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Ye Smudge Pot
By Arthur Perry

Correspondents with the Russian army report it is as hard to get beef meat in Berlin, a conquered city, as it is in the heart of the cow country, in any state in the Union.

"FOR SALE—Green peas 14c ea. 542 Mary St.—(Wanted this paper.) At that price, they should be the size of a prize Bosc.

Enough generals are now home from the European theater on furloughs, to take a whirl at the World Security conference and demonstrate they can do a better, faster job of cooking up a peace plan than the politicians.

A Tokyo broadcast reports: "Both sides will compete against the other in inflexibility and the side that holds out to the last will win the war." Or, the side that bends the wrong way first and farthest, is a goner.

HOW THEY DREAD IT (Oregonian)
"A sure way to acquire hopeless hips is to move mechanically off balance. Take walking for example, not that it is popular, but everybody has to do a little of it."

Royal Brown of the E. Pt. Browns has gone to the metropolis, and expects to be dragged out to the ball park to watch the shortstops do what he did better in 1879, when both he and baseball were younger.

"EXPERIENCED HORRORS CHILL"—(Tidline Skiky News). They are no chillier than the inexperienced variety.

The Nazi radio boasts, Herr Hitler will return, and "Save Germany." Germany is the world's greatest glutton for punishment, and is what she deserves.

YE OLD TIME DUDE (Pendleton East Oregonian)
"The people of this city remember a handsome young fellow who used to work for Gus LaFontaine at the French restaurant and for a time waited in the Hotel Pendleton Dining room. He went on the order of the exquisite, and went about the streets minus a speck of dust."

The country is now facing inflation, experts figure, due to shortages. It means more cost and less product. For instance, a ham sandwich will cost more than a hog, and the bread thereof will be cut thinner than the ham.

OVERWORKED ADJECTIVES
"Jefferson did not put any adjectives in front of the liberty which is classified with life and the pursuit of happiness among the inalienable human rights. Lincoln did not use any adjectives for his government of the people, for the people and by the people. But today one hears of all sorts of new democracies, industrial democracy, cultural democracy and even, in aggravated cases, sex democracy."—(New York Times.)

Illinois has a bank balance of \$698,215,700, an all-time high, according to State Treasurer Conrad F. Becker.

The Russian Problem

The Russian issue, like ancient Gaul, is divided into three parts,—left, right and center. And two of these three parts are extremely partisan in character,—the left and right.

The right is just as extreme the other way. Russia can do nothing right, and is always wrong. To this group Stalin is a menace to human liberty and decency only second to the late Adolf Hitler.

IN between these two extremes is the center,—the middle-of-the-roads who, as usual, are right. For they are both realistic and fair-minded. They can see that Russia, as led and symbolized by Stalin, is neither saint nor devil, but a large crude and resourceful nation, suddenly raised to a position of tremendous power, and having reached that eminence the hard way, is hard-boiled and cynical in its determination to hang onto it, at all costs.

THIS group believes one of the most important post-war problems, as far as the United States is concerned will be to maintain amity and cooperation between the three great world powers,—Britain, Russia and the United States.

But they don't believe the way to accomplish this in Russia's case is to be blind to Russia's faults or fail to oppose Russia and oppose her vigorously when she is wrong. By the same token this group believes in backing up Russia when she is right.

THE future peace of the world depends largely upon which of these three groups prevails and determines the policy of the United States.

The most dangerous would be control by the extreme right. But control by the extreme left would come a close second.

The only hope for avoiding eventual trouble, if not conflict will be for the moderates, the middle-of-the-roads to gain control and maintain it for the post-war decade at least.

This will take all we have of tolerance, tact and patience.—R.W.R.

The Flag Over Iwo

Congress made Old Glory the national emblem on June 14, 1777. That makes the Stars and Stripes 168 years old tomorrow.

Somehow, this beloved flag has assumed even greater significance than before since Joe Rosenthal climbed a hill on Iwo Jima and took that picture of a few Yanks raising it over bitterly won Jap territory.

Into the fabric of that flag is woven the epic of the greatest political experiment ever made by man—an experiment in simple justice, in liberty for all, in tolerance and human decency, in government of the people, by the people and for the people.

THOSE things for which this flag stands inspired men to die at Bunker Hill and Brandywine. It enabled them to endure the suffering of Valley Forge and gave them the strength to win at Yorktown. The spirit of our inalienable rights—"Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness"—was then symbolized in the Star Spangled Banner.

AND so it has been, down through the years, the Stars and Stripes has stood forth as a banner of freedom, battle scarred and hallowed by martyred sons at Shiloh, Gettysburg, Santiago and Chateau Thierry. A million sons today have spilled their blood or died at Corregidor, Guadalcanal, Tarawa, on the beach of Normandy or bulge of Bastogne—a glorious saga of simple devotion, of high courage, and firm resolution that all those priceless liberties and privileges for which Old Glory stands "shall not perish from the earth".

YES, and it seems to us that Rosenthal's camera caught the real spirit of America's gallant fighting men everywhere—and the spirit of Flag Day, 1945, too! Through centuries to come it should make every American reverently grateful for his great heritage. Words cannot describe the devotion of the men who climbed blood-soaked, shell-riddled Mt. Surabachi on Iwo Jima and, in the face of Jap sniper bullets and mortar fire, planted the Star Spangled Banner firmly and triumphantly on its crest. We are not going to try to use them here.

A WISE and ancient Chinese scholar once said: "A picture is worth a thousand words." Joe Rosenthal's famous flag picture from Iwo Jima is a great and patriotic sermon—and a fitting one for every American on Flag Day tomorrow!—H.G.

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters to the Editor must bear the name and address of the writer, although the use of a pen-name or initials for publication is permissible. The Mail Tribune reserves the right to edit all letters with a view to clarity and condensation.

THE WISHING WELL

To the editor: Concerning the "Wishing Well" game appearing in Medford Mail Tribune on southeast corner of page one issue of June 11, and assuming that this sample is one from which one may draw a general conclusion as to what one might expect as to the result of the truth or not of the little prophecies one gets from the spelling

out of the words from the letters beneath the numbers; take number 2 as an illustration and the following sentence results: "More Cash Is On The Way." The statement is indefinite as to whether the cash is on the way in or out. From this one might conclude that in general all statements derived from working the little games are indefinite, and one playing the game should realize that it is a game only for amusement and without hope of financial gain. This writer gets quite a kick spelling out the words and reading the messages, which tend to give some sort of relief after having read of the awfulness of the events of daily occur-

rences in the present turmoil of human life on our planet.

"Fret not, O Friend, at the turmoil, It passeth away, Waste not the Now in the search of a Then— That is vain." W. W. Truax.

Sleepy Neighbor

To the editor: May I add my two-bits to the dog discussion? Last night, after a hard day's work, I was deprived of over two hours sleep because a dog near the corner of Fifth and Ivy streets was allowed by its master to bark almost continuously.

What would this dog owner think if all the neighbors his dog keeps awake were to congregate in his yard and whoop it up for a couple of hours a night. He'd be outraged, naturally. But he probably doesn't even give a thought to the fact that he is perpetrating the same sort of treatment on scores of his unoffending neighbors.

The dog is confined in a garage with an adjoining outside runway in area about 2 by 10 feet. Just what good the owner derives from the animal is a question. That the animal derives no good from the owner is unquestionable. (Name on file) Sleepy Neighbor

Flight o' Time

Medford and Jackson Co. History from the files of the Mail Tribune 10, 20 and 34 years ago.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

June 13, 1935 (It was Thursday)

State Police ordered mobilized by Gov. Martin to quell mill strike near Portland.

Senate grants extension of NRA after long fight.

Cloudy. High 76, low 51 degrees.

Clipper plane flies to Honolulu in 18 hours.

University of Oregon commencement exercises due next week.

Cole Holmes nominated for Legion post commander.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

June 13, 1925 (It was Saturday)

Hundreds view inspection of National Guard battalion at Camp Jackson.

Fair and warmer. High 79, low 45 degrees.

Contract let for new McGee building in Ashland.

Federal income tax reduction held certainty.

More autos needed to take militiamen on trip to Crater Lake.

Tornado sweeps Iowa.

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS AGO TODAY

June 13, 1911 (It was Tuesday)

Herbert K. Hanna of Jacksonville spent the day in this city on business.

Mining boom hits valley.

It will now be impossible to reach Crater Lake before late in July due to deep snows on road.

Shorter road to Central Point urged, and in a straight line.

"Ike" Is Honored Amid Thousands Of Cheering Britons

London, June 13 — (U.P.) — Gen. Dwight D. (Ike) Eisenhower, the Kansas farm boy who led the western Allies to victory in Germany, was given the honorary freedom of the city of London today amid cheers from scores of thousands of Britons.

The five-star general, the tunic of his field uniform splashed with ribbons, rode in an open carriage behind two spanking brown horses through crowded streets to Guildhall and Mansion House for the rare and ancient ceremony.

Only four other Americans have received the honor, the last previous one Gen. John J. Pershing, American Commander in World War I. The others were President Theodore Roosevelt and Ulysses S. Grant and Philanthropist George Peabody.

Daily Weather Report

Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer Thursday. Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight. Local frost at higher elevations tonight. Thursday clear and warmer.

FLAG CEREMONIES SLATED FOR ELKS LODGE THURSDAY

Annual Flag Day services will be held June 14 at 8 p.m. in the local Elks lodge, according to an announcement by Melvin R. Plaskett, exalted ruler. Robert S. Farrell, secretary of state, will give the patriotic address and flag services will be conducted by officers of the lodge. The public is invited to attend.

Congress To Get Report This year Flag Day holds exceptional significance in Elksdom for 265 members of congress are to assemble in the United States senate in Washington, D. C., the morning of June 14 to receive the "Elks Report to the Nation", a published resume of the order's war activities. Plaskett said. The report will be presented to President Harry S. Truman and the secretaries of war and navy.

Dr. Robert South Barrett, grand exalted ruler of the Elks, said, "The program arranged by the Elks is one of the most important and ambitious ever undertaken by any fraternal organization. Messages from governors of every state and from mayors of 1,425 cities where Elks are located will be presented to the representative group of congress, expressing the recognition and appreciation of the order's war activities. The activities have entailed an expenditure of more than \$1,300,000."

Many Activities

The report to the nation relates how the Elks set up a National Defense commission at its 1940 convention. Among some of its many activities have been evacuation of children from war zones, establishing of more than 400 schools for training young men desiring to take aviation cadet courses, recruitment of men for the Naval Air Corps, mechanics and technicians for the Army Air Corps, volunteers for the Army Engineer Corps and navy construction battalions and establishment of Elks Fraternal Centers throughout the United States which will be used by over 2,000,000 service men and women.

Farrell, an official of the Grand Lodge, has recently returned from a meeting of Elks officials in Chicago and is expected to have an interesting message for Elks and the general public. Plaskett urges every Elk in the vicinity to be present at the meeting. A short session of the lodge will be held after the flag services.

BROTHERS SUICIDE

Houston, Tex., June 13 — (U.P.) — Less than 18 hours after his brother, a university instructor, committed suicide in Austin, William Thomason, 44, a Houston shipyard electrician, ended his life by hanging last night. Neither left any explanation of their suicides.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Cord and comfortable 4-room house with bath, attractive dining room, enclosed sleeping porch, fruit room, garage, large lot, shade and shrubs. \$3100. L. G. Pickett Agency, 16 S. Bartlett.

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FOR SALE—Four-room home with bath completely redecorated, hardwood floors in living room, fireplace, some furniture including electric range, automatic hot water tank, davenport, breakfast set, garage with cement floor. New paint. Price \$3950 with furniture, \$3500 without. Phone 6545.

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WANTED—Three-room unfurn. apt. or duplex by elderly lady. No children or pets. References if required. Phone 3381.

FURNITURE for 5-room house for sale 1013 W. Main. Can be seen on Friday.

\$2750—Modern four-room house, garage. Two lots.

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FOR SALE—Tomato Plants, Indiana canners, Okalade Market.

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1936 Olds 6 F 36 Coupe, Heater and Radio, \$530

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