

### Grain Marketing Plan Of Co-op Explained

The proposed plan of organization and operation of the North Pacific Grain Growers Cooperative association has been approved by the Federal Farm board, and has the endorsement of the Eastern Oregon Wheat league. The latter organization urges the formation of local associations in this district.

Stock in the local cooperative grain associations can be held only by producing farmers. The local takes stock in the regional association, the regional will in turn subscribe for it pro rata part of the capital stock of the Farmers National Grain corporation, and will be entitled to nominate and elect directors in the national in accordance with its articles and by-laws. This national organization is a \$10,000,000 corporation sponsored by the Federal Farm board and organized under the laws of Delaware. The marketing agreement to be signed by members of the locals follows:

1. The grower is a member of the Association and is helping to carry out the express aims of the Association for cooperative wheat marketing, for minimizing speculation and waste and for stabilizing wheat markets in the interests of the grower and the public through this and similar obligations undertaken by other Growers.

2. For a period of five (5) years from date hereof, this to include five (5) full crop seasons, the Association agrees to market and the Grower agrees to sell through and deliver to the Association all wheat produced by or for the Grower, or acquired by or for him, as landlord or lessor, as long as he produces wheat directly or indirectly, or has the legal right to exercise control of any commercial wheat, or any interest therein, during the time of this agreement, provided, however, that after delivering one full crop the Grower may, between the first of March and the 15th of March of any year, upon the payment of One (\$1.00) Dollar and by giving notice by registered mail to the Association of withdrawal from this agreement for the ensuing season and for such season the Grower will not be required to deliver his crop, but he shall remain bound hereby for all the years included in this contract other than the one for which he shall so expressly withdraw. Any grower withdrawing under this provision shall under no circumstances be reinstated until the end of the crop season for which he shall have so withdrawn.

3. The Grower may retain wheat for feed and seed to be used by himself, or feed or seed to be sold directly to other growers.

4. The Grower expressly warrants that he is now in a position to control said crops and has not heretofore contracted to sell, market or deliver any of his said wheat to any person, firm or corporation, except as noted at the end of this contract. Any wheat covered by such existing contracts or crop mortgages shall be excluded from the terms hereof for the period and to the extent that the lien-holder so legally enforces his right to possession thereof.

5. All wheat shall be delivered to the Association, at the warehouse or elevator in that community under contract with or owned by it, or on board cars and delivery bill of lading to the Association.

6. The Association shall classify and market wheat by kind, quality, grade, variety, or any other commercial standards; this classification shall be conclusive, and settlements with the Grower shall be made on such basis after deducting freight and all other costs incurred in the handling, storing, grading, and marketing of his wheat.

7. If the Grower at the time of delivering his wheat elects to retain the right of having the same sold at his designation and said Grower delivers his wheat in sack, such grain may, at the option of the Grower, be placed in a special pile.

8. The Association agrees to resell such wheat, at the best prices obtainable by it under market conditions, and to pay over the net amount received therefrom, as payment in full, to the grower and Growers named in contracts similar hereto, according to the value of the wheat delivered by each of them, after deducting therefrom, within the discretion of the Association, the costs of handling, storing, freight, insurance and marketing, and an Association charge of not to exceed one per cent of the gross resale proceeds. From this, general Association expenses shall be deducted; and commercial reserves created; and deductions made for the interest on or retirement of the Stock of this corporation, or other proper purposes in the conclusive discretion of the Association. The annual surplus from such Association charge will be credited to the growers delivering wheat in that year, in accordance with the provisions of this contract and the By-Laws.

9. The Grower agrees that when his wheat is pooled that the net returns therefrom less all costs, advances and charges, shall be credited and paid to him on a proportional basis, considering all differentials and adjustments, out of the receipts from the sale of all wheat of like variety, quality, grade and classification.

10. (a) The Association agrees to pay as substantial an advance payment on the wheat as the market and financial conditions will permit, as soon as practicable after delivery.

(b) The Association may establish pools. If the grower elects to pool his wheat he shall so designate at time of delivery. Otherwise the wheat will be held subject to grower's right to designate the day of sale.

(c) The Growers delivering to pools shall pay all accrued charges in such pools. The proceeds from the resale of the wheat in the various pools shall be paid to the growers from time to time, as rapidly as possible, in due proportion until the

accounts of each pool are completely settled.

(d) Where the Grower at the time of his delivery has retained the right to designate the date of sale and has so designated, it shall be sold subject to the deductions and charges herein stated. The Association shall buy his grain outright at a price based on the current market value and pay him such price, on surrender of warehouse receipts properly endorsed.

11. The Grower agrees that the Association may sell his pooled grain in its own name, borrow money in its name on his grain through drafts, acceptances, notes or otherwise, or on any warehouse receipts or bills of lading or upon any accounts for the sale of grain or on any commercial paper delivered therefor, and act in its own name in any legal proceedings which it deems necessary to protect his grain or the proceeds therefrom or to accomplish the purposes of the association. The Association shall pool the money borrowed on pooled grain received from growers among the growers equitably, as it may determine, for each grade and period of delivery.

12. (a) If this contract is signed by the members of a co-partnership, it shall apply to them and each of them individually, in the event of the dissolution or termination of the said co-partnership.

(b) If the Grower places a crop mortgage upon any of his crops during the term hereof, the Association shall have the right to take delivery of his grain and to pay off all or part of the crop mortgage for the account of the Grower, and to charge the same against him individually.

13. Any other part of this agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, it is hereby expressly agreed that the Association will receive and market wheat for the Grower only if and when the volume obtainable under this and like contracts in the Grower's neighborhood will, in the discretion of the board of directors of the Association, make it feasible to market the Grower's wheat at an advantage to him and the other members of this Association, and that the Grower will deliver wheat to the Association only after receipt of notice from the Association so to do and in accordance with such notice.

14. The Grower agrees that there are no oral or other promises, agreements, covenants, or conditions in addition to or in variance with this contract and this represents the full and complete understanding of the parties.

### AGENT'S ACTIVITY TOLD IN REPORT

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throughout the year. Sheep Demonstrations Held. Lamb feeding demonstrations, demonstrations on the length of drive on shrinkage, control of diseases in sheep and other types of livestock, control and eradication of yellow scourge in lambs, survey on merits of raising twin lambs as against one lamb, were given throughout the season.

The county agent cooperated in the eradication of cattle scab found in the county, in testing cows for tuberculosis and contagious abortion.

Demonstrations on culling of poultry, turkey branding, killing and dressing of poultry and feeding demonstrations were carried on.

A farm account school was conducted and various lessons on farm management. The purpose of this school is that the farmers might learn a more efficient method of keeping the costs, expenses and incomes of their farms segregated and their books balanced.

The grangers were assisted in working of agricultural programs and any question that needed attention taken into consideration.

Extension Service Aids. Ladies' nutrition and clothing meetings were held in various communities through the county at which about 375 women attended. Specialists in this work were furnished by the extension service of the Oregon State Agricultural college.

Boys' and girls' club work was on

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a larger scale this year than ever before. One hundred eighty one boys and girls were enrolled in club work in Morrow county and 98 of this number exhibited produce at the North Morrow County fair held at Irrigon on September 6 and 7.

Club members won \$192.75 in premiums and scholarships. After all expenses of carrying on their club projects was considered, the net profit of each club member was shown. Seventeen local club leaders cooperated in this work.

The county agent superintended the agricultural club division at the North Morrow County fair and acted as general manager of the Heppner Wool and Grain show.

Many Seek Information. A total of 2501 persons called at the office. Telephone inquiries numbering 1117 were answered. Thirty-six press articles were prepared. Individual letters, 2739 in all and 5,872 copies of 71 circular letters sent out; 1223 visits were made to 223 farms and 682 homes. The county agent distributed 1506 bulletins. Meetings numbering 86 which were attended by a total of 5,234 persons were held or attended by the county agent.

Results demonstrations were carried on as follows: soils, 18; cereals, 38; forage, 51; horticulture, 3; rodent and insect pests, 16; livestock, 16; method demonstrations given were soils, 2; cereals, 4; forage crops, 6; horticulture, 3; rodents and insects, 20; and livestock, 15.

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### Lexington High Pupils To Compete in Contest

Emporia, Kan., Dec. 10.—All pupils of Lexington high school will compete in the largest scholarship contest in the world January 8, when more than 275,000 high school pupils throughout the United States will participate in the Every Pupil Scholarship contest, sponsored by the Kansas State Teachers college at Emporia.

George E. Tucker, superintendent of schools, has ordered 131 tests and record forms which will be used in the contest.

The contest does not limit competition to a select few, but affords every pupil an opportunity to participate. Groups, as well as individual winners, are selected. The contest is conducted by means of tests



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which are administered to all pupils in the regular classrooms of the respective schools on the specified date. The results in the schools are sent to Emporia where they are tabulated.

The contest, now under direction of Dr. H. E. Schrammel, was originated in 1924 by Dr. E. R. Wood, former head of the bureau of measurements at Emporia Teachers college, and is being conducted for the sixth consecutive year.

The tests will be administered to pupils in physics, algebra, plane geometry, Latin, typewriting, clothing, foods, and English. The English tests are divided into four groups for freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors.

### Last Minute Hints for The Christmas Table

(School of Home Economics, O.S.C.) Just a few last minute Christmas suggestions for the table—

It is necessary to cool candy without beating if a smooth creamy texture is desired.

If sea foam, divinity or nугate falls to harden, it may be recooked over hot water until small amounts will harden on oil paper.

Candy has reached the hard ball stage when the sirup brought above the surface of the testing water can be shaped into a plastic but hard ball.

The Christmas turkey may be tested for "doneness" by piercing one of the thighs near the breast. If the juice does not show a red tinge, the turkey is done.

A pimento, rubbed through a sieve into mashed potatoes makes a colorful and tasty variation of the plain mashed potato.

Pineapple may be colored and slightly flavored by dissolving red cinnamon candies in its juice and allowing the slices to stand in the juice about four hours.

Red apple peeling may be cut and used as a garnish on salads.



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### Lexington Boy Honored Following Heroic Feat

Oregon State College, Corvallis, Dec. 17.—(Special)—Buster Gentry, Lexington, a sophomore in commerce here, was formally recognized for his act of heroism in successfully stopping a runaway artillery team during mounted drill December 9. The team became frightened and threw both lead and wheel drivers.

Gentry, who was mounted and acting as chief of an artillery section, raced after the runaway team and grabbed the reins of the leaders, stopping them before any serious damage occurred to the horses or the material.

Gentry received a letter commending him on his act of heroism from Dr. W. J. Kerr, president of the college; Col. H. R. Richmond, commandant of cadets; and Major F. W. Bowley, executive officer of field artillery unit of R. O. T. C.

### NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of an order of the County Court I am authorized and directed to sell at public auction as provided by law the following described tract or parcel of land, at not less than the minimum price herein set forth, to-wit: Southeast quarter of Section 34, Township 2 North, Range 24 East of Willamette Meridian. \$168.55.

Therefore, I will on the 28th day of December, 1929, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., sell at public auction the above described tract or parcel of land.

C. J. D. BAUMAN, Sheriff.

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### Editorial CHRISTMAS!

—a happy milestone along the road where friends stop a moment before pressing on into the New Year—a season of rejoicing and hope, of laughter and handclaps and warmth of greeting—a time when we may say to old friends and new, the things that lie closest to the heart—when we may speak our appreciation of the happy relationship the years have woven between this company and its many friends—when we may join in the glad chorus of a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year brimming over with Happiness and Prosperity to every friend the world over.

### Xmas Suggestions from TUM-A-LUM this year.

A ton of "TUM-A-LUM."

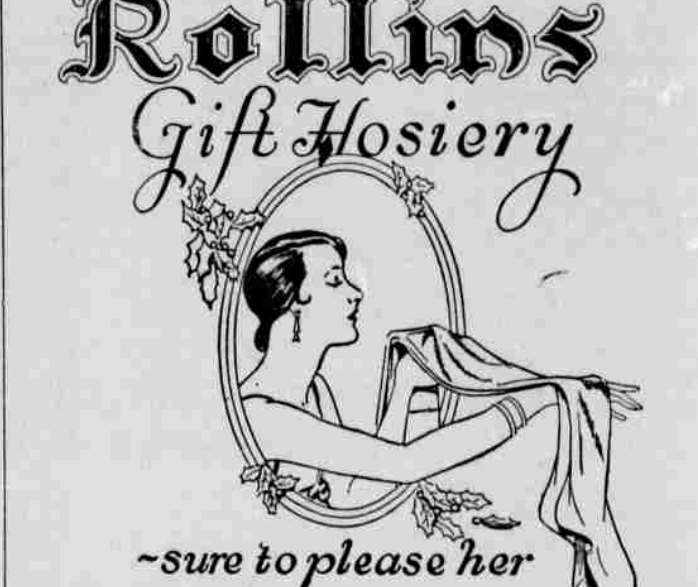
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ALBERT ADKINS, Manager, Editor.

### Rollins Gift Hosiery



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### The Chinese

Are supposed to have known the use of the mariner's compass as long ago as 2000 B. C.

Yet it did not come into use in Western Europe until nearly 4000 years later.

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Within fifty years, less than a lifetime, the electrical industry is furnishing light, heat and power to 19,000,000 homes in the United States.

### Pacific Power and Light Company