

FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

CANNING SCHEDULE

October 18 to 23.
There will be canning on Tuesday and Friday. Any product may be brought in between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.
HERMISTON CO-OPERATIVE CANNERY.

Public Card Party.

A public card party will be sponsored by the Home Economics club of the Stanfield Grange, Friday, October 15th, in the Stanfield Grange hall. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. Everyone is invited to attend this party.

Co-ops Will Close at 5:00 P.M.

The Farm Bureau Cooperative of Hermiston, the Cooperative Service Station and the Grange Cooperative will close at 5:00 p. m., beginning November 1st. Patrons are asked to take notice of this change in closing hours.

WHEAT FARMER CONSERVES SOIL

"It is evident that the practice of taking all from and returning nothing to the soil will disturb the soil balance so that wind and water will carry it away," says Arthur Coppock, who operates a farm near Adams, Oregon.

With this thought in mind, Mr. Coppock is working with the Soil Conservation Service to protect his land by returning crop residues to the soil rather than burning them. Last year he utilized all the straw and stubble from a 35 bushel crop of wheat without materially retarding the following crop yield.

The benefits of this practice were apparent during the periods of runoff this spring. Erosion was serious on similar fields where crop residues had not been utilized, while little evidence of erosion could be seen on Coppock's "straw-farmed" field.

In addition to utilizing residues following a wheat crop, Mr. Coppock plows land following a pea crop and allows it to remain rough over winter. Thus the limited moisture supply is retained in the soil rather than a large part of the supply being lost as runoff.

FRESH TOMATOES LATE IN SEASON

Experienced Oregon gardeners are often able to enjoy fresh ripe tomatoes of their own raising for several weeks after the coming of the first killing frosts, says A. G. B. Bouquet, professor of vegetable crops at Oregon State college.

The secret lies in the fact that there are always many fruits left on the vines in the late fall that are mature but have not colored up, and that these, if carefully picked before frost and stored at proper temperatures will keep for weeks, and will ripen to a full red color, he says.

Tomatoes to be stored for future ripening need to be at least at the turning stage, beginning to show a slight amount of color, either pink or yellow, when picked from the vines, Professor Bouquet explains. If entirely green, both inside and out, they are immature and cannot be expected to ripen later off the vines.

All tomatoes for storage must be handled carefully, without bruising, of course, and the fruit itself must be sound. The best temperature for storing those that are to be kept for several weeks is from 50 to 55 degrees Fahrenheit, Bouquet says. The ripening is slow at this temperature, but there is no decay or breakdown. Tomatoes that are chilled down to 36 to 40 degrees may be expected to break down rather readily when brought to higher temperatures.

If it is desired to ripen up some fruits more quickly, he says, they can be taken from the storage place and put in the kitchen or some other fairly warm place where coloring and ripening will be hastened. At 65 degrees, tomatoes just beginning to show yellow color will have a good red color in about eight days, and if the fruits are picked in the pink stage they will color even more quickly.

While some people pull up their tomato vines before frost and hang them up in the barn or some other cool place to allow the fruits to ripen, Professor Bouquet feels that this takes up an unnecessary amount of space, whereas if the mature fruits are picked from the vines and properly stored they will ripen just as well.

Westland Grange Dance.

There will be another dance at the Westland Grange hall Saturday, October 16th, sponsored by the Grange. The public is cordially invited.

Hallowe'en Card Party.

The Home Economics club of the Westland Grange will hold a Hallowe'en card party in the Oddfellows' hall, Friday, October 22. Bridge and pinochle will be in play. Admission will be 25 cents a person and prizes will be given, including a door prize. Supper will be served.

Irrigon Grange Social.

The Irrigon Grange social will be held October 23rd instead of the regular night, due to a conflict with a state grange conference which will be held at Lexington on the regular meeting night. All members and friends are urged to attend.

BANG'S DISEASE MEETING HELD

Oregon dairymen will have an opportunity during the latter part of October and the first three weeks in November to express their views regarding a proposed order requiring that all Bang's disease testing be done only by persons authorized to make such tests, and that all reactors found will be branded as such by these testers.

The Oregon State college extension service is cooperating at the request of the state department of agriculture in holding these hearings at which the proposed order will be carefully explained to the dairymen of every county in the state, according to S. T. White, director of the state department.

Most dairymen of the state are aware of the many disadvantages of the present system under which unofficial testing is possible. All who are interested, however, are invited to attend those meetings to hear the matter explained in detail and express their opinions on the subject, in order that any action taken may be in accord with the wishes of the dairy industry as a whole.

Dates, places, and counties included in these hearings, as announced by Mr. White, are as follows: October 18—Albany, Linn Benton and South Lincoln; Oct. 19—Eugene, Lane; Oct. 20—Roseburg, Douglas; Oct. 21—Grants Pass, Josephine; Oct. 22—Medford, Jackson; Oct. 25—Hillsboro, Washington; Oct. 26—Rainier, Columbia; Oct. 27—Astoria, Clatsop; Oct. 28—Tillamook, Tillamook and North Lincoln; Oct. 29—Coquille, Coos and Curry; Nov. 1—The Dalles, Wasco and Hood River; Nov. 2—Arlington, Morrow, Gilliam, Wheeler and Sherman; Nov. 3—Pendleton, Umatilla; Nov. 4—Baker, Baker; Nov. 5—Enterprise, Walla; Nov. 6—LaGrande, Union; Nov. 8—Ontario, Malheur; Nov. 9—John Day, Grant and Harney; Nov. 10—Redmond, Deschutes, Crook and Jefferson; Nov. 12—Klamath Falls, Klamath and Lake; Nov. 13—Salem, Marion and Polk; Nov. 17—McMinnville, Yamhill; Nov. 18—Oregon City, Clackamas and Multnomah.

MILLIONAIRE CO-OP BUSINESSES

(Co-op League News Service)
LONDON—The twenty-eight poverty-stricken Rochdale weavers who organized the first co-op shop in an industrial suburb of Manchester 93 years ago would have gasped in wonder at statistics released today of the volume of business of several of England's largest retail cooperatives.

The London Cooperative Society, the largest in the world, reported cash sales for the year ending September 4, of \$70,350,000, an increase of more than six million dollars over the previous year. The London Society has just opened its 243rd food service store.

The Birmingham Co-op announced sales of \$15,000,000 for the half year just closed and estimated annual sales of approximately \$30,000,000.

Bristol cooperators did \$13,750,000 worth of business in their own stores and built a \$125,000 block of offices to handle the finances of the city's largest distributive business. In Newcastle the co-ops piled up \$12,500,000 business during the year.

November 15 First Turkey Pool.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Eastern Oregon Turkey Growers' association held at the assistant county agent's office, October 13, shipping dates were scheduled for November 15, and the second shipping dates November 29 and 30. A circular letter confirming these dates together with other important information regarding feeding practices prior to shipping, handling, and grading will be sent out soon to all members of the Eastern Oregon Turkey Growers' association.

A. M. A. PRESIDENT MODIFIES POSITION

(Co-op League News Service)
New York—Dr. J. H. J. Upham, president of the American Medical Association, which two months ago declared for cooperation between government and private health agencies, contradicted the position of the A.M.A. in a paper read before the American Association of School Physicians here this week. Dr. Upham declared that public health doctors in school clinics are encroaching upon the field of private physicians.

"For those able to pay for medical services it is manifestly unfair to the community to the medical profession, and to the people themselves to suggest or to furnish such services free."

The directors of the Bureau of Cooperative Medicine of The Cooperative League of the U.S.A., in a statement issued today, deplored the position taken by Dr. Upham and urged that "At a time when complete and expert medical care for the people is the grave concern of all interested in this problem, when hundreds of thousands of sick people do not receive needed medical care, private doctors and public health officials must bury their differences. They, with the public, must find a common meeting ground where all can work in the harmony necessary if desired results are to be obtained."

The Bureau of Cooperative Medicine pointed to such activities as the Community Cooperative Hospital at Elk City, Oklahoma, and the Wage Earners Health Association, St. Louis, as a method of bringing the best in medical science to those who need it. "In such activities private physicians and public health officials can unite to protect the people's health through the prevention of disease."

ONTARIO CO-OP BUYS OUT STORES

(Co-op League News Service)
Timmins, Ontario—The Consumers Cooperative Society, Ltd., took an important step to free people in this mining region from the domination of "company stores" when it purchased the Pioneer Stores, a company concern operating units in Timmins, Hollinger mine, and Dome mine, for \$28,000.

The Timmins Cooperative was organized about five years ago. It reported business of approximately half a million dollars in 1936 and anticipates a volume of \$700,000 this year. The "company stores" which the co-op will take over October 11, did a total volume of business of \$200,000 last year. Adding these to its present stores in Timmins, Schumacher and South Porcupine, the co-op expects to pass the million dollar mark in 1938, making the Timmins society one of the largest store cooperatives on the North American continent.

CO-OP BOOKKEEPING PAMPHLET OUT

The Cooperative League of the U.S.A. announces the publication of "A Primer of Bookkeeping for Cooperatives" by Werner Regli, head of the Accounting Bureau of the Cooperative League. Stuart Chase in commenting on this up to date guide to bookkeeping methods for cooperatives, says, "It impresses me as an intelligent, workmanlike, useful job. I particularly liked the first section where, bookkeeping is presented as growing out of a definite situation, not as magic from the sky". The pamphlet can be secured from The Cooperative League, 167 West 12 Street, New York City.

Townsendites to Pendleton.

A large number of Townsendites from Hermiston attended the Pendleton club last night when George Vose and Joseph Warnock from na-

tional headquarters addressed the meeting. The young men are now on their way east to their homes in Michigan and will make talks at other points enroute. The local club will meet Monday night of next week. There will be refreshments and a program. All are cordially invited.

EDIT HI SCHOOL AND COLLEGE PAPERS

Two girls who are well known in Hermiston are editors of high school and college papers respectively. Miss Ruth Dodd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Dodd of Hermiston, is editor of the Hall Tree, official weekly paper of St. Helen's hall, and Miss Betty Morfitt, granddaughter of Mrs. Gretchen Purdy, is editor of the Halltonian, semi-monthly newspaper of the high school student body at St. Helen's hall in Portland.

Ruth was editor of the Bulldog, Hermiston HI paper in her senior year and served as correspondent for the Walla Walla Union for more than a year. Miss Morfitt announced her staff this week.

COUNTY DRAMATICS INSTITUTE OCT. 18-20

A Dramatics Institute for Umatilla county will be held in the Little Theatre of the Vert Memorial building at Pendleton, from eight to ten o'clock the evenings of October 18, 19 and 20, under the auspices of the Home Demonstration Agent.

Miss Izola Jensen, Extension Specialist in Recreation and Dramatics from Oregon State college will conduct the institute. Included in the program will be suggestions for selecting the play, casting the play, stage action, lighting, make-up, between ideas and sources of material for the amateur.

Any organization interested in dramatic work is invited to send representatives to the institute. Men and women are both invited. Each night the program will be a continuation of that presented the previous evening. The information should be helpful to amateur play directors, business managers, stage managers and actors.

The Dramatic Institute precedes the one-act play contest for Umatilla county. Any organization sending representatives to the institute will be eligible to the county finals. The contest will be held near the end of January. The winning play in the county will have the opportunity to present their play in the Festival of Plays held at Oregon State college early in February.

Further information about the institute or the play contest may be obtained from Miss Frances Clinton, Home Demonstration Agent, Federal building, Pendleton.

BULL PUP NEWS

There are 28 pupils in the eighth grade this year, and names of the new pupils are Madeline Gifford, Genevieve Alspach, and Donald Cellers.

The seventh grade is composed of 27 pupils this year. The names of the new pupils are Gary Saylor, Bob Estle and Donald Hasse.

Thirty-four pupils compose the sixth grade this year. Names of new pupils are Laurelei Saylor and Lawrence Olson.

There are 29 pupils in the fifth grade. New pupils are Glenn Yeager, Wade Yeager and Patricia Warner.

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4 GRADE AND 2 PUREBRED Guernsey cows, for sale cheap; 1 purebred bull; calf 6 mo. old, \$50 with papers, \$45 without. Frank Seeliger, Hermiston. 8-1tp

FOR SALE—HOLSTEIN-JERSEY cow, 2 1/2 ml. east of Umatilla. C. A. Binder, Hermiston, Ore. 8-1tp

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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

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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. (Sept. 30-Oct. 28)

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

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

In the Matter of the estate of Charles W. Metteer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

That Clair E. Metteer, administrator, and Cleo Irene Joines, administratrix of the estate of Charles

W. Metteer, deceased, have filed their final account and report; that the County Judge by order duly made and entered, has appointed Monday the 25th day of October, 1937, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time, and the County Courthouse at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place where all objections and exceptions to said final account and report will be heard and a settlement of the estate made.

Dated this 24th day of September, 1937.
CHARLES E. METTEER, Administrator,
CLEO IRENE JOINES, Administratrix,
PETERSON & PETERSON, Attorneys for the estate. (Sept. 23-Oct. 21)

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