

FARM CO-OPERATIVE DIVISION

A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER.

Notice to Members of Umatilla Project Farm Bureau

The annual payment of \$1.00 to the organization is now due. We would like to have all old members, and as many new members as possible, in good standing by June 1. Membership in the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau also entitles the holder to a year's subscription to the Hermiston Herald.

C. M. JACKSON, Secretary.

DAIRIES GIVEN HONOR RATINGS

The National Dairy association has awarded several Umatilla county dairies with honor roll diplomas. These are presented to dairies with an average of 300 lbs. butterfat per year. The records were compiled by the local Dairy Herd Improvement association and sent in to national headquarters.

Among the various herds listed were: Dr. A. E. Marble, A. W. Turnblad, Wm. R. Coppack, Charles See-liger, Dell Christley, L. C. Dyer, I. M. McDermed, F. A. Baker, H. A. Wilson, Floyd Laird, J. H. Reid, Happy Thot Jersey Farm, in the 300 lbs. class. In the 350 lb. division were the two herds of the Eastern Oregon State Hospital and C. R. Smith.

ACREAGE REDUCTION, INSURANCE & LOANS FEATURE EVER-NORMAL GRANARY

(Editor's Note: This is the final article in a series of six, prepared by the Umatilla County Agricultural Conservation association, explaining aims of the AAA farm program and how it hopes to aid the wheat problem.)

Farmers of Umatilla county are familiar with the aims of the ever-normal granary plan for agriculture—how it hopes through loans, insurance and acreage reduction to solve the major problems which have beset the wheat farmer during recent years.

A review of accomplishments shows us that many of these aims are being realized.

This year, for example, wheat farmers of the nation stored up under loan a total of 85 million bushels of wheat. In Oregon, nearly four million dollars was loaned on 7,300,000 bushels. In Umatilla county, about 1,487,756 was loaned on 2,929,162 bushels. As a result of these loans, farmers were able to get a cash return on their 1938 wheat crops immediately after the harvest, despite low market prices.

Then, crop insurance. Recent figures show that nearly 300,000 United States farmers have applied for policies on this year's crop. In Oregon, 839 farmers are taking part, guaranteeing themselves what this year regardless of what happens. In Umatilla county, 328 farmers are participating in the insurance program.

Finally, acreage adjustment. In 1938, farmers of the nation had no acreage adjustment program and planted 80 million acres of wheat. This year, with a national wheat acreage allotment in effect, they are reducing to approximately 65 million acres. In 1938, Oregon farmers planted more than a million acres of wheat. This year under the farm program they are cutting down to 768,000 acres.

In Umatilla county, in 1938, farmers planted 239,754 acres. This year, in line with the reduction trend, they are cutting this down to 193,000 acres.

Some persons have called the AAA farm program one of "scarcity". They declare it unsound to regulate production in accordance with demand. But we know there is a limit to the amount of wheat we can store in our ever-normal granary, just as we know there is a limit to the amount of water we can store in our power or irrigation reservoirs.

The ever-normal granary does not seek scarcity. Its aim is balanced abundance—neither too much nor too little wheat, but plenty of all needs each year.

OSC 4-H SESSION PROMISES RECORD

Another record-breaking 4-H club summer session is in prospect at Oregon State college June 5 to 16, when a total of about 2000 club boys and girls and local leaders will be on the campus for an intensive two-weeks program of studies and activities.

H. C. Seymour, state club leader, says that despite the increased enrollment and the fact that some 1500 state grange convention delegates will be in Corvallis during the second week of the 4-H session, adequate facilities will be available to handle the group.

Oregon conducts what is generally recognized as the largest two-weeks 4-H club summer session in the United States.

POOR GRAZING IS RESULT DRY SPRING

(Prepared by Umatilla County Agricultural Conservation association)

Range operators of our county are generally agreed that this has been one of the driest springs in recent years. Ranges generally are in poor shape, and water conditions are far below normal.

It has been noticeable this spring that operators who have been carrying on certain conservation practices—either by themselves or thru the AAA range program—are in better condition to provide sufficient range and water for their livestock than those who have not made this effort. Operators who have practiced deferred grazing, reseeding of depleted areas, and water development are better able to bring their animals through such a period in good shape than those who have not.

One of the most obvious benefits from conservation practices, such as encouraged by the AAA range program, has been the strengthening of range grasses through deferred grazing. Operators who kept a reserve of grass on their range throughout the winter, instead of allowing livestock to consume it all, have found that deferred grazing areas are surviving these dry days better than those heavily grazed. More plant food was readily available for making a start this spring, and grasses were not so greatly dependent on spring rains.

The condition has been compared to having a "range bank account". Deferred grazing areas have a reserve which is now being drawn upon.

Some operators who have reseeded former crop land and crested wheat grass are finding that practice of special value right now. Hardy crested wheat plants are surviving dry conditions unusually well, we have been told.

Finally, water developments are showing their worth, during this dry weather. In many cases what once were bog holes have been developed to provide clean water for stock. Wells have been sunk at strategic places on the range and dams have been constructed to supply needed water.

Not only are such conservation practices showing their worth now, but because of their permanence they will be of value in the future.

The county committee wishes to point out again that ranch operators have until June 1 to sign up for this year's range program. By cooperating, they will get the federal government's aid in paying for certain range improvements which they wish to have, but have been unable to finance heretofore.

CANNING SCHEDULE FROM MAY 29 TO JUNE 3

Monday	8 to 11 a. m.	12 to 3:30
Tuesday	Asparagus	Asparagus
Wednesday	Greens & Peas	Asparagus
Thursday	Asparagus	Asparagus
Friday	Asparagus	Asparagus
Saturday	Greens & Peas	Asparagus

Other products canned by special arrangement.
Hermiston Co-op Cannery.

Irrigon H. E. Club to Meet.
The Irrigon Home Economics club will meet at the Bill Graybeal home at Irrigon on Thursday, June 8. Regular business will be attended to.

Westland Friends Meet.

Friends and neighbors of the Westland community enjoyed a very pleasant evening of cards and games at the Westland school house Saturday, May 20. The next get-together party of the Westland community will be June 3rd at the same place beginning at 8:00 p. m.

SALADS AID TO SUMMER MENUES

With the approach of summer we find the homemaker giving more attention to the question of salads. This, no doubt, because it is the season when salad materials are abundant and cheap and because they can be prepared with little effort and time. But there is more to this question of salads than mere convenience. Salads merit an important place in meal planning because the very stuff that they are made of is important in the diet as protective foods—that is high in minerals and vitamins.

Leafy, green vegetables are rich in both iron and vitamin A. The thinner and greener the leaf, in fact, the richer they are in both. Green leaves are also excellent sources of vitamin G. Thrown in for good measure are considerable amounts of vitamin C and vitamin B. Vegetables, and fruits too, contribute bulk or roughage some of which is usually desirable in the diets of persons in normal health.

Just which of the many leafy and green vegetables the homemaker serves her family is not especially important, as long as she serves some kind the year around. Certain varieties, of course, fit in better with limited budgets than others because they supply the same minerals and vitamins more economically.

Such greens as watercress, endive, lettuce and cabbage are old and respected members of the salad family. Other tender, mild-flavored leaves may also be served uncooked. Spinach, for instance, may be mixed with pieces of fresh tomato, sliced hard-cooked eggs, bits of crisp bacon and the family's favorite dressing, to make a colorful, nutritious salad.

COOPERATIVE HEAD WARNS CONVENTION GROUP AGAINST IMPENDING FASCISM HERE

(Co-op League News Service)
Superior, Wis.—Delegates representing 35,000 members of 160 cooperative associations in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Northern Michigan, gathered here for the 22nd Annual Meeting of the Central Cooperative Wholesale, April 17 and 18, heard William Limatainen, president of CCW, warn that "it might happen here" and voted to hire resident educational directors to serve each of the seven districts in Central Co-op Wholesale territory to stimulate the further growth of cooperatives as the most effective answer to impending fascism.

America's pioneer consumer co-op wholesale reported a net saving of \$65,000 on its \$3,045,500 volume last year and delegates at the meeting approved the recommendation of the board to pay a patronage dividend of 1.4 per cent on wholesale operations which will mean the return of approximately \$42,000 to member co-op stores. The balance will be transferred to surplus-reserves.

Limatainen drove home his opposition to political and economic dictatorships when he declared, "When we cooperators read about what is taking place in Europe, where dictator tyrants are utterly disregarding human rights... we shudder at the thought that it might happen here. It behooves us to build our organization stronger and spread the message of cooperation."

In addition to approving the hiring of seven resident district edu-

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USED WATCHES—ELGIN & WAL- thams, \$5.00 to \$10.00. A. W. Behrman, Hermiston, Ore. 35-1fc

tional directors, the delegates approved a decision of the Cooperative Publishing Ass'n. to set up a plant to print the Cooperative Builder, weekly co-op newspaper, the Finnish Cooperative Weekly, pamphlets and other materials used by member cooperatives.

For the first time in its history, a non-Finn, Viking Anderson, was elected to the board of the Central Cooperative Wholesale, and a woman, Mrs. Naomi Schreiber, was elected as alternate director. Mrs. Maiju Nurmi, speaking for the Northern States Women's Cooperative Guild, urged the organization of a guild in each cooperative. Miriam Sandra, reporting for the Cooperative Youth League, said there are now 29 groups with 678 members active in cooperatives affiliated with CCW.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR 2nd ANNUAL HERMISTON DERBY

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Treasure Island, have been winners in some of the larger races in the past.

A new starting gate has been built in order to facilitate starting of the races which will tend to give jockeys a more even start. Logan Todd of Hermiston will be the official starter. Races will be from a half mile to a mile. Featured on the program will be kiddies shetland pony and local saddle races.

A new feature of the program this year will be the installation of pari-mutuel betting. This has proven popular in other cities where it has been in vogue for many years. "Windy" Winship, district Standard Oil manager out of Dayton, will be in charge of the mutuels. He is being loaned through the courtesy of the Standard Oil Co. and has had much experience in that line.

Boy Scouts will be on hand during the races with ice cream and pop and to generally assist about the grounds. Programs have been printed for the convenience of the spectators.

Clark's string of famous horses arrived Thursday morning. Clitus and Home George, who won the feature race here last year, are included. Approximately 60 horses are on hand and several more are expected.

Among the various strings of horses entered and the various horses listed include:

- Krall of Boise, Idaho; Louis Morgan, Shasta Fire, Lou B. Star Singer, Cible Snow.
- Charles Reed of Spokane; Julia Bludgeon.
- Banks of Phoenix, Arizona; Front Man, Boyd McGee, Border Town.
- Dean of Alturas, Calif.; Treasure Chest, Rusty Can, My Timber, Katie Lancaster.
- Baze of Sunnyside; Last Effort, Polly Leech, Pike's Peak.
- Gibson of Burns; Propell.
- Herberger of Eugene; Pro Moi (imported from Ireland); Zu Zu.
- Stevens of Sunnyside; Humorous, King's Comet, Obe's First, Down Payment.

PIERCE TELLS HISTORY OF UMATILLA DAM BILL

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The bill was before the House in Committee of the Whole on May 17. It contained three big money items, Connecticut, Tombigbee, and Umatilla, all of which were voted down. Umatilla had the largest vote but lost by 22.

"The House Republicans held a conference and decided on an "economy" opposition program. They are under able management and perform like trained seals. Florida ship canal fight hurt all projects. The Railway Brotherhoods personally carried an appeal to all members on the morning of the 18th to vote against waterways, but omitting to name Umatilla in their letters.

"The President had made known to the House management that he

favoured both Tombigbee and Umatilla. Speaker Bankhead had taken the floor with a personal appeal for Tombigbee which lost, finally, on roll call by 42. After hasty conference with supporters and House leaders, I decided not to demand a roll call on Umatilla, which was by voice stricken from the bill, but to hold my support for the bill returned from the Senate with the item which we hope can be included and held there. All concede we are in stronger position than after a possible adverse roll call vote.

"Economy is now the watchword here. Strong interests are oppohing all waterway and power projects. Under the present plan, money is not allotted by the Congress to any one river and harbor project. The congress simply authorizes the expenditure, then it is up to the chief Army Engineer to allot the money from their lump sum appropriation. It is generally understood that this is allotted on the advice, consent and suggestion of the President. The bill provided that no appropriation would be called for during the coming fiscal year."

WALTER M. PIERCE,
Representative in Congress.

Krause Attends Wedding.

Ralph Krause, with his mother and brother Karl, left Thursday morning for Medford where they will attend the wedding of Virgil Krause. He is to be married to Martha Collins on Sunday afternoon at the Full Gospel church. The Krauses will make the trip via Bend, Crater Lake, Klamath Falls and Ashland. While at Ashland they will visit Edgar Hoosier, former, of Stanfield. The return trip will be made via Eugene, Salem and Portland, arriving home Tuesday evening.

Poppies on Display in Window.

A bouquet of large California poppies were displayed in the window of the Hermiston Herald the first of the week. They were brought in from the Hutchison Gardens in the Columbia district.

CALL FOR WARRANTS.

School District 6, Umatilla, Oregon, hereby calls all warrants between No. 8636 to No. 8922 inclusive. Interest thereon ceases on this date, Thursday, May 25. Kathryn Sherlock, Clerk. (May 25-June 1)

LAND SALE NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 5th day of April, 1939, will on the 3rd day of June, 1939, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$30.00 therefor, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Newport's Addition to City of Hermiston, Umatilla County, Oregon.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (April 27-May 25)

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT & REPORT.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Gottlieb Kurrle, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above entitled matter and that the above entitled court has fixed Monday, the 29th day of May, 1939, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, as the time and the County Court Room in the Umatilla County Court House at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place for hearing of said final account and report. Objections to said final account and report, if any there be, should be filed on or before that date.

GILBERT G. SMITH,
Administrator, c.t.a., of the Estate of Gottlieb Kurrle, Deceased. (April 27-May 25)

Land Sale Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 29th day of April, 1939, will, on the 24th day of June, 1939, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$36.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

Lot 3 & N½ of Lot 5 & N½ of Lot 6, Block 23, Original town of Umatilla, Umatilla County, Oregon.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (May 25-June 22)

LAND SALE NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 25th day of March, 1939, will, on the 3rd day of June, 1939, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$30.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

NW¼ NE¼, Section 1, Township 3, North Range 27, EWM.
R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (May 4-June 1)

LAND SALE NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 25th day of March, 1939, will, on the 3rd day of June, 1939, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$50.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

W½ NE¼ SW¼, Section 6, Township 4, North Range 29, EWM.
R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (May 4-June 1)

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