

FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

Stanfield Grange Dance.

The Home Ec club of the Stanfield Grange will sponsor a dance Saturday, February 26, in the Stanfield Grange hall. Admission will be 40 cents and 10 cents and the public is invited to attend.

AUTO WORKER'S PRESIDENT CALLS ON LABOR TO ORGANIZE CONSUMER CO-OPS

(Co-op League News Service)
NEW YORK—"I am for the consumers cooperative movement 100 per cent," Homer Martin, president of the United Auto Workers of America, told a representative of the Cooperative League News Service in an exclusive interview here Thursday.

Pointing to rising prices which immediately ate up the increased wages won by union organization, Mr. Martin declared that the workers must organize as consumers as well as producers if they are to control prices and actually increase the workers' standard of living.

"The essential trouble in this country," Mr. Martin said, "is the differential between producer's price and consumer's price. The consumer's price and the producer's price must be brought together. The consumers cooperative pushes the price to the consumer down and operates with organized labor, which pushes the producers price up to lessen the differential between the wages the worker gets and the price the consumer pays, thus distributing the whole product of industry and business through a greater strata of the population."

Citing the experience of the auto workers whose wage increases were stolen by increased prices, Martin declared, "In South Bend, Indiana, I understand, the merchants and real estate dealers and other distributors got together and decided exactly how a raise in wages to the workers would be divided among themselves in increased prices—what percentage would go for increased rents, how much to the grocer, how much to the drygoods store owner. By the time they got through the raise in wages amounted to nothing for the workers."

"Consumers Cooperatives, working jointly with the labor movement, would control that spread. Producers and consumers' price must be pushed together."

Asked about the relation between farmers and industrial workers, the president of the United Auto Workers declared, "I see in consumers cooperation the common denominator of consumer interest which can be a tremendous factor in bringing together American farmers and labor."

Mr. Martin was in New York consulting with representatives of Consumer Distribution Corporation which was set up by the late Edward A. Filene to promote the organization of city consumer cooperatives.

INTER-FAITH CONFERENCE ON CO-OPS AND CREDIT UNIONS HELD IN WASHINGTON

(Co-op League News Service)
WASHINGTON, D.C.—The first joint conference of Roman Catholics, Jews and Protestants ever held here on Consumers Cooperatives and Credit Unions drew together several hundred delegates and official representatives from the three great religious groups when it convened here February 14 and 15.

At the opening session, E. R. Bowen, General Secretary of The Cooperative League of the U.S.A., declared, "The word 'cooperation' in economics is synonymous with brotherhood in religion, freedom in education and democracy in government. As an economy owned by the people, under the control of the people and operated for the people, the consumers cooperative movement has stabilized volumes, employment and investment during the current depression. There have been no failures in cooperatives served by the major cooperative wholesales in the country and the number of employees was greater at the end of 1937 than at the end of 1936."

Other speakers at the conference included Father Edgar Schmiedler of the National Catholic Welfare Conference; Rabbi E. L. Israel of the Central Conference of American Rabbis; Rev. James Myers, secretary of the Industrial Department of the Federal Council of Churches; R. N. Benjamin, president of the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau Cooperative Association; Donald E. Montgomery, Consumers Counsel of the A.A.A.; Jacob Baker, president of the United Federal Workers of America;

Marion Hedges, director of research, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and Claude Orchard, credit union section, Farm Credit Administration. Organizations sponsoring the conference were the committee on the church and cooperatives of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America; the Social Action Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference and the Social Justice Commission of the Central Conference of American Rabbis.

LITERATURE ON POWER LEAGUE

The Umatilla Project Farm Bureau has arranged to have the full literature service of the Public Ownership of Public Utilities placed in the public libraries at Hermiston, Stanfield and Umatilla. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McFarland and R. G. Penney, manager of the Grange Cooperative, secured copies of Dr. Thompson's "Confession of the Power Trust."

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Mrs. Bertha Knox and Mrs. Annetta Barham planned a Washington's birthday program for members of the Farm Bureau Auxiliary at its regular meeting Friday, February 18. The refreshment committee planned and served cherry pie and tea to members, the committee being composed of Mrs. Doris Panages, Mrs. Nellie Tucker and Mrs. Catherine Sommerer.

Mrs. Opal Rainwater and Mrs. Clara Bloom will act on the program committee for the next meeting Friday, March 4, with Mrs. Essie Turnbull, Mrs. Monte Prindle and Mrs. Carson Linder on the refreshment committee.

CO-OP HEALTH ASSOCIATIONS ON METROPOLITAN AREA BEGIN MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

(Co-op League News Service)
NEW YORK—Membership drives and arrangements with several metropolitan doctors to provide medical care for their members have been started by the cooperative health associations of Manhattan, Queens, Brooklyn and Nassau. These associations, functioning as educational organizations until sufficient memberships warrant doctors' services, have scheduled a joint educational program for their members and a series of lectures for the coming weeks on topics of medicine, public health, and medical economics.

Dr. James P. Warbasse, president of the Cooperative League of the United States, and Dr. Kingsley Roberts, medical director of the Bureau of Cooperative Medicine, will give the first lectures to the groups on March 11, on "Cooperation for Health" and "Preventive Medicine in a Voluntary Health Association", in Russell Sage Auditorium, 130 E. 22nd Street, New York City.

The regular meetings which the New York cooperative health associations are now holding are serving to introduce new members and to present informally talks and information on purposes and method. The New York City group announces its purpose to be threefold: "Education in the principles of consumers' cooperation as applied to medical service; furtherance of health education and the practice of preventive medicine; and furtherance of cooperative medicine." In terms well-known to those familiar with the cooperative movement, the association announces that it "shall be conducted on a non-profit, cooperative basis."

At present the group's dues of \$2 cover a year's subscription to the new journal of the Bureau of Cooperative Medicine, Cooperative Health as well as the cost of the lectures and pamphlets on the health education program.

Hogs Need Balanced Ration.
OREGON CITY—Failure to feed well-balanced rations and to provide minerals and vitamins necessary is often responsible for poor results obtained in growing and fattening pigs, says County Agent J. J. Inskip, who explains that this poorly balanced feeding condition is usually more acute where hogs are kept confined in pens. Any mixture of corn, wheat and barley is generally satisfactory provided 15 pounds of protein concentrates is fed to each 85 pounds of grain, but the greater the variety of grains fed the better, he says. Where green feed is not available, five pounds of good ground alfalfa or clover hay should replace five pounds of the grain.

CROP AND FEED LOANS RECEIVED

Applications for emergency crop and feed loans for 1938 are now being received at the assistant county agent's office at Hermiston.

The loans will be made, as in the past, only to farmers who cannot obtain credit from any other source. The money loaned will be limited to the farmer's immediate and actual cash needs for growing his 1938 crops or for the purchase of feed for livestock, and the amount to be loaned to any one farmer in 1938 may not exceed \$400.

Farmers who can obtain the funds they need from an individual, production credit association, bank, or other concern are not eligible for crop and feed loans from the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan section of the Farm Credit Administration. The loans will not be made to standard rehabilitation clients whose current needs are provided for by the Farm Security Administration, formerly known as the Resettlement Administration.

As in the past, farmers who obtain emergency crop and feed loans will give as security a first lien on the crop financed, or a first lien on the livestock to be fed if the money borrowed is to be used to produce or purchase feed for livestock.

Where loans are made to tenants, the landlords, or others having an interest in the crops financed or the livestock to be fed, are required to waive their claims in favor of a lien to the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration until the loan is repaid.

Checks in payment of approved loans will be mailed from the Regional Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Spokane, Washington.

PLANNED FARM PROGRAM GIVEN

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The committee recommended a 25 per cent increase in dairy cattle in the irrigated section which is in keeping with the crop committee report which recommended an increase of 7000 acres of corn and barley.

The poultry committee recommended an increase of 30 per cent in the number of chickens over a long time program. The point emphasized at the meeting was that poultry would increase or decrease in conformity to feed costs which vary from year to year. Another point emphasized was that small farm flocks are detrimental to the industry in that no particular care is taken in grading eggs, thus cutting the price to commercial growers.

Those interested in turkeys recommended that there be an increase from 30,000 to 70,000 birds over a long time program. This increase was recommended because of the wheat surplus in the county, and also as a means to assure markets for other grain crops recommended.

Corn Acreage Increase.

The crops committee recommended an increase of 7,000 acres in corn most of which will be grown on irrigated land in west Umatilla county.

Another crop increase was recommended in asparagus for commercial canning purposes, and also in carrots.

No increase was recommended in alfalfa and pasture lands of which we now have 25,000 acres. The committee recommended a seed production acreage large enough to take care of local demands, particularly in mixed grasses, sweet clover and alfalfa, with emphasis being placed in wilt resistant varieties of alfalfa such as ladak, hardistan and turkestan.

A motion was made in the general assembly that a complete study be made of the acreage of barley now being grown in the county to determine the necessity of further increasing acreage to replace cubes and processed feeds now being shipped into the county.

Taxation Problems.

A more equal distribution of taxes was the problem confronting the tax committee and was the aim in all recommendations. Any taxes recommended are in view of reducing the present property tax.

After the tax committee had given its report the general assembly moved to approve all recommendations and submit same to the interim state tax committee for further revision. It was also voted that the county appropriate \$2000

for reappraisal of values of personal property. It was the general opinion of the conference that taxes be levied according to income derived from the properties instead of by appraised value.

A complete transcript of the economic conference report will be published in bulletin form and mailed to all farmers in Umatilla county.

BRING RESULTS CLASSIFIED ADS

NEW DESTROYER OF GERMS DISCOVERED

Science Again Comes to Aid of Mankind.

Philadelphia.—Medical science once again has come to the aid of mankind with the discovery of a new and powerful non-poisonous germ killer.

The finding of silver oxide powder, produced from any silver salt by addition of sodium or potassium hydroxide, bridges a great gap in the use of silver as a medicine, medical men say. The oxide, a brown powder, was described for the first time at a meeting of the American Philosophical society in session in Philadelphia.

The germicidal, the chemistry of which was explained by John J. Muller, professor of chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania, where the discovery was made, combines silver nitrate and colloidal silver.

Silver nitrate, a salt, is one of the most potent germicides, but burns. Colloidal silver is mild, but lacks much of the metal's germicidal ability.

The new powder, when mixed with paraffin, makes a salve for external use and it will dissolve in water for use internally.

A test proving its nontoxicating properties was made substituting the germ killer for drinking water and given to baby chicks. On the "silver water" the chicks grew to full feather and showed no signs of retardation or bad effects.

Tests for medicinal effects were made in conjunction with Dr. William Lentz of the department of veterinary medicine at the university, but the findings were not published.

Previous experiments with various forms of silver caused argyria, or deposit of metallic silver in the skin, turning a person a ghastly gray color. The new brown powder caused nothing of the like to happen.

This new discovery has been placed on the most delicate membranes, including the eye, without irritation. It has been given only to animals by the mouth, and cats, dogs, horses and cows have been cured of intestinal infections without ill effects.

Muller discovered the germicidal's remarkable and unexpected solubility in water and other substances while making pure silver oxides for nonmedical uses.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE — SEVERAL GOOD fresh cows; also several springers, and several brood sows, some with pigs now. E. E. Rainwater, Hermiston. 27-3tc

FOR SALE—NEW FRIGIDAIRE; overstuffed set, oil stove, bedroom furniture, etc. Inquire Herald office. 27-2tp

FOR RENT—COMPLETELY Modern electric home. Inquire Herald office. 27-1tc

FOR SALE — THIS WEEK ONLY, 40 acre lease with 10 acres wheat, 15 acres alfalfa, cull potatoes and seed potatoes. One large mule and a few good milk cows. Henry Smitz, Stanfield, Ore. 27-1tp

WANTED — 1200 NARRAGANSET turkey eggs March 15 to 20. Leghorn and New Hampshire Red, day old pullets for sale. Hatching now. "Vigorbilt" Hatchery, Hermiston, Ore. 27-1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 40 acres cheap for cash; 1 fresh cow and heifer calf for \$60. J. B. Perry, Westland district. 27-3tp

FOR SALE OR RENT—GOOD USED Standard Royal typewriter. Inquire Thompson's Drug. 25-1tc

FOR SALE—THOR MANGLE, good condition, reasonable; Mabel Walker, Hermiston. 26-3tc

A SALE OF 100 HEAD OF GOOD draft horses and ten cattle will be held Friday, February 25, at the fair grounds at Moro, Oregon, by the Sherman County Livestock association. Stock guaranteed as represented. Some of the best horses in the northwest are grown in Sherman county and will be included in this sale. Horses delivered to Portland for \$5. 26-1tc

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FOR SALE — 1936 FORD COUPE; 85 H. P. motor; low mileage, original tires; heater; make me an offer. A. A. "Red" Estle, Hermiston. 26-1tc

FOR SALE—WELL IMPROVED 14 acre ranch; close to highway; four room house. Fair out buildings; four acres in artemesia. See or write M. E. Gordon, Hermiston. 26-3tp

FOR SALE — MODEL A FORD truck; dual wheels, long base. At Sec. House, Messner, Ore. 25-3tc

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that A. S. Cooley, as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Francis Martin Gast, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County, and said court has fixed Monday, the 21st day of March, 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. of said day, as the time for hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. On or before said day any person interested in said estate may file objections to said final account, or to any item thereof, and contest the same. Dated February 17, 1938.
A. S. COOLEY, Administrator.
(Feb. 17—March 17)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah Boyle, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah Boyle, deceased, by the above entitled court, and he has duly qualified as required by law. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present the same with proper vouchers, to me at the Law Office of George R. Lewis in the Despain Block, Pendleton, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice which is the 18th day of February, 1938.

B. DUVAL ISAMINGER, Administrator.
GEORGE R. LEWIS
Attorney for Administrator
Post Office Address,
Pendleton, Oregon.
(Feb. 17—March 17)

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