

Expect Wallowa Grain Yield To Run 30 Bushels

By G. C. Meek (Observer Correspondent)

WALLOWA, Ore., (Special)—Ideal harvest weather is prevailing over this section of the country. Bunching of many of the fields of winter wheat has been in full blast during the past week. The wheat in most of the upland fields has ripened quite evenly this season and farmers have been able to do the greater part of their cutting without having to wait on patches to become ripe enough for cutting. Most of the wheat which will be bound and threshed with stationary outfits has been cut and many fields are thickly dotted with shocks of well-filled grain. From present appearances the grain should run about 30 bushels per acre and possibly some of the best fields better than this. Spring sown crops are not looking very good on dry land. The earliest part of the growing season did not prove to be very favorable for a good growth of spring sown grain and as a result the greater part of it will be very short. Some farmers who had seeded bareland barley for hay have found it difficult to cut the hay with binders, some of it being so short that it was necessary to mow and take in order to get much of the short straw. Haying is still going on in the valley sections with some of the early patches of alfalfa being cut for the second time. A fairly good crop of hay is seen on many of the irrigated fields. Grain on irrigated tracts have made an excellent growth during the past three weeks and oat and barley crops give promise of excellent yields. Much of the barley on irrigated fields is so heavy that many large patches are badly down and tangled. Hange conditions are not as good as they have been for the past two months. Absence of rain and trying weather has done much toward drying up the vegetation in the timbered areas where several large bands of outside sheep are being ranged. Some bands were moved out of the north woods the latter part of the week and taken to the high mountains.

A number of combines and stationary threshing outfits have been repaired and are ready for starting threshing of the crops of this section as soon as the grain is ready

Second Crop Of Alfalfa Short At Grange Hall

By Mrs. Charles Spencer (Observer Correspondent)

GRANGE HALL, Ore. (Special)—Many of the farmers of this locality have finished putting up their second cutting of alfalfa, while others are in the midst of their haying operations. The first cutting was a year normal crop in some fields, while in other areas there was a shortage. The second crop is reported to be short in most parts of the district.

The last meeting until after the busy season is over was held Friday afternoon by the Countrywomen's club at the home of Mrs. Lou Ayers, with Mrs. William Taylor and Mrs. Albert Harrison acting as assisting hostesses. Mrs. Rebecca McAllister and Mrs. Tom Macomb won first in a couple of games that were played and Miss Minnie Holman won consolation in the second game. Special guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Ida Holland of Sacramento, Cal., who is visiting relative in this vicinity and in La Grande, Mrs. Lester Masterton of La Grande, and Miss Irma Kennedy of Cove avenue. The next meeting of the club will be Sept. 28, when Mrs. I. E. Chenuit, Mrs. Ralph Chenuit and Mrs. John Hansen will entertain at the home of the former.

Mrs. Kenneth Brown and infant daughter, Margaret Ellen, returned home from the Woodcock hospital last Wednesday.

Mrs. Edith Gekeler, who has been under the doctor's care for several weeks, is reported to be improving. Fugina Johnson, the eight-year-old daughter of Aaron Johnson, who has been living with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gekeler, for the past year, left Friday night by train to join her father in Los Angeles where they reside. She accompanied her aunt, Miss Ruth Johnson, as far as Portland and then she traveled the rest of the way to Los Angeles alone. Mr. and Mrs. Gekeler received a telegram at 9 o'clock Monday morning, stating Fugina had arrived safely at her destination at 2:30 o'clock that morning.

A meeting to vote the special school tax for district No. 18 and to attend to other business matters was held at Liberty school house Monday afternoon. The election carried without a dissenting vote. It was decided that the patrons hold an all-day meeting the Thursday before school begins and clean the school house and make necessary improvements about the premises. Ernest De Long, chairman of the school board, presided at the meeting.

Mrs. Robert Masterton has for her house guest, her sister, Mrs. Ida Holland, of Sacramento, Cal. Mrs. Masterton and her sister recently returned from Tokamak, Wash., where they were located six weeks, settling the estate of their sister, Mrs. Nell Rings, who died in June and whose home was in Tokamak. While there the sisters made several side trips and visited friends in different Washington points, including Seattle. Mrs. Holland is also visiting relatives in La Grande, a sister, Mrs. Charles Taal, and a brother, Mose Kinzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rebecca McAllister are driving a new car, which they purchased recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lindsay are in Portland visiting their son, Ralph, who is a student at

Father, Son Drown Near Halfway, Ore.

BAKER, Ore., July 30 (P)—Joe Tyler, 49, and his son, Joe, Jr., 17, drowned in a gravel pit near Halfway while swimming. The boy got beyond his depth and both were lost when his father tried to save him. The bodies were found locked in a death grip in 15 feet of water 2 hours later.

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Washington—Government opposes wholesale embargo on Soviet trade.

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Oklahoma City—W. H. Murray and Frank Buttram lead race for governorship. Wrightman and Gore definitely worked out by a committee selected by the Oregon League of Cities. Members of the committee conferred with Secretary Hess yesterday. Manual instructions and sample forms will be worked out by the research department of the University of Oregon.

Foreign

Shanghai—All foreign missions at Shanghai destroyed by communists.

Cuba, Morocco—Spanish foreign legion recruit admits he is Villavieja, missing official of National City Bank's Paris branch.

Managua, Nicaragua—National guard patrol destroys hidden camp of Sandino forces.

Toledo, O.—Grover Cleveland Alexander signed by Toledo club.

Cleveland—Primo Carnera, knocks out George Cook in second round.

Refugee Tax.—Burning gas will subsidize then fares up again.

Buy City, Mich.—Rear Admiral Moffett calls billion dollar navy expenditure good investment.

Chicago—Congressional committee inquiry adjourns.

IRELAND INVESTS \$25,000 TO AID STUDENT BATTERY

DUBLIN (P)—The Irish Free State parliament has voted to invest \$25,000 in an improved storage battery invention of a young scientist of the National university.

The battery, it is claimed, can be recharged in record time.

Plan to Modify Fruit Fly Rules

ORLANDO, Fla., July 30 (P)—Florida Tuesday was promised a further modification of Mediterranean fruit fly regulation that would permit shipment of citrus fruits and vegetables from the peninsula to northeastern and middlewestern states without sterilization.

Announcement of the proposed modification was made by Secretary of Agriculture Hyde following a conference at St. Augustine with Governor Coyle E. Carlton and other officials.

Removal of the quarantine lines within the peninsula would place all of Florida, lying east of the Ocklockonee River, on the same basis. The quarantine line will continue to be maintained, however, along the northern border of the state.

Uniform Accounting System For Cities

SALEM, Ore., July 30 (P)—A uniform accounting system to be used by Oregon municipalities, which the 1929 legislature authorized, Secretary of State Hess to establish, has been definitely worked out by a committee

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