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More Income Now Forseen In 1941 for Agriculture

Improved domestic demand for farm products, smaller exports, higher average prices and larger total cash income are some of the prospects for agriculture seen for next year by the national agricul-

tural outlook conference recently held in Washington, D. C. L. H. Breithaupt, extension agricultural economist, represented Oregon state college at the conference.

Professor Breithaupt is now a work preparing summaries of the conference findings as they apply to the various commodities and products of particular importance in Oregon. These will be issued from time to time as prepared.

Farm income, including government payments, may be the largest since 1929 if present indications materialize, the conference decided. This will not be all gain to the farmers however, as increased costs of commodities and services used on the farm cancel part of the prospective income gain.

Total production of agricultural commodities next year may be a little lower than in 1940, but the total supply including carry-over will be fully adequate for the country's needs, it was predicted. Producers of dairy and poultry products, meats, and some fruits and vegetables are expected to be in the best position as their production is largely for the domestic market.

The outlook for such crops as cotton, wheat and tobacco is less promising, the conference pointed out, and the principal support to prices of these export commodities will be the government loan and export programs.

National defense in relation to agriculture was given special consideration by the conference, Breithaupt reports. The total "agricultural plant" is in the best condition for many years, with soil productivity increased and man power more than adequate for any emergency, it was held.

Industrial expansion for national defense is chiefly to be credited with expected increased employment, more consumer income and consequent improved domestic demand for farm products, the conference reported.

U. S. Marines to Observe Birthday of Their Corps

Hail to all 'devil dogs', 'leathernecks' or U. S. Marines who celebrate their Corps birthday on November 10! Long years of service to the Nation by Uncle Sam's 'devil-dogs' will be remembered by many when the U. S. Marine Corps observes its 165th anniversary on that date.

The U. S. Marine Corps, which derives its heritage from the British Royal Marines, saw its inception on November 10, 1775, when Continental Congress took the first official step to provide for marines by authorizing the raising of two

marine battalions. The resolution specified that personnel selected for the marine battalions be 'good seamen or so acquainted with maritime affairs as to be able to serve to advantage at sea.'

Since the colonial era the Marine Corps has taken long strides in its development, until it has now become one of the best organized, most formidable fighting branches of Uncle Sam's armed forces. The modern marine is recognized as being everything of a soldier and at the same time something of a sailor. Hence he is often called a 'soldier of the sea.' He may be called upon to perform almost any task that will render security to the citizens of this nation, at home or abroad, ashore or afloat.

The mental and moral qualities, as well as physical, of the American Marine have been tested since the birth of the nation. All through the history of the Marine Corps there are examples of his versatility, trustworthiness, singleness, and tenacity of purpose, pride, discipline, courage, faithfulness and self sacrifice.

Jerk Recorder Finds "Smooth" Car Drivers

"Two unique better driving devices, the A.A.A. Driving Jerk Recorder and the A.A.A. Brake Reaction Detonator are being widely used in high school driver training courses to develop the new generation into sportsmanlike automobile drivers," Dr. E. B. McDaniel, president of the Oregon State Motor association said last week.

"Opening of schools last month throughout the country saw thousands of students enrolled in driver education and training courses, many using dual control driving training cars for actual behind the wheel training," he said. "This is one of the steps that national leaders believe will go far in making the nation's highways safer for all within the next few years. One prominent official of the U. S. Public Roads Administration has declared that there is no better way to raise the driving standards of the motorized population than to embark on a systematic course of raising in our public schools.

"The Driving Jerk Recorder has been designed to measure smoothness in driving. It is placed on the floor of the car and measures all jerks made in starting or stopping. It helps students to learn to drive more smoothly, to shift gears evenly and smoothly and not to come to jerky stops which throw their passengers off balance, by giving them an objective measure of driving."

"The A.A.A. Brake Reaction Detonator helps teachers demonstrate stopping distances. The student is shown that no matter how hard he tries, he just can't stop on a dime and, therefore, must anticipate conditions ahead. The detonator fires

a blank cartridge to make a mark on the pavement when the driver is given a signal to stop, and another mark when the brakes are applied. A third mark is made directly under the device when the car comes to a final stop. These marks make it possible to measure the individual's reaction time distance, and his braking and total stopping distance," the motor association president said.

BETTER PLACE TO LIVE

We've grown so used to war and politics holding the headlines that we've forgotten many other activities which come a great deal nearer home to most of us.

The work of organized American retailing in behalf of American agriculture falls into that classification. The special promotional campaigns for "distressed" crops were a chain store innovation of a few years back. The chains have kept up the good work, and independent store groups have joined in. The result is that several times each year this country's best and most progressive stores feature, advertise, and promote the consumption of some basic farm product — nuts, milk, butter, fowl, beef, fruit and so on down the line.

That is the kind of work that keeps this country going — the kind of work that makes jobs and purchasing power and helps maintain a sounder economic balance between city and country. It's a big job, and the retailers do it in a big way.

While you're reading about war and politics, don't forget it's activities of this kind, going on quietly and peacefully, that play a part in keeping this country a good place in which to live.

Creaky stairs may be silenced by nailing headless finishing nails through the treads into the risers below them. The tread is the flat step of a stair; the riser is the vertical piece at the back of each tread. The nails used should be two and one half to three inches in length. They should slant alternately to left and to right as they are nailed in place. Two may be enough. After counter sinking, the nailholes should be filled with plastic wood or putty and tinted to match the woodwork.

COLOR SELLS HOUSES SAYS EXPERT

Many home owners who put their homes on the market, fail to get fair offers for them because their houses fail to stimulate the prospective purchaser. Effective selling appeal can be generated with properly applied color, says Frederick H. Bahr, noted house colorist. "The exterior should receive first consideration," he says, "as it is the part of the house first seen. Gay

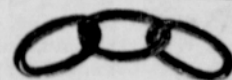
colors on roof, trim and shutters will give a house greater individuality—make it more desirable. Two of the most effective selling colors are Chinese red, for the front door, and blue-green — a popular asphalt shingle color — for the roof. We have found these two colors to be most liked by most people.

ALL GLASS BATHROOM

No window shades are necessary in a new type of house bathroom, although one entire outside wall is built of glass. The glass is used in glass blocks, however, which are translucent, and will admit light, but are not transparent. The room thus has complete privacy.

LIVING IN A SMALL TOWN

I like to live in a little town
Where the trees meet over the street
And you wave your hand and say 'Hello'
To everyone you meet.
I like to stop for a minute
Outside a grocery store
And hear the kindly gossip
Of the folks moving in next door.
For life is interwoven
With the friends you learn to know,
And you feel their joys and sorrows
As they daily come and go.
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And I care no more to roam,
For every house in a little town
Is more than a house—it's home.



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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of GUSTAVE F. HOFFMEYER, Deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that the county court for Jackson County, Oregon, has appointed me administrator of the estate of Gustave F. Hoffmeyer, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers within six months from this date at the office of Neff and Frohmayer, Cooley Theatre Building, Medford, Oregon. Dated October 31, 1940. PORTER J. NEFF, administrator. O31-N21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of IDA H. WILSON, Deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that the county court for Jackson County, Oregon, has appointed us executors of the estate of Ida H. Wilson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers within six months from this date at the office of Neff and Frohmayer, Cooley Theatre Bldg., Medford, Oregon. Dated October 31, 1940.

ROBERT M. WILSON
RICHARD H. WILSON
Executors
O31-N21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of

F. L. ORR, also known as FRANK L. ORR, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed by order of the above entitled Court, Administratrix of the estate of F. L. Orr, also known as Frank L. Orr, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, verified in the manner provided by law, to the undersigned at the office of F. J. Newman, attorney for said estate, in the Courthouse at Medford, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice. Dated and first published October 17, 1940.

ALMEDA J. OBENCHAIN,
Administratrix of the Estate of F. L. Orr, also known as Frank L. Orr, Deceased. O17NN7

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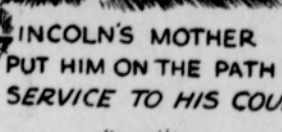
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