

Homemaker's Column

By Aldene N. Roberts, HDA

Hello There:
Happy New Year to one and all. May 1948 bring the fulfillment of your fondest desires. Have you made your New Year's resolutions? I am making one, and in case you are interested, here it is:

Resolution

In looking back at things I've done, I'm mighty scared there's more than one which ain't just what it ought to be, but I don't blame no one but me. I cannot change them now, but then I know that I can try again.

Perhaps the blunders I have made don't look so bad if, all arrayed, light down in front are better things than the days the New Year brings. I'll just shed my coat, and then I'll get into work and try again.

The New Year's sure to bring to me a host of days in which to be going to roll my sleeves, and

A little better than I was, And I shall hope to be, because then Hitch up my bent and try again.

And here is an excerpt from Thackery which those of you who attended the Sea Foods Demonstration in November will enjoy: "This Bouillabaisse a noble dish is—

A sort of soup, or broth, or brew, Or hopsotch of all sorts of fishes That Greenwich never could out-do.

The holidays are over and its time to get started to making 1948 a little better year than 1947.

The Home Extension Program for 1948 starts with a 4-H Leaders meeting for leaders of Home Economics 4-H clubs. This first training meeting will be held in Port Orford January 10th. I hope this is just the beginning of many such meetings for youth leadership. I am certain that there are plenty of mothers and fathers who are sufficiently interested in the youth of Curry County to devote their time to a well planned 4-H program if they are given the needed training.

Clothing Construction is a special on the Home Extension Unit program this month. Any homemaker interested in giving a more professional look to her home sewing or in sewing short-cuts should attend one of these

two Cotton Dress Workshops, which will be held at Gold Beach and at Sixes the first and second weeks in February.

Each workshop has a preliminary meeting in January for pattern and material selection; for taking figure measurements and for final enrollments. The preliminary meeting dates are, Gold Beach, Tuesday, January 13, and Sixes, Wednesday, January 14.

Sewing Machine Clinics will be held at the regular meetings of the Home Extension Units, which are on the regular dates the third and fourth week of the month. Further information about these activities may be obtained from the Extension Office in Gold Beach.

We have two new bulletins in the office which may be of interest to some of you. They have just been issued by the Oregon State college experiment station. They are the report of research conducted by Maude Wilson, home economist in charge and nationally known specialist in housing, and are designed for use by homemakers in the preparing of sketches for new or remodeled kitchens, by home craftsmen, teachers of courses in house planning and designers of factory built cabinets.

The modern kitchen is organized on the work center principle as nearly as space and cost limitations permit, Miss Wilson said. When properly planned the work surfaces will be adequate with equipment and supplies stored within an easy reach.

One section of the bulletin is devoted to heights of working surfaces as found most convenient for the average woman. A list of recommended dimensions and heights for kitchen surfaces are given.

Another suggestion by Miss Wilson is that every kitchen should have a place for the worker to sit at work with feet on the floor. This may be a pull-out board set just high enough to clear the thighs—24 to 26 inches.

Copies of these bulletins may be obtained free from the Extension Service Office in Gold Beach.

I hope you will drop in this or any other week for information you would like on your home-making problems.

but we shall long remember the year of 1947 for the many joys it brought to us here at Brookings high school.

Farmers Urged To File Conservation Plans

Only 66 farmers have reported conservation practices under the 1947 program, according to C. J. Doyle who was reelected chairman of the County Committee. Community committeemen assisted farmers in making reports of performance at the annual election meeting held in each community the first week in December.

181 farmers filed Farm Plans for conservation practices last spring and are eligible to claim payment for work completed. The Northern Community learns in compliance with 38 reports filed. It is estimated that the county allocation of \$40,000 will be adequate to pay all cooperating farmers in full.

Farmers who failed to report at election meetings may report at the county agent's office. These reports must be filed before February 1 so that application for payment can be made and to the state office as soon as possible after that date.

Weather Report

For the past week, ending on Sunday:

	Max.	Min.	Rain
Dec. 29, 1947	51	35	.09
Dec. 30	51	34	.00
Dec. 31	49	38	.60
Jan. 1, 1948	52	42	3.30
Jan. 2	54	50	.26
Jan. 3	52	44	.77
Jan. 4	53	46	1.15
Total for week			6.17
Total for Dec., 1947			8.69
Total for year, 1947			68.91
Average for past 20 years			75.23
Below average for 1947			6.32

Bruins Will Play Port Orford, Friday

Friday night the local Bruins play the Port Orford team, both boys and girls games. In order to better provide for seating, bleachers have been built on the stage, where the school cheering section is placed. The row of seats opposite the time clock have been reserved for adults of the town. Come and see a good basketball game this Friday night.

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Schools

The Old Year

by Nancy Vincent

The year of 1947 will soon be gone. In this year the pupils of the freshman class have completed the eighth grade and started into high school. This year was very different than any other, I for one, have ever experienced. High school was something very new and different than grade school. It seems that our subjects became more interesting as the months passed. Of course, 1947 will be remembered because of our graduation in May of that year.

In 1947 Brookings Harbor school got very little Christmas vacation because of delay in the starting of school at the first of the year. School was scheduled to start on September 2nd. It was then postponed because of further discussion to September 15th and then the date was changed to September 29th. Both the teachers and the pupils were relieved when school finally did start on the 29th as scheduled.

On November 21, we went to Gold Beach for the basketball jamboree. Brookings really went to town. Since then we have played a number of games. A game with the Mohawk High school is scheduled for December 31 at our gym.

The senior class gave a dance following one of the basketball games between Brookings and Crescent City.

Of course the new year will bring many new things to us

January Clearance Sale

- Ladies Sport & Semi-Dress Shoes
Broken sizes, \$2.95 to \$4.75
- Children's Oxfords — Hi Shoes
Broken sizes, \$2.95 to \$3.25
- House Slippers 69c to \$1.75
- Boy's Tennis Shoes, sizes 3 to 6 \$1.75 to \$2.95
- Men's Tennis Shoes \$1.95 to \$3.25
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