

Beans Talked As Cash Crop

Lebanon Farmers Look Into Proposal Advanced by County Agent

LEBANON, March 25.—Among the various projects for raising cash crops in Llan county is the suggestion by County Agent Floyd C. Mullen for a conference of farmers with representatives of the Mark Means seed company of Lewiston, Ida., to receive information as to raising and harvesting beans. It is estimated that from 800 to 1500 pounds per acre may be produced, dependent on soil and farming conditions.

Road work in the vicinity of Lebanon, drainage and clearing of embankments is employing 75 WPA workers, according to the report of the county court.

Miss Mary McCormick, a teacher in Portland, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McCormick.

Mrs. E. A. Carsey will leave soon for an indefinite stay with relatives in Denver, Colo.

Study Club Meets
Mrs. C. R. McCormick was hostess Tuesday to the study club at a very interesting meeting. Mrs. Harold Irvine led the program on "Music and Musical Comedies" and sang two members. Mrs. Frank Mayer was a guest of the club.

The Presbyterian missionary society met Wednesday with Mrs. H. A. Saunders with Mrs. Jack Hack assistant hostess; arrangements were made for the annual

Smaller Strikes in Detroit Are Smashed



Police escort striker from R. G. Dunn cigar factory in Detroit after a battle. Police staged a series of spectacular raids on the smaller sit-down strikes last Saturday, arresting more than 100 persons illegally occupying premises.—International Illustrated News photo.

Mail Carrier Has Travels Extended

GRAND ISLAND, March 25.—Harry Gray, Dayton mail carrier in this district, has had his route extended several miles and is now carrying the mail as far as the Roy Stoutenberg farm near the lower end of the island and also on the loop road near the head of the island where he serves the George Asher, Merlin Harding, William Taylor and several other families.

Roy E. Will had the small bone between the elbow and wrist in his right arm broken recently when he was kicked by a cow.

The Mothers' Circle club presented its annual benefit program at the school house Saturday night before an overcrowded and appreciative audience. Net proceeds were more than \$90.

Lockwood of State Game Commission to Give Talk

MOUNTAIN VIEW, March 25.—Charles Lockwood of the state game commission will furnish the program for the PTA meeting Friday night, showing films of Oregon wild life.

Mrs. Prudence Bouffleur is in Salem general hospital where she was taken Monday following a paralytic stroke. She is reported slightly improved.

Installation of Equipment Starts In Amity's Dehydration Plant in Preparation for Big Year on Fruit

AMITY, March 25.—Equipment installation will permit of a pack of about 125,000 cases.

Osborne has faith in the fruit industry of this locality and pioneered in the dehydrating business here. His first venture was in 1918 when he constructed a prune dryer here. Coincidentally this establishment of his business here, he planted a 15-acre prune orchard and in 1927 his second dryer was built with a capacity of 1200 boxes of fruit daily. In 1928 this building was enlarged and the output doubled. Osborne has

This added water feature will permit the grading of soft fruits such as loganberries, raspberries and strawberries without the danger of breaking down the fruit. Osborne was in Seattle and Everett this week to complete the purchase of other new equipment, consisting of exhaust boxes, and a No. 10 cooker and cooler. For the preparation and cook room this plant has 10,000 square feet of floor space and the new warehouse built in 1935 with 17,500 square feet of floor space will be used for storage and warehouse purposes.

Plan Big Pack Prunes
Major operations for the first year will be prunes with a limited pack of cherries and berries. Other lines such as pears, apples and vegetables will be added as the growth of the business and market will demand. Present in-

also pioneered in walnut drying, bleaching and grading.

Nebraska Group Visits At Miller Home While Looking For Location

UNIONVALE, March 24.—Ira Horner and son George Horner and their friend Arthur Horner of Dorchester and Beaver Crossing, Nebr., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Miller. Ira Horner is an uncle and George a cousin of Mrs. Miller. They have disposed of their Nebraska property and will locate on the Pacific coast. They were neighbors when Mr. and Mrs. Miller resided in Nebraska.

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Lady business executive could qualify for this position.

References required. Address Statesman box 198 for personal interview with District Manager, giving address and telephone number.

church dinner at the church Thursday night. Mrs. N. M. Newport led the program on Japan and home mission work.

Ralph Hannah Leaves
Mrs. Ralph Hannah, a teacher in the Portland schools, with Mr. Hannah has returned home after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Taylor who continues very ill.

The free concert by the high school band and glee club Wednesday brought out a large audience who expressed hearty appreciation by cheers. The new band uniforms with scarlet coats, blue trousers with scarlet stripes, hats in red and gold attracted much attention as many of the audience were viewing them for the first time.

A son was born March 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Farrell. This is their fourth child and third son. Preceding the lodge meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday night members of the Rebekah lodge served the regular monthly dinner with Iva Cruson, Laura Heinrich, Marie Bobesh, Lizzie Emery, Ida Kirk and Ava MacMillan, committee on dinner and arrangements.

History of Polk County Will Be Theme For Club In Ellendale Community

ELLENDALE, March 25.—The Ellendale Woman's club held a covered dish dinner at the home of Mrs. Forest Martin Wednesday. Ten members and one guest, Mrs. Ed Steele, enjoyed the affair. They quitted for Mrs. Martin during the business with Mrs. Oona Smith in charge. The group plans to conduct a study class on the history of Polk county and the immediate surroundings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jom McGarvey of Poroka, Alberta, Canada, surprised their old neighbors and friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. McPetridge, Tuesday by dropping in for a few days' visit on their way home from wintering.

Brown Critically Ill
ROBERTS, March 25.—C. W. Brown, who is suffering from a stroke, is seriously ill at his home.

Grangers' News

RICKEALL, March 25.—The first and second degrees of the grange will be conferred upon a number of candidates by the Rickereall women's degree team Friday night at the regular meeting.

The third of the series of dances sponsored by the grange will be given Saturday, March 27, and will be a "hard times" costume affair.

LIBERTY, March 25.—The Red Hills grange met Tuesday night and plans for the grange fair to be held next fall were discussed.

A program with a theme of Easter, presented by Mrs. Grant Teter, was: prelude, piano, Mrs. Joy Turner Moses; song by grange; Easter message and prayer, P. G. Judd, chaplain; reading, "The Touch of the Master's Hand," Mrs. E. O. Beckley; guitar solo, V. Ballantyne; the grange ritual and holy writ, W. R. Dallas; reading and tableau "At Eventide," Mildred Zosel and Mrs. R. L. Forster; song by the grange.

Salt Creek Pastor and Quartet Give Program; Villwock on Zink Farm

SALT CREEK, March 25.—Rev. G. Neumann was in charge of the German Baptist services broadcast over KWJJ Sunday afternoon. A girls' quartet accompanied him to Portland to furnish the music for the program. They were Arlene and Mildred Voth, Mildred and Viola Schneider and Mrs. Norman Classen as accompanist.

William Villwock has rented the Adolf Zink farm this year and is busy now with several boys pruning the orchard and getting ready for spring cultivation.

Daughter to Palmers

UNIONVALE, March 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday, March 23, at the E street hospital in McMinnville.

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