

FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

FARM BUREAU CO-OPERATIVE OF HERMISTON.

We are mailing out to each member in good standing in districts number 1, 3 and 5, (districts 2, 4, 6 and 7 do not elect board members this year), a list of the members in good standing in their respective districts.

In sending out the lists of members in the districts concerned, every effort has been made to do this correctly. In case a member finds himself placed in the wrong district, kindly bring the ballot and envelope which was received into the office and exchange same for the correct one.

Each member is requested to check the name of his (or her) candidate, for the nomination for director in that district, on the list being sent out, and bring or send this list sealed in the envelope enclosed with the list, to the annual meeting to be held February 14, 1936, in the Hermiston Union church in Hermiston at 1:30 P. M.

The three nominees receiving the highest number of nominating votes from their respective districts will be considered the eligible candidates for election in their districts. Voting will then be conducted in the usual manner by the members of that district present at the annual meeting, to decide which of the three nominees is to represent that district on the board of directors of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston.

Any member in good standing who has not received a nominating list for his district, or who pays up his membership between now and the day of election, may secure this list by calling at the office of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston.

The following proposed amendment to the by-laws of the Association will be presented to the members for their consideration:

Paragraph Two of Section I of Article VII of the By-laws of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston, shall be amended to read as follows:

The two percent collected for revolving fund shall be deposited to the credit of the Association in a separate fund. To this shall be added, at the close of each fiscal year, any surplus accumulated and shown on the books of the Association. Any losses shown shall likewise be deducted from such fund. This provision shall be retro-active and apply to the surplus accumulated in all the years since the organization of the Association. This fund shall be used for the purchasing, leasing or building of warehouses and other needed equipment, and redeeming of certificates of equity in the order in which they were issued while maintaining the revolving fund at the maximum amount permitted. This two percent charge for revolving fund shall be made on all products sold by the Association, and shall continue during the life of this Association (except as hereinafter by amendment provided.)

ANNUAL MEETING OF CO-OP CREAMERY POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Umatilla Co-operative Creamery scheduled for Wednesday, February 5, has been postponed indefinitely because of the closing of all public meetings in an effort to keep down an epidemic of scarlet fever and measles. A proclamation by Mayor McKenzie closed the schools, churches and theater Wednesday and the general public is cooperating by postponing any meetings of considerable size.

Sufficient notice will be given of date of meeting so that all members will be notified.

M. G. Hedwall, Manager.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston.

The annual meeting of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston will be held at the Hermiston Union church in Hermiston, February 14th, 1936, beginning at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of electing three directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Only those members of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston who are in good standing in their respective Farm Bureau, Grange or Farmers' Union are eligible to vote. In the absence of the member, the wife or husband may vote.

HENRY M. SOMMERER, Secretary.

CO-OP GLEANINGS By E. H. Dunning.

Consumers' Cooperatives are successful partnerships of brotherhood and business.

Cooperatives develop in the people of every community the capacity for economic self-direction.

Everyone commands purchasing power—the greatest power of all to build a democratic, just and secure economic world.

The world needs "economic peace" which will result from the widespread organization of Cooperatives. Then we shall also have "political peace"—but not until then.

"A case can be made for the cooperatives as the new form of distribution needed," says the Business Editor of the New York Times. It is up to the Cooperative Movement to present its case still more effectively than it is now doing when business admits that the cooperatives have the argument in their favor.

"A fair field and no favors," is all cooperatives want. They accept that unless they can give better service, quality and price than private-profit individual or monopolistic business or banking, they should not supplant them. They do not ask the political state to suppress or hamper private-profit business as private-profit business attempts to use the political state to hinder the growth of cooperatives.

Uncle Sam now has a citizenship divided into five-sixths which receive incomes and one-sixth which does not. If the one-sixth is to be kept alive and sufficiently patient not to revolt while we are building and balloting our way out, the unemployed must have at least a minimum amount of food, clothing, shelter and other necessities of life. Can we not think our way through the fiction of currency and credit until we can see the simplicity of the problem? Is it not all summed up in the statement that Uncle Sam must take enough food, clothing and shelter from the five-sixths and distribute it to the one-sixth? Why should Uncle Sam have to turn around and bow down to any financial overlords behind him and beg permission to do this simple thing? Why should any financial group have power to say whether Uncle Sam can or cannot do such a primary act of justice? Some day Uncle Sam will quit "borrowing" and go on a cash basis. Some day Uncle Sam will take from the five-sixths in an orderly and equitable way through income, inheritance and gift taxes, rather than by sales or payroll taxes, and distribute to the one-sixth through reasonable minimum unemployment, old age and sickness insurances. Uncle Sam will do this when we, the people, really want a minimum of practical justice badly enough.

Rev. J. McDonough in THE PITTSBURGH CATHOLIC says, "Because the country-side is not safe the cities are not safe." Rev. W. Howard Bishop, editor of LANDWARD, which is the official organ of the Catholic Rural Life Conference, expresses the same truth when he speaks of "the quick-sands of city life." America's 48% tenancy on the farm is not only a national shame but spells national suicide. But fortunately Denmark has proven that the tide of tenancy can be pushed back by the organization of cooperatives. She reached almost the same condition in the 1850's when tenancy became 42% in that country—then she began to organize

cooperatives and now tenancy is only 3% in Denmark. What a challenge to America! Denmark has proved that it can be done and has shown us how. There may be yet time in America, but not too much time.

Now we can add the famous business statistician Roger Babson to our list of Cooperative Journalists. In the September 4 issue of the Boston Evening Transcript he has a signed article headed, "Swedish Co-ops Are One Answer to Communism." The facts in the story are well presented. The only difficulty is that he concludes a fine factual story with the old argument that in America we are not yet sufficiently "educated" to successfully follow Sweden's example. It's once more the old question of how "wise" we must become before we are really able to start following the road to the good life in an organized social way. He says that "the great mass of our people must be educated to the level where they can appreciate the difference between intelligent and unintelligent, honest and dishonest direction of public affairs. Only then can we consider following Sweden's example and embarking upon the cooperative program." Our belief is that in every community there is already a nucleus of folks who can and will successfully lead out in that community just as rapidly as the cooperative movement can reach them with convincing facts.

Washington, D. C.—Twenty-five cooperative associations in the U. S. each do a farm supply business of more than \$1,000,000 a year. Their total supply business is well over \$100,000,000 a year. There are also more than 100 other associations each of which does an annual supply business of over \$100,000. The Cooperative Division of the Farm Credit Administration estimates the value of all cooperative buying by farmers at approximately \$250,000,000 a year, according to "News for Farmer Co-operatives," published by the Information Office, Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C.

Superior, Wisconsin—The semi-annual audit of the 130 cooperative stores and branches affiliated with the Central Cooperative Wholesale shows that the cooperatives have enjoyed an average sales increase of more than 24% in the first six months of 1935. In contrast, recently released chain store statistics disclose that the National Tea Company sales increased by 1.2% and Kroger Grocery and Baking Company sales 1.8% during the first 36 weeks of the year. The Jewel Tea Company sales up to August 31 were reported to be 11.6% higher than last year. The Safeway Stores had the largest sales increase, namely 18.8%. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company has not for some time published any data about its sales, according to an article in the Cooperative Builder which continues, "Business authorities report that the chain stores are having trouble because of rising prices. Consumers are forced to buy less, even of necessities, thus cutting down the volume of the chains. But the chains, because of keen competition, narrowed margins and unwieldy overhead, are not in a position to lose a dollar of volume."

Big game animals are making steady gains in the national forests, though in many other parts of America they are on the road to extinction.

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BABY CHICKS—ORDER NOW FOR future delivery. Custom hatching hen and turkey eggs. "VIGORBILT" Poultry Farm & Hatchery. 24-tfc

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MARY WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS plants, \$2.50 per thousand. L. Foraker, R.F.D. No. 1, Kennewick, Wash. 22-3tp

EIGHT INCUBATORS — CAPACITY 320 and 480 eggs. Price \$15 and \$20; used only one year and first class condition. John McDevitt, Pilot Rock, Ore. 22-3tp

CHAFF RACK AND HAY STACKER for sale or trade. F. B. Carter, Hermiston, Ore. 22-3tp

WE SHELL CORN FOR 12 CENTS A sack; 2 men furnished. Ed Pierre, Eugene Ranch, Hermiston. 22-3tp

ONE ROOM FOR RENT IN A RESIDENCE. H. E. Hanby. 20-tfc

GOOD USED WATCHES, GUARANTEED. Priced from \$5.00 to \$10.00. A. W. Behrman, Jeweler, Hermiston, Oregon. 21-6tc

Legal Notices

Notice of Land Sale.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 2nd day of December, 1935, will on the 27th day of February, 1936, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House in Pendleton, Oregon, offer for sale for cash in hand, subject to the minimum price of \$20.00, the hereinafter described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 24, City of Stanfield, Umatilla County, Oregon.
Dated this 16th day of January, 1936.
R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon. (Jan. 23-Feb. 20)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR UMATILLA COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Truman Cable, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the last will and testament of Truman Cable, Deceased, and has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me at the office of W. J. Warner, my attorney, in Hermiston, Oregon, verified as the law directs, within six months from the date hereof.
Dated this 6th day of February, 1936.
LYDIA M. CABLE, Executrix. (Feb. 6-March 5)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR UMATILLA COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph A. Kremer, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph A. Kremer, deceased, and has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me at the office of W. J. Warner, my attorney, in Hermiston, Oregon, verified as the law directs, within six months from the date hereof.
Dated this 6th day of February, 1936.
F. A. BERG, Administrator. (Feb. 6-March 5)

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The Farmer's Own Store

CARROTS 7 Lbs. for 25c
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undersigned at the residence of Mr. Sylvanius Smith, Stanfield, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.
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BETH McCOWN, Administrator. (Feb. 5-March 5)

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