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EDITORIALS

EVERYBODY'S WAR

This is everybody's war—and everybody must help finance it. That is the gist of a recent statement by Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau in which he pointed to the need for increased purchases by individuals of United States Savings Bonds.

During the next year, said the Secretary, the nation will probably have to borrow upwards of \$35,000,000,000. And then he made this pertinent observation: "If the government is compelled to go to the commercial banks for the bulk of these funds, the result will be to increase inflationary tendencies which are already serious."

"When bonds are purchased with savings out of current income, on the other hand, such savings help to reduce excess consumer income which, if spent for a limited supply of consumer goods, would tend to force prices up. It is for this reason, among others, that we are going directly to the people for as much as possible of the money needed for the war."

The banks cannot do it all—and in the interest of a sound national economy they should not do it all even if they could. It is the plain duty of everyone, out of self-interest if for no other reason, to put every



possible dollar into the bonds which pay for fighting our enemies.

Mr. Morgenthau recommends a wide extension of the payroll savings plan for bond purchasing. Under it, you simply allot a definite part of your salary for bonds, precisely as you budget for food, taxes and everything else. Time is short now—it's up to all of us to buy bonds to the absolute limit of our financial abilities.

Story of African Rubber Plantation

(This letter was written by Mrs. J. J. Swain from Liberia, Africa to her mother, Mrs. E. E. Scott of this city. Mrs. Swain was the former Miss Mildred Burger.)

Continued from Last Week

On my way out of the plane I took one of the most beautiful oranges I have ever seen—actually orange color "for true"—from America. I had forgotten that oranges can be that yellow. Meyer and Johnny had come along with us and remained with the blacks to watch. They climbed on top of our pickup to see Missey in the plane. I brought them the orange and asked them what it was. They will say what it is—for myself, I said, "It be good, Missey?" "You can't know dese tings." When I told them it was an orange they laughed and thought it a good joke. A minute later they were the big attraction showing off the fine, fine ting from "Merica."

Sunday night, Jan. 18th, one of the more civilized boys at the airport jokingly said the airport was going to be bombed that night. What with a plane landing there that day combined with the ignorance of these people that was all they needed. The alarm was spread through the camps like wildfire and more than 2,000 blacks, men, women and children, left "one time" with whatever

they could carry with them. Pots, pans, blankets or anything they could grab. The roads were so choked with blacks that they started going off for the jungles through the fields. White men in cars were trying all night to turn them back and succeeded to a measure in persuading some of them to return but they are still looking for a lot of them yet and waiting for them to return from the jungles. Staff terror reigned in those camps as they made their mad escape from what they thought was certain death. Their screams and yelling could be heard for miles. You can't imagine the frenzy of these people when they are terrorized, they are like trapped animals and behave as such. Civilization is indeed a very long ways from Africa when something like this happens to show the white man just how much progress he has made in his vain attempt to tame the wild tribes of Africa.

I must bring this to a close and write many more letters for this plane. I wonder if you are as excited as we are over this new development. If you see any clippings in the papers announcing this flight will you please send them, we'd love to know how was written up in the papers back home.

We are all well and I am back to work now after my vacation of ten days which I took the middle of this month. Mr. Godley has found it necessary to devote almost his entire time to Pan American work in an executive capacity and he and Joe are working together almost constantly now. Because of this I have been taken off of all Firestone work and am now working for Pan American myself. We have employed every girl on the plantations who will work or who has any knowledge of office work and are still crying for help, some of which is due to arrive shortly. I have turned my Firestone work over to Dorothy Marconi who was my first assistant before and she is working for Mr. Hall now who took over Mr. Godley's Firestone work. My job is to keep track of all technical and legal papers and documents for Pan-Am., contracts, leases, codes, etc. and the job is exciting as well as very interesting. A great deal of confidential information flows over my

desk which I could write a book on but which is better left unsaid. Joe likes his work better every day but is doing quite a lot of overtime with Godley now. I hope it doesn't last indefinitely.

2:30 P.M. Joe just arrived home for chop and says a bunch of Airmail stamps have been ordered for the Firestone staff and that stamps are about 50c each. When you send us airmail it should cost around this amount. Hope you are able to get a letter to us on the first flight as it will probably be advertised at home.

The mail which we hoped to send on the S.S. West Humhaw was left at the post office. No mail was put on board so our letters are still laying down at the P.O.—Nuts. Such efficiency out here, it makes me disgusted.

Must close and lots of love and kisses to all at home. Will write some different news next time. You might open the letters which arrive addressed to us for if I have time I'll enclose a letter to you in them. I hope you are all well.

HURRAH FOR THE AIRMAIL SERVICE

Mickey & Joe.

2-5-42—Open our letter to find further details on the first airmail flight as the date was changed to February 12th.

(To Be Continued)

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PROPOSED BUDGET

FOR THE CITY OF CENTRAL POINT, JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON. FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, JULY 1st, 1942 to JUNE 30th, 1943

The following is a BUDGET of the estimated expenditures of The City of Central Point, Jackson County, Oregon, for the Fiscal Year July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943, together with estimated receipts from all sources and the LEVY of taxes required to raise the necessary revenues:

SUMMARY Table with columns: Classification Department, Levy, Receipts Estimated, Budget. Rows include General Government, Public Safety, Social Welfare, Education, Public Works, Emergency, Total General Fund, Principal on Bonded Debt, Interest on Bonds, Totals.

DEPARTMENT BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR FISCAL YEAR—JULY 1, 1942 to JUNE 30, 1943

Table with columns: Actual Expenditures (1939, 1940, 1941), For Year 1942 (Actual 3 mo., Budget 6 mo.), Department Classification, Budget, Total. Rows include GENERAL GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC SAFETY, SOCIAL WELFARE, EDUCATION, PUBLIC WORKS, EMERGENCY, DEBT SERVICE.

TOTAL TAX LEVY FOR FISCAL YEAR—JULY 1, 1942 to JUNE 30, 1943 \$ 8,865.00 AMOUNT INSIDE 6% LIMITATION \$ 8,865.00

INDEBTEDNESS

36 Refunding Bonds Nos. 75 to 110 inclusive in \$500.00 Denominations—1943 to 1948 \$18,000.00

FUNDS ON HAND ON MAY 15, 1942

Table with columns: Fund Name, Amount. Rows include General Fund—Cash in Bank, Sinking Fund—Cash in Bank, Special Fire Fund, Total Cash on Hand.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement of the proposed budget of expenses for the Fiscal Year, July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943, as adopted by the Budget Committee of The City of Central Point, Oregon, on May 14, 1942, and notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that the City Council will meet in the City Hall in the said City on Monday, June 15, 1942, at 8:00 P.M. of said day and then and there discuss said budget and make the levy of City Taxes for expenditures for the Fiscal Year, July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943, and at which time and place any person interested may meet with the Council and make his objections to said budget and said proposed tax levy, if any he has.

Dated at Central Point, Oregon, this 18th day of May, 1942. 291—May 21, 1942 GUY TEX, City Recorder