

STATE EDUCATION CHIEF SPEAKS AT SOCE CONFERENCE

Rex Putnam Tells Teachers Profession Among Most Important For Democracy

Southern Oregon College of Education Ashland, Nov. 21.—(Sp.)—At the second and final day of the annual educational conference at the Southern Oregon College of Education Tuesday, Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, spoke on "Public School Education and Defense." Teaching is one of the most important agencies in regard to democracy, he said. The superintendent mentioned the book for high school students entitled "A Call to the Youth of the Nation," which can be obtained by writing directly to his office.

The conference program was highlighted by an address by Governor Charles A. Sprague, who indicated that according to available data, it seemed to him that Oregon should endeavor to increase the number of days in the school year from 171 to 176, the national average. He stated that wherever it was possible to make budget provisions for

salary increase for teachers that such increases should be made.

Parrish Speaker

Final address of the morning was given by Philip H. Parrish, editor of the editorial page of the Oregonian. His topic was "The Happy Ending." He stressed that we, as individuals, feel that although things may happen to people all around us they cannot happen to us. He stated that in order to have a happy ending we must not expect a miracle to happen to save our way of life, but we must face the facts as they are.

In the afternoon session of Forum, the discussion on "American Defense Program" was held. The participants of which Frank Jenkins, editor and publisher of the Klamath Evening Herald was one, spoke on the "Lend-Lease" bill. Jenkins said the "Lend-Lease" bill was a realistic piece of legislation. It admitted that the United States did not expect repayment for goods sent to Europe. Dr. Abbott Macgruder, professor of political science at Oregon State college and as leader of the group spoke on the American priority system.

Dr. O. R. Chambers, professor of psychology at Oregon State college, spoke on American labor problems, citing three alternatives, first to abolish the right to strike which would eliminate labor difficulties, which if followed without freezing prices would make the laborer a wage slave; second, freeze both prices and wages at the present level, or third, scale the wage for both labor and management following the system used by the

army, that is, so much for each private, each sergeant, and each lieutenant.

Philip H. Parrish of the Oregonian spoke on the press and the national defense program, saying he felt that the papers in the United States had given accurate facts and as many of the facts as was possible for them to get for the people of the United States, thus making our people the best informed people in the world.

Dr. Carl Knopf, president of the Willamette university stated that he felt that at the present time there was not sufficient religious opportunities open to the enrolled men.

If automobiles average three feet longer than they did 10 years ago, additional road space required for all of the registered motor cars would take up about half of the 41,000 mile gain in United States roadways in the decade between 1930 and 1940, according to the census.

Manufacture of women's pocketbooks, handbags and purses gives employment annually to 15,000 workers, according to the census. They draw wages and salaries amounting to \$20,150,000.

Lily Pons began her career as a pianist.



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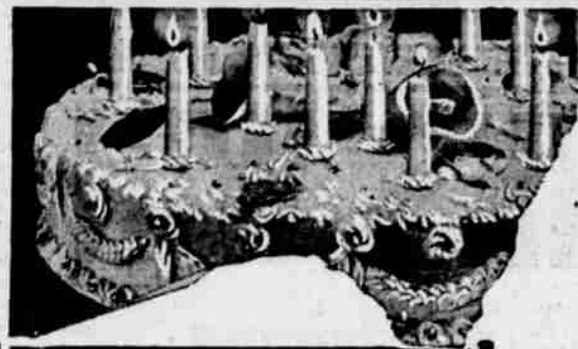
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"GROCETERIA GOODNESS" -- One Shopping STOP for EVERYTHING



We Have A BIRTHDAY TOMORROW - Our 21st.

Reading Time: 1 Minute, 30 Seconds

TWENTY-ONE years seem a long time when looking ahead, but looking back it seems but yesterday that we opened our modest little Groceteria in the Medford Building. There were plenty of food stores in Medford then, 34 to be exact. Less than 200 people for each store in Medford's 6600 population. Looked like a foolish venture as many of our friends frankly told us. Had we intended running just another store, our friends would have been right, but we had an entirely different plan. Ours was to be the kind of food store we had always hoped to find. A store that would sense the responsibility of feeding our loved ones and so faithfully discharged that responsibility that it would become a contributing factor to our home life.

The close of the first World war brought about a complete evolution of the food store. The old fashioned counters and bins were passing. Science had thrust new and more serious responsibilities on the food merchant. To measure up to that responsibility he had to have a complete knowledge of foods. Not the kind gained from advertising propaganda but a true knowledge of food values and food customs that would enable him to make a valuable contribution to the home life of those he served. He had to see his store as an integral part of every home he supplied. He had to realize that health, hospitality, happiness and last, but not least, the financial security of those he served were so dependent on the food he sold that his right to stay in business would ultimately be determined by his contribution to home life.

Sensing that responsibility and anticipating the four-fold task involved in bringing the four essentials of better home life, health, happiness, hospitality and financial well being to those we hoped to serve, your Groceteria, 21 years ago, opened in a community already having too many food stores. What small measure of success we have enjoyed we attribute to the fact that over all of the 21 years we have conscientiously devoted ourselves to acting as your food buyer.

We tried to the best of our knowledge and ability to fit into your home plans. We never allowed ourselves to forget that the food we sell can have a good or bad effect on your home life. To us our markets have never been looked upon as just a business in the ordinary sense. We feel ourselves to be a most vital part of your homes, making daily contributions to your home life. The foods we sell are merely the packages in which we hoped you would find that contribution — Health, Hospitality, Happiness, Financial Security and most of all lasting friendship. That we have partially succeeded is attested by the fact that wherever women are gathered together the goodness and low cost of Groceteria Foods eventually become the topic of conversation.

Groceteria Anniversary Savings

Tender Sweet Golden Corn, No. 303 can	3 for 25c
Del Rogue Whole Kernel Corn, No. 2 can	2 for 25c
Gold Bar Cream Style Golden Corn	No. 303 can 10c
Oak Ridge Green Beans, No. 303 can	3 for 25c
Gold Bar Fancy Cut Green Beans	No. 2 can 15c
Gold Bar Early Garden Asparagus	No. 2 can 27c
Diamond A Diced Beets, No. 2 can	3 for 25c
Gold Bar Early Garden Lima Beans	No. 303 can 15c
Gold Bar Early Garden Peas	No. 303 can 15c
Silver Bar Sugar Peas	No. 303 can 10c
Gold Bar Florida Grapefruit	No. 300 can 10c
Gold Bar Florida Grapefruit Juice	47 oz. can 20c
Gold Bar Pineapple Juice	47 oz. can 29c
Gold Bar Pineapple, sliced or chunklets	No. 1 1/4 can 10c
Gold Bar Pineapple Tidbits, 9 oz. can	3 for 20c
Gold Bar Yellow Cling Peaches	No. 2 1/2 can 23c
Gold Bar Deluxe Plums	No. 2 1/2 can 15c
Lux Toilet Soap	3 bars 17c
Life Buoy Toilet Soap	3 bars 17c
Rinso	giant pkg. 60c
Lux Flakes	large pkg. 22c
Swan White Floating Soap, regular bar	3 for 17c
Sperry Pancake Flour	4 lb. sack 25c
Sperry Rolled Oats	4 1/2 lb. sack 22c
Flavor Loaf Flour	49 lb. sack \$1.69
Drifted Snow Flour	49 lb. sack \$1.95
Old Fashioned Shredded Wheat Biscuit	pkg. 10c
Sunshine Rippled Wheat Biscuit	3 for 25c
Golden West Coffee	1 lb. can 31c; 3 lbs. 85c
Folgers Coffee	1 lb. can 31c; 2 lbs. 60c
Z-Mor-U Coffee	1 lb. pkg. 25c; 2 lbs. 49c
Ground to Suit Your Coffee Maker	
Gold Bar Coffee	1 lb. can 25c; 2 lbs. 49c
Spry Shortening	3 lb. can 66c

Home Purity Bakery

Bread and Cakes As Pure and Flavorful As Your Own Baking
Cakes for the Week End

Nut Crunch	Whole Cake
Southern Nut Choco.	49c
Lemon Butter	1/2 Cake
Custard Angel Cake	25c

Breakfast Snacks

Butter Horns	3 for 10c
Cinnamon Snails	6 for 10c
Cherry Buns	6 for 15c
Potato Doughnuts	doz. 20c

French Bread 1 lb. loaf 10c
Real sour dough French baked on the hearth.

Home Purity Vitamin Enriched Bread, lb. loaf 9c, 1 1/2 lb. 2 for 25c

21st Anniversary Offering OF CANDIES

Sunshine Old Fash. Chocolates 2 lb.	25c
Sunshine Peanut Brittle	lb. 15c
Old Fashioned Horehound 1/2 lb. sk.	10c

Awful Fresh MacFarlane Finest Chocolates 3 1/2 lb. \$1.00
Equal to any—Better than most.

Super Meat Markets

The Kind of Meat You Like To Eat

The most popular of all foods—breakfast or dinner—is good old fashioned farm sausage. Used to be we had to drive miles into the country to find an occasional sausage treat. Not so any more. Its at your Groceterias every day—made as we used to make it on the farm.

Real Farm Style Sausage lb. 25c
Mild or full sage seasoned.

Little Pig Farm Style Links lb. 29c

FANCY STEER BEEF

Blade Cut Roast lb. 19c

Arm Roast lb. 25c

SMOKED MEATS

Hormels Minnesota Bacon lb. 29c
Any size piece.

Hormels Finest Sliced Breakfast Bacon lb. 35c

Farm Style Bacon Backs, sugar cured lb. 26c

Lean, meaty grain fed Pork Steaks lb. 25c

Turkeys - Capons - Geese Ducks

For those who observe the traditional Thanksgiving or serve their dinner on Sunday, provision has been made for having what you want.

GATES & LYDIARD

6th at Central; 6th at Grape
Savings Without Self Denial