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The Alcohol Tax Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, United States Treasury Department, desires to bring to the attention of the public that it is mandatory under the provisions of the national firearms act that all firearms of the automatic type, such as machine guns, sub-machine guns, or any type of gun from which a number of shots or bullets may be discharged with one continuous pull of the trigger, be registered with the Commission of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C. Particular attention is invited to all types of pistols represented by the Mauser machine pistol which can be converted from semi-automatic to fully automatic by pressure on the lever or button.

Many of these firearms were brought or sent into this country from abroad by members of the armed forces and merchant marines. These weapons are extremely dangerous and all officers are urged to be on the alert to discover and report them to A. F. Mariotti, 217 P. O. Building, Eugene, investigator of the alcoholic tax unit.

Mr. Mariotti will furnish details relative to all provisions of the national firearms act and will provide forms for registration and assist in the preparation thereof, as well as furnish information concerning the rendering of the firearms permanently unserviceable.

It is illegal to transfer firearms of the types described except by the payment of the \$200 tax as provided by law. However, if the firearms are rendered unserviceable, they may be transferred tax-free as war trophies upon submission of the proper form to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C.

The national firearms act provides a penalty of a fine not to exceed \$2,000, or imprisonment not to exceed 5 years, or both, in the event any person is convicted on a charge of violating any provision of the act, which includes failure to register a firearm of the type described and transfer of such firearm without payment of the \$200 tax.

CORRECTION
The Catholic Altar Society benefit card party will be held February 15th instead of the 5th as announced in last week's paper. It will be held at the Rainbow cafe in the banquet room and will be preceded by a 1:30 dessert.

Consciousness of right-doing brings its own reward; but not amid the smoke of battle is merit seen and appreciated by lookers-on.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Effect of World Affairs in Farms Stressed at Meet

The interdependence of agriculture and industry, and the importance of national and international affairs in the future prosperity of any farmer in Oregon, were facts stressed over and over again by speakers at the statewide conference on marketing and distribution sponsored by the division of agriculture at Oregon State college in mid-January.

Though some two-dozen speakers came from states and different agencies, their conclusions were in singular agreement as to the importance of such fundamental developments as price policies, government financing, the future of international trade, industrial development on the west coast, America's future policy in the Pacific and other matters that were not always thought of as part of the "farm problem."

President A. L. Strand of the college, as keynote speaker, made some frank assertions in outlining possible future trends which were later supported by other speakers. He enumerated both liabilities and assets in the present situation which he likened to the "reshowing" of a movie seen previously, which it is now hoped can be changed to certain respects.

The worst liability now, in Dr. Strand's opinion, is competition between agriculture and other groups for advantage. "The jockeying for economic position, based on group pressures as we see it exemplified today, marks out a sure road to inflation and a complete economic debacle, he warned."

He quoted the 1945 land-grant college report on postwar agriculture policy as saying "legislation and other programs designed to aid certain groups at the expense of the national interest not only fail to provide adequately for the public welfare, but often may actually harm the specific groups which such measures are intended to benefit, by postponing the solution of the problems which they seek to correct."

President Strand listed several hopeful aspects as well, including a wider realization of the dependence of agriculture and industry on one another, and the scientific assistance and trained leadership now available to agriculture. The good life is not reached merely by a technical approach, however, he said.

"We have taught our young men have bled to make this a moral world," he concluded. "And theory of economic and social progress that leaves out this consideration will be painfully deficient. There must be an ingrained underlying sense of human justice."

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to illumine the mind and guide the will to act. Without that there can be no stability in our efforts to integrate agriculture with industry to mutual benefit. Without that there can be no peace."

SAGINAW

The Friendly Neighbors club met with Mrs. Minnie Keene Thursday afternoon. There were 12 members present and Mrs. Ruth Schwarzer became a member. The door prize was won by Mrs. Helen Williams and Mrs. Williams also won 1st prize in a guessing contest. Mrs. Margaret Keene and Mrs. Ruby Benston tied for 2nd. It was decided not to sell lunch at the dance Saturday night as the club's treasurer already has nearly \$60.00 which will be all that is needed for the present. The next club meeting will be at on January 31st.

The Saginaw high school pupils were entertained by Freda Schwarzer at her home Wednesday evening. There were 13 there and games were played and refreshments served. The next meeting will be at the home of Reta Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Purcell and children of Walden spent Sunday at the William Purcell home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lionberger and children of Cottage Grove spent Thursday evening at the Lawrence Monteth home.

Earl Hayes of Cottage Grove spent Sunday at the Lowell Benston home. In the afternoon they drove to Oakridge.

Tom Getty of Eugene spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Getty.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Cline and children of Disston spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Howard Keen home.

Mrs. Howard Keene and daughters and Lee Cline spent Sunday at the Bert Cline home at Lowell.

Bill: "I've been wanting to ask you a certain question for weeks."
Mary: "I've had the answer ready for months."

Church Activities

Unity Study Group will hold its regular weekly meeting at the home of its president, Lance Naish, Wednesday evening, 8:00 p. m. 328 Quincy Ave. The topic is "Thinking" from Dr. Emilie Cady's Textbook "Lessons in Truth."

Next week will be observed as National Young People's Week. The young people of our church will have a prominent part in the services of the church during the week. Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service the pastor will speak on "If I Were Young, I'd Meet Life's Requirements." Both the chapel and the older choirs will sing. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 with Mrs. Coiner as superintendent. The Youth C. E. Fellowship have their meeting at 6 o'clock, with Mrs. Ferrin as sponsor. The Westminster Junior Fellowship meets Monday night after school, with Mrs. Wolfard and Mrs. Kammann as sponsors. All the officers of the church and the various organizations of the church will meet for an officers institute in the Eugene Central church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Supper will be served by the church for 25c. The meeting will close at eight o'clock.

At the Free Methodist church Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock Mrs. Mabel Rice, a returned missionary from Africa, will speak. The pastor, the Rev. Mrs. Rozella Douglas, will preach at the morning service at 11:00 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.

On Sunday, January 27, at the Christian Science church, the pastor for the morning service at 11:00 o'clock will be "Truth."

At the morning worship of the Baptist church the pastor, Rev. George E. Hardy, will bring a

message on "Farming With Words." In the evening hour Mr. Elwood Marvin, a student at the University of Oregon, will be the guest speaker. This will be youth night and the young people of the church will have charge of the service. There will be special music at all services.

"One is never too old or too young to learn the Will of God. Come to the church school at 9:45 and study the Word of God with us."

Young people if you want fellowship with other young people come Sunday evening at 6:30 to the Baptist Youth Fellowship. W. C. Martin Jr. will have charge of the program this Sunday.

The Methodist church will have a class for you Sunday morning at 9:45. "The Light of Christ" will be the sermon topic at the eleven o'clock hour. At the Vesper hour, the life of Isaiah will be presented in story form. The Methodist

Youth Fellowships will meet at 6 o'clock.

At the Lutheran service Sunday morning the Rev. A. J. Bueltman will speak on the subject, "The Miracle-Working Christ." Services are held in the S. D. A. church building on West Main and North M Sts. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.

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