

Plans For Rationing Meats And Oils Set

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The government plans to ration meats, butter, margarine, cheese, lard and other cooking fats and oils under a single set of coupons in ration book No. 2.

This was learned Thursday from informed authorities who withheld use of their names and it coincided with the raising of the question of what has happened to the nation's meat supply in view of undenied reports that civilians will get an average of only about 1 1/2 pounds of meat weekly under rationing.

Each of the meat, butter, cheese and fat products is to be assigned point values, as in the case of canned and processed fruits and vegetables. The points will be interchangeable. That is, a consumer could use all his points for the purchase of any one of these commodities or for any combination.

Pecos Gets ---

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feet in the Waddell sand member of the Simpson, which underlies the McKee. On last gauge, after re-perforating 4 1/2-inch liner with 36 shots from 5,897 to 5,905 1/2 feet, the well swabbed 20 barrels of fresh oil in four hours. Waddell sand was topped at 5,937 1/2 feet.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Rooney Mercantile Company, deep wildcat nine miles northwest of Fort Stockton in Pecos, is reported still shut down for repairs at 5,406 feet. Formation at total depth was not disclosed.

Langlie Core Dry
Coring from 8,115-28 feet in a deep test in Southeastern Lea County, N. M., the R. Olsen Oil Company and Atlantic Refining Company No. 1 Langlie (Justis), recovered four inches of dolomite showing nothing. Operators are drilling ahead below 9,147 feet in dolomite. The well went into dolomite, possibly Ellenburger, at 9,110 feet.

Magnolia No. 20 State-Walton, North Central Winkler County wildcat between the Kermit and Keystone pools, is drilling Simpson shale lime at 9,548 feet.

An Ordovician test in extreme Eastern Winkler, Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 W. D. Blue estate, is drilling lime below 9,323 feet. Belfort Oil Company No. 1-W University, Ward County wildcat south by southeast of the Pyote and Magnolia-Sealy (South) pools, is standing bottomed at 865 feet in red rock, after cementing 8 5/8-inch casing at 778 feet with 225 sacks.

Moore Well To Shoot
John I. Moore and P. D. Moore, Midland operators, are preparing to shoot with 80 quarts from 2,377-98 feet in their No. 1-12 Shannon estate, Western Crockett County discovery prospect. Hole was bridged back to 2,398 feet from total depth of 2,567 feet in lime.

In the same area, the Moores' No. 1-21 Amerada-Shannon is drilling lime at 2,346 feet, and their No. 1 Amerada-J. S. Todd estate, an Ordovician test, has passed 6,441 feet in lime.

A proposed Ordovician test in East Central Reagan County, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-B Sawyer Cattle Company of Texas, is drilling below 3,655 feet in lime.

Ohio Oil Company is plugging back with cement to 7,875 feet in its No. 1 L. T. Clark, Southeastern Sterling County deep wildcat. It halted drilling at 8,488 feet in Ellenburger dolomite, where porous formation carried a strong sulphur odor, indicative of water. After plugging back, operator will drill-section test the Ellenburger section topped at 7,705 feet, and later may acidize that zone.

In Northwestern Sterling, Col-Tex Refining Company No. 1 W. N. Reed et al is drilling an unreported formation at 8,331 feet.

North Basin
Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 15 American Warehouse Company, scheduled 11,000-foot Ordovician test in the Cedar Lake Permian pool of Northeastern Gaines County, is drilling below 1,901 feet in red beds.

In extreme southwestern Yoakum County, Humble No. 1 Tannehill Brothers, Inc., et al, a scheduled 7,500-foot deep Permian test, is drilling at 760 feet in red rock, shale and sand.

Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1 H. D. Heath, Northeast Central Yoakum wildcat, is drilling at 6,837 feet in dolomite of the Clear Fork, lower Permian, topped at approximately 6,285 feet.

Fullerton Oil Company has cancelled location for its No. 1 E. M. Jackson et al, one-half mile east outpost to the Fullerton deep Permian pool of Northwestern Andrews County.

Cosden Petroleum Corporation, No. 1 Ida Anderson Smith, South-

Don't Forget Your Lunch



A look into this future world of ours shows how wifey might dash out with the lunch box as hubby is about to spin down to the office in his helicopter. This Army Sikorsky Helicopter is shown hovering in the air at Wright Field, O., where it is being developed.

British Subs Sink 7 Ships

LONDON — (AP) — British submarines in the Mediterranean have destroyed seven enemy vessels and damaged nine others, the Admiralty announced Thursday.

One of the submarines, it said, surfaced in the Gulf of Genoa near the Italian coast and fired on a shipbuilding yard, reporting that she "scored several hits with her explosive shells on two vessels on the stacks."

Another submarine operating close in shore shelled a train on a bridge.

Nine Ships Damaged
"In addition to these two successful actions," the Admiralty announced, "his majesty's submarines operating against Axis supply lines in the Mediterranean have destroyed seven more enemy vessels."

These included a large supply ship, a medium-sized supply ship, two small supply ships, a minesweeper and two tugs.

"Our submarines also damaged nine other enemy vessels, among which were a large tanker and a large supply ship."

Wool
BOSTON — (AP) — (U. S. Dept. of Agr.) — Sale of a small lot of bright quarter-blood fleece wool was reported Thursday at a grease price of 54 cents. There was a demand for all types of scoured wools and nolls at ceiling prices. A fair volume of Australian wool was purchased in the primary market.

HOUSTON MAY GET \$4,000,000 HOSPITAL
WASHINGTON — (AP) — Representative Thomas (D-Tex.) said Thursday a \$4,000,000 naval hospital in the Houston, Texas, area with funds contained in a naval appropriations bill pending in the House.

MRS. MORGAN DIES
BEAUMONT — (AP) — Mrs. Lucy Gardner Morgan, 72, of Hankamer, wife of a prominent physician and sister of J. Alvin Gardner, president of the Texas Baseball League, died of a heart attack Wednesday night. She will be buried Friday afternoon.

Bill Regulating Labor Unions Is Up For Approval

AUSTIN — (AP) — Apparently headed for final House approval Thursday was a bill—passed to third reading by a vote of 84 to 44—compelling labor unions to report their financial conditions and activities to the state.

One of the most controversial subjects of the general session of the legislature, the bill, by Reps. Durwood Manford of Smiley and W. W. Bridges of El Paso, split opinion of members into these opposing camps:

Labor, guaranteed protection under state and federal law, should accept reasonable regulation and responsibility to the public welfare.

Unions in Texas, big enough to protect themselves from outside racketeers, should not be penalized and robbed of rights for labor abuses committed outside of Texas.

Many Requirements
Among other things the bill requires that:

Written working agreements with employers shall be filed with the state and be available to the attorney general, state labor commissioner, grand juries, judicial and quasi-judicial bodies.

Financial reports, including income from fees, assessments and other charges—as well as expenditures—must be filed.

Officials, agents and organizers of unions operating wholly in Texas must be residents of Texas for at least two years. (The wording of this provision exempts railroad brotherhoods which are interstate in character).

Anniversaries Of Rotary Observed By Midland Club

Rotary's anniversaries were observed Thursday by members of the Midland Rotary Club at their meeting in Hotel Scharbauer.

Ily Pratt, who was the first president of the club here, recalled its history. Roy McKee told of Rotary's work and development in the United States, and Lester Grant told of the development and principles of Rotary International.

"Rotary must have a place in helping the new order after the war," Grant said in urging Rotarians to take an active interest in the writing of the peace.

Pratt told of the organization of the Midland club in January 1928 and of its work. Charter members of the club and past presidents were presented. Eleven of the 24 charter members still are members of the club, he said.

McKee told of the organization of the first Rotary Club in Chicago February 23, 1905. In 1910 sixteen clubs banded together and organized the National Association of Rotary Clubs. It expanded throughout the world into Rotary International, which now has about 175,000 members.

"Rotary is an influence of good throughout the world," McKee told the club.

Declaring the future is more important than the past, Grant urged Rotarians to keep in close touch with world affairs and to see that the right kind of a peace is written. "Rotary is building good will between peoples of the world," he told the club.

Percy Bridgewater, president, presided at the meeting.

Livestock

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle and calves were steady on the livestock market Thursday.

Slaughter steers and yearlings ranged from \$12.00-14.00. Good beef cows \$11.00-12.00; common and medium butcher cows \$9.50-10.75; bulls \$9.00-12.50.

Good and choice fat calves \$13.50-14.50; common and medium butcher calves \$10.00-13.00.

Good and choice stocker steer calves \$14.50-15.50; common and medium stocker calves \$10.00-13.50; stocker and feeder steer yearlings \$10.00-15.00.

Opening sales of hogs were strong to 15 higher than Wednesday averages; good and choice 190-300 lb. \$15.10-20; good and choice 160-185 lb. \$14.35-15.00. Packer sows steady \$14.25 down; stocker pigs steady, \$13.50 down.

Receipts in the sheep and lamb division were mostly lambs, and sold steady. Good and choice shorn lambs with No. 2 pelts \$14.25-50; fat ewes \$8.00 down; medium grade shorn feeder lambs \$11.50 down.

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Rotary is being rigged up at George P. Livermore, Inc. No. 1 G. C. Thomas, Southeastern Hockley County wildcat east of Ropesville. It was spudded with machine to present depth of 251 feet in red rock and 10 3/8-inch pipe was cemented on bottom with 125 sacks.

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