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ASHLAND, OREGON

Adopt Program of Work for Year

The home economics committee of the Jackson County Agricultural Council, which was organized last week in the office of Miss McCormick, emergency home demonstration agent, voted to adopt the following program of work for the year:

I. Organization. In order that effective work be carried on throughout the year, every community in the county will be organized for service. Local organizations will be used in every possible case, and in as many communities as possible the home economics study work will be introduced.

II. Conservation. (A. Conservation of Food.) The production of standard vegetable products in home gardens to be advocated. A greater production of poultry, bees and rabbits to be stimulated and encouraged throughout the county. As there were homes in Jackson county last year that made little attempt to preserve fruits and vegetables for home use, a greater campaign is to be made this year for preservation by means of drying and canning fruits and vegetables and by water-glassing eggs. Greater stress is to be placed on the war substitutes for the saving of those foods needed by the soldiers and allies. A study of food values and balanced menus will be taken up in the study classes. (B. Conservation of Clothing.) Attention will be called to the necessity of conserving textiles. Large quantities of cotton are being used in the manufacture of explosives. Lnen is needed in aeroplane construction, and we know of the scarcity of wool and of leather. Proper selection, repairing and renovating of clothing will be the main features of this project. (C. Conservation of Health.) Better sanitary conditions in and around country homes, fly campaigns, and hot lunch work in rural schools are subjects to be given attention.

III. Household Management. It is important at this time that steps be taken to simplify the work in the home as women are having many demands made on their time. Labor-saving devices, account-keeping and the organization of work in the home are problems that will be taken up and discussed in order to make for more efficient home work.

IV. Home Demonstration Tour. Later in the year it is being planned to have a home demonstration tour made of Jackson county. Women from all communities will participate in this tour, stopping at certain homes in order to study conveniences and arrangements. A tour of this kind will not only be of great pleasure and interest, but may result in the improvement of many homes.

It is not desired or hoped for that any one community may work out this entire program, but each community may select those features which seem most necessary for that community. This program of work is to be correlated in every possible way with the program of the Industrial Club work and the agricultural committees of the county. It is believed that an effective working out of this program cannot but assist in the enrichment and the betterment of home life in Jackson county.



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Here and There

Charged with distributing liquor to Indians, E. L. Paddock was Thursday given a hearing before United States Commissioner Bert C. Thomas, and sufficient evidence found to bring him over to the action of the federal grand jury. It developed during the hearing that Paddock, who is a brakeman on the train between Chilquien and this city, had furnished two young Indians whiskey in a car near the Southern Pacific station, where they had caroused and played cards at night.—Klamath Falls Herald.

To be compelled at the point of a gun to feed a hobo is not a pleasant experience, which fact can be verified by Mrs. Fred Ball. Mrs. Ball was alone at their home about two

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miles from town Wednesday morning when a hobo stopped and asked for something to eat. On being refused he pulled a gun and pointed it at Mrs. Ball, whereupon she fed him and he resumed his journey southward. Such traveling gentry are a menace to the public safety and should be shown no leniency whatever.—Riddle Tribune.

Justice Taylor Monday morning sentenced John Mann, a Central Point laborer, to 30 days in jail for bringing intoxicating liquor into the state, and fined Earl Reynolds \$50 for having liquor in his possession. Mann arrived in the city Sunday afternoon from Yreka with three quarts of whiskey and invited Reynolds and another man up to his room in a West Main street rooming house.

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Reynolds then left to carry a partially filled bottle from Mann to another room Mann had rented at another place, and Chief of Police Hittson stopped him on the street and arrested him. Mann was captured a short time after.—Medford Sun.

Agents of a company seeking to drill for oil are in this section and, it is said, are offering exceptional inducements to owners of land for opportunities to drill for oil. The Record has been informed the representatives of the oil interests have asked for the right to drill in several places and declare they want no options until they have brought their equipment on the ground. The terms of the option, as verbally outlined, are said to be quite liberal—more so than any of the kind ever offered here in the past. Many landowners who have been approached have indicated a willingness to allow the men to go ahead.—Marshfield Record.

That all of the United States troops destined for service overseas are not being sent to France, is indicated by a letter just received this morning by Mrs. Carmony of this city, from her son Glenn, who has been in training at the Wasco, Texas, aviation field. Glenn Carmony writes that before his letter shall have reached his mother the 834th aero squadron will be en route to Long Island, New York, and after a short time there will sail for somewhere in Egypt. This well-known Roseburg soldier lad says that the men in his squadron have been issued complete outfits of new clothing, the lightest that can be had, so that they will be able to withstand the blistering heat of the Egyptian country, and are looking forward with eagerness to the work that lies before them in the campaign there. In the same detachment with young Carmony are three other well-known Roseburg boys, Frank Shileda, Frank Langenberg and Howard Robinett. No other details of the anticipated sailing were given in the letter.—Roseburg News.

Put It in Your Hat.

When some chaps are setting around assuming to tell every one what they know, as to what numbers constitute certain divisions of our army, remove your hat and then read the following to him:

- An army corps is 60,000 men.
- An infantry division is 19,000 men.
- An infantry brigade is 7,000 men.
- A regiment of infantry is 3,000 men.
- A battalion is 1,000 men.
- A company is 250 men.
- A platoon is 60 men.
- A corporal's squad is 11 men.
- A field battery has 195 men.
- A firing squad is 20 men.
- A supply train has 283 men.
- A machine gun battalion has 296 men.
- An engineer's regiment has 1,098 men.
- An ambulance company has 66 men.
- A field hospital has 55 men.
- A medicine attachment has 13 men.
- A major general heads the field army and also each army corps.
- A brigadier general heads each infantry brigade.
- A colonel heads each regiment.
- A lieutenant colonel is next in rank below a colonel.
- A major heads a battalion.
- A captain heads a company.
- A lieutenant heads a platoon.
- A sergeant is next below a lieutenant.
- A corporal is a squad officer.

Old papers for sale at Tidings office.

Salary Reports Must Be Filed

The impression prevails that all information regarding incomes is embodied in the returns made on income tax blanks recently sent out by the collector of internal revenue for this district, but such is not the case. One item generally overlooked is that relating to salaries. It is necessary for every person, firm or corporation paying salaries amounting to \$800 or more during 1917 to report same under oath to the commissioner of internal revenue, sorting division, Washington, D. C., on special forms furnished by Collector Milton A. Miller, Portland, Ore. These reports must be filed on or before April 1.

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AT THE CHURCHES

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
Pioneer avenue south. Sunday services at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room open from 2 to 4 daily except Sundays and holidays.

Christian Church.
Bible school at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, W. L. Mellinger. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. on the subject, "Christian Duty and Privilege—Prayer," Jno. 14:12-17. Leader, Prof. Howard Grover of Belleview. Preaching service in the evening at the usual hour.

Trinity Episcopal Church.
Vicar, the Rev. P. K. Hammond. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Service and sermon at 11, at which Mr. Anderson will sing "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." Strangers and visitors most cordially welcomed. No evening service.

First Baptist Church.
Rev. W. N. Ferris, minister. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Divine worship at 11 a. m. The pastor will preach. There will be special music. Reports from layman's missionary teams will be received. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening service with special reading and sermon at 7:30 p. m. We cordially invite our neighbors and friends. Strangers are always welcome.

Nazarene Church.
Sunday evening will be the last service of the special meetings with Evangelist Morse. The pastor will preach in the morning at 11 and Mr. Morse at 3 and 7:30. His evening subject will be "What Will the Harvest Be?" The following week our regular prayer meeting will be changed back to Wednesday night. We feel that great good has been

done in this special effort and the revival won't stop when the evangelist leaves the city. We will continue to preach the soul-saving, sin-killing Wesleyan doctrine of justification and sanctification through faith in the blood of Jesus. Don't forget the three meetings Sunday. This will be your last opportunity to hear Mr. Morse. Bring your unsaved neighbor with you.—Dorman D. Edwards, pastor.

ASHES AND LIME IMPROVE GARDENS

Corvallis, Ore., Feb. 28.—Ashes are worth a careful trial as a fertilizer this year in the preparation of garden land, in view of the high price of other fertilizers.

Hardwood ashes are the best, and when kept dry till applied to the soil they add lime, potash and phosphoric acid. The lime has a beneficial effect on the soil and on many vegetables. It improves the physical condition of heavy soils by separating the fine particles and making the soil more porous. It also serves to repel insect pests. The potash is in a finely divided form, readily available as a plant food.

From 30 to 50 pounds per square rod are recommended by Prof. A. G. Bouquet of O. A. C. They are broadcasted and thoroughly incorporated with the soil as it is being worked up in the spring. Too heavy an application tends to make the soil alkaline, a condition unfavorable to vegetable growth. Ashes are also likely to increase scabiness of potatoes and should not be used on potato lands. Soft wood ashes, leached hardwood ashes, coal ashes and incinerator ashes usually contain much less of the valuable soil and plant element.

SECOND DRAFT MAY START IN APRIL

While war department officials reiterate that no date has been definitely fixed for the calling of the second draft of the national army, all indications would seem to point to some time during the month of April,

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Perhaps Hindenburg was merely springing a premature April Fool's joke when he fixed April 1 as the date he would occupy Paris.

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