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We Feed Prisoners of War

With 200,000 German and Italian prisoners taken in North Africa troop trains are expected to be rolling across this country to prison camps in Central United States. Instead of supplying them with food across the waters where shipment is in danger of submarines, they will be brought to the sources of supply, and it goes without saying that these prisoners will be fed better than they have been during a long and arduous campaign. But this is America's way of doing things. Even our prisoners of war will not be starved, nor subjected to the cruelties imposed by our enemy countries on our own boys. And when the final verdict of history is written on this war, many pages will be devoted to the humanitarianism of the democracies, and soundness of the civilization they are fighting for and taking prisoners to uphold.

Harvesting our crops is now a serious problem soon to confront, not only farmers, but all of us. The food supplies must be put in storage even if all other business and war effort at critical periods must be loaned to the effort. Not only should every farmer be looking ahead, but every man who can possibly lend a hand should make himself known and available regularly or at odd times. Hay must be put in the stack for beef and dairy production, grains must be laid by for pork and poultry products; and potatoes, fruits and other such products must be saved from loss and waste. It is every patriotic citizen's business to take some responsibility. The farmers have planted. We must not let them down this summer and fall.

STANFIELD NEWS

By Mrs. Rose Hedrick

Projects voted on at the county meeting of the home extension units Friday, May 7, were: sewing machine clinic; women and law; mending; shortcuts in sewing; rug making; war time cookery and foods; meat extenders; making kitchens more livable; oven cookery; touching up furniture. Seven of the nine projects above will be given. A four day school will be offered in tying broken springs in furniture. Mrs. George Campbell, the

new president of the Stanfield-Echo unit, attended the meeting and reports a lovely and enjoyable time and hopes for greater interest in the classes next September.

Miss Rose Hoosier and Margo Wright, both teachers in the Heppner schools, visited the O. M. Hoosiers here on Mother's day.

Mrs. Julius Villermour was able to return to her home at Hermiston Sunday and Mrs. Lloyd Waid left the hospital Sunday to return to her home in Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krul sold their home here to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Long.

Mrs. Krul went to Weiser, Idaho, to live and her daughter Ariene Carter will remain here until the close of school May 21. Mr. Krul is employed in construction work at the Pasco Naval base.

John Runyon, grandfather, received word that John Quimby was seriously injured in action in North Africa.

The P.T.A. made plans for the closing picnic May 18 following the election of officers last week. The new officers are Mrs. Harry Muir, president. Mrs. W. A. Dennis, vice president, Mrs. Leora Heyden, secretary, and Mrs. Gilbert Smith, treasurer.

The Home Nursing class under the leadership of Mrs. Ralph Tachella of Pendleton, will meet again Wednesday at the Presbyterian church and hope to effect a meeting date for two days each week so as to complete the course sooner. Joan Warren will be the patient this week.

George Sales, teletypist in the U.S.A.A. from Oakland, and Zelma Sales Tompkins of Portland arrived here for a visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sale Sunday. Sergeant George will remain a week.

Mrs. Andy Thomas spent Mother's day in California with her son, Robert E. Deadmond, who works for the United Air Lines. This is not her initial trip to Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reha and Marie Evans and Normie visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Isackson on Birch Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Miller and Mr. Mrs. Ernest Greathouse visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Ellenberger, parents of Mr. Miller at Pilot Rock Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Loughary left Saturday night to join her husband who is stationed with the army at St. Petersburg, Florida.

Word has been received here of the marriage of Lena Bowman and Sgt. Jimmy Daniels of the Signal Corps at Oakland.

Mrs. Edmonds honored her sister-in-law, Mrs. Virgil Krause last Friday by giving her a shower at her home. About twenty attended.

Mrs. F. B. Stuart, Mrs. Margaret Daughtrey were entertained Mother's day at the home of Mrs. Claude McCall who has her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Oatman, also with her.

Bernice and Lauren Hughes spent the week end at The Dalles visiting their friends, the Curtis family.

Charles Hedrick returned Munday night to the P. A. A. B. at Portland after finishing a course of inspection and administration at Fort Logan, Colorado.

Miss Mae Leonard was a guest of Miss Neva Hedrick at the Hedrick home on Mother's day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hughes were hosts Sunday to a large dinner party for relatives. They were E. C. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barber and Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Geer and children. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley, Ella and Edna Hadley, and Clemmie Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer were dinner guests Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlov Warren and Normie were visitors in Pasco Monday.

British cash purchases of essential war items in the United States have exceeded \$7 billions, almost equal to the cumulative value of all Lend-Lease aid extended by the United States from March 11, 1941, to November 30, 1942.



Augusta

Augusta Travers—you know, the one who runs the little hat shop down on Main Street—she's always been dead set against gambling in any form. Never will forget when I was a kid and she found little Hammy, her youngest nephew, playing marbles for keeps out back of the shop. Took it on herself to give him a whaling and point out the evils of gambling. She's a strict woman, Augusta, real strict. Good as gold, of course. But mighty set against the lighter things of life.



Well, so you could have knocked us all over with a feather when Augusta started her gambling campaign for War Bonds and Stamps, right out in the window of her shop. First she got hold of the photographs of every boy here in town who's joined up, and pasted them on a big board in the window, with little American flags at the corners. Half the town was down there watching her do it. She left the middle empty. Then she brought out a placard she'd had printed up and put it in the middle, and this is what it said: "These are the Local Boys who have enlisted in America's War—They are betting that you are buying War Bonds and Stamps—Hitler and the Japs are betting you aren't—Place your bets inside."

My wife couldn't wait to get herself down there and inside Augusta's shop to see what in the wide world had happened to her, turning right around about gambling like that. You know my wife. She kind of likes to talk. She went right up to Augusta and said, "Augusta Travers, seems like something's come over you. Why, I never thought I'd see you running a gambling campaign in your own shop."

Mean to tell me it's a gamble whether this country buys enough bonds to win this war?" Augusta asked.

I forgot to say. Wasn't just a hat my wife brought home. Was a hat and a \$25 bond.

(Story from an actual report in the files of the Treasury Department.) Remember: It takes both—taxes and War Bonds (and more War Bonds)—to run the War and combat inflation! U. S. Treasury Department

UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughter Joan and grandsons Gerald and Gordon Harryman left last Wednesday for The Dalles where they visited their daughters, Mrs. Paul Walsh and Mrs. Don Harryman and families. Mr. Byrnes and daughter Joan returned Thursday but Mrs. Byrnes remained until after Mother's Day and the boys will remain to make their home with their mother after spending the winter and attending school here.

Mrs. Dale Montgomery, Mrs. Dean Newgard and Mrs. Glenn Ostrom spent Thursday in Walla Walla.

Mrs. Frank Broisseau returned to her home in Boise after spending a couple of days here visiting at the John Liedloff home.

Mrs. Dale Montgomery was hostess to the pinocle club at her home last Wednesday evening. Those present were Madames Oliver McNabb, Billie Becker, John Liedloff, Frank Broisseau, Carl Moberly, John Nye, Glenn Ostrom, Dean Newgard, Misses Barbara Tonies and Norway Glasgow and hostess. Prizes were won by Mrs. Newgard and Mrs. Becker.

Mrs. Carl Moberly returned to her home in Spokane Thursday after spending two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mustard and family.

Mrs. John Wurster and daughter, Mrs. Joe Collins, left last Wednesday for Seattle where they visited Mr. Collins who is stationed with the navy. Mrs. Wurster returned Friday but Mrs. Collins remained until Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Dean Newgard and Mrs. Glenn Ostrom and son Gary Dean accompanied F. S. Baker to The Dalles Friday where they visited at Mrs. Newgard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, and Mrs. Ostrom's sisters, Mrs. Walsh and Mrs. Harryman. Dean Newgard came down Saturday and returned Monday with Mrs. Ostrom and son and Mrs. James Byrnes. Mrs. Newgard returned Tuesday.

Lyle Brown left last week for Huntington where he will be employed on the railroad.

Shelly Baldwin and son Andy Baldwin and family had as their guest last week their daughter and sister and her husband from San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Fred Rankin of Walla Walla spent several days here last week with her mother and sister, Mrs. Miriam McKenzie and daughter Jean. Jean has quit her nurses training in Pendleton hospital and gone to the Ordinance Depot to work in the office.

Miss Gladys Lane of Bend who has been in Portland under medical care, spent Monday till Wednesday at the John Liedloff home. She went on to Yakima from here where she will visit with her father.

Mrs. John Wurster and daughters Sara and Mrs. Joe Collins spent Tuesday in Pendleton where Mrs. Wurster received medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Gordon spent the week end in The Dalles where they attended business and visited their parents on Mother's day.

Morris McEinnis is taking his vacation from his duties as operator at the U. P. depot.

Ann Mary Sherlock is employed at the Red & White Store.

PINE CITY NEWS

By Mrs. Bernice Wattenburger

Miss Marie Healy of Portland spent Mother's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Healy of Butter Creek. Their daughters, Miss Cecilia, Rosetta and Helen Healy of Heppner also were present.

Miss Janet Myers is ill with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bartholomew and daughter of Corvallis came Saturday evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bartholomew. O. F. Bartholomew was sent on to Montana on business and Mrs. Bartholomew and daughter will spend two weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marian Finch and Mr. Finch spent Thursday in Pendleton and Walla Walla on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and son of Hermiston and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieglesworth and family spent Saturday evening at the E. B.



Last year fire took an estimated toll of \$302,050,000 in property values. Carelessness was responsible for a large part of this loss. Your insurance must be safe, sound and adequate.

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Wattenburger home. Mrs. Ollie Neill and daughter Neva of Ontario spent Saturday evening at with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger. They left Monday for Hamilton to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Akers.

A. E. Wattenburger and son Burl made a business trip to Pasco, Wash., on Monday.

Miss Helen Vogler spent Mother's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vogler.

Miss Dorothy Wigglesworth of Echo spent the week end with Lucille

BACK UP YOUR BOY  **2ND WAR LOAN**

Buy an Additional Bond Today

and Darlyne Wattenburger. Bobby Vogler made a business trip to Spokane, Wash., on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Struthers are the parents of a baby daughter born Friday at St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton. She has been named Janet Marie.

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His Pigs Go to War

Young Johnny Clay of Rocky Mount, North Carolina, is typical of farm children raising victory pigs and devoting profits to War Bonds.

Farm Youth of U. S. Looks to Tomorrow

TOMORROW'S farmers and farm homemakers are second to no school group in their enthusiasm for investing in War Bonds and Stamps to make sure their future is secure. Through the Schools At War program they are investing what they save and earn in War Stamps and Bonds.

First evidence of this is the amount the 4-H Club boys and girls and the FFA boys invested in war savings in 1942 from "Victory Pig" and other projects. A million and a half 4-H Club members put \$8,000,000 of their own savings in War Bonds and Stamps and sold \$2,500,000 worth of War Savings to their neighbors. Nearly a quarter million members of Future Farmers of America invested more than \$1,500,000.

Spurred by the realization that the financial welfare of farm families the next 20 years depends on how wisely they use today's higher incomes from increased food and other wartime production, both groups have set their goals still higher for 1943.

These farm youths are building financial reserves, and urging their parents to do the same, for after-the-war necessities, to meet financial emergencies and to help them get started in college.

They're building reserves today for tomorrow's farm buildings and for the other things they will need when they're tomorrow's farmers and homemakers.

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