

Specialty Crops Locm Larger in Oregon Figures

Miscellaneous specialty crops are steadily assuming greater importance in Oregon's agriculture, now accounting for around 6 per cent of total cash farm income compared with only about half that 10 years ago.

Production and income statistics for a group of these crops not included in the major crop classifications are given in a new statistical yearbook "Oregon's Miscellaneous Specialty Crops," just published as O.S.C. Extension bulletin No. 636. It covers hops, fiber flax, flaxseed, peppermint, sugar beets, sugar beet seed, dry peas, vegetable seeds and a number of minor specialties for the period 1936-43.

Hops brings by far the largest money returns to growers in this group, with sales values more than doubled since 1939 even though production in pounds is smaller than at that time. Preliminary estimates of 1943 hop sales value were \$8,959,000 compared with \$4,198,000 in 1939.

An outstanding increase in value and some increase in acreage has occurred with peppermint, production of which centers in Columbia county with fairly large acreages in Marion and Lane counties. Average price per pound last year was \$6.60 for the oil compared with \$1.85 in 1939. Acreage last year was 133,000 with the crop having a total sales value of \$878,000 compared with \$194,000 in 1939 from 105,000 acres.

The increasing importance of the vegetable seed crop in Oregon is also shown in the bulletin, although sales figures are not listed. Acreage has increased from 3550 in 1939 to an estimated 13,000 in 1943, with Union, Umatilla, Walla and Baker leading in vegetable pea seed production and Malheur, Marion, Benton, Lane, Linn and Klamath leading

Recruiting For Japs?



U. S. Marine Corps Photo

Three Marines taking part in the Saipan invasion first were startled then amused at the discovery of a U. S. Marine recruiting poster on a building in Garapan. How the poster got there is unknown. The three Leathernecks are, left to right, Pfc. Harvey E. Miller of Elkhart, Ind., Corp. James F. Telford of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Pfc. William Holloway of Ruston, La.

producers of other types. Largest acreages are devoted to pea seed, spinach, onion, bean, radish, squash and carrot seed in that order.

Copies of the bulletin may be obtained free from any county extension office.

CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. Alvin J. Kamman, pastor.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Mrs. L. W. Coiner, superintendent.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon, "The Victory of Faith."
5:30 p. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Midweek service with a series of Bible studies in the book of Ephesians. The book in which the apostle Paul gives us the only true and abiding "Peace Plan." Come and thus help promote "World Peace."
Thursday 8:00 p. m. our first choir practice this fall. All members and those who would like to sing are urged to be present.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
242 Second Street
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Forenoon service, 11:00 a. m. Subject "Substance". Evening service second Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p. m.
The Bible, Christian Science literature and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be purchased before or after the Wednesday service.

CHURCH OF GOD
1060 East Adams Ave.
Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Christian Crusaders 7:00 p. m. Devotional service 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Friday 8:00 p. m.
Topic for Morning worship, "Following Christ Thru the Valley". For the evening service the topic will be, "The Importance of Doctrine".
Reader we extend a hand of fellowship to every blood washed soul, and believe that the word of God teaches a practical system of Unit for this age. We invite you to meet with us to worship God.
Roy E. Hutchison, pastor.

METHODIST
Rev. Frank E. Brown, pastor.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. S. L. Mackin, superintendent. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. 6:45 Methodist Youth Fellowship, 7:45, Evening service.
Thursday and Friday evenings at 8:00 p. m. Dr. Gertrude Boyd Crane, of Pacific University, will hold a Bible Conference. The public is cordially invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST
Rev. George E. Hardy, pastor.
Sunday 9:45 a. m. Church school for all ages, 11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Topic, "Nations Divided". Special music by the choir. 8:00 p. m. Happy Evening Service. Topic, "Is the World Getting Better or Worse?"
Wednesday 8:00 p. m. choir rehearsal with Mrs. Helen Judy Hardy directing. All who like to sing are invited.
Thursday Midweek service of Bible study and prayer. Prayer

Revised Training Period for Marine Recruits Is Told

A revised and extended training program for marine recruits has been put into effect, marine corps headquarters announced this week.

Under the new system, which affects all men inducted since July 1, basic training will last 20 weeks. For the first eight weeks, recruits at Parris Island, S. C., and San Diego Cal., will receive regular "boot" training, then be classified and assigned for further instruction.

Immediately after completing this first phase, recruits will be transferred to training commands—those from Parris Island to Camp Lejeune, N. C., and those from San Diego to Camp Pendleton, Cal.—for four weeks of basic infantry training. This will serve as an indoctrination course in infantry tactics and the use of infantry arms, principally the rifle, mortar and machine gun. At the end of this phase, all men assigned to aviation will be transferred to that branch, and all others will enter the third phase of the training period.

This final period will last eight weeks. It will consist of advanced infantry training or specialist training of varying duration, in accordance with schedules and quotas established at headquarters.

PROPER V DAY CELEBRATION

Cottage Grove, Oregon, Sept. 4, 1944.
Cottage Grove Sentinel,
To the Editor:

I have read with interest an article on the front page of last week's Sentinel concerning plans for a V Day Holiday. By way of contrast I enclose a clipping from the Oregonian of September first.

I believe Mayor Riley expresses the proper American sentiment and that instead of declaring a holiday, with "programs" and celebration the people of our nation (and Cottage Grove) should pause to thank God that our country has been prospered so far, and then pitch in at their various work with more determination than ever to get the whole mess over with.

The news of Germany's great losses in France may be inspiring, but let us not forget that the red blood of thousands of American boys has been and will be spilled in accomplishing the debacle of the boches.

Until the war in the Pacific is won and no more boys have to die (either ours or our enemies), there will be no real V Day. So instead of the stores, the mills etc., closing to make merry, the personnel should sling hash, groceries, lumber or what have you with more enthusiasm than ever before and let there dawn a real day of victory, and pray that we may win the peace as well.

Of course I am only a housewife and can boast of no other job than keeping a home for my husband and daughter who are war workers, a daughter who is helping to save the bean crop, and a son with the twentieth bomber command "some where in India" whose job will not be done when the war in Europe is over.

On the day Germany surrenders I shall wash dishes and sweep floors with a little more vigor, and pray a little harder for those boys who still have to fight and die for a country which is as much our responsibility as theirs.

Mrs. J. W. Englund.

Develop Oils

Heavy-duty lubricating oils satisfactory for use in internal combustion engines under extremes of heat, cold and service have been developed for the U. S. army by the automotive and petroleum industries.

Costa Rican Industry

Many sawmills, carpentry and furniture shops operate in Costa Rica using local woods. Other leading industries produce textiles, leather goods, beer, soap, starch, brooms, cigars and cigarettes, candy, cheese, beverages, candles, shirts and mattresses.

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Mr. and Mrs. Verne Shortridge are in Seattle, Washington to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shortridge's brother-in-law Carl Solie.

S/3C Dale Cox who has been spending a short furlough here with relatives, has left for San Diego, California. Mrs. Cox accompanied him there and will stay until he leaves.

Mrs. Harvey Shipp and three children Glover, Gail and Twila Fern of Sacramento, California arrived Saturday evening to visit Mrs. Shipp's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Banton, her sister Mrs. Harold Abeene, and her two brothers Glen living here and Gerald at Santa Clara.

Boyd Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark has left for Los Angeles, California, he plans to attend Pepperdine College this fall.

Elen Adams who was killed in a logging accident Saturday was a nephew of Mrs. Lillie Sutherland and Mrs. Frank McKay, and had several cousins living in this community. Several attended the funeral from here. His family had lived here many years ago.

Miss Maxine Curran of Portland spent Saturday evening at her home here, she came to Eugene to visit her father who is in the Eugene hospital. She went to Salem Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nora Henderson had as visitors Mrs. George Chappin, of Lakeside and daughter, Mrs. Grace Davis of Cottage Grove. Mrs. Lottie Watts and daughter Mrs. Virginia Persey both of Oakland, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Small, Mrs. Malissie Small, and Mrs. Ella Willis all attended the surprise birthday party given by Mrs. Ruth Randall and Mrs. Julie Powell, honoring Mrs. Lissie Small on her birthday Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Sherlock returned to Texas Monday after visiting at the C. A. Riggs home.

Mosby Creek

The Shields Walker school will start Sept. 11 with Mrs. Newton and Mrs. Rose Taylor teaching again this year.

Mrs. Mary Land and Mrs. Ada Jennings of Harrisburg visited briefly Sunday at the Olsen Land home. They are mother and sister of Mr. Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tonole and family went to Portland over the holidays and visited at the Ray Husted home. Mrs. Tonole and Mrs. Husted are sisters.

Miss Mildred Dugan has been spending several days vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dugan of Waldon.

Gale Lebow has returned home from his Forestry work in Bohemia but on call at any time if a fire breaks out.

The peak of the bean crop at the Kelly bean patch was reached this week and there seems to be a shortage of pickers.

Divide

Clare Chapman went to Portland Tuesday with a load of stock. He was accompanied by his niece Billy Phillips of Vancouver who has been visiting here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie West have received a letter from their son Gordon saying he is now in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunn and three small children have moved to the John Lamb ranch which they purchased recently. They have been living at Santa Clara.

Mrs. Clare Chapman and son Milan are in Gardner this week visiting with Mrs. Chapman's mother Mrs. Henry Hanson.

Ed Carpenter was called to Ne-

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KEM'S for DRUGS

The Rexall Store

braska this week by the death of a sister.

Employment Office Here Has Been Busy Since Opening Date

The United States employment service office which has been open for the past two weeks has been making placements in the local lumbering and logging operations. Several orders for local help in restaurants and private homes have been received. Help of this type seems to be very scarce.

A large amount of service officer work has been taken care of in the office. This consists of help in filing allotments, applications for hospital care as well as pension claims. Schooling claims for returned veterans have been started in several cases and other benefits will be available as soon as information on procedure is received.

Kenneth Fordham, navy yard recruitment officer, was in the office last week looking for experienced help in the coast cities.

Office calls have averaged 25 to 30 daily regarding employment and service work.

Salesbooks, The Sentinel.

SPECIAL OPA MEETING

Miss Opal Woodson, price clerk of the OPA office in Eugene, has notified this office of a special meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock, September 7th, at the county court house. This meeting concerns all furniture dealers, hardware dealers and any one dealing in used consumer durable goods and small grocery stores selling hardware equipment.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss compliance and observation of price ceilings.
H. H. Huddleston, district price specialist, and R. A. Westerling of the Portland OPA office will be at this meeting.

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