

WCTU Children's Farm Home To Observe 25th Anniversary

The WCTU Children's Farm Home, three miles north of Corvallis on the Corvallis-Albany Highway, will observe its 25th anniversary at a special ceremony Sunday afternoon, Aug. 22.

Marshall N. Dana, editor of the editorial page of the Oregon Journal in Portland, will be the main speaker at a formal 2:30 p. m. program.

Over 1200 More than 1200 underprivileged children have profited from the benefits accorded by the Children's Farm Home during the past quarter century. The 285-acre farm was purchased by units of the WCTU, and ground for the first cottage was broken Dec. 16, 1922.

Today the farm is the home of 160 children ranging in age from five to 17 years of age. They are housed in groups of 20 in separate cottages, with each group constituting a family unit.

Service Record
In service during the war were 225 former members of the Farm Home family, five of whom were killed.

The farm is mostly self-supporting. It has a 35-cow dairy herd, chickens and hogs, together with vegetable gardens and fruit crops. These home-grown commodities, together with an occasional truckload of apples, pears or other food contributed by friends of the home, give an ample supply of food at minimum cost.

This is supplemented by several thousand gallons of fruits and vegetables canned in the Farm Home cannery to meet the home's requirements the year around.

Sen. Cordon to Work On Portland Housing

PORTLAND (R-Ore.)—Senator Cordon returned to Oregon Saturday and said he would take up the Portland housing situation at once.

The senator said he would call a meeting here this week to determine if housing could be speeded up for flood refugees.

Cordon also defended the 80th Congress.

"The Congress was biting into some of the most complex problems of our time, and it refused to be stampeded. It did not do all its work but no Congress ever has and none ever will," he told an interviewer.

He forecast a Republican victory in the fall elections.

Eugene Dog Owners Place in Renton Show

Eugene dog owners were pleased with their winnings at the recent Olympic Kennel Club dog show Surrey Lane Kennels (Dalmatians) took best of breed, and a reserve winner in the pup class.

Cocker spaniel owners had a "field day." Mrs. Ray Bond, president of the Eugene Kennel Club, took reserve winners with a particular; Vivian Scott of Scott's Farm Kennels of Elkton, a member of the Eugene Kennel Club, showed a red cocker which took the winners bitch title. Martha Thompson won with a red and white cocker.

Willamette Pass Lake Sites Visited by Scouts

Under the leadership of Willamette Forest Supervisor J. R. Bruckart, Scouts recently visited key lake sites on the Willamette Pass area. The party visited Summit Lake, Crescent Lake, and Waldo in addition to several minor lakes. Taylor Burn camping area was also inspected.

Participating in the three-day camping trek were Council President J. R. Bruckart, Baker, Executive Chairman Alton F. Baker, Executive Board Member Percy Brown, and Council Scout Executive Roger Bales, all of Eugene.

Ferry St. Bridge Bank Revetment Underway

Miller and Strong, Inc., of Eugene, announced Saturday they had already started bank revetment work at the Ferry St. Bridge, after winning a \$6000 army engineers contract Friday.

Poultrymen Set Annual Picnic

Annual Lane County poultrymen's picnic will be at Benton-Lane Park Sunday, Aug. 29, starting at 12:30 p. m. with pot-luck dinner. Speaker will be N. L. Bension, Oregon State College, poultry specialist, who will discuss the general situation and enforcement of the egg grading laws.

Duane Crabtree, Eugene, immediate past president of the Oregon Feed and Seed Dealers Assn., will speak on the feed situation. The poultry situation in Lane will be covered by O. S. Fletcher, county agent.

J. C. Jager, president of the poultrymen's association, said there will also be musical numbers on the program. Ice cream, coffee, sugar and coffee cream is to be furnished by the association. Guests are asked to bring some kind of container for the coffee.

This is the first poultry picnic since the war. Prior to the war, they were a regular annual event. All poultrymen and their friends are invited.

BODY RETURNED

The body of Pvt. Roy M. Hermann, Army, son of H. G. Hermann, Monroe, has been returned to the United States. His body will be sent to a regional distribution center from New York before being sent home.

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