

JACKSON COUNTY FARM NOTES

Compiled by County Office O. S. C. Extension Service

May 1 Important Deadline For Farmers

May 1 is the deadline for farm operators to qualify for participation in the 1945 conservation practice program. Instructions from the state office are that the local office must adhere strictly to this ruling. This means that any farmer who does not have a farm plan on file for this year by May will receive no payments on the 1945 program. Range management plans must also be filed by the above date.

\$2400 Limit On Farm Wage Rates

The Office of Labor is calling the attention of farmers who employ labor to the fact that a limit of \$2400 per year has been set by the government on farm wages. Figured on an hourly basis the limit that can be paid per hour is 85c unless an appeal is filed by the employer for an increase with the Wage Stabilization Board in Portland. Blanks for this purpose can be obtained at the county agent's office.

If higher rates were paid in 1943 the same rates can be paid at the present time.

The \$2400 per year rate makes a limit of \$200 per month, or the equivalent weekly, hourly or piece work on a comparable basis, including bonuses, cash payment value of housing, fuel, light, food, etc., supplied without charge.

Army Taking All Turkeys in Oregon

Oregon's 1945 turkey crop was tagged for holiday dinners for American servicemen on April 8 with a 100 percent set-aside order making the army exclusive buyer of turkeys in this and 22 other states.

Similar to the program in effect last year, the new set-aside provides that all turkeys must be sold to authorized processors who are buying for the army's account. Owners of less than 25 turkeys who are more than 100 miles from an approved processor may apply for a release to Western Field Service, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Service, 812 Market St., San Francisco 3. The set-aside will remain in effect until all of the turkeys needed for the armed services are obtained.

—R. G. Fowler, County Agent

Plant First Corn In Victory Gardens

First planting of sweet corn should be made now and additional plantings should be made every ten days or two weeks. Golden Early Market or Spanscross are early maturing varieties that should be planted now and followed by Golden Bantam.

Earwigs Hatching; Get Out Your Bait

Young earwigs are now hatching in large numbers. These young earwigs are fairly easy to poison and good control can be obtained if you bait carefully, thoroughly and repeatedly. Most effective control is obtained between now and mid-May.

Scatter bait along fences, wood piles, or other places where earwigs may hide. Since earwigs are night feeders the bait should be applied in late evening.

C. B. Cordy
Assistant County Agent

4H Club Winners To Receive Medals

Silver medals have been received from the American Viscose Corp. to be awarded to the winners in the county style revue contest held at the 4H club fair last fall. Following are the winners of these medals: Melba Adamson, Betty Bradshaw, Mary Ann Brill, Phyllis Cahail, Barbara Culbertson, Barbara Clymer, Lillian Danon, Frances Dawson, Delores Dusenberry, Evelyn Ferns, Jackie Fortin, Louisa Greb, Patricia Greb, Jean Hamilton, Wilma Hanscom, Helen Harnish, Joyce Harper, Arlene Hay, Charlotte Kent, Shirley Koger, Allene Owens, Margaret Reed, Joyce Russell, Claudine Stallings, Dor-

othy Stanley, Doreen Straus, Lucille Smith, Betty Williams, Marian Wisdom.

Pearl Henry of Dead Indian, who was judged champion in the county style revue contest received her medal some time ago. She also received a paid trip to Portland to compete in the state style revue contest where she won the blue ribbon in the informal party dress discussion.

County Club Agent
—Earle Jossy.

Homemaker's Festival Scheduled April 24

For the first time in a number of years the women of Jackson county will again hold their Homemaker's Festival. The program will be held at the Medford Senior high school Tuesday, April 24.

The day's activities will start at 10:30 a.m. when exhibits and demonstrations of the work carried by home extension units will be opened in the girls' gymnasium. These exhibits include projects in foods and nutrition, clothing, home management, and house furnishing, and will offer an excellent opportunity for all who have not attended extension programs to view the work and receive helpful bulletins for their own use.

Outstanding feature of the day's program will be discussion of the Dumbarton Oaks Peace Plan by Dr. James Millar, representing Oregon State college. Dr. Millar is well known in Jackson county, having spoken here on other occasions. This portion of the program will be in the high school auditorium, starting at 1:30 p.m. and will include a 4H club demonstration team and a short skit in addition to the main address.

Luncheon will be served at the Episcopal Guild hall at 12 noon, reservations must be made in advance for this part of the program.

Mrs. Gertrude Ottinger, chairman of the Jackson County Home Extension committee invites the public to join the home extension units of the county in the day's activities.

—Marian J. Farrell
Home Demonstration Agent.

MEDFORD MENTOR RENEWS CONTRACT

Al Simpson, who steered Medford high school's football team to state championship last fall and wound up third in the state basketball tournament, renewed his coaching contract for another year, he revealed today. Simpson came to Medford from Ashland last fall.

Simpson, who in January was named coach of the year by L. H. Gregory of the Portland Oregonian, began his high school coaching career in Ashland in 1943 when he was called up from Junior high school to fill a vacancy. His Ashland grid team tied for the Southern Oregon conference title and his basketball team won the state championship.

Rogue River Dams Are Discussed At Waltonian Meeting

Seventy-five members filled the Episcopal Parish House Hall at Ashland Tuesday evening to attend the monthly members' meeting of Jackson County Chapter of the Izaak Walton League.

The subject of proposed dams in Rogue river was the principal topic of the evening's program. State Game Commissioner K. G. Denman addressed the meeting. A large number of new members from the Ashland area affiliated with the Chapter. Vice-President Larkin Grub and Director E. S. Corthell, of Ashland were in charge of the meeting, Mr. Grubb presiding.

A sportsmen's dinner was served after the meeting and two reels of moving pictures were shown. The May meeting will be held in Medford.

MEDFORD SEAMAN WITH ROOSEVELT FUNERAL CORTEGE

Ray Offord, Jr., 5 2c, stationed at Bainbridge, Md., was one of a group of navy men chosen to march in the funeral procession of the late President Roosevelt at the capital and a letter describing the experience has been received by his wife, who resides in Jacksonville.

Enclosing a large picture of the procession, Offord wrote: "I was third from the front in the outside squad. We marched eight abreast and 15 deep. There were 500,000 lining the streets. We marched about three miles at a very slow cadence. Every once in a while some soldier would keel over. They were standing at attention along the sides of the street. It was quite warm, between 75 and 80 degrees.

"Everyone was so quiet, and many people wept, especially the older persons. I really felt quite honored, being a part of it all."

Seaman Offord has been stationed at Bainbridge since last November. His wife and two sons are making their home in Jacksonville with Mrs. Offord's mother, Mrs. Lee Wakefield. Mrs. Offord being the former Frances Wakefield. Offord's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Offord, Sr., of Route 4.

YANKEES CAPTURE BANK CONTAINING HUGE CASH STORE

With U. S. Ninth Army, Germany, April 19 — (U.P.) — The Magdeburg branch of the Reichsbank, containing \$70,000,000 in reichsmarks and silver coin, was captured today by troops of the 30th Division.

The vault containing the silver and currency at first was believed to contain "art treasures." But the "treasures" were pictures and antique furniture from the Magdeburg Municipal Museum placed in the bank's vaults for air raid protection.

The bank's "assets" now are under the guardianship of Major Jasper Ackerman, Colorado Springs, Colo., former manager of the Exchange National Bank there.

Troops under the command of Capt. Virgil Happy, Casper, Wyo., surrounded the bank because it looked like a potential strong point. They caught two officials trying to escape with suitcases full of reichsmarks.

NARCOTICS CHARGE
San Francisco, April 19 — (U.P.) — Frank Scappatura, 38, wholesale grocer, today faced removal to New York and a federal narcotics indictment, following orders of U. S. Commissioner Francis St. J. Fox. Scappatura was arrested several weeks ago and charged with participation in a nation-wide dope ring operating in Boston, Chicago, Detroit, New Orleans, San Francisco, and New York for the last four years.

PAIR INDICTED
Los Angeles, April 19 — (U.P.) — Jack Malinoff, Chicago jewelry salesman and Michael Fine, Beverly Hills, Calif., druggist were under federal grand jury indictment today for conspiracy in the theft of 1,600 army watches destined for men overseas.

PUBLIC ADMITTED TO SESSIONS OF S. F. CONFERENCE

San Francisco, April 19 — (U.P.) — The public will be admitted to the Plenary and Commission sessions of the United Nations conference, Lincoln White, U. S. State Department representative, announced today.

White said that 15,000 public admissions will be granted to the Plenary sessions in the Opera House, and 10,000 admissions to the Commission Meetings during the period of the conference. Admissions will be on a "first-come-first-serve" basis, White said, and requests must be made by mail to Carl Van Meter, State Department official in the Veterans' Memorial building.

Meanwhile, Aubrey Morgan, controller of the British information services, arrived today and explained that in reality England would have only one vote in the general assembly, not six.

Replying to widespread protests that the British Empire has a six-to-one voting edge over the United States, he said: "The United Kingdom will have only one vote in the assembly."

"It's true," he said, "that Canada, Australia, South Africa, and New Zealand each will have one vote, but they are each independent countries, just as much as the United States and each will control its own votes."

DEATH DEFINED
Hollywood, April 19 — (U.P.) — Peggy O'Neill, 21-year-old screen actress, died from an overdose of sleeping tablets containing barbiturate, a coroner's report held today. Miss O'Neill's body was found early Friday in the apartment of Film Writer Albert Mannheimer. Police listed her death as a suicide.

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RIB CHOPS 45c
7 Points Lb.

Dill Pickles 3 for 10c
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Frying Size RABBITS

Sauerkraut 1 lb. 15c

FISHER'S BLEND FLOUR
25-lb. Sack \$1.19
50-lb. Sack \$2.38

Creamy or Crumbly

ICE CREAM
In Your Favorite Flavor
Pint Brick 20c
Quart Brick 35c

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