

ARMS PRODUCTION SETS NEW GOALS FOR COMING YEAR

Manpower Shortage Will Add To Nation's Burdens, OWI Reports.

Washington, Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—American arms production in 1942 will approximate 49,000 planes, 32,000 tanks and self-propelled artillery, 17,000 aircraft carriers, 17,000 anti-aircraft guns larger than 20 mm., and 8,200,000 tons of merchant shipping, the office of war information disclosed tonight in reviewing the home front of the first year of the war.

The OWI described this record as "impressive" but it warned that munitions production in 1943 must be two-thirds greater than this year's if established goals are to be met. This, it added, must be achieved in the face of a threatened manpower shortage and continuing raw materials problems.

The report emphasized that production difficulties lying ahead are as great or greater than those which have been successfully hurdled, and said "there is no cause for contentment" in the 1942 record.

"In 1942 we were still living off our peacetime fat," the report said. "We are now close to the bare muscle and we can only proceed by toughening and increasing that muscle. . . . we are pressing closer to the limits of our resources in material, transportation and power. And in the next year we shall have to press close to the limit of our ultimate resource—manpower."

Stressing the growing manpower shortage, it said the army of war workers increased from 7,000,000 persons in 1941 to 17,000,000 this year and estimated that an additional 5,000,000 would be needed in 1943. If the war continues into 1944, the report predicted, nearly all workers will be engaged in war tasks or in civilian efforts geared to war.

In the next year, it said local labor shortages will merge into a national scarcity which will require the services of more women and older and younger workers, and extensive transfers from non-war industry.

SECRET HUSBAND SLAYER ON TRIAL

Bisbee, Ariz., Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—Drawing of names of prospective jurors to try red-haired Margaret Herlihy on charges of slaying her secretly-wed husband, Capt. David Carr, began late today after a squabble between two judges that threatened to delay the trial.

Superior Judge William C. Hall of Tucson, assigned to the case by Gov. Sidney P. Osborn, ordered the drawing of names to proceed despite objections from Judge John Wilson Ross of Tucson.

Miss Herlihy, the 21-year-old daughter of Lt. Col. Edward Herlihy, Carr's superior officer at Fort Huachuca, was accused of firing five shots and fatally wounding Carr as he scrambled under a bed in her mother's home in an attempt to escape. She said Carr had attempted to attack her and indicated she fired to protect herself.

CAR CONVERSIONS ON COAST LOOMS

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—The office of price administration tonight released more than 54,000 automobiles in the hands of West Coast dealers for possible conversion into commercial vehicles.

New two-door sedans and convertibles may be converted into light pick-up trucks, panel deliveries, ambulances and other similar commercial types under the OPA ruling. However, 1942-model hard-topped four-door sedans and two or three passenger coupes cannot be converted without consent of OPA headquarters in Washington, after it has been shown the change will result in a more economical use of the vehicle.

The OPA said the conversion ruling was made to fill the need for additional commercial vehicles for farm use and other vital light trucking activities.

SOFIA PROCLAIMS STATE OF SIEGE

London, Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—Troops rounded up 90 Communists in Sofia, the capital of Bulgaria today, operating under a temporary state of siege proclaimed by the government, radio Berlin said tonight.

The broadcast said a parachutist, described as a Communist, was shot to death during a fight with troops during the raids.

The Sofia population was forbidden to leave their homes and only those with special police passes were permitted on the streets. Troops guarded the streets and telephone communication to and from the city was cut off.

BOSTON FIRE DEATH TOLL 493

Boston, Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—The official death toll in the Coconut Grove disaster rose to 493 tonight—exactly one week after a flash of fire swept the packed night club in the midst of a football weekend celebration.

The latest victim in the tragedy was Miss Ann Stearns of Boston, who had been hospitalized since the fire.

During the week at least four investigations including one by the FBI began. The army and navy, which lost more than 50 men in the fire, had representatives at nearly all hearings.

DR. MANION PASSES
Portland, Ore., Dec. 5.—(U.P.)—Dr. William O. Manion, retired veterans' administration physician and medical corps officer, died late today at his residence here.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Postpone Meeting—The social hour, which was to have been held at Zion Lutheran church this afternoon, has been postponed until next Sunday.

Returns to Camp—Corp. Glenn Balderston returned to Camp Haan, Cal., yesterday after a 10-day furlough with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Balderston of Eagle Point.

Returns to Work—Miss Edna Brewold, who has been visiting Rev. and Mrs. Martin Kabele in Polo, Ill., has returned to her employment at Vi's Wave shop in this city.

Planning Fair—Plans are being made by members of St. Anne's Altar society for the annual Christmas fair to be held Dec. 14 and 15 at the parish hall on South Oakdale avenue.

Fine Suspended—Eugene H. Halt, who was charged by city police in city police court Friday for having no muffler on his automobile, received a \$2.50 suspended fine.

Books Missing—Walter Cleveland Snook of Route 1, Central Point, and William Corcoran of Route 2, have reported to city police the loss of their gasoline ration "A" books.

Fire—The city fire department was called to 1134 West Ninth street at 6:20 o'clock last evening when a defective fireplace caught fire between the walls. Little damage was reported. Sgt. J. B. Pearce was occupant of the house, which is owned by Howard Werten.

On Display—Displayed in the window of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce is a rotogravure section of the Dec. 8, 1940 Oregon Journal, replete with photographs of Pearl Harbor. A year later the Japs attacked the United States naval base.

Permits Issued—Hall and Hall were issued a building permit to repair a residence at 318 East Main street at a stated cost of \$300 at the city building inspector's office Friday. A permit to construct a garage at 802 Newtown street was issued Alford Taylor Friday at a stated cost of \$50.

To Sell Seals—In charge of the Christmas seal sale booths tomorrow in the business district will be Mrs. Walter Graff, chairman, assisted by the Mesdames Rease Braley, Harold Brown, Anthony Hyde, Anita Robertson, Max Pierce, Emil Mohr, W. F. Quisenberry and O. A. Eden.

Unit to Meet—Oak Grove Extension meeting is scheduled for Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Cleo Hanlin, Perrydale avenue. Covered dish luncheon will be served and Mrs. B. E. Ford, new chairman, will preside. Topic is "Care of Clothing" with Mrs. A. W. Denny leading the discussion.

Cars Collide—John Garrett of Central Point, and Floyd J. R. Hilton, also of Central Point, were operators of automobiles which collided at the intersection of Beall lane and the Pacific highway Thursday at 7:25 a. m., according to a report on file. John Garrett and Stillman E. Garrett were slightly injured in the impact.

Slight Accident—Snow on the Snowy Butte road near the Crater Lake highway this morning resulted in the collision of a panel truck being operated by F. R. Gottfried of Medford and a sedan being driven by James Mitchell Haskins. The sedan was extensively damaged, according to state police. Injuries to the drivers were slight. Haskins received a broken nose and bruises.

Volunteer Workers—Volunteer workers at the Medford Nursery school during the past month have included the Mesdames Emil Mohr, Claude Cooper, Curtis Fitch, W. H. Punterney, Walt Hoppe, R. Millhouse, W. T. Parsons, R. G. Stinson, J. Smylie. Girl Scout volunteers on Saturday were Beverly Wood, Barbara Earl, Harriet Jones, Joy Finch, Mary Adams and Mary Sue Green.

At Salem—John T. Patton, senior employment officer at the local employment service, is in Salem this weekend attending an official business meeting.

Club to Meet—Townsend club No. 5 will meet at the Townsend hall, 123 1/2 West Main street, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to be present for the important business meeting.

Receives Wings—Word has been received here that George Rohrer, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rohrer of Medford, received his wings and commission Nov. 25 at the advanced flying school at Roswell, N. M., and is now stationed at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Accepts Position—Mrs. Lester Wilson has accepted management of the office of the Groceries Super Food Markets, Mr. Wilson, former coach at Prospect high school and later principal of the schools at Gaston, Ore., enlisted in the navy some time ago and is awaiting a call to active duty.

Army Enlistments—Enlisting in the U. S. army the past week were Wentling C. Hilkey, 19, son of John W. Hilkey of Central Point, and Ernest V. Parker, 18, son of A. P. Parker of Central Point, according to word received here by the local army recruiting service, which accepted them for enlistment. They chose to sign up for ground duty with the army air forces.

To Portland Meet—Lewis Ulrich, manager of the local United States employment office, will leave tomorrow evening for Portland, where he will attend a three-day meeting of other office managers from the state. Yesterday noon Mr. Ulrich addressed a luncheon meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club at Hotel Holland, speaking on the training of women in the higher skills in relation to war industries.

Closing time for Classified ads 5 p. m.—To late to classify 12:30 p. m.

NOTICE—Every body tell a Doby, be sure to be present at business meeting following Knights of Pythias meeting Monday evening, Dec. 7th. Harry Barneburg, R. V.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Cash. Slightly used boy's bicycle, new balloon tires. Call 6236 after 5 p. m.

WANTED—Bachelor's cabin, furnished or partly furnished, by reliable man. Box 3880 Tribune.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Might employ soldier's wife for short time. Phone 2570 after 7 p. m.

WANTED—200 Christmas trees, 3, 4, 5 and 6 feet. Pay Less Market, 233 So. Riverside.

FOR SALE—Baby heifer calf. Phone 6516.

I'M IN THE ARMY NOW—Must sell 1935 Ford Tudor, \$225.00. Ivan Harrington. See at Gilmore Service Station, across from Post Office.

FOR RENT—A large partly furnished house. Phone 6051 Sundays.

TURKEY DINNER SPECIAL—served Sunday at Amy's Cafe, Jacksonville.

FOR SALE—Traveling house trailer. Sleeps 4. Butane gas. \$350 cash. M. O. Bartlett. Write Copper Store, Jacksonville, Ore.

FOR RENT—2-room, furnished apartment, bath, hot and cold water. M. J. Swing, intersection old Pacific Highway and Midway, North Big Y.

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MUST SELL '32 Chevrolet, Enlisting. Call Sunday, 107 Genesee. Phone 3307.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. See Leonard Green, Rt. 1, Box 43X, off Prune St., after 5 p. m.

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WANTED—Colored chickens. Phone 6444.

FOR SALE—Large doll buggy. \$21. Oak.

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FOR SALE—1940 Station Wagon. 516 South Grape. Phone 2742.

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ST. ANN'S ALTAR SOCIETY will conduct a Christmas Fair in the Parish Hall December 14 and 15.

WILL THE PERSON who took the black Toy Terrier puppy from the window at the Monarch Seed and Feed Co., either return it or pay for same to save themselves embarrassment.

ON SALE—Newtown and Delicious apples, 8c lb., bring containers. Pay Less Market, 233 So. Riverside.

WANTED—Fountain girls at Rocky Ann Confectionery. No experience necessary. Call between 6 and 7 p. m.

WANTED—4 or 5-room furnished house, Medford. Room 116, Medford Hotel or phone 2070.

FOR SALE—'35 2-door Ford sedan, good tires. Phone 2429.

GIVE MYRTLE WOOD gifts for Christmas. See our display at prices you can afford to pay. 300 E. Jackson (near the Armory).

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