

YOUR HOME MERCHANTS ASK YOU TO "BUY AT HOME"

Ever see this flag?

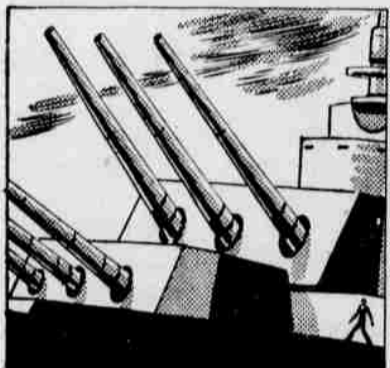
It is the U.S. Navy "E." This symbol, on a Navy vessel, indicates special "excellence" in some activity such as gunnery or engineering.



1. The "E" is the highest group honor awarded by the Navy. Crews work hard for it, and are proud to see it on their vessel.



2. But today, with so many industries producing equipment for the Navy, the "E" has been awarded to a few factories, too.



3. One factory so honored is the Erie, Pennsylvania plant of General Electric, where the award was made for speed in the production of naval ordnance.



4. The "E" flag was hoisted September 19, and hundreds of Erie G-E employees are proudly wearing "E" buttons to show that they, too, share the honor.

General Electric believes that its first duty as a good citizen is to be a good soldier.

General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

GENERAL ELECTRIC



THIS WILL BE OUR BUSIEST CHRISTMAS—

We deeply appreciate your most helpful cooperation. You are helping us to help you.

We want you to know that we are meeting this emergency with everything we've got, but in these critical times delays are bound to occur.

Our lines are carrying a tremendous volume of traffic—in the last few days they have been the busiest in Pacific Coast history. It is necessary, of course, that in all instances, our lines be readily available for telephone calls important to Defense.

Your considerate thoughtfulness in not making other than the most urgent calls is an inspiration to all of us who are earnestly endeavoring to uphold the finest traditions of telephone service.

May we also ask you to lend us a hand over the Holiday Season by not sending greetings by Long Distance.

Thank you.

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Business Office: 4 W. Willow Street, Heppner

Phone 5

OREGON FARMERS PLEDGE ALL-OUT AID FOR VICTORY

Now that America is at war, achievement of the production goals under the food for freedom—now "food for victory"—program has become doubly important, said Robert B. Taylor of Adams, chairman of the state USDA agricultural defense program, in calling on Oregon farmers to turn pledged increases in production into actual production of more eggs, more milk, more pork and more marketing of beef cattle. Results of the statewide farm-to-farm sign-up recently conducted by AAA committeemen show that Oregon farmers have "oversubscribed" the original production goals under the farm defense program, planning more than their share of the increased production. But with the nation actually at war, some of these original goals may even be revised to meet the increased needs, said Taylor.

As shown in the sign-up results, expected 1942 production of the three most important commodities, milk, eggs and pork, well exceeds the original goals, the defense board chairman announced. An eleven per cent increase in milk production was sought and brought a response of a 19 per cent increase planned. The promised increase in egg production is 38 per cent.

Increases in 1942 production over 1941 pledged in the Oregon farm sign-up, covering 95 per cent of the state's farmland, were announced by

Christmas Telephone Congestion Predicted

Predicted jams of long distance calls on Christmas eve and day may cause delays up to several hours, it was announced today by J. R. Farrington, manager of The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, who suggested that telephone users here make any planned long distance calls for holiday greetings early next week.

Although preparation has been under way for weeks by the telephone company to handle a maximum number of Christmas long distance calls placed by Heppner people, the general rush this year is expected to exceed all past records.

Use the G-T want ads for results.

Taylor as follows:

Cows milked, 18 per cent; milk production, 19 per cent; hogs marketed, 38 per cent eggs, 36 per cent; beef cattle marketed, 12 per cent; sheep, 10 per cent; corn, 7 per cent; barley, 61 per cent rye, 17 per cent; hay, 9 per cent; sugar beets, 31 per cent; dry beans, 63 per cent; fiber flax, 15 per cent; seed flax, 10 per cent; ryegrass for seed, 18 per cent; winter legumes for seed, 33 per cent; perennial grass seed, 49 per cent; farm gardens, 11 per cent.

Meanwhile the extension service of O. S. C. is marshalling every resource to assist farmers in meeting the emergency conditions. Educational service will be centered on the war production program this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith and son Jimmy departed Sunday for Seattle and Naches to spend Christmas with relatives and friends.

HORSES, MULES OF MILITARY AGE TO BE REGISTERED

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agents will consolidate and forward this information. In counties not having county agents, horse and mule owners may report direct to the Western Remount Area, 72-3rd Avenue, San Mateo, California. It is requested all animals be registered by January 10, 1942.

It is desired to emphasize that this is not a draft of animal resources and that it seems most unlikely this will ever be necessary. When horses or mules are needed they will be purchased. Prompt registration of animals of a useful military age is simply a most desirable step in our defense preparations. Registration of animals at this time is voluntary but obviously a patriotic obligation.

Announcement

All magazines and periodicals formerly at Patterson & Son will be available at 8 West Willow St.

Sarah Jane Woelfer

SHOULD AULD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT

WE mean your old time food friends. The simple, delicious foods that are so welcome after holiday feasting. We've put them all on display to help remind you of your favorites that you'll want for a midnight snack and New Year's dinner. Come in TODAY.

ADVERTISED PRICES EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, DEC. 26th thru MONDAY, DEC. 29th

PLENTY OF FOOD FOR ALL

We quote from President Roosevelt's address of Tuesday, December 8—

A REVIEW THIS MORNING LEADS ME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT AT PRESENT WE SHALL NOT HAVE TO CURTAIL THE NORMAL ARTICLES OF FOOD FOR ALL OF US TO SEND TO THOSE WHO ARE FIGHTING ON THE SAME SIDE WITH US.

BUY DEFENSE SAVINGS STAMPS

At Your Neighborhood **SAFEWAY**

<p>Canada Dry Ginger Ale 6 bot 25c Sno-Cola Beverage 6 12-oz. 23c Nob Hill Coffee 1/2 lb. 23c 2 lbs. 45c Airway Coffee 1/2 lb. 19c 3 lbs. 55c Sunny Dawn Tomato Juice 46 18c Libby Tomato Juice 47-oz. can 19c Grapefruit Juice 46-oz. can 19c Cherub Cond. Milk 4 tall cans 33c Pet Milk 3 cans 25c Fancy Chocolates 1 1/2 lb. tin 73c Chocolate Peppermints 1 lb. 23c Jell Well Desserts 4c Maraschino Cherries 5-oz. bot. 9c Soda Crackers 2 lb. carton 17c Ritz Crackers, 1-lb. Carton 21c Planters Peanuts 1 lb. 19c Shoestring Potatoes 5-oz. can 10c Dromedary Dates 10-oz. pkg. 20c Glenn Aire Grapefruit 2 1/2 doz. 29c Zee Napkins Dinner Size 2 1/2 doz. 15c</p>	<p>S & W Kipperd Sardines 8 15c Smoked Oysters 3 1/2-oz. can 19c Columbia Chinook SALMON 21c Red Hill Catsup 14-oz. bottle 11c C H B Catsup 14-oz. bottle 12c Kraft Cheese 2 lb. loaf 23c Anglo Corned Beef 12-oz. can 20c Underwood Deviled Ham 4-oz. 20c Hormel's Pigs Feet 28-oz. jar 29c Sleepy Hollow Syrup 26-oz. 26c White King Toilet Soap, 3 for 14c Lux Toilet Soap, 3 reg. bars 17c Camay Beauty Soap, 3 bars 17c 20 Mule Team Borax 10-oz. pkg 10c Boraxo Cleans Hands 10-oz. 12c Borax Soap Chips 22-oz. pkg 23c</p>
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Royal Satin Shortening 3-lb. can 57c

Keen-Pure Shortening 1 lb. tin 16c

Pork & Beans Van Camp's No. 2 1/2 cans 14c

SPRY Shortening 3-lb. can 63c

Crystal White Soap Giant bar Reg 2 for 7c 4c

KARO SYRUP BLUE LABEL 5-lb. can 35c

MAZOLA SALAD OIL Quart Can 49c
MAY DAY SALAD OIL Quart Can 42c

FARM-FRESH PRODUCE

TURNIPS, PARSNIPS or RUTABAGAS, 5 lb. 15c

GRAPEFRUIT, lb. 4c

ORANGES, lb. 5c

CABBAGE, lb. 2c

Meats

Sirloin or Rib Steak

Tender and delicious, guaranteed, lb. 33c

Fresh Ground Beef or Pure Pork Saus. 2 lb. 45c

Skinless Frankfurters, Good with kraut, lb. 25c

Bacon, by the piece, Morrell's, lb. 29c

Short Ribs of Beef, lean and tender, lb. 15c

COMPLETE SATISFACTION GUARANTEED EVERY TIME!

LUX SOAP FLAKES 12 1/2-oz. Pkg. 21c

SIERRA PINE TOILET SOAP 3 bars 17c

BEANS

REALLY OVEN BAKED—SAUCED As You Like Them!

Heinz Boston Style or Vegetarian 18-oz. can 12c

Heinz Tomato Sauce Beans 11c

SAFEWAY