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Milk Control Order

State Agriculture Director E. L. Peterson has done a good job in his initial order as boss of milk control. This responsibility was switched to him in 1943 with the abolition of the independent milk control board.

Under the new order, which applies to Portland but has been accepted in Salem, milk to the consumer is reduced one cent in price, to 17c per quart of 3.5 per cent butterfat content.

One important change is made which seems logical and should be appreciated by producers, and that is to give some allowance of value for the non-butterfat portion of whole milk.

The director wisely reduced the premium price on cream which had been over-priced relative to whole milk.

Safeway Stores lost its contention for a price differential for milk sold in retail stores as compared with milk home delivered.

No extra charge is permitted for homogenized milk or for overcaps on bottled milk, but an extra cent is specified for milk sold in cartons.

Milk control is usually hotly controversial, and the hearings preliminary to this order proved to be contentious.

Coal Strike Ahead?

Back with us again are problems of wages in coal mines and on railroads. John L. Lewis says his union demands increases in wages and reduced hours of work, which would cost about 35c per hour more to the companies.

It is different with the coal miners. On June 30th the Smith-Connelly act expires. Then the mines revert to private owners for operation.

If the pending labor control bill becomes law the government could prevent a work stoppage for 80 days during which time mediation would be employed.

One would think that the mine owners and the unions had had enough discord and that they could get together and really bargain on a basis which will let coal mining continue without interruption.

Congress may whip up some special legislation if a strike finally comes, but too much of that means forced labor which is repugnant to our ideas about the dignity of man and his freedom to labor.

Editorial Comment

While we all welcome the development, criticism may be voiced as to location. However, the majority of property owners within the 300-foot limit have approved the change in zone to commercial.

This piece of news awakened the recollection of a recommendation of the state capitol reconstruction commission made just over 10 years ago, in January, 1937.

The new capitol building and the other public buildings in the vicinity, if the group plan goes forward, will create a beautiful public center in the city of Salem.

We do not know whether this recommendation was followed in any degree. If not it will be unfortunate if the proposed commercial development detracts from the beauty and the dignity of the setting of the group of state buildings that will ultimately occupy the space planned for them.

The matter is not one of interest to the city of Salem alone. All of Oregon and every one of its citizens should be concerned about and jealous for the beauty of its state government center.

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Russia but it retains its national integrity. Poor Austria, lying to the west of Hungary, is helpless to incline in any direction.

A century ago democracy held the initiative in world affairs. Of the battle of Concord in the American revolution Emerson wrote:

"Here once the embattled farmers stood, And fired the shot heard round the world."

The battle of Lexington was, as Carlyle said, "the baptism-day of democracy, the extreme junction day of feudalism."

The ringing words of the American declaration of independence and the achievements of the American revolution and the adoption of the American constitution with its appended bill of rights fired men in other lands to fight for political liberty.

The Russian revolution, however, brought a reaction but that proved only temporary. Again democracy was on the march.

Perhaps you say, this is a trifle on the abrupt side. No, good friends and fellow men, it is straight from the heart of our two hundred thousand ex-GIs.

Hated abroad and sustained at home by ruthless police power, communism still has dynamism. Partly it is the dynamic of fear, fear like that which Hitler used with powerful effect.

Somehow the United States, while it remains for multitudes in the old world a dream land of fabulous wealth, has not been able to induce or persuade other nations to adopt and retain our system.

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The Safety Valve

Are the children of today the cause or the reason for scores of returning veterans to be "out in the street" (we) the veterans not entitled to a family, a decent, respectable home and fair chance to work for a living?

Remember these signs? "no vacancy," "no children allowed." Those were the so familiar signs posted everywhere during world war No. II. But, are they gone as yet?

As an example, a veteran after several days of living in "skid row" hotels, "dumpy" apartment houses and elsewhere of uninhabitable shelters, he finally succeeded in finding a presentable and livable place to call home.

Yes, it was an expression of sarcasm, disgust and perhaps hate toward the world. But, what was there to do?

One other instance in this capital city. We (two veterans) finding two nice new four room houses vacant and for rent, apply for the same.

We are living, five of us in a two room apartment and it is upstairs where the children must be watched every minute. Now I ask you, are the children of today the cause or the reason for the average returning veteran's being "out in the street"?

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GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Don't worry about the wife, Ed—she'll beat my ears off afterwards for bringing you, but there won't be a hint of it during dinner!"

house hunting, apartment seeking, watching the children so that they will not fall down the stairs or play too close to the stove.

No, it isn't only the veteran. It is each and every unlucky, unfortunate father and mother who failed to make the big wages and get in on the "cream of the crop."

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Mr. F. E. Swallow and Allen Canaan, Engineer's Dept., Fairview Home.

Public Records

Antone Hrudka, 1410 Evergreen ave., charged with reckless driving, pleaded guilty to trial, set for June 18, released on \$250 bail.

Dwight Allen, 805 N. Liberty st., charged with larceny, preliminary examination set for June 4, held on \$200 bail.

Hubert Vincent Stratton, 2876 State st., charged with reckless driving, pleaded guilty to trial, set for June 6, released on \$250 bail.

Ernest Arnold Reding, 26 cannery supervisor, Woodburn, and Betty Lou Henri, 17 student, Hubbard.

Obituary

LUCAS J. Allen Lucas, late resident of route 2, at local hospital, May 31, at the age of 59 years.

MOODY Lee Moody, late resident of 633 N. High st., at local hospital, June 1, at the age of 77 years.

MENNIS Al residence, route 7, box 129, Salem, June 1, Elwood Charles Mennis at the age of 58 years.

MARSH In this city June 1, Julia Ann Marsh, late resident of 1524 N. Cottage st., at the age of 97 years.

FRANKLIN In this city, Monday, June 2, Francis Marion Franklin, late resident of Sheridan, Father of A. W. Franklin of Toledo, Ohio.

HAYNER In this city, Thursday, May 29, Mary Hayner, late resident of Sutherland, Ore. Aunt of Mrs. Elizabeth F. Schmitt of Portland.

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State Borrows Funds to Pay Relief Checks

State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott announced Monday that he had borrowed an additional \$475,000 from the United States National Bank of Portland to carry on the state public welfare commission relief load until about the middle of June when \$450,000 more will be required.

The state treasury department previously borrowed \$425,000 for commission purposes. Scott declared that at the present rate of expenditures of the welfare commission in excess of receipts there would be a deficit of these funds of approximately \$4,500,000 by the end of the next biennium.

The borrowings were necessary, largely because of a reduction of estimated liquor control commission revenues, Scott said.

Figures show, according to Scott, a marked reduction in liquor receipts during the past four months together with a substantial falling off in the number of liquor permits.

Legion Honors Long Service

Fourteen Salem men were recognized for their 25 consecutive years of service in the American Legion when special certificates and cards were presented to them Monday night at the Capital post meeting in Legion hall.

Commander Rex Kimmell, assisted by Adjutant Paul Gempyle, made the presentations. Also awarded were continuous membership cards to 15 men with 20 years' service, 9 with 15 years, 46 with 10 years and 69 with 5 years.

The 25-year men are Frank B. Bennett, Russell Bonesteel, Archie C. Fleener, Eugene B. Grabenhorst, S. C. Huston, John

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Vandals Damage Car And Picket Fence

Two vandalism complaints came to police Sunday from the 1500 and the 1600 block, respectively of Madison street.

D. K. Gwynn of 1685 Madison st., reported that several sections of his picket fence were torn out Sunday night during his absence and Donald Phillips, 195-W. Lafayette st., reported that all the electrical wiring had been loosened in his car while parked in the 1500 block of Madison.

MAY NAUL LOGS Julius J. Pokorny, Hubbard, was issued a permit to haul logs over certain county and market roads by the Marion county court Monday.

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