COUNTY AGENT NEWS

By F. C. HOLIBAUGH

Prepare for Grass Seeding

The lawn should be given a rough grade now, preparatory to sowing grass seed following the first soaking rain, suggests A. L. Peck, professor of landscape gardening at the agricultural college. Sow broadcast at he rate of 1 pound of seed to 300 square feet of lawn area and do not roll. For those who prefer narrow bladed grasses a mixture is suggested consisting of 50 per cent Kentucky bluegrass and 50 per cent red top. If clover is wanted use 40 per cent red top and 10 per cent white clover. Sow clover separate from the fine seed. For those who lack experience it is well to mix seed with six to eight times its bulk of sand.

Carbon Bisulphide Kills Ants.

Depredations in the pantry or the kitchen by the small red and black ants may be stopped by application of two tablespoonfuls of carbon bisulphide poured down the entrance to the colony. Earth should be firmly pressed over the entrance to hold the fumes inside. Carbon bisulphide is a liquid which changes into a gas when exposed to the air. It is heavier than air and therefore permeates downward through the passages of the colony. Carbon bisulphide is very inflammable and caution in using it while smoking or opening near a stove should be observed.

Plant Roses in Fall.

Roses may be planted in the fall for successful growth for home use, according to A. L. Peck, professor of landscape gardening and floriculture. Two-year-old roses are the best to use as they develop more quickly and give better results. All brokn stems and roots are pruned off before planting.

CHANGE SYSTEM TO CONTROL WHEAT

Stinking Smut of Wheat May be Checked or Eradicated Through Adoption of Proper Methods.

Bunt, or stinking smut of wheat, the cause of the great crop losses in Oregon and other states, may be controlled or completely eradicated through planting resistant or immume varieties rapidly being developed, it is reported by Horace Woolman, field agent, office of cereal investigations, United States Department of Agriculture.

Wheat bunt can be controlled only by an entire change in the system of farming or by production of resistant varieties, the Oregon Agricultural experiment station believes. Rapid progress is being made by the station and it is the belief of the specialists that it will be but a short time before all the susceptible varieties of wheat grown in Oregon can be replaced by immune or highly resistant ones having all other desirable qualities.

Rusts, Hessian fly, chinch bugs, and other enemies have from time to time caused immense losses, but the bunt has steadily taken its toll in all parts of Oregon where wheat is grown. Farmers of Oregon lose a great many thousands of dollars from the treatment of seed for bunt because of seed killed or injured by treatment. Losses due to treatment can be avoided by sowing clean, plump seed which has been fanned and removing all foreign matter, including smut balls, and most of the cracked and injured kernels.

"Treatment of seed by the bluestone-lime method is important," says Mr. Woolman. "This solution is made of 1 pound of bluestone mixed with 5 to 10 gallons of water. Dip the seed 5 minutes, drain 15 minutes, and dip in milk of lime—1 lb. of lime to 10 gallons of water. The stronger solution is advisable only when seed is sown in bunt-infested soil. Bluestone-treated seed should be washed. Treatment by seed solution of 1 pint of commercial formaldehyde solution to 40 to 45 gallons of water is effective. Dip 3 to 5 minutes, drain, and plant within 24 hours in soil sufficiently moist for prompt growth. Good results with formaldehyde-treated seed can be obtained by treating the seed one day and sowing it the next.

NOTICE TO FRUIT GROWERS AND DEALERS.

Attention is called to the following extracts from 1920 horticultural laws of Oregon:

Par. 8881. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to import or sell any infested or diseased fruit of any kind in the state of Oregon, except that such fruit may be sold to evaporators, fruit canneries, fruit product factories, or other by-product factories under the following conditions:

First. Such fruit so sold shall be used solely for the production of manufactured fruit products, beverages, or other manufactured products, or by-products.

Second. The nature of the infestation or infection shall not be such as to make the article of food or beverage manufactured from such fruit unhealthful or unfit for use as a food or beverage.

As the foregoing extract declares it unlawful to sell infested or diseased fruit, notice is hereby given that after September 10th inspections will be made of all fruit found in hands of dealers, and wherever same is found to be infected with San Jose scale or worms or other pests or disease, infected fruit will be seized and destroyed.

By order of F. C. Holibaugh,
County Fruit Inspestor.

Prohibition seems to be gaining in New York City. The damage done by exploding stills is now exceeded by the havoc wrought by bursting water mains.—New York Tribune.

NOTICE AND ASSESSMENT.

Of a portion of West Street in accordance with the following Notice to the Owners of the real property:

To the owners of the real property subject to assessment for the improvement of that portion of West Street between a point 100 feet westerly from the west side of Church Street and the intersection of said West Street with the westerly edge of the St. Helens-Deer Island County road, all in the City of St. Helens, Oregon:

You are hereby notified and requested to make and file with the Recorder of said City of St. Helens, Oregon, in writing, within fifteen days from the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within fifteen days from the 8th of September, 1922, any objections, remonstrance or remonstrances, to said apportionment as hereto attached.

This matter will be heard and determined by the City Council of said city at the regular meeing of said Council on September 25, 1922.

First publication of apportionment September 8, 1922.

WHEREAS, the improvement of a portion of West Street between a point 100 feet westerly from the west side of Church Street and the intersection of said West Street with the westerly edge of the St. Helens-Deer Island County road, by grading and macadamizing the same, it having been completed and accepted by the Common Council, and the whole cost thereof as estimated and as now ascertained, being the sum of $6,286.93.

NOW THEREFORE, We, the Common Council of said city do hereby apportion said cost upon the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon and indirectly benefitted by said improvement, and hereinafter particularly described, with the names of the owners thereof and in accordance with the benefit directly and indirectly derived by each lot, part of lot or parcel of land affected, in the amount set opposite and against each said lot, part of lot or parcel of land so hereinafter set forth, and we declare the same to be a proposed assessment upon said property, to-wit:

Block 62.

Lot	Owner	Assessment
North ½ of		
6,	A. A. Anderson	$ 3.47
7,	L. M. & E. C. Doulgas	10.40
8,	Augusta Ziegler	15.60
9,	Augusta Ziegler	24.26
10,	Augusta Ziegler	32.93
11,	Augusta Ziegler	86.66
12,	Augusta Ziegler	86.66
13,	Augusta Ziegler	32.93
14,	J. F. & E. M. Ryan	24.26
15,	J. F. & E. M. Ryan	15.60
16,	J F. & E. M. Ryan	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	J. F. & E. M. Ryan	3.47

Block 77.

North ½ of		
6,	C. W. Johnson	3.47
7,	G. L. & Guy L. Tarbell	10.40
8,	G. L. & Guy L. Tarbell	15.60
9,	Elizabeth Isbister	24.26
10,	M. F. & Mary Hazen	10.40
11,	M. F. & Mary Hazen	86.66
12,	Augusta Ziegler	86.66
13,	Augusta Ziegler	32.93
14,	T. N. & I. M. Nichols	24.26
15,	T. N. & I. M. Nichols	15.60
16,	Augusta Zeigler	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	Augusta Ziegler	3.47

Block 78.

North ½ of		
6,	Mary E. Foreman	3.47
7,	W. W. Blakesley	10.40
8,	W. W. Blakesley	15.60
9,	Leslie Watters	24.26
10,	Leslie Watters	32.93
11,	Addie Adams	86.66
12,	Addie Adams	86.66
13,	Addie Adams	32.93
14,	Addie Adams	24.26
15,	W. W. Blakesley	15.60
16,	W. W. Blakesley	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	W. W. Blakesley	3.47

Block 93.

North ½ of		
6,	E. I. Ballagh	3.47
7,	E. I. Ballagh	10.40
8,	E. I. Ballagh	15.60
9,	Carl Woodesky	24.25
10,	Sophie Dolan	32.93
11,	Sophie Dolan	86.66
12,	Sophie Dolan	86.66
13,	Carl Woodesky	32.93
14,	Columbia County	24.26
15,	Harry Hockstra	15.60
16,	E. I. Ballagh	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	E. I. Ballagh	3.47

Block 94.

North ½ of		
6,	Columbia County	3.47
7,	Columbia County	10.40
8,	A. A. Anderson	15.60
9,	A. A. Anderson	24.26
10,	A. A. Anderson	32.93
11,	A. A. Anderson	86.66
12,	A. A. Anderson	86.66
13,	A. A. Anderson	32.93
14,	A. A. Anderson	24.26
15,	A. A. Anderson	15.60
16,	A. A. Anderson	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	A. A. Anderson	3.47

Block 109.

North ½ of		
6,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	3.47
7,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	10.40
8,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	15.60
9,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	24.26
10,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	32.93
11,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	86.66
12,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	86.66
13,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	32.93
14,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	24.26
15,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	15.60
16,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	10.40
North ½ of		
16,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	3.47

Block 110.

12,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	86.66
13,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	32.93
14,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	24.26
15,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	15.60
16,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	10.40
North ½ of		
17,	Wm. & Edmund Oleen	3.47

Railroad Addition.

Blocke 2.

7,	J. O. Hunnicutt	3.00
8,	J. O. Hunnicutt	7.00
9,	L. T. & Mary Cornish	12.00
10,	L. T. & Mary Cornish	18.00
11,	L. T. & Mary Cornish	25.00
12,	L. T. & Mary Cornish	67.50
13,	L. T. & Mary Cornish	67.50

Block 5.

7,	Elsie L. Dew	3.00
8,	E. I. Ballagh	7.00
9,	Roy & A. B. Stewart	12.00
10,	Roy & A. B. Stewart	18.00
11,	O. C. Orsland	25.00
12,	C. E. Olsen	67.50
13,	C. E. Olsen	67.50
14,	R. & M. Garcia	67.50
15,	R. & M. Garcia	67.50
16,	R. & M. Garcia	25.00
17,	Roy & A. B. Stewart	18.00
18,	Roy & A. B. Stewart	12.00
19,	E. I. Ballagh	7.00
20,	W. J. Muckle	3.00

Block 6.

7,	John Grauman	3.00
8,	Wm. & T. Blackmore	7.00
9,	Bertha Woods	12.00
10,	Felix & O. Ostman	18.00
11,	E. E. & M. Root	25.00
12,	Walter Peterson	67.50
13,	Emma V. Harrison	67.50
14,	L. A. & M. Smith	67.50
15,	St. Helens Lumber Co.	67.50
16,	Fred Matson	25.00
17,	Felix & A. Ostman	18.00
18,	N. T. & B. McGilvra	12.00
19,	Mary Miller	7.00
20,	Mary Miller	3.00

Block 9.

7,	H. W. & Laura Miller	3.00
8,	H. W. & Laura Miller	7.00
9,	Belle Crawford	12.00
10,	Peter B. Papavasillion	18.00
11,	G. W. & M. E. Chambers	25.00
12,	G. W. & M. E. Chambers	67.50
13,	G. W. & M. E. Chambers	67.50
14,	G. W. & M. E. Chambers	67.50
15,	Sam Lekos	67.50
16,	H. H. Bunting	25.00
17,	H. H. Bunting	18.00
18,	Geo. Nones	12.00
19,	Gamilie Apach	7.00
20,	John G. Pappas	3.00

Block 10.

6,	John Nelson	3.00
7,	Nick Kocefs	7.00
8,	Amelia Daniels	12.00
9,	Amelia Daniels	18.00
10,	Amelia Daniels	25.00
11,	Gladys A. Hunt	67.50
12,	Onslo Munro	67.50
13,	T. G. Samuel	67.50
14,	T. G. Samuel	67.50
15,	Victor I. Nelson	25.00
16,	Victor I. Nelson	18.00
17,	Victor I. Nelson	12.00
18,	T. S. White	7.00
19,	Edward Olson	3.00

Block 11.

4,	C. V. Dean	12.00
5,	C. V. Dean	18.00
6,	Nick Kocefs	25.00
7,	John D. Theohares	67.50
8,	J. M. Sabin	67.50
9,	J. M. Sabin	67.50
10,	J. M. Sabin	67.50
11,	E. & M. J. Felton	25.00
12,	F. H. & Alice Watkins	18.00
13,	Alice M. Watkins	12.00

Block 12.

R. D. Laws		73.12
City share, intersections		1,780.65
Total		$6,286.93

By order of the City Council.
Dated August 28, 1922.

J. B. GODFREY
39 3 City Recorder

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Dupont, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Joseph Dupont, deceased, and has qualified as such executor. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duty verified as by law required to the undersigned at Room 1, Columbia Bank Building, St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published August 11, 1922.

LEOPOLD DUPONT,
Executor.
J. W. DAY, Attorney. 35t5

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Notice is hereby given, that on the second Monday in September, (September 11,) 1922, the Board of Equalization will attend at the Court House in Columbia County, Oregon, and publicly examine the assessment rolls for the year 1922, and correct all errors in valuations, descriptions or qualities of land lots or other property assessed by the assessor; and it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed.

The Board of Equalization will continue its meetings from day to day, until such examination is completed but will not be in session for a longer period than one month.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County.

Sabina Ketcham, Plaintiff,
vs.
Wesley O. Ketcham, Defendant.

To Wesley O. Ketcham, the Defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which said first publication is made and dated August 18, 1922, that being the time prescribed by the Court in the order for publication of this summons; and if you fail so to appear and answer the complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit, for a decree of absolute divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for custody and control of the minor children of said marriage.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable Martin White, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, duly made, dated and entered August 14, 1922.

JOHN L. STORLA,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Residence and Postoffice Address, St. Helens, Oregon. 36t7

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.

Elena E. Boynton, Plaintiff,
vs.
Oa A. Boynton, Defendant.

To Oa A. Boynton, the defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which first publication is made and dated on August 18, 1922, that being the time prescribed by the Court in the order for publication of this summons; and if you fail so to appear and answer the complaint the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, and that plaintiff have the care and custody of the minor children, Ida May and Lottie A. Boynton.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable Martin White, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, duly made, dated and entered, August 17, 1922.

J. W. DAY,
Attorney for Plaintiff, Residence and Post Office Address, St. Helens, Oregon. 36t7

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hannah L. Partridge, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Hannah L. Partridge, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same verified as by law required, to the undersigned at his office in the Muckle Building, St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published August 18, 1922.

EDWIN ROSS, Administrator.
J. W. DAY, Attorney.

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3:40 p. m.	4:10 p. m.
5:15 p. m.	5:40 p. m.
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