

BERRY HARVEST—A familiar sight in the Willamette valley's cane berry fields for the next few weeks will be thousands of boys and girls like these members of the Crops Corps who are picking Oregon's big crop of cane berries. Growers and the state farm labor office are depending on boys and girls to harvest a big portion of Oregon's important cane berry crop this year.

Youth Depended On in Harvest

On the shoulders of several thousand boys and girls rests the major responsibility for harvesting Oregon's big crop of cane berries this year, according to the state farm labor office in the O. S. C. extension service.

The next rows of red and black raspberries, loganberries, boysenberries, youngberries, blackberries and gooseberries are well adapted to the use of youngsters as pickers. A majority of the pickers last year were boys and girls.

Approximately 10,000 placements were made in the cane berry fields last year, and the farm labor office estimates that it has records on only about 40 per cent of those who actually worked in the fields.

Sixty-five platoons of boys and girls have been signed up in Portland for the red raspberry harvest. These platoons, of from 25 to 40 youngsters, have also been organized in most other major berry producing counties. About twice as many pickers will be necessary for the cane berries as for the strawberry harvest, which is practically over.

Ceilings Slated On Alfalfa Hay

Maximum prices for alfalfa hay have been announced, according to word received at the county AAA office, as effective for 1944.

The ceiling on alfalfa is \$20.50 per ton to producers on 100 acres through October. In November the price increases to \$21; December \$21.50 and \$22 from January through April. Ceilings were placed on alfalfa hay at all levels.

Base prices may be increased by \$5 per ton if the hay is baled.

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Food for Victory

The Joseph Cathcart family lives on California Mesa, near Olathe, Colo. Last year when her canning sugar, apples, chickens and other meat, she substituted syrup and honey for sweetening. During the canning season she put up 300 quarts of fruit, vegetables and meat. But she did not stop when the canning season ended. Through the winter she continued to refill jars with minced meat, apples, chickens and other meat. This year Mrs. Cathcart plans to can as much or more than last year. Already she has put up her asparagus and mushrooms. With so much variety in her food storehouse, Mrs. Cathcart finds the family health is better and there is never any worry as to what to have for the next meal. Through the school year Mrs. Cathcart prepares canned food as her share of the hot school lunches, which are served at the schoolhouse.

Victory Garden Pays Off

Victory garden made possible the annual \$300 payments made by the Harvey I. Phelps family on their 60-acre Medford, Oregon, farm in Ohio. In 1942 Mrs. Phelps canned almost a thousand quarts of fruits and vegetables and stored 40 bushels of meat, chickens and other fruits. Mrs. Phelps was able to give her family a balanced diet every day of the year simply by going down into the cellar or out into the garden. After taking stock of her carry-over canned goods in the spring of 1943, Mrs. Phelps saw where she could revise her canning budget. In 1943 she had increased tomatoes—35 quarts per person—plus 80 quarts of meat to supplement home butchering. This year she will continue to can the same

amount of tomatoes and 35 quarts of other vegetables per person. Because her canned fruit ran out last year, she is doubling that budget to have 300 quarts by the end of the year. Also, for the first time she will store dried beans and dried corn.

Canned 1500 Quarts Last Year

Mr. and Mrs. Ysidro Cruz, parents of six children, are Mexican-born farmers now living on an irrigated farm near Ft. Laramie, Wyo. In 1943, with the aid of the family, Mrs. Cruz canned more than 1500 quarts of vegetables, meat and fruits. With the exception of some of the fruit, all this was home-grown. This year Mrs. Cruz plans to can 500 quarts of vegetables, including tomatoes, 300 quarts of meat and 350 quarts of fruit.

Applications for Certification Asked

Farmers who are planning to grow certified seed potatoes, ladino clover, Cumberland red clover, red creeping fescue, and alfalfa fescue should make application for certification inspection at the county agent's office now, according to Palmer S. Townsend, county agent. Only those who have made application will be eligible to have their fields inspected. Additional information about requirements for growing certified seed crops is available at the county agent's office in Hillsboro.

Vital statistics, rationing data, hospital news and court orders regularly at head of classified pages.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY ADS

Classified Page Deadline Tuesday, 4 p. m.
"Too late to Classify" Deadline Wednesday, 10 a. m.

- WANTED—Woman with baby wants another woman to drive her car to Long Beach, Cal., leaving immediately. Will exchange references.—Phone 1192. 16p
- ATTENTION folks: Middleton old and new-timers picnic at Roamer Rest park, July 30, 1944. Free coffee. 16
- 6 AND 7-month-old does and bucks, \$2.75 each; also fryers at 2c lb.—C. C. Harris, 2 miles north east Banks; old Erickson place, 1604 37 TON A-1 clover hay; 75 ton oats and vetch hay for sale.—Joe Looney, 2 miles south of Reedville, on Road road. Phone Beaver-ton 2142. 16
- BENEFIT dance, July 15, Sauveux Island grange; good music, refreshments, prizes.—Take Burlington Ferry. 16
- FOR SALE
220 A, 30-cult 4 A young FILLBERTS. Good rich hill soil, lots of wood, borders highway, poor bldgs, elect and elect pump, \$7500. Terms. 16
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- 20 A, 4 cult, 2 A good strawberries, good 6-room, home, elec, and automatic elec pump, good soil, \$3500, terms. 16
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29 DODGE for sale cheap; team of horses, plow, disc harrow—Albert Bucher, Rt. 1, Hillsboro, Mile south of wireless tower. 16
- PUREBRED China service bear \$20; Jersey Cow, \$75; 19 mo. Jersey heifer (served), \$65; 20 mo. Jersey heifer (fat calf), \$80; feeder pigs, \$13; rabbits, \$1; Muscovy ducks; Breeder turkeys.—Joe Jaross, Rt. 3, Box 207, Hillsboro, 3 miles north of court house. 16
- CHEERIES—Stark's Golden now ready for canning, 8c lb. You pick.—780 S. 10th Ave; opposite shute park. 16p
- PIE CHEERIES for sale—760 S. 10th Ave, Hillsboro. 16p
- 4 OR 5-room house wanted by corporal on bus line between Hillsboro and St. Johns, or in Hillsboro. Do not smoke or drink.—Write August 779. 16
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Board Set Up For Farm Wage Stabilization

Responsibility for the wage stabilization in Oregon agriculture has been given to a wage board recommended by Dean Schoenfeld and appointed by Colonel Philip G. Britton, director of labor, war food administration. This board is composed of the following members:

Carl Izett, chairman, assistant state supervisor, office of distribution, W. F. A.; William E. Kinsey, state labor commissioner; Varne F. Vesey, state director farm security administration; E. A. Nielson, agricultural statistician, bureau of agricultural economics, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture; John Shepherd, vice-chairman state A. A. committee; and E. L. Peterson, director of agriculture, state of Oregon.

This board has appointed Leo D. Hollenberg as executive officer with his office in room 784, Pittock block, Portland. Field offices have been set up in Pendleton and Eugene.

Authority to stabilize agricultural wages was established under the anti-inflation act of October 2, 1942, but was not exercised until 1943 when farm wages made the greatest rise ever recorded in a year's time, with the Pacific states 36 per cent higher than in 1942 and 45 per cent over the 1935-1939 average.

Thus far specific wage ceilings have been applied only to the harvesting of peas in Malheur and California, placed ceilings on the harvesting of asparagus, picking of dried grapes and the picking of cotton in 1943 and have several others now operating in the 1944 crop. Florida put the entire citrus crop under ceiling last year.

Success in keeping wage rates at reasonable levels and in holding to a minimum the pirating of workers among farmers was cited by the chairman as a strong factor in the expected extension of ceiling regulations to other crops and grades, particularly since the further extension of OPA ceiling prices to cover most of the commodities that farmers will have to raise makes it necessary that farmers protect themselves against unreasonable rises in production costs, of which labor is often the largest item.

"Since it is the policy of the war food administration to prevent inflationary wage increases in agriculture, it is highly desirable that farmers take immediate steps to suggest ways and means of accomplishing this end," Hollenberg declared. "It is the wish of the WFA and the Oregon state wage board that farmer-groups within the state help develop and administer the wage ceiling program. Agricultural wages from getting out of line."

All agricultural wages above \$2400 per year are frozen, requiring WFA approval before increases can be made. Increases up to \$2400 at the rate of \$200 per month can be made without approval, he said, unless a specific wage or salary ceiling applying to the worker's job is in effect in the area where the worker is employed, in which case the worker can receive no more than the ceiling rate, which may amount to more or less than \$2400.

Farm and Garden Payments Ready On More Forage Seed Output

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Oregon grass, clover and alfalfa seed growers are now offered an additional financial incentive to harvest every pound of seed possible this year, in view of a projected crop of forage seeds, according to word received by the state AAA office and the O. S. C. Extension service.

Congress has appropriated an additional \$12,500,000 for use this season in increasing practice payments and providing a new pound payment in an effort to get every acre possible harvested for seed," says R. B. Taylor, chairman of the state AAA committee. "The action has served to launch a vigorous campaign in every area where legume and grass seed production can be obtained."

The previous 25-acre limitation on the seed harvest practice payment of \$3.50 per acre has now been removed so that it will be made on the acreage actually harvested. It is hoped that this will make it financially feasible for farmers to harvest marginal fields for seed which otherwise would be pastured because of low prospective seed yields.

As now changed, practice G-1 will provide payments at pound rates to producers of red clover, alfalfa and alfalfa seed for all of their production that meets specifications. These specifications are being developed and will be sent to state and county AAA officials soon, according to G. F. Grassler, director of the western division.

The pound rate will be 3 1/2 cents, clean basis, for red clover, and 2 1/2 cents, clean basis, for alfalfa and alfalfa seed. These payments will be over and above the regular market price for the seed. Detailed rates by grades will be announced soon.

Unfavorable weather and the increased demand for forage and food crops has resulted in decreased legume and grass seed harvests for the last two years.

Do your trading with Hillsboro merchants. Money spent at home remains to circulate locally and may eventually get back to you.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of CHARLES Z. MAWHINNEY, deceased, by the probate court of the State of Oregon for Washington County and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at her residence, Rt. 2, Forest Grove, Oregon, or at the law office of H. Tongue Jr., in the Commercial Block, Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 12th day of July, 1944. MAUDIE ELLEN MAWHINNEY, Administrator of the Estate of Charles Z. Mawhinney, deceased. THOS. H. TONGUE JR., Attorney for Administrator.

Lindow Cows Make High Production

BRATTLEBORO, Vt. June 30—Five registered Holstein-Friesian cows in the dairy herd of J. A. Lindow & Sons, Brattleboro in this county, have recently completed official production records of more than 500 pounds of butterfat, the Holstein-Friesian Association of America announces.

Highest producer of the five was Lone Fir Mastepiece Artibus with a record of 613 pounds of butterfat and 15,440 pounds of milk. This is nearly 3 1/2 times the production of the average dairy cow in this nation. The record was made in 365 days on twice a day milking and at the age of 5 years 11 months.

Second highest producer was Lone Fir Monogram Varietta with 610 pounds of butterfat and 13,441 pounds of milk, made in 365 days on twice a day milking and at the age of 6 years 1 month.

Other high producers were: Lone Fir Mastepiece Ginger who at the age of 5 years 7 months made 553 pounds of butterfat and 15,489 pounds of milk in 365 days on twice a day milking; Lone Fir Johanna Varietta who at the age of 3 years 7 months made 543 pounds of butterfat and 13,932 pounds of milk in 365 days on twice a day milking; and Lone Fir Mastepiece Sally who at the age of 6 years 8 months made 508 pounds of butterfat and 13,638 pounds of milk in 365 days on twice a day milking.

Changes Made in Dairy Payments

Dairy Feed payments will be made once every 2 months through February, 1945, and for the month of March, 1945, according to announcement received by the county AAA committee, reports John W. Kenna, chairman.

The periods have been divided as follows: Payments for milk produced in May and June will be made in July; July and August statements will be paid in September; September and October statements in November; November and December statements in January; January and February statements in March.

During the summer months the rate of payment will be 48c per cwt for milk and 6c per pound for butterfat in cream. Payment during the winter months will be 70c per cwt for milk and 19c per pound for butterfat.

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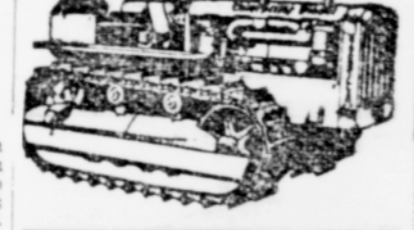
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Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	12,750.00
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Furniture and Fixtures	26,230.56
Other Assets	20,659.84
Cash and Due from Banks	1,768,163.33
Total	\$8,168,656.27
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	225,000.00
Undivided Profits	12,843.74
Reserves	28,238.35
Total Deposits	7,702,574.18
Total	\$8,168,656.27

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