

RECEIPTS AID TO ROAD FUND

Oregon ranks second in the list of states on the per cent road appropriation for fiscal year 1925, with a total of \$70,777,81, according to information just received by District Forester E. M. Granger, of Portland, Oregon.

To be used by the forest service in building roads and trails within the national forests for the benefit of the public, ten per cent of all national forest receipts in each state is made available for this purpose. This is in addition to the twenty-five per cent of such receipts which is returned to the states and counties for road and school fund use.

This is ten per cent of the year's receipts from timber sales, grazing, and special uses of the National forests in Oregon. Three per cent of road appropriations have shown a general increase since the fund was first established in 1912, amounting to a total for Oregon of \$412,872.51. As the timber industry develops, and more and more demands are made upon the national forest resources, this amount, as well as the twenty-five per cent road and school fund, will increase.

"The primary purpose of the national forests is to grow timber and produce wood crops for the

nation," said Mr. Granger, in giving out these figures. "To this end—which of course includes preservation and fighting of forest fires—we give our best thought and attention, but we are also given to grazing, recreation and other forest uses. The state and counties participate in all of the gross revenue from these activities to the extent of 25 per cent in each return, as well as the 10 per cent for forest roads and trails—this being in addition to the large sums which congress appropriates for roads and other improvements in national forest states."

Mr. Granger further explained that under the forest service policy of handling forest resources on a continuous production basis, the same as any other crop, the revenue to the state and counties from this source was bound to increase, as more and more demands are made upon the national forests.

"The forest service objective," he said, "is neither hoarding nor exploitation. It is, rather, conservation and sustained yield through wise use. It is looking to the future as well as the present."

KLAMATH FALLS IN LEAGUE.—KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—With the financial aid in the clear and with the solid support of the town, Klamath Falls on next Friday night will formally enter the Klamath county baseball league, it was decided.

Fledges aggregating more than \$2000 will give the local team the initial push that will start it off in the semi-pro league with various

'APRIL FOOL' MEET ENJOYED

GRANGER HALL (Special).—One of the pleasing features of the meeting of Rose Mountain grange April 1st was a dinner table especially arranged for those having birthdays in March and April. As it was "All Fools" day, everyone had a good time. For roll call each member was requested to do a foolish stunt. County Agriculturist H. G. Avery was present and gave a very interesting talk on the new potato law. Irrigation was discussed by several of the members. Fred Hartmann spoke of the Tri County grange that will be organized in the near future. Freddie Hill and Robert Redhead each recited and Kenneth Hagans sang a song. Mrs. Edith Collier gave one of her clever readings, and Mrs. Jessie Hagans, Mrs. Grace Grant and Mrs. Paul Williamson gave readings.

Mrs. Bert Grant has just received word that her mother, Mrs. M. Rowell, is seriously ill at Tuma, Arizona. Mrs. Rowell has been spending the winter with relatives in Arizona.

The committee in charge of the program to be given by the grange Easter Sunday evening are working hard. The entertainment is, of course, the affair and much interest is manifested. Dorothy Smith has charge of the address and dolls. Mildred Spencer, Juanita Spencer and Amy Brown are on the music committee. Mrs. Field is arranging the recitations and class exercises and Ernest DeLong, the Sunday school superintendent will deliver the principal address of the evening. The home economics committee of the grange, assisted by the ladies of the community, will do the decorating.

Accused



Mrs. Ida May Hendricks has been accused of intimacy with Joe Boca Luka, Hepi Indian guide in Arizona by her millionaire husband, Clifford Hendricks. Hendricks has fled to New York, naming the Indian as co-respondent.

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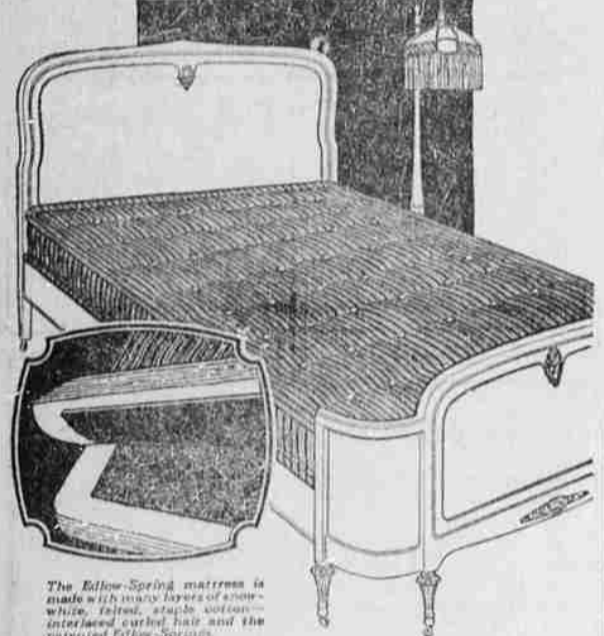
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Cover crops each year not only increase the fertility of the soil but they add humus, or great benefits in increasing the water holding capacity of the soil. The lack of moisture in the soil is in many cases the biggest limiting factor in Oregon soils. After the cover crops are growing well and the soil is brought back in good condition, the use of commercial fertilizers will not be so essential. In many cases it will not even be necessary at first.

Oregon Civil Hebeuses

THE DALLER, Ore.—The Misses Elizabeth and Anne M. Laine, the latter vice-president general of the National Daughters of American Revolution, both residents of this city, were named chief beneficiaries in the will of the late Malcolm A. Moody, ex-representative in congress from Clatsop County, Oregon, who died on March 19 in a Portland hospital. The will has been admitted to probate with the Misses Laine named joint executors. Zenna A. and William H. Moody of Washington, D. C. and Ashland, Ore., respectively, will receive \$2500 as will Lucy W. Staughton, address not stated.

William H. Moody, also named a beneficiary in the extent of \$5,000, died after the will was drawn in 1917, although the will was never altered. All of the beneficiaries of the estate own in the Misses Laine, share and share alike. They are relieved from paying of other bequests as executors, if in their belief, the payments would result in a sacrifice to the estate. The will does not mention the value of the estate, which is variously estimated from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

Oh, to be in Vienna in the spring

when there are 200,000 more women than men, according to the census.

Backache Is a Warning!

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CATTLE SEEN IN PARADE

GRANTS PASS, Ore.—A parade such as has never been seen in Grants Pass before, was staged down the length of Sixth street when nearly 20 purebred sires and female calves were exhibited. These cattle were brought in here as the result of the purchased bull campaign of the past month. The full carload of stock was unloaded at the freight depot and the owners led them up the street so the city might see what was going on in the dairy business in this part of the state. The parade was led by the Grants Pass concert band.

The winners were the guests of the business men of the city at luncheon at the Oxford hotel, after which the bulls were "introduced" to the people who assembled at the depot. O. M. Plummer, manager of the Pacific International Live-

HOTEL RESORT IS SOLD

MEEDFORD, Ore.—Rogues Elk, the well-known hotel resort on the Rogue river and Crater lake highway near Elk creek, 25 miles from Meedford, has just been sold by

Will G. McDonald, the artist, who built it originally for his picture-

que dwelling-studio, to A. B. Shepherd of McMinnville, Ore. The sale includes the hotel, store, service station and six acres of ground.

Mr. Shepherd will build in addition several cottages, a dance pavilion, open-air dining room, open-air ice cream parlor, and will en-

large the store.

Mr. McDonald, who will continue to live at the hotel and devote his time to painting, also will establish a modern camp ground on the Rogue between the Rogue Elk and Trail.

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