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## SALVAGE 'ROUND THE STATE

SILVERTON - A Sunday salvage drive staged October 1 by Reeves Post No. 7, American Legion, cooperating with Silverton Salvage Committee, netted 20 tons of waste paper for war effort. Leaders of campaign were Arthur M. Gottenburg, chairman of Legion committee, and Dr. A.L.V. Smith, Silverton salvage chairman.

PORTLAND - Under sponsorship of Multnomah County Salvage Committee, of which Hamilton F. Corbett and Mrs. Frederic W. Young are chairman and chairwoman, respectively, Portland and Multnomah County grade and parochial schools concluded one-week tin can campaign October 13. This week the county's beverage companies were picking up cans and loading them into gondola cars for shipment to the detinning plant at South San Francisco, Calif. Altho shipments for current campaign have not yet been completed, it is expected not less than 6 carloads, approximating 100 tons of cans, will be sent to war as result of county's first collection of current school year.

GRANTS PASS - Streets of Grants Pass were alive with children recently when 800 pupils and teachers from four grade schools hurried to local theatre, carrying bundles of paper in collection sponsored by American Legion in cooperation with Josephine County Salvage Committee. Bundles were exchanged for seat to witness historical picture "Birth of a Nation." According to W.C. Allen, county salvage chairman, more than two full truckloads of paper resulted from "salvage movie."

LA GRANDE - Visiting State Salvage office the other day, L.A. Bohnenkamp, chairman of Union County Salvage Committee, reported paper campaign progressing nicely. Central receiving depot has been established at La Grande to assure continuous collections while another in series of periodic residential pick-ups is scheduled soon under joint auspices of salvage committee and Junior Chamber of Commerce. La Grande also now has accumulation of approximately six tons of tin cans ready for pooling with collections of another county and shipment to detinning plant at South San Francisco.

PENDLETON - Umatilla and Morrow County Boy Scouts, under leadership of Kenneth W. Hick-bottom, Regional Scout Executive, loaded out 67 tons of paper in recent drive.

FOREST GROVE - A "rigged-up" hay baler was put to effective use by Harry Bartlett, Forest Grove salvage chairman, in a recent city-wide waste paper drive conducted by the salvage committee, members of local Legion post and grade school children. Much paper which ordinarily would have been lost for salvage was compressed in baler and made available for shipment. The collection netted more than 13 tons of paper. Drive chairman was Mrs. H. E. McGraw.

THE DALLES - At a Wasco County Salvage Committee meeting held ten days ago, plans were laid for first intensive tin can collection this fall. Loading and shipment of the cans is scheduled for October 24. This week window displays on both tin and waste fats were being arranged in Dalles stores, calling attention to importance of these materials in war effort. Arrangements for displays were made by Mrs. Orville Gibson, county salvage chairwoman.

### PAPER SALVAGE FUND PROVIDES FREE SHAVES

LEBANON - Members Grade 6B, Queen Anne School, had \$2.69 in fund created by paper salvage efforts. They were eager to speed their money on its way to worthy service organization.

Without counsel from their teacher or parents, the youngsters chose USO club in Albany as object of donation. The money has been placed in a shaving cream and lotion fund maintained for camp soldiers' free shaves.



## S A L V A G E ' R O U N D T H E S T A T E

ALBANY - First fall collection of tin cans is now progressing in Linn County and will continue until November 15, according to Roscoe Ames, county salvage chairman...Cans gathered subsequently will be stored pending pooling with those of another county for shipment in carload lots...Regular monthly waste paper collections are order of day in Albany where high school band is cooperating with salvage committee in this phase of program, Chairman Ames reported during recent visit at State Salvage office.

OSWEGO - Under leadership of Mrs. Hortense Slocum, vice-commander, salvage department of Oswego-Lake Grove Civilian Defense Office can look with pride on one of outstanding salvage jobs of state during last two years...Operating on continuous collection basis, Oswego salvage committee and defense council has gathered 136 tons of paper, two tons of discarded clothing and more than full carload of tin cans during above period....Collection not only has contributed greatly to war effort but has made possible purchase of \$2,000 in war bonds from sale of salvage materials..."Continuity" is one of major keys to our success," writes Mrs. Slocum who says "with one exception we never have had any set drives. We just collect all the time and every day of every week residents of our area are bringing in their salvage contributions to our permanent salvage depot."

CONDON - Prize money is being offered to various grades of Condon school in Gilliam County paper salvage drive now underway, it is announced by Earle Brown, principal....Leader of campaign is Mrs. N.D. Schmaltz, county salvage chairwoman.

PORTLAND - Extensive use of War Production Board's Paper Trooper Materials in Portland city schools is reported by Principal H.B. Dorman, chairman of war activities committee for School District No. 1...Adapting awards to fit individual programs, schools are finding PT-materials real incentive in collection of paper by elementary students...Some other counties now utilizing campaign emblems, chevrons and certificates of merit in schools include Columbia, Josephine and Yamhill.

OREGON CITY - Mimeographed educational pamphlets, calling attention of students and parents to continued need for tin cans and proper methods of preparing same recently were distributed by Clackamas County Salvage Committee and J. H. Van Winkle, county chairman, to all schools of area...A tin can drive is scheduled for Clackamas County in near future, the chairman reports.

CLATSKANIE - Boy Scouts conducted a house-to-house canvass for salvage in this community early in October, gathering 5 tons of waste paper and better than 500 pounds of tin cans, reports V.L. Shepard, Clatskanie salvage chairman who arranged the collection.

REEDSPORT - A full carload of waste paper was collected and shipped in a two-day salvage drive recently completed here under sponsorship of Reedsport American Legion Post No. 62...."Footwork" was done by Boy Scout and Youth organizations of area while one enterprising Legionnaire even utilized a railroad "speeder" to bring in several loads of paper from different sections of S.P. line.



## S A L V A G E ' R O U N D T H E S T A T E

HILLSBORO - Citizens of Washington county will be given another opportunity to avenge Pearl Harbor - this time by throwing prepared tin cans at the Axis, it was decided at county-wide meeting of salvage, civilian defense and school leaders held at Hillsboro, Wednesday evening, November 8. At meeting plans were laid for intensive Washington county tin can drive during week of December 4-7, inclusive. School children will be principal collection medium with trucks donated by bottlers and Washington county court scheduled to pick up cans from schools December 8 for loading and shipment to San Francisco detinning plant. Prior to and during the drive, it will be particularly emphasized that "Pearl Harbor Day" also will be Washington County "Tin Can Day."

LA GRANDE - Twenty-six tons of waste paper, destined for war usage, was shipped from La Grande the first week in November, as result of successful campaign conducted by La Grande Junior Chamber of Commerce, together with county and city schools cooperating with Union County salvage committee and L. A. Bohnenkamp, chairman.

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### BATTLE RAGES ON LANE-MARION COUNTY TIN CAN FRONTS

SALEM - A heated contest between two Oregon counties - Lane and Marion - developed last week when Gardner Knapp, energetic Marion county salvage chairman, wired J. J. Kamerman, equally energetic Lane county salvage chairman at Eugene, offering to wager \$25 war bond that Marion would collect and ship more tin cans than Lane county during respective November drive dates. The challenge was accepted "on the spot" by Mr. Kamerman in behalf of Lane county and now the battle rages.

Lane county's tin drive through schools is in progress this week while Marion county has scheduled its campaign - also through schools - for November 27 to 30, inclusive. Estimated populations of the two counties are almost identical, adding further interest to campaigns. Rules of contest provide that war bond will be given to any organization or charity which winning county may select.

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DALLAS - Another county-wide tin can and waste paper drive was planned for the latter part of this month by the Polk county salvage committee at a meeting held Friday evening, November 3, in Dallas city hall with Mrs. J. A. Inglis, county chairman, presiding. Howard Hall was named chairman of paper drive while Josiah Wills, county school superintendent, and S. E. Whitworth, Dallas city school superintendent, will join with Mrs. Erle Fulgham, county salvage chairwoman, in organizing tin can collections through schools. The salvage committee voted to meet regularly on the first Friday evening of each month.

PRINEVILLE - Seven tons of waste paper were collected by the Prineville Lions Club in a city-wide pick-up conducted here late in October, it is reported by Ray Moore, Crook county salvage chairman. Collections are continuing pending shipment of a carload of paper in the near future.



## S A L V A G E   '   R O U N D   T H E   S T A T E

ST. HELENS - Approximately 10 tons of waste paper was collected by grade school students of this area in drive held late in October, reports Otto H. H. Petersen, chairman of Columbia County Salvage Committee. Schools participating were Warren, McNulty, Bachelor Flat, Yankton, Columbia Heights and Columbia City.

PENDLETON - A Umatilla county tin can drive culminates here December 2 when cans gathered in Pendleton, Milton-Freewater, Hermiston and other communities will be shipped to San Francisco detinning plant. An estimated 6 tons of cans from Union county also will be voluntarily transported to Pendleton by Harry Weimer, La Grande, city salvage chairman and operator of a La Grande truck line, to be added to shipment. Umatilla drive is under joint leadership of Arthur S. Foster, county salvage chairman, and K. W. Hickenbottom, area scout executive. Boy Scouts will make curb pick-up of tin cans from Pendleton residences Saturday morning, December 2. Supplementing curb collection, centrally-located "tin can depot" is now open in Pendleton where citizens may deliver cans any time prior to shipping date. Collections in county's outlying districts are in charge of salvage committees and scout troops, working with schools, newspapers and assisting organizations.

SEASIDE - A waste paper drive conducted Saturday, November 11, under sponsorship of Seaside high school girls league resulted in collection of 19 tons of this material for war effort, it is reported by Emil W. Leppla, chairman of Seaside salvage committee.

COOS BAY - Shipment of another carload of prepared tin cans to detinning plant at San Francisco was announced November 15 by Mrs. Dean P. Crowell, chairman of women's activities for Coos county salvage committee. Cans so shipped were from accumulations being constantly assembled in permanent salvage depots located in all key communities of county. In reporting collection, Mrs. Crowell acknowledged "particular debt of gratitude" to Lt. J. J. Coughlin of North Bend auxiliary air base who assigned 20 men from air base to assist in loading the car. It was fourth carload shipment of tin from Coos county since beginning of program in 1943 and the third to be shipped to war from Coos Bay area since start of the current year - a record which ranks as one of best in entire state on a pounds per capita basis.

MCMINNVILLE - Through arrangements recently completed by Louis Courtemanche Jr., chairman of Yamhill county salvage committee, a county-wide tin can drive will be conducted by city and county schools during week of December 4 to 8, inclusive, with cans to be picked up from school buildings on Monday, December 11, and assembled at McMinnville for shipment in carload lots. School participation in drive for outlying communities of county is under leadership of Lynn Gubser, county school superintendent, while Frank Fagan, McMinnville city school superintendent, is in charge of campaign for McMinnville schools. Local salvage committees throughout county are cooperating with school administrators in collection.

EUGENE - One full carload, comprising approximately 20 tons of tin cans, was shipped from Eugene November 17 as result of Lane county drive conducted through schools, Granges, and Parent-Teachers associations. Cooperating beverage companies picked up cans from schools and handled the loading for shipment which marked sixth carload of tin sent to war by Lane County Salvage Committee since inception of program early in 1943.



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UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene - Students' spare time at campus living organizations recently was spent in preparing tin cans for salvage, bundling waste paper and making used fats available for mid-November "scrap" drive...A reward of \$5 worth of phonograph records was offered to fraternity or sorority house reporting largest collection during campaign.

TILLAMOOK - Shipment of Tillamook county's second carload of tin cans during current year will be made within next three weeks, following completion of county-wide collection through schools, scheduled for December 4-15, inclusive. Adding incentive to collection are cash prizes which will be awarded by county salvage committee and Chairman David H. Kennedy to schools bringing in most cans during drive period. Assisting schools in publicizing campaign are Mrs. Fred Christensen, chairman of women's activities for county salvage committee, and local salvage chairwomen in each community of county. Pick-up of cans from schools will be made by trucks furnished by county court December 19 and 20. Can collections have been on more or less continuous basis in Tillamook county since inception of program. A tin can depot, now holding more than half carload of tin, is located at county fair grounds where civilian cans as well as large quantities of cans salvaged by Tillamook Naval Air Base are deposited and stored pending shipment.

REDMOND - Seventy-four hundred pounds of waste paper was shipped to salvage headquarters from Redmond during week of November 13, according to Maurice Roberts, chairman of Redmond salvage committee. Collection was in charge of Chester E. Weed and George R. Taylor, with Boy Scouts helping to tie all bundles prior to shipment.

WEST SALEM - Supervised by Mrs. Van Senten, principal, students of local schools recently completed highly successful paper drive, according to W. C. Heise, local salvage chairman. On November 20, students launched a tin can drive which was to continue through November 30. Circulars, providing instructions regarding proper preparation of cans, were distributed through schools prior to drive.

PORTLAND - On November 30, Portland city schools completed first "cycle" of waste paper collections for current school year, reporting receipts in amount of 855 tons. Fall campaign - aided considerably by general use of WPB Paper Trooper Materials - boosted collections by Portland schools to grand total of 4,854 tons since September, 1943, it is reported by J.W. Edwards, assistant superintendent. Heading up the highly-successful program has been War Activities Committee of School District No. 1, comprised of the following principals: Hugh B. Dorman, chairman; Gibson Bowles, Maurice Weiss, F.V. Magaurn, David Wright and Charles Lewis.

FLORENCE - Nearly 20 tons of waste paper for war effort soon will be transported from Florence to salvage center in Eugene. Bulk of collection was result of drive conducted by students of Siuslaw Union high school, under direction of Principal Lee Weber, reports J.J. Kamerman, Lane county salvage chairman. Four classes of the school were entered in contest to determine which could gather most waste paper, with following results: Seniors, 4,823 pounds; juniors, 4,148; sophomores, 5,553; and freshmen, 4,348.



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ROSEBURG - Students of Roseburg high school, cooperating with Douglas County Salvage Committee, collected and loaded for shipment more than 20 tons of waste paper in a recently-concluded one-day salvage drive. The successful effort was organized under direction of O.J. Monger, high school principal; Paul S. Elliott, city superintendent, and E.G. Nolte, waste paper salvage chairman. City of Roseburg was divided into two districts and the class producing least amount of paper was required to entertain groups having larger collections.

SALEM - Two heaping carloads of tin cans were shipped from Salem, December 4, following completion of highly successful tin drive jointly conducted by Marion and Polk county salvage committees. Leaders of Marion county campaign were Gardner Knapp, county salvage chairman, and Glenn Neisner, general drive chairman. City and county schools and cooperating local salvage committees arranged collections in each Marion county community, ably supported by intensive newspaper and radio publicity. Civilian Defense block wardens and all Granges of county participated by urging general public to take cans to nearest school during drive dates. Pick-up of cans from schools and loading for shipment was in charge of volunteer bottlers.

DALLAS - In Polk county, Mrs. J.A. Inglis, county salvage chairman, and Mrs. Erle Fulgham, chairman of women's activities for the county salvage committee, joined with school administrators in organizing tin collections for joint drive. In addition, special curb pick-up of both waste paper and tin cans by Boy Scouts was conducted in Dallas during week of campaign under direction of Howard Hall, county salvage committee member. Collection of cans from schools in outlying communities was made by trucks and operators furnished by Polk county court. Publicity featured a full page ad sponsored by county salvage committee in leading newspaper, calling attention to need for both paper and tin cans in war effort and current methods of collection. The combined Marion-Polk county shipments marked the seventh and eighth carloads of tin sent to war from these two counties since inception of program early in 1943.

AMITY - This is another community where continuous collections of salvage materials are reaping gratifying results. Under direction of J.L. Lorenzen, local salvage chairman, a permanent "downtown" salvage depot is established in Amity where citizens can deliver their bundled waste paper and prepared tin cans six days out of every week. "People soon get the habit of leaving their salvage at the depot whenever they come to town," asserts Mr. Lorenzen who is owner of a meat market and grocery store in Amity. "And they turn it in in remarkably good shape, too."

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