

Lend-Lease Cuts To Affect Russia And Great Britain

Washington, May 14 (AP)—More big lend-lease cuts, including a slash of nearly 50 per cent in U. S. war aid to Britain, were in prospect today following curtailment of the bulk of this country's \$300,000,000 a month shipments to Russia.

At the same time some top U. S. officials were said on good authority to believe the drastic cut in lend-lease to the Soviet Union might figure in relaxing the stalemate in the Polish situation.

Though the Russian curtailment assertedly was based solely on the fact that Russia is no longer a fighting ally, it was said to demonstrate a willingness on this country's part to be "tough." This it was felt, might further convince Soviet Marshal Josef Stalin that the U. S. will not yield to Russian wishes in regard to Poland.

Wants Recognition Russia is eager to win recognition for the soviet-sponsored Polish government now installed in Warsaw, while British and the U. S. are insisting that the government must first be recognized in line with the Yalta agreement.

It was pointed out that while lend-lease is strictly a war operation, Russia is eager to receive postwar credits from this country to enable her to buy American machinery with which to rebuild Russian industry. This country's readiness to cut lend-lease shipments promptly and without hesitation was seen as a hint to Russia to meet other allied nations halfway or face difficulty with the postwar financing problem.

Announcement Due President Truman is expected to make an announcement on Russian lend-lease shortly.

Disclosure of the sharp cut in lend-lease to Russia was made Saturday by Foreign Economic Administrator Leo T. Crowley. He said "new shipments to Europe" had been halted except those destined for countries still fighting Japan or those where lend-lease would aid redeployment of American armed forces.

Lt. A. G. Paul In Philippines

Naval Air Station, Honolulu, May 14—Lt. Alexander G. Paul, Jr., USNR, of Madision, Florida and Bend, Oregon, is now in the Philippine islands on duty at an advanced base unit of the Pacific Wing of the Naval Air Transport Service Command. Since being assigned to NATS Pacific, he has done air transport officer work at Canton island and in the Admiralty islands.

As an air transport officer, Lt. Paul supervises servicing of NATS aircraft at stops along more than 30,000 miles of routes in the Pacific. Flying more than 5,000,000 miles a month, planes of the NATS Pacific Wing link every ship and advanced base of the navy with supply lines on the mainland.

FOOD RATION STAMPS GOOD

Table showing food ration stamp validity for Red Stamps, Blue Stamps, and Sugar Stamps from February to August.

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Local Budget Law Is Under Attack

Salem, Ore., May 14 (AP)—The so-called "local budget law" of the recent legislature, signed by both presiding officers and the governor, and now being included in the session laws, is not the bill as passed by the legislature, it was claimed today by the Oregon Business and Tax Research Inc.

The group has filed a suit to enjoin Secretary of State Robert S. Farrel, Jr., from including the measure in the 1945 laws.

The tax organization claims that a conference report, adopted by both houses, was left out of the engrossed bill by inadvertence, and that the lack changes the import of the law.

Is Now Law The bill, (HB 403) which carried the emergency clause and is now law, proposed to set up "cash working accounts" to tide over local budget accounts from one taxing period to the next.

Churchill Speaks

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shattered as Berlin." Making one of his strongest points, Churchill said:

"We have yet to make sure that the simple and honorable purposes for which we entered the war are not brushed aside or overlooked in the months following our success and that the words 'freedom,' 'democracy' and 'liberation' are not distorted from their true meaning as we have understood them."

In the vindictive mood he once reserved for Mussolini he fixed an eye on Eire and said: "With a restraint and pose to which, I say, history will find few parallels, his majesty's government never laid a violent hand, although at time it would have been quite easy and quite natural, and we left the De Valera government to frollic with the Germans and later with the Japanese representatives to their hearts' content."

However, in a mellow mood, he recalled Irish Victoria Cross heroes and said, "and then I must confess that the bitterness by Britain against the Irish race dies in my heart."

REX HAYNE PROMOTED Aboard an Aircraft Carrier in the Pacific—Rex Arthur Haynie, 265 Riverside, Bend, Ore., now serving in the navy, was recently

as legal adviser to the governor during the session, has been retained to bring the suit.

advanced to storekeeper, first class. He is now attached to one of the newest and largest aircraft carriers in the Pacific. His wife, Mrs. Wilma Wyatt Haynie is living in Bend.

Buy National War Bonds Now!

MOTHERS HONORED Redmond, May 14 (Special)—Tributes were paid to mothers, at the specially arranged programs held in the various Redmond churches on Sunday morning.

Channels were decorated with flowers, special music and ser-

mons were the special part of the programs. On long combat missions, a food warmer, plugged into the aircraft's electrical system, keeps hot foods at 160 degrees Fahrenheit.



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Lt. Bob Yancey Wins Air Medal

U. S. Naval Air Station, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., May 14—Lt. (jg) Robert O. Yancey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Yancey, Prineville, received the air medal here Saturday.

His citation is mostly confidential but the part we can quote says: "For distinguishing himself... in the vicinity of the Philippines on Oct. 15, 1944. As a pilot of a carrier-based fighter plane he participated in an attack against the enemy which encountered numerically superior air opposition. In this action he engaged and shot down one enemy fighter plane. His courage and skill throughout were in keeping with the highest traditions of the U. S. naval service." It was signed by Vice-Admiral M. A. Mitscher, commander carrier task force, U. S. Pacific fleet.

Lt. Yancey attended the University of Oregon for three years before joining the navy. At present he is under instruction as a landing signal officer.

Cut in Sugar Faces Canners

Applications for home canning sugar will be available at grocery stores or from the local war price and ration board beginning May 15, OPA officials announced today.

It is pointed out that the forms were printed before the change in regulations, and that only 15 pounds of sugar per person, not to exceed 120 pounds for a family unit, will be available, rather than the 20-pound per person, 160-pound maximum formerly announced. Spare stamp 13 from ration book No. 4 must be attached to the application for each person for whom sugar is required, it was emphasized.

The board stressed the importance of applicants' use of correct mailing addresses in their applications, explaining that ration certificates are often held up because of failure to state complete and correct addresses.

The applications for canning sugar may be mailed or brought to the OPA office in the library building.

WIDE FIELD FOR WOMEN

Chicago (AP)—The food products industry offers more than 413 different types of permanent jobs for women and girls, according to Mrs. Anne V. Zinsor, chairman of the Women's executive committee of the Illinois office of public instruction. A survey of food production plants revealed that 153 new types of jobs in the industry have been opened to women in the past three years, Mrs. Zinsor reports.

Pony Buttes Home Destroyed by Fire

Madras, May 14 (Special)—The L. C. Thornton home at Pony buttes, near Ashwood was completely destroyed by fire last week. This is the second home to have burned in this locality within the last two weeks. The other was the Nartz home. There was no insurance on the Thornton residence.

Dinner was on the table when the fire was discovered, on the roof. Before help could be obtained, the house was in flames. Mrs. Thornton was in Redmond where her children are in school. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Wharton and Mrs. and Mrs. Gerald Thornton were working at the ranch at the time. Some newly purchased furniture belonging to the Gerald Thorntons was destroyed.

Anna C. Firkus Funeral Is Set

Funeral services will be held at 8 a. m. Wednesday from the Catholic church for Anna Catherine Firkus, who died last Thursday at the St. Charles hospital. Recitation of the rosary will be at 7 p. m. Tuesday from the Niswonger and Winslow chapel.

Mrs. Firkus is survived by her husband, George Edward Firkus, 1312 Milwaukee, one son, Jerry, one sister and four brothers. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

CLERGYMAN WORKS FAST

Cambridge, Mass. (AP)—A Cambridge patrolman tore up a ticket he had issued to a clergyman-driver when the cleric explained, "Officer, you have to hustle if you're going to save souls."

Advertisement for Al Donahue and his Orchestra, featuring Lynne Stevens, performing at the Bend Roller Rink on Thursday, May 17, 9 to 1.

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From those who have served their country on far-off fields of combat, we have now received the first priceless gift of Victory... and with this Victory a challenge!

For from these men who have sacrificed so much—and from the other millions who have backed their efforts by carrying on so effectively their appointed tasks at home—comes the demand that total victory and final peace, through triumph over Japan, shall bring them the opportunities for which they fought and worked—the opportunities to live, progress and prosper.

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They can be described in terms of certain simple "articles of faith":

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Faith in America's progressive instinct and in the things which serve it—science, research, engineering, technical knowledge and skill. Faith in the rights of great and small alike—and of the importance of each in a free, peaceful and productive nation. Before us lies one immediate, definite task—more important than all others—to defeat Japan. With the first big obstacle to final victory removed—it is not too soon, we think, to face the challenge of that peace which our fighting men will have won so dearly. We believe the principles which we have stated are those with which the challenge must be met. We believe that if we follow these principles—with stout hearts and willing hands—America's future will inevitably bring better things for more people.

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