

# Transport Tie-Ups Lead Continent's Labor Trouble List

The Associated Press transportation tieups plagued cities today amid labor disputes in the number of idle workers. Philadelphia entered its third day of complete public transit stoppage, looking for some action from the stoppage, and in the meantime, most of the city's population total of more than 2,000,000 was affected in Philadelphia and 4000 workers were affected in Montreal. The Montreal walkout, third in 18 months, developed a dispute over whether a shop provision applying to employees should be put in the contract between the company and the Canadian National Railway. The upgrading of eight negro employees to become operators was a spark which ignited racial tensions in Philadelphia beginning Tuesday. Window smashings and conflicts between whites and negroes were somewhat last night by a riot but 10,000 regular auxiliary policemen were duty, equipped with steel clubs and night sticks. Philadelphia numbers of Philadelphia Transportation Company employees voluntarily returned last night, but only for a few hours. Officials of CIO Transport Workers Union joined Mayor Bernard in pleading with employees to return to work. The strike called the stoppage "sabotage of our country's war effort."

Detroit continued as a center of labor trouble. The war labor agreement with CIO-United Workers spokesman that spoke of 4000 at the Kellogg Wheel company, was "checked," which the company said. The WLB ordered the company to resume work. The UAW attempted to end a strike of 7000 at the General Motors Chevrolet gear and division by naming an arbitrator to supplant 10 union officers. Union members voted a meeting tonight. A new dispute in Detroit involved 425 at the Briggs Manufacturing company, trouble over the wearing of identification badges. But 1000 work at the Wayne, Mich. Stinson division of Consolidated Aircraft company, returned to the job. Two thousand were out at Buffalo, N. Y., plant of the Phillips-Hershey company, striking airplane parts, 4700 at John A. Roebling's Sons company, in Roebbling and Union, N. J., and 4300 at the Great Steel Castings company, Granite City, Ill.

## War Census Set OPA Panel

PORTLAND, Aug. 3 (P)—The district OPA emergency tire panel called for a census of heavy truck tires in the state of Oregon dealers in a move to avert issuance of tire rationing when tires are not available. Edmond W. Eggen, district rationing representative, said similar inventories of dealers will be required each week. Dealers will list all new used heavy truck tires on hand and indicate the number which may be repaired and re-used for further use. The tire census was agreed upon after agency officials found that wholesale distributors of the state do not have sufficient tires available to honor certificates for August allotment of 1318. The war production board disapproved recently that 100,000 unneeded heavy truck tire rationing are circulating now.

ANNEX REQUESTED EUGENE, Aug. 3 (P)—Residents of the Chambers-Westland suburban district have asked the city of Eugene annex four square miles of their area. The need for sewer, water and other city services prompted the move, representatives of the district said.

Coming Attractions  
"The Idol of the Air Lanes"  
JAN GARBER  
Aug. 16

DANCE Armory  
Sat. Night  
9:00 'Til 1:00  
Baldy's Band  
FEATURING  
Paul Mary  
SWIGART MAHONEY

## Stalled Trucks May Be Common Sight, Predicts Hegness

PORTLAND, Aug. 3 (P)—Trucks stalled along Oregon roads will be an increasingly common sight under the OPA's 67 per cent cut in heavy truck tire allotments, predicted O. R. Hegness, chairman of the district OPA's emergency truck tire panel.

"Preliminary estimates indicate there probably will not be more than one new tire for each 50 running wheels," he said as the panel puzzled over how to meet the state's normal demand for 3000 truck tires with an August allotment of 1318. This month's quota will be distributed on the basis of issuance in previous months, Hegness said.

## ALUMINUM PLANT CLOSURE SLATED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3 (P)—The River Bank Aluminum plant, River Bank, Calif., will be closed by the war production board, congressional sources disclosed today.

They said the WPB now was sending official notification to plant officers and workers of the shut down. Reasons given for the action were:

1. Existence of an excess supply of aluminum.
2. The war manpower commission feels the plant's workers could be better utilized in that area, considered a critical labor region.
3. Alleged damages to surrounding vegetation from poisonous dust and gases from the plant had resulted in filing of many damage suits against the government.

The plant is operated by the Aluminum Corporation of America and owned by the Defense Plant Corporation. X-Ray Is Thief Catcher Diamond mines now use an X-ray device to detect gems stolen by workers. The ray makes the diamond glow green in the stomach if it is swallowed.

London Zoo uses 6 1/2 tons of nuts, 184,000 bananas, and 19,800 eggs annually in normal times.

## TRUCK TIRE RELEASE URGED BY ELLSWORTH

ROSEBURG, Aug. 3 (P)—Release of truck tires requisitioned for military purposes to avoid serious curtailment of the Pacific northwest lumber industry is being urged upon army officials at Washington by Congressman Ellsworth of Oregon's fourth district, he stated today.

Ellsworth said he had forwarded information concerning the plight of logging operators to Washington and had been advised that recommendations had been submitted to the army urging a revision of its demands in order that tires may be made available to keep logging trucks in operation.

Ellsworth also said he also had been informed that heads of several federal agencies have visited Akron, O., to expedite production of large sized truck tires.

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## BACHELORS LEAVE HIDDEN TREASURE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 3 (P)—Like pirates of old, two bachelor brothers left hidden treasure maps that have guided searchers to \$9000 in gold and silver coins in an old house they occupied for years here.

This is less than half of the sum one of the brothers once said they owned in gold alone, the Oregonian reports, and the maps indicate \$7000 to \$10,000 lies buried on the premises. But strict secrecy is maintained by the attorney handling the brothers' estate to avoid "volunteer" treasure hunters, the newspaper said.

## ESQUIRE STARTS SATURDAY

Box Office Opens 1:30 - 6:45

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Going My Way

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Two Girls and a Sailor

JUNE ALLYSON  
GLORIA DRAYTON  
VAN JOHNSON

HARRY JAMES  
JAVIER CUGAT  
and their ORCHESTRA

## LICENSING ORDERED

SALEM, Aug. 3 (P)—Attorney General George Neuner ruled today that faculty members at the North Pacific Dental college in Portland must be licensed by the state board of dental examiners.

In an old pair of trousers hanging in a closet was \$276, and an old safe that was not locked yielded \$300.

found in money bags in bureau drawers.

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## \$30,000 REALIZED ON SALE OF COMPANY

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 3 (P)—Over \$30,000 was realized on sale of property assets of the defunct Columbia Shipbuilding and Drydock company, Estes Snedecor, bankruptcy referee, said today. Cost of equipment at the time of installation was estimated at \$200,000 by Edward D. Kahler, trustee for the concern.

Woodbury company bid \$10,000 for tools and equipment at the Longview, Wash. plant, and Saunders, Hale and Jones bid \$3000 for the plant buildings. Various other bids were entered on separate items of machinery and equipment.

The Japanese mantis, while waiting to attack its prey, assumes an attitude of innocence and prayer, hence its other name, praying mantis.

# Shoe Sale!

## Rationed Shoes Released

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