

BOMBS ON JAPAN BEST STRATEGY, ASSERTS FISHER

Rotary-Sponsored Speaker
Cites Long Preparation
In Nippon For Onslaught.

Only by bombing Japan itself can we hope to crush this powerful and unscrupulous foe to her knees.

This is the opinion of Dr. I. F. Fisher of Vancouver, B. C., for 22 years a resident of Japan and for 17 years the only foreigner on the teaching staff of the Japanese naval college in Tokyo. Dr. Fisher, speaking before a capacity crowd at the Medford high school auditorium Tuesday night under sponsorship of the local Rotary club, emphasized his belief that Japan's moral, military and economic fronts are strong and her long accumulation of war supplies will sustain her through a long war.

"Japan can't take it when reverses come," Dr. Fisher said. "That is our great hope."

The educator did not paint a rosy picture in reviewing Japan's long preparations for war, viewed during several years in that country. Bombing is their only fear, he said.

Shelter for Emperor
When Dr. Fisher left Japan on the last boat bound for the western hemisphere Tokyo had but one air raid shelter, built for the emperor. One 13-mile shallow subway in Tokyo provides the only other shelter in case of bombing and a great portion of the heavily populated cities are highly vulnerable to incendiary bombs.

"The so-called finger-nail hold of the Japs on the tip islands of the Aleutians might well become a strangle hold," Dr. Fisher warned. "The price for dislodging the invaders from this highly strategic point should be paid at once for a surprise aerial attack upon Japan is impossible with Attu and Kiska in Japanese hands."

Since 1931, when the military factions assumed control of Japan, her naval yards have been in operation on a 24-hour day basis, Fisher said.

Enthusiastic applause greeted his statement that unpatriotic strikers who would sabotage war production here should be immediately conscripted and sent to the front lines in Libya.

Information concerning Japan's feverish preparation for war with the democracies, furnished to American authorities by Dr. Fisher in past years, was met generally with skepticism, he said. These preparations included the training of a vast army of specialized, well equipped fighting men, perfected in technique of fighting in jungles or snow. Elaborate propaganda methods used by the Nippons in building a war attitude within the country and a feeling of unsuspecting friendliness in America and Britain were outlined by the speaker.

Japan is highly literate and has among government controlled newspapers two great papers with more than 2,000,000 circulation each. Moving pictures, novels, plays and even operas hammering home the propaganda messages of the Japanese military had the people "utterly cowed" and convinced that war with America was inevitable, according to Dr. Fisher. At least 99 percent of the people are behind the empire's war program and their morale will be difficult to break.

Fifth Column Used
Young Japanese high school and college students in this country who were called to the home-land and "re-japped" were our greatest menace in fifth column activities before the war, Fisher reminded, and he declared that only by complete evacuation of all Japanese from vital coastal areas could this menace be met.

The Japs invested everything in war bonds without benefit of "intensive campaigns and kisses of movie stars," Dr. Fisher emphasized. "Even gold from their teeth and glasses rims was poured into the war chest to build a gold reserve in America for the purchase of scrap iron and aviation gasoline. More-

over, every Japanese home is prepared for first-aid, air raid emergency and ambulance service, an added indication that the people are willingly cooperating in the war program.

"Failure to actually invade Australia and the Coral Sea and Midway defeats are the only hitches so far in the Japs' war time-table. Our only actions, with the exception of the lone air raid on Tokyo, have been defensive. Our task of crushing this enemy will be a long and costly one," said Fisher.

He was introduced by E. C. Corn, chairman of Medford Rotary club's war effort committee. Preliminary remarks were made by Leonard Mayfield, president of the Medford club.

EAGLE PT. CHURCH TRUSTEES SOUGHT

Carl Esch, Lester Throckmorton, Mabel Kingery and Mattie V. Brown, trustees of the Presbyterian church at Eagle Point filed a friendly action yesterday against Wesley Childreth, seeking the appointment of trustees for the First Baptist church of Eagle Point.

The suit is filed for the continuance of a trust created in April 1908, when the late William Ulrich and wife, deeded a lot in Eagle Point, to be used by the First Baptist church, or other religious organizations, when not in use by the Baptists.

It is set forth, there has been no Baptist church there, for five years, and more, but has been used by the Presbyterians for some time, as an actively functioning organization. The applicants ask that they, all residents of Eagle Point, and Childreth, a resident of Rogue River be appointed as trustees, to comply with the terms of the deed.

MEDFORD AIRMAN IN GO WITH JAPS

Staff Sergeant Dan J. Ehrheart, former Medford high school football star now stationed in Australia with the U. S. army air force, was a member of a crew of an American bombing plane that recently shot down one and damaged two of 15 Japanese Zero fighter planes in a 45-minute running fight, according to a United Press dispatch.

The dispatch quoted Captain Maurice Hogan, pilot of the bomber, as saying his crew is the "grandest" in the whole air force. Three of the crew were wounded in the fight, none seriously, and the plane sustained five cannon holes, 62 shrapnel scars and numerous bullet holes.

Sgt. Ehrheart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Ehrheart, operators of the Corner Inn, 204 South Central avenue and the Chicken Dinner Place, 335 South Riverside avenue.

SPIKE BUYER GETS COURT CLEMENCY

Leonard Werz pleaded guilty to a petty larceny charge and was given a suspended sentence in justice court yesterday upon recommendation of District Attorney George W. Neilson. Werz was charged with purchase from a Central Point boy several weeks ago, of nine railroad spikes belonging to the Southern Pacific. The court was advised Werz had never been in trouble before and is a hard-working, law-abiding citizen.

Harley G. Cummings, Central Point, was assessed \$1 and costs for failure to stop at highway sign, as was Frank Panfilio of Grants Pass, in the same amount for the same offense.

Dean R. Chamberlain of Trail was fined \$1 for having no muffler on his auto, and Willard R. Buttingham \$1.50 for no operator's license.

TOWNSEND CLUBS TO ENJOY BIG EVENING

(Contributed)
Townsend Club No. 1, and Harmony club will put on their great evening of fun and entertainment Friday evening. The program will be followed by "regular eats." Come and bring a friend. It is rumored that a very special speaker is to be heard.

MINING ENGINEER WILL MAKE STUDY OF COAL DEPOSITS

An investigation of all coal deposits in Oregon, including deposits in the vicinity of Medford and Ashland, will be made by a mining engineer from the United States Bureau of Mines in the near future, according to a telegram received by the Mail Tribune from Senator Charles L. McNary.

The telegram, quoting a memorandum received by Senator McNary from the chief of engineers, war department, said: "This office is vitally interested in obtaining a close source of supply of coal for the cantonments at Medford and Corvallis, and every possible source will be thoroughly investigated."

The wire stated: "Upon request of this office the United States Bureau of Mines has agreed to send a mining engineer to investigate all of the coal deposits in the state of Oregon. This office will make a specific request that the United States Bureau of Mines engineer investigate the coal deposits in the vicinity of Medford and Ashland."

The Jackson County Chamber of Commerce has been investigating coal deposits in the county for the past few months to determine the feasibility of operating mines to provide fuel for Camp White and civilian use, and recently requested that a bureau of mines engineer come here for a more thorough investigation of the deposits.

BROWN BILLIARD PARLORS TO OPEN

Brown's Billiard Parlor, newest southern Oregon recreation center, will open Thursday afternoon under the management of Bert L. Cook. It was announced today. Considered one of Oregon's best equipped billiard parlors, this new establishment occupies a location on North Front street near Main, adjoining Brown's Cafe.

The spacious billiard room, completely redecorated and with 370 square feet of playing space, has entirely new tables and equipment throughout. Snooker, billiards and pocket billiards will be featured. Complete air-conditioning equipment has been installed, according to Mr. Cook.

Bert L. Cook, manager of the new parlors, has had 25 years of experience in this business. He recently came to this city from Klamath Falls where he was engaged in the same activity. With Mrs. Cook he has purchased a house in Medford and will make his permanent home here.

RICH TUNA HAUL
Astoria, Ore., July 29.—(AP)—The all-time Astoria record price of \$408 a ton for albacore tuna went yesterday to Captain Fritz Bold of the Aberdeen schooner Cavalier for a cargo of 12,000 pounds. The price jumped to \$408 Monday.



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\$2.80

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NEGRO SINGERS ON FIESTA PROGRAM

A last-minute attraction added to the program for the annual fiesta of the Jackson County

League of Women Voters tonight is the negro quartette from Camp White. The group of negro soldiers are fast becoming a favorite musical attraction locally and are said to form one of the finest male quartettes ever heard in the valley.

The fiesta, to be held in the gardens of the Porter Neff home on Berkeley Way will attract a

large crowd of valley residents as well as officers and their families from the camp. Several committees of Medford women are busy today at the Neff home with final preparations and an especially gay evening is promised.

War production of the U. S., England and Russia now exceeds production by the axis.

JOBS AVAILABLE IN MANY TRADES

Lewis Ulrich, manager of the United States Employment Service, 45 North Fir street, said today openings were immedi-

ately available in the following types of work:
Edgeman, jackhammer operators, freight clerk, fallers and buckers, sawmill laborers, lumber grader, machine set-upman, dry chairman, green chairman, ratchet setters, track laborers, maintenance laborers, spray hands, room clerk, comptometer operators, waitresses and day and hour workers.



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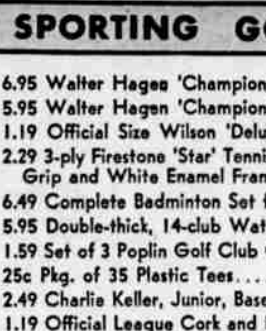
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1.19 Official Size Wilson 'Deluxe' Softball.....	.88
2.29 3-ply Firestone 'Star' Tennis Racquet with Leather Grip and White Enamel Frame.....	1.88
6.49 Complete Badminton Set for 2 players.....	4.98
5.95 Double-thick, 14-club Waterproof Duck Golf Bag.....	4.49
1.59 Set of 3 Poplin Golf Club Covers.....	1.19
25c Pkg. of 35 Plastic Tees.....	.19
2.49 Charlie Keller, Junior, Baseman's Mitt.....	1.89
1.19 Official League Cork and Rubber Center Baseball.....	.88



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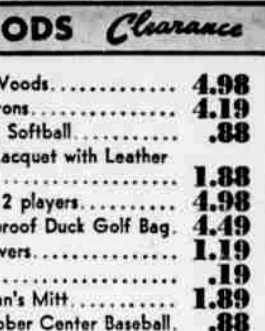
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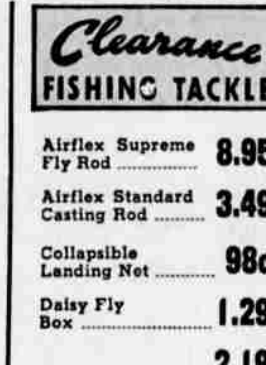
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Ladies O'Nite Case, rawhide.....	17.95	14.95
Hat and Shoe Case, airplane cloth.....	10.95	9.95
Ladies' Wardrobe Case, airplane cloth.....	11.95	10.45
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Men's 2-Suiter, Sharkskin.....	21.95	18.95
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Men's Executive, top grain.....	39.95	34.95
Gladstone Bag, leather.....	9.95	8.95
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Floral Shovel.....	.98	.89
Cultivator.....	1.29	.98
Spading Fork.....	1.49	1.29
Grass Shears.....	.98	.89
Hedge Shears.....	1.89	1.69
Pruning Shears.....	.98	.89
Broom Rake.....	.69	.59
"No Stoop" Grass Shears.....	2.49	1.98
Standard Lawn Sprinklers.....	.39	.29
Hose Nozzles.....	.69	.59
Grass Catchers, DeLuxe.....	.89	.79
Grass Whip.....	.89	.69



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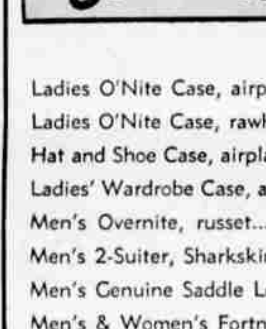
Reg. 5.95 'Supreme' Twin Trumpet Horns.....	4.19
9" Chrome-Plated Exhaust Extension.....	.65
Reg. 2.69 Fender Guards.....	2.49
Reg. 5.95 White Sidewall Wheel Discs.....	3.98
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4" x 6" Vanity Car Mirror, Reg. 4.95.....	.37



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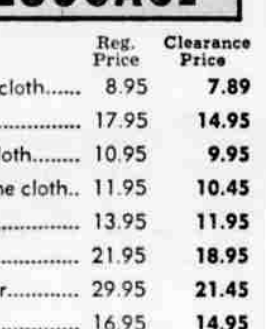
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All Metal Kitchen Stools.....	1.49
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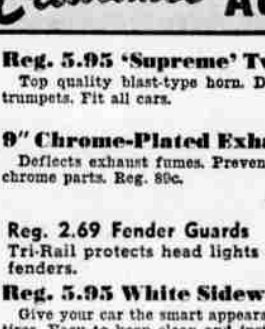
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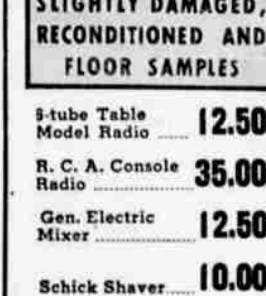
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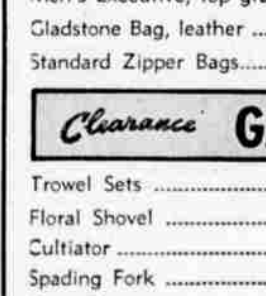
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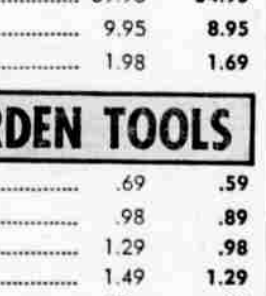
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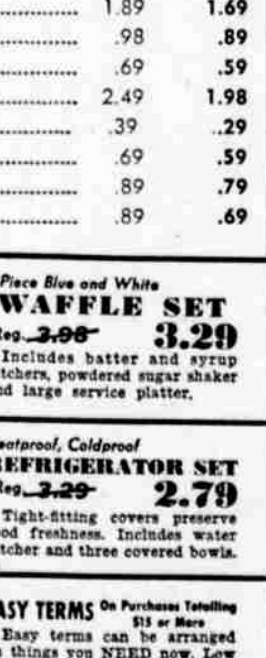
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