

# KLAMATH OPA OFFICE MADE FIELD STATION

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tricts in the region but one has a population of more than half a million. Reno is the only other office without that many people, and it is the only office in Nevada.

The war price and ration board change will be made in a few days, and the board will occupy the front space in the Balsiger building quarters. Meeting Wednesday, the board decided to make the change in connection with an over-all consolidation of OPA activities here as decided upon at the time of Gentner's visit.

"No Neglect," Says Chief  
Gentner said that it is not OPA's intention to neglect price control or rationing in this district. Field men from here will service approximately the same area covered previously by the district.

When the OPA first set up the district here, the district included the southern tier of Oregon counties and two California counties. Harney and Malheur were first cut off and added to the Boise district, and later Siskiyou and Modoc in California were added to the Sacramento district.

No announcement was made as to the personnel changes to be affected at the time of the change. Ed Ostendorf, district director for the office here, is expected to sever his connections with OPA at that time.

### NAMED WHIP

WASHINGTON, June 2 (AP)—Representative Arends of Illinois was elected republican whip of the house today to succeed the late Representative Englebright of California.

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is nearly always higher than the quality of the politician at home.

IN the Mediterranean, allied warships join the planes in bombarding the Italian fortress island of Pantelleria, between Tunisia and Sicily. They report enemy fire from the shore batteries as WEAK, and NO interference by the Italian fleet.

Mussolini's fleet is still saving itself for an emergency. THE fighting in the Kuban today is reported to be sharper, the Russians attacking with infantry led by tanks and the Germans counter-attacking. There is no hint, however, of anything decisive.

HARMONY among the French factions, which was reported a few days ago as on the way, appears to have been held up somewhere. Some sort of new ruckus is under way, with De Gaulle and Giraud still not seeing eye to eye.

It is highly probable that at the bottom of the trouble are politicians who are looking out for their jobs and their power.

ON the home front, nearly half a million coal miners are out and the war labor board has passed the situation over to the President for whatever action he may consider appropriate.

A 49-day supply of coal is reported on hand for the Eastern area as a whole, but steel mills say their operations will be curtailed "in a matter of days" if the shut-down continues.

THE general public is confused, but is quite certain the coal situation hasn't been handled as it should have been.

### OBITUARY

#### ANGUS ROUNDTREE WALSH

Angus Roundtree Walsh, for the last 23 years a resident of Klamath Falls, Ore., passed away in this city on Tuesday, June 1, 1948, at 11:30 p. m., following an illness of 10 days. He was a native of Jacksonville, Ore., and at the time of his death was aged 37 years 4 months and 11 days. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Walsh, of this city; two brothers, Clyde L. Walsh of this city, and Dr. Harry D. Walsh of Plainview, Tex.; one aunt, Mrs. Effie Cole of Seattle, Wash., and one nephew, Allen Cline of this city. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Pine street at Sixth, where friends may call. Notice of funeral to be announced later.

## BOARD CALLS FOR HALT OF NEGOTIATIONS

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violated the no-strike, no-lockout pledge, and defied a directive order of the board it is hereby directed that all negotiations between the parties on the issues referred to them by the directive order of May 25, 1948, in this case shall cease immediately until the mine workers return to work in compliance with the board's directive order of May 25, 1948. The board further notifies the parties that any agreement on the issues reached by the parties while the workers are on strike and under the pressure of this strike coercion will not be considered or approved by the board.

The board is referring this case to the president for such action as he deems appropriate.

Coal Diggers Quit  
Earlier, producers and Lewis started another conference with the expressed intention of going at the problem from the beginning. This was decided on after each side rejected the other's compromise offers yesterday when the second 15-day truce expired and 500,000 coal diggers quit work.

Interior Secretary Ickes termed their action a strike against the government. As fuel administrator, he has been operating the mines by presidential direction since the wake argument came to a stalemate May 1. Ickes, urging resumption of work, declared Lewis could not escape responsibility for the stoppage, and at the same time criticized "a few powerful operators" for what he called their uncompromising attitudes.

Steel Problem Rises  
Lewis said the government appeal to get the mines going again was a matter "to be given consideration."

Ickes estimated that only 49 days supply of coal lies above ground, and steel centers indicated their output would be affected seriously in a matter of days. A spokesman for U. S. Steel at Pittsburgh said production would be "very much curtailed in three or four days."

The futile negotiations yesterday resembled a duelling match with first one side and then the other thrusting forward, then retiring to a previous stand.

WASHINGTON, June 2 (AP)—Chairman Donald M. Nelson of

the war production board said today that "United States steel production will drop sharply late this week unless a flow of coal to steel plants is maintained, and practical paralysis of the war production program will follow any serious curtailment of coal supplies."

In a special statement to the press on the strike in the coal industry, Nelson said, "I am not involved in the coal dispute, as such, but I am seriously concerned about the devastating and inevitable effect of any curtailment of the flow of coal to industry upon our output of the weapons of war."

## TITUS JURY GOES ON TRIP TO BLY

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premeditated malice deliberately killed his wife, constituting a clear case of first degree murder. He added that the state felt that it had a good case to present and that the death penalty would be demanded should the defendant be found guilty.

J. C. O'Neill, defense attorney, briefly reviewed the past few years of Titus' life, telling how the defendant became acquainted with his wife and of the events leading to the killing. O'Neill said that the defense would not try to prove that Titus didn't shoot his wife, but would present evidence to show that the defendant was mentally deranged at the time and did not know the consequences of his act because of the continued strain he had been under the past few months due to the unfaithfulness of his wife.

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## LANDING RUSH FORECAST BY BOMBARDMENT

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said, and although there was some retaliatory fire from the shore in yesterday's daylight attack, the allies suffered neither damage nor casualties.

Once again, the double-barreled thrust pointed up allied control of Mediterranean waters without interference by the shorebound Italian fleet.

The communiqué said American warplanes also battered at Pantelleria and returned to the assault on Italy's other chief island strongholds of Sicily and Sardinia, hammering supply ships, railways, docks and a seaplane base.

Other war news at-a-glance: Battle of Atlantic—British admiralty chief says May was war's best month for number of axis U-boats sunk, more enemy submarines destroyed in last 12 months than in whole war period before; Berlin admits sharp drop in U-boat sinkings.

Russia—Red army fliers pound German airdromes, both sides probe for weak spots.

Italian headquarters, acknowledging the naval attack on Pantelleria, asserted that "immediate reaction by our artillery forced the enemy to interrupt the bombardment" and claimed that an allied destroyer was severely damaged.

"Repeated air incursions against the island caused heavy damage to buildings," the Italian communiqué said.

Naples Hit  
The fascist command also admitted that allied bombers heaped fresh destruction on the big supply port of Naples and two other Italian mainland cities, Portico and Paola, and struck at Palermo and Marsala in Sicily. Casualties were listed as eight killed and 33 injured.

In northern Europe, the RAF's big bombers apparently remained on the ground overnight after a week of record-breaking attack, while German night raiders bombed an East Anglian town in England and left 10 dead. Berlin identified the target as Margate on the southeast coast.

On the Russian front, Berlin and Moscow both reported heavy fighting in the Caucasus, where the Germans have been clinging desperately to a narrow coastal strip from Novorossiisk to the Kerch strait.

Berlin said the Russians were attacking with strong tank-led forces; Moscow said the Germans were counterattacking.

## Public Told of 5th Attack on Coast by Japs

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PORT ORFORD, Ore., June 2 (AP)—The public learned today of the enemy's fifth futile attack on the west coast, a sneak incendiary raid by a lone airplane more than eight months ago.

Believed launched from a Japanese submarine last September 28, the plane flew over the Oregon coast in early-morning fog so dense a forest service lookout was unable to see the ship although it droned directly by his tower on a mountain near here.

The lookout, Lauren S. Giebner, followed the sound of the motor as it moved northeastward. We heard a blast and saw a flash, as if a bomb had been dropped.

Giebner reported to forest headquarters and watched sharply for the fire. When the fog lifted two hours later, he spotted it in a heavily timbered canyon three miles away.

A crew of firefighters hiked two hours over rugged mountains to reach the blaze and bring it under control.

## BISCHOFF GIVEN NEW OPA OFFICE

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Jerome S. Bischoff, chief attorney for the local OPA office has received a new appointment as chief of lumber enforcement with the unit of the San Francisco office of the OPA. He will be stationed in Portland and will have charge of a district which includes Spokane, Seattle, Portland, Klamath Falls and Sacramento.

This is a new branch of the OPA set up because of complaints of violations to agencies of the government and purchasers. Bischoff will have charge of lumber regulations and is to have a staff of investigators under him.

Bischoff attended Reed college in Portland and graduated from Harvard Law school in 1934. He was formerly associated with Bischoff and Bischoff, a law firm in Portland. He also has been a municipal bond attorney for the PWA.

## Rationing Canned Milk Starts Today

WASHINGTON, June 2 (AP)—Rationing of canned milk began today on short notice.

The purpose, OPA said, is to reduce all non-essential consumption and to conserve limited supplies for infant feeding and for persons who require canned milk in special diets.

PINE TREE NOW! DOORS OPEN 1:30 - 8:45 Davis-Henreid Now, Voyager Claude Rains Gladys Cooper Latest News Events

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## WHITE HOUSE GETS PAY-AS-YOU-GO TAX

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first time in his life paying the federal taxes on his income as he earns it, either through a 20 per cent payroll levy which would go into effect July 1, or through quarterly installments made on the basis of his estimated net receipts for the year.

He will find, in most instances, 12 1/2 per cent added to the amount he expected to pay out this year in income taxes, plus an identical 12 1/2 per cent the following year, but those extra bills won't be due until March 15 of 1944 and '45.

He will find from 75 to 100 per cent of what he now owes in income taxes abated, but to him that will remain largely a bookkeeping operation until his income declines or until the second certainty—death—steps in. (He will never get any money back, just pay less at some future and uncertain date).

He will have to pay his June 15 installment on last year's income just as if congress had never considered changing the system that has existed since 1913.

All of this will be accom-

plished by technical provisions which would, as Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.) described it in the house when that body approved the compromise measure on a 286 to 114 vote yesterday, put into effect "75 per cent of the Ruml plan" for skipping a year's taxes.

## MEXICAN LABORERS WILL VIEW CIRCUS

Through the courtesy of the Tule Lake Growers association with the cooperation of the Klamath county chamber of commerce, the 71 Mexican laborers stationed at the farm supply center near Tulelake will be brought to Klamath Falls Thursday night to see the Pollack Brothers circus.

Since these men are from old Mexico, many of them have never seen a circus before and it will be a new experience for most of them.

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