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NEW PRICE CEILINGS WILL CUT FOOD COST HERE

Admiral Calls on Sullivans New Waterloo Ration Board

GIVES PARENTS OF FIVE HEROES NAVY'S THANKS

Midwest Big Factor, States War, Says Young, Chief of Supply Bureau.

One of the high ranking officers of the navy, a rear admiral, and his party called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Sullivan, 98 Adams street, Saturday night and paid his respects to the parents of the five | Sullivan brothers who gave their lives for their country.

The distinguished navy official, who greeted the Sullivans was Rear Admiral William Brent Young, supply corps, of the United States navy, who is the paymaster general of the navy and chief of the bureau of supplies and accounts.

It is his responsibility to do most of the buying, keep the books and any longer, because I have dispay the bills for the navy-to see covered that admirals are human to it that America's fighting forces beings and possibly the most affoat have the supplies they need, human among them is Admiral when they need them and where Young He sat down at our dinner they need them

Thanks Couple for Tour. Admiral . Young extended the the platter when no one was look-

thanks of the navy for the speak- ing. ing tour which the Sullivans had made in behalf of war production, after he had expressed sympathy for the sacrifice they had made in giving five sons. Rear Admiral Young was intro-

duced to the Sullivans by Patricia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vivian W. Johnson, 1220 Washing-

They greeted Admiral Young and his party graciously, explaining that the house was somewhat upset with floor varnishing op-

The admiral said he realized that they hadn't had much time to get such things done as they had been I am fully aware of the fact that so busy helping to boost war production with their talks to war I have met a great man, a great workers thruout the nation.

Mrs. Katherine Sullivan, widow of the United States at war. And of Albert, youngest of the five Sul- it is an honor that I cannot easily livan brothers, who is recovering forget. from an illness, also was greeted by Rear Admiral Young.

"How Are We Doing?"

In an interview, Admiral Young told of one of the young officers serving in his bureau, who was assistant supply officer aboard the cruiser San Francisco, when she was making naval history in the South Pacific. Speaking of this incident, Rear

Admiral Young said:

"The day the Japs hit the San ice building Wednesday, Thursday Francisco with everything they and Friday, July 14-16, Miss Bercould throw and she took it until tha Mac Dimmitt, food director of she landed the knock-out punch. this young officer stumbled over a Bureau, announced yesterday. close friend and shipmate, who had been disemboweled on deck by a Jap shell fragment. "'How you doing, Bud?" our

young supply officer asked him.

"'I'm doing all right,' came the reply from the mortally wounded man; 'tell me, how are we do-

"In his dying moments," Rear Admiral Young said. "that boy wasn't thinking of himself, only of his ship and how 'we' were doing-that is the spirit of the navy."

Midwest Big War Factor.

"This great midwestern region is up to its neck in this war, From my point of view, I know of no other section of this nation that may contribute more importantly to our united war effort.

"As this war progresses, it becomes more obvious to everyone that the matter of supplies is the decisive factor.

"The complex problems of procuring and transporting supplies must be solved before military action can be carried to successful conclusions.'

Visits S. C. Kimm.

Admiral Young visited with S. his attorney, following an exchange Conrad Kimm, cashier of the Denver, Ia., Savings bank, Kimm and the admiral were formerly stationed | SEABEES' RECRUITER together in the navy at Philadelphia during the first world war.

Admiral Young had been at Kansas City in the matter of supply work for the navy and stopped at Ames to attend graduation exercises for the navy training school for cooks and bakers. On his way east he stopped to visit with his old friend, Kimm. He and his party were also entertained at the Vivian Johnson home in Cedar Falls.

Accompanying Admiral Young was his aide, Lt, F. Lowell Lawrance. They left early Sunday for Chicago, where they were to take a plane for Washington, D.C.

Renewal of Free Swimming School Planned; Call Made for Volunteer Instructors

Plans for renewal of free swimming instruction classes here -sponsored jointly by the management of Falls Avenue pool and the Waterloo Daily Courier-were announced yesterday. The classes, to be conducted in Falls Avenue pool, would be open to

to Dinner, Helps

By PATTY JOHNSON. Courier Staff Writer.

Rear Admiral William Brent

Young, United States navy, chief

of the bureau of supplies and ac-

counts and paymaster general of

But, somehow, all that distinc-

tion is not a matter of importance

table and ate chicken with his

He helped to clear the table

because we have no maid nowa-

days; and when we left the

kitchen, he and his aide, Lt. F.

L. Lawrence, washed the dishes

He is human, this admiral, and

he is a big man to fit a big job.

he tips the scales "at 380 pounds."

Dehydrating to

Be Subject of

Demonstrations of the dehydrat-ing of fruits and vegetables, brin-

ing of vegetables and pickling will

be given in the Iowa Public Serv-

ers and using gas ovens will be

All interested women in Waterloo

and surrounding territory are invited to attend, said Miss Dimmitt.

Meetings will be held on all of

hree days at 1:30 p. m. On Thurs-

day an additional session will be

Seeking Divorce;

Charges Adultery

Soldier Overseas

vorce on grounds of adultery.

petition states.

of letters.

terday.

in the Seabees.

still in demand.

He and Mary Kathryn Clemens,

Jackson, Mics., Dec. 31, 1941, the

Clemens' case was filed here by

Warrant Officer H. Joseph

cruiting offices in the Federal

building from 10:30 a. m. to 4

p. m. Monday, it was announced

terview men seeking enlistment

demonstrated.

Special School

at least six feet three

and stacked them neatly.

the navy.

a need.

Wash the Dishes

youngsters, 5 years old and more, and to adults during morning hours. In announcing plans for the free classes, sponsors issued an appeal _for at least six volunteers to serve as instructors and for volunteer **Admiral Comes** boys and girls to help at the pool in checking swimmers' clothing or

to assist in directing younger members of the swimming school. Ask Speedy Signup.

Without the instructors, the school could not be conducted successfully, it was emphasized. The pool has lifeguards, but they

are on duty long hours daily dur-Last night an admiral came to not be expected to handle classes my house for dinner. It isn't during morning hours when the every day that an event such as free swimming instruction school that takes place in the life of an ordinary Iowa family, but he was a real admiral and his name is

Those who wish to volunteer their services as instructors should contact J. H. Shanks, Falls Avenue pool proprietor, any day between noon and 6 p. m. at the

In other years, when the free swim classes were offered, as many as 700 persons took advantage of the instruction to learn at least the fundamentals of water safety.

Would Finish Summer. Date for opening of the 1943 school will be dependent upon the

fingers, and sneaked the pieces off speed with which instructors and helpers volunteer their services, sponsors announced. Classes would run until

Sept. 1, Shanks said. The pool and bathhouse facilities will be opened to swimming

class members, free of charge.

Lessons, as in the past, will be held for the various age groups beexcepting Saturdays and Sundays. Registration of student swimmers will not be taken until the Yet his burden of responsibility instructors and helping staff have has only made him grow to fit been procured, Shanks said.

And now I am going to try to resume my normal routine, But it will be difficult indeed, because gentleman, a great representative ISURVEY IN FALL

Committee Agrees to Attempt Local Church Census;

Last Was in '19.

Plans for a complete city-wide religious survey here were anyesterday following a nounced meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Friday of 14 Waterloo representatives the Black Hawk county Farm of various religious faiths, Catholic, Protestant and Jewish. Dehydrating methods using commercially manufactured dehydrat-

Convened by Y. M. C. A. General Secretary S. A. Cohagan, representatives voiced no opposition Booklets are being distributed to such a project, altho two hours bearing instructions on how to were spent in discussing various nake fruit and vegetable driers, approaches and necessary preliminaries,

Meet Again in August. "Purpose of the survey." it was stated by Cohagan, "is to ascertain in the community the church affiliations of the members dwelling therein." The group agreed to convene

again the last of August or the first of September to begin work on the fall survey, the date of which is indefinite. Foresee Co-operation.

The last religious survey or cen-Charging that his wife gave birth sus taken in Waterloo was in 1919 to a child Nov. 22, 1942, altho he under the leadership of Dr. Frank had not been in the United States W. Court, then pastor of First since Jan. 29 of that year, James Methodist church here.

Sentiments expressed W. Clemens, a member of the American expeditionary force in meeting Friday indicated as comnorth Africa, Saturday had filed plete co-operation of all religious suit in district court seeking a di- groups this time as in 1919, commented Cohagan.

the defendant, were married at K. of C. Picnic Will Be August 1

The annual picnic of Waterloo council, Knights of Columbus, will be Sunday, Aug. 1, beginning at 9 a. m., on the John Golinvaux farm TO BE HERE MONDAY near Gilbertville, it was announced Friday following completion of plans at a meeting of the council Dickens will be in the navy re- Thursday night in K. of C. hall, 405 Lafayette street.

The general public is invited, and service men home on furlough will program chairman, has arranged A Des Moines officer in the a program of sports, games and en-

construction battalion, he will in- tertainment. New officers of the council were nstalled Thursday night by John Specialists in every phase of the Bormann, district deputy, and Osconstruction field are needed, said car Welner, warden, both of Ce- township without a contract which recruiters, and Wave recruits are dar Rapids. Fifty members attend-

WILL BE HIKED

Probably at Least Doubled; "No Time to Coast in War Financing."

Black Hawk county's 1943 war bond quota, originally set at \$8,144,000, probably will be at least doubled soon, according the regular schedule and could ing to information received yesterday by A. E. Randall, chairman of the county war finance committee.

("War finance committee" is the new name of the group formerly known as the war savings staff, the new name being adopted generally thruout the United States.) Treasury Asks More.

Randall reported the text of a telegram and letter from V. L. Clark, Des Moines, administrator of the state committee, who relayed a message from the treasury department asking great increases in quotas thruout the nation. Clark's letter stated that a ten-

dency towards complacency set in after the victorious African campaign. This tendency has caused concern

among treasury department officials since the forthcoming European invasion will boom the war's cost far above anything seen so far, Clark continued.

Time Opportune. Randall voiced his private opintween 9 a. m. and noon each day, not yet been determined by nation- whose duty it will be to make final bond sale officials, is coming a an opportune time, since, he pointed out, bank deposits in Iowa are at dome and cupola. an all-time high and farm income is greater even than in the previous 'booms" in 1918-19 and 1929, The present Iowa quota for the full year of 1943 is \$215,000,000.

First Half \$5,099,260. In this county sales of the federal securities up to July 1 totaled \$5,-099,260.75, considerably more than half-way over the year's quota when the year was half gone.

But Randall reminded Black Hawk county citizens that if the goal is increased as much as expected, it will be more than \$16,288,000, making purchases to date only about one-third of the yearly goal and imposing a heavy responsibility for much larger purchases.

Court Suspends Fine for Woman in Liquor Case

Whisky Reached Juveniles; Tipsy Driver Jailed.

Mrs. Josephine Straus, 216 French street, drew a suspended fine of \$300 when brought before Judge R. intoxicating liquor to minors.

April 10 from Mrs. Straus, a widow, 17 years of age, thru resale. County recreational program. Attorney Paul L. Kildee told the court.

He asked leniency, however, for the woman.

Albert Smith, 45, of near Cedar Falls, was given a 30-day sentence Friday by Judge Hasner after pleading guilty to drunken driving charges

He had been arrested by Cedar Falls police May 30 and accused of irregular driving.

Waterloo Twp. Voting Monday on Fire Levies

Waterloo township will vote Mon day on whether one mill levies shall a single seater Aeronca K model. be imposed on property outside the corporate limits of Waterloo to provide fire protection by the Waterloo department. The voting will be done at the Virden school, with the polls open

from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Paper ballots are being used. East Waterloo township carried a similar proposition by unanimous

township. Chief Ray Tiller of the Waterloo fire department has gone on record as saying the department cannot leave the city to fight fires in the would provide payment on the basis of services rendered.

Expected to Be Formed Monday



Waterloo's "stop-gap rationing board," which has been appointed by district OPA Director Rae Walters. Des Moines, to serve until a new board can be named as a replacement for the nine-man body which resigned Wednesday, is shown above at a desk in the office formerly occupied by Chairman Rhey N. Cowin of the old board. All members of the district OPA staff, they are, left to right around the table. Thomas Kelly, Robert Clarey and Albert Johnson. These men are handling applications which hitherto were submitted to the board, and will continue to do so until a new board is named. Clarey is a Waterloo man, whose home is at 1626 Forest avenue. Kelly is a former Cedar Heights resident, and Johnson is formerly of Spencer, Ia.

Supervisors Are **Concerned About Inspection Trip**

Ladder-Climbing to Dizzy Heights is involved.

Members of the Black Hawk county board of supervisors, some ion that the increase, amount of of whom are reasonably agile, nev which is not known because it has ertheless are concerned about inspection of the vainting and repair job on the courthouse roof, The job is now underway with

employes of the Water Tower Paint and Repair Co., La Porte, City, Ia., the contractor, functioning at dizzy heights, scraping the old paint from the dome.

Some of the board members admit venturing to the cupola, but say was in their younger days, and that ladder-climbing now offers a dismaying prospect. So they may take the contractor's

vord for the merits of his work. Lacking exact figures, courthouse denizens insist the top of the dome is as high as Black's building, althe the French Renaissance architectural style is deceiving.

Catholic Boy Scouts to Attend Retreat at Camp

A three-day Catholic retreat for Catholic Boy Scouts and leaders will open at 4 p. m. today at Camp Ingawanis, the Boy Scout camp near Waverly, with a leadershipretreat program under the direction of Rev. Paul Maguire, assistant pastor of St. Mary's church at Waverly.

Msgr. John Wienecke, pastor of Holy Ghost church, Dubuque, and chaplain of the archdiocesan com-W. Hasner in district court late Fri- mittee on Scouting, and Rev. E. L. day afternoon on a charge of sale of Cooney, assistant pastor of St. Joseph's church, Waterloo, will also Whisky purchased at cost on take part in the retreat program. Members of the camp staff will eventually reached two boys, 16 and assist with the swimming and

Nose Bump Only Injury to Pilot in Crash Landing

A shaking up and nose scratches were the only injuries received by Lawrence G. Stocker, about 30, o. 1309 Englewood avenue, when the training plane he was piloting Saturday evening crashed from about 20 feet at the Canfield airport. Stocker, a student pilot, told airport aides a sputtery motor caused him to make a hasty landing.

Both wing tips of the plane were torn off, and the landing gear, tail section, and propeller damaged. Stocker was alone in the plane. Damage to the ship, which jointly owned by Stocker and three friends, was estimated at \$300.

VAN DERVEER ESTATE VALUE SET AT \$22,717

The estate of Elmer E. Van Derveer, who died at his home near by local recruiting officers yes- be special guests. A. M. Lane, vote several months ago, but op- Cedar Falls on Aug. 23, 1941, was position has developed in Waterloo valued at \$22,717 in a probate inventory filed in district court Saturday,

Sole heir is his widow, Susie. by 1211/2 acres of Cedar Falls township farm land, west of the city of Cedar Falls, the rest being stock and machinery.

The new Waterloo rationing 150 Volunteers board is expected to be formed here Monday afternoon, following the return to the city of Thomas Kelly and A. H. Johnson, office of price administration representatives, who left for Des Moines Saturday afternoon after a series of conferences with various Waterloo groups and individuals.

hoped the new board would be a "representative" body, there were no hints as to the possible mem-Enough volunteer help has been bership, altho a list of names had been suggested. obtained for oat shocking this coming week, on Black Hawk Kelly and Johnson have conferred with officials of the Chamber Farm Bureau agent, announced

Commerce, with labor leaders, veste with members of the bar, and with executives of the larger defense so far are 150 men. plants for suggestions. The OPA men wanted haste in

Beyond a statement that they

the flood of applications for canning sugar, the processing of "A" gasoline ration books, which must be in the applicants' hands by July 22, and an increasing demand for at the offices in the Masonic tem-

Former Chairman Rhey N. Cowin was again at the offices Saturday, acting in an advisory capacity to Robert J. Clarcy, OPA special representative, serving in the absence of a board.

Chief Clerk E. H. Wyant, who and also submitted his resignation but has received no word of acceptance from the Des Moines office, also continued to serve. Wyant, a salaried man, is under civil service.

Driver License Total Is Down; 21,190 Issued

A total of 21,190 driver's licenses for 1943-6 were issued at the Black Hawk county courthouse prior to July 4, indicating a probable drop in the number of legalized motorists in the county. Figures from Cedar Falls had not

been compiled Saturday, but were not expected to bring the total to the 31,625 who secured two-year li censes in 1941. Of the licenses issued in Water-

loo, 20,796 were renewals, and 394 women were issued new licenses because of a change in name. The figure does not include new licenses for which an examination must be held.

Unusual Letters from Service Men Sought for Book

from the men in service are being sought by James Waterman Wise of 17 East Forty-second street, New York, for inclusion in a book which he is publishing, entitled, of 13 flowers in all their glorifica-'Very Truly Yours." Wise wrote here that the book

will tell the day to day story of also 82, raise the flowers in the by percentage markups or other the war as it appears to those who garden on their small acreage on pricing methods. are fighting it. "To get as broad and compre-

hensive a selection as possible for this book, I am asking anyone who has an interesting or unusual or exciting letter from a man in service to send me a copy for possible inclusion." Wise wrote.

ents, wives, children, sweethearts and friends whose letters are used ties on all copies will go to the USO, which serves the real "authlors" of the book.

Assigned to Oat **Shocking Crews**

Union Group Pledges 400 Extras, if Needed.

county farms, Paul Barger, county Signed up and assigned to teams

Assurance that farmers would have no oats unshocked came when the formation of new board, since CIO affiliates here promised the help of as many as 400 men, if necessary.

Cards have been sent to all farmers in Black Hawk county notifying them that enough help truck tires, have created problems is available and requesting them to give 24 hours notice when the help is needed.

More volunteers are sought for corn delasseling, stated Barger. "The job will need to be done very soon. Two hundred people are needed and approximately 40 have signed. Any man, woman, boy or girl over 15 may sign," he

Waterloo Flier Was Pilot on Churchill Hop

Lt. Warren A. Holden, of Waterloo, writes home. The honor referred to was his piloting one of the six planes which escorted Winston Churchill and Anthony Eden thru the African war theater in a three-day

"It was a real honor," Second

tour starting June 5. At Algiers, where the tour ended, Holden and his fellows relaxed and were entertained in Churchill's private plane. Lieutenant Holden is the son

of L. S. Holden, Cedar Bend. His wife, the former Dorothy Ericksen, is living with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Erikson, 202 Walnut Court apartments.

Regal Lily with 13 Blooms on One Stem a Rarity

When you can successfully grow regal lilies, it's a floral achievement.

Exciting and unusual letters is single stem, that's something to tables.

years and partial blindness, visited be charged on items in any store. the Courier office Friday, brought Items may, however, he sold below with him a regal lily with a cluster the ceiling prices.

Martin road, Route 4. Last year, he said, they had one lily with 19 soaps, which are priced on a flat blooms, and in all the years they basis nationally. have cultivated them, there have never been less than six blooms, The usual number of blooms on

to four, Very few regal lilies are pital. Mrs. Burrell, 'the former He said that each of the par- grown locally, they reported. eran flower grower resembles a has been residing for the past Bulk of the estate is represented will receive a copy of the book huge bouquet, with all the clusters month with her parents, Mr. and on publication, and half the royal- grouped at the top of the stem. Since retiring at the age of 57,

dening.

OPA ORDER IN

All Stores of Same Class in Waterloo, Cedar Falls to Have Uniform Ceilings.

Food costs for Waterloo and Cedar Falls consumers will tend to decrease under the new OPA price ceiling order which goes into effect in this area next Tuesday, July 13, a comparison of retail grocers' Saturday selling prices with the new maximum prices indicates.

The official ceiling price list, covering nearly 600 items, is printed in full on page 22 of this

Prices in the order are based on survey of Waterloo and Cedar Falls retail grocery stores made hree weeks ago by a crew of price analysis working under direction of the Des Moines district office of the office of price administration.

In the order, issued by R. E. Walers, Des Moines district director of OPA, stores are divided into four classes according to kind of store (independent or group) and volume of business. Group I includes the smaller stores, Group 4 the larger

Compared with Present Prices. In the table below is a brief "sampling" of selling prices Saturday on items in one store from each class, as they compare with the new maximum prices of the same items. The figures given are not averages, since space and time limitations precluded surveying all stores of

modity on the list. The amounts listed beside the heading, "Present price," are not necessarily typical of all stores in each class but simply represent the price asked by one store se-BANANAS, CENTRAL AMERICAN

all groups or comparing every com-

Unit (Group of Store)

Unit 1 2 3 4

Present price, lb.15 .16 .12½ .14

New cailing

Present price, lb. ...50 | (92 score)
| Present price, lb. ...50 .50 .49
| New celling ...50 .50 .49
| KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES
| Present price, li oz. ...10 .10 .08
| New celling ...10 .10 .08 BROILERS, DRESSED POULTRY

(Highest grade A)
Present price, lb. ...43 .38 .39
New celling ...40 .40 .39
AUNT JEMIMA PANCAKE FLOUR

First for This Area. The new order is the first issued by the Des Moines district OPA office affecting this area. Waterloo and Cedar Falls are the third group of cities in the Des Moines district to have community ceiling prices so established. The other cities are Des Moines and Cedar Rapids-Marion.

Heretofore, the retailer's ceiling was the top price he received for a commodity in March, 1942. The new ceilings are based on wholesalers' costs plus profit percentage of the wholesaler and retailer.

Under the old system of computing ceilings, stores doing approximately the same volume of business sometimes computed different ceiling prices. In the new system ceiling prices of all stores in the same group are uniform but there are differences between classes of stores, with the highest prices generally in group 1 and the lowest in group 4.

Must Post in Store. Each retailer is required to post in a conspicuous place the list of ceiling prices for his class of

The new ceiling order does not include coffee, nor any fresh vegetables. The only fresh fruit item listed is Central American bananas. Most heavily listed are breakfast But when you grow regal lilies cereals, macaroni and noodle prodwith more than a dozen blooms on ucts, and canned fruits and vege-

Prices in excess of those estab-Albert W. Bills, who despite his 82 lished by the OPA order may not

Commodities, brands, and sizes not priced under the order are un-He and his wife, Nettie, who is der price control but are governed

This is exclusive of meats and

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burrell are

single stem averages three, flor- parents of a son, Robert, born ists said, altho they vary from two Saturday in Allen Memorial hos-Anna May Tiedemann, whose The flower produced by this vet- present home is in Louisville, Ky., Mrs. N. J. Tiedemann, 102 Willia-Mrs. N. J. Tiegeniano, ton avenue, Her husband will Bills has devoted his time to gar- rive Wednesday from Kanton l for a two weeks' visit,