

Distribution of War Book 3 to Be Handled by Mail

War ration book No. 3, which provides new stamps to replace those running out in existing books, will be distributed through the mails to more than 120 million individuals beginning late in June and ending July 21, it was announced today by the Klamath office of the OPA.

Under a plan worked out by Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown and Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, the mailing of a simple post-card application will bring book 3 to everyone. There will be no schoolhouse registration, such as featured the issuance of the first two ration books. Application forms good for a single person or an entire family, will be dropped in every mail box by postmen between May 20 and June 5. The head of the house will fill out the cards, which are pre-addressed to OPA mail centers, for the entire family and post them between June 1 and June 10. OPA mail centers will begin sending out the books late in June.

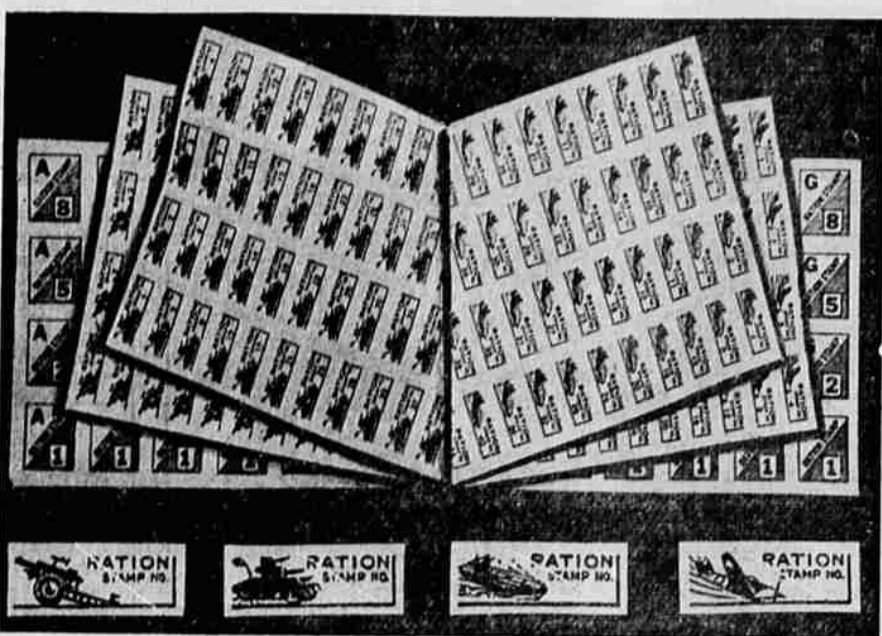
Brown termed the direct mail plan a "great step forward" in his program to reduce the mechanics of wartime rationing to the simplest terms for the private citizen.

War ration book 3 itself combines "unit" stamps already familiar under the sugar, coffee and shoe programs, and "point" stamps, such as housewives have been using to buy canned goods, meats and fats for several weeks past. There are eight pages in the new book. Four contain a single alphabet of brown point stamps in the usual 8, 5, 2 and 1 point values. The center four pages hold 48 unit stamps. The unit stamps will be used for coffee, sugar and shoes when book No. 1 runs out in the fall. The point stamps provide a safeguard against the possibility that the red stamps in book 2 (meats-fat rationing) will run out before the issuance of book 4. Book 4 is in the drafting stage and will contain red and blue point stamps, much the same as those in book two, and will be used for the same programs (processed foods and meat-fats).

At the present rate of "spending" the red stamps in book 2 will be exhausted around October 1 and the blue stamps by the end of that month. Present plans call for the distribution of book 4 during August or September. However, in the event of an unforeseen delay beyond October 1, the point stamps from book 3 will tide consumers over.

Grade crossing accidents — which are growing in number — every day delay an average of 38 trains a total of 22 hours.

Here It Is---War Ration Book No. 3



Scheduled for summer distribution is this eight-page War Ration Book No. 3. Each of the four inside pages has 48 "unit" stamps of the type now used for sugar, coffee and shoes. Guns, tanks, aircraft carriers and warplanes are illustrated on these stamps. The back four pages contain "point" stamps similar to those in Ration Book No. 2, although of slightly different design and printed in brown. (OWI photo.)

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS FLAG DEDICATION

FORT KLAMATH—A capacity crowd filled the C. I. clubhouse on Wednesday evening to attend the special program held for the dedication of the Fort Klamath service flag honoring former students now in various branches of the armed forces. A profusion of spring flowers and special lighting effects added to the beauty and impressiveness of the affair. On entering, each mother of a boy in service was presented with a lovely floral corsage, the flowers for which were sent for the occasion by Mrs. Allen Denton of Eugene, Oregon.

The program was directed by Mrs. Hansford Williams, who merits great praise for her time and efforts to make the affair such an outstanding success. Mrs. Guss Page was the accompanist at the piano for all the musical selections presented.

Part one: Drum and bugle selection by Virginia Thomas, Ann Gray and Bill Wampler; "A Plaque to Enslave Mankind" by unseen voices of Mrs. E. D. Briscoe, Mrs. Paul Wampler and Mrs. Bert Gray; Flags of the Nations, presented by Barbara Gray and Jean Drake; "The Star Spangled Banner," sung by gathering.

Part two: "America Serves," by voices; "Dear Mom," by Clifford Engle and Elmore Nicholson; "Mom, I Miss Your Apple Pie," sung by ladies' quartet including Mrs. J. B. Thomas, Mrs. Carl Wilson, Mrs. Bert Gray and Mrs. T. R. Nicholson.

Part three: "They Fight All Over the World," by voices; Candle lighting by Jean Drake

and Barbara Gray, followed by singing of "When the Lights Go On Again" by the ladies quartet; short sketches of former local students now in service read by grade school girls; presentation to community by Virginia Thomas of mysterious basket of flowers from Fort Klamath service men.

Part four: Presentation of the service flag, made by Mrs. Arthur Nichols, and presented by Mrs. Pearl Baker on behalf of the C. I. club in place of Mrs. Frank Denton, club president, who is suffering from laryngitis, the flag being received by James Wampler on behalf of the elementary school of Fort Klamath and Chiloquin high school. The flag has 22 stars, and in addition 20 others from Fort Klamath have entered the service, making a total of 42. Prayer for our service men, by Mrs. Fred Bishop, followed by singing of "America" by the gathering.

Part five: "For Brotherhood of Man," by voices; "Hymn for the Nations" by ladies' quartet; "The Victory to Come," by Mrs. Gilbert Brown of Chiloquin; "Prayer for Final Victory" by voices. The program was concluded by the singing of the Doxology by all.

Special mention should be given to the following for their assistance with the program and arrangements — stage arrangements, Bert Gray and George Denton; lighting effects, Guss Page; sound arrangements for voices, Dick Varnum; seating, Clifford Engle and James Wampler; flowers, Mrs. William Zumbun; programs, Mrs. W. Donnelly.

DOWNNEY TELLS GROWERS TO HOLD ACTION

TULELAKE—After the conference in San Francisco last weekend between U. S. Senator Sheridan Downey, Chester L. Main, president of the Tulelake Growers and Dan Crawford, secretary, centering around the labor problems in the Klamath basin, Main and Crawford were advised to withhold action on the request for Mexican labor for the potato harvest next fall until the possibility of using Japanese from Newell had been thoroughly investigated.

Although the final decision still remains with General John DeWitt of the fourth army command, Senator Downey believes that an exception will be made this fall which will release the required number of Japanese for the harvest season on this side of the California-Oregon line.

The growers two-man committee met also with California farm extension service officials at Stockton, who stated that early reports on Mexican labor in California were not reassuring, although good results were obtained where laborers were selected under the supervision of farmers from areas where they were to be used.

Two hundred Mexicans will be moved into the Tulelake district after September 15, from Chico, according to word from the U. S. employment service office at Alturas. An early conservative estimate was for 2000, Senator Downey, concerned

over the drain on manpower from the west coast, stated that draft boards must protect their own communities where defense work is being undiminished by the army inductions.

Assurance that trucks frozen by the army would be released to the farmers was given by the war manpower board and local farmers will be able in the near future to obtain transportation for farm products through local channels.

While the housing problem is still indefinite, that phase of the labor question probably will be taken care of by the FSA. Crawford stated, since the growers were told by the employment service early in the session that FSA camp equipment would be available next fall.

A meeting of the growers, at which time a report on the information received will be given, has been called for Tuesday, May 11.

Beatty

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brann of Potosi, Calif., and two daughters, Pauline and Elouise, spent Easter Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lantto. Mrs. Lantto and Mrs. Brann are sisters.

Only a small crowd gathered at the hill above town for the usual Easter service and breakfast.

There was a large gathering at the church services. Mac Barber is again in this section buying horses. Most of the horses are being slaughtered, Mac reports, so there is a scarcity of horses.

Mrs. F. J. Schmitz was a Klamath Falls business visitor Monday. Mr. Schmitz was in charge of the bond drive which ended Sunday. Unusually good results were realized considering many factors hindering the drive

in this section. However the quota was reached.

Dell Smith, local rancher, has been confined to his home with an attack of flu.

Noah Walker of Weyerhaeuser Camp 6, reports the roads in poor condition due to the recent rains.

Mrs. W. E. Phillipson and Mrs. M. P. Kendall were Klamath Falls business visitors Thursday of this week.

Jack Morgan has moved to the David Choctoot ranch in the Plute valley, where he expects to ranch for the next few years.

SPUD GROWERS TO HEAR ABOUT DOWNEY MEETS

TULELAKE—All members of the Tulelake Growers association are urged to attend a meeting Tuesday, May 4, at 8 p. m. in the Tulelake high school, at which time Dan Crawford and Chester Main, members of the association, will report on their recent conference with US Senator Sheridan Downey of California.

Crawford and Main, representing the Tulelake Growers, returned this week from California where they conferred with Downey in regard to labor and farm transportation problems, and with the state war board in connection with farm trucks and equipment.

The two will pass on all necessary information at the Tuesday night meeting. Anyone needing potato equipment or new trucks, is especially urged to attend.

TULELAKE CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

TULELAKE—Tulelake high school students who will be seniors next year were elected to serve during the 1943-1944 term as officers of the student body. Three of the officers, Fannie Adams, president; Dorothy Thomas, secretary; and Harriett Coulson, treasurer, have served in the same capacity for the junior class. Ted Fish will fill the office of vice president; Louanna Halousek, sergeant at arms; Carolyn Ryckman, fire chief; co-yeil leaders, Mardelle Long and Luana Dahle.

Election business was completed during a student body meeting Wednesday.

High octane gasoline, used exclusively for aircraft, will play a major role in truck engine development.

GRADERS TELL OF GRADUATION EXERCISES

TULELAKE—The name of Wanda Jean Blevins, eighth grade student recently enrolled from Klamath Falls, was omitted from a list of graduates published recently who will receive diplomas May 12.

Jerome Keefer, grade school principal, this week announced the program that is planned for commencement exercises. Almost the entire program is being prepared by the graduates assisted by a few seventh grade students.

The processional will be played by Patricia Ramsden of the faculty, and the invocation will be given by Rev. Hugh L. Bronson, pastor of the Tulelake Community Presbyterian church.

A violin trio, "Beautiful Dreamer," will be played by Rosalind Wilkinson, Joan Murphy and Phyllis Rowan, all of the seventh grade with Shirley Heck, a classmate, at the piano. The welcome will be offered by Helen Stoddard, class president, who is believed to be the first girl to serve as president of a Tulelake eighth grade class.

Ralph Yordy Jr., will play two guitar numbers, "Aloha" and "By the Silver Rio Grande." "Medicine for War" will be given by Robert Hannon, followed by two numbers by a mixed group of boys and girls. LuRee Dahle will offer a study of wartime clothing and Mary Robertson, who is one of the most talented of the grade school speakers, will give "Scratch and the Newsboy."

George Reiben, principal of the high school, will give a welcome to the graduates and a piano number, "Theme From Liebestraum No. 3," will be played by George Yost Jr.

A report on present day railroad transportation will be given by Fred Moore. "Auld Lang Syne" will be sung by the graduates and the last number on the program will be the presentation of diplomas to 18 graduates.

We are anxious to see the end of the war. But are most of all concerned that it shall end in victory. The mighty venture (invasion) in which our own men are destined to play a decisive role should be made as certain of success as anything in war can be made.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada.

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P. S.: If you are one of those who called for an appointment after all of our available time had been filled during our last health week, we can reserve time for you, if you will phone NOW. In order to make these services available to as many as possible, we are making examination appointments from 9:00 a. m. to 8 p. m.

EPLEY TO SPEAK FOR ROTARY CLUB

TULELAKE—Malcolm Epley, editor of the Klamath Herald and News, will be guest speaker for the Tulelake Rotary club at the luncheon, Wednesday, May 5. The meeting will be dedicated to boys and girls of the junior and senior high schools in commemoration of National Boys' and Girls' week, and two students of each class of both the junior and senior high schools will be greeted as guests. Fred E. McMurphy, newly elected president, who takes the chair in July, will introduce Epley.

This week's meeting was opened with community singing under the direction of Rev. Hugh L. Bronson, with President P. C. Bergman in the chair. Vern Hemstreet, program chairman, entertained the members and guests with a motion picture, "Rubber Goes to War," offered by the U. S. Rubber company.

Guests were E. P. Leavitt, superintendent of Crater Lake park; Vince Court, Alturas; Hyman Wescher, who obtained the motion picture reel for the meeting; Mr. Crandall, Yreka, associated with the California-Oregon Power company and Mr. Knight, Newell, guest of Otis Roper.

LEADS DISCUSSION

SOUTHERN OREGON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, Ashland, April 30—Phi Beta Sigma, teachers honorary fraternity at the Southern Oregon College of Education, held a panel discussion Wednesday before assembled faculty and students, on the general topic, "The Teacher's Place in Wartime America." The panel was led by Irma Kreuger of Klamath Falls, president of the group.

COST OF FREEDOM
WALLA WALLA, Wash. (AP)—State prison authorities are essentially anxious to find that escaped Spokane forger.
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