

# FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

## CANNING SCHEDULE

September 27 to October 2.

8 to 11 A.M. 1 - 3:30 P.M.  
**MON.**—Toms - Fruit  
**TUES.**—Meat  
**WED.**—Toms - Fruit  
**THURS.**—No Canning  
**FRI.**—Toms - Fruit  
**SAT.**—No Canning  
 Corn-Beans  
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 Products not listed will be canned by making special arrangements. Please remove your canned goods at the earliest possible date.

## MORROW POMONA GRANGE OCTOBER 9

The Morrow County Pomona Grange will meet at Lena, October 9th, with Walter M. Pierce, representative to Congress, and Mrs. Pierce as the main speakers on the program. The program is called for 1:30 in the afternoon and there will be other numbers. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## State Grange Officers' Conference.

The State Grange Officers' Conference for Morrow County will be held in the Grange hall at Lexington on October 16th. All Grange members as well as officers and committee groups are urged to attend.

## Auxiliary Election Friday.

Farm Bureau Auxiliary election of officers will be held Friday, October 1st, in the club house with Jessie Corman, Margaret Blahm, Nellie Tucker, Doris Panages acting as hostesses. All members and friends are requested to be present.

## Co-op. Council Meeting.

The Co-op Council will meet Friday, October 1st, at 8:00 p. m., in Assistant County Agent Pierson's office. All board members and directors are urged to be present.

## Old Time Dance.

There will be an old time dance at Westland school house Saturday, October 2nd. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## POULTRY MOVIE WILL BE SHOWN

To Members of the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau:

The meeting which was postponed from September 17th will be held Tuesday, October 5th, at 8:00 p. m. E. W. Engstrom, field representative for the Washington Cooperative Chick association, will present a series of motion pictures of especial interest to poultrymen. There will also be a short additional program and refreshments served following the program.

The picture will be shown in the assembly room of the Union high school building.

C. M. JACKSON, Secretary.

## 4 YEAR OLD CO-OP SAVES \$85,000

(Co-op League News Service)  
 Caldwell, Idaho—"Four years ago some of us fellows just decided that Boise Valley needed a cooperative, so we went ahead and built one."

"Today the Cooperative Oil Association, with headquarters in Caldwell is serving 4800 members in southern Idaho through 13 branch stations and a central business office." This is the story of the remarkable growth of one of the far west's typical oil co-ops as reported by George Barrett, manager of the Co-op Oil Association, president of Pacific Supply Cooperative and a director of The Cooperative League of the U.S.A.

"When we opened for business the old-line companies dropped the price of gasoline 2c a gallon on all tank truck deliveries to the farms of the valley. The price has stayed there, and we estimate that this has already saved all the consumers in the district about \$50,000. Besides this we have paid over \$35,000 in patronage dividends, and have built up \$125,000 assets, which are owned and controlled by the membership."

Last month the Co-op Oil Association completed construction of a modern warehouse adjoining the co-op's compounding plant in Caldwell. It will house the testing laboratory, oil blending equipment and stocks of Co-op tires, paint, auto accessories and other commodities.

## 4-H CLUB NEWS

By GRACE BENSEL.

An improvement was shown over last year's 4-H club fair at the show in Pendleton, Saturday, September 25th, with entries in livestock, and in home economics including sewing, cooking, home making, room improvement, camp cookery, canning, style revue and demonstrations. Clubs from the west end of Umatilla county were well represented by exhibits and attendance.

Arrangement of exhibits on the grounds was improved, with the tent, under which home economic exhibits were arranged, moved near the livestock exhibit barns.

Miss Kathleen McClintock of Pendleton and Mrs. Bishop, Home Demonstration Agent of Oregon State college, acted as judges in the home economics division. County leaders include Miss Frances Clinton, home demonstration agent, Walter A. Holt, county agricultural agent, Jay T. Pierson and H. F. Cline, assistant county agents. Mr. Holt directed plans for the club show.

By Catherine Kennedy.

A very successful year has just ended for the Streamline Seam Stitches of Umatilla, even though the club has been small, having only five members. The girls have had a good time together, working faithfully to make the best better. They were rewarded by receiving many prizes at both project and county fairs.

At the Hermiston Project fair Agnes Kennedy received a first prize; Mary Margaret Kennedy, a third; Grace Benschel a fourth; Veta Moran a first; and Catharine Kennedy, a second. Veta Moran placed first in the style revue and Catharine Kennedy, placed second.

Catharine and Veta also won first place on their demonstration, "Care and Shampooing the Hair." These two girls also won second in clothing judging.

Saturday, at the county club show, Agnes Kennedy received a third place; Mary Margaret Kennedy a third; Grace Benschel a fifth; Catharine Kennedy, a third; and Veta Moran a fifth. Catharine also placed second in the style revue.

Four of the members of the club also belong to the cooking club, taking many prizes in that division. Club members feel that the club year has been successful, and are striving for a bigger and better club next year.

Officers of the club are Catharine Kennedy, president, Grace Benschel, vice president, Mary Margaret Kennedy, secretary, and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy, leader.

## CO-OP POWER PLANT SUCCESSFUL

(Co-op League News Service)

Washington, D. C.—As a direct answer to "power company propaganda" and "haggling" of utilities over wholesale rates to electric co-ops John M. Carmody, administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration has approved a contract for 10 Wisconsin electric co-ops to build their own diesel generating plant. The power plant will serve 10,000 consumers in 11 counties and will be built at an estimated cost of \$198,000.

Previous to the approval of the contract the Northern States Power Company had dragged out negotiations for two years over a contract to supply the co-ops. The private profit utility tried to foist on the co-ops a 2½¢ kwh. wholesale rate as against the 1¢ rate which the REA officials believe to be adequate. Typical of the utility's tactics was an attempt to lure one of the affiliated co-ops into a low rate contract, leaving the other 9 without service.

By the end of June the REA had lent or earmarked \$61,000,000 for 337 projects in 41 states to build 60,000 miles of lines to serve approximately 200,000 rural consumers. The majority of the projects approved were for cooperatives which will enable the farm consumer of power to distribute his own electricity without profit.

From July 1 to August 10 (the latest statistics available) the REA approved additional projects calling for loans totalling \$6,600,000 to build an additional 5,100 miles of lines to serve 17,000 consumers. Construction is underway on 9,000 miles of line costing \$9,400,000 which will serve 32,000 consumers.

## J. A. HARTLEY NEW DAIRY HERD TESTER

J. A. Hartley, a Jersey breeder of 20 years, was named recently as herd tester by the board of the Umatilla Herd Improvement association. Mr. Hartley came to the project last spring and with his family, operates the Happy Thot Dairy Farm. He replaces Bob Townsend, who is now employed by Arthur Moulton at Vancouver, Wn. Mr. Hartley's report for August follows.

During the month of August 35 herds were tested with 492 cows enrolled. The average milk production for the month was 577.2 yielding 25.0 pounds butterfat. High herd honors in the 20 cows and under class goes to F. A. Baker of Stanfield. His 24 head of Jerseys averaged 618.7 pounds milk and 30.1 pounds butterfat per cow. In the 12 to 20 cow class, honors go to Frank Seeliger of Hermiston. His 17 head of Guerneys averaged 799.5 pounds milk and 35.9 pounds butterfat. In the 12 cows and under class, honors go to Chas. Seeliger. His herd of 12 Holsteins and Guerneys averaged 773.3 pounds milk and 37.3 pounds butterfat.

The high herds to date in the various classes are as follows:

Over 20 cows—F. A. Baker, 24 Jerseys, 4667.1 ave. lbs. milk, 227.7 ave. lbs. fat.

12 to 20 cows—L. W. Owens, 18 Jerseys and Holsteins, 4613.6 ave. lbs. milk, 209.3 ave. lbs. fat.

Under 12 cows—Chas. Seeliger, 12 Holstein and Guerneys, 4993.9 ave. lbs. milk, 239.8 ave. lbs. fat.

The high cow for the month was owned by H. L. Payne of Hermiston, a 7-year-old Jersey producing 1364 pounds milk and 80.4 pounds butterfat.

Two cows were sent to the stock yards as unprofitable during the month and one registered Jersey herd sire replaced the one which was sold to the stock yards.

Cows making the honor roll in the respective classes are as follows:

Seventy lbs. fat or more, mature cows, H. L. Payne, Blacky, Jersey, 6-year-old, 1364 lbs. milk, 80.4 lbs. fat.

Class A—Mature cows, F. A. Baker, Yellow Bess, Jersey, 5-year-old, 1379 lbs. milk, 63.4 lbs. fat.

Class B—4-year-olds, Frank Seeliger, Bonnie 3, Guernsey, 1326 lbs. milk, 64.9 lbs. fat.

Class C—3-year-olds, C. Seeliger, Jersey, 880 lbs. milk, 48.1 lbs. fat.

Class D—2-year-olds, Dell Christley, Frisco, Jersey, 1212 lbs. milk, 48.4 lbs. fat.

## SMUT DAMAGE REDUCED

The best record in smut control to be made in modern times by Oregon and Washington farmers is shown in recent reports of the percentage of cars of wheat grading "smutty" received at Columbia river and Puget Sound terminal inspection points during August of this year.

A report issued by the Pacific coast headquarters office in Portland shows that the percentage of smutty cars in August this year dropped to 7.9 per cent as compared with an August average of 23.9 per cent for the past seven years and a high point of 40.5 per cent in 1931.

Bert W. Whitlock, in charge of the Pacific headquarters of federal grain supervision, attributed the decline in smutty wheat the last few years to the work done by agricultural colleges and other agencies in encouraging better seed treatment and seed selection. Another factor this year has been a fairly high percentage of spring grain which is normally more easily protected than fall grain.

With the large volume of clean seed now available, together with better seed treatment and the availability of a number of smut resistant varieties such as Rex, Oro, Rio, Albit, Hymer and Riddit, farmers should be able to eliminate smut losses still further next year, believes G. R. Hyslop, head of the plant industries division at Oregon State college.

A new circular of information entitled "Dusting Seed Wheat to Control Seed Borne Smut in Oregon", has recently been issued by the OSC experiment station, which includes most of the latest information on seed treatments and other suggested practices in smut control. The new improved Ceresan, a mercury dust compound, is given first in the list of recommended treatments. The

other are basic copper sulfate and copper carbonate. The basic copper sulfate is a recent addition to commercial seed treating chemicals, which does not injure the stand as common ground bluestone sometimes does.

## NEW CO-OP LOANS MADE AVAILABLE

Community and cooperative service loans are available for groups of farm families in counties where joint use of cooperative facilities such as purebred sires, heavy farm machinery, canning equipment and similar services is more economical than on an individual basis, according to R. S. Thompson, county rehabilitation supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

Loans for these cooperative facilities are part of the regular rehabilitation program to bring greater security to farm families unable to secure adequate commercial credit for cooperative enterprises. Two types of loans are available one on the master-borrower plan for participation of individuals in a community service, and the other for participation in established cooperative associations. Loans run over a period of several years with interest at three per cent.

Master-borrower loans enable small groups of farm families to have cooperative use of purebred sires, harvesters, feed grinders, hay balers, pressure canners, or any facilities that will contribute toward more efficient farming operations and rehabilitation of families unable to afford such services on an individual basis. The entire loan is either made to one master borrower with the other families signing the agreements to use the services at a minimum fee, or the loan is made to the groups with each family signing for its interest in the service.

## WANT ADS

FOR SALE—FRESH GUERNSEY—Brown Swiss cow, 6 yrs. old. W. T. Knapp, Hermiston. 6-2tp

POTATO DIGGER FOR SALE—J. S. Burnham, Hermiston, Ore. 6-tfc

FOR SALE OR RENT—SMALL farm with good house, located in Columbia district. J. H. DeMoss, Hermiston. 6-3tp

WILL TRADE SOME FARM Bureau certificates for potatoes. See Jarvis at Hotel. 6-1tc

GOOD CLEAN ALFALFA HAY FOR sale—18 ton. Mrs. R. A. Becker, Irrigon, Ore., Rt. 2, Box 74. 6-3tp

SMALL ENSILAGE CUTTER—9 inch knives. Good condition. B. P. Rand, Irrigon, Ore. 6-3tp

FOR SALE—FIVE MASTER INCUBATORS, 540 eggs each, hot water and kerosene heat. One Jamesway Sectional Type Incubator, 8640 eggs, coal heat. S. C. Johnson, Spray, Oregon. 6-6tc

FOR SALE—TWO BROOD SOWS, farrow about Nov. 10; also Delicious apples. Duane Lathrop, on the Paul Miller place. 6-3tp

SQUASH FOR SALE—\$5 PER TON by W. H. Cook, 1½ mi. west Attebury corner. 6-3tc

FOR SALE—A LARGE LIGHT 2-wheel trailer, furnished or unfurnished. A. W. Sundsten, Boardman, Oregon. 5-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—GULBRANSEN apartment model piano. Chas. W. Melville, 6 mi. S. W. Pine City. 5-3tp

SEVERAL YOUNG BROOD SOWS for sale—Also weaner pigs, \$4.50 each. E. E. Rainwater, Hermiston. 5-3tc

FOR TRADE—3-TON DODGE truck for weaner pigs, phone Kate Stanfield, Echo, Or. 5-3tc

FOR SALE—3 COWS, FRESHEN in October. One cow now milking. One Chester White Boar, 1 yr. old. Bill Logan, Hermiston. 5-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—GOOD team of heavy mare mules, middle aged. George Wicklander, Boardman, Or. 5-2tp

FOR SALE—TWO CROSS BRED, two year old bucks, and one team of horses. J. Omohundro, Hermiston. 4-3tc

FOR SALE—95 breeding ewes, principally Hampshire; fine condition. A. P. Ayers, Boardman. 4-3tc

WORK WANTED—BY HOUR OR day; washing and ironing in my home. Mrs. Fred Hibbard, Hermiston. 4-3tp

ONE FURNISHED APARTMENT, and rooms for rent. Carter's Apartment, Hermiston. 3-1tp

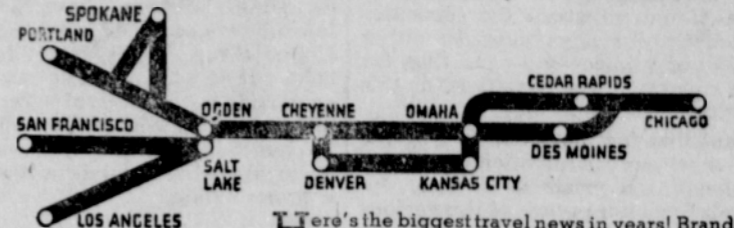


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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna M. Strohm, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Anna M. Strohm, 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 30th day of September, 1937. GEORGE STROHM, Executor.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of Westland Irrigation District, will meet as a board of equalization on the first Tuesday in October, 1937, at 8:00 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of reviewing the assessment rolls for the year 1938, and making such corrections as necessary. The meeting will be at the office of the district in Hermiston, Or. Dated September 1, 1937. Signed, J. W. MESSNER, Sec. (Sept. 9-30)

### EQUALIZATION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of Stanfield Irrigation District will meet as a Board of Equalization at 1:00 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, October 5, 1937, in the office of the District at Stanfield, Or., for the purpose of reviewing and correcting its apportionment of taxes, said taxes being for tolls and charges fixed by the board on September 6th, 1936, for the year 1937, being delinquent and unpaid. The assessment list and record will be in the office of the district in the City of Stanfield for the inspection of all persons interested and all persons shall be presumed to

have notice of the time and place of such meeting whether he receive actual notice or not.

DATED August 31, 1937. F. A. BAKER, Secretary. (Sept. 2-30)

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