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SUGAR ECONOMY NECESSARY

Starting Saving Campaign With Families Asked To Pledge Economy.

That the consumption of sugar in this country must be reduced, in order that the nation's supply will not be exhausted, is more than evident, with a national campaign now underway, asking families to pledge themselves to use stipulated amounts per day and the substitution of other sweets in place of sugar.

Miss Lorene Parker, Clackamas County's Home Demonstration Agent, through the schools and teachers is asking the following questions, which it would be wise for every housewife to answer and send a report to Miss Schrepel, teacher of Domestic Science in the Estacada Schools.

How much sugar is served on your table in a week?

What is the average amount which each person uses in tea and coffee?

Does your family use sugar on cereals?

Do you add sugar to the baby's cereal and cup of milk?

What kind of dessert do you serve most frequently?

Will each member of the family who uses more than six tablespoonsful of sugar a day—including the amount used in cakes, puddings, preserved fruits, etc., agree to reduce the amount to four tablespoonsful?

Will you for one month substitute dishes which contain little sugar in place of cakes, puddings, etc? For instance use molasses and syrups in sweetening; use salads freely, and use the canned fruits which you put up last summer in place of such dishes as cakes and puddings.

Will you agree to use fresh fruits, raisins, dates, figs, nuts, popcorn, and similar things for your holiday gatherings and cut down on candies and dishes which call for sugar?

If there are five persons in your family will you agree to limit the sugar used in all cooking and served on your table in any form, including candy, to one pound (two cups) a day for the remainder of the year? This allowance will go approximately three ounces a day per person. For each member of the family over five and six tablespoons additional, for less than five reduce the amount six tablespoonsful for each person.

Will you keep a record of the amount of sugar saved in this way?

The campaign makes a few suggestions as to substitutes for sugar, such as - cooking dried fruits without sugar; cooking cereals with dates and raisins and serving without sugar; sweetening fruits with honey and maple and corn syrups; using concentrated fruit juices and fruit butters as sweeteners; making puddings, cakes, etc., with corn syrup, molasses or honey, instead of sugar.

Adolph Miller Heads George Club.

At the annual meeting of the George Social & Commercial Club, held Saturday evening, A. H. Miller was elected president—Sarah Howard, vice president—Andrew Janssen, secretary—Mrs. C. A. Johnson, treasurer. Chris Klinker, Otto Paulsen and Albert Lins were appointed the house-committee. Installation of officers and a program followed the meeting, with the luncheon served by the program committee.

Clackamas Trail Badly Damaged

Frank Ewing of Viola, with a companion, made a two day trip last week up the Clackamas River, in the interests of the railway work, going to Three Links on Saturday and returning Sunday.

Mr. Ewing reports that the main Clackamas River trail is in bad condition in many places, with the bridge over the North Fork washed away by the heavy floods of last month. The trail near South Fork Bluffs, Moore Creek and Roaring River washed out in places and the water-gauge house and cable at the Upper Dam entirely gone, with the foundations of the suspension bridge at that point, badly damaged.

Barton Route 1 Now Boring Route 4

On Friday of this week, the rural free delivery route from the Barton post office will be discontinued, the patrons being served by a new route, number 4 from the Boring post office.

We are advised by the Barton office that temporarily all mail may be directed as formerly, as the carrier from Boring will stop there and make collections.

Ralph Gibson, who for several years has been the popular carrier on the Barton route, last week resigned, with the Boring office furnishing a man in his place.

To date, nothing but complaints have been heard from the patrons, relative to this sudden postal change and it is still hoped the remonstrance petition sent in a few weeks ago will result in some more satisfactory service than the new route promises.

Clackamas To Raise Over \$500,000.00

This county's quota for the coming Third Liberty Bond issue, which will begin about March 1st, is estimated at over half a million dollars.

Already the committees to handle this loan have been appointed with H. C. Stephens of the Estacada State Bank in charge of this portion of the county.

Expert to Demonstrate Mole Trapping

At the Estacada School Feb. 8th at 2:30 P. M., Theo. M. Scheffer, assistant biologist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture will give a demonstration in the trapping of moles and the preparation of the hides for the market.

Mr. Scheffer is a recognized authority on the subject of rodents and has had two years experience in the control of the mole nuisance in Oregon.

Until recently the mole was captured merely to exterminate a destructive pest, with no thought of saving the beautiful and valuable pelt.

The demonstration will include the proper traps for catching the moles, how to skin and prepare the pelts for the trade and the proper tools to work with.

On the same day Mr. Scheffer will give a similar demonstration at Eagle Creek at 10:30 in the morning.

Farmers Bulletin No. 832 - "Trapping Moles and Utilizing Their Skins" - compiled by Mr. Scheffer may be had by writing to County Agricultural Agent R. J. Werner at Oregon City.

Grange Opposes Bond Issue

According to a communication received last week by the State Highway Commission at Salem from Chester L. Chambers of the Eagle Creek Grange, that organization intends to attack the further sale of road bonds, through an initiative vote at the election this Fall and to annul the vote of last Spring, by which the bonds were provided.

The action of the Grange is based upon wasteful methods alleged to have been practiced by the State Highway Commission, such as the purchase of \$36,000, worth of automobiles. The Grange has also submitted a list of questions for the commission to answer, future action to be somewhat dependent upon the answers.

Engineer Nunn of the commission on Wednesday gave forth a report in answer to the questions of the Grange, stating that about \$12,000, had been expended for automobiles, not including trucks for handling the paving material. He also explained the difference in costs between Clackamas County paving and paving as done by the state, in the difference in the specifications and grade of materials used.

FRED JORG SELLS BUSINESS

J. C. Hillman, Experienced Meat Man Becomes Owner of Palace Market

The formal transfer of the Palace Meat Market and the butchering business in Estacada, which for several years has been conducted by Fred Jorg, occurred this week, with the new owner, J. C. Hillman of Portland taking charge Saturday.

Mr. Hillman, wife and daughter will make Estacada their home, having purchased the Jorg house on Curran Street. The new owner is a man of years of experience in the butchering and retail meat business; previous to coming to Portland having been in that line in the middle west.

Mr. Jorg is leaving within a few days for Portland, where he has accepted a remunerative position with John Clark & Company harness and saddle manufacturers, Mr. Jorg being an experienced saddle maker.

Temporarily, or until school is out, Mrs. Jorg and children will remain in Estacada, having rented the Loder house on Short St.

Estacada is the loser in the removal of Mr. Jorg, who has always taken an active part in all municipal, educational and community matters and the best wishes of his many friends are extended to him, and a cordial welcome to his successor.

Former Principal in Y. M. C. A. Work

F. B. Guthrie of Salem, formerly principal of the Estacada Schools has accepted a position with the army Y. M. C. A. work and is now stationed at San Antonio, Texas.

After leaving Estacada, Mr. Guthrie accepted a position with the Wittenberg-King Company, where his knowledge of agriculture was of value in the buying of produce for that firm.

Sparks To Handle Output of Cheese Factory

An arrangement was entered into this week between the Estacada Cooperative Cheese Association and A. E. Sparks of Estacada, whereby Mr. Sparks becomes the secretary of the company.

Mr. Spark's efforts will especially be directed along the line of selling the output and with his experience in mercantile business covering many years, he should be able to obtain the best market prices for the cheese.