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BOYS' AND GIRLS' INDUSTRIAL CLUBS.

POTATO
GROWING.

Project Circular
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OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

EXTENSION SERVICE.

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To Industrial Club Members;—Potato Growing Project:

You are to make out your Project Report on the enclosed blank
provided by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Mail this report to the State Agent, Industrial Club Work, Ore-
gon Agricultural College, Corvallis, at least fifteen days before the
opening of your County Fair. If your County Fair is not held un-
til after the Oregon State Fair (Sep. 28 to Oct. 3, 1914), mail your
report on or before Sept. 15, 1914.

You may not be able to furnish all the information called for in
this report on account of having to send it in before your crop is
ready to harvest, but make it as complete as possible.

A **complete** report from Club members growing one-eighth acre
or more of potatoes entitles them to membership in the National
Potato Club. A duplicate report blank will be sent to those Club
members who notify the State Agent that they are growing one-
eighth acre or more of potatoes, so they may send in a complete
report after the crop is harvested.

The awards in the Potato Growing Contest at the County and
State Fairs will be based upon the following Project Score, which
supersedes the score given for this project in Bulletin 98.

PROJECT SCORE.

Exhibit, one peck (15 pounds) potatoes	20
Exhibit, one hill of potatoes	20
Project Record	60

Possible score 100

The following method shall be used in determining the prize
winners in this contest.

The exhibits and the Project Record shall first be judged sep-
arately on a basis of 100% for each (see the score cards below).
Each contestant's final grade is determined by multiplying the

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number of points allowed the Exhibit and Record in the Project Score by the percentage given these items by the judges and adding the results.

Thus, if the judges give 85 for the Potato Tuber Exhibit; 90 for the Potato hill Exhibit and 95 for the Project Record, the result may be expressed as follows:

	Possible Project Score		Judges' Grade	Contestants' Final Score
Exhibit, one peck tubers.....	20	X	.85 =	17.00
Exhibit, one hill of potatoes....	20	X	.90 =	18.00
Project Record.....	60	X	.95 =	57.00
	<hr/> 100			<hr/> 92.00

92.00 would be the contestant's final grade in the contest.

The score cards printed below should be used so far as possible in judging the Exhibits and Project Record. Judges should express their decisions in terms of percentage.

SCORE CARD.

EXHIBIT OF POTATO TUBERS.

Trueness of Type.....	10
Uniformity of Exhibit.....	10
Shape of Tubers.....	10
Size of Tubers.....	15
Skin, freedom from blemish	20
Flesh.....	25
Size of Tubers.....	10

Possible Score 100

SCORE CARD.

HILL OF POTATOES.

Weight of Hills.....	20
Uniformity of Tubers.....	10
Size of Tubers.....	15
Shape of Tubers.....	15
Skin.....	15
Flesh.....	20
Eyes.....	5

Possible Score 100

SCORE CARD.

Project Score.

Accuracy.....	30
Completeness.....	50
Neatness.....	20
	<hr/> 100