

TRIBUNE CARRIERS TO AID IN SURVEY OF LOCAL HOUSING

Coordinator Lauds Effort to List Information On Available Lodgings in City

In an effort to help procure accurate housing information for the cantonment coordination board, the Mail Tribune's 27 city carriers will start a survey of all available lodging facilities tomorrow.

As establishment of the cantonment is a national defense measure and as the men who construct the camp must have lodging while they are employed here, all residents having any kind of housing facility were asked to cooperate in the survey. Every home owner was requested to make an inventory to determine if there isn't at least one spare room that might be rented out to a cantonment worker. It has been pointed out that it would be better to utilize all available lodging facilities than to build new houses to accommodate the workers only to have a surplus of houses that would depress real estate values after the camp has been built and the workers have moved on. It was also pointed out that families who have spare rooms can make a little extra money while serving a good purpose by renting the unused rooms to camp workers during the period of cantonment construction.

Prizes For Boys
The Mail Tribune is offering cash prizes to the boys for their participation in the survey. There will be three prizes, one each to the boy registering the largest number of available houses, apartments and rooms. In addition to the number of lodging facilities available, the carriers will record descriptive data regarding collateral facilities such as the type of entrance and available garage space.

Frank J. Van Dyke, cantonment coordinator, expressed the board's appreciation of the carriers' services. "This is another example of the splendid spirit of cooperation and patriotism being shown by everyone we come in contact with," he said. "We heartily congratulate the boys and thank them for their fine spirit of cooperation."

SOYBEAN MEETS DOUBLE PURPOSE

Baton Rouge, La. (U.P.)—A new type soybean, developed by the extension division of Louisiana State university, soon may answer the problem of farmers whose lands now lie fallow because of the reduction in cane acreage.

The soybean, known as the Magnolia at the experiment station, was developed after eight years of experiment. The variety produces seed in large quantities and is yellow in color—characteristics demanded by the Louisiana planter.

North Louisiana growers primarily are interested in the development of a soybean for the sale of seed. In the sugar belt, however, farmers need a crop that will at least pay its way since their acreage has been reduced under the government's agricultural program.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.



BOOST—Robert Jackson (above), 49, named by F.D.R. to the Supreme Court to fill the place vacated by elevation of Justice Harlan F. Stone to Chief Justice, has been U.S. attorney general. He was born near Jamestown, N. Y., grew up in that section.

Cuts Off Finger To Become Soldier

Corvallis, June 25—(U.P.)—Recruiting officers told Ethan F. Parker, Independence, that a stiff finger on his left hand would keep him out of the Navy. Parker got in anyway. He marched to a hospital, called a doctor, and ordered the finger cut off.

YELM HIGH SCHOOL IS DESTROYED BY BLAZE

Yelm, Wash., June 25—(U.P.)—Mayor E. K. Fristoe said today an early morning fire destroyed the Yelm high school building after local firemen and units from Olympia, Roy and Vail placed the blaze under control and confined it to the one building.

Fristoe estimated the damage at \$30,000 to the old structure, plus several thousand dollars in equipment. The building was insured for \$25,000, the Mayor said.

Fifty Dishes
Hamilton, N. Y. (U.P.)—Discovery of a yellowed menu has lent credence to the legends of the fabulous feast of Delta Upsilon fraternity at its 43rd annual convention in 1877 at Colgate university. The menu listed choices of 50 dishes among the nine courses.

Sharpshooters
Wurtsboro, N. Y. (U.P.)—If the army wants sharpshooters, Charles Terwilliger invites a visit to the Shawangunk mountain area near this Sullivan county village. "With the deer season ended, there is a lot of swell rifle talent lying around in the hills and it might as well be in the army," Terwilliger says.

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MEDFORD TRADE UP 22 PER CENT

San Francisco, June 25—(U.P.)—Retail trade, swelled by rising wages, made increases ranging from 6 to 27 per cent in the far west states last month.

California led with sales 27 per cent greater than May, 1940. Oregon's sales were up 23 per cent for the month, and 19 per cent for the first five months of the year.

A census bureau report showed that automobiles led the sales, Oregon registering a 51 per cent increase.

Gains by cities included: Oregon—Portland 23 per cent, Salem 27, Eugene 27, Medford 22.

Communities under 2500 population showed an increase of 15 per cent in Oregon.

SALEM MEN HEAD TWO POSTAL MEN'S GROUPS

Astoria, Ore., June 25—(U.P.)—Salem men headed two organizations of post office employees today.

W. G. Ross was elected president of the Oregon post office clerks' union and Harmon J. Garrett was named head of the Oregon letter carriers' association at conventions held jointly by the two groups.

HOYT WILL HEAD SAVING PROGRAM

Washington, D. C., June 25—(U.P.)—The appointment of Palmer Hoyt, publisher of the Portland Oregonian, as chairman of the Oregon national savings defense committee was announced today by Secretary Morgenthau.

The secretary said Hoyt's job would be to head a large state committee representing all sections of life and business to "work up and maintain enthusiasm for the national defense saving program."

To Lay Keels For Two Modern Subs

Vallejo, Calif., June 25—(U.P.)—The Navy announced today the keels would be laid for two of America's most modern submarines. Each will cost about \$6,000,000, and they should be launched within a year. They will be christened the Wahoo and the Whale.

The keel-laying will climax the record-breaking construction of two new building ways at the Mare Island navy yard here.

Attendance at motion pictures in Japan increased last year despite government opposition to amusements, the department of commerce reports.

Loggers Will Get \$50,000 Back Pay

Portland, June 25—(U.P.)—Some 3000 CIO loggers in the Columbia river area will pocket \$50,000 in retroactive pay boosts as result of a new contract signed last night.

Raises of 1/2 cents per hour are retroactive to April 16. The contracts also grants a week's vacation with pay.

Italian Skipper Given Pen Term

San Juan, Puerto Rico, June 25—(U.P.)—Ettore Guignoli, captain of the sabotaged Italian Tanker Colorado, was sentenced

to five years in prison in U. S. District court here late today and his crew of 25 were sentenced to three years each for damaging their vessel in the harbor here.

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**RAILWAY
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WOULD COST
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THE labor unions have made their demands upon the railways of the United States—and through the railways upon the PUBLIC. These demands are vastly larger in proportion than any they have ever made. The economical and efficient operation of the railways is vital to the nation's defense effort. Therefore, the Western Railways present to the public the following facts:

The labor unions representing engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and switchmen are demanding a 30 per cent increase in wages, amounting to 190 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay are the highest in history.

Other unions representing a greater number of railway employees are demanding wage increases ranging as high as 95 per cent—averaging 47 per cent—and amounting to 580 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay also are the highest in history.

Thus the wage increases being demanded by the labor unions amount to 770 million dollars a year, an average increase in excess of 41 per cent.

In addition, certain of these labor unions have demanded advances in their pay not included in the above figures, and more rules for the creation of unnecessary jobs.

The situation, then, is this: The total cost of complying with all the demands made would be approximately 900 million dollars a year!

The average weekly earnings of railway employees are now 15 per cent higher than in the peak year 1929, while the cost of living is 12 per cent less.

The demands of the railway labor unions are being made when the entire nation has just been asked to make a supreme effort for National Defense.

The railways cannot meet these demands without a great increase in the cost of transportation. They exceed by more than 700 million dollars the income that the railways had left after paying their annual expenses, taxes and charges in 1940.

The railways have a vitally important job before them. They need all their resources to continue adequately to serve you and contribute effectively toward the National Defense Program.

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