

SPECIAL NEWS FOR FARM BUREAU WEEK

FARMERS MUST UNITE TO GAIN DESIRED ENDS

The story is told of a certain Jewish father who called his seven sons to his bed side. He said to them: "My sons, I am soon to die. I have left you a bundle of seven sticks. If you break them, each will break. If you unite, they will be as strong as iron. Now my sons, he said, "Take the sticks, so long as you hold together you will be strong and successful, but so soon as you attempt to work alone you will become weak and can easily fail."

The story applies very aptly to the farmer and let us say to the farmers of Jackson county. It is only in recent years that the American farmer has come to realize that as a single individual, he has but little strength and that he can only hope to receive such treatment as other interests choose to give him.

Having taken the first steps in becoming united, the Jackson county farmers have discovered that they are able to accomplish more, that they are now stronger. The past five years of organization have been years of worth while achievements, the next five years should be years of far greater accomplishments. It is up to the farmers to rally around their Farm Bureau to take an active interest in the work it is doing in a county-wide way, and to do all in their power to help solve community problems. One community problem that needs your help is the fight against the pocket gopher. The county-wide movement that needs your support is the dairy situation. When all Jackson county gets to work to make this a prosperous dairy community it won't be long in getting what it goes after.

Mr. Farmer, get the "bundle idea." Join the Farm Bureau, show your colors by taking up the "Farm Bureau, Jackson County Fair" sign, swat the pocket gopher and above all make up your mind that before another five years of Farm Bureau activities have rolled around, Jackson county will have come into her own as a great dairying section.

WHAT VARIOUS CLUBS IN COUNTY ARE DOING FOR FARM WOMEN

The activities of various clubs in Jackson county are reported by local secretaries as follows:

Mrs. Frank E. Upton of Central Point writes:

Dear to the heart of every woman is a new and becoming up-to-date hat. Of the many helpful activities conducted by the home demonstration agent, none is attracting more interest than that of millinery. In proof of this, enthusiastic classes have been formed in nine communities: Ashland, Bellevue and Neil Creek, Central Point, Rich, Rogue River, Riverside, Talent, Valley View and Westside. A great deal of interest is being shown in all of these communities as is evidenced by the large number attending the classes which have averaged not less than twenty women to each class so far held.

All phases of hat making are carried on under the competent and skillful instructions of Miss Grayce Teich and every one seems intensely interested in the work.

On February 17th Miss Teich called a meeting of the leaders of the different communities to formulate plans for these millinery classes. Plans were discussed and arrangements made to hold a three or four day course in each community and in order to make the classes as instructive as possible in this limited time, it was decided to begin with drafting patterns from which buckram and wire shapes could be made. Practice patterns were made. Then each member of the class drafted a pattern of the shape she preferred and made a frame. These frames or shapes were criticised in regard to good and bad points and suggestions given how same could be made more becoming to the individual wearer. A day was spent on this work interspersed by helpful suggestions from Miss Teich, each woman making her own hat.

At the 2nd meeting hats were covered with braid or any material suitable. The working up of used or old material was encouraged. Several hats being made out of odds and ends—not intended to look home-made but handmade. Many women have different pieces of silk, velvet or other material laid away seemingly useless. A little time, some help and suggestions from her home demonstrator would convert these articles into usefulness.

Making decorations, and trimming the hats are then taken up at the following meetings.

Attractive and neatly made hats

and clothes, not necessarily expensive, increase one's self respect and indirectly increase the morale of the community.

A woman owes it to herself at least to look as attractively dressed as possible.

By Mrs. M. P. True of Ashland

The Bellevue and Neil Creek Community club met at the home of Mrs. Butler Walker on East Main street, Feb. 21 and 22 in all day meetings. Each lady took her sandwiches and was provided with coffee and one hot dish by the hostess, Miss Grayce Teich, the home demonstration agent for Jackson county, instructed the class in the making of hats, beginning with the foundation work in paper patterns which could be transferred to buckram or other frame material and when completed were perfect shapes ready to be covered with braid or whatever material desired. There were about 12 hats started at this meeting, and the most of them will be completed at the next meeting.

Wax ornaments that are popular this season and may be used for hat or dress trimmings were demonstrated by Miss Teich. Several were made by the class, also some new and interesting patterns in wool flowers were made.

There are about thirty-five members enrolled at present and several more are expected to become members soon. A great deal of interest has been shown thus far in our meetings.

Mrs. J. R. McCracken

By phoning their wants to Miss Hicks of the Library, 24 ladies of Ashland have had dress forms made this year under the supervision of Miss Teich, home demonstration agent.

Fourteen of these were made at the class held January 25th at the Library and 10 at the same place on February 16th. Several of these ladies who had them made have assisted their neighbors in making one, so that the total number is much more than 24.

A three days sewing school held at the Valley View school house under direction of Miss Teich, Feb. 27, 28 and March 1, was well attended by the ladies of the neighborhood. Special help was given on about a dozen dresses, and plans and suggestions were made on several others.

This is to be followed by a three days millinery school, one day of which was held Monday, March 5th. Miss Teich gave an interesting and instructive talk on cotton and cotton fabrics at a recent meeting of the P. T. A. of the Valley View district.



1923 Legislature Mess Is Blamed on Direct Primary

Failure of the legislature to accomplish the reforms promised and expected is due principally to the direct primary, which has destroyed party in Oregon. Had the members been elected upon a party platform, the provisions of that platform would have been enacted into law. But instead of party platforms, we had ninety individual go-as-you-please platforms, plus the governor's ever changing waltz-dance platform with its shifting rainbow generalities of promises.

All legislatures are more or less alike—a cross-section of the average citizenship of the state and they reflect the intelligence or lack of it among the people. This session however had more inexperienced and more incompetency than usual, due to the unusual manner of its selection and hence functioned more laboriously and clumsily and with less efficiency. Lack of party unity, party discipline and party responsibility are all reflected in the lack of definite accomplishment. Outside of passing an

income tax bill, the pruning of appropriations, nothing important was done, and the state would have been just as well off if the several hundred new laws had not been added to clog the statute books.

Legislatures will grow worse instead of better as long as unrest disturbs the country and legislatures are left on an individualistic basis. One of the remedies lies in restoration of the party convention as far as the adoption of principles go, even if the naming of candidates is left to the primaries. In this way a candidate will stand for a definite set of principles and a definite program of accomplishment, and with the party responsible for his action, party responsibility and discipline will be restored.—Salem Capital Journal.

From 12 Year Old Boy Club Member

I am twelve years old. I am a strong booster of club work. I joined a calf club last year. I studied stock judging and learned all I could about calf club work. I raised my calf very successfully and learned better how to care for my calf. I took it to the fair and won a second prize in the calf classes and a first prize in the open class. My prize money amounted to eleven dollars. I did not get to go free to the Pacific International at Portland with the judging team. This year I expect to raise a better calf and do better in stock judging. I also may be able to win a free trip to the Pacific International. The state fair or a trip to the summer school at Corvallis.

The calf club work taught me to choose better calves and how to raise them. I had much enjoyment in raising my calf. I think that every boy or girl in Jackson county that could join a calf or pig club would find it very helpful.

A CLUB MEMBER.

FRANK DOREMUS WINS IN DETROIT PRIMARY

DETROIT, Mich., March 8.—Frank E. Doremus, former democratic congressman from the first Michigan district and J. W. Inchen, former police commissioner, will be candidates for mayor of Detroit at the April election, when a successor to James C. Couzens, now United States senator, is chosen. They were the successful candidates in yesterday's non-partisan primary.

A proposal to increase the salary of the mayor from \$8,000 to \$12,000 a year was lost. The voters defeated an additional \$5,000,000 bond issue for municipal street railway extensions.

Chile Cabinet Quits

SANTIAGO, Chile, Mar. 8.—(By Associated Press.) The cabinet formed early in January with Francisco Garcia Gana as premier resigned this afternoon, in consequence of an adverse vote, on a resolution of confidence in the senate.

Please remember that classified ads. local and small ads are cash in advance. Bring in your ads and do not use telephone.

HOME DEMONSTRATION IS TIME SAVER FOR THE BUSY HOUSEWIFE

Are you one of the women who, at the end of the day, frequently makes the query: "Where has the time gone today? I do not seem to have accomplished anything."

Does your work seem uninteresting? Do you sometimes feel that you are being killed by your daily household tasks?

Then, why not ask your demonstration agent to help you?

Home demonstration agents are now at home in every state in the union, on the coast, in the corn and cotton belts, in the prairie towns; everywhere there are neighbors. Sent out from the state universities in cooperation with the federal department of agriculture and supported by federal, state and local funds, they are trained to give instruction in nutrition, clothing, milk utilization, home management, house furnishing, poultry, health, gardening, home improvement, canning, club work.

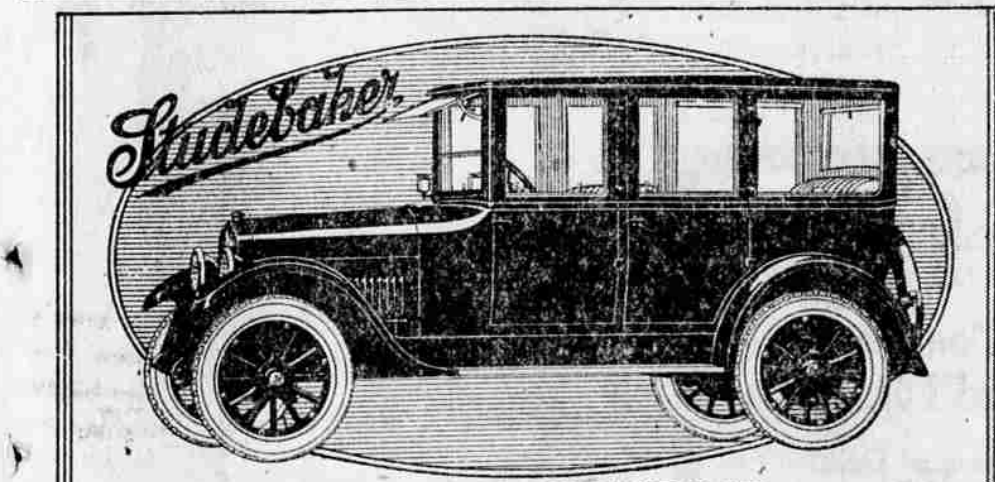
The first home demonstration club was organized in Aiken county, South Carolina, in 1910; and the work has progressed since then to such an extent that within the last two years France, England, the Duchy of Luxembourg, and Holland have asked to play hosts to some of the agents and learn their methods.

From contracts with single individuals the work has grown to work with groups, and its conception of service is constantly widening.

Chinese Cabinet Resigns PEKING, Mar. 8.—(By Associated Press.) The Chinese cabinet resigned office today.

Eye Strain? This Simple Mixture Helps

Medford people with eye trouble should try simple camphor, hydnastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. It can do no harm and may surprise you. One man with weak, watery eyes and aching eye balls reports Lavoptik helped him almost at once. Another similar case reports eyes began feeling better with first treatment. One small bottle usually helps weak, strained eyes. Leon B. Haskins, druggist.



23 SERIES STUDEBAKER LIGHT-SIX SEDAN \$1550

Hidden qualities largely determine the value and life of a closed car.

Beauty of line and finish and refinements are surface indications and important ones. But your satisfaction with a closed car depends to a great degree upon factors that are unseen—the in-built qualities that come from correct design, use of highest grade materials and careful workmanship.

The 23 Series Studebaker Light-Six Sedan is a quality car. It is built to endure—to give lasting satisfaction.

The Sedan body is substantially made. It will last for years and retain its beauty and comfort. Evidence of its hidden goodness lies in the fact that down under

the paint and varnish, the pillars, roof rails and supporting members are made from specially selected ash. Good ash is expensive but Studebaker uses it because it best combines the proper strength and weight.

Four wide-opening doors make it easy for all passengers to get in or out without inconvenience to each other. A high-grade heater affords summer warmth on cold, damp days. The wide windows give broad vision in every direction.

When you buy a Light-Six Sedan you are really accepting the judgment of 100,000 owners who have found the Light-Six chassis so satisfactory.

Studebaker quality is traditional.

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LIGHT-SIX	SPECIAL-SIX	BIG-SIX
5-Pass., 112" W. B., 40 H. P.	5-Pass., 119" W. B., 50 H. P.	7-Pass., 126" W. B., 60 H. P.
Touring.....\$ 975	Touring.....\$1275	Touring.....\$1750
Roadster (5-Pass.).....975	Roadster (2-Pass.).....1250	Speedster (5-Pass.).....1825
Coupe Roadster.....1225	Coupe (4-Pass.).....1875	Coupe (5-Pass.).....2400
Sedan.....1550	Sedan.....2050	Sedan (5-Pass.).....2550
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PASTOR ACQUITTED ON ARSON CHARGE

LAWTON, Okla., March 8.—The Rev. Thomas Irwin, former pastor of a local church was acquitted of a charge of arson in an instructed verdict rendered by a jury in district court here late yesterday. The charge grew out of a fire at Rev. Irwin's church on the night of April 22, 1922.

The prosecution introduced what purported to have been a conversation between Rev. Irwin and H. C. Lewis, a member of his church recorded by a secret telephonic device in which the minister made alleged incriminating reference to the fire in the church.

SON-IN-LAW ADMITS STEALING \$600,000

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, March 8.—A. H. Benfield, cashier of the Springfield National bank, which closed its doors last night after a shortage of \$600,000, has been found in its Liberty bonds account, confessed today to his father-in-law, Dr. D. K. Gotwald, the latter declared, he was guilty of defalcations.

Mellon's Wife Re-Married

NEW YORK, Mar. 7.—Mrs. Nora Mellon, divorced wife of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon was married today to Harry Arthur Lee, a New York art dealer. They left for New England. When they obtained their marriage license February 28 the bridegroom gave his age as 30 and the bride as 44.

Blizzard in New York

NEW YORK, March 7.—New York today was digging itself out from under six inches of snow sprinkled upon the city in a 24-hour blizzard.

Boston, March 7.—New England today was in the grip of one of the worst snowstorms of the winter. Nine inches fell here.

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The very definite progress which has marked each succeeding year in Velie manufacture is more emphatic in this year's models than ever before—not alone because of our own Velie-built motor, giving a degree of power and flexibility heretofore unknown even to Velie cars, but also because of the refinement of craftsmanship in body-building and finishing.

There are specially-designed parking lights and drum-type headlights of distinctive design. An interesting removable tonneau light on a reeled cord serves as a portable light when needed. Nickered trimming adds a note of beauty to even the smallest units. Beautifully-curved, full-crown fenders accentuate the lines of the body itself, adding greatly to the finished effect.

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