

New Teacher Appointed

Mrs. Laura Brunner, Winston, was appointed teacher at Roberts Creek School this week upon the resignation of Mrs. Loma Owens. It was announced by Mrs. Lula C. Gorrell, county school superintendent.

To make good crumbs for the dry type of poultry stuffing use medium-dry bread, two or three days old.

Half a large turkey yields considerably more cooked meat than a whole small turkey of the same weight.

Support by Banks Highlights Week Honoring 4-H's

As 4-H club members in every Oregon county observe national 4-H club week March 1 to 9, the Oregon Bankers association announces the continuation of a long list of projects to encourage additional club work in this state.

This cooperative work has just been summarized by L. J. Allen, acting state club leader, who says it is but one of many instances of close cooperation by organizations and industries with this youth movement.

Nine projects are included in the OBA program for the coming year, a program which has flourished largely in the past in winning for the OBA the 1000-point award for its work with agriculture for seventeen consecutive years. Directing the program in each County is a banker designated as county agricultural chairman.

Three top projects are the OBA trophy, offered annually to the outstanding club girl in the state in leadership and achievement; awards to senior members to encourage continued work by those 19 to 21 years old, and leadership for farm accounting projects and contests in each county.

The bankers also provide many summer school scholarships, sponsor a bankers' day program at the session, provide subscriptions to the National 4-H club news to 2400 volunteer local club leaders, supply prizes for runners-up in the state style review, entertain the two outstanding club members at the state OBA convention, and sponsor a trip to the National Club congress for two local leaders each year.

Beyond these definite projects, which cost the association more than \$2000 per year, individual banks engage in similar local cooperation and serve the club members as lending agencies in financing their projects, Allen points out.

4-H club week is being used in Oregon to enroll more members for this year. While Oregon is near the top in percentage of participation, the 22,000 members are only one fifth of the total in the eligible age group outside of large cities, says Allen.

Barrett said that Great Britain which markets all wool produced in the British Empire—has a stockpile of approximately five billion pounds. Thus far, he said, it has met within 48 hours any

price drop in this country.

Great Britain, he added, last year supplied 80 per cent of the wool used in this country. Rep. Fisher (D-Tex.) said that in 1939 the domestic industry furnished 80 per cent.

Barrett was explaining his bill to establish an import quota, and to permit the U. S. government to sell its 400,000,000 pound stockpile at prices to compete with foreign wool. His bill is one of several under study by the committee.

(1)—Importation of foreign wool into this country in 1946 was the greatest in history. Foreign imports amounted to 1,062,024,000 grease pounds.

(2)—Approximately 96 per cent of the Western range lands occupied by the sheep industry is adapted only to the raising of livestock. Except for the livestock industry, it would be non-producing and non-taxable.

(3)—Definite program must be established for the sheep industry if its disappearance is to be prevented.

(4)—Immediate action is necessary because the present wool purchase program ends April 15. Earlier, the committee was informed that while the income of domestic wool producers has increased about 44 per cent since 1940, their costs have gone up 86 per cent.

The world's year round hot spot is the island of Massawa in the Red Sea; the mean annual temperature is about 86 degrees Fahrenheit.

FFA Members, Parents To Dine Friday Night

The annual Parent and Son banquet of Roseburg's chapter of Future Farmers of America will be held Friday night at 6:30 at Senior High gymnasium. FFA Advisor Homer W. Grow announced today.

Guest speaker of the evening's festivities will be Robert Taylor of Grants Pass, First National FFA vice-president.

The program follows:
1. Opening ceremonies.
2. Music . . . Mrs. H. W. Grow.
3. Report on trip to national convention . . . Keith Henson.
4. Music . . . Gerald Hammer.
5. Last year's program.
6. Music . . . Tom McCown.
7. Speech . . . Dick Stritzke.
8. Speech . . . Robert Taylor.
9. Closing ceremonies.

U. of O. Band Will Offer Varied Marches Tonight

Stirring marches, overtures of famous composers, modern selections, and instrumental solos will make up the one-hour concert program tonight at 8 o'clock Senior High auditorium by the 45-piece University of Oregon band.

Conducting the band will be John H. Stehn, assistant professor of music at the University's music school. Accompanist for the soloists is Wilma Jeanne Wilson.

Bruce Gilley, local music director, said today that while advance ticket sales indicate a large attendance, there will be no reserved seats and advises music enthusiasts to come early.

Rabbit Exporting Becomes Leading Irish Industry

AP Newsfeatures
WENFORD, Ireland—During the past six years rabbit trapping has become one of Ireland's established industries and more than 45,000,000 Irish rabbits have been contributed to Britain's food requirements.

To the delight of the Irish farmer whose crops were damaged, the rabbits were taken out of the country at the rate of about 7,000,000 per annum. The total value of the exports from 1940 until 1946 was some \$22,000,000.

The rabbits were paid for by the British Ministry of Food. The bulk of the pelts were also sent to Britain but many of them were shipped to the United States for processing in the production of hat felt and other materials.

Rabbit trapping reached its peak in Ireland in 1941. Naturally the heavy drain made great inroads on the rabbit population, but although the trade has been progressively declining since 1942 the industry continues to be worth more than \$2,000,000 a year.

To give the rabbit population an opportunity to expand again, the government has controlled the export trade to the extent that it is confined to the period between October and March.

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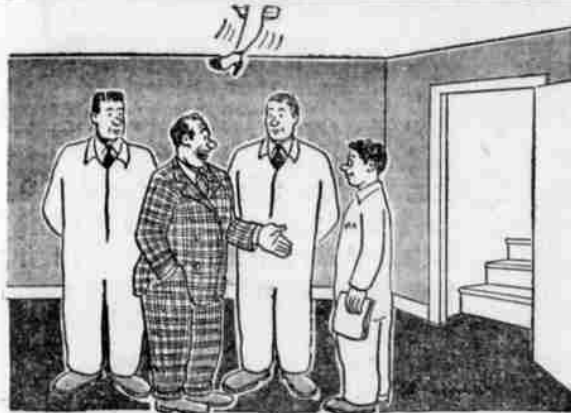
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Adequate Tariff On Wool Sought By National Assn.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(AP)—The National Wool Growers Association yesterday advocated a "dropper" tariff on wool.

Sylvan J. Pauly, Deer Lodge, Mont., association president, told an agriculture subcommittee that import quotas proposed in several pending bills should be considered only temporary measures until "dropper" tariff protection is obtained.

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