

# GOVERNMENT SAID AIDING DEFERMENTS

WASHINGTON, March 30 (AP)—Accusing federal departments of "sheltering draft dodgers engaged in non-essential activities," Senator Holman, (R-Ore.) urged the American Legion and other patriotic organizations today to "direct their attention to a thorough house-cleaning" of government agencies.

Speaking at a senate military committee hearing on the Austin-Wadsworth bill to draft men and women into war jobs, Holman expressed "considerable alarm about the present waste of manpower."

"I am particularly alarmed," he added, "about the wastage of manpower by the sheltering of draft dodgers in federal departments engaged in non-essential activities."

"I wish the American Legion and other patriotic organizations would direct their attention to a thorough house-cleaning."

Turning to a witness, Morris F. Devine of Manchester, N. H., chairman of the American Legion's national legislative committee, Holman asked for comment on his statement.

"I definitely approve of those views," Devine replied.

Devine told the committee the Legion for more than 20 years has believed in national service legislation and is convinced that enactment of the Austin-Wadsworth bill will shorten the war.

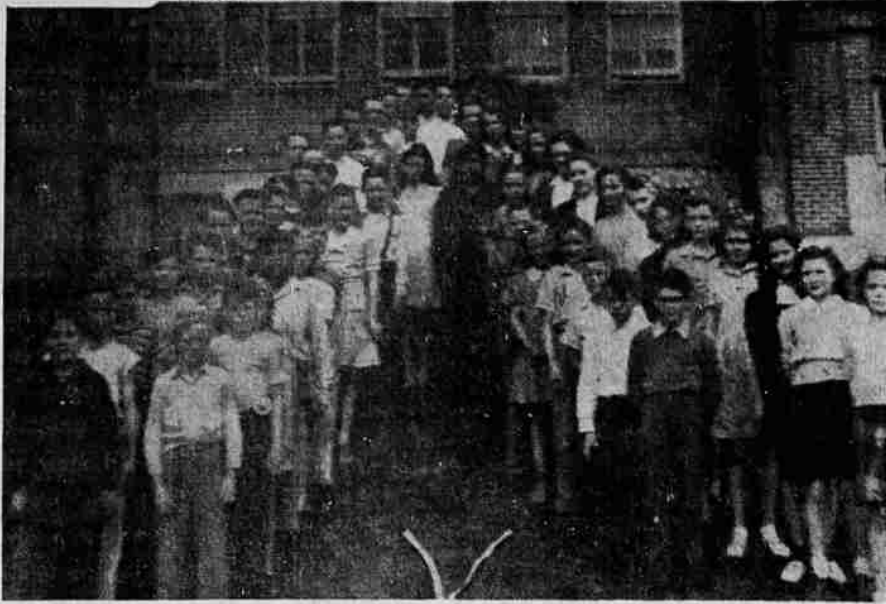
## Supreme Court to Hear Arguments on Joint Council Meet

SALEM, March 30 (AP)—The state supreme court announced today it would hear arguments April 13, on whether the North Bend city council should be compelled to meet with the Marshfield council to review petitions demanding consolidation of the two cities into the single city of Coos Bay.

### STICKY

DALLAS, (AP)—It was hard to get rid of this money. The 27 half dollars, a quarter, a dime and three pennies—\$13.88—stuck to the fingers of the city tax department's cashier. The money was received from an eccentric taxpayer who appeared at the city hall with a jar filled with coins—and molasses.

## Fairview War Savings Contest Winners



Standing in a V above are the fourth and seventh graders of Fairview school, winners of a war savings contest sponsored by the PTA. Two sales of stamps and bonds were held, one netting \$93.50 and the other \$199.45 at Fairview, thus contributing toward the union labor campaign to bring enough sales here to buy a sub-chaser for Uncle Sam. Most of the fathers of the children shown above are on 10 per cent war savings programs, and the stamps were largely purchased through earnings of the children themselves.

## Dog With 'Sensitive Tract' Poses Difficult Question For Meat Rationing Board

CHICAGO, March 30 (AP)—A north side rationing board must decide whether a seeing-eye dog with a "sensitive digestive tract" is entitled to more fresh meat than human beings receive under rationing today.

The dog, "Slim," a German shepherd belonging to Ferdinand D. Casanave, a blind merchant tailor, was treated two years ago by Dr. A. G. Misener, veterinarian, for malnutrition, gastritis and chronic eczema, and put on a fresh beef diet.

The doctor wrote yesterday to Casanave's rationing board, recommending extra meat rations for the dog "if it is possible."

He explained "Slim" might have a relapse unless he received "at least a pound of fresh lean beef daily. A change of diet might incapacitate him for the great work he performs."

Houston Returns From League of Oregon Cities Meet

Mayor John H. Houston returned to Klamath Falls Sunday after attending a meeting of League of Oregon Cities officials which, he said, was not well attended due to weather conditions. He was surprised to find Klamathites basking in a warm, balmy atmosphere upon his return.

Houston said a second meeting would be held in April as a preliminary to the annual session scheduled in May at Portland.

An Ohio man was fined \$2 for ringing a doorbell for an hour. Maybe the folks just didn't want any insurance.

## Weather Hinders Mountain Search For Missing Plane

OREGON CITY, March 30 (AP)—Unfavorable weather hindered search today of the Petes mountain vicinity of Clackamas county for a two-motored army pursuit plane missing since last Friday from the Portland army air base.

Possibility that the plane may have reached this vicinity was broached last night after reports were received that such a plane was seen between Canby and Woodburn about 6:30 p. m. Friday flying low.

## Fuel Oil Dealers Exchange Customers To Save Rubber

PORTLAND, March 30 (AP)—Oregon fuel oil dealers will exchange customers to facilitate deliveries and eliminate unnecessary trips, thus saving gasoline and rubber, Clyde Marsh, president of the Oregon Fuel Merchants association, disclosed today.

Association members will analyze their accounts, working from uniform city maps. Customers will be billed by their original dealer, and dealers have agreed not to solicit exchanges of customers for the duration.

## HIGH SCHOOL

### News Notes and Comment

By ANITA GWYN

As if they couldn't get in enough school work in five days, the seniors were at the high school Saturday night—but for entertainment! The annual senior banquet was given that evening by the senior mothers of the PTA. A great majority of the class was present and from student opinion, we gather that everyone had a good time. The evening was very informal and wound up with a rousing song fest led by Mr. Loney.

We seniors wish to thank all of those who helped to make Saturday night memorable and

wish to let you know that we appreciated it.

Classes were dismissed at 3 p. m. Monday afternoon to allow the teachers to listen to a broadcast about post-war education.

The cups that the Pelicans have won through the years were all polished and rearranged in the showcase in the main corridor. Once a year or oftener the cups are dusted and the latest trophy added to the exhibit.

Donna Brotherton won the \$6 offered by Pellicana in an amateur show over KFJI.

Mrs. Whisenant of a local drug store spoke to the home nursing classes Monday and Tuesday about the best methods of applying makeup and how to make the best of one's assets.

The latest reports of the bond

## OREGON WHEATMEN PLANT WAR CROPS

CORVALLIS, March 30 (AP)—Oregon wheatmen whose crops were damaged during the winter have been asked to plant war crops in those acres rather than to reseed to wheat, Clyde Kiddle,

drive look like this: seniors—Bettie Hopkins, 128,850; Wanda Shaw 71,400; juniors—Betty McKinney 30,375, Lettie Linman 3835; sophomores—Vivian Dirsehl 32,745, Dorothy O'Malley 7225; freshmen—Sally Mueller 41,640, Lois Cada 13,550. These are the two highest from each class. Preliminaries end tomorrow.

I wish to thank Pat Morgan for writing this column during my absence.

state AAA crop insurance assistant, said today.

This is the result of a revision of the federal crop insurance program.

Heretofore crop insurance regulations required reseeding to wheat. The new ruling provides that insurance will be canceled on such acreage if it is seeded to dry peas, dry beans, potatoes, flax, hay, vegetables or other designated war crops.

### JOB GETS BOY

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (AP)—Gilbert Lopez, 11, blinked back tears as he told his story to police.

A man offered him a job helping to unload fertilizer. "Let me keep your watch so I'll know how long you worked," he added.

Then he refused to pay Gilbert—and kept the watch, too.

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