

Meat Shortage Being Eased

Meat (remember?) was scheduled to return to the butchers' cases yesterday as the OPA relaxed quotas permitting more normal sales. Packers were allowed to begin delivering meat under 1943 quotas at 12:01 a. m. Sunday.

OPA's order eases the meat shortage situation for the holidays by beginning the first quarterly quota period Dec. 20,

rather than Jan. 1, as originally decreed.

"It really means that the next quota period will be 101 days instead of 90 days," said Paul Cornelius, Los Angeles packer and a director of the American Meat Institute.

He and other packers warned that the supply for the quota period still will be about 50 per cent short of the demand.

Samuel Leask, Jr., OPA director in Los Angeles, is in San Francisco where he went to impress on officials there the seriousness of the Southern California meat shortage. He obtained the order from Wash-

Blood Plasma Aids Marines

Attention those who want to help the war effort!

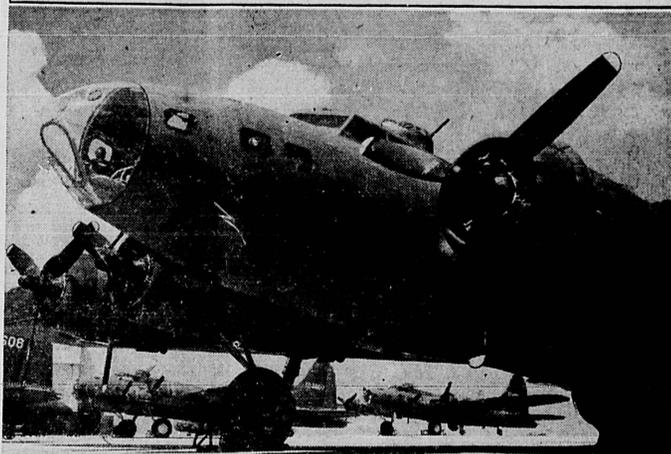
Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntyre, surgeon general of the Navy, attributes "the phenomenally low" mortality rate among wounded Marines on Guadalcanal to the Red Cross blood serums, sulfa drugs and flying ambulances.

Register now at the Torrance Red Cross branch headquarters, corner of Cravens and Post aves. for your donation of a pint of blood when the Mobile Blood Bank again visits Torrance Jan. 11.

In Curry County, Ore., where shells from a Jap sub landed, 33 school children collected 160,000 pounds of scrap, averaging almost 2 1/2 tons each.

ton, D. C., advancing the meat sale date after presenting statistics showing the December meat supply for this area was 25,380,000 pounds less than for the same month in 1941.

Democracy's Fortresses



* FROM Douglas Aircraft Company's blackout plants are rolling completely assembled or specially converted Flying Fortress bombers. These particular craft were built by Boeing, were given additional offensive equipment and increased fire-power at a Douglas plant "somewhere in America" before winging toward the fighting fronts.

21 Men Taken for Armed Service Out of Last Draft Contingent

Those of the 21 men who were accepted out of the 32nd draft contingent to be sent from this district who elected to take a week's furlough to complete their civilian affairs will enter Army service Saturday, the day after Christmas. One selectee failed to report at the Los Angeles induction station. He is said to be Antonio Garcia Acero of 2208 203rd st.

Men who were accepted for training, including Earl Philo Kent, Jr., 2007 Gramercy ave., and Paul Jasper Gehbart, 1841 West Palms Verdes Dr., Lomita, who enlisted in the Navy, were: Carl Joseph Gramling, 908 Cota ave.

Robert Lea White, 2364 Sepulveda blvd.

Lloyd Willard Kelly, 932 Sartori ave.

Leo Lewis North, 2213 Cabrillo ave.

J. T. Lytle, 1739 Western ave.

Vernon Joseph Lamphere, 1420 1/2 Marcelina ave.

Gordon Foster Arnold, 1632 Elm st.

Manuel Gutierrez, 2216 203rd st.

Merritt Michael Loney, 23836 Park st., WALTERIA.

Ray William Dobbins, 1410 218th st.

William Harold Turman, 1021 Cravens ave.

Orville Lee Whitacre, 2315 Carson st.

Robert Last Ray, 720 Acacia st.

Rex Martin Baker, 2411 Border ave.

Floyd Clyde White, 1342 W. 221st st.

Richard Harold Waitzman, 2550 Pennsylvania ave., Lomita.

Fred Edward Bischke, 24692 Moon st., Lomita.

Claude Leslie Wolverton, 2378 237th st., Lomita.

Brook Albert Lueck, 2410 229th st., Lomita.

Perry Day Nowlin, 25115 Lomita blvd., Lomita.

Charles Elwood Moore, 2105 Lomita blvd., Lomita.

Lomita Reports Holdup In Auto

Everett O. Friend of Lomita told San Pedro police late last week he was robbed of his wallet containing \$9 and his post-office watchman's badge by a man in an automobile.

Friend said he was walking to San Pedro when he was offered a lift at about 10:30 p. m. He said the driver of the car simulated a gun, claimed to be an

Letters to Editor

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The Torrance Kiwanis Club joins me in thanking you one and all for the fine cooperation and help you have given our club in the past year.

Your sincerely, (Signed) GASTON J. ARCO, President, Torrance Kiwanis Club.

"Air-conditioned" socks of a self-ventilating weave have been developed for American desert troops.

FBI man, searched him for a gun, took his wallet, kept driving around until 4:30 a. m., finally allowing him to leave the car in Harbor City. He walked to the San Pedro police station.

TO BEVERLY HILLS Mrs. John A. Shidler and baby daughter, Margaret, Mina, left last Friday for the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret DeCamp where they will remain for the duration. Mrs. Shidler is at home at 805 N. Linden ave., Beverly Hills. There is a shortage of rubber but the American people have an abundant substitute and that is courage.

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Carve Right and Save!
1. Don't roast the turkey overdry . . . or you'll waste by "hunk" servings instead of dainty slices.
2. Use a sharp knife and stand when carving.
3. Plunge fork into middle of the V formed by the wishbone and slice systematically . . . carve one side entirely before starting on the other side.
4. Slice parallel to the bone.

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Deadline for Tire Inspection Is January 31

Deadline for initial inspection of tires and wheels of vehicles operated by gasoline rationed home-front motorists falls on Jan. 31, 1943. Required under the nationwide gasoline rationing regulations, the inspections, carried on by official inspectors, are periodically spaced throughout the coming year.

Following the initial inspection period ending Jan. 31, holders of "A" books must have their tires and wheels inspected and approved every four months, with a 60-day interval between inspections. Holders of "B" and "C" books must have inspections every two months, with 30 days elapsing between inspections. Simple inspection fees cost 25 cents for each private passenger vehicle, providing wheels do not have to be removed in the checking process. When tires are dismantled for inspection purposes, a labor charge not to exceed 50 cents per tire may be assessed by the inspectors. Conservative estimates calculate that it will cost the American motoring public over 56 million dollars to abide by the regulations calling for the periodical tire and wheel inspection checkups.

NEW POSITION
Dave U. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. White of 2364 Sepulveda blvd. flew to New York City Sunday evening where he will serve as a Vultee Aircraft executive in their materials control branch. White has been employed by Vultee for the past two years.

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