

Klamath's 'Home Ec' Units Win Honors As National Homemaker's Week Starts

Unreserved approval of Klamath county's 14 home economics extension units, voiced by members of the state extension administrative staff at last week's Homemakers' festival gave added impetus to Klamath county's observance of National Homemaker's Week, May 5 to 12. "Klamath county may well take pride in the accomplishments of these groups of homemakers who are organized with the dual purpose of the social and economic betterment of members and of selfless service to their communities," was the statement of Mrs. Winifred K. Gillen, county home demonstration agent, in commending the work of the 300 women in the county who participate.

Foremost of the county units this spring is the one at Bonanza, the winner of the annual award of a gavel, as the group most nearly living up to the standards set for home extension work in the county. Exemplary of the type of community service undertaken by the unit was their gift of a pair of pinking shears to the home economics department of the Bonanza high school, and the establishment of a fund to be presented to help build the proposed living unit for former 4-H club members on the campus of Oregon State college. Two members of this group have undertaken the leadership of 4-H clubs in canning and gardening. Three dollars was given the Bonanza unit to aid the Associated Country Women of the World in their project to re-establish the Women's institute (a similar educational service organization to the extension service) in war-disrupted Norway. Chairman of the group during the past year was Mrs. Henry Schmor, with Mrs. Ed Gowan, vice chairman, and Mrs. O. C.

most of the county extension units, are the enterprising women who sponsored a coat and suit workshop in February so that women who lived far from Klamath Falls workshop might have the advantage of studying garment construction under the college specialist who directed the event. Fort Klamath unit gave \$2.95 to the Norwegian women's cause. Mrs. Myrtle Denton was chairman for the year, with Mrs. Lucille Nicholson vice chairman, and Mrs. Marian Williams secretary and treasurer. (Editor's note: Work of other units will be outlined in subsequent stories.)

Morse Plays Wason Talk

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP)—A Portland speech by Robert R. Wason, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, was described today by Senator Morse (R-Ore.) as a "brazen defense of greed which is riding roughshod over our land." Morse's statement was a reply to Wason's attack on the Oregon senator in an address here Monday night. The NAM official

lashed at critics of the association's policies opposing OPA. "The type of industrial profiteer for whom the president of the NAM speaks is performing a great disservice to the private property economy of this country," Morse declared. Centuries before Columbus discovered the new world, people living in Mexico enjoyed a civilization of high culture.



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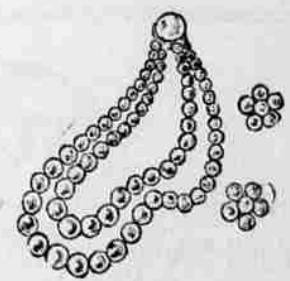
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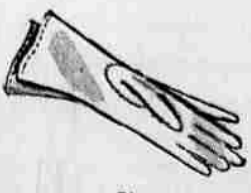
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