

# FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

## CORN-HOG CHECKS RECEIVED FOR DISTRIBUTION IN COUNTY.

Corn-Hog Allotment checks in the amount of \$6,246.36 have been received by the Umatilla County Corn-Hog Production Control Association for distribution within the county. These checks involve a large majority of the persons to whom payments are due for the second part of the 1934 adjustment program. The contracts for the 1935 Corn-Hog program are now available, and a series of meetings is to be held for the purpose of distributing these checks and giving consideration to signing of new contracts. Following is a schedule of these meetings.

**Hermiston**—Public Library, 10:00 A. M., Friday, February 15.

**Pendleton**—Federal Court Room on second floor of Post Office Building, 10:00 A. M., Saturday, February 16.

**Miller**—City Hall, 10:00 A. M., Monday, February 18.

At the opening of the meetings there will be an explanation of the features of the 1935 Corn-Hog contract and opportunity will be given for the asking of questions regarding this enterprise. Immediately after that part of the program there will be an opportunity for persons to sign the new contracts, at which time there will be a distribution of the checks covering the second payment under the 1934 contract. A few of the second payment checks have not arrived for the reason that some of the contracts were held up a longer time than were others. However, all those persons for whom the checks are available will be given the money due on the second payment.

Every 1934 corn-hog contract signer, and those who have not signed the 1934 corn-hog contract but are interested in the new sign-ment are invited to attend the meeting in this district. The requirements for signing will be explained at the meetings.

## ECHO WHITE OWL GRANGE HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

At the regular meeting of the White Owl Grange of Echo Thursday, February 7, the organization went on record as opposing the County Unit School bill. First and second degrees were also given to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Helms and Mrs. M. K. George. A short program was enjoyed, as follows: A history of the club was given by Mrs. B. H. Fix; a reading by Mary Wimer; pantomime "A Home Scene" by Lloyd L. Fix; Helms Fix and Little Bernice Fox, with Mrs. Ashwith at the piano, and a reading by Mrs. Roscoe Myers. It was also reported at the meeting that the Home Economics club met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Fix last Friday and planned a benefit play for the following February 15. Bridge, "500" and pinocle will be in play and door prizes will be given. Playing will start at 8:00 p. m. in the C.O.F. hall, it was reported. The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Roscoe Myers.

## ASPARAGUS GROWERS SUPPLIED INFORMATION.

The rapid increase in interest in asparagus production in the vicinity of Athena is responsible for the supplying of the following information by the Hermiston Herald regarding this crop. The following discussion has been provided by the county agent upon the basis of information supplied by the head of the Department of Vegetable Crops at Oregon State College. The county agent is authority for the statement that additional information and assistance will be provided persons interested in producing this crop. An average distance between rows of asparagus grown for green grass is 5 to 6 feet. The average distance between the plants in the row is 24 inches. In some of the larger California plantings the spacings vary between 18 and 20 inches in the row, but more recently growers have been spacing 24 inches, according to Professor Bouquet of O. S. C.

Closely planted beds yield the largest crops while the bed is young, but after the first two or three years of cutting the spears are not as large as where the plants are spaced farther apart. At 5 feet by 24 inches there would be approximately 4,356 plants per acre, while at 6 feet by 24 inches there would be 3,530. It is apparent, then, that the check row system is not practical.

In using large farm equipment, it is possible to furrow out two rows at a time by having an extension or wing attachment to the moldboard plows pulled by tractor or other power.

The soil type will determine to some extent the depth of planting. In a soil of good average texture (sandy or silt loam) the usual depth of setting the crowns is 10 inches. If the soil is a fairly light, sandy loam, 12 inches would probably be just as good as 10 inches. The position is that the crowns rise somewhat with age, and they would be more likely to do so if the soil were light.

In growing asparagus for cutting and canning, the earliness of the season is not such a vital factor as when the crop is grown for fresh marketing. The crowns must be down deep so that the field can be gone over in the spring with either horse or tractor, disk, harrow, etc., to fit the field for the spring cutting season.

Plants are usually shipped when in dormant state, that is before the stalks have started to grow from the crown buds. The stocks which grow in the early spring are subject to being injured by frost, and so while early planting is desirable to get the plants started in proper moisture, there is still the danger that the stocks may be killed by later frosts. It should be realized that if the stocks are growing when plants are shipped or otherwise handled, that much foliage growth for the first season is spoiled for the reason that the plants may be broken off or stocks frosted. It should be kept in mind that the first year's stocks and tops are valuable in building up reserve food supplies for future years. The point in this connection is that growers should, if at all possible, secure dormant plants and set them in that condition.

Another thing about plants is their size, grade, etc., and these points vary greatly. Small plants have a poor root system, weak crowns and buds, and weigh light compared with larger plants that are just the opposite. Eastern asparagus growers grade into three sizes, based on weight per thousand plants. Good average roots there weigh 75 to 85 pounds for each thousand plants; very good 100 to 150, while the smaller roots go down to 50 pounds per thousand. The best plants come from pedigreed, not field run seed.

In setting the plants, it should be the aim of the grower to place them at uniform distance, and care should be used to see that the plants are not covered deeper than is the customary depth at first, the filling in will come later.

One grower in the vicinity of Athena asked about the possibility of growing crops between the rows of asparagus while the latter were developing. The State College Vegetable Crop Department expresses the idea that some crops could be so produced, but the question of utilization or marketing should be given consideration. Dwarf peas might be all right for that purpose. In some places in California they grow potatoes, carrots, etc. On the other hand, some growers do not like intercropping for the reason that in the long run such a program might be a factor in reducing the output from the asparagus plants. In some cases, however, it may be an economic necessity to intercrop. The fertility of the soil would be of importance in determining the answer to this question.

The County Agent has indicated that his office will be glad to be of any possible assistance in connection with the development of plantings of new crops and every effort will be made to provide growers with the latest and most reliable information.

## Cannery-Laundry Meeting.

A meeting of the members of the Hermiston Co-operative Laundry & Cannery has been called for Saturday, February 23, 1935, at 2:00 p. m. in the city library, for the purpose of electing three directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

A quorum was not present at the annual meeting, and as a result no business was conducted. CATHERINE SOMMERER, Sec. (Feb. 7-14)

## Annual Meeting of the Hermiston Mercantile Co-operative.

The annual meeting of the Hermiston Mercantile Co-operative will be held Friday evening, February 15th, in the basement room of the Hermiston Public Library, at 8:00 P. M.

Election of directors, amendments to by-laws and other business will constitute the program for the evening. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

## Used Cars & TRUCKS

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## Window Put in Live Cow's Side.

CORVALLIS—A cow with a window in her stomach so that the action may be observed directly is used in classes in physiology in the veterinary department at Oregon State college. The cow is alive and healthy and is not disturbed by the fact that her interior can be revealed by the simple removal of a rubber plug.

The operation on the cow that made the "window" possible, is not new to science but this is believed to be the only cow thus "equipped" on the Pacific coast, says Dr. B. T. Simms, head of the department. Dr. O. H. Muth and Dr. F. M. Bojin, assistant veterinarians, did the work on the cow used here.

The United States Weather Bureau reports that July, 1934, was the hottest month since 1874.

After a hen abandoned her brood on the C. E. Henderson farm, near Effingham, Ill., an old rooster came to the rescue and has since been "mothering" the motherless chicks.

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## CO-OPERATIVE SERVICE STATION HERMISTON, OREGON

Balance Sheet, as of Dec. 30, 1934.

Assets:			
<b>CURRENT &amp; TRADING:</b>			
Cash on hand and in bank		\$ 800.94	
Petty Cash Fund		1.64	
Accounts Receivable		.99	
Merchandise Inventories	1,333.28	\$2,136.85	
<b>FIXED:</b>			
Buildings and Land	\$ 675.10		
Less Allow. for Depreciation	57.80	617.30	
Service Station Equipment	1,124.44		
Less Allow. for Depreciation	66.39	1,058.05	
Office Equipment	324.50		
Less Allow. for Depreciation	15.51	308.99	1,984.34
<b>DEFERRED CHARGES:</b>			
Unexpired Insurance		20.78	
			4,141.97
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES:</b>			
Accounts Payable		282.33	
Patronage Dividend Due Customers		333.14	
Farm Bureau Cooperative Account	3,130.01	3,745.48	
<b>CAPITAL &amp; SURPLUS:</b>			
Surplus		396.49	
			4,141.97

## FARM BUREAU CO-OPERATIVE OF HERMISTON, OREGON.

Balance sheet as of Dec. 31, 1934.

ASSETS			
<b>CURRENT &amp; TRADING.</b>			
Cash on hand and in bank		\$ 1,290.51	
Outstanding Loans to Cooperatives		6,137.51	
Accounts Receivable		190.09	
Prepaid Grain Contracts (secured)		321.91	
Merchandise Inventories	16,710.16	\$24,650.18	
<b>FIXED.</b>			
Buildings	\$17,188.70		
Less Allowance for Depreciation	4,109.13	13,079.57	
Machinery & Equipment	4,994.75		
Less Allowance for Depreciation	2,527.93	2,466.82	
Office Equipment	1,193.00		
Less Allowance for Depreciation	708.12	484.88	16,031.27
<b>DEFERRED EXPENSE ITEM.</b>			
Insurance, unexpired		440.22	
			41,121.67
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>CURRENT.</b>			
Accounts Payable		2,762.82	
Overcharge Due Members		1.84	