

Refinancing Of Oregon Farms New Project

Cooperation to promote the refinancing of Oregon's agricultural industry is the first project agreed upon by the Oregon Agricultural Advisory council recently appointed by Governor Meier on request of the Federal Farm Credit Administration. This decision was reached at the organization meeting of the council in Portland, which was attended at their own expense by nearly all of the 32 members. To assist in the refinancing problems, the council will ask the governor to appoint county farm credit committees to serve voluntarily.

O. M. Plummer, manager of the Pacific International Livestock exposition, was elected chairman of the council, A. E. McCormack, Lane county farmer and banker and president of the Pacific Cooperative Wool Growers, vice-chairman, and I. R. Breithaupt, Oregon State college extension economist, secretary. W. A. Schoenfeld, dean and director of the Oregon State college school of agriculture, who was appointed as acting chairman by the Governor, presided during the meeting until the permanent officers were elected.

Six district chairmen were elected who, with the officers, make up the executive committee. George Fullenwider of Carleton, president of the Oregon Dairymen's association and member of the state grade agricultural committee, is chairman of district number one; George W. Potts, Jefferson, president of the Oregon Farmer's Union, district two; E. W. Carleton, president of the Oregon Horticultural society, district three; Glenn Marsh, Hood River, president of the Oregon Cooperative council, district four; Fred Phillips, Baker, president Oregon Wool Growers' association and executive committee-man Oregon Cattle and Horse Raisers, district five; and Henry Semon, Klamath Falls, banker and master farmer, district six.

In his statement to the council, Governor Meier pointed out that the outstanding problem in the farm finance at this time is that of getting land bank loans closed, particularly in cases where some composition, or an extension agreement is necessary to bring the total existing indebtedness of the farmer within the amount obtainable for refinancing. This was further emphasized by G. L. Jordan who represented the farm credit administration at the meeting. He stated that thousands of land bank loans that have been approved have not been closed owing to difficulty and delay in working out an equitable agreement with creditors for the liquidation of the old debts out of the proceeds of the loan.

Gift Suggestions

With the approach of another Christmas season, homemakers once more take up the search for attractive, useful and economical gifts, preferably something that can be made at home. Mrs. Azalea Sager, extension specialist in clothing and textiles at O. S. C., suggests an at-

Gets First Wheat Reduction Check



Orville J. Eisele, Iowa farmer, was the first to receive a government check after signing the crop reduction wheat plan. The check was for \$64.44 as a tenant's share for cutting six acres off the fifty-five acres which had been used for raising wheat. He is shown holding his small son.

tractive scarf for each member of the family as one partial solution of the problem. A knitted scarf and beret to match will please the little tot, the grade school or the high school girl, while the older members of the family will often welcome a gay silk scarf, Mrs. Sager says. Scarfs, by the way, are being worn short, not more than a yard long, and tied up closely around the neck.

Two strips of plain silk material one-third yard wide and a yard long can be combined to make two good looking scarfs, Mrs. Sager says. To make them, take two strips of cloth of different but harmonious colors. Mark the center of each strip; that is, 18 inches from either side. Then mark the center of this. Connect this point to a point on the opposite side at the center 18 inch mark, and at

the outer edge. This makes a triangle 18 inches at base and 15 inches on either side. Each strip will cut three triangles and two small end triangles measuring 12x9x15. Inter-mingle the colors and sew the triangles together again so that a flat strip remains; the two small end triangles and central triangle of one color, the intermediate triangles of another color. Sew the two sides together. Then press it so that the side seam is in the center of the scarf instead of at one side. Sew up one end. Turn the scarf inside out and blind stitch the open end.

OLD TIME NEWS

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DeMoss. Program Prof. Bryant, Mrs. Dunsahoo, Mrs. Strahl, Miss Hartley, Mrs. McGinnis.

Music: Mrs. Lyon, Misses Vie Sayers Lillian Stanley, Jennie Ginn, Alice McGinnis.

Decorations: E. Peoples, Mesdames Hulise, Johnston, Johnson, Flower, Blue and Prof. Bryant's class. Distributors: Emma Sayers, Allie Hulise, Eva Landry, Forrest McGinnis Dayton Henrichs, Harry Naynor. To call names: R. J. Ginn, R. O. Lyon.

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Mrs. G. A. Meloy and daughters were dinner guests Thanksgiving day at the home of Chas. Bullard and family. George Jr. and his father spent the day at the farm, keeping the plow teams busy.

W. C. Rutledge and wife and Robt. Urquhart and wife were guests Thanksgiving day at the home of Judge Wm. Henrichs and family.

John W. Dunn was bucked off his

horse Friday afternoon, shortly after fording the John Day river near his home. It is reported that his dog frightened his horse while fording. Mr. Dunn was not found until several hours after the accident. Dr. Morse reports four ribs broken and puncture of the lung.

Tuesday morning there was just about an inch of heavy wet snow distributed impartially over the county.

C. G. Silver, C. L. Powell and Omer Sayers left by auto Tuesday for The Dalles where they attended the state convention of the Farmers' Union.

WHEAT LEAGUE

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10:45 - 10:30 New Conditions for Pacific Northwest wheats—Harold Sanford of the Continental Grain Company, Portland.

11:30 - 12:00 New Developments in Experimental Work—D. E. Stephens, Superintendent, Sherman branch Experiment Station.

1:00 - 1:30 Committee meetings. 1:30 - 3:30 Reports of Committees. 3:30 Election of officers.

COMMERCIAL CLUB

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ing considered by the special session of the legislature at the present time. He read some of the law, especially that part giving the restrictions that may be placed against the selling of liquor to those whose families object, who are drunken or those convicted of some crime. He was in favor of a liquor bill that would remove the evils of the old saloon and the evils of the present bootleg era at one and the same time.

Giles French talked about the tax measures to be discussed by the eastern Oregon wheat league in its session here and explained the present tax law regarding the collection of taxes. He expressed an opinion that the interest rate on delinquent taxes will be increased from the five

percent it really is now to a higher rate, probably 8 percent in this session. The new income tax bills and the gross income tax was also briefly explained.

Perry Johnston spoke of the progress of the allotment committee and J. B. Adams asked for a change in the tax laws that would permit more useable methods of spreading the tax burden on all citizens alike.

Dewey Thompson reported on the activities of the local committee in charge of the wheat league entertainment.

Wasco

Mrs. Estes Morton entertained a number of guests at her home Wednesday afternoon. There were five tables of bridge and high score was made by Mrs. Afton McIntyre, second by Mrs. L. P. Haven and consolation by Mrs. Ormand Hilderbrand.

Mrs. Bill Nesbit entertained the Thursday afternoon bridge club at her home this week. Mrs. John McDermid won club prize and Mrs. Bruce Grady guest prize.

Mrs. Minnie McKinney was called to Heppner Wednesday due to the death of her sister, Mrs. Omer Luttrell.

Mrs. Augusta Huckin, Mrs. John McDermid and Mrs. Andy Shearer were guests at a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Ed Seufert in The Dalles Wednesday.

Mrs. Jay Rorick, Mrs. F. A. Perkins, Mrs. J. C. Crawford, Mrs. Clifton Condon and Mrs. Joseph Fulton were luncheon guests Thursday of Mrs. Fred Fortner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Proudfoot were in Walla Walla on business Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Hugh White shopped in The Dalles Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Yocum spent several days in Heppner last week with relatives.

The Wasco Women's Study Club

met Friday with Mrs. Fred Fortner. Mrs. Vic Smith gave a very good paper on "Foot ball" and Mrs. Hugh Walker gave a paper on Van Dyke. Mr. Warner also spoke for a few minutes on books used by Mr. Mosering.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Scott spent the week end in Portland on business.

Mrs. Mary Crossfield who has been quite ill is reported some better.

Bill McKean went to Portland last week to continue his work at the Northwestern Business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McKee entertained the Saturday night dinner club at their home last week. Bridge was the diversion after dinner and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burress made high score.

Mrs. Otis Royce and Mrs. Bob McDonald entertained at luncheon Saturday at the Royce home. Norma Feldman made high score at bridge and Mrs. Paul McCulloch made low.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Walker were dinner guests at the Grady home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sargent and daughter and Mrs. Inez Nash were Sunday dinner guests of Johnny and Olive Robison.

The Tillicum bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Robert Manning Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Louis Walsh and infant daughter returned from The Dalles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrow went to Salem Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter and her family.

Mrs. Jennie Porter, Mrs. Howard Hines and Mrs. Vernon Van Gilder were visitors in The Dalles the first of the week.

Mrs. Bertha Sagawa was taken to the hospital in The Dalles last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McCoy and Mrs. Hallie Rice were Dalles visitors Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jessie Amos.

Robert Elliott was able to return from the hospital last Tuesday.

Last reports from Mrs. Dorothy Cramer who was recently hurt in an automobile accident is reported much improved and able to go back to work.

Mrs. W. Barnett is visiting at the homes of her daughters' Mrs. Hilderbrand and Mrs. Cooper.

Mrs. E. Sicil and son returned from Portland last Wednesday after several days visit with relatives.

The Van Gilder family had a dinner at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sargent last Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Art Olsen of Longview, Mrs. Inez Nash of Kelso, and the families of Harry, Vernon, Bryan and Darwin Van Gilder and John and

Olive Robison.

Mrs. Harry Van Gilder spent several days in Portland with relatives.

Mrs. C. W. Phagley returned from Seattle Thursday where she was called due to the illness of her brother.

Mrs. Joe Hilderbrand entertained the Klondike club last Thursday with Mrs. Ross Hilderbrand and Mrs. Ed Dutton assisting.

Bob Richardson had the misfortune to burn his hand quite badly recently with hot tar.

Mr. Scholl of Walla Walla was a business visitor in Wasco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dicker and son of Portland were in Wasco Tuesday on business. Mr. Dicker is with the Farmers National Warehouse Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Root and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley shopped in The Dalles last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Burress and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Burress were guests at the W. H. Burress home last Sunday.

Christine Huckin spent the week end in Wasco with her mother. Miss Huckin is attending Whitman College.

Melvin Walsh and John Johnson were home last week end from Linfield.

The Junior bridge club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Chester Medler.

Mrs. Estelle Hailey was called to Camas Monday because of the illness of her father-in-law Mr. Hailey.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In virtue of an Execution issued out of the Circuit Court upon a decree in favor of H. E. Everett and Eliza Everett and against S. E. Eakin and Eva Eakin, in the sum of \$265.24 and \$88.30 costs and disbursements, with interest on both sums at 6 percent per annum, from November 17th, 1933, I will sell at the East Court House door in Moro, Oregon, on the 6th day of January, 1934, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A. M. at public auction for cash, the following premises:

The South One-half of the South west Quarter (S 1/2 of SW 1/4) of Section Three (3) in Township 1 South, of Range Seventeen (17) E. W. M. located and being in the County of Sherman, State of Oregon.

Hugh Chrisman, Sheriff

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final report and account of her administration of the estate of Emma Elliott, deceased, with the Clerk of the County Court of Sherman County, Oregon, and that by order of the Judge of said court, Saturday, the 23rd day of December, 1933 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., has been fixed as the time, and the County Courtroom, in the Courthouse, in the City of Moro, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of said final report and account, and objections thereto, if any there be, and the settlement and closing of said estate.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1933.
Lucetta A. Adlard,
Administratrix of said estate
Updegraff & Pepper,
Attorneys for Administratrix.
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OREGON STATE NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers

Hillsboro—L. L. Crawford of Manning has been unanimously endorsed by the Democratic central committee of Washington county to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Allen.

Bend—Taxes levied on property in Bend for collection in 1934 will be approximately 5 mills lower than in 1933. For county, city and schools the tax will be 76.8 mills, as against 82 mills this year.

Salem—A tentative program prepared by the Marion county court to cover the county's share of the \$2,000,000 civic works appropriation provides for 12 projects. The principal project is the North Santiam highway, from Mechama toward Detroit.

Klamath Falls—Carleton O. Brown, farmer of Klamath county, has made complaint against the depredations of oak. He says 250 head have been in his fields all summer and have ruined at least 30 tons of hay. He fears he will have to feed them all winter.

Carlton—The city council of Carlton has invited the Yamhill Electric company to make its headquarters at Carlton in the event that it should decide to move from Newberg, where the city council recently authorized a company to proceed with plans for a municipal plant.

Albany—The South Santiam High-

HOME LOAN BANK HEAD



John H. Falley of Burton, Mass., who has been appointed chairman of the Federal Home Loan bank head, in succession to William P. Stevenson.

way association, formed several weeks ago to promote the completion of the South Santiam highway, is now complete with C. H. Murphy of Albany, president, W. F. Groves, of Corvallis, vice president and D. H. Peoples of Bend, secretary.

Roseburg—The Roseburg Chamber of Commerce has launched a campaign for a C. C. C. camp at Steamboat station next spring to work on the North Umpqua highway. A survey is now being made between Steamboat and Big Camas to determine the location of the road.

Umatilla—The Henry Lazinka ranch home, 12 miles from Ukiah, in Umatilla county, and one of the landmarks of the Camas Prairie region, has been destroyed by fire, which started in a defective flue. The home was a two-story structure of logs and timbers and was built about 50 years ago.

Salem—Gasoline consumption in Oregon the past nine months, according to the report of the secretary of state, was 135,698,305 gallons, as compared with 136,139,540 in the corresponding period last year. Owing to the increased tax, the receipts this year were about \$689,000 in excess of last year's.

Salem—Following a number of other counties, the Marion county court has made no allowance in the 1934 budget for old age pensions. Behind the move is the purpose of forcing the coming special session of the legislature either to repeal the law or to provide some other method of raising the money.

Lava Bear Caught
Klamath Falls—A lava bear, one of the most unusual and rare species of the bear genus, was caught in a coyote trap near Fort Rock, in Lake county, by L. E. Oster, of Squaw Flat last week. The victim weighed

about 50 pounds.

Car of Gold Ore Shipped
Cottage Grove—A car of gold ore is being shipped to smelter from the Evening Star mine in the Bohemia district. Four trucks have been used to haul the ore from the mine to Disston, where it was put in a car on the O. P. & E. railway. It is expected to assay \$50 a ton.

Wild Violets and Hores Bloom Again
Cottage Grove—Winter, calendar fanists is hardly more than a month away, but residents of this western Oregon city are enjoying either an advance or a throwback of spring. Blackberries are ripening on the bush. A dogwood tree is in bloom. Wild violets are blossoming. Roses have started to bloom again.

Large Oyster Found
Newport—On display at one of the local fish shops is the shell of an oyster that grew to odd and gigantic proportions. Mollusks raised from the Yaquina oyster reefs come in various sizes and shapes, but this mammoth of the genus Ostrea resembles the form of a human foot. It is ten inches long and four inches wide, and after thorough cleaning, the shell weighs more than a pound, as much as the entire cluster of three or four normal oysters.

Budget Ratified at Hearing
Medford—The Jackson county budget as ratified at a public hearing calls for a county levy of 16.5 mills for districts outside high school districts and 12.6 mills for districts inside high school districts. Last year the levy outside high school districts was 14 mills, and inside 10.6 mills. The levy increase was due chiefly to the \$65,000 deficiency caused by the Banks - Fehl cases.

THREE WAYS TO HEALTH
by ADA R. MARNE
OREGON DAIRY COUNCIL

What kind of a cake shall I make? is a question which often confronts the housewife in her efforts to put variety into her menus. Sponge cake chocolate cake and spice cake are favorites with most people, but a change from these is usually welcomed.

Like any other mixture of food-stuffs, cakes may be entirely wholesome and nutritious, this depending upon the ingredients used in them. Butter used in cakes not only adds to the food value because of its vitamin value but produces a flavor which cannot be duplicated. In the same way using milk and eggs in baking makes the product a more complete food as they increase the protein, mineral and vitamin content, especially needed when white flour is used.

Some new ideas for cakes are:

Pineapple Butter Cake
One-half cup butter
One and one half cups sugar
4 eggs
1 cup crushed pineapple, pulp and juice
2 and one half cups flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
One quarter teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
Cream butter well; add sugar gradually, creaming continually. Add eggs one at a time beating thoroughly after each addition, then add pineapple pulp and juice. Sift dry ingredients thoroughly.

Fold into first mixture with vanilla. Bake in layers in moderately hot oven 20 to 25 minutes; in a loaf in a moderate oven 50 to 60 minutes.

Apple Spice Cake
2 and one half cups pastry flour

3 tsp. baking powder
One half tsp. salt
Three quarters tsp. cinnamon
One half tsp. mace
One quarter tsp. allspice
One-sixteenth tsp. cloves
One and one half cups apples
One quarter cup butter
One egg
One egg yolk
One cup sugar
Three quarters cup water
One half pint whipping cream
Sift together dry ingredients; add finely chopped apples. Beat butter, eggs and sugar together for 3 minutes or until thick. Add water and fold in sifted dry ingredients and apples. Bake in layers in a moderately hot oven 35 minutes; in a loaf in a moderate oven 1 hour. Put layers together with flavored whipped cream.

Chocolate Cream Roll
One eighth tsp. salt
One third tsp. cream of tartar
5 egg whites
1 cup powdered sugar
3 tsp. cocoa
1 tsp. flour
5 egg yolks
One half pint whipping cream
1 tsp. vanilla
Add salt and cream of tartar to egg whites and beat until stiff and creamy. Sift powdered sugar, cocoa and flour together 4 times. Add to egg whites with yolks, beaten until light, thick and lemon colored, folding in gently. Pour into paper lined jelly roll pan and bake in moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes. Remove from oven turn out on cloth, dusted with powdered sugar and pull off paper spread with flavored whipped cream and roll up gently.

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