

JACKSON COUNTY FARM NOTES

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Livestock Marketing Association Formed

The board of directors of the recently organized Jackson County Livestock Marketing Association met on November 8 and decided that Saturday, Nov. 17, would initiate the first shipment of livestock from the county. The place of assembling stock has not yet been established but it is expected that this will be done within the next day or two. Anyone wishing to take part in this shipment should call the county agent's office and list their stock by Wednesday, Nov. 14.

AAA Not Affected By Consolidation

The present work of the Jackson county AAA committee will not be affected by the recently announced consolidation of the state AAA office and the USDA office of supply into the field service branch of the production and marketing administration, with headquarters to be in Portland.

The county AAA office will continue to serve local farmers on matters relating to the agricultural conservation practice program, commodity loans, federal crop insurance and production payments on milk and butterfat, sheep and lambs, and beef.

Just what additional duties and responsibilities that will be assigned to the local office as a result of the reorganization is not known at this time.

1948 Spring Pig Goal Support Price Set

A 1948 spring pig goal of 52 million head and an average support price for good to choice butcher hogs of \$12 per hundred pounds (Chicago basis), effective October 1, 1948, to September

30, 1947, were announced by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson. The goal is about equal to the 1945 spring pig crop.

Under the price support program, seasonal variations are being applied for the first time to hog prices. This means that the \$12 average Chicago hog support price will vary according to normal seasonal changes in hog prices, ranging from \$10.75 in December, 1946, to \$13.25 in September, 1947. The present support price, \$13 per hundred pounds at Chicago with no seasonal variation, was announced May 21, 1945, to be effective until September 1, 1946, and is now extended to September 30, 1946.

R. G. Fowler
County Agent

Turkey Roasting Techniques Told

With a record-breaking crop of turkeys headed for the open market and holiday celebrations, it is a good time for turkey-hungry homemakers to brush up on roasting techniques.

For roast turkey, they say, choose a young, tender bird, with a generous coating of fat under the skin. Other clues to roasting quality are a well-rounded body, a well-fleshed breast, few blemishes, and few pinfeathers.

Draw and groom the turkey, and sprinkle the inside of the body cavity with salt. Then put in the stuffing, being careful not to pack it too tightly—it will need room to expand as it absorbs juices that cook out of the bird. Finish off by slipping the heel of a loaf of bread, or some other large crust, into the opening to hold stuffing in place.

Tuck the legs under the band of skin at the tail, and secure them in place by taking a stitch at the end of the breastbone and wrapping the cord around the legs and under the tail. Stuff the loose skin at the base of the neck, fold it toward the back of the bird, and fasten with a skewer, poultry pins, or a few stitches. Rub the bird all over with fat and a little salt and pepper.

A shallow, uncovered pan is best for cooking a young turkey. Place a rack under the bird to keep it from sticking and to allow hot air to circulate. The broiling tray and rack of some ranges can be used, though the size of the tray interferes with the circulation of air and is likely to slow down cooking time. When using a very shallow broiler tray, pan drippings must be poured off from time to time, as they cook out of the bird. Start the turkey cooking breast down. Don't put water in the bottom of the pan when cooking a young bird. Steaming breaks the skin and forces juices out of the meat, and is not necessary

when the bird is young and tender.

Cook at a moderate temperature. Like other meats, poultry is toughened and hardened by intense heat. The larger the turkey the lower the temperature, is a good rule of thumb. A 10 to 13 pound bird will take about 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 hours at 300° F. A larger bird, 14 to 17 pounds, requires about 5 to 6 hours, and 27 1/2° F. However, no hard and fast rules about cooking time can be given—some birds cook faster than others.

Baste frequently with pan drippings or some other well-flavored fat. Baste a small or medium-sized bird every 30 to 45 minutes, a larger bird every hour. Turn the bird every time it is basted, lifting it at head and foot, with a clean, white cloth to protect the hands. This will keep parts standing high in the oven from cooking faster than the rest.

—Farmers of "Poultry Cooking" a copy of Bulletin No. 1888—which tells how to cook turkey and other fowl in various ways, may be had through the office of the home demonstration agent in the courthouse, Medford.

Home demonstration agent

LOGGERS INVITED TO 7TH ANNUAL STATE MEETING

Jackson county loggers will be featured on the program of the seventh annual Willamette Valley Logging conference at Eugene, Nov. 16-17, when loggers from all over western Oregon meet in the first post-war session to discuss logging and forestry problems for the years just ahead. Anton Laumann, Tiller Mill and Lumber company, is on the program, as well as Charles Tebbe and Austin McReynolds, former forestry officials of this county. Advance reservations indicate this will be the heaviest attended of any of these western Oregon logger get-togethers, according to H. J. Cox, secretary of the conference.

Colonel W. R. Greeley, nationally prominent forester, will give the main address at the annual loggers' banquet on Friday, at which Roy Morse, Longview logging superintendent, will be toastmaster.

New logging equipment and new logging techniques will be among panel discussions presented to the conference, reports Captain F. L. Thompson, Albany, president. Truck road construction and truck road transportation will draw a lively discussion from the floor. Where will new loggers and foresters come from, is the topic of a talk by Walter F. McCulloch.

"We would like to have every Jackson county logger attend the Eugene meet," said Captain F. L. Thompson. "I believe there is much to learn in post-war logging methods at this conference, and an excellent chance for members of the 'timber beast' fraternity to get together and exchange ideas."

Lady members, wives of loggers will be guests of the conference at a strictly feminine loggeree banquet at the Eugene hotel on Friday night, Nov. 16, while the more lusty members of the clan gather at the Osburn for the traditional banquet of loggers.

Frisco UNO Claim Will be Presented

San Francisco, Nov. 8—(U.P.)—Mayor Roger Lapham and Walter Haas, chairman of the chamber of commerce committee seeking San Francisco's selection as united nations headquarters, will go to London in January to place the city's bid before UNO.

The announcement was made today by Dr. Henry F. Grady, president of the chamber of commerce, who said he hoped to be in London when the UNO general assembly convened to select the site of the world capital.

Juniors Beaten By Grants Pass Freshmen

Grants Pass Freshmen gave Medford Junior High a 13-0 setback at Grants Pass Tuesday afternoon—the first win the Cave Kids have taken over Medford in two decades.

Grants Pass scored first with Reich tying the score shortly after. A second half sleeper play caught Medford flat-footed.

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Atomic Bomb Developer Warns U.S. To Keep Secret Until World Better

New York, Nov. 8—(U.P.)—The United States, as "a principal exponent and defender of democracy," must retain the atom bomb secret until the world can substitute a rule of intelligence, morals and law for that of force, Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, in charge of the bomb's development, said today.

Speaking on "atomic power and world peace" in the 51st annual Town Hall lecture series, Groves declared that the same misgivings about atomic power existed before the first bomb was dropped. These fears, based on man's "knowledge that existing conceptions of human welfare are inadequate for the preservation of peace," still exist, he said.

But, citing the American attitude, Groves asked: "Were we not in agreement with our allies that the United

States— together with other peace-loving nations—had to remain strong and united with the other powers who would seek to prevent war and aggression? . . . "This must still be our fixed purpose . . . we hope that it not be too long until peace will be insured by enlightened understanding of all peoples but we are not sure that we are ready for this. We have a transition period to live through."

FREIGHT DERAILED
Northern, Calif. crews today were attempting to clear main-line tracks for eastbound traffic after operations were delayed by the derailment of a freight train near Donner summit. The accident, which occurred yesterday morning, sent two engines and 11 freight cars off the track and tore about 75 feet out of a snow shed.

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