

## STATE COLLEGE HINTS TO FARM HOMEMAKERS

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Memo for packing away spring and summer clothes: Keep a pad and pencil in your apron pocket when you are packing away summer clothes. Jot down as you work what you put away and where. You will save time, trouble, and confusion next spring.

Systematic housekeepers post on attic or closet doors a list of articles stored in bags, boxes, or certain closets. Some also label each trunk, box, and bag with its contents. Any device which helps the housekeeper and her family know where possessions are at a moment's notice makes for good management.

A tested recipe for pecan pie will appear on dinner tables the country over this fall and early winter when pecans will be in good supply on markets, especially in sections of the State where pecans are grown.

Here is a tested pecan pie recipe from food specialists: Ingredients: 1 cup pecan kernels; 3 eggs; 1-2 cup melted table fat. To make: Beat the eggs, add sugar and sirup, then salt and vanilla, and last the melted fat. Place the pecans in the bottom of an unbaked pie crust. Add the filling and bake slowly in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 50 to 60 minutes. The nuts will rise to the top of the pie filling and form a crusted layer.

When not being worn, gloves should be folded up into a ball and crammed into a purse or pocket. They should be smoothed out and folded, not in half, but at the base of the fingers. This will keep the creases away from the body of the glove and help prevent cracking of the leather in the palm or over the back of the hand.

### Home Demonstration And 4-H Club Schedule

McDowell county 4-H clubs are resuming meetings this week.

The schedule of Home Demonstration clubs for the month of October is as follows:

Old Fort: 2 p. m., Thursday, October 27, (place to be announced).

Sixty-three per cent of all wage earners in Washington State draw pay checks from forest products industries.

Read the advertisements. It pays.

## Summary Of Congressional Activities At First Session

Washington, Oct. 20—Here is a summary of the record of the 81st congress in its first session:

### WHAT IT DID

Raised the minimum wages from 40 to 75 cents an hour.

Appropriated 37,600,000,000 for the operations of the federal government both at home and abroad.

Approved sweeping foreign policy measures, including ratification of the Atlantic pact, renewal of the Marshall plan and authorization of an arms aid program.

Raised the pay of all government employees — from the president down to the lowest-paid civil service clerk.

Tightened the unification law. Passed a long-range farm price support bill.

Investigated the atomic energy commission, Washington's "five precursors," and the effectiveness of the unification law.

Gave President Truman power to reorganize government agencies.

### WHAT IT REFUSED TO DO

Repeat the Taft-Hartley labor-management law.

Approve the Brannan farm plan. Authorizes a universal military training program.

Approve the nominations of Mon C. Wallgren to head the national security resources board and of Le-land Olds to a new term on the

federal power commission. Revive price controls or other wartime economic powers of the government.

Grant President Truman's for higher taxes.

Authorize the creation of a department of welfare.

### LEFT UNFINISHED

The displaced persons bill. The house passed this bill, but the senate deferred action until January.

Social security extension. The house increased benefits, but the Senate postponed consideration until next year.

The federal aid-to-education bill. The senate passed one version, but it ran into a snag in the house and labor department.

The civil rights program. Administration leaders promised a test early next year on the fair employment practice bill.

Oleo tax repealer. The house approved a bill to repeal federal taxes on oleomargarine. The senate will take up early next session.

Point four. Committee hearings were held on the President's plan to develop backward areas of the world, but neither house acted on the proposal.

Health insurance. A senate subcommittee held hearings on the President's health program but neither house acted.

### Zulus Play Host to U. S. Sailors



Natives in Africa give crew members of the cruiser USS Huntington and the destroyer USS Douglas H. Fox a lesson in basket weaving. With but a short four-day sojourn in Durban, South Africa, thirty U. S. Navy camera enthusiasts and adventurers made a tour into the interior to visit African tribes. Even the depths of the Dark Continent are no stranger to the contact of America established through the calls of U. S. Naval vessels to African ports. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

### LIKE FATHER, LIKE . . .

Father: "When Truman was your age, son, he was at the head of his class."

Son: "Yeah, and when he was your age, he was President of the United States."

Surveys of consumer preference indicate that of each 100 loaves of bread purchased, approximately 82 are white, 11 whole wheat, five rye, one raisin, and one other type of loaf.

Highest recorded temperature in the U. S. was at Death Valley, Calif., July 10, 1913—134 degrees.

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- Ten, 700x15 Fisk Deluxe, 4-ply ----- 10.88
- Three, 650x15 Gates Vulco Deluxe 4-ply ----- 9.49
- Six, 760x16 U. S. Royal Air Ride, 4-ply ----- 13.57
- Four, 700x15 U. S. Royal Master 4-ply ----- 18.65
- One, 650x16 U. S. Royal Master Deluxe, 4-ply - 16.80
- Four, 820x15 U. S. Royal Air Ride, 4-ply white and black ----- 17.94
- One, 700x15 U. S. Royal Master Deluxe, 4-ply, white and black ----- 23.15
- One, 710x15 U. S. Royal Air Ride, 4-ply ----- 12.10
- Two, 625x650x16 Fisk Deluxe, 4-ply ----- 9.73

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Taxpayers should find it easier to pay now than later.

Pay Before November 1st and save one-half per cent.

## C. M. POOL,

SHERIFF and TAX COLLECTOR.