

Passenger Tire Situation Grave

Portland, Jan. 13—Prospects of easing eligibility requirements for grade I passenger car tires in the near future are not hopeful, Leo F. Gentner, OPA regional administrator, visiting the Portland district OPA office, declared today.

"In view of the continuing seriousness of the passenger tire situation, it will not be possible to lower the eligibility requirements below the 601 or more miles a month," Gentner stated.

He pointed out that new passenger tire production has not increased as originally estimated, best monthly production of the industry being under a million new synthetic tires.

On Oct. 1, 1943, the national inventory of new passenger tires was 2,500,000, he pointed out. During the six months prior to October, issuance of new passenger tire certificates averaged 1,100,000 a month with a peak issuance of 1,481,000 in July. Industry production of new synthetic tires for all uses averaged 500,000 monthly during that six months' period with a peak production of 900,000 in September. "Obviously," Gentner explained, "we were depleting the national inventory and would soon have reached a situation where a certificate for a new passenger tire would become a hunting license."

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History Museum Plans Mapped

Portland, Jan. 13 (AP)—Civic and educational leaders of Oregon today were making plans for the institution of a state museum of history, science and industry following an organization meeting of a museum committee appointed by Gov. Earl Snell.

More than 65 of the Oregon educators and other state citizens at the meeting Tuesday adopted a resolution to include plans for the museum in Portland's post-war plans and for the appointment of a committee to file articles of incorporation for the institution.

Marshall N. Dana, editor of the Oregon Journal editorial page, was appointed to name the organization committee that will receive

endowments and bequests for the proposed museum.

Under the provisions of the resolution, the museum would serve as a source of knowledge for the industrial resources of the state, would be used as a research center and would be an educational center for systematic lectures on historical studies.

Adventist Chief To Visit Bend

Elder C. A. Scriven, president of the Oregon conference of Seventh Day Adventists, will be guest speaker at the Adventist church here Saturday morning, at 9:45 o'clock. Because of other appointments for Elder Scriven, the regular sabbath services will be reversed. Preaching service will be at 9:45 a. m. and sabbath school at 11 a. m.

Elder V. G. Anderson, former president of the Oregon conference, has been elected to the presidency of the North Pacific Union conference, with headquarters at Walla Walla, Wash. Elder Scriven, former president of the Washington conference, was elected to head the Oregon conference last October.

This will be Elder Scriven's first visit to Central Oregon. H. A. Oberg, in charge locally, announces that the public is invited to hear the visitor.

Assessor Seeking Tax Information

Blanks to be filled out with personal property information by taxpayers, are this week being mailed out by County Assessor J. A. Fountain. All owners of assessable personal property are required by law to report the property to the assessor on or before March 2 of each year, and anyone not receiving one of the above blanks is asked to write or call at Fountain's office in the courthouse.

Assessable personal property consists of merchandise, ammunitions or farm machinery, livestock, furniture in hotels, apartments, or auto courts, household goods, personal clothing and jewelry are exempt from taxation and need not be reported. Fountain will assist any who wish aid in filling out the forms.

ENSIGN VISITS REDMOND
Redmond, Jan. 12—Ensign Marjorie Tetherow, from Oceanside, Calif., where she is navy nurse in the hospital at Santa Margarita ranch arrived in Redmond Wednesday evening for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tetherow, and her sister, Mrs. Marie Shirley. Ensign Tetherow, flew from Oceanside to Seattle early in the week. She will be in Redmond just one day.

Your Income Tax

No. 10

WHEN AND WHERE TO FILE RETURNS

Income tax returns of citizens and residents of the United States are required by law to be made on or before the 15th day of the third month following the close of the taxable year, which for most individuals is the calendar year. Accordingly, returns for the calendar year 1943 must in general be filed not later than midnight of Wednesday, March 15, 1944.

Nonresident aliens who are residents of Canada or Mexico, and whose wages are subject to collection of United States income taxes at the source by withholding under the pay-as-you-go system, are also required to file their returns at the same time as United States citizens and residents generally—that is, by March 15, 1944.

Returns by nonresident aliens who are not on the current tax payment system must be made on or before the 15th day of the sixth month after the close of the taxable year, or June 15, 1944, for the calendar year 1943.

If a taxpayer died in 1943, his final return should be filed by his executor or administrator not later than (a) the 15th day of the sixth full calendar month following the date of his death, if his last taxable year began in 1942, or (b) March 15, 1944, if his last taxable year began in 1943.

Members of the military or naval forces who, when the return is due, are on active duty outside the Americas or the continental United States (the states and the District of Columbia), or are on sea duty, may postpone filing returns and making payments of tax, until the 15th day of the fourth month following the month in which they cease to serve on sea duty or outside the continental United States, but not beyond the 15th day of the third month following the month in which the war ends.

This postponement applies also to civilian employees of the United States government, or of federal agencies who are detailed by an enemy government, or are beleaguered or besieged by enemy forces.

Other individuals who have been continuously outside Americas for more than 90 days are allowed a postponement, for filing a return or paying a tax, amounting to such period plus 90 days, but not beyond the 15th day of the third month following the month in which the present war ends.

Civilian citizens of the United States who, on March 15, 1944, are residing or traveling outside of the States, the District of Columbia, and Hawaii, but within the Americas, are allowed an extension of time until June 15, 1944, for filing the 1943 return. Those who take advantage of this extension must pay interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on the unpaid tax, if any, from the original due date, usually March 15, until paid.

If an individual dies after returning to the United States from beyond the Americas, the postponement to which he was entitled cannot extend beyond the 15th day of the third month following the month in which an executor, administrator, or conservator of his estate qualifies.

In unusual circumstances a resident individual may be granted an extension within which to file a return, upon application to the collector of internal revenue for his district, if appropriate reasons are shown. If the extension is granted, the taxpayer is subject to an interest charge of 6 per cent per annum on the amount of tax payable, from the original due date until paid.

Returns must be filed with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer has his legal residence or principal place of business. Taxpayers with no legal residence or place of business within the United States should mail their returns to the collector of internal revenue, Baltimore, Md. If returns are mailed by mail, they should be filed in ample time to reach the collector's office under ordinary handling of the mails on or before the due date.

New high-tension ignition cable is made of monel metal wires twisted together and covered with a synthetic rubber compound which is reinforced by a braid of glass fiber to add tensile strength.

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TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

5:00—Adventures of the Little Tin Soldier

5:15—Interview, Rev. A. Danielson and Dr. Eric Frykenburg

5:30—News

5:45—Defense Reporter

5:50—Artie Shaw

5:55—Sport Yarns

6:00—Service Unlimited—American Red Cross

6:15—Teddy Powell Orchestra

6:30—France Forever

6:45—Spotlight on Rhythm

7:00—Voice of the Army

7:15—Jimmy Lunceford Orchestra

7:30—GI Top Tunes by Request

Friday, January 14, 1944

7:00—Your Morning Pickup

7:00—News

7:35—Morning Varieties

8:00—Old Family Almanac

8:30—Breuers Novelty Orchestra

9:00—News

9:15—The Islanders

9:30—Marching to Music

9:45—Neighborhood Grocery

10:00—Lest We Forget

10:15—What's New

10:30—News

10:35—News of Prineville, Ted Goodwin

11:30—Lady About Town

11:35—Homespun Harmonies

11:50—Swing Sextette

11:55—Bulletin Board

12:00—Lum 'n Abner

12:15—Langworth Gypsy Trio

12:30—News

12:45—Farmers' Hour

1:00—Popular Tunes of the Day

1:30—Abe Lyman Orchestra

1:45—Sincerely Yours

2:00—Deep River Boys

2:15—Jan Savitt

2:25—Today's American Hero

2:30—Hour of Meditation

2:45—Four Notes

3:00—Your Afternoon Concert

3:25—In Movieland

3:30—News

3:35—Quintones

3:40—Women In the News

3:45—Broadway Bandwagon

4:00—Matinee Melodies

4:30—Cote Glee Club

5:00—Adventures of the Little Tin Soldier

5:15—Evalyn Tyner Orchestra

5:30—News

5:45—Defense Reporter

5:50—Glenn Miller Orchestra

5:55—Sport Yarns

6:00—Treasury Star Parade

6:15—Once Upon a Time

6:30—Campus Freshmen

6:45—Spotlight on Rhythm

7:00—Beyond Victory

7:15—Starlight Sonata

7:30—GI Top Tunes by Request

Sgt. Mirich, Hero of Attu, Back on Duty With U. S. Army

Camp White, Ore., Jan. 13 (AP)—Sgt. George Mirich is back pounding a typewriter for the army but only because his feet are still in poor shape from exposure in the Aleutians, where Mirich distinguished himself as the one man army of Attu.

Mirich was the company clerk from Bend, Ore., who committed mass mayhem on the Japs on Attu after trading his typewriter for a rifle, bayonet and handful of grenades.

His bold attack cracked open a stubborn Japanese defense and killed seven Japs. He was a corporal on that cold bitter morning last May when the American forces were ordered to take a Jap stronghold on a treacherous cliff. He had just been relieved as company clerk and was acting as an assistant squad leader.

The Japs just waited as the Americans crept up the hill. Then they began rolling grenades down the hill and the Americans had to stop. But Mirich kept on going. Here's how he tells it:

"Everyone fell back, but something kept me going. I headed for the Jap on my right. He had his back to me—must have been firing at our machine gunner. I gave it to him in the back.

"By then I'd reached the top of the summit. I polished off the next one with a hand grenade,

the first one I ever threw in my life—a perfect strike. Then I just walked from one foxhole to another, killing them as I passed by.

"There was only one left and my rifle was empty. Though I had plenty of ammunition on my body, I had no time to reload, so I dived into his foxhole with my bayonet straight for his guts—the bayonet broke off with my first jab, so I started beating him over the head with the butt of my rifle. He didn't last long and then my job was over.

"I must have killed seven or eight of them, I guess. I was so busy there for a while that I never took count."

Mirich was born in Portland. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mirich, lives in Bend. He recently joined the 96th division at Camp White after a spell of hospitalization.

Range fire destruction on federal grazing lands in 10 western states in 1943 covered less than half the acreage burned over in 1942, due largely to better organized and equipped fire crews; the 1943 burned-over area was 837,000 acres.

Germany has given up attempts to ration clothing, it is reported, because new clothing for civilians is almost nonexistent.



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2 Giant Packages 25c

Salad Dressing Garden Pint 19c

WHEATIES, KIX pkg. 11c

GOLDEN SOY MIX 1 1/2 lb. 15c
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PICKET FAMILY FLOUR 49 lb. sack \$1.98

SUNSHINE KRISPIES, Grahams 2 lbs. 31c

NBC SHREDDIES package 11c

PRE-COOKED BEANS pkg. 15c

BROWN SUGAR .. 2 1/2 lb. bag 17c

APPLE JUICE quart 25c

DUZ, RINSO or OXYDOL pkg. 23c

M-D TISSUE 3 rolls 19c

Economy Soda Crackers
2 lb. box 25c

2 pkgs. 23c

DOG FOOD 10 lb. sack 98c

FIRECHIEF MATCHES 6 box carton 21c

WAXED PAPER 125 foot roll 19c

RAISINS 4 lbs. 45c — **PRUNES** 2 lbs. 29c

BEANUT BUTTER pound 35c
Skippy, Chunk or Cream

Quality Meats

Beef Roast lb. 27 1/2c
Steer Beef

Boiling Beef lb. 20c
Rib, Short Rib and Plate

Liver 2 lbs. 45c
Baby Beef

Bacon Squares .. lb. 23c
Will Streaked With Lean

Salt Pork lb. 19c
Fine for Seasoning

Chile Con Carne lb. 35c
Fine Cold Weather Dish

Hens, Fryers, Rabbits
Fresh Fish

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Juice Oranges dozen 20c
Medium Sunkist

Grapefruit dozen 49c
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2 Cans 25c

MILK
Any Brand—(4 Brown)
4 Tall Cans .. 39c

Kraft Dinner
Limit—(1 Brown)
Pkg. 9c

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Luncheon Meat—(5 Brown)
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COFFEE
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Kraft's
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Colored Hens & Large Fryers lb. 38c to 45c



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WELL, I'M READY, LET'S GO!

UMM! YES, YES, I DO INDEED!