

YANK FIGHTERS BAG 41 OUT OF 70 NIP PLANES

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the wide-scale sea and air battles reported shaping up last week in the Solomons area, where Navy Secretary Knox said operations were nearing a climax.

There was no indication that the Japanese resisted the sudden American thrust to the new position at Tih, on the west of the Cape Esperance positions which already were under attack from the southeast.

On the Burma front, too, American-made warplanes dealt heavy blows to the enemy.

Four-motored Liberator bombers, by the RAF dropped nearly 30 tons of explosives on Rangoon last night, leaving the target area in flames.

Yank Fighters Up

A United States communique at Chungking announced further attacks by American fighter planes against Japanese columns and troop barracks in eastern Burma and along the Burma-Yunnan border. All of the American planes, P-40 Warhawks, returned, the communique said.

FIRMIEST POSSIBLE PRICE REIN ASKED

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be identified said certain industries had advanced prices steeply before their ceilings were frozen under OPA regulations. Leon Henderson, Brown's predecessor, held to the theory that such margins should be whittled down, but had made only a bare start on carrying it into effect.

Just how soon this policy will be put into practice appeared uncertain, but OPA officials said it could be expected to become an integral part of OPA's struggle to hold down the cost of living. It was reported that the effort would be made to hold profits to a "reasonable" basis, rather than to fix an arbitrary ceiling on a percentage of sales or investment.

71 Per Cent of Klamath Farmers Sign in Program

Approximately 71 per cent of the ranchers and farmers of the county have appeared at designated points and signed up in the Food for Freedom program, according to C. A. Henderson, Klamath county agricultural agent.

It is hoped that Klamath county will lead the state as 100 per cent in the Food for Freedom sign-up.

If it's a "frozen" article you need, advertise for a used one in the classified.

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Potatoes

PORTLAND. (AP)—Potatoes—New, Florida, \$3.00 per 30 lb. box.

Potatoes, old—cash and carry price: Klamath, \$3.17; Malin, fancy, \$3.17 cental; Yakima, \$2.72; Deschutes, \$3.12 cental; local, \$2.25 cental.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8 (AP-USA): Potatoes: 8 California, 10 Idaho, 11 Oregon arrived, 10 broken, 19 unbroken cars on track; market slightly stronger, Klamath and Idaho Russets No. 1 \$3.00.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 8 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 6 California, 12 Idaho, 3 Oregon, 1 Nevada, 6 Utah arrived, 7 by truck, 14 broken, 47 unbroken cars on track; market steady, Idaho Russets No. 1 \$2.92, one car \$3 05, No. 2 \$2.38.

CHICAGO, Feb. 8 (AP-USA) Potatoes, arrivals 172; on track 327, total US shipments Saturday 931, Sunday 51; old stock, supplies moderate, for Minnesota and North Dakota Triumphs demand light, market about steady; offerings other sections best stock demand moderate, market firm; for ordinary stock demand very slow, market dull; new stock, supplies moderate, demand very slow, market dull; Idaho Russet US No. 1, \$3.28; Colorado Red McClures US No. 1, \$3.00; Nebraska and Wyoming Bliss Triumphs US No. 1, \$2.90-\$3.05; Minnesota and North Dakota Bliss Triumphs Commercial \$2.25-40; Florida bushel crate Bliss Triumphs US No. 1, \$2.35-40.

America Has Plenty Of Liquor to Last Out, Says Official

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 (P)—Director Joseph L. Weiner of the office of civilian supply gave assurance Saturday there's sufficient liquor "to provide normal consumption for several years."

His statement was issued to head off misinterpretation of a "bed-rock economy" report, which estimated the country could get along, if pushed to it by war, on one per cent of the hard liquor consumed in 1941—enough for medicinal needs only.

"That is all that figure does represent—an estimate as to the quantity of liquor which we would have to make if there were no liquor at all in the country," Weiner said. "It has been our feeling that there is no necessity for federal rationing of liquor," he told a press conference. "That is up to the states—if they want to ration liquor they can and if they want to prohibit it they can."

"Princess of Many Trails" Title Given To Mrs. Roosevelt

CAMDEN, Me., Feb. 8 (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, wife of the president, was given the Indian name "Ow-doo-sees-ul"—meaning "Princess of Many Trails," in a Penobscot tribal induction ceremony today after the nation's First Lady had sponsored the first of a series of huge wooden barges to be launched at the Camden Shipbuilding and Marine Railways corporation.

Princess Watawasa of the Penobscots placed a band of wampum around the First Lady's head as Mrs. Roosevelt was formally made a member of the old Maine Indian tribe, and then the princess said: "My song is for your protection on your many trails."

Army Plane Really Upset Colorado Town

(Continued From Page One) Herman Bailey were en route from Las Animas to their ranch, Storekeeper Claude Williams rushed out of the Ninaview store and exclaimed: "Judge, they're bombing hell out of us." The Ninaview residents said the incident occurred a week ago Saturday afternoon. Hindman and Judge Bailey told of it today.

Nothing could be learned from army authorities in this region, nor where the plane came from.

Land Purchased for Ponderosa Nursery

BEND, Feb. 8 (P)—The national forest reservation commission has approved purchase of the 234-acre Kotzman place, three miles northeast of here, from Grover Caldwell for development of a ponderosa pine nursery as a post-war project.

MAN AT WORK

BURBANK, Calif., (P)—Arthur Guy Empey has written five books, two plays, 17 film scenarios and scores of magazine stories, but—

He now has his first real job, he says. He's a guard at an aircraft plant.

SNELL FAVORS TAX CHANGES IN MESSAGE

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farmer, the businessman, these citizens who represent the continuing stable basis of our state life. Property carries many times its share of the tax burden.

Spread Reduction Snell then asked that the initiative, passed at the November election, to give surplus income taxes to school districts for property tax reduction, be amended to provide a limit of \$5,000,000 a year on the amount that could be distributed. The surplus would be used to reduce property taxes within school districts.

The ceiling, Snell continued, would have the effect of spreading the property tax reduction over a period of years, including post-war years "when such relief would be needed far more than during the income-producing war period."

Reduction of the income tax, the governor said, would not seriously affect the property tax reduction program.

DRAFTING OF U. S. WOMEN PROPOSED

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cent settlement of lend-lease aid to our allies. Stimson testified before the house foreign affairs committee, which is expected within a few days to recommend continuance of the lend-lease plan until June 30, 1944. Under the present law, the administration can make no new commitments after June 30, 1943.

Aid to China lacks The war secretary said it would be "devilish hard" to arrive at a settlement in terms of dollars, and it would "produce a lot of damage to international relations."

Stimson pictured the lend-lease policy of sending munitions, food and other essentials to our allies as "the best method for putting our industry and resources to the best use in defeating the enemy. He acknowledged that aid to China was not so great as officials here desire, but stressed the difficulties of making deliveries. Lend-lease is a "real influence" in Russia's battle against the nazis, he declared.

Rationing of Canned Milk to Begin in 3 Months

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 (P)—Rationing of canned milk, it was learned Saturday, will begin in about three months. Shortages of evaporated milk have appeared in many localities, due partly to large demands of the armed services and lend-lease, and rationing has been regarded here as inevitable. Food Administrator Claude R. Wickard already has assigned powers for the task to the office of price administrator.

Mechanics of the rationing haven't been worked out yet, but they probably will provide more liberal allotments for infants and small children than for adults.

Shipyards Worker Faces Charge of Assault, Draft

SEATTLE, Feb. 8 (P)—Joseph Mc Leske, shipyard worker accused of attacking a municipal bus driver here Tuesday, not only faces charges of second degree assault, but also his draft deferment may be withdrawn. Sam Lamping, Seattle selective service board member, suggested shortly after Mc Leske was charged Saturday that the deferment be withdrawn if he is convicted.

SYMPATHY HUTCHINSON, Kas., (P)

"Mister, can you help us find some liquor in this town?" inquired a soldier. "We can't find anything to drink."

The man said that was too bad—but he couldn't quite hide his proud grin. He was Sheriff W. O. Stapleton, who helps enforce the state's prohibition law.

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CITY BRIEFS

Sugar Book Gone—John S. Cardozo, Oregon avenue and Blehn street, reported to city police the loss of his sugar book.

Purchase Home—Mr. and Mrs. Emerald DuBoise have purchased the property of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner, 3125 Summers lane, it was reported Monday.

Tire Gone—Ray Gibson, route 1, box 793, lost a wheel and tire from his car somewhere in the Spring Lake road district, city police were advised.

Accepts Position—Mrs. George Rankin, who has been employed in the 4-H agent's offices, has accepted a position with the Paul Landry Insurance company, taking over her new duties Monday.

Groceries Stolen — Archie West of Weyerhaeuser Camp 4, reported to city police the theft of \$15 worth of groceries stolen from his car parked at Eighth and Pine streets Saturday evening. The car was broken into by the prowlers, West said.

Gas Syphoned—Donald Gardner and Ralph Greenwood, who live at 248 Broad street, reported to city police the theft of gasoline from their cars parked in front of that address. Prowlers got two gallons from Gardner's car and three from Greenwood's machine.

Foiled—S. R. Brown, 615 High street, told city police that gas thieves were thwarted in their attempt to syphon gas from his car when a screen prevented a hose from going into the tank. Brown said prowlers worked on the car Saturday night.

Pass Closed—The North Santiam highway has been closed to traffic due to conditions in the Hogg pass, according to State Highway Engineer R. H. Ballock. The pass will probably remain closed until April 1. The South Santiam is also closed, as is the McKenzie pass.

Car Runs Away — Dr. E. Dietsche, Klamath Falls physician, reported to officers that his car parked at Fourth and High streets broke away and ran across Fourth street, through the Claremont hotel parking lot and into the side of the wall where a section was caved in. There were no personal injuries.

Furlough Ends—Earl Myers, torpedo mate 3/c, left Saturday morning for San Francisco. He has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Richard Callison, a sister, Mrs. Leonard Mitchell, and a cousin, Arthur Myers. A native of Arkansas, this was his first visit to Klamath Falls, and he expressed a desire to return here after victory to make his home.

Women of Moose — Members of Women of the Moose will meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the Moose hall. The recorder, Margaret Johnson, will present her chapter night program and Dr. J. O. Kinnaman will be the speaker. The public is invited to hear Dr. Kinnaman's address. There will be a class in initiation and all members, officers and escorts are asked to be present. Committee chairmen of membership, hospital guild, war relief, publicity, social service, homemaking, alumni and college of regents, will make their reports.

Two Heroes of Pacific War Get Medals Saturday

ASTORIA, Feb. 8 (P)—Cmdr. J. D. Beard of the Tongue Point naval air station awarded medals Saturday to two heroes of the southwest Pacific.

Lt. (jg) Forrester C. Auman, 24, Seagrave, N. C., received the Silver Star for scoring a hit on a Japanese aircraft carrier despite strong fighter opposition. Auman, who suffered shrapnel wounds and was downed at sea, also shot two Zeros, both possibly destroyed.

Lt. (jg) Thomas J. Wood, 24, Sulphur Springs, Texas, received the Distinguished Flying Cross for a bomb hit on a heavy cruiser in the face of heavy anti-aircraft fire. He downed two enemy dive bombers in an ensuing battle.

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ROSTOV UNDER FIRE AS REDS KEEP GAINING

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this theater, and was a "prologue of things to come."

Aircraft Sided The Italians said casualties were uncounted and damage was heavy.

American Flying Fortresses and Marauders, escorted by Lightning fighters, struck across the Mediterranean narrows also by daylight yesterday on Italy's island of Sardinia where parked aircraft were set afire and hits were scored on airdrome buildings and a seaplane station.

Our aircraft were attacked by enemy fighters, five of which were shot down without loss to ourselves," allied headquarters announced.

Reds Turn Tables The German submarine base at Loriet on the French coast was given an overnight pounding which the British air ministry described as its worst of the war, and other RAF raiders struck anew at the Ruhr valley.

The Russians still were putting the tactics of penetration and encirclement to deadly use against the nazis who regarded themselves as masters at this type of war.

Broad Attack Prepared The last of the axis army of the Caucasus was caught in a trap opposite the Strait of Kerch and the only escape appeared to be a costly withdrawal by sea to the Crimea.

The Russian thrust to Azov, 15 miles southwest of Rostov, put the red army in position for a broad frontal attack. Rostov was captured by the Germans November 22, 1941, but the Russians stormed back across the Don a week later and the red flag flew again over the port. The Germans captured the city a second time last July in the summer offensive whose gains the Russians already have largely liquidated.

Opium Poppies Grown in Oregon, California, Report

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 (P)—Despite control efforts of federal narcotics agents between 2000 and 3000 acres of opium poppies were grown in California and Oregon for seed purposes last year.

Treasury department officials testified to this before the house appropriations committee, adding that the situation in Oregon is "not very satisfactory" although poppy growth since has been brought under some control.

The officials said an indeterminate sentence bill under consideration would improve the situation.

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Drury Outlines Shoe Rationing Program Here

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shoe purchase certificate. Drury said the procedure for the store which sells shoes is equally simple. Here are points for shoe retailers:

1. Beginning Tuesday, February 9, you must collect stamp No. 17 or a shoe purchase certificate for each sale of a single pair of shoes.

2. Save all stamps and certificates collected from your customers. Do not pass them on to your wholesaler or supplier. You will be informed what to do with them in the near future.

3. You may continue to buy from your supplier with complete freedom. Except that you will "owe" him stamps and purchase certificates for every pair received. You may receive any shipments that were in transit as of 3 p. m. February 7, without regard to rationing.

Keep records of all shoes received and sold after the order became effective.

At a time after February 12 members of the trade may deliver or ship to consumers, shoes that had been ordered by them and had been wrapped, marked or set aside for delivery before February 7. In these special cases the shoes may be delivered without collecting ration stamps. Within a short time shoe retailers will be required to open a ration banking account and to deposit therein all of the stamps No. 17 and shoe purchase certificates they have collected.

Here is what is rationed: All unused shoes, including all types of boots and shoes made in whole or in part of leather and all leather and all rubber soled shoes. All ordinary types, and such types as special work shoes, hard soled moccasins and casual and play shoes fall within this definition and are rationed.

These are not rationed: Soft and hard soled house slippers and boudoir slippers; infants soft soled shoes; ballet slippers; ordinary water proof rubber footwear, including rubber arties, gaiters; work, dress, clo, and toe rubbers; and lumberman's overs. Shoe repairs are not rationed. Special provisions are made for employers and institutions which purchase shoes in quantity to be furnished (not sold) to a group of employees or residents. In these cases application must be made to the nearest district OPA office in writing stating the type and number of pairs of shoes needed and establishing what hardship would result if the application were denied.

Members of the armed forces needing shoes, other than regular issue may apply to their issuing officers for a shoe purchase certificate. Concerning local cooperation with the shoe rationing program, Drury added, "I want to call the attention of the citizens of this community to the wartime necessity of making shoes last and of buying only when new shoes are actually needed. There are plenty of shoes now to take care of all civilians and these supplies must be conserved. We must save leather for war. Our fighting forces must have the shoes they need to march to victory."

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Klamath Men Meet Again On Duty in Washington, D.C.

War duties have re-united a number of Oregonians in Washington, D. C. Lt. Robert A. Thompson, transferred recently from McClellan field to Washington, has seen a number of them, according to a letter Monday to Mrs. Thompson.

The Klamath man shares quarters with Capt. Glen Jackson of Medford, formerly with Copco and well known here, at the Cairo hotel. Thompson and Jackson were roommates at the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity on the Oregon State campus during their school years. Also at the Cairo hotel are Senator and Mrs. Lowell Stockman of Pendleton.

Lt. Thompson works at the new Pentagon building in Virginia, near Washington, and he describes the huge five-story structure, one of the finest of the new war buildings. He is under Ted Gillenwaters, former Klamath county district attorney, who received his lieutenant-colonelcy in the air corps service this past week. Thompson's duties include that of publication officer, which deals with distribution of all army regulations for the army air force, and an assistant security officer. This department handles secret and confidential material.

Also in Washington, Thompson has visited with another Klamath man, Lt. Lawrence Slater, who has completely recovered from a recent illness during which time he was confined in Walter Reed hospital.

CIO TO FORMULATE LUMBER DEMANDS

PORTLAND, Feb. 8 (P)—The CIO International Woodworkers of America will meet here February 20-21 to formulate wage demands to be made when negotiations open this spring.

The announcement Saturday followed new wage demands made Friday by the AFL lumber and sawmill workers union. The AFL asks a minimum raise from 90 cents to \$1.05 per hour for both fir and pine.

Edward E. Benedict, CIO international secretary-treasurer, said the conference was ordered following authorization by the industry-wide negotiating committee for fir and pine.

Delegates will come from districts northwest states and the California provisional council, he said.

EDITORIALS ON NEWS (Continued From Page One) prudent nation would possibly envisage five years."

HE doesn't say the war will last five years, or even three years, but he says we'll be wise if we MAKE OUR PLANS on that basis.

You may not like Hoover. He does, unfortunately, lack the trick of handling people and making them like it. But, when he talks, he nearly always TALKS SENSE.

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AMERICA REALLY GRITTED OUR TEETH, TIGHTENED OUR BELTS AND WENT AT IT IN EARNEST MAN-POWER WOULD BE NO GREAT PROBLEM.

Most of us (omitting parents and wives of men in the armed services) are still holding back in the sense that we're failing to give all we CAN give. Give, that is, to the extent that our boys on the battle fronts are giving.

Frozen Body of Veteran Pilot Found in Alaska

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was thought lost. He ran out of gas south of Point Barrow but found a native and sent him for gas with a dog team. Then Gilliam flew on to Barrow.

Besides Gilliam, five passengers were in the plane. Miss Susan Batzer, 23, Camas, Wash., died two days after the crash from a loss of blood. Three days later Gilliam, with a handful of raisins and a candy bar, started for help. When he failed to return Joseph Tippetts of Anchorage and Percy Cutting of Hayward, Calif., left their companions and started through deep snows in search of aid. Living on crows and water, they reached the shores of Smeaton bay and were found struggling northward early last week.

A coast guard vessel took them back to the bay and yesterday Dewey Metzdorf of Anchorage and Robert Gebb of Seattle, the two injured survivors, were brought down the mountain.

Miss Batzer's body will be brought out after spring thaws have reduced the 14 feet of snow at the crash scene.

Last night when Cutting and Tippetts learned of Gilliam's death, both broke down and wept bitterly.

They had been sure he would "come through" again.

RENO, Feb. 8 (AP)—Marriage licenses issued today included: Milton A. Benford, 22, Oakland, Calif., and Annabelle M. Peterman, 19, Klamath Falls.

Hans Norland Insurance.

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