

Principals to Meet in Salem

The 12th annual regional conference of the Elementary School Principals is to be held in the Bush school of Salem on Saturday, February 7, under the guidance of one of Salem's city school principals and president of the conference, Miss Mathilda Gilles. The western area is composed of Benton, Coos, Douglas, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion and Polk counties. The conference theme will be "Improvement of the Instruction of the Elementary School."

This is the fourth phase of the five-year study for the improvement of elementary education in Oregon. All administrators of public and private elementary schools, county school superintendents, elementary supervisors and principals of two-teacher schools are urged to attend.

Registration begins at 9 a.m., followed by the president's greetings by Miss Mathilda Gilles. Frank Bennett, superintendent of Salem schools, is the speaker for the morning session, using for his topic, "In What Direction Are We Moving in Improving Our Instructional Program?" Other speakers for the afternoon session will be Rex Putnam, superintendent of public instruction for the state of Oregon; Wayne Herald, president of the State Elementary Principals association; Mrs. Rae Bishop, director of replacement bureau, Oregon Educational association; Mrs. Laura E. Keller, Vanport city schools, Portland; Mrs. Dorothy Daugherty, principal of Englewood school, Salem; Mrs. Rose Haldeman, principal, Whiteaker school, Eugene; and Dr. Wendell VanLoan, superintendent of schools, Corvallis.

Spencer Purchases Woodburn Florist

Woodburn—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, who have been operating the Woodburn Florist shop here for the past four months on Grant street, have sold the business to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer of Silverton who plan to move to Woodburn with their four children.

Spencer, who has been manager of the Sprouse-Reitz store at Silverton, was honored as Silverton's junior first citizen last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have purchased a flower shop at Forest Grove and have moved there.

Unionvale Unit Hears About Skin

Unionvale—"Care of the Skin" was the subject of the home demonstration unit meeting held at the Unionvale Evangelical United Brethren church educational room. Mrs. Sylvia Owens was the leader.

Guests were Mrs. J. W. Hobson and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hobson Kroenig of Broadmead, former residents of this district.

"Footstools" will be the subject of the next meeting and will be held at the same place with Miss Muriel Scales, demonstration agent, the leader.

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Census of Industry Will Be Taken Early Part of Year

A clear, complete picture of the current industrial situation in the Pacific coast states, recording the vast changes which have occurred since 1939, will be presented in the tabulations of the 1947 census of manufacturers, to be taken early in 1948 according to Director I. C. Capt, bureau of the census, department of commerce.

In 1939 there were 17,817 manufacturing establishments in the three coast states. California had 12,329 establishments, Oregon 2,248, and Washington, 3,240. The value of products manufactured in the three states amounted to \$3,300,203,768. Of this total, California accounted for \$2,798,179,423, Oregon for \$365,374,436, and Washington for \$366,649,809.

The questionnaire, which will be mailed to all United States manufacturers in January, was developed with the aid of industry in a series of conferences over the last three years. Information will be obtained on production, employment, wages, materials consumed, expenditures for plant and equipment, inventories, and related items.

Since the 1947 census of manufacturers is being conducted primarily by mail, Director Capt urged all manufacturers to return their completed questionnaires promptly in order to speed up the availability of the results and keep the costs down. "Follow-ups by mail, telegram, and visits by field personnel are costly," Director Capt said. "Cooperation by manufacturers in mailing their questionnaires very promptly will cut costs as well as speed publication of the results. Early publication of the results of the 1947 census of manufacturers will enhance their value and give business vital information badly needed to meet current conditions."

Director Capt pointed out that reporting in the census of manufacturers, which dates back to 1810, is mandatory. He emphasized that the same law which requires reporting also requires that all individual reports and figures submitted to the census bureau, be held in strict confidence. Information submitted to it, cannot be used for regulation, investigation, or taxation because the census bureau, under the law, cannot reveal individual figures or personal information to any person or agency, even in the federal government.

Linn Jury Panel Drawn for Month

Albany—County Clerk R. M. Russell and Sheriff Mike Southard this week drew names of 31 Linn county residents who will constitute the February jury panel, and to be called for service when the February term opens.

On the prospective jury list are: Ernest Reitz, Royal Muller, Stella B. Bowman, Kenneth C. Seavey, Henry L. Colten, William A. Kamph, Leslie Gade, Yeats Hamilton, Maude Bryant and Charles Kruml, all of Albany.

Beane M. Brownlow, A. Ray Gleason, Neal Hollinsworth, R. Kee Groves, Eva Bartels, William P. Lanning, Everett Smith, Lloyd R. Tucker and Nadine M. Hayes, all of Lebanon and vicinity. Warren E. Loom and Clarence George, Harrisburg; George H. Ray, Lacombe; Loren A. Campbell and Owen A. Gade, Tansant; Claire L. Thomas and Aloysius D. Be. Cer, Scio; Florence McKrecher, Brownsville; Blanche Cairnes, Crawfordsville; Lloyd M. Robertson, Foster and Timothy Kelly, Jefferson.

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All or Nothing Says President

Washington, Jan. 30, (AP)—President Truman said that he will insist on all or nothing support for the Marshall European recovery plan.

He made that statement to news conference, but under questioning added that he referred primarily to the four-year basis on which the program originally was submitted to congress.

Former President Herbert Hoover and others have recommended that congress avoid any long-term commitment such as the four-year proposal.

Mr. Truman said he is strongly opposed to republican suggestions for lopping \$2,300,000,000 from the \$6,800,000,000 he proposed for the first 15 months of the program.

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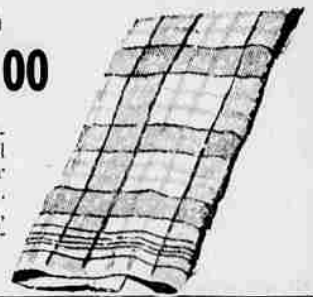
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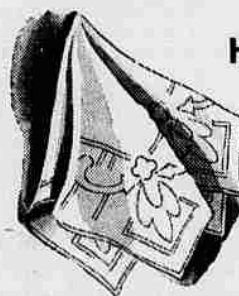


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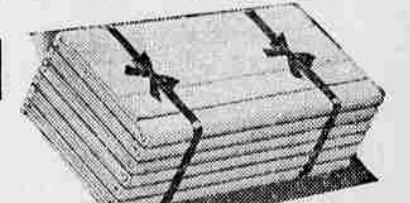
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