

LOCAL GROCERS SEE NO EFFORT TO HOARD FOOD

Survey of Stores Shows No
Reaction to Notice of
Plan to Ration Goods.

"Still no reaction" is the word from Medford grocers who for the most part anticipated that announcement of the point system of food rationing would cause a rush of buyers. A survey of several additional Medford stores this morning showed that almost no one made any effort to stock up on canned goods after Sunday's news.

Wm. A. Holloway reported "There has been no rush at all here. However, for some time we have been trying to divide available supplies among our regular customers and we wouldn't sell large lots of goods if we were asked to. We are trying to discourage hoarding."

"No particular reaction at all" said Charles Luman when queried about his customers, and Wren Orey, manager of the Piggy-Wiggley said "We haven't had enough reaction to mention. We had anticipated something of a run on canned goods and were somewhat surprised when it didn't materialize. However, this is traditionally the poorest buying week in the year for groceries which might have made a difference. Perhaps the run will show up a little later."

Tax Seen Deterrent

O. W. Dunford of the Riverside Market thinks that the prospect of paying Christmas bills and thoughts of income taxes kept buyers from making an effort to stock up with canned goods. "People haven't any money the week after Christmas," he said, "and most of them don't want to add grocery bills to Christmas bills just before income taxes are due."

"We were all set for a run on canned goods," reported M. W. Jarmin of the Peerless Market, "but nothing happened. One or two restaurant owners who were a little anxious tried to do a little extra buying but we turned them down. We are making an effort to see that our stocks are distributed among as many people as possible." Mr. Jarmin thought that buying would pick up in a week or so and continue to be heavier towards the first of February, especially after restaurants had turned in December inventory figures to the government.

Little Over Normal

"Buying has been only a little above normal," said M. A. Colby of the Quality Market, "and we have been urging all our customers to buy only what they need at the time in order that everyone may be supplied fairly."

Ed. C. Anderson of Anderson's Market reported not much difference in trade and added that he was somewhat surprised. "Many of us believe there was little need for the announcement of rationing in advance," he stated. This idea was also advanced by a few other grocers, who felt the authorities were inviting trouble by making advance announcement.

Wallace Visions Free World Democracy With Allies Supervising Axis Schools

REALISTS RAPPED

Washington, Dec. 29—(U.P.) Vice President Henry A. Wallace last night vigorously denounced "self-styled 'realists'" who recently have criticized his suggestions for a better standard of living for all in the post-war world.

In an address last May, Wallace said that one of the objects of this war should be that everybody in the world has the privilege of drinking a quart of milk a day.

In his address last night, Wallace said those suggestions had been grossly distorted and misrepresented.

By John L. Cutter

United Press Staff Correspondent
Washington, Dec. 29—(U.P.) Vice President Henry A. Wallace, continuing the sketching of a blueprint for a post-war world, today envisions a "free world democracy" for all the world but believes the United Nations will have to supervise or inspect the school systems of Germany and Japan after the war.

In the post-war world, according to Wallace, there must be jobs for everyone and security for all the world—victors and vanquished—from depression and war. To achieve that there must be a world council and a world court with a "minimum of centralization and a maximum of home rule," he said.

Wallace has described his "free world democracy" as the logical successor of President Roosevelt's New Deal of 1933 which followed the "new freedom" for which Woodrow Wilson fought; the welfare of the common man is the keynote of all three.

Wallace has become the major spokesman for the New Deal on post-war plans. Last May he first proclaimed that the people were on the march and that World War II was "the march of freedom for the common man."

His second major pronouncement came last night on the 86th birthday anniversary of Woodrow Wilson. In a radio address over a nationwide network, Wallace urged the American people to start setting the pattern now for a post-war world and promised that the aim of this war was to preserve liberty, equality, security and unity—"liberty in a political sense, equality of opportunity in international causes, and unity of purpose in promoting the general welfare of the world."

CHARLES FOSTER PASSES AGED 83

Charles Augustus Foster, 83, passed away at the home of his son, Carl W. Foster, 115 Clark street, Monday afternoon after a brief illness. Mr. Foster was born at Shasta, Cal., Feb. 9, 1859.

He spent all of his life in Northern California and Southern Oregon, and leaves a host of friends to mourn his passing. He was affectionately known to all of his friends as "Grandad Foster."

He is survived by one son, Carl W. Foster, Medford; three grandchildren, Richard Frederick Foster serving with the United States Air Forces; Mrs. Laura Mae Meyling, Stockton, Cal., and Shirley Ann Foster, at home.

Funeral services will be conducted from Perl funeral home Thursday at 2 p. m., the Rev. Fred Weatherford officiating. Interment will take place in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Cattle 100, calves 25; nothing sold early; steers quotable steady; top fed Monday \$14.75; new high. Cows and heifers slow; undertone lower; some bids 50c and more off; odd medium-good cows held \$9.50-\$10.75; bulls \$10.00-\$11.50; good-choice vealers \$14.50-\$15.50.

Hogs 300; steady; good-choice 180-220 lbs. mostly \$15.00; 250 lbs. \$14.25; light lights \$14.00; good 825-lb. sows \$12.00; feeder pigs \$14.00-\$15.00.

Sheep 150; few good woolled lambs steady \$13.75; good choice grades Monday \$13.65-\$14.25; medium good ewes \$6.50.

Chicago, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—(USDA)—Livestock:

Hogs, 26,000. 25c lower; fairly active; good and choice 150-325 lbs. \$14.00-\$14.50; good and choice 350-550 lbs. \$14.10-\$14.40.

Cattle, 9,500. Calves, 1,200. Largely fed steer run; top \$16.50; little above \$16.25; bulk \$15.50-\$16.75; heifers largely \$12.00-\$15.00 with short fed at \$10.00 to \$12.50; weighty cutter cows to \$9.75 and better.

Sheep, 4,000. Fat lambs uneven; early sales woolled lambs strong to 25c higher; good to choice woolled offerings \$15.65-\$15.85; choice held higher.

South San Francisco, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Livestock: (Federal-State Market News Service).

Cattle 25. Largely nominal; medium



STRIP GIRL WEDS—Gypsy Rose Lee, former strip-tease girl, at home in Highland Mills, N. Y., after marriage to Alexander Kirkland, producer. Miss Lee is appearing in current Broadway show, "Star and Garter." It's her second marriage.

to good steers quoted \$13.00-\$14.00; medium to good heifers \$12.00-\$13.00; young good cows salable \$10.00-\$10.50; few common cows \$9.50, low-grade cows active, cutters \$7.50-\$8.00, canners \$6.50; odd common bulls \$9.50. Calves, none. Nominal.

Hogs 450. Steady; most good to choice 185-235-lb. barrows and gilts \$15.80-\$15.85, load 253-lb. Oregon \$16.00; most good sows \$13.75, package \$37-lb. Oregon sows \$14.00.

Sheep 300. Undertone steady; yesterday numerous decks medium to choice lambs \$14.00-\$15.00; ewes absent quoted \$7.00-\$7.50.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Wheat:
Open High Low Close
May 1.37 1.37 1.36 1.37
July 1.37 1.37 1.36 1.37
Sep. 1.36 1.36 1.37 1.36

Portland Produce

Portland, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Live poultry—buying prices: No. 1 grade Leghorn broilers 1½ to 2 lbs., 22c; colored fryers 2½ to 4 lbs., 20c; ditto 2 to 2½ lbs., 22c; colored roasters over 4 lbs., 28c; No. 2 grade hens 21c; No. 3 grade hens, 18c.

Wall St. Report

New York, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Trading on the stock market today broke all records for the year with prices irregularly lower.

Year-end evening up operations and large amounts of tax selling were responsible for declines in a majority of issues. Losses in the main list were small and late prices were above the lows of the day, indicating support of reinvestment demand.

Trading started active with blocks ranging to 9,000 shares. It continued at a fast pace through the session and a board list was traded in line with the usual year-end practice. Low-priced utilities, headed by Commonwealth & Southern, featured in turnovers.

S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Butter: 92 score 49c; 91 score 47½c; 89 score 45c.

Cheese: wholesale flats 26½c; triplets 26c.

Eggs: large extras 50½c; large standards 45½c; small 31½c; medium 45½c.

BIRTHS

STROUD—To Sgt. and Mrs. J. H., Central Point, Dec. 27, girl, 7 pounds, at Sacred Heart.

CLIFFORD—To Lt. and Mrs. William, 38 N. Orange, Dec. 28, boy, 6 pounds, at Sacred Heart.

JOHNSON—To Mr. and Mrs. C. B., Prospect, Dec. 28, boy, 7 pounds, at Sacred Heart.

ULSTON—To Sgt. and Mrs. Phillip, 536 Pearl, Dec. 28, boy, 7 pounds, at Sacred Heart.

DOUGLASS, To Pvt. and Mrs. B. G., Merrick's Motor Inn, Dec. 29, a boy, 6 pounds, at Community hospital.

NEW GOVERNOR

Madison, Wis., Dec. 29—(U.P.) The supreme court ruled today that Lieut. Gov. Walter S. Goodland will be the next governor of Wisconsin, succeeding Gov. Julius P. Heil. The 80-year-old lieutenant governor will succeed to the office won by the late Governor-elect Orland S. Loomis, who died Dec. 7 in the interim between election and inauguration.

Closing time for Classified ads 9 a. m.—Too late to classify 12:30 p. m.

TIRE INSPECTION STATIONS LISTED BY RATION BOARD

A revised list of inspection stations for tires has been prepared by the war price and rationing board. Motorists are reminded that it is necessary to have their tires checked at one of the above stations before Jan. 31 for the first tire inspection regulation under the gasoline mileage plan.

The list of available service stations and garages in Medford where this inspection may be secured includes: Shell Oil Stations, Riverside and Jackson, Sixth and Front, Riverside and Eighth; Standard Stations, Sixth and Riverside, Ninth and Central, Main and Fir and Riverside on McAndrews; Older Tire Exchange, 32 South Bartlett; L. C. Taylor, South Riverside; R. F. Singler, Ninth and Central; Sunrise Service Station, 12th and Riverside; Union Service Stations, Fifth and Riverside, Fir and Main; Jackson County Co-op, Mac's Garage, Eighth and Riverside.

Also: Associated Service Station, East Main street; Firestone Stores, 214 South Riverside; Crater Lake Motors, Sixth and Ivy; General Service Station, Main and Ivy, Fourth and Riverside; Gilmore Stations, Jackson and Central; Jacksonville and Lozier Lane, Sixth and Holly; Hawkins Tire Tread Company, Fifth and Riverside; A. Z. Dean Sales, West Sixth street; Jennings Tire Company, 229 North Riverside; Lewis Super Service, Eighth and Front; Chet Lonard Super Service, 56 North Riverside; Fichtner's Garage, Sixth and North Fir; Medford Service Station, Main and Riverside; Montgomery Ward Company, 117 South Central.

Also: Signal Cottages Gas Station, Rogue River; Associated Service Station, Eagle Point; Walker's Texaco Service Station, Gold Hill; Standard Oil Station, Phoenix; Shell Service Station, Jacksonville; General Service Station, Central Point; Grieve's Store, Prospect; Robert E. Walker, Butte Falls; Perrydale Hdw. and Implement Company, Perrydale.

December Weddings Record For County

So far in December 103 marriage licenses have been issued by the Jackson county clerk's office. Twelve of them were the day before Christmas. Most of the applicants were soldiers and the brides were from all sections of the county. With the remainder of this week to go, the December business of Dan Cupid promises to set a record for the county. During November 90 licenses were issued, and in October 93.

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IF YOUR NOSE "CLOSES UP" TONIGHT

Put 2-purposes Va-tro-nol up each nostril. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) soothes irritation, (3) relieves transient nasal congestion... and brings greater breathing comfort. Follow the complete VICKS directions in folder.

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BUSINESS and FINANCIAL OUTLOOK



ROGER W. BABSON

Babson will say—

"1943 will see more changes in civilian life than any year since the Revolutionary War. Wise are those who are first to prepare for these changes."

Watch for this Feature Story in
MAIL TRIBUNE
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THIRD OF AUTOS HAVE NEW TAGS

The sheriff's office reported today about one-third of the autoists of the county have procured temporary permits for their 1943 licenses and are coming in at the rate of between

500 and 600 daily. The stickers are to be purchased before Friday, and something of a rush is expected during the balance of the time. The stickers are to be pasted on the windshields. Later they will be replaced with "decals" in lieu of license plates. The 1942 license plates must be left on the cars.

FORTRESS VICTOR
Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—A Flying Fortress, forced out of a bomber

formation while returning from a raid on Bizerte shipping last Saturday, shot down one German Messerschmitt-109, damaged two others and returned safely to its base, it was disclosed today.

San Francisco, Dec. 29—(U.P.)—Pacific Gas and Electric company announced today its new Yuba river hydroelectric generating plant has been placed in operation, adding 14,700 horsepower to the system.

MANN'S
Entrances on Main and Central Avenue

Sensational After Christmas APPAREL SALES

SHOE Clearance!

After-Christmas Clearance of Women's and Misses' Dress Shoes. Remember, in a clearance such as this not all sizes and styles are available, but if your size is here you are assured a real shoe bargain. Come in as early as possible for best selection.

Dress Styles

Here at \$2.85 pair are Women's and Misses' Shoes suitable for dress and dressy street wear. Every pair at \$2.85. A sensational shoe value.

\$2.85

In this \$4.85 group are many of this season's smartest styles, but sizes and patterns are broken. A real shoe bargain at

\$4.85

SHOE SHOP
MAIN FLOOR

DRESS SALE

Here are just the Dresses you'll want for wear right now under your winter coat and through the early spring season. Lovely Jersey, Crepe and light weight Wools in tailored and dressy styles. These come in Black as well as attractive Mid-Winter Colors. Half and Regular Sizes. Your choice—

1/3

OFF
the Regular
Price

\$12.95 val. \$8.63

\$19.95 val. \$13.30

\$24.95 val. \$16.63

DRESS SHOP SECOND FLOOR

DRESSES HALF PRICE

In this group of Half Price Dresses the customer will find many desirable styles to select from. Tailored types as well as more dressy numbers. Dresses of fine crepe and light weight wool in both one and two-piece models. Good selection of Fall and Winter colors in almost any size. See these Half Price Dresses tomorrow in the Dress Shop.

DRESS SHOP SECOND FLOOR

Companion Coats & Suits One-Third Off

Here's a Clearance of one of the most popular fashions of the winter season. "Companion" Coats and Suits at 1-3 Off their Regular Price. Plaid Suits and Plaid Coats, Stripe Suits and Stripe Coats in both Junior and Regular sizes. Garments are smartly tailored from 100% wool fabrics. Perfect to wear from now until late spring.

\$29.95 Coats are now priced \$19.97

\$29.95 Suits are now priced \$19.97

\$24.95 Suits are now priced \$16.63

SECOND FLOOR

MANN'S

Store Hours, 9 To 5:30—Saturday, 9 To 8:30

ADRIENNE'S PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Take Advantage Of These
Special Pre-Inventory Prices
On

- COATS
- COSTUME SUITS
- ROBES
- LINGERIE
- DRESSES
- MILLINERY

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Wed. and Sat. Even