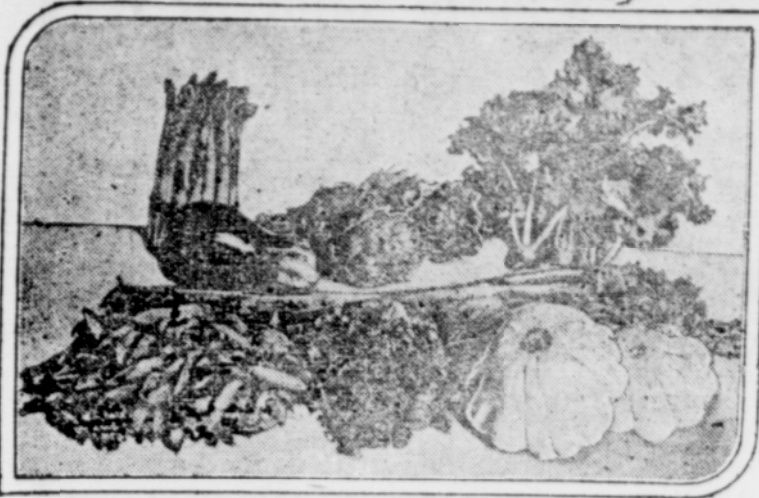


Plan Your War Garden Now, Save Time and Money.



HELP INCREASE OUR EXPORT FOOD STOCKS

LN CITY and country more war gardens are needed this year than ever before. Patriotism prompted 2,000,000 Americans to plant gardens last year, according to estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture. Transportation facilities of the nation will be strained this year hauling munitions of war and foods for the Allies. The surplus food created by home gardens will help in the railroad problem. And the nation will eat less of the goods we must export—wheat, meat, fats and sugar. Every boy and girl that helps with the garden is helping win the war. Leaflets of instruction in garden making may be secured from the Department of Agriculture at Washington, upon request, without charge.

HALSEY NEWS NOTES

ALSO ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM EVERYWHERE

Dr. Lindberg, the Dentist, Harrisburg.

Piano box for sale at this office.

Fourth of July four weeks from today.

Genuine hot weather struck these parts Tuesday.

R. Bamford returned from Portland Monday night.

Are you a patriot or are you still eating white bread?

F. H. Porter had business calling him to Corvallis Monday.

W. A. Allen is getting better after a long tussle with grippe.

G. W. Mornhinweg has been at Brownsville several days this week.

B. M. Bond and Jesse Cross were Albany visitors Tuesday evening.

Eclipse Saturday. Have your smoked glass ready at about 2 in the afternoon.

Harold Stevenson of Eugene spent the week-end with his parents in Halsey.

The pioneers' picnic at Brownsville is, as usual, well attended by Halsey folks.

Rev. Rees of Shedd will preach in the Methodist church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Penland left Tuesday in their car for a trip to California.

Chancy Sickels yesterday sold the ten head of Jersey cows he advertised recently.

McMahan & Frum shipped their usual car of hogs and sheep to the Portland market Tuesday.

Mrs. H. K. Smith, who has been the guest of Mrs. James Drinkard, returned to her home in Portland Monday.

Rev. Cain, accompanied by Mrs. John Cain and daughter and Miss Edna, joined Mrs. Cain at Summit yesterday.

Roy McNeas, formerly a resident of this vicinity, arrived Tuesday and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Will Falk.

Charles Warren Fairbanks, ex-vice president of the United States, died at his home in Indianapolis Tuesday night.

Messrs. Anderson and Walters of Corvallis had business in Halsey Tuesday. Mr. Anderson recently sold his farm west of town to W. A. Tway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wesley and son Daniel, accompanied by D. H. Sturtevant, drove to Eugene Sunday and visited the military training grounds in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Winniford passed through town in their machine Saturday. We understand that the Winnifords are located at Silverton now, where Mr. Winniford is in the employ of one of the large lumber mills.

PEOPLE ASKED FOR FLOUR DONATIONS

Freewill Offering of Excess Stocks Is Requested.

MEN OVERSEAS NEED GRAIN

Plan Devised to Save Transportation and Time—Local Donations to Be Resold Locally But Release Equal Amount at Atlantic Seaboard For Immediate Shipment to Allies and Troops.

Opportunity is now offered, through Federal Food Administrator W. B. Ayer, for Oregon families and manufacturing firms using wheat flour, to make a voluntary personal sacrifice for the benefit of Uncle Sam's boys in the Army and Navy. Mr. Ayer has announced that any family, public eating place, or factory using wheat flour, such as bakeries and cracker factories, now has the privilege of directly contributing to the flour bins of the Army and Navy by turning back to the government, at the market price, such portion of their wheat flour allowance as they will patriotically refrain from consuming themselves.

Such gifts of wheat flour, while not going directly to France for the boys overseas, will be turned into the government commissary at the nearest point, and will release an equal quantity of wheat flour on the Atlantic seaboard for immediate shipment "over there." Under this novel plan when a patriotic Oregon family goes on a wheatless diet for a week or a month, or longer period, the wheat flour they save and turn back to the government actually represents an equivalent of wheat flour three thousand miles away, which immediately starts to move forward to the fighting forces. This arrangement has been made in order to save transportation across the continent.

"I am hoping for a splendid wheat saving record in Oregon," said Mr. Ayer the other day. "For I believe when Oregon families and public eating places in the state know that the flour they save will go direct to the boys of the Army and Navy they will not hesitate to respond in the usual patriotic Oregon way. I had a telegram from Mr. Hoover today in which he asked me for an estimate on what I thought Oregon could be relied upon to save under the new plan. I wished to be conservative, and I replied that my estimate would be 30 to 35 per cent of the normal wheat flour consumption. This is a much lower estimate than other states had made, and I realize that it will probably be unsatisfactory at Washington. I am hoping that the people of the state will exceed this estimate by a generous margin. The county administrators have in hand the full details of the plan for saving wheat in this way for the needs of our fighting men, and any one wishing to personally contribute wheat flour should get in touch at once with the Food Administrator of the county in which he or she lives."

The wheat saving plan announced by Mr. Ayer is a national one, and it is now operative in all the states. The states of Washington, Idaho and Oregon are now co-operating in an effort to make a big wheat-saving record for the Northwest. Federal Food Administrators R. F. Bicknell of Idaho and Charles Hebbard of Washington join with Federal Food Administrator W. B. Ayer for Oregon in the following announcement, which gives in detail the plan of handling the returned wheat:

"Mr. Hoover has wired all Federal Food Administrators that the excess stocks of flour held by public eating places, bakers, dealers and consumers may be voluntarily surrendered for the use of the Army and Navy and the Allies. This action has been prompted by the many voluntary offerings from different parts of the country.

"The practical method of handling such returned flour will be through the local merchant, who is hereby requested to receive all such flour and pay the holding consumer the actual cost of same, and then re-distribute it without any additional charge to the ultimate consumer. Where merchants accumulate more than their thirty days' supply and all hotels, bakers, etc., that have an excess amount that cannot be disposed of locally, they should immediately communicate with Mr. M. H. Houser, Grain Commissioner of the Food Administration, Board of Trade Building, Portland, and he will arrange for the transportation to the seaboard. All flour returned to the merchant that is resold to the consumer should be reported to Mr. Houser, in order that an equal amount may be released for shipment to the Allies.

"The whole object of the above arrangement is to provide a channel through which all excess quantities of flour may reach the Army and Navy or the Allied armies as a voluntary offering of the people of this country."

If you have a food conservation plan or recipe pass it on to your neighbors and your friends—be "in the service."

Wanted—A few more calves. Ben T. Sudtall.

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

M. E. Church Notes

Next Sunday school lesson: Jesus Faces Betrayal and Denial. "Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter not into temptation."—Mark 14:38. Jesus asks us to remember his life and death.

Mona Bond has finished her school year at O. A. C. and has very kindly consented to assist in the preparation of the Children's Day program.

The third quarterly conference met in session Tuesday evening, with church business reported up in good order.

Rev. Cain is scheduled to deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Shedd high school next Sunday morning. Bro. Rees will occupy the pulpit here at that time.

Homer Mornhinweg of Camp Lewis gave the Baracas an interesting talk during the Sunday school hour.

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NOTICE

We have received the following from the United States Food Administration Grain Corporation:

"The privilege issued to licensees to retain wheat and rye in interior elevators and warehouses for seed distribution terminates on May 15. We hope that every bushel of wheat in farmers' hands will be delivered to their country stations by that time. Every effort is being made to expedite the movement of wheat to the mills so that it can be ground into flour and shipped to our soldiers and Allies abroad to relieve the acute shortage which now exists.

"Will you please notify all farmers tributary to your station who may have small lots of wheat on hand urging them to bring it in immediately? Also please notify us of the name and postoffice address of any person holding wheat who is not inclined to haul it in."

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