

FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

FARM PROGRAM COMMITTEES NAMED

One of a series of meetings for the purpose of explaining to the farmers the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program, and electing community committees to represent those communities was held in Hermiston Tuesday afternoon in the Union church, at which approximately 150 farmers were present from what is known as the Hermiston district. W. T. Reeves of Stanfield was elected committee chairman, Claude Meyers of Stanfield, vice chairman, E. P. Dodd of Hermiston, as the third member, and F. S. Green of Stanfield as alternate. This committee will meet with other committees from eleven county districts in Pendleton, Tuesday, February 16th, at which time a county chairman will be elected from this group.

The county committee will receive instructions in the 1937 program from N. E. Dodd of Haines, Ore., who is a member of the state committee and spent five weeks in Washington, D. C., helping to formulate the program and is exceptionally well qualified to explain the program.

Earl H. Thompson of Pendleton, member of the county board, and resident farmer at the Indian Mission near Pendleton, explained some of the features of the 1937 program, but because of lack of time to go into it with each individual farmer, those in attendance at the meeting who were interested in signing work sheets, were advised and urged to get in touch with the district committee some time following the meeting to be held in Pendleton. In this way each individual farmer's need will be taken care of.

Mr. Thompson explained that farmers who had filed work sheets for the 1936 program will not be required to file again, but the time limit for filing new work sheets has been set for March 1, 1937. The feeling was expressed that all farmers should be interested, at least to the extent of signing a work sheet, as it is very probable that when all the provisions of the new program are understood, many who now think they are not interested, may wish to cooperate.

Walter A. Folt, county agent for Umatilla county, and a member of the committee, also here for the meeting, F. S. Green of Stanfield acted as temporary chairman during the business session.

Despite the weather conditions which have made the roads difficult to pass, the attendance at the meeting was exceptional and the interest good.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston will be held on the 12th day of February, 1937, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the Hermiston Union Church.

Directors will be elected in Districts Nos. 2, 4, 6 and 7. Nominating ballots are being mailed to the qualified voters in each district and the persons nominated in each district will be voted upon by the qualified voters present at the meeting. The person receiving the largest vote shall be the director for his district for a term of two years.

The qualifications of a voter at the annual meeting are as follows: He must be a member of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston and a member in good standing in either the Grange or the Farm Bureau.

HENRY M. SOMMERER, Secretary.

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CERTIFICATES OF EQUITY BEING PAID

On and after December 15, 1936, certificates of equity Nos. 84 to 294, inclusive, issue of 1926, will be paid at the office of the Farm Bureau Co-operative of Hermiston.

Certificates must be presented at time of payment, properly endorsed. HENRY M. SOMMERER, Secretary.

Old Time Dance Feb. 13.

An old time dance will be given Saturday, February 13th, in the Westland school by the Westland Grange. Good music is promised and a good time assured.

GRANGE WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Grange Co-operative will be held Friday, February 12th, 1937, at the Union church, starting at 8:00 p. m. Regular business will be taken care of at this meeting.

Auxiliary Will Meet.

Members of the Farm Bureau Auxiliary will again try to meet after having to postpone meetings because of the cold weather. The meeting date is set for Friday, February 19th, with Mrs. Harry Connor, Mrs. F. M. Guivits, Mrs. H. J. Ott and Mrs. Otis Buell on the committee to arrange entertainment. All members are requested to be present to again start the year's work.

Ye Olde Time Dance.

An old time dance will be given at the Westland Grange hall Saturday, February 13, and music will be furnished by the Lonesome Bums. Everyone is invited to attend and are assured a good time.

PIG RATION

In a letter of recent date addressed to one of our local citizens Professor A. W. Oliver of the Oregon State Agricultural college has the following to say:

"If you are fattening your pigs, I would suggest that you feed from one-half to three-fourths of the amount of grain that the pigs would consume. The balance of the ration can be pumpkin or squash, and they would require two to three pounds of grain and all of the pumpkin or squash that they would consume."

"The grain ration can consist of barley, wheat or corn, or a combination of these grains with about ten per cent tankage or fish meal. As a general practice, a feeder will mix up a hundred pounds of grain mixture consisting of ninety pounds of ground grain and ten pounds of tankage. If you have skim milk or butter milk, it can be substituted for the tankage or fish meal. A pig requires approximately a gallon of milk per day to balance the ration."

In another paragraph of the same letter, Prof. Oliver makes the following statement:

"The seeds of squash or pumpkin are not injurious unless they are separated from the other parts and fed in large quantities. The seeds are very concentrated and if fed in large quantities, they will cause some digestive disturbances."

FIRST 1936 AAA MONEY SENT OUT

Checks for the benefit payments earned under the 1936 agricultural conservation program are now being mailed daily from the branch dispersing office in Portland and will probably continue for a couple of months, according to N. C. Donaldson, secretary of the state AAA committee in charge of the state office at Oregon State college.

The first checks, totaling more than \$70,000, went to 233 farmers in Sherman and Baker counties. They varied in amount according to the acres diverted from soil depletion to soil building crops and the extent of soil building practices carried on last season. Through a coincidence, the first checks were distributed the same week that the first community meetings to organize for the 1937 program were called.

The state office at Corvallis has been busy since the close of last year's cropping season carrying on the detailed clerical work that is required where federal payments are involved. Every application has been closely checked with the report of compliance and with all data concerning the farms involved. At that payment was greatly speeded up compared with former years because of a branch of the general accounting office which was established at Corvallis to audit the claims which were then turned over to the branch disbursing office in Portland, thereby avoiding the long delay when claims are handled through Washington, D. C.

Three Oregon men were invited by Secretary Wallace to go to Washington, D. C., to take part in the national farm leaders' conference called early in February to consider and make recommendations concerning an ever-normal granary plan and other proposals and policies affecting agriculture.

The men invited from Oregon to take part are Ray W. Gill, Portland, master of the Oregon State Grange; William H. Steen, Pendleton, member of the state AAA committee; and

A. R. Shumway, Milton, head of the North Pacific Grain Growers' co-operative.

STANFIELD

By Sophronia Rhea

The Stanfield Women's Study club met Thursday, February 4, at the home of Mrs. Ila Wallace with Mrs. Wallace leading roll call on central and South America. Mrs. Della Hoosier presided with Mrs. S. Chaplin acting as secretary. Mrs. A. D. Kepple gave a paper prepared by Mrs. Inez McCormick on South America. Guests included Mrs. Jas. Lane, Mrs. D. R. Starkweather and Billie Hedrick.

Wm. Haggman, James Lane and F. A. Baker were in Pendleton on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hoosier entertained at a birthday dinner Saturday evening honoring Mildred and Lewis Penney, children of Mr. and Mrs. D. Z. Penney of Echo. Their birthday was the same day. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. Penney, Mrs. Emma Penney, Mr. and Mrs. Villermour of Hermiston and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Baird spent the week end in Portland on business.

John Dunn and Boyd Jackson spent the week end in Baker visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sires motored to Spokane Friday taking a load of honey.

Guy and Tom Laughary are spending the week in Portland visiting their sister, Miss Alysie Laughary. Mrs. Kenneth Trumbull and the Misses Billie, Anna and Neva Hedrick were honored Saturday afternoon at a tea given by Mrs. F. A. Baker.

Miss Esther Fredrecksan of Pendleton spent the week end in Stanfield with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fredrecksan.

Mrs. Carl Rhea spent Tuesday in Hermiston visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Connor of Pendleton were calling on friends and relatives in Stanfield Sunday.

C. M. McCall has resumed his duties at the pool hall, having just recovered from an attack of the flu. Miss Dorothy White returned to Stanfield Saturday from La Grande where she has been employed for the past three weeks.

Miss Rose Hoosier of Pendleton spent Friday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hoosier.

Capt. Tillman and wife left Friday for Vancouver to be gone for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hoosier and Mr. and Mrs. E. Greathouse were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Elliott.

Billie Hedrick returned to her work in Pendleton Monday after spending the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hedrick.

Ed Martin of Salem was a business visitor in Stanfield Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Refvem and son Bob went to Portland Friday evening where Bob took his telephone radio examination. He returned home Monday. Mrs. Refvem will remain in Portland for a week.

Mrs. Margaret Daughtery entertained the Bridge club Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ila Wallace.

The Rebekah lodge held its regular meeting in the lodge hall Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Kennison and Mrs. Kenneth Trumbull attended a church fellowship meeting in Irrigon Monday.

MEN WIN DASH AGAINST COLD

T. A. Gilliland, one time resident of Hermiston and a brave, sturdy mountaineer man, was an arduous battle against the elements when 57-year-old Gilliland was delivered at the Walla Walla Sanitarium and hospital for medical aid.

Gilliland's left wrist and leg were fractured by falling timber that struck him about 4:30 Tuesday afternoon a week ago, on his ranch 12 miles east of Weston. Wednesday the man was resting comfortably in his hospital bed after being 19 hours from the accident to the institution, only 36 miles distant from the scene of the mishap.

The journey was directed by Earl Gilliland, son of the injured man. It was accomplished by horse-drawn sled, on skis and finally by truck over the final 23 miles of the journey to the hospital.

As soon as Gilliland had delivered his father to the hospital he started back to Weston on skis to take charge of operations on the farm.

At noon his physician said Gilliland apparently had suffered no ill effects from his long battle with the elements, and in fact, had said he was almost "too warm" when the party delivered him at Weston.

ANNUAL MUSIC FEST AT LA GRANDE

Eastern Oregon Normal School, La Grande, Ore., Feb. 10—(Special)—Announcement is made by the committee in charge that the seventh annual Eastern Oregon high school music festival will be held at the Eastern Oregon Normal School, Saturday, April 17, afternoon and evening.

This non-competitive musical event has become a traditional feature of cultural life in Eastern Ore-

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500. Several hundred high school students from a widely distributed area participate in the program of the festival, and have opportunity to observe the achievement of others in this field.

WANT ADS

TWO KEYS FOUND NEAR OASIS theatre. Inquire Herald office. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—70 WHITE LEGHORN pullets, 6 mo. old. Jack Horner, Irrigon, Ore. 25-1tp

75 KUPETZ PRIZE WINNING strain breeder turkey hens for sale, also unrelated toms. Reasonably priced. DeMoss Turkey Farm, Hermiston, Ore. 25-1tc

FOR SALE—HIGH GRADE VIOLIN. Or will trade for something in the cattle line. H. C. Shanks, Hermiston. 25-1tp

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE-keeping apartments. Mrs. Joe Dyer, Phone 78-R. 24-tfc

ALFALFA HAY IN STACK — Between 12 and 15 tons; Glen Mackan, 2 mi. N. E. Hermiston. 24-3tp

KEYTAINER WITH FIVE KEYS found at Rohrman Garage this week. Inquire at Herald office. 23-tfc

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE—CHOICE 80 acre farm in the Westland district. Under irrigation and well improved. Complete with live stock and equipment, including 22 head Jersey cows and heifers. No encumbrance. Must have some cash. Balance on reasonable terms. Floyd Laird, owner. 24-3tp

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WEEK END FOOD SALE

SALMON Del Monte Sockeye	22c	CLEANSER 3 for	10c
PRUNE JUICE Adora - 12-oz.	8c	BABBITS	
TOMATO SOUP Campbell's - 3 tins	25c	CHILE Gebhardt's 2 tins	25c
CORN Whole Kernel Sweet and Tender	15c	CUT BEETS No. 2 1/2 Tin	13c
QUAKER OATS Slow Cooking - Lge. Size	25c	SYRUP Mellow Drip 1/2 gallon bucket	42c
PRUNES - 2 1/2 tins Fresh Italian - 2 lbs. for	25c	WHITE WAY SOAP CRANULATED 40 oz.	25c

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