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THEY DON'T STRIKE

The refusal of nationwide farm organizations to sanction a farm strike expresses the true spirit of the American farmers. However much the vast majority of farmers may be incensed by labor strikes, especially those which delay desperately needed farm equipment, they realize that striking against strikers would chiefly harm innocent bystanders—the public.

The unselfish and consistent service of the American farmers has been paralleled only by the service of such groups as the independent grocers who market the greater part of the Nation's farm products either as fresh fruits and vegetables or as processed foods.

The independent grocers, whether in business in metropolitan centers or in crossroad villages, have been keenly aware of their responsibilities to their customers and communities and they have as a whole conscientiously fulfilled that responsibility.

One can well imagine the chaos that would result if either the independent grocers or the farmers were actually to go on strike. We would realize as never before just how valuable a service they perform.

But that isn't the method of either group—thank heavens!

NEW STARS ON THE FLAG?

If either Hawaii or Alaska comes into the Union it will mean that a 49th star will have to be added to "Old Glory."

Reports from Washington indicate there is considerable talk as to where that star would be placed. The present 48 stars make a square with 8 stars across and 6 down. If one more were added the stars could be rearranged in rows of 7 each way. What happens, though, if both Hawaii and Alaska come in? How would we arrange 50 stars?

Time was when the flag was changed so often that flag designers had plenty of practise. But it has now been 34 years since the last "remodeling" and the designers have grown rather rusty.

Of one thing we can be sure, however, that if and when we have 49 or 50 states we'll have that many stars—even though Betsy Ross won't be on hand to lend her assistance in arranging them.

Washington Letter

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production. Woolen mills cannot make 100% virgin wool suiting and will not ruin their reputations in the trade by making shoddy cloth. Manufacture of radio sets is held up because OPA has not set prices on certain small parts. Regulations on milk and cream virtually stopped the manufacture of butter. The regulations were supposed to hold down prices. The result was that housewives bought whipping cream and churned their own butter at more than a 50 per cent increase in the cost of the butter. Space permitting, I could list dozens of similar instances of maladministration. Greater production is the greatest safe-guard against inflation but OPA, charged with the responsibility of holding back inflation, is ignoring the necessity for production as a basic means of checking inflation. *

Appropriation bills are now being taken up on the Floor of the House. Administration forces consistently fight for increased spending. The Republicans in the House are doggedly fighting for reductions.

Saturday, February 23, American Legion dance at the Legion hall; good music, and eats by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Make it a date.

STATE INCOME TAX AUDITOR IN G. P. MONDAY

A state income tax auditor will be at the Grants Pass court house beginning Monday, February 25 to assist taxpayers in preparing their state income tax returns.

Hours are as follows: Monday, February 25 to Friday, March 1, inclusive, 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.; Saturday, March 2, 8:30 a. m. to 12 noon.

CHURCHES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Kerby, Oregon
Rev. D. B. Wantland, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7:30 p. m.
The Gideons of Grants Pass will conduct a special service at the Assembly of God in Kerby Sunday evening. Many interesting testimonies concerning the Gideon Bibles will be given. Everyone will be interested in a program soon to be launched by this group of Christian business men. Come at 7:30 and enjoy this interesting service.

SELMA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Harold Anderson, Pastor
Sunday school—10:00 a. m.
Church Services—11:00 a. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30.
B. Y. F. Sunday evening 6:30.
Evening service 7:30.

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
Church service 11:15 a. m.
Young People service—
Wednesday night prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.
The Bridgeview Community church wishes to thank Harry Tresham for the part he had in getting a bell for their edifice.

No church service will be held Sunday evening, February 24th as plans are to attend the special services at the Assembly of God church at Kerby.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, February 27th.

Mr. Blancet will lead Wednesday evening.

ILLINOIS VALLEY CHURCH OF SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

Sabbath School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11:30 a. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

F. W. Cooper Elder

Father Meyers of Grants Pass comes to the valley by plane to hold services the first and third Sundays each month.

CAVE JUNCTION COMMUNITY CHURCH

George H. Gray, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.
Sunday school attendance reached 76.

Rev. Gray's sermon was from I Corinthians, 11th Chapter; subject, "Testing Our Faith."

Solo was by Mrs. Pauline Sherrier.

Visitors were Senator and Mrs. F. D. Long of Park Rapids, Minn.

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