

CROOK COUNTY FARMS DOWN, ACREAGE UP

The number of farms in Crook county as shown by the preliminary count of returns of the 1945 census of agriculture was 473, as compared with 495 in 1940, and 534 in 1935. This was announced today by R. L. Ackerman, supervisor for the 1945 farm census in the third Oregon census district with headquarters at Klamath Falls.

The total land in farms in Crook county, according to the preliminary 1945 census count, was 825,651 acres, as compared with 817,898 acres in 1940, and 705,008 acres in 1935. Average size of farms shown in the preliminary 1945 census count for the county was 1746 acres, as compared with 1652 acres in 1940, and 1320 acres in 1935.

In announcing the 1945 census totals of farms and land in farms, Supervisor Ackerman pointed out that the figures are preliminary and subject to correction. Final tabulations of census returns will be made by the bureau of the census and announced from Washington when completed, Ackerman said.

AUTHORITY TO TAKE BLOOD TEST UPHELD

SALEM, June 20 (AP)—The state supreme court, in a far-reaching 5 to 1 decision Tuesday, ruled that the state police had authority to take a blood test from an unconscious man to get evidence to prove he was drunk.

At the same time, the court said "we are not deciding that an accused can be forced to undergo a physical examination or to submit to a blood test."

The opinion apparently will bar the taking of blood tests from an accused person without his consent.

The case involved Carroll Loren Cram, convicted of manslaughter in Yamhill county a year ago. He was charged with reckless and drunken driving, two passengers in his car having been killed while he was driving them home from a dance. Cram was unconscious for 48 hours after his car overturned, and during this period, the blood test was taken.

The opinion, by Justice J. O. Bailey and upholding Circuit Judge Arlie G. Walker, said that taking of a blood test is classed under the same rules of evidence as taking of fingerprints.

RAIN BREAKS DROUGHT

MELBOURNE, June 20 (AP)—Heavy rains drenched southern and western Australia today, breaking one of the worst droughts in many years.

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Flashes of Life

SIGNS OF THE TIMES
NEW YORK, June 20 (AP)—Among signs that greeted Gen. Eisenhower as he passed through New York's garment district, were:

"Hail Eisenhower, who pressed the nazis flat—Pressmens' union No. 60."

"Hail Eisenhower, who cut the nazis up—Cutters' union."

"Hail Eisenhower, who finished Hitler off—Finishers' union."

TAME 'EM
HOLLYWOOD, June 20 (AP)—Police told Clark Gable, recently returned from shooting Germans, that he couldn't shoot coyotes, ground squirrels and blue jays with his .22 rifle.

Gable was told he'd have to find some other way to remove the scavengers which had taken over his ranch while he was in the army air force.

LAW ABIDING
MILES CITY, Mont., June 20 (AP)—County Commissioner Frank A. Spears tried every kind of fish lure in his kit. No luck. As a last resort, he fished into his pockets and pinned his last hope on the hook.

He caught a fish, a sucker. The bait: a red ration token.

SPEEDY
ANCHORAGE, Alaska, June 20 (AP)—When Police Chief Pete Kalamarides asked Dog Catcher Monty Clinton why he wasn't catching many, Clinton replied: "You know, Chief, those dogs were getting awfully smart. When I'd go after them, they'd run just beyond the city limits and you know I haven't any authority there."

SHORTAGE
HARLINGEN, Tex., June 20 (AP)—Several months ago Forest Dugat, Harlingen butcher, ordered a new meat saw. This week it was delivered.

Yesterday Dugat was trying to borrow a side of beef to practice on.

PLANS FOR DISPOSAL OF PLANTS NEEDED

PORTLAND, Ore., June 20 (AP)—The federal government must decide how it will dispose of wartime industrial plants before western states can make postwar plans, Gov. Earl Warren of California declared last night.

Here for today's conference to organize the board of inter-government relations, the California executive said, "the west coast has a lot of new industry, but the government controls its future."

"We can't make plans until we know what the government policy will be. It should be the function of this board to ask that the government declare itself," he said.

Warren's party of 17 state and city officials was met by Oregon Governor Earl Snell and Mayor Earl Riley. With Gov. Warren was Roger Lapham, mayor of San Francisco, who was to preside at today's meetings.

CONFERENCE OPENS
SEATTLE, June 20 (AP)—The Western States council's three-day light metals conference, which begins today, will be addressed Thursday at luncheon by F. T. Letchfield, San Francisco banker, Council President Christy Thomas said yesterday.

Purpose of the conference, Thomas said, is to create a postwar light metals expansion program for the west.

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THREE CARGO SHIPS SUNK BY AIRCRAFT

ELEVENTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, Aleutians, June 19 (Delayed) (AP)—Sweeps off the Japanese Kurile islands by 11th air force Liberators and Mitchells Sunday and Monday sank three small cargo ships, left another in flames and damaged three others.

Two B-24s broke off from a formation bombing Suribachi airfield, Paramushiro, and Minami cape, Shumushu, Sunday, when they sighted three small ships off Paramushiro and went in at 200 feet to sink two of them. One Liberator was shot down.

The following day, a Mitchell flight located four cargo vessels off Paramushiro and sank one, left another burning and severely damaged the remaining two.

Fleet air wing four Harpoons bombed shipping off Naga cape in Paramushiro strait on Monday by instruments. Results were not observed. The same day another flight of navy Harpoons bombed Suribachi airfield on Paramushiro, also with unobserved results.

BUILDING DESTROYED
NEWELL—A fire which occurred at the Tulelake WRA center farm at 11 p. m. Monday night destroyed a storage building, two trucks and one tractor. The building was being used for overnight storage of motor equipment. Damage cannot be estimated until the value of the machinery is known, WRA officials said.

CASE FOR ALASKAN ROUTE TO BE SHOWN

SEATTLE, June 20 (AP)—The case for a land route to Alaska from the Pacific northwest will be presented before the Pacific coast section of the council of state governments, meeting at Portland Friday, by the Alaska highway committee of the governor's advisory commission on progress and industry development, Kemper Freeman, committee member, said yesterday.

Reasons why early construction of a road west of the Rockies to Alaska is important to all Pacific coast states will be given by Donald MacDonald, committeeman and former Alaska member of the Alaska international highway commission named by the late President Roosevelt.

The northwest "took it on the chin by not being united and on the job when the army Alcan route was chosen," Committee Chairman Kirby Billingsley of Wenatchee, said. "That is all the more reason why the Pacific coast states and British Columbia should unite for a genuine highway now."

Glider Landings Set For Bond Show

PORTLAND, June 20 (AP)—Glider landings, mass parachute jumps, and snatch pick-ups of stranded troops will be staged at Portland airport Saturday and Sunday in a 7th War Loan show by airborne troops.

A flight nurse will demonstrate care of wounded in aerial evacuation ambulance planes.

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Small Businesses Neglect RFC, Report

PORTLAND, June 20 (AP)—The northwest's small business firms have neglected financial resources of the reconstruction finance corporation, the RFC board chairman told businessmen here.

Charles B. Henderson said small plants should begin to think about postwar plans now and not consider RFC loans as available only to large corporations.

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ST. PAUL RODEO PRIZES SLATED

ST. PAUL, Ore., June 20 (AP)—The St. Paul Rodeo association today announced prize money of \$7500 cash and a \$500 war bond for its annual show July 1-4—second largest purse in the northwest, outlasted only by the Pendleton round-up.

The war bond will be given to the rodeo's best all-around cowboy. Prize money includes

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\$250 each show for bronc riding, bulldogging, calf roping, and Brahma bull riding, with each event carrying \$1000 purses for the four days. Purses for wild cow milking is \$500; chariot race and pony express, \$200 each; St. Paul derby \$150.

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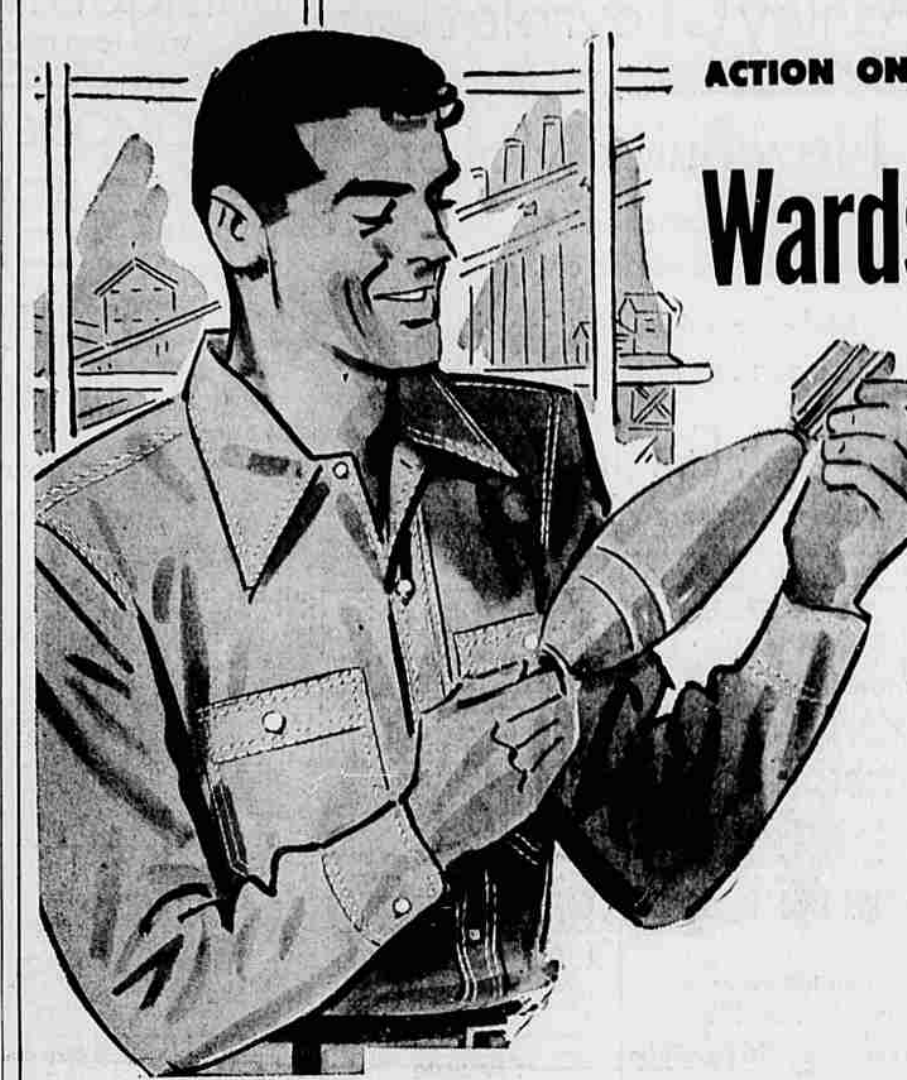
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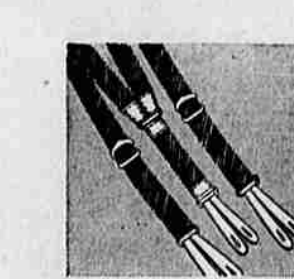
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