

JUNIOR HIGH PLAN SUCCESS, SAYS GRALAPP

The junior high school plan adopted last year, with all eighth graders concentrated at Fremont school, was a demonstrated success and will be continued this year as a permanent phase of the school program, City Superintendent Arnold Gralapp told the Kiwanis club at Thursday's luncheon meeting.

He said the junior high plan had been worked out with the purpose of making maximum use of equipment in the specialized courses that start with the eighth grade. It also proved financially economical and is a sound development in the educational picture here, he stated.

Gralapp outlined plans for opening the schools on August 30. This date, he said, is somewhat ahead of most other schools in the state, but it provides leeway for possible use of school children in the harvest fields this fall. An effort is being made to work out the harvest work schedule so that youngsters who are out of school for that purpose will not be handicapped upon their return.

Discussing this year's first graders in the elementary school, the superintendent said that the law provides that a youngster who becomes 6 years of age by November 15 is eligible to attend school. He cautioned, however, against attempting to start students too young, and said that this mistake becomes most apparent when the student gets into the junior and senior years in high school.

The school head told of the difficulties in obtaining staff material under war conditions. It is particularly hard, he said, to find coaching material. No one graduated from Ashland, Monmouth or La Grande normal schools into the coaching field last year, and only one graduated from the University of Oregon.

The local schools will be staffed with 42 high school teachers and 73 elementary teachers.

"We have our elementary staff filled today, but I can't say what it will be tomorrow," said Gralapp.

This year's school program is being planned on the basis of a census population of 4260, the highest in the community's history. Gralapp said that last year the school attendance figure was fairly constant, but there was a 25 per cent turnover.

He announced that Mrs. Hazel Landry has been employed by the district as cafeteria manager and added that the cafeteria program presents many problems this year.

The school principal then discussed the vocational educational program carried on at the high school, and said that emphasis from now on will be laid on training people to do the home front job better. Emphasis will be placed on automotive repair and similar work.

He said that 1800 persons were trained in the vocational classes, and about 500 left the community for work in war industries.

Vocational training emphasis also will be placed on preparing boys for army induction, the superintendent reported. This work will include auto mechanics, machine shop and aviation sheet metal.

The future program, he said, will be shaped to meet the vocational problem of returning soldiers.

Principal Stanley Woodruff of the high school introduced Gralapp.

Speaks Here



Dr. Kalfred Dip Lum, commissioner of overseas Chinese affairs for the republic of China, will speak at the high school Friday night under sponsorship of the Rotary club. There will be no admission and the public is invited. Musical numbers will include a violin solo by Mrs. David Burgoyne and a vocal solo by Fred Ross, accompanied by Marie Obenchain.

Oregon Trail Displays

HAVE YOU SEEN—

Have you seen the display of household articles of the pioneers in the window at J. C. Penney's?

One of the most interesting display pieces is the old-fashioned foot warmer from Vermont. A small pan of hot coals was placed inside and the feet were warmed over the coals. These handy articles were often taken to church because in those days churches were not heated. The foot warmer is owned by Mrs. Bert Thomas.

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stating everything on the Russian front.

That is to say, it is Russia's tough and mighty army the Germans fear above all else and they're keeping the flower of their army in Russia to meet this menace.

So far, the Russians say, neither our bombing nor our Mediterranean campaign has caused the Germans to DIVERT any important strength from the Russian front.

THE Russians want us to do something that WILL divert German strength from the Russian front. Their theory is that if we DO compel the Germans to weaken their front in Russia, they (the Russians) will be able to move in for the final kill.

THAT is the situation, so far as we outsiders can know it. Obviously, if we HAVE THE STRENGTH, now is the time to move in from both sides for the kill. Only our leaders know whether we have the strength and have it disposed in the right places.

It is for them to SAY whether this is the moment.

We can only guess.

CIO Out to Change Next Congress

PORTLAND, Aug. 19 (AP)—The CIO will be out to change the complexion of the next congress, James B. Carey, Washington, D. C., general secretary-treasurer of the labor organization, said here yesterday.

The 78th congress, he said, "has the worst record in the country's history." Its voting record, he said, showed "its members believe their war is against the president and labor rather than against Hitler and Hirohito."

Classified Ads Bring Results.

EAGLE DANCES TO BE GIVEN AT NEW HALL

Crowds at the dances given by the Eagles auxiliary for the past two years at the KC hall have grown so large that it has been necessary to find a larger hall. From now on the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the auxiliary and drum corps will both sponsor the regular Saturday night dances at the Eagles hall on Ninth and Walnut streets.

The newly decorated hall is much larger and is very well ventilated.

The same orchestra, consisting of Estlin Kiger, Roy Larson and Blanche McGillivray will furnish the music. They have played for the dances for the last two years.

The same dance committee will also be in charge. Members are Stella Purcell, chairman; Maude Larson, Annette Hall, Frances Herbert and Lorna Groves.

Leon Crapo will also be on hand to do his own work. I. A. Baker will represent theerie. These dances will be given at the FOE hall from 9 p. m., until 1 a. m., and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Land Bank Sells 66 Oregon Farms in Year

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 19 (AP)—Sale of 66 Oregon farms by the Federal Land bank of Spokane for the year ending June 30 was announced yesterday by President R. E. Brown.

The bank's real estate inventory in the state practically was closed out, he said. Land bank and commissioner loans in Oregon were reduced \$6,641,126, he said, although new loans totaled \$803,310.

CITY BRIEFS

Disease Report—The state health bulletin shows the following communicable disease cases reported in Klamath county for the week ending August 14; measles, 2; whooping cough, 4; poliomyelitis, 1. Lake county reported as follows: measles, 1; whooping cough, 1, mumps, 1.

Seabee Interviews—Warrant Carpenter Leo Wolgamood will be in Klamath Falls August 21 to interview prospective Seabees, Navy Recruiter Dan Schreiber said today.

From Portland—Clark C. Van Fleet, district rationing officer, and F. H. Janney, district board operations representative, from the Portland OPA, were in town Thursday conferring with the field office officials. They will return to Portland Thursday by way of Bend.

Display Articles—Owners of articles being displayed this week in the various store windows for the Oregon Trail centennial are reminded to pick up their articles by Friday.

Amos, Andy Back On Radio Waves

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 19 (AP)—Freeman Gosden (Amos) and Charles Correll (Andy), are coming back to the airwaves October 8.

For 14 consecutive years this pair of pioneers of radio script and the continuity type of program talked to American listeners every night, barring a two weeks' vacation they took in 1934. When they quit last spring they had carried on 4090 Amos and Andy episodes.

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Electric Stool Pigeon Shows Shipyards Losing Three Hours of Work Daily

By RENNIE TAYLOR

SAUSALITO, Calif., Aug. 19 (AP)—An electric stool pigeon at one of the country's major shipyards has disclosed, says the management that the plant is losing three hours of work every day because of early quitting and late starting at lunch and shift-change periods.

This asserted loss, plus the three hours regularly allowed for lunch periods, indicates that although the yard operates con-

tinuously it works at its normal pace only 18 hours out of each 24.

As a result the Marin Shipbuilding corporation, operator of the yard, has appealed to the workers themselves to find a remedy. It has offered \$1000 in war bonds for the best suggestions.

The stool pigeon, as it is called by a management publication, is a recording wattmeter, which registers continuously, on paper, the amount of

electric power being used in the big plant.

A one-day record of the wattmeter indicates that power consumption begins to drop rapidly and progressively about 11:30 p. m., 30 minutes before the midnight change, and hits a practical bottom before the whistle blows. The indicator then moves up slowly for about one hour, reaching a normal level shortly after 1 a. m.

This shows, says the company, that workers begin turning off their machines fully 30 minutes before quitting time and that the oncoming shift is slow about getting them going again. Similar drops and recoveries are shown for 8 a. m. and 4:30 p. m., the other shift-change periods.

Several workers were quoted as saying they had quit a little early to catch transportation homeward. Some said they had to do so or else stand in line for lunch. A few said they quit early because they saw everybody else doing it.

War Ration Book 4 Registration Slated

CHICAGO, Aug. 19 (AP)—Nationwide registration for war ration book No. 4 will take place between October 20 and November 1, Edward F. Stegen, regional rationing executive, announced today.

Ration book No. 4 will be used to replace war book No. 3, but will be used briefly in conjunction with it.

Portland Women Get High Auxiliary Posts

BAKER, Aug. 19 (AP)—Mrs. Walter Taggesell, Portland, and Mrs. Nina Slack, Portland, were elected state president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the 8 of 40 of the American Legion auxiliary here yesterday.

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SCHOOL GIRLS' Pullovers
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SCHOOL GIRLS' Cardigans
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