Schedule Of Seven Projects In Douglas County Listed By 17 Home Extension Units

Seven educational projects are to be undertaken this fall and winter by the 17 home extension units throughout Douglas county. Topics range from "Streamlined Home Sewing" to "Family Business and the Law."

Sewing shortcuts and manufacturers' assembly-line methods applied to home sewing will be explained at the first, all-day meeting of the various extension units. Each woman applies these techniques on a blouse which she finishes at the meeting. Each woman making a blouse must bring a sewing machine.

Projects leaders will conduct classes in "Textile Painting," second project to be undertaken. Using simple designs to prepare stencils to paint on cloth, members will paint samples or finished products. There will be a demonstration of setting colors and designs.

Principles of making a home ground landscape plan, and how to combine different types, sizes and colors of plants, mass plants for desired effects, and foundation planting will be told at the third meeting. The topic will be "Landscaping Home Grounds."

"Making Lampshades," with actual construction of a paper base lampshade covered with a plain textured fabric and finished with a simple trim, will take up the fourth meeting of the home extension units. Members may complete a shade of this type at the unit meeting, if the shade does not exceed 12 inches in diameter, and is a two-ring type shade with no ribs. This meeting will be put on by project leaders who get their training at Scottsburg Dec. 9.

Legal Phases, Exercises

Discussion of common legal aspects of family living, deeds, mortgages, insurance, titles, etc., will be taken up in "Family Business and the Law." Illustrative slides will be shown.

Exercises to stimulate the skin, water to cleanse and preparations to soften the skin will be discussed in "Care of the Skin," sixth project. There will be discussion of how diet affects the skin. Hand lotions and face creams will be made up. Use of make-up will be discussed. Each person can give herself a facial.

"Freezing Prepared Foods" will be topic of the final meeting of the home extension units. The use of freezers for breads, pastries, soups, sandwiches and other prepared dishes will be discussed. Fresh and frozen products will be sampled and compared. The meeting will be put on by project leaders, who will get their training at Scottsburg Feb. 21.

In addition to these seven projects, leaders will be sent to Scottsburg Nov. 15, to bring samples and illustrations to members of the units of gift wrapping. There also is to be a recreation leader training series held at Riversdale Jan. 19, Feb. 23, March 23, and April 20. Two representatives from any club, grange, or other organization are invited to attend.

"Buying or Building a Freezer Locker" will be the topic of a meeting in Roseburg Nov. 9, to be conducted by a specialist. The meeting will be held in the evening for both men and women.

Dec. 6 and 7, a dress form workshop will be held at Riversdale Grange hall. Unit members should inform the women in their communities that the units are a single organization and that every woman in the community is welcome to attend these meetings.

Calaveras Jumping Frop Leaps From Book To Court

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— "The celebrated jumping frog of Calaveras county" has hopped right out of California's gold rush days into Circuit court.

Clara Clemens Samossound, daughter of Mark Twain, author of the story, has filed a $300,000 damage suit against Columbia Pictures Corp., contending that a film "Best Man Wins," has "deformed and mutilated" the story.

The suit complains that the movie is a corny love story which injured Twain's reputation. It seeks an injunction against the studio until all reference to the fact the film was based on Twain's jumping frog yarn is eliminated.

The suit alleges the works of Mark Twain, pen name for Samuel Clemens who died in 1910, are still protected by copyright.

ONE GAMBLER LESS

TACOMA, Oct. 25.—(AP)—Sheriff Lee Croft said Monday that the body of the man found shot to death near Sumner a week ago has been identified by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as Ricardo Quero Eslao, small-time Seattle gambler.

Eslao had been shot twice and badly beaten.

MORE FOR A-BOMBS

OAK RIDGE, Tenn., Oct. 26. —(AP) — The Atomic Energy commission confirmed Tuesday it is planning a $300,000,000 expansion of its atom bomb making facilities.

British Opinion Poll Bad For Labor Party

LONDON, Oct. 26 —(AP)— The Daily Express says it has taken a public opinion poll which showed that the labor party would lose if a general election were held now. The paper said 54 percent of those who answered said they would vote for Conservatives, while only 36 percent would vote for labor, with the rest supporting the Liberals and other parties.

In the 1945 election the lower party received 48 percent of the popular vote, and the Conservatives 37 percent.