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## MATTRESS MAKING APPLICATIONS IN STATE PASS 10,000

Surplus raw cotton from the southern states will roll into Oregon throughout this spring and summer to meet the needs of the mattress-making centers throughout the state, where thousands of Oregon families have applied for the privilege of making their own mattresses from the surplus cotton being distributed free through the AAA and Surplus Marketing administration.

Officials of the O.S.C. extension service in charge of the mattress-making project report a far greater response in many counties than was anticipated when the project was undertaken. Already applications in 25 counties have been made for 10,078 mattresses, which will require some 15 carloads of raw cotton. The project may be extended later to other counties.

Although applications are accepted only from families with a stated minimum annual cash income, the extension service emphasizes the fact that this is not a relief project, but instead is a means of disposing of huge stocks of surplus cotton while at the same time increasing the standard of living in rural homes.

With 1508 applications by the first week in March, Marion county led the others in the response to the program. Malheur county, where the actual mattress-making work was started first, has applications for 1249 mattresses, of which 480 have been made. In Deschutes county the program is under way with 509 applications and approximately 300 mattresses made. Klamath county is also started, with 329 applications and about 100 made so far. Both Jackson and Josephine county families have turned in an excess of 700 applications.

The Oregon granges are cooperating in the program by making grange halls available as centers for making the mattresses. Certain special machinery is supplied to each center and in each case local instructors are trained by the extension service to help in the actual making of the mattresses. Those who have completed their mattresses so far are enthusiastic about the high quality of the product, according to the extension leaders. Experience in other states has shown that these mattresses will remain in excellent condition for years if given proper care.

## LATEST CROP REPORT SHOWS BIG WHEAT SURPLUS LOOMING

Latest crop reports on the condition of winter wheat in America emphasize the necessity of a vote on wheat marketing quotas, according to Will Steen, chairman of the Oregon AAA committee.

The April crop report indicates that spring and winter wheat production plus the present carry-over will add up to nearly 1 1/2 billion bushels. This is about twice as much wheat as America normally consumes in two years. Other great wheat-producing countries also report big surpluses of unsold wheat, making the export outlook dark even without considering the war conditions which have cut off practically all chance of shipping wheat to countries which could use it.

The final proclamation of marketing quotas must be made prior to May 15, and will probably follow the May crop report. Already the tentative date for such a referendum, if called for, has been set for May 31. If the quotas are proclaimed and approved by growers, all farmers can sell all the wheat grown on their AAA acreage allotments. In other words, AAA cooperators will have nothing to worry about under the wheat quota system.

Farmers who have overplanted their allotments will have to store the excess or pay a penalty on it. Marketing quotas are a guarantee that all wheat growers will share in taking care of the surplus, says Chairman Steen.

National figures show that wheat growers are cooperating well with the wheat adjustment program. The indicated acreage this year will be somewhat less than 63 1/2 million acres, which is remarkably close to the total acreage allotment of 62 million acres. The heavy prospective surplus has been brought about by the stoppage of practically all exports following several favorable production years.

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## COLUMBIA SCHOOL NEWS

Report cards were issued for the fifth six weeks period last week. School letters will be awarded on Achievement Day to those boys and girls of the school who have earned the required number of points in scholastic achievement, citizenship, sportsmanship, extra curricula activities and service.

Boys and girls who have made kites and signed up for the annual tournament include Creston Buzzard, Cecil Hunt, Dulcinea Panages and Peggy Sommerer.

The joint Harmonica-Tonette party is to be held in the auxiliary club house Friday evening, April 18. Parents are invited.

Plans are being made for devoting the regular weekly assembly April 30 to patriotic observance of Constitution day. Parents and friends are invited to attend the assembly program which begins at one o'clock.

The second assembly amateur program will be enjoyed Wednesday, April 23.

## TOWNSEND CLUB NEWS

By Mrs. Joe Udey

The Townsend meeting was well attended at the Columbia park hall Friday night. A program was enjoyed, as well as many guessing games. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

A special letter was read from Oregon's representatives, stating that a convention for 2nd district will be in The Dalles at the Court House May 4th, and clubs of this district are to elect delegates to attend this convention.

The dance committee announces that an embroidered pillow case will be given as a door prize at their dance April 19. Their dances will be at Stanfield in Refvem's hall from now on. The change of hall was made because the fair board wanted to use the park hall every Saturday night. The club meetings will be held in the Columbia hall on Friday, April 25. Everyone is welcome to our club meetings as well as the dances.

## IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. W. C. Isom

A group of young folks charvaried Mr. and Mrs. Unas, Rutledge Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Rutledge's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fagerstrom from Iutano arrived here Saturday to assist with the revival meetings being held this week at the Pentecostal church.

Ladd Sherman, school superintendent, returned Sunday from Spokane where he attended a teachers' conference.

The Rev. George Brown of Prairie City held services at the Pentecostal church last Friday night.

Mrs. Edith Puckett and daughter, Mrs. Ivan Woods of Portland, are visiting the former's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbot have rented the Earl Leach home.

B. D. Cooper and family from Ocean Lake, Ore., visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Grimm Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arneberg visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gerton at Freewater Sunday.

Fred Caldwell was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Potts and Mrs. Belle Caldwell, his sister and mother at Umatilla Sunday.

Mrs. Georgia Langdon, a friend from Athena, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Volle and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cork and daughter Jean from Echo, visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom Sunday.

## WATER FOUND AMPLE FOR 55% OF IRRIGATED LANDS

Approximately 55 per cent of the irrigated lands of southern and eastern Oregon for which water forecasts are made will have ample water for irrigation this season, according to a summary made by R. A. Work, Medford, in charge of snow surveys and irrigation water forecasts for the Soil Conservation service and the Oregon agricultural experiment station.

About 45 per cent of the irrigated lands will experience various degrees of shortage this year, with some 28 per cent expected to have a mild shortage which will permit the maturing of most crops. On about 17 per cent of the irrigated area of the state, however, the shortage is expected to become critical.

These percentage figures are based on records of irrigated lands by districts in the state engineer's office and are not issued as being accurate as to detail. They do indicate, however, the general condition of water supplies in the state in relation to total volume of irrigated lands, says

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Work. The figures do not include the irrigated areas of the Willamette valley or the coast region. In general, the regions with ample irrigation water supplies are south and east of a line drawn from Upper Klamath lake to the western border of Wallowa county.

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