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PARENTS ORGANIZE

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 4.—Organization of "The Fathers of Soldiers and Sailors" will be effected at a meeting here tonight, inaugurating a new patriotic movement that may become national in scope as well as local. The league's object is to work for the welfare of all men in the service and to arrange a channel whereby parents in emergencies can learn the whereabouts of their boys with the colors. Wants of soldiers and sailors visiting Portland are being looked after by the temporary organization.

JOINT SESSION OPENS.

COVINGTON, Ore., Jan. 4.—With all the delegates to the Oregon Irrigation congress here from Portland, a joint session of this body and the State Drainage association is one of the 342 meets of Farmers Week at Oregon agricultural college. A reception was tendered the irrigators after which they were escorted about the campus. College officials, including President J. C. Coville and a session with talks on irrigation and drainage is now in progress with the following speakers: J. T. Hinkle, president irrigation congress; Governor Withycombe, Hon. Stephen A. Lowell, Pendleton; George T. Cochran, La Grande; P. A. Devers, Tualuma; W. J. Shuman, A. L. Corbly, A. Griffin, E. R. Jones, Judge W. H. R. King, L. E. Bean, H. F. Johnson. Many of the other conventions in session here adjourned today to give those attending an opportunity to be present at the big joint meeting.

"CASH AND CARRY" TO FRONT.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Jan. 4.—Those

two had an effectively cut in on the cost of living. "Cash and Carry" are likely to reign in Moscow business circles. In line with the administration's plea for lower deliveries in order to save men, horses and gasoline, a committee of merchants has been appointed to arrange a modified form of the "cash and carry" plan for adoption by all firms.

PUT ON WAR TIME BASIS.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 4.—Every hour in Washington is being put on a wartime basis by a movement the state council of defense has well under way today. This is in keeping with the suggestions of the commercial economy board of the Council of National Defense, and a special committee on commercial economy is carrying on the campaign with Washington's retailers. The program, effective today in many sections, includes: One delivery a day, limitation of credit to 20 days, selling of necessities and staple instead of luxuries, nine hour store day, opening at 8 a. m., closing at 6 p. m. including Saturdays.

PUBLIC LIKES MOVE.

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Jan. 4.—"The public likes it," says local merchants, speaking of the wartime efficiency plan adopted in Port Angeles was the first to adopt. The local merchants conducted a publicity campaign to acquaint their patrons with the need for the new regulations, and put them into effect New Year's Day. Fifty-three firms now close at 6 p. m. every day making only one delivery a day and in all other ways cooperate with the efficiency movement.

CROP SUMMARY OF 1917

Generally speaking, the season of 1917 was one of the most favorable the state has experienced in many years. Beginning with the fall of 1916, the lack of moisture greatly retarded fall plowing and seeding. Summer fallow land in the wheat belt did not have sufficient moisture for proper seeding until too late in the season, hence the usual fall seeding was for the most part done "in the dust" or postponed until spring. With a poor start the fall sown wheat was not in condition to withstand the unfavorable winter conditions, and about 20 per cent of the acreage seeded in the fall was re-sown in the spring, either to wheat or other grains. In a normal season this winter killing of fall sown grain is almost negligible.

The 1916-17 winter conditions were also very unfavorable for the production of livestock. The lack of early fall rains prevented the normal growth of pastures and ranges, which combined with early snows, necessitated the feeding of hay to range stock about a month earlier than usual. Deep snows and continued cold weather throughout the winter, in the principal stock sections, still further added to the increase in normal feed requirements. As a result the hay supply was entirely exhausted in most sections, and hay and grain had to be shipped in and sometimes hauled long distances. These unfavorable conditions were intensified by reason of the spring season being three or four weeks later than normal.

Spring and summer conditions were likewise very below normal. The weather continued wet and cold until late in the spring and the summer was very short of rainfall. In some sections there was absolutely no rain after the middle of May and many fields of corn, potatoes and beans did not get a drop of rain from seed time to harvest. Hot winds in July also added to the general unfavorable conditions. All things considered, there has probably never been a less favorable season for crop and live stock production in Oregon than that of 1917. But fortunately there has never been a better harvest season. Even with the shortage of labor it was possible to harvest all crops, even including hay, fruit and hops, with practically no loss due to weather conditions. And the good prices prevailing, gave a total value to the aggregate 1917 crop considerably in excess of the value of the bumper crop of 1916, for which very good prices were obtained.

Winter Wheat.

The unfavorable conditions in the fall of 1916 reduced the acreage sown to an area considerably below that of any season for many years past. Winter killing was greater than for many years past also. A dry, hot summer added to the unfavorable conditions, with the result that both yields per acre and total production of winter wheat was far below normal. The per acre yield is estimated at 20 bushels, and the total production at 8,400,000 bushels compared with a yield in 1916 of 23 bushels per acre, and a total production of 13,349,000 bushels.

Spring Wheat.

As a result of the unfavorable fall conditions of 1916 there was a large increase in the usual acreage seeded to spring wheat. But the summer conditions were less favorable for spring than for winter wheat. It is estimated that the 1917 yield per acre was only 11 bushels, with a total production of 4,411,000 bushels as compared with an average yield of 22 bushels, and a total production of 6,210,000 bushels in 1916.

United States crop for 1917, 222,758,000 bushels. Average yield per acre, 17.6 bu.; 1916 crop, 152,765,000 bushels. Average yield per acre, 8.8 bushels.

Corn.

Corn is a relatively unimportant crop in Oregon, the total acreage for 1917 being placed at 42,000 acres. Probably 70 per cent of this crop is used for silage stock, and for green feed. In a basis of material the yield per acre for 1917 is placed at 39 bushels as compared with 27 bushels in 1916.

Oats.

The oats acreage for 1917 shows a slight increase over that of 1916 but the yield per acre was reduced nearly one-half. In 1917 the oat yield is placed at 25 bushels per acre, with a total production of 5,125,000 bushels as compared with a yield of 48 bushels per acre, and a total production of 9,125,000 bushels as compared with a yield of 48 bushels per acre and a total production of 12,280,000 bushels in 1916.

Hay.

The 1917 hay crop, both tame and wild, is estimated at 1,356,000 tons as compared with 2,175,000 tons in 1916. With the great "clean up" of hay during the winter of 1916-17 and the prospective shortage in the fall of 1917, hay prices became unusually high. But the mild weather of November and December lessened the demand to such an extent that hay prices have materially weakened in the past few weeks.

Potatoes.

The very material increase in the 1917 potato acreage was more than offset by the reduction in yield per acre. The 1917 acreage is placed at 25,000 acres with a total production of 8,100,000 bushels, (164 bu. per acre), and the 1916 acreage at 55,000 acres and a production of 8,250,000 bushels, (150 bu. per acre). Quality of the 1917 crop is considerably below the average. United States crop for 1917, 412,236,000 bu.; 1916 crop, 446,520,000 bushels.

Practically all other crops grown in the state show an increase in acreage with the exception of hops. But yields per acre were generally below the average and considerably below the per acre yields of 1916. The most marked increase in acreage were in the planting of beans and sorghum, both of which crops were other disappointing on account of unfavorable summer conditions.

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