start at Will-Hart hop ranch Friday, August 17. Call Will-Hart Hop Ranch, Phone 22981. Ward Lundy, Supt.

4 to 5 lb. red cockerels \$2.00. Phone 22980.

### Atom Smasher Scientists Entertained by Japs



Dr. E. O. Lawrence (left), Nobel prize winner for atomic research, is entertained at dinner by Japanese scientists visiting the United States in 1940, in which was described as a futile attempt to learn vital secrets of developments from the cyclotron at the University of California. Others, left to right, are Edwin McMillan, Lawrence's early aide; Dr. Yasaki, Dr. Aebersole (with chopsticks), Dr. S. N. Van Voorhis, Dr. Iimori, Dr. David Sloan. Man with back to camera was not identified. —Photo by Dr. Donald Cooksey of Dr. Lawrence's staff. (AP Wirephoto.)

### Seed Buying Program Set By AAA Unit

CORVALLIS (Special) —Detailed price schedules for the 1945 cover crop seed purchase program have been announced by William J. Enschede of Hillsboro, acting chairman of the AAA committee.

The schedule covers various grades of four varieties of seed to be purchased from growers or dealers.

Purchases this year will be made on essentially the same plan as in 1944, except that no seed will be bought on the basis of private tests. Producers may sell on either official purity and germination tests, or on official purity test alone. On seed sold on purity test alone, payment will be at 80 per cent of the full rate pending outcome of official germination tests.

Seed will be purchased from dealers who offer it in carload lots, 60,000 pounds or more, of one variety and of uniform quality. Blending of ineligible seed in a carload will not be permitted, Enschede said.

Prices and specifications are as follows:

Hairy vetch, \$12 a hundred for seed with 95 per cent purity and 90 per cent germination; discount of 18 cents per hundredweight for each per cent below 90 for germination, and 9 cents for each per cent below 95 for purity. Minimum requirements are 70 per cent for both purity and germination, 98 per cent total winter legumes.

Certified Willamette vetch, \$5 a hundred for seed with 90 per cent germination, 98 per cent purity; discount 9 cents a hundred for each per cent below 90 for germination, 2 1/2 cents for each per cent below 98 for purity. Minimum requirements are 70 per cent for both purity and germination, 98 per cent total winter legumes. There is no discount for hairy or woolly pod vetch in Willamette.

Crimson clover, \$11.50 per hundred for seed with 85 per cent germination, 96 per cent purity; discount of 16 cents for each per cent below 85 for germination. Minimum requirements are 65 per cent germination, 96 per cent purity.

Common ryegrass, \$7.50 per hundred for seed with 90 per cent germination and 98 per cent purity; discount of 10 cents for each per cent below either of these basic requirements. Minimum requirements are 75 per cent for germination, 95 per cent for purity, and not over 2 per cent weed seeds.

County AAA committees can provide further information on the program.

Argentinian Here on Highway Project Visit

Oreste Moretto, on leave from the public roads administration of Argentina while he completes his work toward a Ph.D. at University of Illinois, with Senora Moretto arrived in Salem on Friday to confer with state highway department officials and to view some of Oregon's highways and highway construction projects.

### Lumber Workers May Get Paid for Holiday

PORTLAND, Aug. 10—(AP)—The national war labor board advised the West Coast Lumber commission tonight that workers in logging operations and mills excused from work on V-J day may be paid straight time for hours off.

The order applies to all workers on shifts in the 24-hour period of official V-J day, John D. Galey explained.

### Far East Air Force Planes Sink 90 Ships

MANILA, Saturday, Aug. 11—(AP)—Japan's dwindling air power suffered new heavy damage Thursday when Far East air forces bombers and fighters from Okinawa smashed at some of the principal fields on the main home islands of Honshu, Shikoku and Kyushu.

Announcing the strikes by nearly every type of aircraft under his command, General MacArthur also said that 90 additional enemy vessels were sunk or damaged Wednesday and Thursday in the tight air blockade extending from Japan down the Asiatic mainland coast to the East Indies.

These ships included a small aircraft carrier that had been grounded previously, a destroyer and five freighters in Japanese waters. The greatest numerical toll was in 52 small landing craft which were found northbound off southern Indo-China. They were laden with 600 to 700 troops. At least 100 of them were killed, headquarters said.

### Thumbnail of War!

By the Associated Press

Washington — Japanese surrender offer in Allied diplomatic conferences.

Guam — Superfortress operations against Japan are halted without explanation.

Moscow — Red army continues drive through Manchuria.

China — Japanese withdraw crack troops as Chinese offensive continues.

### MacArthur Air Blows Continue

MANILA, Saturday, Aug. 11—(AP)—General MacArthur's headquarters announced today that the war still is on for the forces under his command and that his Far East air forces bombers are carrying out their scheduled missions against Japan.

The announcement followed shortly after General MacArthur himself, in response to a cheering crowd of soldiers and WACs, had stepped out onto the balcony of his office and declared:

"I hope from the bottom of my heart that this is the end of the war.

"If it is," he continued, "it is due largely to your own splendid efforts.

"Very shortly I hope we will all be going home."

### Jap Opposition Noted

LONDON, Aug. 11—(AP)—The Swiss radio said today that Tokyo broadcasts heard in China said "a party has appeared to oppose Japan's capitulation." The Swiss broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said the opposition was headed by the Japanese war minister.

### Drafting to Continue

PORTLAND, Aug. 10—(AP)—Oregon selective service headquarters will "just keep plugging away" until word to halt induction is received from Washington, State Director Col. Elmer V. Wooton said today. More than 135,000 Oregonians have been drafted, he said.

**DANCE**  
Salem Armory  
Every Saturday Night  
Music by Joe Hansen's Orchestra, Clyde Bancroft, Vocalist - Admission 60c - Sponsored by Oregon State Guard. Air Conditioned

### Gas Refinery Ready To Convert in 12 Hours

NEW YORK, Aug. 10—(AP)—Socoy-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., said today it would be able to convert its 10 major refineries throughout the country to civilian gasoline production within 12 hours after V-J day.

The refineries, the company said, now manufacture 50,000 barrels of the country's aviation gasoline daily, accounting for 10 per cent of the country's production.

### State - CONT. FROM 1 P.M. - NOW PLAYING!

BLAZING ACTION!  
ERROL FLYNN  
Objective BURMA!  
SWINGY CO-HIT!  
Kay Kyser  
Carolina BLUES

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### V.F.W. Victory Club DANCE

Old-Time Dancing Tonight  
Veterans Hall  
Corner Hood and Church Streets  
Music by THE OREGONIANS  
Club Members Only

### It Ends Sunday Night!

Yes, There Are Seats Left for the Remaining Nights and Sunday Matinee of

### ICE-CAPADES OF 1946

Every Night at 8 P. M.  
2 Shows Sunday—Matinee at 2:30, Evening at 8  
SEATS ON SALE AT Portland Ice Arena, NW 20th at Marshall; J. K. Gill Co., SW 5th at Stark.  
PRICES—\$3, \$2.75, \$2.50 and \$1.50, including tax. (Sorry, no phone orders.)  
Buy in Advance If Possible; If Not, Good Seats Available at Arena Box Office as Late as Show Time  
Portland Ice Arena

ELMORE NOW SHOWING!  
Continuous Today from 1:00  
BETTE DAVIS  
The Corn Is Green  
A GLORIOUS STORY FOR THE SCREEN'S MOST GLORIOUS ACTRESS!  
WARNER BROS.  
PLUS CO-HIT: Story of "MY BUDDY" with a GI Joe! Donald Barry and Ruth Terry

Warner's CAPITOL PHONE 5050  
STARTS TODAY!—TOP HITS!  
RITA HAYWORTH TONIGHT and EVERY NIGHT  
LEE BOWMAN JANET BLAIR  
Marc Platt Leslie Brooks PLUS  
BIG CO-FEATURE!  
They're Putting the Roar in the Three R's!  
Readin' . . . Riotin' . . . Rhythm-a-tic!  
They're the Teacher's Petters . . . in a Girl's School  
LOU ABBOTT + COSTELLO  
HERE COME THE CO-EDS

ENDS TODAY! (SAT.)  
Pat O'Brien  
"BOMBARDIER"  
Don "Red" Barry  
"OUTLAWS OF SANTA FE"  
LIBERTY  
— CONT. FROM 1 P.M. —  
TOMORROW!  
A "Hit" You've Asked to See Again!  
Ginger ROGERS  
Fredric MARCH  
"LUCKY PARTNERS"  
THRILLING CO-FEATURE!  
WILD BILL ELLIOTT!  
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Gabby Hayes  
Fred Kohler

ENDS TODAY! (SAT.)  
Monty Woolley  
"MOLLY AND ME"  
Lon Chaney  
"THE FROZEN GHOST"

EVERYONE KNOWS THOSE GRAND SHOWS  
**"GRAND"**  
CONTINUOUS SHOWS DAILY FROM 1 P.M.  
PREVIEW TONITE AFTER 12 MIDNITE!  
He called her a name no woman can bear!  
JUST ONE WORD!  
Emil is terribly real—frightfully dangerous! Only a boy he suddenly became a monster of hate . . . searing their love with the world's oldest insult.  
FREDRIC MARCH • BETTY FIELD  
and the Sensational SKIPPY HOMEIER  
in Lester Cowan's exciting hit  
**TOMORROW-THE WORLD!**  
with AGNES MOOREHEAD  
JOAN CARROLL • EDIT ANGOLD  
By the authors of the stage play, Junior Gou & Arnold D'Amico  
Screen play by Ring Lardner, Jr. and Leopold Altin  
"THE HIT PICTURE OF 1945!"  
—GREG PEARSON Blue Network  
CO-FEATURE!  
Here's That Man Again!  
. . . Better Than Ever!  
IT'S gal-arious GRAND . . . AND GOOFY!  
AL PEARCE  
DALE EVANS  
ROAD TAYLOR  
HITCH-HIKE TO HAPPINESS  
NEWS! Marshal Petain's trial! New P-50 jet planes! . . . Russian and German films of Berlin's death!