

# Meetings Scheduled to Launch Farm Defense Program in County

## Federal Men On Program

### Increased Production And Individual Sign-Ups Get Attention

Two series of meetings reaching every county in the state between October 14 and 24, have been arranged by the Oregon USDA agricultural defense board as a means of acquainting workers in each of Oregon's 36 counties with the task ahead in the farm defense program and in preparing for carrying it out. The meeting in Marion county will be held October 16 and 23.

The USDA agricultural defense board, headed by Robert Taylor, Adams, includes representatives of all agencies of the federal department of agriculture active in this state.

The board has been called upon by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard to direct the work of agricultural defense in this state, the chief item of which is increasing the production of certain foods including milk, meat, eggs and vegetables both for processing and home and market use.

By using a large number of teams made up of specialists from the various agencies on the defense board, it will be possible to complete each series of meetings in four days. Each meeting will start at 9 o'clock and will be presided over by the chairman of the county defense board, who is also the county AAA chairman.

The first or kickoff meeting will be attended by one representative of the state USDA defense board and such other specialists as are needed from the member agencies, which include the extension service, the AAA, the FSA, the SMA, forest service, SCS, FCA, BAE and REA.

The first meeting, October 16, will be devoted to considering the work to be done in each county and in establishing the county goals. The morning session will be for defense board members, and at the afternoon session a larger representation, including county land use planning groups, certain committees of previous economic conferences, and AAA supervisors and community committeemen, will plan detailed procedure for obtaining the individual farm sign-up in the defense program.

The second or training meeting will be October 23 for those people in each county who will contact farmers for the purpose of assisting them in completing their farm plan sheets.

## Produce Packages Must Have Name And Address

Amendments this year to the Oregon horticultural products marketing law did not do away with requirements that the name and address of grower, shipper or dealer and the net weight or numerical count of contents appear on all produce sold by the package, the state department of agriculture points out.

The size of the letters printed, stamped or stenciled on the package or its label remains the same: 1/2 inch in height and 3/16 inch in width.

The 1941 amendments did make grade markings permissive instead of compulsory on all items except potatoes, onions and nuts—subjects of specific law.

The law also prohibits deceptive pack, which means any arrangement of horticultural products which has in the outer layer or exposed surface products superior in quality, size and condition to those in the interior such as to misrepresent materially the contents of the lot.

Slack fill containers are considered deceptive pack. These are such that deceive the purchaser in regard to the total contents.

Used containers are permissible under the 1941 amendments, provided all previous markings or labels are entirely removed or defaced to destroy their legibility. In case of sacks, these may be turned inside out.

The department says that especially important is the name and address on the container, for only in this way may it be traced back to the sources for correction in event of violation.

## "Strictly Private"



## Closing Quotations

NEW YORK, Oct. 9 (AP)—Today's closing quotations:

|                   |         |                  |         |                  |        |
|-------------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------------|--------|
| Air Reduction     | 39 3/4  | Doug Aircraft    | 71 1/4  | Phelps Dodge     | 39     |
| Alchem Juneau     | 3 1/4   | Du Pont De N     | 149 1/2 | Phillips Pet     | 45     |
| Al Chem & Dye     | 157     | Eastman Kodak    | 137     | Proc & Gamble    | 57 1/2 |
| Allis Chal        | 28 1/2  | Elec Pow & Lt    | 1 1/4   | Pub Serv NJ      | 19 1/2 |
| American Can      | 83 1/2  | Gen Electric     | 30 1/4  | Pullman          | 25 1/2 |
| Am Car & Fdy      | 83 1/4  | Gen Foods        | 40 1/2  | Radio            | 3 1/2  |
| Am Rd & Std Stn   | 5 1/2   | Gen Motors       | 40 1/4  | Rayonier Pfd     | 27 1/2 |
| Am Rolling Mills  | 12 1/2  | Goodrich         | 20      | Republic Steel   | 17 1/2 |
| Am Smelt & Rf     | 38 1/2  | Goodyear         | 18      | Richfield Oil    | 10 1/4 |
| Am Tel & Tel      | 153 1/4 | Grt Northern     | 24 1/4  | Union Carbide    | 74     |
| Am Tobacco B      | 7 1/4   | Greyhound        | 13 1/4  | Safeway Stores   | 43 1/2 |
| Am Water Wks      | 3 1/2   | Illinois Central | 8 1/4   | Sears Roebuck    | 70 1/2 |
| Am Zinc L & S     | 5 1/2   | Insp Copper      | 10 1/4  | Shell Union      | 13 1/2 |
| Anacosta          | 25 1/4  | Internat Harv    | 50      | Socony Vacuum    | 9 1/2  |
| Armour Illinois   | 4 1/4   | Internat Nickel  | 27 1/2  | Sou Cal Edison   | 23 1/2 |
| Atchafson Corp    | 27 1/2  | Int Pap & P      | 67 1/2  | South Pacific    | 12 1/2 |
| Aviation Corp     | 19 3/4  | Int Tel & Tel    | 2 1/2   | Sperry Corp      | 33 1/2 |
| Baldwin Loco      | 14 1/4  | Kenecott         | 33 1/2  | Stand Brands     | 5 1/4  |
| Bendix Avia       | 36 1/4  | Libbey-O-Ford    | 28 1/4  | Stand Oil Calif  | 23 1/4 |
| Bethlehem Steel   | 62 1/2  | Lockheed         | 26 1/2  | Stan Oil Indiana | 31 1/2 |
| Boeing Airplane   | 19 1/4  | Lowe's           | 37 1/4  | Stand Oil NJ     | 41     |
| Borden            | 20 1/2  | Long-Bell A      | 2 1/2   | Stone & Webster  | 6 1/2  |
| California Pack   | 22      | Monty Ward       | 32 1/4  | Studebaker       | 5 1/4  |
| Callahan Z & L    | 13-16   | Nash Kelvin      | 4 1/2   | Sunshine Mining  | 5 1/2  |
| Calumet Hec       | 5 1/4   | Nat Biscuit      | 17 1/4  | Texas Corp       | 40 1/2 |
| Canada Dry        | 15 1/2  | Nat Dairy Prod   | 15 1/4  | Trans-America    | 4 1/2  |
| Canadian Pacific  | 4 1/4   | Nat Distillers   | 23 1/4  | Union Carbide    | 74     |
| Caterpillar Trac  | 42 1/2  | National ead     | 16 1/2  | Union Oil Calif  | 15     |
| Celanese          | 23      | LNy Central      | 11 1/2  | United Airlines  | 13 1/2 |
| Chesa & Ohio      | 36 1/4  | North Am Av      | 13 1/2  | United Aircraft  | 36     |
| Chrysler          | 56 1/4  | North Am Co      | 12 1/2  | United Corp      | 7-16   |
| Col. Gas & Elec   | 2 1/4   | Northern Pacific | 4 1/2   | United Drug      | 23 1/4 |
| Commer Solvent    | 9 1/4   | Ohio Oil         | 8 1/2   | United Foods     | 72 1/4 |
| Common & Sou      | 5-16    | Otis Steel       | 6 1/2   | US Rubber        | 23 1/4 |
| Consolid Aircraft | 37 1/2  | Pac Amer Fish    | 11      | US Rubber Pfd    | 98 1/2 |
| Consolid Edison   | 16      | Pac Gas & Elec   | 24 1/2  | US Steel         | 52 1/4 |
| Consolid Oil      | 6 1/4   | Packard          | 2 1/4   | Vanadium         | 22     |
| Continental Can   | 36 1/4  | Pan Am Airways   | 17      | Warner Pic       | 5      |
| Corn Products     | 52      | Paramount Pic    | 13 1/2  | Western Union    | 43 1/2 |
| Crown Zeller      | 13 1/2  | J C Penney       | 63 1/2  | Westing Elec     | 82 1/2 |
| Curtiss Wright    | 9 1/4   | Penn RR          | 22 1/4  | Woolworth        | 30 1/2 |

## Quotations at Portland

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9 (AP)—Country meats—Retailing price to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers, 128-140 lbs., 15 1/2-18c; light-thin, 14-17c; vealers, 18-20c; heavy, 16-18c; lambs, yearlings, 10-14c; 1941 spring lambs 18-19c; ewes 6-10c; good cut-canner, 12-12 1/2c; heavy, 11-12c; 12c; bulls, 14 1/2-15c.

Live poultry—Buying prices: No. 1 grade Leghorn broilers, under 1 1/2 lbs., 17c; over 1 1/2 lbs., 16c; fancy, 17 1/2c; 17 1/2c; roasters, over 4 lbs., 17c; colored hens 17 1/2c; Leghorns, under 3 1/2 lbs., 16c; over 3 1/2 lbs., 16c. Old roosters 8c lb.

Dressed turkeys—No. 1 retailing prices: Hiens, old crop, 24-26c; crop, 27c, toms 28c.

Onions—Oregon 1 1/2-1 3/4, 80-lb. box; Walla Walla, 1 1/2, 80-lb. box; Peas—Coast No. 1, 2.25-2.50 box; Brownseed 1.75-2.00 box.

Peppers—Green, 30c; box. Potatoes—New white locals, 1.50 cental; Deschutes locals 1.85. Yakima No. 1 Gem, 1.80-1.85 cental; Klamath Falls, 1.85 cental.

Hay—Selling price on tracks: Alfalfa No. 1, 18.00; oat-wheat, 12.50 ton; Willamette valley, clover, 11.00 ton; timothy, eastern Oregon, 21.00 ton.

Hides—Calves, 20c; green beef, 16c; kip 15c; bull 4c.

Mohair—1941, 12-month, 45c lb.

Nuts—Price to wholesaler: Filberts: Barcelona, jumbo 2 1/2, large 1 1/2, fancy 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; Duchilly, jumbo 2 1/2, large 1 1/2, fancy 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; brixnuts, 1 1/2, large 1 1/2, fancy 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4.

Walnuts—Price to wholesaler: First grade Franquettes 2 1/2, large 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; second grade Franquettes, large 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; Mayette, large 2 1/2, second grade Franquettes, large 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; baby 1 1/4; soft-shell, large, 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; second grade Franquettes, large 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; baby 1 1/4; soft-shell, large, 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; second grade Franquettes, large 1 1/2, medium 1 1/4, baby 1 1/4; baby 1 1/4.

Wheat—Selling price, city delivery, to 22 lbs. lots; family pack, 4 1/2, 7.00-7.60; 5 1/2, 6.90-7.50; bbl.; bakers' hard wheat net, 5.90-6.50; bleached, 5.45-6.05; soft wheat 5.45-5.50; bluestem 6.15-6.65.

Hops—1941, 35c lb.

Cassava bark—1940 peel, 10c lb.; 1941 10c lb.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9 (AP)—Wheat: Open High Low Close  
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De-cash grain: Oats No. 2-38 lb. white 35.50; barley No. 2-45 lb. BW 30.00; Corn No. 2-EY shipments—No. 1 flax 1.95.

Cash wheat (bid): Soft white 94; 35.50; white excluding Soft 97; White Club 98; western red 97 1/2.

Hard red winter: Ordinary 91; 10 per cent 1.05; 11 per cent 1.01; 12 per cent 1.05.

Hard white-Bart: Ordinary 98; 10 per cent 1.05; 11 per cent 1.11; 12 per cent 1.15.

Today's car receipts: Wheat 9; barley 2; flour 8; corn 3; oats 3; hay 1; millfeed 1.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9 (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs: Salable 300, total 650.

Barrow and gilts: 140-180 lbs. 10.00@10.50; do 180-200 lbs. 10.25@11.00; do 200-220 lbs. 10.50@11.00; do 220-240 lbs. 10.25@10.85; do 240-270 lbs. 10.00@10.25; do 270-300 lbs. 9.75@10.15; Feeder pigs gd-ch, 70-120, 10.50@11.50; Cattle: Salable and total 100, Calves salable 35, total 50.

Steers, do good, 90-1100 lbs. 10.50@12.50; do med, 750-1100 lbs. 9.00@10.75; do common, 750-1100 lbs. 8.00@9.25; Heifers, good, 750-900 lbs. 9.75@10.50; do med, 500-900 lbs. 8.75@9.75; do com, 500-900 lbs. 7.25@8.50.

Cows, good, all wts. 7.75@8.50; do medium, all wts. 7.00@7.75; do com, all wts. 5.50@7.00; do canner, all wts. 4.50@5.50; Bulls (yearlings excluded): beef, good, all wts. 9.00@9.50; do sausage, good, all wts. 8.75@9.25; do saur, med, all wts. 7.75@8.75; do cut-com, all wts. 6.50@7.75; Calves gd-ch 10.50@12.00; do com-med 7.50@10.50; do cull 6.00@7.50; Vealers, gd-ch, all wts. 12.00@13.00; do com-med, all wts. 8.50@12.00; do cull, all wts. 6.50@8.50; Sheep: Salable and total 50.

Ewes (shorn) gd-ch 4.50@5.00; do com-med 2.50@4.50; Spring lambs—do gd-ch 8.75@10.00; do med-gd 7.50@9.50; do common 6.25@9.00.

## Produce Exchange

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9 (AP)—Butter prices: A grade 40 1/2c in parchment wrappers; 41 1/2c in cartons; B grade 39 1/2c in parchment wrappers; 40 1/2c in cartons.

Butterfat—First quality, maximum 98 of 1 per cent acidity, delivered Portland, 41-42 1/2c; 2d premium quality (maximum of 35 of 1 per cent acidity) 42-43 1/2c; valley routes and country points 2c less; or 30c; second quality 3 cents under first, or 38 1/2c.

Eggs—Prices to producers: A large 34c; B large 33c; medium, A large 34c; B large 33c; medium, A small 17c. Resale to retailers 4c higher for cases, cartons 6c higher.

Cheese—Selling price to Portland retailers: Tillamook triplets 28c lb.;

## Squash Market Steady

PORTLAND, Oct. 9 (AP)—The Portland wholesale squash market remained virtually unchanged Thursday with Hubbard and Marblehead around 1 1/4 cents a pound. Danish held around 75 cents cantaloupe crate. Zucchini was 25-30 cents.

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## Salem Market Quotations

The prices below supplied by a local grocer are indicative of the daily market prices paid to growers by Salem buyers but are not guaranteed by The Statesman:

VEGETABLES

|                              |      |
|------------------------------|------|
| Apples, box                  | 1.00 |
| Beets, bunch, doz.           | .40  |
| Brussels sprout, flat        | 1.10 |
| Cabbage                      | 1.80 |
| Carrots                      | .20  |
| Cauliflower, crate           | 1.40 |
| Celery, green                | .40  |
| Corn, fresh, doz.            | .17  |
| Danish squash                | 1.35 |
| Garlic, lb.                  | .15  |
| Onions, green                | .10  |
| Hubbard squash               | .018 |
| Lettuce, 50                  | 1.50 |
| Mustard greens, doz.         | .60  |
| Parasip, lug                 | .75  |
| Onions, 50 lbs.              | 1.50 |
| Peppers, green, lb.          | .02  |
| Potatoes, 100 lbs. No. 1 new | 1.25 |
| Potatoes, No. 2, 50-lb. bag  | .55  |
| Radishes, doz.               | .40  |

GRAIN, HAY AND SEEDS

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Barley, No. 1          | 30.00          |
| Feed barley, ton       | 30.00          |
| Clover hay, ton        | 9.00 to 10.00  |
| Alfalfa hay, ton       | 10.00 to 12.00 |
| Dairy feed, 80-lb. bag | 1.70           |
| Hay, scratch           | 2.25           |
| Cracked corn           | 2.25           |
| Wheat                  | .90 to 1.00    |

BUTTER PRICES (Buying Prices)

|          |     |
|----------|-----|
| A        | .41 |
| B        | .40 |
| Quarters | .42 |

Buying prices: A grade print 41 1/2c; B grade 40 1/2c; quarters 42 1/2c.

EGGS AND POULTRY (Buying Prices of Advertiser)

BUTTERFAT

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| No. 1             | .41     |
| No. 2             | .37 1/2 |
| Premium           | .42     |
| Colored white     | .35     |
| Extra large brown | .35     |
| Medium            | .30     |
| Standard          | .30     |
| Pullies           | .18     |
| Colored hens      | .16     |
| Colored fryers    | .17     |
| White Leghorn     | .13     |
| Old roosters      | .06     |

BUYER PRICES OF MARION CREAMERY

BUTTERFAT

|         |     |
|---------|-----|
| Premium | .42 |
| No. 1   | .41 |
| No. 2   | .39 |

EGGS

|                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Large A                | .35 |
| Medium A               | .30 |
| Medium B               | .26 |
| Small                  | .22 |
| Checks                 | .22 |
| Colored hens           | .15 |
| Colored fryers         | .16 |
| Leghorn fryers         | .18 |
| Leghorn hens           | .13 |
| Old roosters           | .06 |
| No. 2 poultry 66 less. | .48 |

## Grain Market Prices Drop

### CHICAGO, Oct. 9 (AP)—Grain prices tumbled 1/2 to 3 cents a bushel and soybeans more than 4 cents at one time Thursday as commodity values retreated due to selling which traders said was stimulated principally by Russian war news.

Wheat closed 1 1/4-2 1/4 cents lower than Wednesday, December \$1.18-1/2, May \$1.23-1/4, at the lowest level in almost three weeks.

All cereals were depressed by scarcity of terminal market storage space, which tended to limit demand from commercial and industrial interests. Despite this, larger receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth were reported.

HOPS (Buying Prices)

|               |          |
|---------------|----------|
| 1942 contract | 36       |
| 1941          | 32 to 38 |
| Seedless      | 38       |

LIVESTOCK (Buying prices for No. 1 stock, based on conditions and sales reported up to 4 p.m.)

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Top lambs              | 10.00          |
| Sheep                  | 4.00 to 5.00   |
| Hogs, top 100-200 lbs. | 10.50          |
| Sows                   | 8.50           |
| Yeast, top             | 12.00 to 13.50 |
| Dairy type cows        | 6.00 to 8.25   |
| Beef cows              | 6.50 to 7.00   |
| Bulls                  | 8.00 to 8.75   |
| Heifers                | 6.50 to 7.25   |
| Dressed veal           | .18            |

WOOL AND MOHAIR

|        |     |
|--------|-----|
| Lambs  | .40 |
| Mohair | .33 |

## Stocks and Bonds

October 9  
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STOCK AVERAGES

|              |           |      |      |
|--------------|-----------|------|------|
| Net change   | D. 1 A. 1 | Unch | Unch |
| Wednesday    | 60.5      | 17.2 | 31.8 |
| Previous day | 60.6      | 17.1 | 31.8 |
| Month ago    | 61.6      | 17.2 | 32.1 |
| Year ago     | 62.1      | 16.5 | 35.1 |
| 1941 high    | 63.9      | 19.0 | 35.9 |
| 1941 low     | 54.8      | 15.4 | 30.3 |

BOND AVERAGES

|              |           |       |       |
|--------------|-----------|-------|-------|
| Net change   | D. 1 A. 1 | Unch  | Unch  |
| Wednesday    | 62.6      | 106.2 | 102.1 |
| Previous day | 62.7      | 106.2 | 102.1 |
| Month ago    | 62.1      | 106.0 | 101.8 |
| Year ago     | 59.8      | 104.2 | 98.5  |
| 1941 high    | 66.5      | 108.2 | 102.2 |
| 1941 low     | 60.3      | 104.2 | 99.0  |

## Two 4H Clubs Name Heads

GRAND ISLAND — Two 4H clubs have been organized among the students with the teacher, Mrs. Grace Duren, leader.

The officers elected for the Tri-Hard Art club are Doris Culp, president; Robert Taylor, vice-president; Larry Hill, secretary. The membership of the club includes all of the students from the fourth grade to the eighth grade, inclusive.

Officers elected for the new year in the Happy Sunshine Health club are Iva Rockhill, president; Nellie Ferguson, vice-president and Nell Trammell, secretary. This club includes all of the students from the fifth to the eighth grades inclusive.

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