

MEATS, CHEESE, BUTTER, FATS TO BE RATIONED

(Continued From Page One)

instructions from Food Administrator Wickard.

Use Book 2

3. Reporters could "draw their own conclusions" as to whether cheese, a meat substitute, would be rationed along with meats. He noted that this, too, is up to the food administrator.

Earlier informed officials said meat, cheese, butter and cooking fats and oils would go under rationing April 1 on a point basis, using the red coupons of war ration book two.

As disclosed some weeks ago, cheese will be rationed together with meat because of its usefulness as a meat substitute, while butter, margarine, and cooking fats and oils will be grouped for rationing because of their interchangeability.

No Freeze
Food Administrator Wickard, however, has not yet transmitted to OPA the authorization necessary before cheese, butter and fats and oils can take their place in the food rationing program.

It was stated that the government did not contemplate any period of "sales freeze" preliminary to rationing the new foodstuffs on a point basis similar to that begun this week for canned, dried and frozen fruits and vegetables.

KUHS PLAY SLATED FOR AAUW MEETING

"The Diabolical Circle" will be presented by Klamath Union high school students, Saturday at 2:30 p. m., at the Little Theatre off Mon Claire, for the pleasure of Klamath county chapter of AAUW.

The play is a comedy portraying the times and life of early Colonial days and hinges on famous Cotton Mather and his daughter, Betty. Leads are taken by George Brown, Patricia Brown, Martin Butz, Bruce Wirth, and Puritan men and women are played by Jack Colvin, Jack Robbins, Dollie Lee, Barbara Moore and Berniece Foster.

Costumes and property are in charge of Barbara Schultz, assisted by other students, the stage setting by Malcolm Epley, assisted by Ray Schatz and members of the cast, with stage lighting directed by William Lofdah. B. B. Blomquist, head of the drama department, presents the play.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

OIL TO BURN — For Union heating oils phone 8404, Klamath Oil Co., 615 Klamath Ave. 3-31m

WANT TO BUY or rent—Gas motor suitable for cordwood saw or similar. Phone 8441. 3-4

FOR RENT
Near Fairview school. Three-bedroom home with basement, furnace, fireplace, electric range and water heater. \$45.00.

Bogue Dale
120 S. 9th St. Dial 6972 3-3

OIL BURNERS — Chimneys—Furnaces. Complete service. Phone 7149. 3-17

LOST — "C" ration book. Joe Thrasher, 4522 Peck Drive. 3-5

WANTED — Experienced fountain girl. Must be out of high school, willing to work some evenings. Drug store experience preferred but not absolutely necessary. Ask for Marlon, Lee Hendricks Drugs. 3-5

HAVE your individual income tax returns made at Interstate Business College, 432 Main. Prices reasonable. 3-3

FURNISHED APT.—221 Spring. 3-9

★ NOW ★
TOWER
FIRST SHOWING!
with JOHN DEAL, WANDA MCKAY

ONE THRILLING NIGHT
with CAROL CROFT, WAYNE

★ AND SMASH HIT ★
with CAROL CROFT, WAYNE

Potatoes

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 6 California, 4 Nevada, 3 Oregon, 25 Idaho, 1 Florida arrived, 11 unbroken, 8 broken cars on track; by truck 1 arrived; no sales reported.

LOS ANGELES, March 3 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 2 Florida, 9 Idaho, 2 Utah arrived, 21 unbroken, 8 broken cars on track; by truck 1 car arrived, 1 diverted; no sales reported.

CHICAGO, March 3 (AP-USA)—Potatoes, arrivals 64; on truck 104; total US shipments 815; old stock, supplies very light, no track trading account of lack of carlot offerings; market condition unchanged. New stock, supplies light, demand moderate, market firm.

FOUR VESSELS SMASHED IN BLOW TUESDAY

(Continued From Page One)

Pilots reported a near hit on a Japanese light cruiser. General MacArthur's airmen also pounded Lae, bomber and attack planes punishing the air-drome area. At the same time his bombers attacked airdromes on Soemba and Soembava islands, northwest of Australia, destroyed an ammunition ship directly with a 500-pound bomb at Wide Bay, New Britain, and smashed at the Gasmata, New Britain, airdrome in an after-dusk raid, the communique said.

Elated pilots who participated in the attack on the convoy saw heavy bombs explode amidships on the 8000-ton transport and watched it split in two and sink in flames within two minutes, reports from operations bases said. Flames which poured from the wreckage of other ships were visible for a long distance, it was reported.

Colonial Realty Holdings Change Hands This Week

(Continued from Page One)

the land in Henchen barley by mid-May. The acreage was in grain when operated by Joe and R. W. Steele of Merrill, before it was flooded. The present owners said they would use bulldozers and cats in getting the dikes ready and expect to throw up mud dikes and rip-rap with bales of straw. Later they plan to put in permanent rock rip-rapping. The dikes will be about two and one-half miles long.

Mary K. Reynolds and other owners received the land in an exchange for Miller Hill property near Klamath Falls which had turned alkali through seepage. After a petition to congress, the exchange was made and the land became known as Colonial Realty holdings.

Survivor Recalls Last Salute Given As Chicago Sank

PORTLAND, Ore., March 3 (AP)—Arnold Ackerslund, pharmacist's mate on the lost cruiser Chicago, recalled here today how survivors on floating life nets saluted the U. S. flag on the Chicago as it disappeared under the waves.

"Everybody was at attention," the former Cle Elum, Wash., mortician, said in an interview. "It was not the snappy salute personnel give aboard ship but it was a salute, nevertheless, given as the men tread water."

PELICAN

It Stays! Today & Tomorrow Only!

Hundreds Demand We Hold This Shock-Loaded Sensation Over! But It Closes Positively Tomorrow Night!

Now you can see the sensational picture based on the book that shocked the world—GREGOR ZIMMER'S "EDUCATION FOR DEATH."

"YOU ARE NOT FIT TO BE A NAZI MOTHER!"

HITLER'S CHILDREN

From the best-seller and as told to millions in READER'S DIGEST.

with TIM HOLT • BONITA GRANVILLE • KENT SMITH • OTTO KRUGER • H. B. WARNER

Extra Donald Duck — Pat Smith Musical — News

BRITISH ARMY ROUTS AXIS IN NORTH TUNISIA

(Continued from Page One)

gaged in a far-reaching retreat on the northern front, similar to that carried out through the past three months in the south where they had withdrawn 400 miles from Stalingrad.

Rahev was the advance strong point of the German line north-west of Moscow in the famous Veltki-Luki-Rahev-Vyazma triangle.

Near Latvian Border
Monday night the Russians announced they had begun a powerful new offensive northwest of Moscow and had knocked a huge hole in the German de-



fense line by capturing Demjansk, 110 miles northwest of RZHEV where the Germans had been fortified for 17 months. The Russians thus appeared to have smashed two of the strongest points which had hedged in and prevented development of a powerful thrust toward the Baltic states. At Veltki Luki the Russian armies were only about 80 miles from the Latvian border.

Prisoners Taken
Dispatches from the northern Tunisian front said some of the best German infantry and tank units which had been engaged for four days in attacking Kazar Mezous held by the British army finally broke and fled yesterday in the face of a battering artillery fire which left the field of battle strewn with burning vehicles and blackened with the smoke of explosives.

One German company was seen to run after a demoralizing barrage, the dispatches said. Tank crews finally climbed from their machines and joined the flight at the approach of a single British tank officer after whistling shells had picked them out in their hidden pockets.

Allied patrols were busy rounding up "just stacks" of prisoners and marching them back to the rear.

The gunners claimed the destruction of at least 10 tanks, and today's allied headquarters communique said heavy damage had been inflicted on axis positions north of Beja and east of Sedjenane.

Kazar Mezous apparently is a small railway station about nine miles east of Beja and 18 miles northwest of Medjez-el-Bab. Sedjenane is near the coast west of Bizerte.

This gradual smothering of Von Arnim's attempted offensive in the north was matched by continued success in the central sector where Americans pressed south of recaptured Sbeitla.

Home-made tubeless tires may work temporarily but will lead to early ply separation. Carcasses now in use were not designed to hold air without a tube and pressure forces air into the carcass, causing early separation.

WAVE in WAACS



Mrs. Helene Hall of Los Angeles, wife of an enlisted seaman in the Navy, became the first WAVE to trade her blues for WAAC khaki because naval etiquette forbade her to be married to a Navy man of inferior rank.

EDITORIALS ON NEWS

(Continued From Page One)

third of the territory he took from us when he hit us spectacularly last week and the week before.

But, you'll note, he HASN'T given up Fald pass.

Mountain passes are STRATEGIC ground.

REUTERS (British news agency) reports today that American troops, planes, guns and equipment are arriving in North Africa in a steady flow.

A new, heavily loaded convoy, the Reuters dispatch adds, has just made port.

GENERAL DAVENPORT JOHNSON, commander of the U. S. second air force, tells the Redmond chamber of commerce that the axis is losing SIX planes to the allies' one.

THINGS like these are important—immensely more important than average, run-of-the-mill ground gained or lost in the fighting from day to day.

Ground is important or unimportant only as it bears on the larger objective and purposes of the war. The whole of Tunisia, for example, is VASTLY important, because it commands the African side the NARROWS of the Mediterranean, and the Mediterranean (including Gibraltar and Suez) is an almost indispensable short cut for supplies for the Middle East, India and even Australia.

IN World War No. 1, when mighty armies were entrenched along the Western front, we got an exaggerated idea of the importance of mere ground.

In this war of movement all over the world, ground doesn't mean so much. What counts is destroying the enemy's will to fight and resources to fight with.

PINE TREE NOW! 2 Ace Treats!

Zorina
It's Gal-Glorious
Daring Dazzling
Laugh-Loaded
Star Spangled

ON YOUR TOES
with EDDIE ALBERT
Alan Hale • Frank McHugh • James Gleason

Thrills! Adventure! Action!
"CITY OF SILENT MEN"
with JUNE LANG
FRANK ALBERTSON

COF C BOARD GIVES OPINION ON SALES TAX

Klamath chamber of commerce directors expressed by vote Wednesday the opinion that any Oregon sales tax proposal should include a definite limit on the rate of taxation, and should include rigid provisions that the taxes collected will be an offset on real property and income taxes.

The chamber directors also advocated exemption of certain necessities of life, such as food, from taxation under the sales tax, and favored submission of any sales tax proposal to the people for a vote.

Reynolds in Salem
It was announced that the chamber directors will meet next week at the Pelican cafe party room with members of the board of the Malin chamber of commerce. This will replace the regular board meeting next week.

Secretary Earl Reynolds of the chamber is in Salem in connection with legislative matters.

WORK OR FIGHT BILL SHAPES UP

(Continued From Page One)

the percentage of absenteeism of workers at various navy yards and stations, comparing April, 1942, with January, 1943.

The figures showed that absenteeism was 3.9 per cent at Pearl Harbor last April, lower than any other station, but that the percentage there rose to 8.9 per cent in January.

Committee Favors 3 Per Cent Sales Tax for Oregon

SALEM, March 3 (AP) — The house taxation and revenue committee recommended 5 to 3 today that the house approve a 3 per cent sales tax bill which would be referred in November 1944 to the voters, who have overwhelmingly defeated sales tax proposals four times already.

If the house approves it, the committee will report out a companion bill to provide for a 30-mill property tax limit. The committee estimated the tax would raise \$20,000,000 a year, with 20 per cent to be used for public assistance, 60 per cent for property tax relief, and 20 per cent to support schools.

Tax tokens would not be used, and foodstuffs would be exempt.

A doctor tells us a new baby makes the days brighter. Not to mention the nights during the teething period.

Hans Norland Insurance.

TODAY!
Big Double Laugh Show!
RAINBOW
He'd have girls on his mind... if he had a mind!

THE DARING Young Man!
starring JOE E. BROWN
with MARGUERITE CHAPMAN
And 2ND BIG LAFF!

FUN FOR EVERYONE!
"Six Hopkins"
JUDY CANOVA
BOB CROSBY
CHARLES BUTTERWORTH
HAYWARD
JERRY COLONNA

OPA Promises Weeding Out of Lax Tire Inspectors

PORTLAND, March 3 (AP)—The OPA district office today pledged speedy action in weeding out tire inspectors who are attempting to "feather their own nests" at the expense of the motoring public.

The announcement followed a conference at which Russell Paul, Washington, D. C., special field representative, disclosed that recent checks showed at least 10 per cent of the tires condemned by inspectors could have been left in service with only minor repairs.

MEAT DEALERS HERE ATTEND OPA CONFAB

(Continued From Page One)

ties were sold in March, 1942. OPA officials pointed out to the dealers that no sales can be made at prices above the March, 1942 selling prices, and that sales made above such prices constitute violations. Bischoff has called attention to the fact that under the regulations, consumers who are charged in excess of ceiling prices are entitled to bring suit for treble damages or \$50, whichever constitutes the larger amount, against the offending dealer.

The speakers at last night's meeting also brought out that under maximum price regulation 169 the price levels are established for slaughterers. Any sales above such price levels constitute violations. Combes indicated that since packers and slaughterers were under price regulations that this afforded retail butchers a protection and should provide a proper margin permitting the retailers in turn to sell within their established ceilings.

It was made clear in last night's meeting that OPA office of price administration, through the Klamath Falls district office, will seek to make available all possible information relating to price schedules and to be of service to dealers. At the same time, emphasis was placed on the fact that the office of price administration intends to fully enforce regulations both for the protection of the consuming public and for the best interests of dealers.

Let's put everything to work! Sell the articles you don't use through a classified ad.

the air force's goal was wide-scale bombing of Japan "to insure the total destruction of this enemy on his own soil."

Gen. Arnold said that his conferences with Generalissimo Chiang in Chungking three weeks ago had shown him "that few if any of the armies in history have had to operate under such impossible conditions as have the Chinese."

Explaining that he could not reveal exactly what this country was doing or could do for China, Gen. Arnold warned that the task was far from simple since the Japanese hold the Burma road and the United States has no surplus of airplanes to fly war equipment over mountains higher than the Rockies.

Arabs May Have the Last Laugh on This American

PASADENA, Calif., March 3 (AP)—The Arabs in North Africa, says Lt. Grenville (Granny) Lansdell, are good for a lot of laughs, even if they do "steal the Americans blind," but he's not sure who's going to have the last laugh about a month from now.

Lansdell, former USC football star, tells a sports writer friend in a letter how the pilot of a B-17 bomber negotiated with an Arab for six eggs a day over a period of two months.

"He told the Arab he will give him the bomber at the end of that time," wrote Lansdell, "and the Arab really thinks he's got a bargain coming about a month from now. He brings all his friends down to admire the bomber. When the ship came back from a raid recently with a 'flak' hole in it the Arab was mad as the devil."

"The last time I saw the pilot he looked a little perturbed, and went around muttering: 'I'm not so sure I want to be here a month from now.' Those Arabs have guns that look about seven feet long."

Oregon News Notes

By The Associated Press

The axis is losing six planes to the allies' one, Major General Davenport Johnson, commander of the second air force, told the Redmond chamber of commerce after inspection of the Redmond air base. . . . In Portland, Robert T. Jacob, income tax consultant, was charged with preparing a fraudulent tax return for the Central Holding company, operator of a hotel at Burns, and was released on \$1000 bond. . . . The Portland postoffice said air mail in February totaled 72,840 pounds, more than twice the volume for the same month last year. . . . The state committee on war training said classes in farm machinery, crops and garden methods increased from

Mme. Chiang Calls For Charity When War Is Over

(Continued From Page One)

more failed to report for work on the night shift.

James Smith, union business agent, said the suspended unionist was Charles Young. He declared Young had acted in "open defiance" of rules adopted by the local union, or the policy of the national CIO when they did not meet with his personal approval, and had advocated that other members withdraw from the union.

"Non-Deferable" Fathers Face Draft by May 1

WASHINGTON, March 3 (AP) Officials said today it would be a "pretty reasonable guess" that some local draft boards will start taking fathers of children on May 1 or shortly thereafter and that inductions of married men with children would be fairly general by early summer.

The first fathers to be inducted probably will be those in recently-classified "non-deferable" occupations, one informed but unquotable official said.

Always read the classified ads.

'STRIKING' SHIP WORKERS RETURN

(Continued From Page One)

more failed to report for work on the night shift.

James Smith, union business agent, said the suspended unionist was Charles Young. He declared Young had acted in "open defiance" of rules adopted by the local union, or the policy of the national CIO when they did not meet with his personal approval, and had advocated that other members withdraw from the union.

STARTS TOMORROW!

HAYWORTH... Never lovelier!

ASTAIRE... Never more exciting!

KERN'S MUSIC... Never more inspired!

FRED ASTAIRE • RITA HAYWORTH

You Were Never Lovelier

with **ADOLPHE MENJOU**
Music by **JEROME KERN**
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

Never more thrilling music-making!
XAVIER CUGAT
and His Orchestra
Hear their song hit, "CHIU, CHIU!"

Last Day!
"COMMANDOS STRIKE AT DAWN"

ESQUIRE