

**ONE BRIGHT RAY**  
London, April 12 — (U.P.) — A broadcast Berlin dispatch to Zurich, recorded by the BBC, said today that the only bright thing left for the Berliners was the spring sunshine.

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## BUDGET BODY TO BE NAMED SOON

Selection of the annual budget committee is expected to be made within the next couple of weeks by the county court, in order to have the making of the 1945-1946 completed and publication details out of the way in time for the new tax year starting July 1.

Work of writing up the tax rolls for the coming tax year is now under way in the assessor's office with extra clerical help assisting. County offices and departments are getting ready to list their annual budget needs.

## Boy Scout News

By David Johnson  
Troop 8 held its Tenderfoot investiture Tuesday night. Those who went up were Doyle Walker, Robert Wright, Ralph Green, and Richard Ivis. An explorer patrol was organized with Dan Bundy as outpost leader, Gene Higgins, assistant outpost leader and David Johnson as apprentice explorer scout.

Don Newbury, from the district court of honor, and others from the community were present. Badges were presented by Gordon Gilmore, scout executive. All members of the troop, and Scoutmaster Barneburg, spoke briefly.

Careless smokers constitute the greatest menace to American forests, causing 25.5 per cent of the fires. Incendiaries rank second with a record of 24.8 per cent.

## Cloth Shoes Due In Spring Months

Washington, April 12 — (U.P.) — Enough gabardine will be made available in April, May and June of this year to provide for the manufacture of 19,000,000 pairs of non-rationed civilian shoes, the war production board announced today.

## WHOLESALE STARVATION WAITS 4,500,000 DUTCH

London, April 12 — (U.P.) — The 4,500,000 Dutch sealed off in the "hunger" provinces west of the IJssel river are so nearly starved that special diet parcels must precede shipments of ordinary food as the liberation of Holland proceeds, it was reported today.

Dutch quarters here believed that wholesale starvation will occur unless liberation is accomplished by May.

## RUN-AWAY YOUTHS ARE ARRESTED BY POLICE

Two 15-year-old boys were taken off a bus here last night by state police and are being held by the juvenile office for word from their homes at Vancouver, Wash., according to police. The boys had run away from their Vancouver homes, police said.

## LOADINGS DECLINE

Washington, April 12 — (U.P.) — The nation's railroads hauled 764,873 cars of revenue freight in the week ended April 7, a decrease of 70,463 cars from the previous week when loadings hit a new high since Nov. 18 last year, the Association of American Railroads disclosed today.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember.

## CLUB CARS ON ALL SP TRAINS

Club cars will be carried on all Southern Pacific passenger trains operating between Medford and Portland in the future, company officials announced here today. The additional service was started on an every-other-day basis, when the firm had but one car available, several weeks ago but securing of an additional car has made the every day service possible, it was said.

The cars have a buffet counter from which coffee and sandwiches and soft drinks will be served and one end in each is arranged as a lounge with attractive tables and chairs. The cars are air conditioned.

## Livestock

South San Francisco, April 12 — (U.P.) — Cattle: 50. Steady, about medium to good steers, heifers and range cows absent, few common cows \$10-10.50, bulk canners and cutters \$6.50-8.50, common to good sausage bulls \$10-12. Calves, none: nominal.

Hogs: 100. Firm; package good 200-250-lb. barrows and gilts \$13.75. Medium to good sows \$14-15.

Sheep: none. Nominal; good and choice spring lambs \$15-15.50; medium to good woolled ewes quoted \$7.50-8.50.

Chicago, April 12 — (U.P.) — (WFA) — Livestock: Hogs, 4,000. Active, fully steady; good and choice barrows and gilts 140 lbs. and up at \$14.75 ceiling; good and choice sows at \$14.75; top \$17.65; yearlings and light steers weak to 25 cents lower; choice yearlings \$17.25; bulk steers and yearlings \$15 to \$17; several loads weighty steers \$15.50 to \$17.50; heifers steady, best \$17.

Sheep, 10,000. Active steady; numerous loads good and choice fed woolled western lambs \$16.00 to \$18.25, several loads held slightly higher.

## Portland Produce

Portland, April 12 — (U.P.) — Wholesale produce markets:  
Asparagus—California, \$4.50 @ 5.50 pyramid 32-35 lbs.  
Chives—Local, \$1.50 @ 1.75 flat box.  
Potatoes—New Texas Red Triumphs, \$3.62 per 50-lb. bag; Florida \$3.16 50-lb. bag.  
Spinach—Local \$2 @ 2.25 orange box.

## Chicago Wheat

Chicago, April 12 — (U.P.) — Wheat:  
May — \$1.75 \$1.76 \$1.74 \$1.75  
July — 1.61 1.63 1.61 1.64  
Sept. — 1.56 1.58 1.53 1.57  
Dec. — 1.54 1.57 1.54 1.56

## Wall Street

New York, April 12 — (U.P.) — Late realizing in the rail and utility sections gave the stock list an irregularly higher trend at the close today as volume crossed the million-share level for the second successive session.

Sales totaled 1,060,000 shares against 1,060,000 yesterday. The preliminary closing Dow-Jones averages showed the Industrials 158.48, up 0.42; Rail 52.74, off 0.17; Utility 28.24, off 0.05; and 65 stocks 58.87, up 0.04.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American Tel. & Tel.	162 1/2
Anaconda	32
Chrysler	101
Curtiss Wright	5 3/4
General Electric	41 1/2
General Motors	66 3/4
Montgomery Ward	58 3/4
Penn. R. R.	36 3/4
Phillips Petroleum	51 3/4
J. C. Penney	110 1/2
Radio	11 1/4
Southern Pacific	42 1/2
Standard Oil of Calif.	31
Texas Gulf Sulphur	39 1/2
Transamerica	10 3/4
United Aircrafts	29 1/2
U. S. Rubber	58
U. S. Steel	64 3/4

**NEED FOR FATS**  
Even after Germany is beaten, there'll still be a desperate need for kitchen fats. It's needed to make ammunition, medicines, parachutes, rubber boats and other war essentials.

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## ENSLAVED JEWS DIE LIKE FLIES

By Clinton Conger  
United Press Correspondent  
Hannover, April 11 — (U.P.) — (Delayed)—Eight months ago the Germans brought 1,000 Polish Jews to Hannover to build an underground arms factory.

Today in lice-ridden, filthy shacks I saw the 190 survivors, some so ill and starved they may not live.

These laborers were "expendables," in the Nazi view, because they were members of a race the Nazis wanted to exterminate. As long as they could work the overseers worked them 12 hours a day, quarrying out a refuge in which the arms plant could operate safely from allied bombers.

If the Jews died or became too weak, they were "taken away."

The survivors today hardly look like human beings. Their skin is covered with scabs and is stretched drumtight over their bony bodies. Their glazed eyes are sunken and their cheeks are hollow. Their hair is matted and they are "clothed" in dirty rags.

## 3,211,273 NOW ON NAVY ROLLS

Washington, April 12 — (U.P.) — The Navy disclosed today that naval personnel on Dec. 31, 1944, totaled 3,211,273 men and women. Of them, 90,487 were women—WAVES and Navy Nurses. The figures did not include coast guard or marines.

A breakdown by states showed the following figures:  
Arizona 14,170; California 250,934; Colorado 29,948; Idaho 13,474; Kansas 42,448; Montana 12,958; Nevada 4,130; New Mexico 10,943; Oregon 40,547; Utah 17,264; Washington 58,328; Wyoming 6,692; from outside continental United States 8,803.

## Work In Plastic Is Used For Therapy Of Army Wounded

Independence, Mo. (U.P.) — A plastic model school devoted to convalescent therapy is now being operated at the Aberdeen Proving Ground ordnance school, Lt. Col. A. H. Gardner, commanding officer at the Lake City Ordnance Plant, said recently.

Both soldiers and Wacs from the Army Special Service Branch are learning the method of working in plastics. When they have completed their training, Col. Gardner said, they will return to their stations to teach convalescent combat veterans.

Students are taught the elementary construction of cigarette boxes, picture frames, notebook covers, and household articles, and are shown the possibilities of designing engineering training aids.

"In this particular phase of occupational therapy, the plastic work will not only play an important factor in helping wounded men regain use of limbs through muscular movement, but may also give them a future trade," Col. Gardner said.

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