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Today's Roundup

A MILK famine is not a pleasant thing to contemplate, and all of us, including the dairymen, are glad that the milk strike here has been postponed and may be averted.



Under the new arrangement, dairymen will give the OPA until March 25 to complete its study of milk prices. If the OPA has not acted by that time, or if its action is unsatisfactory, it is presumed the strike threat will again be raised.

THE Oregonian takes the viewpoint that it takes more than talk and promises to provide educational facilities for Oregon war veterans. The Portland paper has endorsed the plan for an educational center at the Marine Barracks, and this week followed up a previous endorsement with the following editorial:

"Governor Earl Snell's unqualified indorsement of use of the Klamath Falls Marine Barracks as a two-year college for veterans should encourage the state board of higher education to accept the \$6,500,000 gift from the federal government as soon as details may be arranged. His position was taken after careful study of the offer, the facilities involved, the costs of conversion and operation. He gives assurance that funds shall not be diverted from the state's colleges, where every effort is being made to accommodate as many veterans as possible.

Klamath's Yesterdays. From the files—40 years ago and 10 years ago.

From the Klamath Republican March 8, 1906. G. K. VanRiper has sold his property in the Fairview addition of Bonanza to Louis Gerger.

From the Klamath News March 15, 1936. Chiloquin won the county debating title today for the seventh consecutive year.

Red Cross Picture—Members of Mrs. Bob Henry's residential canvass committee in this year's Red Cross drive for funds will meet tonight, Friday, at 7:15 o'clock at the city library auditorium.

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WASHINGTON, March 15—The official whisper sent to the senate behind the Hoover appointment to world famine relief played down the job as a mere survey. Inquiring newsmen were told the republican experienced and skilled world foodhandler was only to find out how much food was needed and how much was available—the job of a statistician or economist.

Immediately, however, the reigning world food reliever, Herbert Lehman of UNRRA was announced to be ill—whether from the news of the Hoover appointment or not. He offered his resignation to the world council of UNRRA opening Friday at Atlantic City.

These dovetailing circumstances lent credence to a natural interpretation that a complete overhaul of our relief efforts is at hand. Mr. Truman had earlier blackened the wheat content of bread, and his action took such swift effect that my baker this week began complaining that his flour had become grossly inferior, and that Mr. Truman did not know the severe effects of such an order. The quality of the loaf he gave me of this basic poor man's food certainly furnished evidence of a colossal mistake—or many of them—somewhere.

Displayed Different Approach I THOUGHT Messrs. Truman and Hoover, in later announcements, displayed a somewhat different approach to the matter. Mr. Truman asked the people to cut the use of wheat by 40 per cent and fats by 20 per cent and Mr. Hoover spoke of setting up "a circuit of helpfulness around the world." Both generally indicated by their words that they would appeal for voluntary cooperation by the people in a truly democratic way. This was in clear contrast to totalitarian methods of requiring conformance by economic tricks and the force-measures so familiar during the war, both of which we borrowed to a considerable degree from the Nazi and fascist ways. Officially it was said, for instance, we need not have rationing.

Personally I will say I will be able to avoid bread entirely, if the flour is to be corrupted to the extent of the last loaf I got. But as I say, bread is the poor man's basic food, the staff of life, and what I would like to see is the maintenance of its full quality for our people, and the feeding of famine victims to whatever extent is necessary.

I do not believe our food should have been—or should be used for political purposes, for buying support abroad, unless we have surpluses. Our contribution should be limited to what is required to relieve actual human suffering. Now as to statistics on this subject, I have found from experience that a politically minded person can get nearly any kind he wants, and a careful sincere man must guard himself to the utmost against being misled into false assumptions by social reforming statisticians. And, frankly, I do not entirely trust all the statisticians Mr. Truman inherited.

Reasonable Solution A REASONABLE and a democratic solution, with public support, seems possible to achieve, and a man of Mr. Hoover's experience should have a chance to work it out with the new Truman famine emergency committee. Certainly nearly anything could be expected to be an improvement on the Lehman administration of UNRRA. Those senators and representatives who have gone abroad the past year or more have returned with astonishing tales of its inefficiency. Mr. Truman tried to help some by giving the army much of the job, and congress was ready to cut off UNRRA appropriations. However, the UNRRA planners marshalled their forces and recently got their appropriations in substance, after a fight. But the completeness of UNRRA's failure is fully exposed by the very fact that Mr. Hoover had to be sought out by the president and a new committee created to undertake relief. This is the distance we have progressed toward reality from the initial program of the relief and rehabilitation theories embodied in UNRRA! At the beginning it painted visions of its ability to make the world fat and strong by curing its deficient diets with our surplus foods. Now we are down to relieving famine—if we can—and taking black bread ourselves. The world planners have encountered the facts of life in food as they did in foreign policy.

Courthouse Records. Marriage Licenses: NORWOOD-ELLIOTT, Jim L. Norwood, 24, laborer, Native of Oklahoma, Resident of Tulelake, Calif. Jennie Elliott, 25, housewife, Native of Oklahoma, Resident of Tulelake, Calif.

WEATHER. Eugene Max. 50 Min. 42 Precip. 50 Klamath Falls 41 42 00 Portland 63 40 01 Sacramento 63 40 01 San Francisco 54 48 Trace Seattle 49 36 21 Medford 47 37 12 Red Bluff 62 45 01

VITAL STATISTICS. LANE—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., March 14, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lane, Olene, Ore., a girl. Weight: 8 pounds 4 ounces.

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Market Quotations. NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—The direction was irregularly lower in today's stock market although here and there, favorites managed to edge into recovery territory.

Potatoes. CHICAGO, March 15 (AP-USA)—Potatoes arrivals 111, on track 190, total 301 shipments 1241. Old stocks supplies moderate, demand slow, market slightly weaker.

LIVESTOCK. DENVER, March 15 (AP-USA)—Saleable and total sheep 5000; market active; slaughter lambs strong to mostly 15 cents higher; common-medium heifers 10 lb wool Colorado \$15.50, largely memo; few flat; others grading mostly choice \$15.00-16.00; load good-choice \$15.00 memo; slaughter ewes steady; few \$7.75 down; 3 doubles wool lambs forwarded unsold.

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VIENNA, March 15—This little state of Austria is on a mighty tough spot, for her geographical position makes her a pawn in the great and dangerous re-adjustment of a balance of power which is going on in Europe. That is a personal tragedy for Austria. But for the rest of the world it is—or should be—a sharp reminder that the remodeling of Europe and Asia constitutes a peril to international peace.



Austria lies just within the strategic zone which observers generally have recognized as the Russians' minimum objective in their westward sweep across Europe. Moscow's tentative goal—as it emerged in the closing days of the war—was a line running from the strategic German port of Stettin on the north, southward to the head of the Adriatic. East of that line lay the enlarged Poland, Czechoslovakia and Austria.

The Muscovites have consolidated all that vast area with the exception of Austria. This country remains in occupation by the four allied powers, and so is neither fish, fowl nor yet good red meat. Large Red Force I understand, as reported in yesterday's column, that the Americans, British and French would like to terminate four-power occupation at an early date and turn the country over

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Dogs vs. Children To the Editor: Did you see the full page poem called "Rags" in the Los Angeles Examiner the other day? It was about a dog which died while undergoing what they call "vivisection."

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