

Americans Get Bigger Sugar Cut

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22 (AP)—The United States accepted today a division of the world sugar supply for 1947 which will give Americans an increase of about 17 pounds apiece over last year.

This country's share of the world's export supply, coupled with its own production, will provide a per capita supply of about 90 pounds of refined sugar this year. Consumption last year was 73 pounds, while usage in the 1946-47 period was about 80 pounds.

was made last year. The new agreement, representing the responsibility of the United States, was made last year.

of apportioning scarce foods among the nations of the world. The United States was granted 6,800,000 short tons, raw value, of a total world export supply of 14,986,000 tons. (The refining process diminishes raw sugar about 7 per cent.) This compared with 5,433,000 tons allotted this country last year and with an average annual per capita consumption of 6,700,000 tons.

Of the 1947 per capita supply of 90 pounds, individual consumers probably will get 35 pounds through ration stamps and the remaining 55 pounds in the form of candy, bakery products, other foods, soft drinks and similar products.

Last year the individual consumer ration allowance was 25 pounds.

BILL PASSED
SALEM, Feb. 22 (AP)—Bills increasing salaries of Klamath county officers and the Linkville justice of the peace in Klamath county were passed by the house Friday and sent to the senate.

The Solomon Islands were named because their discoverer, Mendana, created the legend that they had yielded the gold for King Solomon's Temple.

Supposed Meteorites Are Usually Common Stones

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During the past 15 years, nearly 1000 rock specimens suspected of being meteorites have been received from the western states and Canadian provinces by the present writer. Most have come by mail at very little expense, but several have been delivered by the owners in person after long and tiresome journeys. In the latter cases it has been most painful to all concerned to make the announcement that the samples were only pieces of sandstone, granite, lava or straw stack clinkers.

Out of the 1000, only three (0.3 of 1%) were the "real thing" the piece picked up by Jerry Best at Washington, Washington, the day after the noisy, daytime meteor of July 2, 1939, thundered over Portland; and two much-traveled specimens from the famous Arizona crater.

Meteorites, the objects that actually fall from the sky, are never light in weight and full of

holes like clinkers. They are solid and usually heavier than terrestrial rocks. The metallic is even heavier than iron. When freshly fallen practically all types are covered with a dark colored fusion crust, formed when the surface melted (during the fiery descent through the atmosphere) and later solidified. This crust is often no thicker than thin cardboard. After years of weathering, the crust may be entirely absent.

If the object found is irregular in shape and extremely heavy; remove a portion of the crust with a file. If silvery metal appears, the chances are good that it is a metallic meteorite, and it should be sent to someone qualified to make a chemical test. If both iron and nickel are found in the test, chances are fine. If a plane, highly polished surface is etched with dilute nitric acid and interesting criss-cross Widmanstätten figures (never found in terrestrial rocks) appear on it, the identification is complete. Since nickel is heavier than iron,

the meteorite alloy of nickel and iron will be heavier.

Stony meteorites, being lighter in weight, may not be as readily "sustained," especially if the fusion crust has weathered away, for they may then look like ordinary dull-gray rocks. But a plane, polished surface will nearly always reveal tiny silvery grains of nickel-iron alloy thickly sprinkled through the stony body of the object. Chemical tests showing iron and nickel usually complete the identification.

A third and intermediate type is the stony-metal, often called stony-iron. A plane, polished face shows a network of silvery nickel-iron alloy arranged somewhat like the comb in a cake of honey. Held in this network are candy-like crystals of the mineral olivine, which may be yellow, brown, red, green or even black. This type is the most beautiful, rare and valuable of all.

Only five meteorites have ever been found (and identified by authorities) in Oregon and Washington. Places, dates, types and weights are as follows: Port Orford, Oregon, 1839, stony-metal, 11 tons; Sam's Valley, Oregon, 1894, metal, 15.5 lb.; Willamette, Oregon, 1903, metal, 16 tons; Waterville, Washington, before 1929, metal, 75 lb.; Washougal, Washington, 1939, stony, 1 lb.

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Mrs. Roland Sturman is expecting word of the arrival of Major Sturman in the United States. The major is returning from Germany and expected to sail from Bremerhaven, Germany, the early part of February.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson and George Jr. are planning on leaving soon for a visit of several weeks in Arizona. While there they will be the guests of Mr. Stevenson's sister and family, the Cal Hoatsons.

Mrs. Rowe Kinney spent the week-end in Eugene visiting her daughter, Donna Kinney. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roper are expecting to leave shortly for a fortnight's vacation in California.

Mrs. Nona Corpening returned from a three weeks visit in Whittier, Los Angeles and Palm Springs, Calif., last Wednesday. Mrs. Corpening returned sooner than she had planned as her sister, Mrs. Daisy Hickman of Bonanza had the misfortune of a fall which broke her leg.

The many friends and neighbors of O. L. Brown are happy to know he is recuperating satisfactorily at Klamath Valley hospital where he submitted to a major operation last Wednesday. Mrs. Brown is staying at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ida Guines, in Klamath Falls during Mr. Brown's convalescence.

Bob Weir of Lakeview was a dinner guest at the Bill Marshall home on Sunday and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Jaeger of Condon arrived for a brief visit on their way to their home at Condon after attending the stock sale at Red Bluff, Calif.

Mrs. Curtis Gebhardt of Henley, accompanied by her brother, Nick Birk, visited at the Marion Barnes home on Sunday. They afterward went on to the Lloyd Crawford ranch in Langell valley to spend the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Reiling and children returned on Friday from a week spent at Brookings visiting with the Fred Reiling family and with Wilbur's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson. They reported lovely weather and good fishing.

Vet's Mail Bag

As a service to veterans in the community this newspaper will publish a weekly column of news briefs from the veterans' administration. For further information, veterans should contact or write their nearest VA contact office at Klamath Falls.

Amputee Veterans May Get Tractors
Amputee veterans who are eligible for a government-purchased vehicle may purchase tractors with accessories, within the \$1600 limit, the administrator of veterans affairs has ruled.

The VA pointed out, after carefully considering the wording of the law and the intent of congress as shown in the discussion preceding passage of the bill, that the law specifically names not only automobiles, but "other conveyances," including equipment which will aid the veteran in achieving his occupational aims.

The administrator said: "It appears that the act was intended to be of assistance in the case of a disabled veteran who is a farmer, where a tractor with suitable accessories is necessary to perform labor which he might formerly have been able to manage afoot with a horse and hand-operated equipment, and to permit him to offset the decrease in speed and ability normally resulting from an amputation and compete successfully, financially and otherwise, with able-bodied individuals in the business."

Question of the Week
Q. Where can I get information about readjustment allowances?

A. Inquire at a public employment office or at an office of the unemployment compensation agency in the state or territory in which you reside.

Pensions to Veterans
Description: \$80 a month, increased to \$72 after continuous receipt for 10 years, or upon attaining age 65.

Requirements: Total permanent disability, not necessarily service-connected. At least 90 days of active service with a discharge under conditions other than dishonorable, or less than 90 days only if discharged for line-of-duty disability. Annual income of not more than \$1000 if single, \$2500 if married or having minor children.

Pensions to Widows and Children
Description: Monthly payments. Widow alone, \$42; widow and one child, \$54; each additional child \$6. No widow but one child, \$21.60; 2 children, \$32.40; three children, \$43.20; each additional child, \$4.80.

Requirements: Service during war period, but death not due to service. Veteran at time of death was receiving, or entitled to receive compensation or retirement pay for service-connected disability, or at the time of death had a disability for which compensation would be payable if 10 per cent or more in degree.

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and had served 90 days or more with a discharge under conditions other than dishonorable or less than 90 days with a discharge for service-connected disability.

Widow must have been married to veteran within 10 years after termination of war. Widow's pension stops if she remarries, but pensions to children may continue until they are 18 or longer under certain conditions.

Payments may not be made to any widow with a child or children whose annual income exceeds \$2500, or to any widow without children whose income exceeds \$1000 or any dependent child with more than \$1000 income.

Note: This is the third in a series of brief summaries of benefits administered by the VA under various laws for World War II veterans, their dependents and beneficiaries. We suggest that it may be useful to clip this portion of the column for future reference. Next week we will cover national service life insurance.

When your fireplace is not in use, it can be dressed up with branches of evergreens and several giant-sized pine cones laid in the center of the hearth.

Army Planes Look For Missing Ship

LADD FIELD, FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Feb. 22 (AP)—Army planes from Ladd field and Elmendorf field at Anchorage searched the frozen wastes of northern Alaska above the Arctic circle today for an army air force B-29 superfortress, reported missing since yesterday on a photographic mission.

Army officials here said the plane's last radio message, received at Barrow, reported that the gas supply was low and a forced landing might have to be made. The number of crewmen and their names were withheld.

Tulelake

Chief of Police and Mrs. Frank Rhodes are spending a 10-day vacation in Sacramento with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rhodes, who is celebrating her first birthday during their visit.

March 1 has been set as the date for the annual fireman's ball to be given in the Legion hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lukes, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McVey, have arrived here to make their home. Lukes has just been discharged from the navy.

Veterans! These Can Be Sold on a 100% Loan!

Four new homes under construction in Summers Park. All for sale on G. I. loans, maximum loan cost \$26.50 (veteran must pay one 3-year fire insurance policy). These homes consist of 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room, utility room, kitchen and bath. Hardwood floors in living room, dining room, hall; inlaid linoleum in kitchen, bath and utility. Have automatic floor furnace, hot water heater. Built to FHA specifications, graveled street, one-third acre of good, irrigated garden soil. See these before you buy any home!

BRAND NEW HOME—Living room, dining room, two bedrooms, kitchen, bath and utility room. Inlaid linoleum in bathroom, utility room and kitchen. Hardwood floors in living room, dining room and hall. Has garage, is on a third of an acre just off Summers Park. Can be handled with \$1700 cash, balance on long term G. I. contract.
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