

Reductions in Farm Payments Current Trend

Washington county farmers who agreed last summer to participate in the 1947 agricultural conservation program may have to take substantial reductions in their conservation payments if the appropriation for the agricultural departments of the government goes through the senate in the same way it passed the house of representatives.

The 1947 agricultural conservation program was authorized by congress last summer with rates of payments to farmers for perform-

ing conservation practices just about identical with the 1946 program. On the strength of this authorization 1433 Washington county farmers signed farm plans to participate in the 1947 program. The house of representatives has now cut the appropriation to about half of what was authorized. This will mean that farmers who have purchased time this spring in anticipation of a payment of \$5 per acre will receive about \$2 per acre. It will cut the rate of payment on drainage tile from 83 cents per rod to about 40 cents and the cover crop payment to about \$1 per acre. The appropriation is now being considered by the senate and final action will be taken within the next week or so.

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Highlights in The Week's News

State Indian Independence

Britain announced Tuesday to India's nearly 400,000,000 people a new plan for independence. It will probably mean splitting the vast continent into two huge nations, each of them among the biggest in the world. Indian leaders gave their approval to the plan.

House Approves Tax Cut

The Republican bill to cut income taxes by \$10,000,000 a year won final house approval Monday 229 to 99, which is a sufficient margin to override a presidential veto.

Veto Rent Controls

The senate voted Monday to keep federal rent controls until next March 1 but to allow landlords and tenants to sign "voluntary" agreements to raise individual rents by 15 per cent.

Conscription Urged

A presidential commission advised America Sunday to start a \$1,750,000,000-a-year system of universal military training and spend more billions for defense or invite more "extermination" in atomic warfare. The commission reported that "our military forces are a hollow shell."

Labor Bill Approved

Senate and house conferees put the omnibus labor bill in final shape Thursday along the lines of the milder senate version.

Reds Control Hungary

Hungary reported under full control of Communist party and would soon accept a Russian offer to train and fully equip the Hungarian army.

Cut Off Hungary Aid

The U. S. Monday cut off a \$15,000,000 credit to Hungary's new pro-Communist regime and promised further aid to Italy's non-Communist government.

Reds Hit

The house labor committee contended Saturday that "any employer or union should be free to discharge or expel any employee who is a member of the Communist party."

Plane Crash Toll Heavy

A series of airplane crashes unprecedented in the history of passenger flying took the lives of at least 169 and possibly 172 persons Thursday and Friday in Maryland, New York, Japan, Iceland, The Netherlands and Alaska. Fifty-three persons died Friday near Port Deposit, Md., in the crash of

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LUNCH-TIME AT THE JERSEY SHOW—Hillsboro business men did the serving at noon for visitors at the county's first post-war showing of Jerseys at Shute park, Hillsboro. The servers stand next to the table. They are (left to right): Leon Davis, Ed M. Bowman, Don McCourt, H. A. Kurath, Jerry Fowler, A. H. Abts, Clarence Winjum and J. W. Barney.

an Eastern Air Lines Newark-to-Miami plane—the worst of American commercial aviation disasters—about 23 hours after 39 died in a United Air Lines transport crash-up at New York.

Accident Toll Heavy

At least 451 persons died violently over the Memorial Day weekend, and the automobile resumed its usual place as the principal killer.

Tornadoes Take Toll

Tornadoes ripped through Arkansas and Oklahoma yesterday, causing at least 37 deaths and leaving many maimed and badly injured victims.

Take \$117,000 in Checks

Two gunmen held up an armed guard on the fourth floor of Ol' & King department store Monday afternoon and escaped with \$117,000 in checks, but only \$304 in cash.

Local Recreation Program to Start

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Softball Leagues

First weeks on the softball part of the program will be devoted to developing of teams and coaching on individual skills such as batting stance, pitching control etc. Boys will be divided into two leagues, ages 9 to 11 and 12 to 15 and the girls will probably start with one league. League play in volleyball will be in the school gymnasium in wet weather. It will be used as an outside activity to fill in between the availability of softball fields back of the school.

Poynter said arrangements are being made to take the local youngsters to Shattuck pool in Portland afternoons for swimming. American Red Cross instructors will work with instructors hired by the local program in giving beginning and advanced instruction for children from the age of six on up. Pupils will be charged only about 15 cents each for the round trip. There is no fee for the recreation program itself but children will be required to pay for such materials as they may use in the hand crafts.

The program is being carried out through Hillsboro Recreation association. Part of the cost of financing the project is through donations from various organizations of the community, representatives of which form the association.

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D. F. Kanneman City Dog Control Officer

D. F. Kanneman, enforcement officer for the county dog control board, has been given special police authority in Hillsboro to enforce local regulations against dogs running at large.

Kanneman announced that he plans to enforce the law strictly. A fine of \$2.50 must be paid to redeem dogs which have been impounded for running loose.

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