

Midland Empire News

Weyerhaeuser

Mrs. Paul Wieringham has returned home from a Klamath Falls hospital with her baby daughter, Judith Rae. An aunt, Mrs. B. Williams of Medford, cared for two-year-old Philip while his mother was away from home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gilliland and daughters Peggy Lou, 3, and Anna Lee, 7, formerly of Bend, are now living in Camp 4.

Recent new arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. Ted McNeerney and son Jackie, of Ashland.

Mrs. George McDonald and daughter, Karen of Dunsmuir, spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Karl Friedrich.

A farewell party was given on Friday afternoon for Mrs. W. M. Jones at the Tom Tenney home. Assisting Mrs. Tenney were Mrs. C. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Earl Cruikshank, Mrs. Art Cooper and Mrs. Gordon Good.

Prizes in pinocle were won by Mrs. W. M. Jones, high, Mrs. Jack Chapman, low, and Mrs. Bill Stacy, traveling prize. Refreshments were served at the card tables. A set of dishes was presented to Mrs. Jones from people in the community. Mrs. Jones was president of the PTA, chairman of the local school committee, chairman of the card club, and in charge of Red Cross knitting in this community.

Poe Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wells and small daughter were callers at the Tucker home Sunday.

Gale Fries was bought a new combine thresher and a tractor. Eddie Roberts is having his house repainted this week.

Emil Wells traded his old car for a sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nork and John Nork motored to Langell Valley Sunday afternoon. Chet Barton is getting some grain threshed with his new machine.

Beau Tucker is the proud owner of a new tractor.

Web Van Meter and children Louise and Dale, were weekend visitors in the Valley from near Dorris, Calif.

Fred and Wilbur Reiling are putting up some hay for Beau Tucker on the Wells place.

Mrs. Fred Reiling is ill in a Klamath Falls hospital.

Eddie Roberts was a caller at the Joe Nork home Tuesday. Wallace Hoyle is irrigating this week.

The telephone company brought out some poles to set out this week.

Vic Brown is chopping a lot of hay with his new machine this week.

Roy Holmes was a business caller in Klamath Falls one day this week.

Clarence Webber is helping Roy Holmes with haying this season.

Dewey Smith was a caller at his ranch here from Malin this week.

The ditch crew is working on the Archie Roberts place now.

Sprague River

Joe Pearson, who has been unable to work for six months, is again employed at the Crater Lake Box and Lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Looper and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thrasher spent the weekend in Prineville and Eugene.

Mrs. C. C. Heidrich is spending a few days in Sacramento.

Mrs. Dorothy Merritt of Klamath Falls is employed in the office of the Crater Lake Box and Lumber company.

Mrs. Russell Kierman and son, Douglas Gaines, are spending a vacation in Oakland.

Ray Mustoe has gone to Seattle where he will be employed. Mrs. Mustoe will remain in Klamath Falls for a time. His mother from Klamath Falls will operate the Sprague River cafe here.

Friends have received word that Clifford Hayes is stationed in Arkansas and Floyd Young at Jefferson Barracks, Mo. The boys recently joined the air corps.

Shelby Lawner and Oscar and Orval Evans, who were recently inducted into the army, will leave August 15 for Fort Lewis.

Mrs. Ursula Chandler of Hildebrand has purchased the store and cabins from Joe Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hagberg were called to Prineville this week by the illness of Mrs. Hagberg's sister. Mrs. Hagberg reports that her son, Arthur Anderson, who recently joined the navy, is in San Diego and likes his work.

Pvt. Virgil Walker, of Fort Lewis, who recently was transferred into the air corps, visited his people for five days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood Henderson

When in Medford

Stay at

HOTEL HOLLAND

Thoroughly Modern

Joe and Anne Earley

Proprietors

and family have moved here from Alsea, Ore.

C. C. Heidrich and son Bill were called to San Francisco this week. PFC Curtis Heidrich entrained with his company on Friday for the east.

Gene Robertson and grandmother, Mrs. Kilgore, have purchased the Seright property.

Mrs. Grace Reynolds purchased the Joe Miksch property this week. The Mikschs have moved to the mill camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Phillips and children and Mrs. Clarence Evans returned from a trip to Oklahoma Thursday. They found Clarence Anderson in the hospital in Klamath Falls with a bad heart.

Mt. Laki

Lieut. and Mrs. Don West left Friday morning for Camp Young, Calif., after a short visit with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Norlin and son Curt, moved to Seattle last week, where Norlin is engaged in defense work.

Mrs. Silas Grizzle was called to Portland last week, where her son Cecil was seriously burned in an explosion.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gray Brannon on the birth of a daughter at the Hillside hospital Sunday, August 9.

Dairy

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kolb and son Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. Jill Adams and children of Ponderosa, Calif., spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Schmoer. Mrs. Kolb remained to be with her mother, who is seriously ill at her home.

Traffic's Getting Heavy On Highroad to Britain

(Editor's Note: One of the most important tasks in the Allied war effort today is the ferrying of giant American warplanes from bases in Canada and Newfoundland. But little has been written about the bases and the men doing the job. Now, for the first time, Wide World Newsman Don Whitehead brings you a real, vivid picture of the scenes of their activities.)

By DON WHITEHEAD
AN AIR BASE SOMEWHERE IN CANADA, Aug. 13 (Wide World)—Traffic is getting heavy on the highroad to Britain.

Across 2000 miles of foggy North Atlantic, the bombers from American factories are thundering into airdromes in England in growing numbers. The big parade of air power is on the wing.

But England is just a stopping off place. Those big babies going across were built for attack and not defense. They aren't spanning the Atlantic just to give the crews a joy ride. And it's almost all one-day traffic to the east.

Air Chief Marshal Sir Frederick Bowhill runs this show like a veteran ringmaster keeping a three-ring circus moving smoothly. His job is one of the most vital in the United Nations' scheme of smothering the axis under clouds of planes.

To the Front
He must see to it that the ships get to the fighting fronts. His command extends to Britain, India, Africa, South America and Australia.

Just how many bombers are going across is a tight secret of the Royal Air Force ferry command—but let me tell you what I have seen at this huge air field from which the bombers take off day after day in thundering herds.

Row on row of American-made giants and their smaller kin—their aluminum skins daubed with grey-green war paint—are getting a final tuneup and check before taking off. They look grim and deadly. The only bright colors are the red, white and blue insignias of the RAF and the U. S. army.

There are the huge Boeing Flying Fortresses, Consolidated Liberators—Sir Frederick says the Liberator is "a ship without a vice"—Lockheed Hudsons and other medium bombers including the high-tailed B29 in which Jimmy Doolittle and his boys bombed Tokyo.

DANCING
EVERY SATURDAY NITE
Music by OREGON HILL BILLIES
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Mr. and Mrs. Faith Grimes left Tuesday by car for Portland for an indefinite stay. They took their little daughter, Sue Ann to the Doernbecher hospital for observation. Little Sue Ann has been ill for some time.

Word received from Lieut. Oliver Kinney Jr., in a letter to his cousin Donna Kinney, states that he is now in the Hawaiian islands.

Mrs. George Anderson of Lakeview is at the Fred Reiling home. She expects to remain until Mrs. Reiling's health improves. Mrs. Anderson is Mrs. Reiling's mother and a former resident of Olene.

The A. L. Marshalls have recently heard from their son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. and Mrs. Roland Sturman, that they are still in Olympia, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wicklander were dinner guests at the Rex High home in Poe valley on Tuesday evening. Mr. Wicklander is state grange deputy.

There were six members of Lost River grange in attendance at Pomona, which was held Saturday at Midland. Malin and Poe Valley were hosts for the day. There was a good showing of grangers, considering that this is a busy time for the farmers and the scarcity of farm help.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Basil Brown and son Barton attended the picnic by executives of the Rodeo association at the Matthews cabin. Mrs. O. L. Brown, Mrs. Henry Grimes and Mrs. Marion Barnes spent Tuesday in Klamath Falls.

The subject of a second front seems to inspire our best second guessers.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"We used up our gas card shopping around for camping equipment, so we're spending our vacation in the back yard!"

Moscow Mission



Maj.-Gen. Follett Bradley, representing President Roosevelt, is in Moscow to facilitate aid to Russia "in all possible ways."

Rubber Prober



Bernard M. Baruch has been named by President Roosevelt to head board to recommend best process for producing synthetic rubber.



DOWNSTREAM — Here are some of more than 48,000,000 spruce and pine logs now going down Quebec's St. Maurice river.

Pie Face



An expert in his own right, 8-year-old Tommy Reilly proves to be an appreciative judge in New York pie baking contest.

Price Ceiling Hits Skyrocket Tuna Prices

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 13 (AP)—The skyrocketing price of Albacore tuna flattened out against a price ceiling today.

The office of price administration brought the price to fishermen down from the all-time local high of \$415 a ton to \$398 and a maximum selling price of canned tuna was fixed at \$16 a case.

Ceiling was imposed at a conference attended yesterday by Edmund Maher, regional price director of the OPA's food section, and Lawrence H. Smith of the Portland office.

The \$398 limitation must be observed to permit packers their cost margin while selling canned tuna at \$16 a case, Maher said.

Maher said the \$398 a ton price is excessive "but it represents the best figure applicable to the situation that has developed in wholesale bidding for the product." The average price last year was \$285.

Markets and Financial

NO DEFINITE TRENDS SHOW UP IN MARKET

By VICTOR EUBANK

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 (AP)—Trend obscurity ruled in today's stock market despite a slightly more cheerful turn in the far Pacific war news. About 250,000 shares were traded.

The list was a trifle uneven at the start and, in the final hour, with few exceptions, minor gains and losses were pretty well split.

Air Transports did better than others, recovering from the mild relapse of the previous session. Pan-American Airways edged into new high ground for the year. American Airlines and Eastern Air Lines got up about a point each. U. S. Rubber preferred also touched a new 1942 top. Conversely, Eastman Kodak dropped more than 2 in belated response to the reduced dividend.

Doing moderately well most of the day were U. S. Steel, Santa Fe, Anaconda, Montgomery Ward, International Paper and Power common and preferred, American Can and Philip Morris.

Homestake Mining dipped, with shifting of labor from gold mining properties to more important war work stressed. Fallers included Chrysler, General Motors, Bethlehem, American Telephone and Woolworth. Among the livelier small-priced stocks were Warner Bros., Consolidated Oil, Aviation Corp., Graham-Paige, Marine Midland and International Mercantile Marine.

Closing quotations:

American Can	46
Am Car & Fdy	23 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	117 1/2
Anaconda	26 1/2
Calif Packing	18 1/2
Cat Tractor	35 1/2
Comm'n'w'th & Sou	3 1/8
General Electric	27 1/2
General Motors	37 1/2
Gl Nor Ry pfd	21 1/2
Illinois Central	6 1/2
Int Harvester	48
Kennecott	29
Lockheed	168 1/2
Long-Bell "A"	31
Montgomery Ward	30
Nash-Kelvi	58
N Y Central	81
Northern Pacific	52
Pac Gas & El	18 1/2
Packard Motor	21
Penn R R	21 1/2
Republic Steel	14
Richfield Oil	7 1/2
Safeway Stores	35
Sears Roebuck	54
Southern Pacific	13 1/2
Standard Brands	34
Sunshine Mining	41
Trans-America	44
Union Oil Calif	11 1/2
Union Pacific	73 1/2
U S Steel	48 1/2
Warner Pictures	6

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Sales of eight months Texas wools at a clean basis price of \$1.05-\$1.07 were reported in the Boston Wool Market today. Some low quarter blood territory wool was sold at a clean price of 90 cents. Small lots of Delaine fine staple wools sold at ceiling prices. Medium wools were very inactive.

No one will expect the British government or the government of India to give way to threats of violence, disorder and chaos.—Sir Stafford Cripps.

It is becoming daily more clear that too many of the men in Washington do not yet seem to realize that we are in a total war.—Clare Booth, playwright.

Were it not for the steel shortage, we could already have had under construction a large fleet of cargo-carrying airplanes.—Senator Harry Truman, Missouri.

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LIVESTOCK

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13 (AP-PSMNS)—Cattle: Salable 75. Steady; fed steers quoted \$12.50-13.50, odd grass steers \$12.75; half-dozen grass heifers \$10.00-10.50; package 1180 lb. range cows \$9.50, half-load 1000 lb. dairy cows \$8.10, sharply higher, medium sausage bulls \$9.50-10.00, odd head 1275 lb. \$10.35.

Hogs: salable 250. Around 5c higher; few good 185-235 lb. barrows and gilts \$15.80, odd good sows \$13.25.

Sheep: salable 500. Nominal; good to choice woolled lambs quoted \$13.00-13.50, medium to good lambs mostly \$10.00-12.00; medium to choice shorn ewes \$4.00-5.25, firm.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 13 (AP-PSMNS)—Cattle, salable and total 250; calves salable 50 (total 65); market steady, few steers and heifers, about steady; cows weak to 25c lower; lower grades off most; few grass steers \$9.25-11.00; no fat grassers offered; cutting dairy type steers \$7.00-\$8.50; few common-medium beef heifers \$9.00-11.00; common dairy type heifers down to \$8.00; canner and cutter cows \$5.25-7.00; medium-good beef cows \$8.00-9.25; medium-good bulls \$9.25-10.75; heavy Holsteins \$11.00; common light bulls down to \$8.00; good-choice vealers steady, \$14.50-15.50. Hogs, salable 200; total 500; market active, 10-25c higher; good-choice 170-215 lb. \$15.25 to mostly \$15.50; 230-290 lb. \$14.50-15.00; few light lights \$14.50-14.75; good 290-580 lb. sows \$13.75-14.25; odd head \$14.50; few heavy fat pigs \$14; good-choice lightweights \$15.00-16.25. Sheep, salable 400, total 500; market slow, about steady; few good spring lambs \$11.50; medium-good grades \$10.00-11.00; strictly good-choice quotable to \$11.75; common down to \$8.50; feeders \$9.25-75; medium yearlings \$8.00; good ewes \$4.00; load slaughter ewes unsold.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Aug. 13 (AP-PSMNS)—Potatoes, arrivals 65; on track 142; total U S shipments 294; supplies light; for Nebraska Cobblers demand moderate, market firm; for California Long Whites demand slow, market slightly weaker; for other varieties demand slow, market steady; California Long Whites U S No. 1, \$3.65-70; Idaho Bliss Triumphs U S No. 1, \$2.50-55; Russet Burbanks U S No. 1, \$3.55-60; Oregon Bliss Triumphs U S No. 1, \$2.65; Colorado Bliss Triumphs U S No. 1, \$2.50; New Jersey Cobblers U S No. 1, \$2.20; Nebraska Cobblers U S No. 1, \$2.15; Iowa Cobblers U S No. 1, \$1.57-1.75; Wisconsin Cobblers U S No. 1, \$1.90.

WHEAT

CHICAGO, Aug. 13 (AP)—Only small orders were executed in the grain pits today as prices wobbled nervously in a narrow range.

Wheat was fractionally higher at times, reflecting some buying attributed to mills, and rye borrowed strength from the principal bread grain. Corn, on the other hand, declined slightly, ignoring a 22-year top for hog prices and average cattle prices around best levels since 1937.

Increased purchases of corn to come here from country points, which resulted in some hedge selling in the pit, and the report showing 19 per cent fewer cattle on feed in the corn belt than last year helped to depress prices. Traders blamed the diminished

NEXT!



A Maori soldier from New Zealand cleans bayonet after hand-to-hand fighting with Germans and Italians near El Alamein in North Africa. (Released by New Zealand legation.)

beef fattening on ceilings on meat.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1 lower compared with yesterday, September \$1.17 1/4, December \$1.20 1/4; corn 1-1/2 down, September 88 1/4, December 88 1/4; oats 1-1/2 down; rye unchanged; soybeans 1 lower.

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 13 (AP)—The following are the prices of produce at the local market, except where otherwise noted:

BUTTER—Butter, A grade 45c in paraffin wrappers, 47c in cartons B grade 46c in paraffin wrappers, 47c in cartons. C grade 45c in paraffin wrappers, 47c in cartons. D grade 44c in paraffin wrappers, 46c in cartons. E grade 43c in paraffin wrappers, 45c in cartons. F grade 42c in paraffin wrappers, 44c in cartons. G grade 41c in paraffin wrappers, 43c in cartons. H grade 40c in paraffin wrappers, 42c in cartons. I grade 39c in paraffin wrappers, 41c in cartons. J grade 38c in paraffin wrappers, 40c in cartons. K grade 37c in paraffin wrappers, 39c in cartons. L grade 36c in paraffin wrappers, 38c in cartons. M grade 35c in paraffin wrappers, 37c in cartons. N grade 34c in paraffin wrappers, 36c in cartons. O grade 33c in paraffin wrappers, 35c in cartons. P grade 32c in paraffin wrappers, 34c in cartons. Q grade 31c in paraffin wrappers, 33c in cartons. R grade 30c in paraffin wrappers, 32c in cartons. S grade 29c in paraffin wrappers, 31c in cartons. T grade 28c in paraffin wrappers, 30c in cartons. U grade 27c in paraffin wrappers, 29c in cartons. V grade 26c in paraffin wrappers, 28c in cartons. W grade 25c in paraffin wrappers, 27c in cartons. X grade 24c in paraffin wrappers, 26c in cartons. Y grade 23c in paraffin wrappers, 25c in cartons. Z grade 22c in paraffin wrappers, 24c in cartons.

ONIONS—Green, 25c doz; bunches, Oregon \$1.10, Walls Yakima, 90c \$1 per 10 lb bag. POTATOES, NEW-Yakima, \$2.50-\$3.00; local, 40c central. COUNTRY MEATS—Selling prices to retailers: Country-bred hogs, best 250-lb. to 300-lb., 10c; 300-lb. to 350-lb., 11c; 350-lb. to 400-lb., 12c; 400-lb. to 450-lb., 13c; 450-lb. to 500-lb., 14c; 500-lb. to 550-lb., 15c; 550-lb. to 600-lb., 16c; 600-lb. to 650-lb., 17c; 650-lb. to 700-lb., 18c; 700-lb. to 750-lb., 19c; 750-lb. to 800-lb., 20c; 800-lb. to 850-lb., 21c; 850-lb. to 900-lb., 22c; 900-lb. to 950-lb., 23c; 950-lb. to 1000-lb., 24c; 1000-lb. to 1050-lb., 25c; 1050-lb. to 1100-lb., 26c; 1100-lb. to 1150-lb., 27c; 1150-lb. to 1200-lb., 28c; 1200-lb. to 1250-lb., 29c; 1250-lb. to 1300-lb., 30c; 1300-lb. to 1350-lb., 31c; 1350-lb. to 1400-lb., 32c; 1400-lb. to 1450-lb., 33c; 1450-lb. to 1500-lb., 34c; 1500-lb. to 1550-lb., 35c; 1550-lb. to 1600-lb., 36c; 1600-lb. to 1650-lb., 37c; 1650-lb. to 1700-lb., 38c; 1700-lb. to 1750-lb., 39c; 1750-lb. to 1800-lb., 40c; 1800-lb. to 1850-lb., 41c; 1850-lb. to 1900-lb., 42c; 1900-lb. to 1950-lb., 43c; 1950-lb. to 2000-lb., 44c; 2000-lb. to 2050-lb., 45c; 2050-lb. to 2100-lb., 46c; 2100-lb. to 2150-lb., 47c; 2150-lb. to 2200-lb., 48c; 2200-lb. to 2250-lb., 49c; 2250-lb. to 2300-lb., 50c; 2300-lb. to 2350-lb., 51c; 2350-lb. to 2400-lb., 52c; 2400-lb. to 2450-lb., 53c; 2450-lb. to 2500-lb., 54c; 2500-lb. to 2550-lb., 55c; 2550-lb. to 2600-lb., 56c; 2600-lb. to 2650-lb., 57c; 2650-lb. to 2700-lb., 58c; 2700-lb. to 2750-lb., 59c; 2750-lb. to 2800-lb., 60c; 2800-lb. to 2850-lb., 61c; 2850-lb. to 2900-lb., 62c; 2900-lb. to 2950-lb., 63c; 2950-lb. to 3000-lb., 64c; 3000-lb. to 3050-lb., 65c; 3050-lb. to 3100-lb., 66c; 3100-lb. to 3150-lb., 67c; 3150-lb. to 3200-lb., 68c; 3200-lb. to 3250-lb., 69c; 3250-lb. to 3300-lb., 70c; 3300-lb. to 3350-lb., 71c; 3350-lb. to 3400-lb., 72c; 3400-lb. to 3450-lb., 73c; 3450-lb. to 3500-lb., 74c; 3500-lb. to 3550-lb., 75c; 3550-lb. to 3600-lb., 76c; 3600-lb. to 3650-lb., 77c; 3650-lb. to 3700-lb., 78c; 3700-lb. to 3750-lb., 79c; 3750-lb. to 3800-lb., 80c; 3800-lb. to 3850-lb., 81c; 3850-lb. to 3900-lb., 82c; 3900-lb. to 3950-lb., 83c; 3950-lb. to 4000-lb., 84c; 4000-lb. to 4050-lb., 85c; 4050-lb. to 4100-lb., 86c; 4100-l