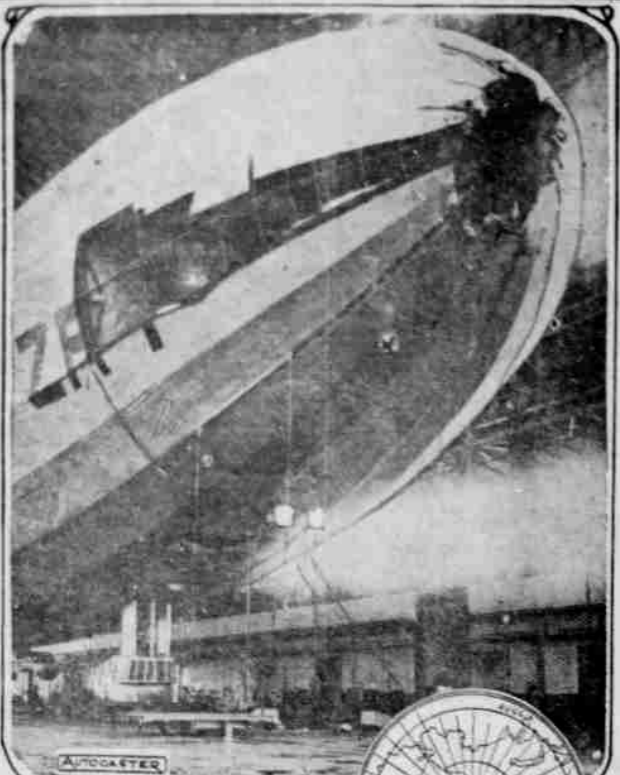


Shenandoah Proves Self in Wild Flight



"Now for a sail over the North Pole," say U. S. Navy Aeronautics Chiefs as they joyfully repair damage done the great dirigible Shenandoah in a battle against a great Atlantic seaboard storm which tore it from its mooring tower at Lakehurst, N. J. The wonderful performance of the great airship in its unscheduled flight has quieted all criticism of the polar flight this summer.

Size of Poultry Flock Stated By Conference

Less Than 24 Hens or More Than 400 Advised: Other Produce Outlined by Farmer Groups.

Poultry flocks of less than 24 hens or more than 400 were recommended as best for a poultry side line on Oregon's general farms at the agricultural conference at O. A. C. ending January 26. It has been found that about 24 hens are enough for the average family supply of eggs, and that 400 or more are necessary to insure a quantity of eggs that justifies shipping. Oregon is an egg export state and must ship or glut the home market.

Equally definite recommendations were made by leading farmers and college specialists as to the following commodities: Fruits: Dr. A. B. Starbuck, Dallas, chairman. Nuts: Fred Greener, Hillsboro, chairman. Apples and pears: B. W. Johnson, Monroe, chairman. Small fruits: H. M. Harlow, Eugene, chairman. Vegetables: F. R. Chase, Eugene, chairman. Land settlement and reclamation: W. B. Deaton, Portland, chairman. Dairy: M. M. Boney, Eugene, chairman. Potatoes: H. W. Lynch, Gresham, chairman. Grains: W. W. Harrah, Pendleton, chairman. Seed crops: M. G. Laffy, Junction City, chairman. Pasture and forage crops: O. E. Daugherty, Malilla, chairman. Livestock: O. M. Plummer, Portland, chairman. Poultry: M. J. Warner, Medford, chairman.

Bankers, editors and business men joined in the proceedings and pledged cooperation in putting the program outlined into action on the farm. Nearly 600 delegates in all attended. A series of county conferences will follow in various parts of the state.

CHURCH OF CHRIST. Lord's Day, February 10, 1924. Why do people go to church? They do it for the same reason that they eat, sleep or exercise—because it is necessary to their personal well-being. The Bible School session will be at 9:45, and you are invited; help-



Punchettes

By REV. M. A. MATTHEWS, D. D. L. L. D.

METHODS OF SUCCESS.

You are often asked by Christian people, by ministers, church workers and others to give rules of success in Christian work. The following rules will guarantee success in any Christian enterprise. First—Absolute loyalty to Christ as the Son of God. Loyalty to Christ as a man is not worth anything to you, but loyalty to Christ as very God of very God, the Savior of men, is essential. Second—Absolute obedience to the leadership of the Holy Spirit as the Third Person of the Trinity. Third—Absolute loyalty to the Bible as God's infallible Word. It is the supreme authority, it is God's last word, it is infallible and eternal. Fourth—Absolute belief in, adherence to, and loyalty in presenting the full gospel of Jesus Christ as the only means of salvation. Fifth—Incessant prayer. Pray daily, pray continuously, pray mightily, talk to God. Sixth—Incessant work at the business of being a Christian, work at the business of evangelizing the world, work at the business of teaching the Bible. Seventh—Have a place. Work at the task assigned you, and remember that you are working for Christ; that you are loyal to the church; that you understand the science of team work and that you are cooperating with your fellow Christians in the greatest program on earth. Eighth—The absolute consecration of your purse, your power and your person to the cause of Christ, to the work of evangelism, and to the building up of the kingdom of God. These rules will make you a man worth while, a good citizen, a serviceable Christian, and a true witness for Jesus Christ, and success shall crown your labors.

HELPFULNESS

When we talk about our neighbor and our brother we are sometimes prone to limit the territory. We speak as if the neighbor were just across the fence in the other yard; and we speak of the brother as if he were someone with whom we came in daily contact. We lose sight of the limitless field and of the great fact that, from a human, social and citizenship standpoint, we are all brothers. We cannot think in limited terms. We are compelled to think in world terms. The world is small. Christianity has reduced its size and has brought the peoples of the world into our own back yard. Again, it is not the one next to us who is our neighbor, but it is the one to whom we can be neighborly, to whom we can be brotherly. When you ask the question, "Who is my neighbor?" it is to find one to whom you can be brotherly and to whom you can be helpful. America cannot be isolated. She has got to think of the world. We cannot be isolated in the different communities in America. We are compelled to help each other. The whole of America, every man, woman and child in America, is compelled to think of the Northwest. This is the spot in which the great questions of the future are going to be settled. It is one of the most important and most potential spots in America today. Sanctuaries and churches must be developed in order to be able to take care of the millions of people across the seas. A great Bible building is to be erected in which the great fundamental doctrine of Christianity and of the Constitution of America are to be taught. It will take a million and a half bricks at a dollar a brick. Every friend in America ought to give at least one brick. Therefore, all friends throughout America have an opportunity of being neighbors, and showing their neighborly kindness, brotherly love and helpfulness by sending dollars for this great building at Seattle.

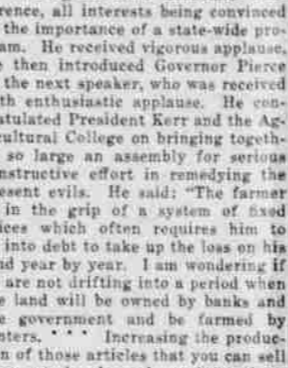
This is only an illustration of how practical is the doctrine of brotherly love, neighborly love, brotherly helpfulness, kindness and cooperation. Let us put it into practice.

Agricultural Economic Conference Attended

R. W. TURNER. At the meeting of the County Farm Bureau Executive Committee on Jan. 19th, the writer with Garnett Barrow, W. Jeff Jones and County Agent Morse, was selected to represent the county at the Agricultural Economic Conference in Corvallis. After an interesting trip we arrived at Corvallis at noon January 23rd. Dr. W. J. Kerr, president of the Agricultural College, in welcoming the visitors, gave an intensely inter-

esting address in which he stressed that the general understanding of the seriousness of the present agricultural situation was indicated by the presence of so many persons representing different parts of the state. Dr. Kerr stated that "Markets for our staples are now world wide, where once they were entirely local. To meet the new conditions increasing in complexity with the progress of civilization, there must be reorganization of our agriculture. This has been recognized for a decade or more and far sighted agricultural leaders have been urging the necessity of a national agricultural program. The purpose of this conference is to consider and determine whether such a program may not be drafted for Oregon." President Kerr stated: "That the producers of farm products last year received only \$7,500,000,000 for their products and that consumers paid more than \$22,500,000,000 for similar products. The farmers are not prospering; they are struggling against tremendous difficulties. Conditions should and no doubt can be improved in the interest of the farmer and of the entire state." President Kerr referred to the cooperation of various Oregon interests in the Agricultural Economic Conference, all interests being convinced of the importance of a state-wide program. He received vigorous applause. He then introduced Governor Pierce as the next speaker, who was received with enthusiastic applause. He congratulated President Kerr and the Agricultural College on bringing together so large an assembly for serious constructive effort in remedying the present evils. He said: "The farmer is in the grip of a system of fixed prices which often requires him to go into debt to take up the loss on his land year by year. I am wondering if we are not drifting into a period when the land will be owned by banks and the government and be farmed by renters. Increasing the production of those articles that you can sell outside of the state. Cut out close at hand in the Willamette valley and raise it in Eastern Oregon, and increase dairy products, poultry and hogs. Do this and I believe that prosperity will return to the farmer who stays with it." I believe Governor Pierce's address merited the prolonged applause it received. At the conclusion of the governor's address Paul V. Maris, Director of Extension Service, briefly outlined the plan of action, formulated by the College, and suggested that each person affiliate with the group calculated to discuss his individual problems. Mr. Barratt joined the livestock group and Mr. Jones and myself went with the grain group. Our limited space will not permit a full report from a single committee. But such report is not necessary because a resolution was passed at the close of the conference authorizing the Agricultural College to publish a comprehensive report of the conference in bulletin form for distribution to those desiring it. Therefore those desiring a full report may obtain same from our County Agent as soon as it is printed. W. L. Thompson, representative of the State Bankers' Association, spoke thirty minutes to the grain group explaining the theory, possibilities and effect of the McNary-Haugen Bill. He affirmed that the farmers need profits and not more credit, and urged all interested parties to urge our congress to pass the bill. This bill was endorsed by the conference and the following recommendation was wired to President Coolidge, Secretary Wallace and the Oregon Agricultural College: "We, the undersigned, representing the Oregon Agricultural College, the Oregon State Bankers' Association, and the Oregon Agricultural Experiment Station, respectfully request that you cause to be passed the McNary-Haugen Bill, which will give the farmer a fair return on his investment in the soil of Oregon."

AMERICAN FOOD PACKAGE GIVES KIN OF SUFFERERS IN GERMANY OPPORTUNITY TO END DISTRESS



Allen's committee has provided an agency whereby any resident of America may send food to distressed relatives or friends in Germany. It is a food package department. This bureau, upon receipt of \$10, will send to any individual in Germany a package consisting of 49 pounds of nourishing food—more than could be purchased for an equal sum in Germany and some of it unobtainable at any price over there. This package consists of 49 pounds of flour, 25 pounds of rice, 10 pounds of sugar, eight pounds of cooking fat, three pounds of cocoa and 24 tins of evaporated milk. Imagine what it will mean to a starving person in Germany to receive this assistance! The packages will be sent upon application, in person or by mail, to the American Committee for Relief of German Children, Room 938, 42 Broadway, New York City. This is an opportunity not only for Americans of German extraction to succor distress but for everyone to respond to a plea from a stricken people.

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So They Voted for "TH"

The question in the Graham home was whether it was to be TH-rift or D-rift. The vote was for TH-rift after Mrs. G. presented it thusly: "Are we content to drift along with no preparation for the future?" "Or, are we thrifly going to save money for the future?" "A bank account will help us meet possible misfortune without a qualm." "And when opportunity knocks it will make it possible for us to take full advantage." "Now—what do you say, shall it be thrift or drift?" This bank helps people save by paying 4 percent interest on saving accounts. Start yours today. Farmers & Stockgrowers National Heppner Bank Oregon

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Star Theater

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Douglas McLean, Marguerite De La Mote and Raymond Hatton in "THE MAN OF ACTION" A mystery comedy, a live wire gem. You saw Douglas McLean in "The Hottentot" and "The Sunshine Trail," and you certainly want to see him in "The Man of Action," which he sure is nothing else but. "WILD AND WOOLY" "Wild and Woolly" is one of the Grantland Rice SPORT-LIGHTS, picturing thrills, action and humor of the Sport Champions under fire. "Wild and Woolly" means just what it says—it was made at the Pendleton Round-Up.

SUNDAY and MONDAY, FEB. 10 and 11

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