

EARTH EDUCATION PLAN IS PROPOSED; DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Agricultural College's System
Includes All Branches From
Orcharding to Hog Raising;
Home Economics.

A plan for "earth education" has been made by Oregon Agricultural college. It means that farmers may remain on their farms and have the college come to them. "Teaching by showing how" is the epigrammatic definition given the new plan. While in Portland yesterday Professor R. D. Hetzel, recently come from Wisconsin to become director of the extension department of O. A. C., exhibited the outline of work agreed upon.

It is an outline in operation expected to teach the man all branches, from

orcharding to hog raising; and to teach the woman similarly essential things in cooking, sewing and home economics. Diversified production is one of the objectives. To increase the attractiveness of home life in the country is another. The practical result is expected to be widened development, with a production on Oregon farms of food articles—butter, cheese meats, eggs, fruits—now imported.

Plan of Work.
As soon as proper support can be given the extension department, said Professor Hetzel, corps of experts will go throughout the state teaching. "Proper support" means a legislative appropriation similar in amount to appropriations of other states. Wisconsin, said Professor Hetzel, makes a biennial appropriation of \$205,000 for extension work. Oregon appropriates \$2500 for farmers' institutes. Kansas appropriates \$90,000; Iowa, \$100,000, and 20 other states amounts from \$5000.

"Extension work in the middle west," said Professor Hetzel, "has increased corn and wheat production from 3 to 10 bushels an acre; this means additional millions of dollars in crop values."

The outline of work puts under the general head of institutes, itinerant schools and demonstration trains, first, farmers; second, domestic science; and art; third, teachers and schools; fourth, engineering and forestry.

Domestic Science.
Under farmers—Agriculture, horticulture and gardening, animal and poultry

husbandry, dairying, entomology, and business methods. Under domestic science and art—Cooking, sewing, home economics, home sanitation, floriculture and art. Under teachers and schools—Agricultural, industrial pedagogy, domestic science and mechanical arts, industrial economics and forestry. Under engineering—Mechanics, roads, mining, construction.

He provides, too, for correspondence courses under agriculture, commerce, domestic science, engineering and forestry. Under commerce, there are now available courses in farm accounts, rural economics, rural law, and business methods. There will be, under agriculture, agronomy, horticulture and gardening, animal and poultry husbandry, dairying, landscape gardening; under domestic science and art, cooking, sewing and home economics. There are to be correspondence courses in civil, electrical, mechanical and mining engineering; also a correspondence course in forestry.

Study for Boys.
Having provided the things essential to the greater effectiveness, and higher living of grown-ups, there comes the plan of study for the boys, and this is considered, after all, perhaps most important. Junior and senior improvement associations will be organized in rural communities. For boys and girls' clubs there will be study in agronomy, horticulture and gardening, animal and poultry husbandry, mechanics, cooking and sewing. For rural improvement organizations a slightly broader and different line of study and thinking, in-

cluding social and economic and political problems.

"President Kerr of O. A. C. has had extension of extension work in mind and at heart for several months," explained Professor Hetzel.

"At the meeting of agricultural college presidents and directors of experiment stations two years ago it was decided to make extension work a third division, coordinate with resident and agricultural courses. Recently the board of regents of O. A. C. has approved this plan and will make extension work a separate division.

Traveling Laboratory.
"One of the best services to be performed by the extension department will be to answer out in the field the questions that now come from the field. Last year we had 88,000 letters including questions about every agricultural and economic subject under the sun, from fruit raising to destruction of pestiferous weeds and the best ways of raising poultry. Dr. Withycombe, working splendidly, as director of the experiment station, has been struggling under this burden, but the state has grown so that the new department is necessitated. We hope soon to equip a traveling laboratory, which will be taken throughout the state and demonstrations of problem solutions given just where the problems are. No state needs this work so badly as Oregon. We could use a staff of 50 lecturers on agricultural education right now had we the appropriation."

CARNEGIE MAY BUILD TEMPLE FOR RED MEN

(Special to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., Jan. 8.—Joe Craig, the Indian elected secretary of the Brotherhood of North American Indians, at the recent meeting in Washington, has returned to his home here, but is preparing to return to the capital city for another meeting, which will convene on January 15. He declares his duties will keep him in Washington a great deal of the time. Craig makes the announcement that following a conference he and other officers of the Indian organization had with Andrew Carnegie, the iron master will probably erect a permanent building for red men in Washington.

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