

Late Wet Spell Bad on Pheasants

In spite of the fact that Oregon's pheasant population is favorable this spring, little hunting can be expected this year if the cold wet weather continues through the rest of May and June. John McKean, in charge of upland birds for the Oregon State Game Commission, stated that the first broods hatched in the wild state have already been observed by game field agents. He also pointed out that little survival can be expected from these newly hatched birds in cold wet weather.

In Eastern Oregon the lateness of the season has delayed the growth of vegetation to such an extent that little nesting cover is available for pheasants and high losses by predation can be expected. Many nesting areas have been flooded out with high waters throughout the state.

C. A. Lockwood, Oregon State Game Supervisor, announced that plans call for the rearing and releasing of 60,000 pheasants this season at the commission's game farms. The wet cold weather, however, has hindered artificial propagation of pheasants as well as the reproduction in the wild state.

The Pacific Ocean contains more water than all other oceans and seas combined.

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the year ended December 31, 1947, of the UNITED STATES BANCORP, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, INC., and its SUBSIDIARIES, CORPORATION, LIMITED, of Portland, (U. S. Bank, 414 West 4th St., Portland, Ore., in the State of Oregon), made to the Interstate Commission of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME
Net premiums received \$34,060,220.36
Total interest, dividends and real estate income 1,779,082.15
Income from other sources 98,832.46

Total income \$36,938,134.97
EXPENSES
Net amount paid for losses \$13,450,335.46
Loss adjustment 2,872,072.64
Interest expense 11,997,933.50
All other expenses (including investment expenses) 112,147,109.86

Total disbursements \$100,000,011.76
ADDITIONAL ASSETS
Value of real estate owned (market value) 453,300.00
Loans on mortgage and collateral, etc. 12,500.00
Value of bonds owned (market value) 27,021,082.00
Cash in banks and on hand 5,610,623.97

Premiums in course of collection \$10,000,000.00
Interest and fees 5,316,284.23
Other assets (net) 72,797.18
Total assets \$100,000,011.76

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND OTHER FUNDS
Total unpaid claims \$20,000,000.00
Estimated loss adjustment expenses for unpaid claims 546,611.00
Total unearned premiums 10,407,847.93
All other liabilities 6,841,557.83

Total liabilities \$37,800,000.00
Capital paid up \$1,000,000.00
Surplus funds 7,618,326.47
Unrealized funds 14,400,000.00
Surplus on reinsurance 222,408,326.47

Total \$100,000,011.76
RESERVES IN OTHER STATES
Net premiums received \$112,520.74
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Clyde Beatty's Big Railroad Circus to Exhibit Here Soon



Clyde Beatty displays two pets from the nursery department of the Clyde Beatty Trained Wild Animal Circus which is headed this way.

A score of billposters, lithographers and bannermen, armed with tons of screaming posters and barrels of paste, arrived in town today to herald the coming of the great Clyde Beatty railroad circus, which will exhibit in Roseburg, Sunday, May 23, at Edenbower show grounds, giving performances at 2:30 and 8 p.m.

The advance press representative announced that the big show greatly enlarged and streamlined throughout, has made revolutionary changes in its performance this year. Packed with epic and span new features and spectacular surprises, the circus has made striking changes in its manner of presentation by producing gorgeous ensemble numbers in which the star performers are outstanding figures.

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Letters Awarded Yoncalla Students

YONCALLA—At a special meeting of the student body of Yoncalla High School Friday afternoon, awards were given to students for participation in athletics during the year.

The following girls were awarded letters for volleyball: Naomi Wilson, Louise Merk, Anna Marie Huntington, Alice Case, Wanda Long, Irene Clarke, Reta Kruse, Thelma Atkinson, Virginia Gardner, Beryl McCord, Rose Brant, Elva Arnold, Joanne Brant, Joyce Potter, Lois Ann Wright, Clarice Bowman.

Softball awards were given to Naomi Wilson, Louise Merk, Anna Marie Huntington, Alice Case, Wanda Long, Irene Clarke, Reta Kruse, Rose Brant, Beryl McCord, Donna Lloyd and Joanne Brant.

Marion Wilson, Barbara La-Mar and Beverly Lunnery were awarded letters for being managers. Miss Martha Lanan, coach for volleyball and softball, made the presentation.

Archie Thomas, boys' coach, presented the following boys' letters for baseball: Norval Ritchey, Paul Allen, Dallas Bragg, Don Fast, Jim Davis, Vernon Raper, Don Kingery, Wallace Turpin, Bob Lane, Tyrell Wise, Charles Hughes, Dayn Martin, James Wales, Don McDonald, Bill Gordon, Gerad Rust, Homer Waters and Wilford Ray.

Football awards went to Norval Ritchey, Dallas Bragg, Don Fast, Marshall Merk, Don Meyers, Paul Flurry, James Wales, Dayn Martin, Charles Hughes, Dick McDonald, Dan McDonald, Richard Walker, Homer Waters, Bill Gordon and Alvin Meyers.

Basketball awards were given to Norval Ritchey, Paul Allen, Dallas Bragg, Don Fast, Marshall Merk, Jim Davis, Vernon Raper, Carl Rust, Jim Metz, James Wales, Charles Hughes, Dan McDonald, Dick McDonald and Bill Gordon and to the managers for the season, John Howard and Charles Wales.

Roe, Don Carl, John Morin, John Olson, Nola Weber, Ben Creason, Delwyn Anderson, Patsy Barrick, Nell Gardner, Raymond Anderson, Wanda Raper, Nathan Turner, Leland Thiele, May Margaret Schoenberger, Billy Boucock, Joyce Miller, Virgil Arnold, Claude Shepherd and Marvin Higley.

Baccalaureate service for the Yoncalla High School senior class was held at the Methodist Church, Sunday evening, Mrs. George Edes played the processional and recessional marches. Invocation was given by the Rev. Wesley Lang; violin solo by Reece Rada; "The Rosary" by Ethelbert Nevlin. Sermon was delivered by the Rev. James Smith, pastor of the Yoncalla Church of Christ. Vocal solo was presented by Mrs. Fred Hunt. "Teach Me Thy Will" was sung by Bula Pope. Benediction was asked by Rev. Lange.

At Unst Rock north of the Shetland Islands is a lighthouse where a wave once broke up a 196-foot rock formation and the sides of the lighthouse itself and stove in a door weighing nearly half a ton.

MEET THE CANDIDATE



The following statement concerning his candidacy for nomination to the state legislature on the Republican ticket was submitted by John M. Thorne, above, and does not necessarily signify endorsement by the Roseburg News-Review.

"I was born and reared on a farm, and my business career has been mostly doing business with farmers and laboring men."

"For years the principal industry of Douglas County was agriculture, including livestock production, but the past year our lumbering business has grown until for the first time our income from lumbering manufacturing exceeded the income from agriculture and livestock and now ranks first. And lumbering consists principally of labor."

"I feel that from my many years doing business with farmers and laboring men I understand their problems and am particularly well qualified to represent these two large segments of our growing population in the legislative assembly."

"However, I have no special interests to serve and am primarily interested in providing good government for all our people."

"I had one year of a two-year course of law at Willamette University Law School."

"I am experienced, having served as a state representative from Douglas County in one regular session of our legislative assembly and as a member of the important ways and means committee."

"I believe that our tax laws need revision, particularly restoring the higher income tax exemption which the last legislature reduced provided the sales tax."

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failed of adoption, and which thereupon forced higher taxes on those least able to pay.

This legislation further made all employers—whether farmers or not—tax collectors for the state in requiring them to withhold 1 per cent of all wages paid employees of over \$50 per month including farm labor, with accompanying multiplicity of book-keeping and additional bothersome reports required to report such withholdings to the State Tax Commission.

And this is required whether the employee actually owes any income tax to the state or not. Not even the Federal Income Tax regulations require farmers to withhold and report farm wages paid their employees.

"Our fish and game, and expanding recreational facilities—the income from which now ranks third in the State of Oregon—needs more and better attention and support, in order to restore and preserve our fastly diminishing wild life and to further the development of our recreational facilities and make our State better and more widely known as a "vacation land."

STUDENTS IN FREED
YONCALLA—Mrs. Fred Merk presented her piano students in recital at the Sunday school room of the Methodist Church Saturday afternoon. Those taking part were:

Marilyn Payne, Nell Gardner, Barbara Pennington, Richard Carter, Althea Lambdin, Dale Cowan, Jane Warner, Barry Kremkeau, Joyce Potter, Lois Ann Wright, Molly Kingery and Barbara Hughes.

Mothers and friends present were Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Bice, Mrs. Kremkeau, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Geo. Edes, Mrs. Kingery, Mrs. Grace Cowan, Mrs. Edgar Richards, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Lambdin, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Maddox and Mrs. Merk.

The ocean floor accumulates only about a foot of residue every 50,000 years except on portions near land areas where the accumulation usually is more rapid.

Students Reminded Of Social Security Law

Students who expect to work this summer in industrial or commercial employments should make certain now that they have their social security account number cards, Carl D. Monroe, manager of the Eugene office of the Social Security Administration, said today.

"Of course, students who already have social security cards," Monroe said, "should not apply again, because the same account number is used during an individual's entire life. But persons not having cards should get them before starting to work and show the card to the employer so that their wages may be properly reported, identified, and credited to their social security accounts."

I. O. O. F. ASSEMBLES

EUGENE, Ore., May 18.—(P)—Lodge delegates to the 82nd annual Oregon session of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows opened business meetings today.

Grand Patriarch J. M. Bennett, Albany, convened the 74th grand encampment and Mrs. Suda Comstock, Baker, president of the Rosebush Assembly, called the aux-

iliary's three-day session to order. The State Grande Lodge sessions will be held tomorrow and Thursday.

WINNING GUESS

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 18.—(P)—At noon March 12 a sporting goods store here put 288 minnows in an "electric bucket"—a bait-preserving device.

More than 33,000 Oklahoma Cityans guessed when the last minnow would die.

Harry W. Estes picked 1,550 hours, 47 minutes and won.

Minnie—named when she soloed as the lone survivor—lasted 1,580:47:00.

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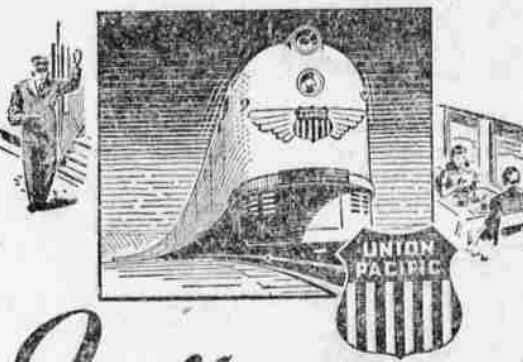
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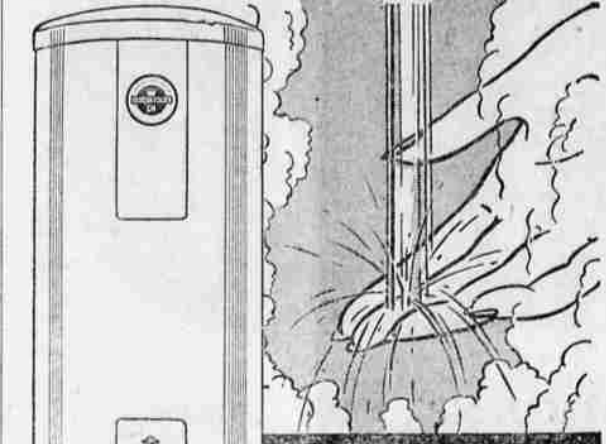
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