

Responsibilities of Red Cross in Flood Areas Is Explained

"It is a charter obligation of the American Red Cross to provide relief to individuals and families in communities struck by a disaster such as occurred in the northwest floods," according to Seth M. Bullis, chairman of the Jackson County Chapter. "There are now 47,000 persons left homeless throughout the forty flood-hit counties in Oregon, Idaho, Washington and Montana, and Red Cross at present estimates that eighty per cent of these will need immediate Red Cross aid," said Mr. Bullis.

As long as the emergency exists, this aid consists of supplying basic needs of food, clothing, shelter, and medical and nursing care.

There is also a Red Cross obligation for long-term relief to the stricken families. Present estimates are that of the 14,000 families affected 6,000 to 8,000 will require assistance following the emergency. Trained case workers gather the facts on each case. Individual and family resources are considered on giving assistance which includes repair or rebuilding of homes, long-term medical and nursing care, purchase of furnishings for homes, as well as supplying occupational tools and equipment.

Except for Vanport, most of the homes destroyed and damaged have been on farms or in agricultural communities, and the losses in livestock and crops has been appalling.

"Because of these obligations," Mr. Bullis said, "our Red Cross Chapter has been authorized by the national office to ask for contributions of money for disaster sufferers throughout the Northwest. We are encouraging the people of this county to give any amount they can to help us carry on this work of mercy for the stricken homeless in the Northwest. The American Red Cross carries on in your name, fulfilling what every citizen would want to have done for him if sudden disaster should strike his home or family."

Jimmy Gleason Wins Junior State Title

Jimmy Gleason successfully defended the Oregon State A.T.A. Junior Trapshooting championship at Pendleton on June 6th with a score of 96x100. Five Oregon boys competed, with Billie Niechl, of Pendleton 1947 Jr. Skeet Champ being runner up with 91x100. On June 13th Jimmy again won the P.I.T.A. junior championship at Portland with another score 96x100 in this event. Seven boys participated with Gary Hawk, Medford being runner up with

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93x100. Jimmy's score also placed him on the Medford team of the Oregon Journal telegraphic shoot. The only Junior shooter to place on a team. 1948 will end Jimmy's Junior status giving him a tie with his brother, Mervyn for 3 each Junior State championships. This is the most times that any Oregon boy has held the title.

Civic Engineers' Traffic Confab Arranged at OSC

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—To help develop the most safe and expedient transportation facilities for the public by using the best engineering principles and practices is the objective of the first northwest regional Oregon Traffic Engineering conference to be held here July 29 to 31.

While the conference is sponsored by three institutions—Oregon State college, the League of Oregon Cities and the Oregon State Highway department—invitations have been issued to those interested in Washington, Idaho, Montana and Nevada as well. Those expected to attend are traffic engineers, city engineers, highway and county engineers, planners and consultants.

Cooperating in the regional conference will be the National Institute of Traffic Engineers and the Yale Bureau of Highway Traffic, says George W. Gleason, dean of engineering here, who is heading local arrangements. He will supply additional information and registration forms on request. There are no fees for attendance.

The three-day program will cover a wide range of traffic engineering and allied subjects, such as street and roadway design, intersectional control, traffic regulation, curb and off-street parking, one-way streets, long range planning and many others.

Sponsors of the conference particularly invite attendance of state, county and city engineers and officials who are dealing with traffic problems in the course of everyday operations, says Dean Gleason. These may obtain latest information and contribute their practical experience to the discussions, he says.

This is one of several regional conferences on traffic engineering being held this summer. One in California will precede the Oregon conference by a week. Nationally known authorities will be on the program of both.

Crop Prospects Generally Good Summary Shows

General good crop prospects for major items, are indicated in a summary of the agricultural situation at mid-1948 just prepared by L. R.

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Breithaupt, Oregon State college extension agricultural economist. Meanwhile, the buying power of consumers continues at a near record high level.

The summary is contained in a regular agricultural outlook circular which also contains data on price trends for all major farm products. Copies may be had free from any county extension office or direct from the college.

No clear sign of much recession, if any, in this country in 1948 is seen. Exports of food are expected to continue large, although probably below 1947-48. Thus the 1948-49 marketing season starts with demand again exceptionally strong.

United States production of all crops combined is expected by the United States department of agriculture to equal the average of the past ten years, at least. On the other hand, the output of animal products for food may be the least since 1941. Meat production this year may fall 10 percent below 1947, with milk output somewhat smaller, and egg and poultry production down considerably.

Fruit production prospects are also mostly less favorable than a year ago. Other food crops have variable outlooks. Grain crop prospects are exceptionally good. Wheat and rye production may exceed any other year except 1947. The supply of feed grains and hay in relation to animal numbers may be the largest of record, nationally.

Price trends and outlooks are also variable, with the exchange value of some farm products higher and others

lower than a year ago. Overall, farm cost prices advanced more than the average of prices received by farmers.

Set aside to preserve a Sequoia tree planted by an Oregon pioneer of 1843, William Waldo, the nation's smallest city park is located almost in the middle of North Summer Street, Salem, Oregon. The park is barely enough to protect the base of the tree and may have to be enlarged as the tree grows.

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