

COLLEGE MECCA FOR STATE FARMERS

Farm Science Week Emergency Device to Assist Farmers.

Oregon State College. — Oregon State college at Corvallis will be the mecca during the last week in January for hundreds of Oregon farmers sending an answer to the question of how to make money in the face of the present economic depression. To help them in this emergency, farm specialists at the college are busily assembling the latest scientific information on every branch of Oregon agriculture to be presented during the Farm Science week course, beginning Monday, January 26.

The tentative program, just prepared by G. R. Hyslop, chief in farm crops and chairman of the committee on arrangements, shows that hops and livestock will be the feature of Monday's program following registration; and that topics of interest to dairymen, livestock growers and those interested in irrigation will occupy the main part of Tuesday's program.

Irrigation, dairying, livestock, poultry and vegetable growing are listed for Wednesday, in addition to the seed growers conference which will continue through Thursday in cooperation with the Pacific State's Seedmen's association. Thursday's schedule also includes a large amount of special information on bulb diseases, red clover, bent grass, and Austrian Winter field peas.

Information of interest to general farmers, livestock growers and poultrymen as well as material pertaining to soils, economic problems, and potato production will be handled Friday, while Saturday will be devoted to forage crops and weed control problems.

A number of special lectures will also be given during the week, according to Hyslop. Among these will be "Taxation," by Dr. W. H. Dreesen, agricultural economist of the experiment station; "Landscaping the Farmstead," by A. L. Peck, professor of landscape architecture; "Sanitation," by G. V. Copson, station bacteriologist, and "Bees," by H. A. Scullen, associate professor of entomology.

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New York Banker Gives What He Thinks Is Best Program for Business

New York. — A constructive program for business revival during 1931 was advocated by Albert H. Wiggin, chairman of the governing board of the Chase National bank, in his address to stockholders at the annual meeting Tuesday. Wiggin, head of the world's largest banking institution, which had record resources of \$2,697,328,855 at the end of 1930, in his recommendations, favors:

1. Modification of the capital gains tax from 12 1/2 per cent, to not more than 7 1/2 per cent, and application of the entire proceeds of this revenue to a reduction of the public debt;

2. That the United States government initiate a reduction in the inter-related debts at this time because its importance is far greater than the dollar magnitude of the debts involved;

3. Abolition of price fixing and a policy of keeping the markets open and prices free;

4. Opposition to federal legislation that would force the country's large banks into a competitive struggle for supremacy, and

5. Moderate reduction of wages designed to reduce costs and to increase both employment and the buying power of labor.

In the discussing the stock market, Wiggin will say:

"I do not know whether we shall see lower prices in the stock market or not, but I do know that there are many securities, both stocks and bonds, which are selling for less than they will be worth in normal times and at prices which should prove attractive to the investor."

He also expressed confidence in the business situation and expressed the view that conditions at the end of 1931 will be a good deal better than they were at the end of 1930.

Walla Walla Lawyer, Thomas P. Gose, Dead

Following a month of lingering illness, Thomas P. Gose, 76, pioneer Walla Walla attorney, passed away at his home at Gose station, at 11 o'clock Sunday night.

Mr. Gose was born at Milliam, Mo., in Sullivan county, May 11, 1855. He was a lad about 10 years of age when the family arrived in Walla Walla and much of his education was acquired in the public schools of that city, supplemented by study in the Whitman academy.

On December 20, 1893, Mr. Gose was united in marriage to Miss Clara Crowe, of Freewater, Oregon.

He is survived, besides his wife by four daughters: Mrs. E. G. Young of Oakland, Oregon; Mrs. J. Kenneth Pearce, Andaman, India; Mrs. R. L. Peteler, Los Angeles, California; and Mrs. G. B. Conkey, of Walla Walla. Two brothers also survive him: Judge M. F. Gose, of Olympia; and Dr. J. R. Gose, of Dixie. He also leaves his son T. P. Gose Jr., of Walla Walla.

WHEAT PRICE IS STEIWER'S TARGET

Oregon Senator Tells Legge Farm Board Has Failed Oregon Growers.

A special to the Oregonian from its Washington news bureau says: The stabilized price of wheat below cost of production is working unsatisfactorily in the Pacific northwest, and the federal farm board is not of particular benefit to northwest growers unless the policy is changed, Senator Steiwer has informed Chairman Legge of the farm board. The Oregon senator is following up his insistence of last December relative to the situation.

"I most earnestly call your attention to the idea that people of the northwest are entitled to have their price on the same basis, or substantially the same basis as that adopted elsewhere. Any other procedure is discrimination against the northwest," said Senator Steiwer.

Senator Steiwer told Legge that he wants the farm board to succeed, but one of the greatest obstacles to its success is the continuation of discriminatory practices which result in loss of support in and out of congress. Unless the benefits are extended to farmers of the northwest equally with other regions, Steiwer says he will modify his views on farm relief legislation.

"I'm frank to say," he said in conclusion, "that I don't know how to justify my support of appropriations totaling four hundred million dollars unless the people of my state are dealt with on a basis of substantial parity."

Legge's assertion that Washington grain acreage was increased 30 per cent was challenged by F. L. Kent, Portland, and others.

Wallowa Stockmen Pleased With Weather Conditions

Wallowa. — Stockmen and farmers in general express themselves very well pleased with the weather conditions. Since early in December fairly cold dry weather has been the rule and while heavy feeding of livestock has been necessary much of the time, livestock have done exceptionally well and there has been but little waste of feed. Several inches of dry snow covers the ground and sleighing is good on the greater part of the roads.

Logging work at the various small camps is reported to be progressing, at no place where cutting is in progress is there enough snow to hinder the work. Truck roads are well broken and heavy loads are being handled.

High School Notes

Editorial

(Glenn McCullough)
Every high school should have an organization for the boys. This is one draw-back of Athena high. Some people might say it wouldn't be a success, but I think they are wrong. A club would give the boys a place to spend their evenings when they want to be together, and in this way they wouldn't disturb the business men so much by loafing in confectioneries. Nearly all the boys while down town make a business man's place a regular hang out. This is a great hindrance to the people as it keeps quite a few people from going in there; it also takes down the merchant's trade. If the boys could in some way organize a club it would be both a help to themselves and to the business men of Athena.

Social News

The popular group of Athena girls, members of the Girls' League, met Tuesday for the regular weekly meeting. It was decided that it was time for the program committee to meet again and that the chairman should be told to get into action and put over a good program for the next meeting. As there is quite a lot doing now the girls decided not to have a party this month; but all will look forward to one next month.

Glee Club

The Glee Club has taken up new songs and are starting the semester with much diligence in regard to the work before them. They have lost a very fine voice this semester but after a practice or two, outsiders will not be able to notice that they have decreased in number. The Glee club is certainly doing splendid work and much credit should be given to the cooperation between the members and their director, Mrs. Bloom.

Mrs. Bloom has shown great interest in the work which helped to create interest in the students. The school is fortunate to have a teacher who is so interested in the work.

Many more public appearances are hoped for by those who have heard the Glee club and those who have not.

Athletics

Athena-Weston

The Athena hoopsters defeated the Weston quintet on the Weston floor, Wednesday evening, January 7, by a score of 21-14. Both teams were evenly matched. The Weston quintet took the lead with McConnell making a foul shot. At the half Athena was ahead by a score of 7-5. The Athena hoopsters came back the second half with Crowley making three baskets from the side. Athena then took the lead by 7 points. After the first half the Weston quintet was not able to stop the Athena group. Crowley of Athena was high point man, with 10 points.

Mac Hi Trims Athena

The strong Mac Hi quintet defeated the Athena five last Friday night on the Milton floor by the score of 10-8.

The Athena boys, although playing a good brand of ball, were not able to stop the fast Milton offense. Athena's offense was working as in any previous game and they were getting plenty of shots, but they seemed to have an off night. The start of the game looked as if a close game would be played but at the half the score was 3-18 in favor of Mac Hi. At the start of the second half the local boys started with a fast breaking offensive, and made two baskets on Milton in quick succession. In the last quarter, Coach Eddie Buck ran in his reserves.

Band

The band is starting work on a group of new numbers. Three rehearsals are now being held weekly; each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:15 a. m. Two brass quartets and two reed trios are being organized. This gives each member of the band a place in one of these smaller groups.

Classes

Monday the English III class elected the following people to the offices for the school notes: Editor, Lester Towne; assistant editor, Arleen Myrick; sports editor, Raymond Murphy.

Grades

June Garfield, Helen Johns, Belva McIntyre, Dona Jean Logsdon, Jimmie Weber are on the honor roll in the primary room.

Semester Honor Roll

The following students have no grade below a two in any subject for the first semester:

Seniors: Stafford Hansell, Emery Rogers.

Juniors: Betty Eager, Marjorie Douglas, Mildred Hansell.

Sophomores: Bonnie Alkire, Dorothy Burke, Helen Barrett, Doris Street.

Freshmen: Walter Singer.

Six Week Honor Roll
The honor roll for the third six weeks is as follows:

Seniors: Stafford Hansell, 3rd time; Emery Rogers 1st time.

Juniors: Betty Eager, 3rd time; Marjorie Douglas, 3rd time; Mildred Hansell, 2nd time.

Sophomores: Bonnie Alkire, 3rd time; Helen Barrett, 2nd time; Doris Street, 3rd time.

Freshmen: Walter Singer, 3rd time.

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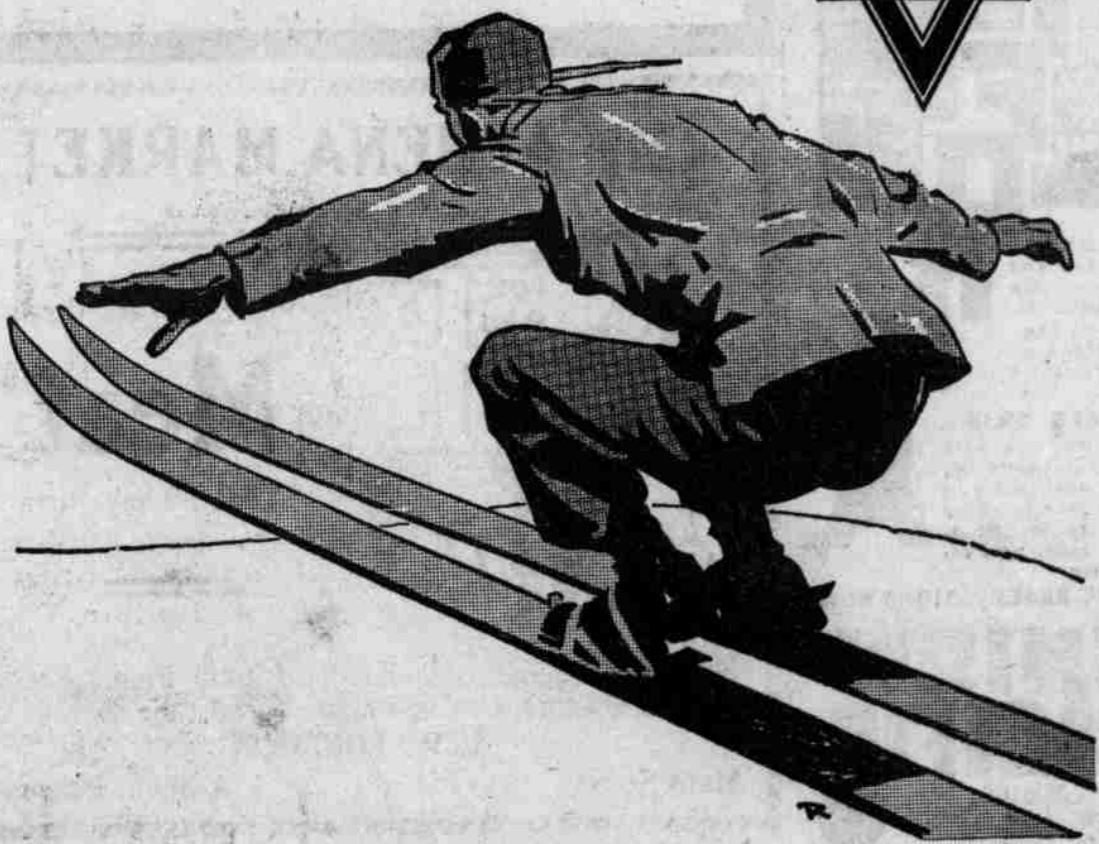
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