

Top Food Prices For Local Stores To Be Announced

Top prices any retail store in the Klamath Falls area may charge, beginning Monday, May 10, 1943, for nearly half the food items that go into the housewife's market basket, were announced today by Edward Ostendorf, district director of the Klamath Falls OPA. Stores must plainly post their selling prices for those items. The complete text of the order will be published in the Klamath News-Herald on Monday, May 10. Copies are being mailed to all local food stores in the area today.

The OPA action, taken simultaneously in more than 150 cities throughout the nation as a major step in the drive to "hold the line" of the cost of living, will not alter the general level of present ceilings but will enable the housewife to know in the simplest terms possible the maximum amount which a food store may charge her under any circumstances for a pound, a package, or a dozen of any of the hundreds of food items listed.

As a result, housewives will find reductions in those prices which have exceeded the ceilings. Week by week the district office will establish similar overall ceilings until virtually every essential item in the family food budget is listed.

Highlights of the OPA action are:

(1) A top price is specified for brands, grades, sizes or container types of the listed products. The price is the present maximum at which small independent stores have been permitted to sell these particular items.

(2) Large-volume stores, having lower ceilings under present regulations, must continue to observe their present ceilings and will not be permitted to use the top prices listed today.

(3) A special staff of OPA price investigators will be assigned exclusively to checking stores whose ceilings are below the new top prices to make certain that their lower ceilings are observed.

(4) All retail food stores must plainly mark their ceiling price for all items on the new list. The selling prices must appear on the item itself or on the shelf or bin where the food is displayed.

(5) Top prices apply through the following area: The city limits of Klamath Falls, and any stores located on highways leading out of Klamath Falls as far south as, and including, Weyerhaeuser; as far east as, and including, the Lakeview junction, and as far north as, and including, the Pelican Bay Lumber company.

(6) Outside this area, stores will remain under their present ceiling prices. The area, however, may later be enlarged.

Typical top prices follow:

Royal Club Natural grapefruit juice, No. 2, 17c; Del Monte grapefruit, No. 2, 18c; Sanka coffee, 41c; Wadham's coffee, 37c; Maxwell House coffee, 38c; Del Monte red salmon, 1 lb., 50c; White Star tuna, 1/2, 21c, 1/4, 39c; Wesson oil, pints, 33c; Mazola, pints, 37c; Crisco, 1 pound, 26c; Royal Satin, one pound, 24c; Silverleaf lard, one pound, 45c; Skippy, one pound, 48c; Royal Club, half pound, 22c; Carnation milk, tall cans, 11c; Carnation quick oats, three pounds, 27c; Alber's Corn Flakes, 11 ounce, 9c; Post Toasties, 11 ounce, 10c; Drifted Snow flour, 49 pound, \$2.85; Swansdown cake flour, four pounds, 32c; Alber's flapjack mix, 2 1/2 pound, 25c; 92 score butter, one pound parchment, 56c; quarter pound parchment, 15c.

"These simplified prices represent a goal toward which OPA has been working for months," Mr. Ostendorf explained. "The new list of ceilings are the upper limits under regulations which have been in effect for a number of months. In some instances, they are the ceilings of the GMPR which has been in effect nearly a year. Any rollback which may be worked out to lower prices of a number of staple foods—in line with an earlier announcement of Price Administrator Brown—will cut prices below the newly listed tops. Besides the products listed today, foods already under specific dollars and cents maximums at retail are pork products, for which every meat store, without exception, must display an official OPA poster showing its ceiling prices for individual pork cuts. Similar prices on beef, veal, lamb and mutton and soap will be announced within a week.

The list of top prices was worked out in the district OPA office operating under a wide grant of authority from Wash-

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

IN HAWAII—Robert G. Lyman,

son of Mrs. Mary Ann Lyman of this city, is in the Hawaiian islands. Bob is 18 years old and enlisted December 14, 1942. On completing his basic training at San Diego, he was sent immediately to Oahu for further training. He writes his mother and friends that Hawaii is very beautiful. In his last letter, he said he expects to be shipped soon to "parts unknown." He is a former student of KUH. To his mother, Bob sent this Mother's Day verse:

MOTHER
I know you're waiting, mother,
For what I have to say,
It's that I love you, darling,
And my letter's on its way.
I'm many miles across the sea
Yes, I am far away,
But every night I kneel me down
And this is what I pray:

God bless my darling mother
Protect her till the day
When I come marching home
again
The winner of the fray.
All my love,
BOB.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD FOR PEYTON

Memorial services for the late Oscar Peyton, well known Klamath Falls business man who died Friday in Portland, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home Monday afternoon, May 10, at 3 o'clock.

A reader from the First Church of Christ Scientist, will officiate. Friends are invited to attend. Honorary pall bearers will be Ed Ostendorf, Elbert S. Veatch, R. R. Macartney Sr., H. D. Mortenson, R. C. Groesbeck, J. Royal Shaw, Henry E. Perkins, H. E. Roskamp, Burge Mason Sr., and Paul O. Landry. Final rites will be held in Portland.

JACK HENRY NAMED EAGLE'S PRESIDENT

Jack Henry was elected president of the Klamath Falls aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, at the annual election of officers held Friday night.

Others named were J. G. Balthazor, vice president; Sid Herbert, chaplain; Walter Uppendahl, conductor; Andy Meek, secretary; Alfred Dooiey, treasurer; I. A. Baker, three-year trustee; M. M. Pernell, inner guard; Sam Ackerman, outer guard; Dr. Wayne McAtee, lodge physician.

Courthouse Records

Justice Court
Robert Blind, Assault and battery. Charge dismissed on motion of complaining witness. \$5.95 costs paid.
Alvis Roy Smith, Sodomy. Bound over to grand jury. \$5000 cash bail, committed.
Helen Hazel Paulson, Failure to procure operator's license. Fined \$5.50.

Wallace To Speak At Mother's Day Program at Eagles

The annual Mother's Day program arranged by the Eagles lodge will be given in the new hall at Ninth street and Walnut avenue, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The public is invited. Senator Lew Wallace of Portland will be the speaker of the day. Also present will be Bob Voorhees of Portland, state secretary of the Eagles lodge.

Mrs. Lucille Ruggie has been named Mother of the Day. All mothers of World War 1 and 2, will be honored on this day.

Insure your independence with a Bond. Hans Norland Insurance, 118 N. 7th.



His First Gift...

Each year Mother's Day will mean more to him. As the toddler grows into the boy, and the boy grows to the man, his tie of utter dependency will become an instinct to lighten mother's burdens

We want him to eat lots of our enriched bread, and grow up big and strong like daddy. We want mother to depend on Fluhrer's for her baking; to use our slenderizing (but vitamin rich) breads -- we want her to stay young and beautiful.

To those of us whose business is serving mothers, this day means much. Our bakery business, first, is built on taking the drudgery of baking day out of mother's life. More than that, it is built on providing scientifically balanced ingredients, to be made into breads and pastries in our modern bakery. We are keeping at the job.

Fluhrer's

KLAMATH'S FINEST BAKERY

Notice on Carbonated Beverage Bottle Deposits

Starting Monday, May 10, the deposit on all carbonated beverage cases and bottles will be 70c per case.

This step is made necessary by the glass shortage and the recent freeze of all pine stock, used for bottle cases.

Nehi Bottling Co.
Crater Lake Beverage Co.

DANCE EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT ARMORY
Music by **Baldy's Band**
Dancing 9 Till 1
Admission:
Women, 11c—Tax 9c
Total 20c
Men, 90c—Tax 9c, Total 99c
Service Men, 50c, Tax 5c
Total 55c