

CHEESE OUTPUT BREAKS RECORD

1926 Production Figures
and Association Report
Are Optimistic

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Production of Tillamook cheese during 1926 passed all previous records according to the annual report just made by Carl Halber, secretary-manager of the association. The report shows the association in a good healthy condition.

High lights from the secretary's reports show that 23 factories in the association produced 67,927,795 pounds of milk during the year just passed.

Production of cheese amounted to 7,437,579 pounds as compared to 6,782,926 pounds last year. Declines in fresh eggs continue with all grades off one to two cents for the day. On the dairy exchange extras and firsts broke two cents to 25 cents and 24 cents, respectively. All other grades were off a cent with current receipts now down to the 24 cents level.

A former tone is showing in country dressed meats, and top hogs and calves readily bring 17 1/2 cents now.

Local butter markets boosted their cream bids another cent today, giving the shipper the full benefit of the advance in prices Monday. Bids now range from 50 to 52 cents in the country and 54 cents delivered Portland.

All grades of cube butter are at a fraction higher. Extras are back to the 47-cent level with standard cubes at 48 cents.

"Blind" Johnson, doorkeeper of the North Carolina legislature, is trying to get something besides speeches from his lawmakers. He has organized a legislators' choral club which performs in the capitol's rotunda.

The Argentine capital at Buenos Aires, rising impressively above an extensive plaza, was constructed, with true Latin-American magnificence, in three months, with an expenditure of five millions.

Pupils attending rural schools in Oxfordshire, England, are provided with bicycles by the school board.

10 Years Ago Today

Cents for "Flappers" are advertised. What and who are "Flappers"?

We Know

Who they are and what they want. Nearly all the La Grande flappers are using the New Perfume.

BLACK JULIP
Rich and Fragrant
Delicate and Distinctive
\$2.50 per ounce
Only at our toilet counter.

L. & L. Drug Co.

CAL'S NEW LANDLADY



Consider yourself presented to Mrs. Elmer Schlesinger, owner of the Washington residence which is undergoing repairs this spring. A daughter of the late Robert W. Patterson, Mrs. Schlesinger was formerly the Countess Gizecka. These Rocky Mountain trophies of her expertness with the rifle adorn the walls of the temporary white house.

24 Athletes on Southern Oregon 42-Mile Contest

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—In a dead heat, Manfred Jacobson, McCloud, Cal., and W. Nordquist, former champion of the Swedish army, reached Crater Lake lodge at the same time, 12:10 o'clock.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—At the crack of the starter's gun at 9 o'clock this morning, 24 athletes of Oregon, California, Washington and British Columbia, started out on the 42-mile ski race from Port Klamath.

With a southeast wind at their backs which whipped up snow from high snow banks, the two dozen ski experts were soon swallowed up by the swirling white of the wind swept drifts.

Shortly before 10 o'clock this morning the first judge reported that 18 had passed the south entrance of Crater Lake park.

W. Nordquist, Klamath Falls, former champion of the Swedish army was in the lead but closely pressed by Manfred Jacobson, McCloud, Cal.

Nels Sklerosa, Bond, was a good third, Oliver Puckett, Everett Puckett, of Klamath Falls and Andy Varato were bunched together at fourth, fifth and sixth places respectively. The rest were strung along at wide intervals.

That the ski event may materialize into a battle with the elements, was indicated by a snow storm in Klamath Falls today which blew in from the southeast.

The first rural free-delivery route in the United States, running out of Chihuahua, Mich., is memorialized by a monument of stones from farms visited by the original mail man.

MAINE GIRL STUDENTS PADDLE UNRULY COLEDS

Campus reports at the University of Maine in Orono have it that girl sophomores have adopted paddling with a wooden paddle as a disciplinary measure for freshmen coeds. The girls have modeled a new honorary society, the "Sophomore Eagles," upon the men's "Sophomore Owls," which uses the paddle as a means of regulating conduct of freshmen and inspiring patriotism for the college and interest in college activities. The girls refuse to confirm or deny reports that they have adopted the paddle with the other features of the men's organization.

You can send a photograph by telephone, but a fortune awaits the man who patents a method to make people look pleasant and natural while it's being taken.

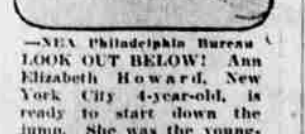
And one of these days when Mr. Maxim has a little time on his hands, why doesn't he turn his attention to the saxophone?

America is leading the world in inventions, says a Boston professor. It's true. But there's still room at the top for the man who will devise a zipper for men's vests.

We have plenty of loud speakers, but very few soft ones.



—NRA Los Angeles Bureau
VERY DOGGY is the dress that Estelle Taylor wore to a Hollywood party. Now it is believed that she has started a fad by painting Pekinese pictures on her long, flowing sleeves.



—NRA Philadelphia Bureau
LOOK OUT BELOW! Ann Elizabeth Howard, New York City 4-year-old, is ready to start down the jump. She was the youngest skier at the Snow Sports Club winter pageant at Pocono Manor, Pa.

Markets

LIVERPOOL WHEAT
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 22 (AP)—Close: wheat, 1/4 to 3/4 lower.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Cattle and calves nominally steady; sheep, good, \$3.50 to \$3.99; medium, \$3.00 to \$3.50. Hogs, nominally steady. Sheep and lambs (slaughter stock) nominally steady.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO, Feb. 22 (AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture.—Hogs—49,000; light hogs mostly 15 to 25c lower; butchers 19 to 15c lower than Monday's average; top, \$11.50 paid for 140 to 160-pound averages; bulk desirable 140 to 200-pound, \$11.00 to \$11.50. Cattle—49,000; fed steers steady to 25c higher; other classes steady to strong; best heavy steers, \$12.20; bulk light steers, \$9.00 to \$11.00; shippers paying upward to \$15.00 for choice vealers; to packers mostly \$11.50 to \$12.50. Sheep—17,000; fat lambs opening fairly active; around 15c higher than Monday; desirable lambs, \$12.50 to \$13.00; best head above \$14.00; most desirable lambs \$13.25 to \$13.75; few extreme weights \$12.25 to \$12.60; woolled ewes, \$10.00 to \$11.00; sheep opening strong to 25c higher; choice medium weight fat ewes, \$9.00; most desirable ewes, \$7.75 to \$9.00; feeding and shearing lambs scarce; most good offerings \$12.50 to \$13.10; no choice finishers sold.

PORTLAND PRODUCE
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Wholesale prices: Butter—Culms up 5c; extra cubes, city, 47c; standards, 46 1/2c; prime firsts, 46c; firsts, 45c; prima, 52c; cartons, 52c.

Bids to farmer:
Milk up 1c. Best creaming cream 50c in valley, 51 1/2c to 52c not, shippers' track in zone 1; cream delivered Portland, 54c per pound, raw milk (4 per cent), \$2.60 cut, f.o.b. Portland.

Eggs 1 to 2c lower; current receipts, 22c; fresh medium, 21c; fresh standard firsts, 22c; fresh standard extras, 23c.

Poultry steady. Heavy hens, 24c; light, 18c; springs, nominal; broilers, 20c to 21c; Pekin white ducks, 30c; colored nominal; turkeys, live, 35c; dressed, 40c to 45c. Squabs and onions steady; onions, local, \$3.00 to \$3.50; spuds, \$1.25 to \$1.50 sack.

FRANCE HONORS NUN WHO CHEERS PRISONERS

For 40 years voluntary service in French prisons France recently decorated Sister Marie Perpetue, mother superior of Saint-Lazare prison for women, one of the oldest prisons in the world. It was established 300 years ago. The minister of justice conferred the red-ribbon star of the legion in recognition of her kindness and humanity to prisoners. Some noted prisoners came under her influence among them Marie Perpetue, the dancer friend of cabinet ministers, who was shot as spy, and Madame Calixte, wife of the former premier of France, who was at Saint-Lazare after her arrest for the shooting of Gaston Calmette, editor of Le Figaro, of which she was acquitted.

The late Mrs. Rosette Hoyle left \$50,000 to found a Chair of Music at the University of Sheffield, England, in memory of her husband.

Only eight states have been without lynchings since 1919. They are Wisconsin, Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Rhode Island and Vermont.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of Improvement District No. 28, within the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, is now in my hands for collection and that same may be paid at any time within 10 days from the 21st day of February, 1927 without penalty, interest or cost, and each owner is hereby notified that on application to the undersigned with ten days from the 21st day of February, 1927 which is the date of the first publication of this notice, they will be allowed to pay such assessments in ten annual installments, the first installment thereof being due and payable on or before the 21st day of February, 1928. If application is not made as above specified, the whole amount is due, payable and will become delinquent on the 4th day of March, 1927.

The Assessment Roll follows:

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