

# CANNERY TO GO ON COOPERATIVE BASIS

## Riddle Industry Will Seek Federal Aid to Permit Of Expansion.

Plans to reorganize the Riddle Canning company on a cooperative basis to make possible assistance in financing operations through the RFC and other federal agencies, were announced today by L. A. Smith, manager. Mr. Smith has just returned from Portland where the plans for reorganization were formulated.

The proposed plan of operation will immediately be submitted to growers for approval and it is expected that the final organization will be perfected within the next two or three weeks, Mr. Smith reports.

**Expansion Planned.**

The Riddle cannery, he reports, has been making extensive experiments in connection with the canning of dried prunes and now is in a position to expand operations to the limit of available finances.

He is in receipt of widespread requests for the product, after sending hundreds of samples to wholesale houses throughout the country. The fruit has been highly praised by numerous prospective buyers, who report that they could take several carloads at the present time if the fruit was available.

Mr. Smith has a processor for canning prunes after they are dried, giving a product of delicious flavor. The system also results in the skins being absorbed.

**Old Difficulty Overcome.**

The principal difficulty heretofore, he reports, has been a lack of a uniform product. This trouble has been traced to drying methods. It has been learned, he reports, but prunes dried slowly in old-fashioned driers stand up well in the canning process. Prunes dried in newer dehydrators, using the blow-dry system and higher temperatures, however, break down and go to pieces in the canning process.

Tests, he reports, were made on prunes submitted by 180 growers, out of which only 42 had prunes suitable for the process used. These prunes all were processed in the older types of driers.

**Orders Await Filing.**

The canned dried prune affords the cannery an opportunity for all-year operation, he claims, and the additional price obtained in comparison with the fresh canned prune about offsets the drying cost.

At the present time, he reports, he has orders for 150,000 cases which he is unable to fill because of lack of facilities for working capital to operate the plant.

It is planned, Mr. Smith states, to obtain aid through the federal agencies designated to assist farm cooperatives after the reorganization is completed.

# FAITH YOUNG WINS SPEAKING CONTEST

Faith Young, member of the Junior class of Roseburg senior high school, won the interclass extemporaneous speaking contest held during assembly Friday. Her topic was "Why I Would Rather Live in the 20th Century Than in the Days of Queen Elizabeth." Virginia Young, senior, and Florence Hamilton, sophomore, tied for second place.

The assembly program was opened by the high school orchestra, directed by J. D. (Snap) Gilmore. Announcements were made by George Sanders, student body president, who presided over the program. Miss Anoka Coates, girls' physical education instructor, made awards for the girls' athletic association. The new initiates into the G.A.A. were made to dress in the robes of the football squad and were asked to name their favorite players on the Roseburg grid team.

Several skits from the junior class play, "Second Childhood," were previewed by the assembly and members of the cast were introduced by Boyd Jackson, dramatic director.

# MCDONALD DENIES MORALS CHARGES

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ant sent to the grand jury from Reedsport, on a charge of felonious assault, was released when the jury found suitable evidence of a crime lacking.

Alfred Roberts, also given a not true bill, was accused of armed assault growing out of a fight with a neighbor, Vern Hixon.

# FREE BLOOD TEST PROPOSAL APPROVED

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from seven to five members.

**Another Salary Boosted**

The senate passed 21 to 6 and sent to the house a bill to increase the state corporation commissioner's salary from \$3,500 to \$4,500 a year, with Sons, Lew Wallace and W. E. Burke objecting on grounds the money was needed for the aged and unemployed.

The senate roads and highways committee recommended 4 to 1 against a house bill to refund gasoline taxes paid by school districts operating school buses. The report will be considered Tuesday.

The senate judiciary committee recommended 3 to 2 in favor of a proposed constitutional amendment to abolish capital punishment. This will be considered Monday.

The house passed 32 to 27 and sent to the senate a bill which would prohibit advertising of accounts for sale by distribution of

handbills. Opponents of the bill charged the bill was designed to legislate the Pioneer Service company of Eugene out of business. Rep. John Steelhammer, sponsor of the measure, charged the practice of circulating handbills bearing names of debtors was "Blackmail and Libel."

Legislators began donating their services to the state today, 41st day of the session, and observers predicted it would take from 10 days to two weeks more to dispose of vital appropriation, taxation and public power bills.

During the 40 days in which they received their \$3 a day, the lawmakers enacted only one major law, and amendment to the unemployment compensation law which made it possible for the jobless to continue to receive benefits.

**Injunctions Altered**

The house, after passing 25 bills, adjourned at noon until Monday, but the senate held an afternoon session today.

A bill outlawing 11th hour injunctions filed against the secretary of state to prevent initiative measures from being placed on the ballot was passed unanimously by the senate and sent to the house. The bill provides that injunctions must be filed within 20 days after the initiative petition is filed.

The senate passed and sent to the house a bill barring aliens from practicing dentistry until they receive final citizenship papers.

The house, rejecting a salary increase bill for the first time this session, passed 27 to 25 a measure to increase the monthly pay of the commanding general of the national guard to regular army pay of \$898.33 during months spent away from his home station. The general now receives a base pay of \$400.

**Adjournment Forestalled**

A move to adjourn the legislature yesterday, thus forcing Governor Sprague to call a special session or junk the unfinished legislative program, was forestalled last night by adjournment of the house until today.

The senate got no chance to act on Sen. Lyman Ross' resolution to adjourn permanently. The 40-day legislative tenure having ended, the solons must work from now on without their \$3 per day. A special session would restore the remuneration. The governor warned several days ago that he would not call such a session.

A substitute bill for a measure to increase liquor prices 10 per cent was asked of Robert Boyd, state liquor commission attorney, by the house taxation and revenue committee. Boyd objected to the measure on the grounds its pricing lifting procedure was "not good merchandising."

A group of Portland barbers told the house labor and industries committee that a bill to permit the state barber board to fix prices would be ruinous. Joseph E. Harvey, Portland attorney, replied the bill an effort to force "cut-throat" barbers to join the barber's union.

A proposal to turn lands taken over by counties through tax foreclosure over to the state for management was heard by Gov. Sprague's committee on land management and administration and David Eccles, state budget director.

The senate approved a bill authorizing farmers to haul the produce of their neighbors without obtaining a permit from the public utility commissioner.

**WPA Aid For Tillamook**

Gov. Sprague got a letter from President Roosevelt stating that the president had directed the works progress administration to cooperate with Oregon and its subdivision in protecting the Tillamook bay section from further damage by storms.

The house taxation and revenue committee decided to send to the house a bill reducing the personal property offset allowed by corporate excise taxes from 75 to 50 per cent, out of committee with a do-pass report.

The senate killed 23 to 5 proposed constitutional amendment to require that the governor gains supreme court consent before pardoning persons convicted of first degree murder or a second felony.

Sen. Thomas R. Mahoney opposed the amendment because "Governor Sprague is perfectly capable of performing his executive duties without running to the supreme court every time he wants to pardon."

The senate delayed until next Wednesday action on a bill to guarantee civil rights to all persons.

**Arrive From Lakeview**—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandquist, of Lakeview, Ore., arrived here today to spend the week-end visiting the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Wainwright, and the former's father, K. E. Sandquist. Mrs. Sandquist was formerly Miss Bernice Wainwright of this city.

**Undergo Major Operations**—Mrs. J. P. Wilson, wife of Dr. Myrtle of Myrtle Creek, underwent major operations at Mercy hospital Friday. Mrs. C. R. Harris, of Glde, and George White, of Gardiner, underwent major operations at Mercy hospital this morning.

**MR AND MRS. UNDERWOOD CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY ON SATURDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Underwood, who were married February 11, 1889, in Buffalo, New York, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary quietly at their home in the Kohlgarten apartments Saturday afternoon and evening by receiving numerous friends. Lovely gifts and many cards were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Underwood in honor of the occasion.

**GOLDEN GATE FAIR OPENS TO BIG CROWD**

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visco junior college student, was the first official paying visitor through the regular pedestrian entrance.

The island was a beehive of activity long before the official opening time of 8 a. m., with food and supply trucks roaring to the various restaurants and concessions. Music blared from loud speakers as the crowd dashed to the waiting elephant trains for tours of the island.

**MARKET REPORTS**

**LIVESTOCK**

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 18.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—HOGS: Compared to a week earlier, butchers steady, packing sows 25c higher; good-choice 165-220 lb. butchers 8.50-75; carlots made 8.75 on Monday but are quotable to 9.00 at the close of the week; butchers 9.00-100 lbs. 7.75-8.00; light hogs mostly from 6.25-75; light kinds up to 7.00; few feeder pigs 8.00-4.00.

**CATTLE:** Compared to week ago steers 25c higher; she stock fully 25c higher; bulls and vealers steady; three loads good 9.11-10.96 lb. fed steers topped the session at 9.50; bulk good fed steers 9.00-20; medium kinds 8.00-85; cows on down to 6.75; part load of good 771 lb. heifers reached 8.50; bulk good kinds 8.00-25; common-medium of heifers 6.50-100; good cows on beforefoot order 7.00-25; bulk good cows 6.75-7.00 with medium grades down to 5.50; common kinds 4.50-6.25; cutters 3.50-4.25; extremely thin offerings down to 3.00; good bulls 5.75-6.50; common-medium 5.00-50; bulk good-choice vealers 9.00-10.00; few calves 10.50-11.00; common-medium vealers 8.00-8.75; common calves 5.50-6.00.

**SHEEP:** Generally steady with last week's average sales; one double good-choice 96 lb. fed wool-eds lambs 8.75; three loads merely good kinds 8.35-50; small lots medium-good wool-eds lambs 7.75-8.25; load good-choice 94 lb. fed clipped lambs 8.25; small lots medium grades 7.35-85; deck good 121 wool-eds slaughter ewes 5.00; medium offerings 4.00-50; good-choice shorn slaughter ewes 3.75-4.50.

**PRODUCE**

PORTLAND, Feb. 18.—(AP)—BUTTER—Prints, A grade 29 1-4c lb in parchment wrappers, 30c in cartons; B grade 29c lb. in parchment wrappers, 28c lb. in cartons.

BUTTERFAT—Portland delivery buying prices: A grade 27 28c lb. Portland delivery; B grade 24c lb. less; C grade 6c lb. less; country delivery 26c lb. for A grade.

EGGS—Wholesalers' buying prices: Specials 19c doz.; extra 18c doz.; standards large 17c doz.; extras medium 16c doz.; extras small 15c doz. Selling price to retailers generally 2c doz. higher.

CHEESE, country meats, live poultry, turkeys unchanged.

Potatoes, onions, wool, hay, hops, mohair, cascara bark unchanged.

**WHEAT**

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 18.—(AP)—Open High Low Close  
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**RADIO PROGRAM MONDAY**

7:00—Stuff and Nonsense.  
7:30—News-Review Newscast.  
7:40—Hansen Motor Co. News.  
7:45—J. M. Judd Says Good Morning.

7:50—Rhapsody in Wax.  
8:00—Sons of the Pioneers, MBS.  
8:15—Haven of Rest, MBS.  
8:45—Theatre Club of the Air, MBS.

9:00—Katz on the Keys, MBS.  
9:15—Swingsters, MBS.  
9:30—Man About Town.  
9:45—Toronto Trio, MBS.  
10:00—Happy Gang, MBS.  
10:15—House of Dreams, Coppo.  
10:30—Silhouette in Blue, MBS.  
10:45—Voice of Experience, Pinkham, MBS.

11:00—Nation's School of the Air, MBS.  
11:30—Pauline Alpert, Pianist, MBS.  
11:45—Music and Music, MBS.  
12:00—Marriage License Romance, MBS.  
12:15—Concert Hall, MBS.  
12:30—Tune Parade.  
12:35—Parkinson's Information Exchange.

12:45—Hansen Motor Co. News.  
12:50—News-Review of the Air.  
1:00—Hennings' Man on the Street.  
1:15—Midstream, MBS.  
1:30—Wayne and Dick, Songs, MBS.  
1:45—Book a Week, MBS.  
2:00—At Your Command.  
2:20—Three Graces, MBS.  
2:45—Salvation Army Program, MBS.

3:00—Feminine Fancies, MBS.  
3:20—Music From Maritimes, MBS.  
4:00—Patton Lewis Jr., MBS.  
4:15—Let's Play Bridge, MBS.  
4:30—4:30 Clipper, MBS.  
5:00—Studies in Contrasts, MBS.  
5:30—KINR Children's Hour.  
5:45—Reviews and Reviews From the State Capitol.  
6:00—Coppo Cavalcade.  
6:05—Hansen Motor Co. News.  
6:10—News-Review News.

6:15—Gen. Shafter Parker, MBS.  
6:30—WOR Symphony, MBS.  
6:45—Johnson Family, MBS.  
7:00—Mutual Maestros.  
7:15—Dick Stables' Orch., MBS.  
7:30—Lone Ranger, MBS.  
8:00—Frank Bull, MBS.  
8:15—Defense Week Program, MBS.  
9:00—Aika Seltzer News, MBS.  
9:15—Frank and Archie, MBS.  
9:20—Bob Crosby's Orch., MBS.  
9:45—Thos. Conrad Sawyer, MBS.  
10:00—National Anthem, Sign Off.

**Stock and Bond Averages**

**STOCKS**

Compiled by The Associated Press, Feb. 18:

	30	15	15	50
	Ind'l	RR's	U's	SP'RS
Saturday	72.1	20.9	32.3	50.7
Prev. day	72.0	20.6	37.9	50.4
Month ago	73.9	21.3	37.2	50.9
Year ago	64.4	19.9	31.2	44.6
1939 high	77.6	23.8	38.3	53.4
1929 low	67.8	18.9	35.5	47.3
—New high.				

**BONDS**

	20	10	10	10
	RR's	Ind'l	U's	Fgn.
Saturday	59.4	99.5	94.8	61.8
Prev. day	59.2	99.6	94.6	61.9
Month ago	60.5	99.2	93.4	62.9
Year ago	64.9	96.2	90.0	64.1
1939 high	61.7	99.6	94.8	62.7
1929 low	57.5	98.7	92.2	59.4
—New 1939 high.				

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**TENT WILL SPONSOR SOFTBALL JUNIORS**

Roseburg Pup tent, Military order of the Cootie, held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the Grand hotel rooms last night with a large number of members in attendance.

The Pup tent voted to sponsor a team of junior softball during the year. Ward Cummings was elected coach and general chairman. It was announced that all boys and girls under the age of 17 were eligible for junior softball. Roseburg is in the softball district, with Myrtle Point, Coquille, Marshfield and Bandon. The state championship games will be played in Pendleton, during the VPW convention, July 9-12.

Si Van Voorst and Hans Hansen were appointed on a committee to make arrangements to entertain the Cootie junior drum corps, on March 17, at the post's annual birthday party.

Paul R. Dussseau was elected trustee to fill the unexpired term of Captain Ed Hines.

**JUNIOR CLASS PLAY ACCLAIMED SUCCESS**

The junior class play, "Second Childhood," presented last night at the senior high school auditorium, was acclaimed a decided success by the large crowd in attendance. The comedy afforded plenty of amusement, and the various roles were well portrayed by the members of the cast. The performance was directed by Boyd Jackson, instructor in English and dramatics at the senior high school.

**UNION MEET SET FOR PRAYER DAY**

A union meeting for the observance of World Day of Prayer will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church from two to three-thirty o'clock Friday, February 24, to which the public has been invited. Members of all missionary societies are especially urged to be present. Those attending may come and go as they please as the program will not be a continuous one.

**PRESIDENT WARNS AMERICAS' FOES**

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hemisphere.

"To show our faith in democracy, we have made the policy of the good neighbor the corner stone of our foreign relations.

"No other policy would be consistent with our ideas and our ideals. In the fulfillment of this policy we propose to heed the ancient scriptural admonition not to move our neighbor's landmarks, not to encroach on his metes and bounds."

Elaborating on his recent four-point foreign policy, he said: "We desire by every legitimate means to promote freedom in trade and travel and in the exchange of cultural ideas among nations.

"We seek no territorial expansion, we are not covetous of our neighbor's goods; we shall cooperate in every proposal honestly put forward to limit armaments."

**Tragedy Recalled**

It was on a Florida trip six years ago that Roosevelt was the target of an assassin, Giuseppe Zangara.

**SALE OF WARPLANES AROUSES SENATORS**

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the safe of the planes—100 light bombers built by the Douglas company—and that authorization to release them for sale came from the president.

The exact grounds of objection were not made clear. Johnson testified the planes were not built to actual government specifications or with the aid of federal funds, but rather built privately to enter in army competition, and were not, therefore actually subject to army control.

**Sales Legal, F. R. Asserts**

Mr. Roosevelt defended the plane sales in a press conference yesterday on his special train en route to Key West, Fla.

"Asked if he had supervised or facilitated the transaction, he said this was true if his reply was prefaced by saying the French had an absolute right to buy, that the sale was 100 per cent legal and that the whole government had facilitated it.

"At the senate committee's inquiry, Major General H. T. Arnold testified the army had been assured the French purchases would not be permitted to interfere with the army's own expansion program. Arnold explained, however, that immediately after the war department was advised of the French plans last December it had objected on the ground that "this did not conform to the release policy," a policy designed to protect newly-developed military planes against release to foreign governments.

The disclosure in which administration critics displayed most interest was that regarding Mr. Roosevelt's part.

**Senators Criticize**

Senator Johnson (R., Calif.), a member of the foreign relations committee and a champion of American isolationism, asserted that "the committee's findings illustrate what we've been fighting for."

"We had better mind our own

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