

### Blackout Signal

One 5-minute blast on sirens and whistles is the signal for a blackout in Klamath Falls. Another long blast, during a blackout, is a signal for all-clear. In precautionary periods, watch your street lights.

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October 7—High 72, Low 38  
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Last year ..... 17.80  
Normal ..... 12.92  
Stream year to date ..... 13.20

# GERMANS MAY GIVE UP ASSAULT

## In The Day's News

**By FRANK JENKINS**  
THERE'S a sudden vogue in the San Francisco business district for Chinese eating places. Not the tourist kind up on Grant avenue, where chow mein and chop suey are staples, but the regular eating spots in what one might call the more private part of China town, where the regular residents live and eat and carry on their personal affairs. Maybe it's the growing labor shortage, which is visibly affecting the service in the better known and more conventional luncheon hang-outs. Maybe it's the war, which has made us allies and admirers of the tough and realistic and determined Chinese, who have been fighting our common enemy the Jap for years and are still going strong. Anyway, Chinese food is quite the thing downtown nowadays.

AT these places one doesn't go in for chop suey and chow mein—which, one is told, are American inventions adopted by the Chinese for sale to Americans. Favorite dishes are stuffed chicken wings, fresh pea omelet, the Chinese version of pork spare-ribs, rice, of course, in various forms, but especially fried, and pork in numerous forms other than spare ribs. Stuffed chicken wings have the bones taken out and replaced with pork. Pork seems to have been a favorite Chinese dish since the incident described by Charles Lamb in his Essay on Roast Pig. Tea is served in little thin cups without handles, which are excellent for burning the fingers. Sugar therefor can be had sometimes and sometimes not.

IF one chooses, one can have chopsticks, which are used exclusively by the home neighborhood customers, but if one is wise one does not. An American trying to use chopsticks is one of the most ridiculous of earth's spectacles. They are used expertly, efficiently and gracefully by the Chinese, giving rise to the thought that a people that can master the use of chopsticks is too resourceful to be tackled safely by the Japs or anybody else.

GET two or more people together here (as elsewhere) and it's a safe bet that the conversation will turn soon on the labor shortage and its general effects. This one came up at lunch today: One of the large food retailing concerns on the bay is seriously considering opening its stores (Continued on Page Two)

### British Will Manacle Nazi Prisoners

LONDON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The British will manacle German prisoners at noon Saturday unless the Germans remove the bonds which they placed today on the hands of British prisoners captured at Dieppe, it was announced officially tonight. The decision was announced in a war office communique which said: "The German government having put into operation the illegal action threatened in their communique, the war office announces that unless the German government released prisoners captured at Dieppe from their chains, an equal number of German prisoners of war will be manacled and chained as from 12 noon Saturday." Only a few hours had elapsed since the Berlin radio announced that the British captives—mostly Canadians—were manacled at noon today. The announcement called it reprisal for similar treatment of captured nazis, a claim which the British have vigorously denied.

## Utah Takes Scrap Lead

### OREGON FALLS TO SECOND IN U. S. CAMPAIGN

Leaders Collect 61.9 Pounds Per Capita In Surge

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP)—Utah today jumped ahead of all other states in the scrap salvage campaign led by the nation's newspapers which reported the 24 top-ranking states so far had collected 395,225 tons.

The newspapers' united scrap metal drive committee announced that Utah, with a population of 550,000, had gathered 17,000 tons in the drive which began September 28 and ends October 17. The tonnage rolled up by Utah represented a collection of 61.9 pounds for every man, woman and child in the state.

**Oregon Figure Same**  
Oregon, first yesterday, was second today with a total tonnage of 25,000, or 45.5 pounds per person. Pennsylvania was third with 147,083 tons, or 39.3 pounds per capita. "Victory stock piles of scrap metal are mounting rapidly in every state in the country," said Richard W. Slocum, committee chairman.

**Congratulations**  
He added: "It is going to take some time to move all of this (Continued on Page Two)"

### JAPS FLEE FROM TWO ALEUT ISLES

Yank Sea, Plane Power Chases Enemy from Attu, Agattu

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—Blasted by American sea and air power, the Japanese appeared today to have fled from two of the three western Aleutian islands they occupied four months ago and were undergoing heavy bombardment on their remaining foothold.

Probably realizing they had blundered into what a naval spokesman termed a "rat trap," enemy forces have disappeared from the westernmost island of Attu and nearby Agattu with losses thus far totaling 38 ships sunk or damaged and 40 planes destroyed.

The navy reported yesterday that no signs of Japanese activity on either island had been detected for several weeks. The enemy's lone remaining base, the island of Kiska, thus drew the concentrated fire of U. S. bombing planes.

Presumably operating from their new Andreanof islands base, army Liberator bombers with fighter escorts dumped explosives and incendiaries on the Japanese Kiska encampment Monday, scoring hits on steplike hangars.

### Oregon Motorists Must Turn in All Over Five Tires

PORTLAND, Oct. 8 (AP)—Motorists will be limited to five tires for each automobile when the day of gasoline rationing comes. State OPA Director Richard G. Montgomery said some form of compensation would be arranged for extra tires which motorists will be required to turn in. When application is made for gas books the serial number of five tires, including the spare, must be registered, he said.



United States Base Near Japanese-Held Kiska. U. S. Army Signal Corps photo.

### SPRAGUE REQUESTS HUNTING OPENING

Game Commission Asked to Consider Opening Areas

SALEM, Oct. 8 (AP)—Governor Charles A. Sprague announced today he has asked the state game commission at its meeting next Saturday to open as much of the state as possible to hunting, and particularly to open the bird season throughout the state so that sportsmen may get pheasants, ducks and other game birds as soon as possible. The governor announced his decision after a conference with State Forester N. S. Rogers, E. E. Wilson, chairman of the game commission, George K. Alken, the governor's secretary and Capt. C. H. McClees of the state police.

### Hazard Reduced

Rogers said the fire hazard has been reduced in western Oregon forests since the hunting seasons were closed September 24. In parts of central and eastern Oregon, however, the situation remains critical, he said. The commission, when it meets Saturday, will have complete data concerning humidity and other factors affecting forest conditions. If the commission grants the governor's request, as it is expected to do, hunting will be legal immediately after the commission acts.

The governor said that the federal forest service advised him plans are being made to open the Ochoco, Whitman, Malheur, Willamette and Umatilla forests to hunting on October 15, but that conditions in the Fremont and Deschutes forests are not ready for opening because of the fire hazard.

### KOUNTY KEY Kollection Is Under Way

Got any keys? If you haven't, you're alone for Klamathites are beginning to turn 'em in by the hundreds. Robert McCambridge, chairman of the county salvage drive, today said he had placed Mrs. Stephen Benson, mother of an army flier now a prisoner of the Japs, in charge of the campaign.

Mrs. Benson said she had already collected over 1000 of them and said that containers are being placed around town for further collections. She urged that all persons with old keys call her at 6905 or see her at 507 Alameda street. Mrs. Benson urged that keys not be put into the general scrap heap. She said further details on where they may be deposited will be announced tomorrow.

### Medford-Klamath Game Tickets on Sale Tomorrow

Klamath Falls football fans, eagerly awaiting the opportunity to see what Coach Frank Ramsey's Pelicans are going to do to the Medford Peapickers this year, are expected to swoop down on the chamber of commerce Friday morning when 200 reserved seat tickets for the fracas go on sale at 8 a. m. The annual battle is slated for Friday night, October 18—just a week away—at Medford. The cardboard seats can be obtained for 80 cents, including tax.

### WILLKIE DEPARTS CHUNGKING, Oct. 8 (AP)

Wendell Willkie departed from Chungking by plane yesterday, it was disclosed today, ending a five-day visit in the provisional Chinese capital.

### KLAMATH'S SCRAP MOVES TO MILLS

Bag Company Bid Accepted for Pile on Sixth Street

The huge pile of scrap metal in the community salvage lot at Sixth and Commercial street began moving through channels leading to the nation's steel mills Thursday. Robert McCambridge, chairman of the salvage committee, announced that the bid of the M. and S. Bag company had been

### BRING IT IN

Klamath salvage officials urged today that Klamath people with scrap on their property make every possible effort to bring in the scrap to junk dealers or community piles. They pointed out it is difficult to find manpower and trucks for scrap pick-ups, and those who will bring in their own scrap will be helping just that much more in the drive. Persons who have scrap they cannot move, or who know of scrap that can be collected, should call the chamber of commerce, civilian defense headquarters, No. 5193, and ask for Miss Brown for scrap information.

accepted for this pile of donated metal, at ceiling prices. These ton prices are \$9.38 net for steel, \$17 gross for cast-iron and \$25 net for steel.

### "Get Scrap In"

This pile, picked up recently in a local campaign and augmented since by heavy dumpings by individuals and public corporations (Continued on Page Two)

### HOUSE OKAYS BIG OMNIBUS SUPPLY BILL

\$6 Billion Approved For Naval Air Aid, Rubber

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP) The house passed and sent to the senate today a \$6,236,956,621, omnibus supply bill, carrying funds for 14,611 naval planes and for a variety of war projects ranging from development of Guayule rubber to distribution of propaganda. There was no opposition to the measure during a three-hour discussion on the floor and passage was on a voice vote.

The measure granted the navy authority to enter into contract obligations estimated at approximately \$9,510,000,000 for the building of the carriers and hundreds of other surface craft.

**Financial Reserves.** Previous legislation enacted by congress authorized the fleet additions but did not set aside any funds for them, or permit contract obligations to be assumed by the navy for them. Simultaneously, the bill would furnish fresh financial reserves for the war projects of a dozen different government agencies (Continued on Page 2)

### IWA Conference Asks Removal Of Brundage

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 8 (AP) The removal of Frederick H. Brundage, western logging and lumber administrator of the war production board was asked, John L. Lewis was condemned as a menace to the nation and Phillip Murray, president of the CIO was given unanimous support in resolutions approved by the International Woodworkers of America (CIO) convention here today.

The resolution against Brundage, presented to the convention Tuesday by President Worth Lowery, charged him with failure to act in the public interest and with "refusal to walk into a hard place and do the job." It asked that an "impartial administrator, whose sole purpose is to win the war, be appointed."

The resolution further charged that Brundage had failed to follow directives from superiors, had failed to enforce the 48-hour week order and was "partisan in his judgments."

Lewis, whose International Mine Workers yesterday withdrew from the CIO, was thoroughly condemned in a paragraph. "His disgraceful alliances and other acts are outright treason to the war effort. We go on record in word and deed to condemn the policies of Lewis detrimental and dangerous to the nation and the workers of the world."

### Indestructible



Lt. Charles Paine (above), 27, of Waycross, Ga., brought a U. S. Flying Fortress, battered but intact, back to England after 40 German fighters attacked it high over France. Two of his plane's motors were put out of commission, rudder was riddled, stabilizer and wing hit, half her controls shot away and the landing gear smashed.

### MORE RIGID WAGE CONTROL LOOMING

Byrnes Asks Measures To Enforce Salary Limitations

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The treasury made public today correspondence indicating that the government's control over the nation's wages and salaries may be more rigid than shown in President Roosevelt's statement order of October 3.

Secretary Morgenthau released the text of a letter from James F. Byrnes, director of economic stabilization, in which Byrnes asked the treasury to propose regulations to enforce salary limitations.

In part, the letter advised the treasury as follows: **Experts at Work**

"Inasmuch as the recent emergency legislation seems to authorize a broader and more direct control over salaries, the regulations which you may recommend to carry out the president's objectives need not be limited to Title III, Section 4 of the executive order so long as they come within the scope of the powers granted to the president."

While Morgenthau declined to discuss his probable recommendations, he told reporters that he had set his ranking experts to work on the problems and hoped to send a plan to Byrnes by Monday.

The rest of the letter to Morgenthau cited the president's October 3 statement of policy that persons having salaries of \$5000 per year or more should not get raises unless assigned to more difficult work, and the raises specifically approved by Byrnes, and also provided a ceiling of \$25,000 on salaries after making provisions for taxes, life insurance and fixed obligations.

### State Registration Seen in Deep Slump

SALEM, Oct. 8 (AP)—First registration reports received by the state department today indicated that the number of persons eligible to vote in the November 3 general election would be far less than the total for the 1940 general election, when an all-time high mark of 613,423 was set.

Reports from Baker, Lake and Morrow counties showed a total of 13,209 voters, compared with 16,929 in the same counties two years ago. Both the democrats and republicans lost heavily, but the democratic losses are greater than those of their opponents.

### MAY RELY ON GUN BATTERING OF STALINGRAD

Soviets Break Through Hitler's Barrier North of City

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Germans indicated today that after 45 days of costly and thus far unsuccessful siege they may abandon attempts to capture all Stalingrad by storm and instead may content themselves with destruction of the Russians' Volga river arsenal city with dive bombers and siege guns. A DNB dispatch quoting military quarters, broadcast by the Berlin radio, said: "The fight for Stalingrad has changed."

**"Strategy Achieved"**  
"After the arrival at the strategic objective—that is after capturing the heart of the city and after penetrating up to the Volga—the remainder of the city need not be stormed by infantry and sappers but can be laid in ruins systematically by heavy and heaviest artillery," the broadcast said, quoting military quarters.

Reuters, in London, heard the German radio say that "the strategic objective at Stalingrad already has been achieved. It is no longer necessary to send German infantry and assault engineers into the battle. The finishing touches will now be entrusted to heavy artillery units and Stukas."

**By ROGER D. GREENE**  
Associated Press War Editor  
Soviet tanks were officially reported to have broken into the vital 40-mile German barrier northwest of Stalingrad today, the 45th day of bloody (Continued on Page Two)

### Two Arrested For Theft of Potatoes

A 13-year-old boy, lugging a turkey down the highway, caught the eye of a state police officer and resulted in the arrest of two men charged with theft of four sacks of potatoes from a box car on the Olens siding.

State police, in an effort to check the theft of spuds during the picking season, Thursday issued a warning to light-fingered Harrys.

According to officers three men and the youth left the Guy Barton ranch at Poe Valley late Sunday. They are said to have stopped at the siding and removed four sacks of potatoes from the car, contents owned by Barton. In the meantime the 13-year-old entered the turkey pen on the Rowe Kinney place at Olens and took one turkey. He put the bird in the car and went back for a second. The men returned to the machine, found Kinney there with a searchlight, threw the turkey from the car and sped off to (Continued on Page Two)

### General Says Army Needs 18-19 Youths

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP) Major General James A. Ullo, adjutant general of the army, asserted today that the army "wants and needs" for immediate training "every available young American 18 and 19 years of age."

In a speech prepared for radio broadcast, Ullo said young men of this age have "the superior physical stamina necessary to win this war."

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