

COUNTY FARMERS TO STUDY PLANS AT TUESDAY MEET

Everything is in readiness for the Jackson county farm program planning conference which opens in the Riverside USO, Medford, at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Feb. 5, according to County Agent R. G. Fowler. All farmers and their wives are invited to attend, he said.

Committees made up of farm men and women from practically every section of the county have worked during the past few weeks seeking to find the answer to the question of what Jackson county farms can produce and market during the peace-time years ahead.

The committee on farm home and rural life which is made up of rural women has been actively engaged in preparing recommendations for the betterment of rural life. Recommendations will be made by the committees that have been working on land use, dairy, livestock, horticulture, farm crops, poultry and small farms.

Following is the program of the day's events:

10:00 a. m.—Outline of the plan of the conference by H. E. Conger, chairman.

10:15 a. m.—"The County's Agriculture and Some Major Problems," by R. G. Fowler, Jackson county agent.

10:30 a. m.—Report of the livestock committee.

10:50 a. m.—Report of the farm crops committee.

11:20 a. m.—Report of the farm home and rural life committee.

11:45 a. m.—"Opportunities for Improvement of Rural Life," by Frances Clinton, assistant state leader home economics extension.

12:00 to 1:30 p. m.—No-host luncheon sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. Report and discussion of the land use committee's recommendations.

1:30 p. m.—Report of dairy committee.

2:00 p. m.—Report of poultry and turkey committee.

2:30 p. m.—Report of horticulture committee.

3:00 p. m.—Part-time farming committee report.

3:30 p. m.—"The 1946 Agricultural Outlook," by F. L. Ballard, associate director of extension, Corvallis.

3:45 p. m.—Adjournment.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Livestock:

Cattle 150, calves 25. Fairly active but buyers resisting higher asking prices, most sales steady. One truck lot, strictly good fed steers \$17.00; cutter-common steers \$9.25-10.00; common-low medium heifers \$10.00-12.00; canner-cuttlers \$7.00-9.00; canner-cutter-cows \$8.00-9.00; fat dairy type cows to \$10.00; good beef cows \$13.00-16.00 or above.

Hogs 125. Active, steady. Barrows and gilts mostly \$15.00, few above \$16.00. \$14.25; good sows \$13.50-14.00; good feeder pigs held above \$15.50.

Sheep 30. Steady. One lot good-choice wethers lambs \$14.00; good ewes salable up to \$5.00.

South San Francisco, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Livestock:

Cattle 50, generally steady; steers in light supply; good quoted \$16-16.50; load good \$16-16.50; heifers \$16.25; sorted 3 head at \$15.25; raw dairy bred slaughter sows \$11-11.50; sprinkling cutter-common \$8.50-10; canners mostly \$7-7.50; common-good sausage bulls \$10-12; calves none; nominal; choice vealers quoted \$18.

Hogs 300 steady; major share arrived yesterday; few good-choice 200-300 lb. barrows and gilts \$15.50, odd good sows \$15.05.

Sheep none; underdone steady; good-choice lambs quoted \$14-15; medium-good ewes \$5.50-7.

Chicago, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—(USDA)—Livestock:

Hogs 5,000. Active, steady; most good and choice barrows and gilts at \$14.85; selling: sows at \$14.10.

Cattle 5,000. Calves: 800. All killing seasons steady to strong; general market active; largely steady and some run; top steers \$18.00, the ceiling paid for choice 1202 lb. averages, bulk \$14.65 to \$17.30; heifers \$13.50 to \$16.25; top \$17.00 in load lots, but odd head strictly choice heifers \$18.00; most beef cows \$9.25 to \$12.00.

Sheep 5,000. Scattered early sales good and choice fed natives steady at \$15.35; load lot fed westerns and wheat-pastured lambs held above that price; sheep fully steady; load good and choice around 105 lbs. fed yearlings \$13.35.

Portland Produce

Portland, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Whole-sale market prices:

Eggs—to retailers: AA grade, large 48c; A large 46c; medium 43c; small (pullet) 37-38c.

Broccoli—Local \$1.75 log.

Cauliflower—Local No. 1 \$2.75 crate. California \$2.75-2.90 crate.

Lettuce—California \$3.25-3.50 crate.

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 16 miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up at night. Frequent urination is usually with a burning and stinging sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, restful sleep.

When disorder of kidney function persists, poisonous matter to remain in your blood. It may also cause nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness.

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Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Wheat: Open 180 1/2, High 180 1/2, Low 180 1/2, Close 180 1/2. May 180 1/2, July 180 1/2, Sept. 180 1/2, Dec. 180 1/2.

S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Dairy market:

Butter: 93 score 48 1/2, 92 score 48, 90 score 47 1/2.

Cheese: Loafs 28.2, triplets 27.2.

Eggs: Large grade A 45 1/2, medium grade A 42 1/2, small grade A 38 1/2, large grade B 41 1/2.

Wall Street

New York, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Weakness in tobacco and strength in a long list of special issues today featured a quiet, irregular stock market.

Some of the specials had gains ranging to nearly 5 points in Mueller Brass and to 8 points in American Snuff preferred. Tobacco had losses running to 3 points, reflecting a Philip Morris statement disclosing a decline in November and December earnings. The latter made a new low.

Leading stocks declined early in the day, rallied from the lows and maintained a steady tone through the rest of the day, but none managed to recover its loss fully. Bethlehem Steel, Chrysler, Republic Steel, American Airlines, Douglas Aircraft, Allied Chemical, and U. S. Rubber were down a point or more. U. S. Steel and General Motors had fractional losses.

Preliminary closing Dow-Jones stock average: Industrials 204.67, off 0.17; rails 67.62, up 0.07; utilities 41.25, up 0.29; 65 stocks 77.00, up 0.05.

Sales totaled 1,680,000 shares compared with 2,280,000 yesterday.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American Tel. & Tel. 194 1/2

Anaconda 48 1/2

Chrysler 138 1/2

Curtis Wright 10 1/2

General Electric 50 1/2

General Motors 79 1/2

Montgomery Ward 79

Penn. R. R. 46 3/4

Phillips Petroleum XD 54 1/2

J. C. Penney 56 1/2

Radio 18 3/4

Southern Pacific 65

Standard Oil of Cal. 46 1/2

Texas Gulf Sulphur 51 1/2

Transamerica 20 1/2

United Aircrafts 35 1/2

U. S. Rubber 69

U. S. Steel 94 1/2

NEW CHAMBER BOARD

MEETING TOMORROW

First meeting of the new board of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow at noon at the Chamber of Commerce building. This will be the first meeting presided over by H. W. Fluhrer, newly elected president of the civic group.

BETHLEHEM DIVIDEND

New York, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Directors of the Bethlehem Steel Corp. today declared the usual \$1.50 dividend on common stock, maintaining the rate paid since December, 1940. Earnings of the corporation for the December quarter were reported at \$11,447,858, or \$3.29 a share on common, against \$16,379,398 or \$4.94 in the corresponding period of 1944. For the entire year of 1945 the company's net was \$34,947,116 or \$9.52 a share, compared with \$36,167,723 or \$9.93 a share in the preceding year.

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Tells of 'Winds Code'



(Acme Telephoto)
Captain A. H. McCollum, who in 1941 was head of the Far Eastern Division in the Office of Naval Intelligence, testifies before Pearl Harbor investigating committee at Washington, D. C., concerning the so-called "winds code" set up by Tokyo.

Social Security Increase Backed

Washington, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—The House Ways and Means committee made public today a report suggesting a gradual increase in social security taxes to three per cent by 1947 to meet the need for increased coverage.

Such an increase, the report said, would be based on current benefits but would take into account the fact that additional unprotected groups probably will be brought into the system. About three jobs out of five now are covered by social security.

Chileans Ordered To Resume Work

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—The Chilean Federation of Labor ordered all workers to return to their jobs today and the government indicated it soon would lift the 60-day state of siege decreed after a police-labor riot in which nine persons were killed and more than 100 injured.

The general strike began yesterday, tying up nearly all public and private services, including transportation, water and electricity and food shops.

NOTE FROM GOERING EVIDENCE IN TRIAL

Nuernberg, Jan. 31—(U.P.)—A note written by Hermann Goering to Adolf Hitler on May 15, 1944, proposing that American airmen be shot immediately after their capture was introduced as evidence today in the war crimes trial.

French Prosecutor Charles Dubost submitted Goering's note and evidence that 15 American airmen from two Liberators were shot on June 21, 1944, at Mecklenburg "while trying to escape."

BIRTHS

ELROD—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond M., Rt. 2, box 198, Ashland, Jan. 31, 1946, a girl, seven pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

Chrysanthemums will grow in any soil that grows vegetables. They should be planted in the spring.

School Facilities Urged For Use To Absorb Spare Time

Chicago—(U.P.)—Increased use of public property for constructive recreational activities is the key to utilization of the leisure time that has resulted from work-saving scientific and industrial developments, according to Sydney A. Teller, sociologist and writer.

Millions of dollars of public school facilities go to waste, Teller contends, because they are used only for relatively short, daytime periods and are closed during summer months.

Teller has been connected with settlement and playground work. He was a World Fellowship delegate to Latin America in 1943 and a member of the Pan American Council's Good Will Mission to Mexico.

"The progress of science, mechanization, industrialization, and technocracy means more

and more leisure, which already is beginning to challenge us in many directions," Teller said.

"Nothing can stop this increasing leisure—the problem is, how are we going to use it?"

"Public, private and commercial agencies," he said, "must combine to work out constructive leisure-time programs for adults."

"The way to get benefit from public property is through use," he said. "An empty, unused \$100,000 school building is a \$100,000 loss. Using the public schools only for daytime school purposes means that the citizens and taxpayers get only a 50 per cent return on their investment."

"POPPY" RICKS DIES

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 31—(U.P.)—Hiram L. (Poppy) Ricks, president of the California Fish and Game commission, died here today at St. Joseph's hospital following an illness of several months. He was 56. A bachelor.

or, Ricks was a part exalted ruler of the Elks, a member of the San Francisco Bohemian club, and a captain in the army during World War I.

Closing time for Classified Ads 8:30 a.m.—Too Late to Classify 12:15 p.m.

The oldest fossils of creatures that can be considered closer to man than the great apes were found in Java and are about 500,000 years old.

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FOR THE FIRST TIME in her long and varied life as a wife, mother, and career woman, Mrs. Elizabeth Biddinger Kileen of Seattle, is the recipient of a new recipe, dedicated to her. It's Soft Molasses Jumbles, and she prophesies it will become

a favorite with western women! Sperry's Martha Meade dedicated this new speed-method recipe to Mrs. Kileen, in tribute to her reputation as an excellent cook, and for her 39 years of loyalty in using Sperry Drifted Snow Flour.

SAVE THIS RECIPE

"I hope you'll benefit by Mrs. Kileen's 39 years of successful baking experience by choosing SPERRY DRIFTED SNOW FLOUR!"

says Martha Meade Noted Western Food Authority

SOFT MOLASSES JUMBLES

"They're moist and chewy, with an old-fashioned flavor," said Mrs. Kileen when she first tasted these Jumbles. Best of all . . . they're easy to make, the Martha Meade speed-method way!

Sift flour before measuring. Use level measurements for all ingredients.

Cream together well—

1/2 cup shortening

1/2 cup brown sugar (packed in the cup)

Beat in until blended—

2 eggs

1/2 cup light molasses

Sift together—

2 cups sifted Sperry Drifted Snow

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1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon powdered cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon powdered ginger

Stir dry ingredients into creamed mixture alternately with—

1/2 cup water

Let batter stand a few minutes before dropping from a tablespoon onto an ungreased baking sheet. Jumbles may

be sprinkled with sugar, or topped with raisins or nuts if desired. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, for 10-12 minutes. 2 dozen large Jumbles.

NOTE: These cookies are cake-like, soft and moist. Store uncovered at sea level (high humidity) and tightly covered in high altitudes (low humidity).

FEBRUARY'S FROSTY WEATHER calls for good hot dinners, bigger and better desserts. When you bake cakes, pies or hot breads, remember that my Home Staff regularly checks the baking performance of Sperry Drifted Snow Flour with my recipes. So don't take chances! Use Drifted Snow in this recipe.

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