

Harvest of Major Bulb Crop Begun

Oregon gladiolus bulb growers have begun their annual harvest and prospects are for a good crop, reports Charles A. Cole, horticulturist for the state department of agriculture.

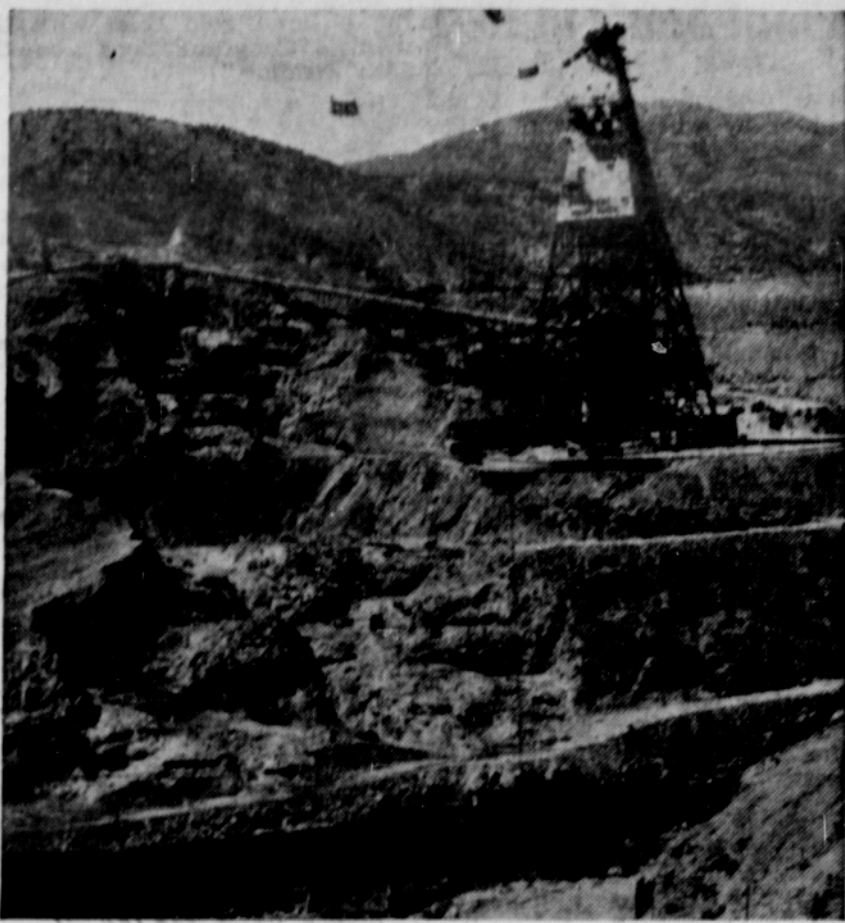
Cole suggests that, in order to be sure that the least possible amount of thrips is carried into storage, the bulbs should be removed to storage, cleaned and fumigated immediately after digging. While the thrips do not affect the bulbs in the field, as soon as dug there is a transfer of thrips from the tops to the bulbs.

Oregon's gladiolus bulb crop is valued at around \$400,000 annually, and is the largest single item in the three million dollar nursery industry.

The department inspector reports also that the Easter lily harvest in the Brookings and Marshfield area was completed the end of September. This infant industry produced between three and four million bulbs of all sizes this year, and it is expected the 1941 crop will double this figure.

Demand for the Oregon grown Easter lily bulbs was excellent, with buyers literally standing at the packing tables to pick off the bulbs as fast as they came over, Cole declares. Only a small portion of the bulbs were sold, growers holding the bulk of them to increase their plantings for next year.

SHASTA DAM PROGRESSING



Courtesy Pacific Greyhound Lines

One of the newest and most popular tourist attractions in the West is Shasta Dam in Northern California. When completed, this mammoth structure will be America's second largest dam in height and concrete mass. Its waters will irrigate 2 million acres of valuable farm land in Central California. Above is shown the giant cableway system that distributes concrete to all parts of the project. Shasta Dam may be reached by Greyhound and its connecting bus service right to the dam.

Sprague Discusses Measures for Vote

On the ballot at the November election are three measures which affect public morals. I feel it is my duty to express my views on these important questions, says Governor Charles A. Sprague.

The first is the referendum on a bill passed by the last legislature, House Bill No. 355, designed to strengthen in an important particular the liquor control act now in effect. The bill was recommended by the former liquor commission and endorsed by me in my message to the legislature. It passed both houses by a substantial majority and was approved by me. The purpose of the bill is to do away with the evils of unregulated and unlicensed drinking "clubs." Fake clubs have sprung up and operate as resorts for the drinking of hard liquor. The liquor control commission has no authority over them.

The bill also prohibits making fortified wine with grain or ethyl alcohol which has been a source of evil in this state.

The opposition to this bill comes almost exclusively from the small group of operators of these so-called "clubs" who hope to reap continued profits if they can defeat this badly-needed legislation.

The same small group which sponsored the referendum on H.B. 355 has sponsored an initiative which would utterly destroy the present plan of liquor control in Oregon and turn the sale of hard liquors over to private, licensed dealers. This would simply mean the restoration of the open saloon.

The Oregon plan of liquor control was adopted by the legislature on recommendation of a commission appointed by Governor Meier to prepare a plan following the repeal of prohibition. This plan is recognized as one of the best in any of the states. The people of Oregon have been on the whole well satisfied with this plan and the way it has been administered. To repeal it would be disastrous to proper liquor control.

I believe the real purpose of the initiative is to confuse the voters, hoping that the people in voting "no" on this bill will also vote "no" on the referred measure. Therefore, I urge the people interested in preserving decent liquor control in Oregon to vote on the referred bill, No. 310 YES; and on the initiated bill, No. 313, NO.

There is a third measure sponsored by a self-styled "Oregon Tax Reduction and Old Age Pension League." It initiates a constitutional amendment to legalize "marble-board, pinball games, claw or digger games, and other gambling and gaming devices, bank night, similar lotteries and bingo games." The very title is enough to condemn the bill.

The people at the 1938 election overwhelmingly voted to outlaw slot machines and pinball games. I am confident they will not reverse that decision under the bait of "tax reduction" and contributions to old age pensions. This measure is probably the longest constitutional amendment ever submitted and would increase by one-half the present state constitution. Its contents are not proper material for the fundamental law of the state. The supreme court in a decision in 1938 appropriately referred to certain of these machines as "mechanical bandits."

I recommend that the people vote 315 NO.

There is a real need for a campaign of education among the people of the state so they may understand just what these measures mean.

I call on all good citizens who are interested in wholesome public morals to organize and "carry on a campaign of education so the voters of the state may be informed on these three measures. If they are informed I feel sure they will approve of the referred bill, voting 310 YES; and will reject the initiated measures by voting 313 NO and 315 NO.

Coolies in East Indies

More than 101,000 coolies now work on rubber plantations in the East Indies.

Thornton Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Imah of Cloverdale, near Tillamook, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keene.

Harold Woods and William Hodges of California were visitors at the C. R. Trent home one day last week.

Mrs. Lou Rinard of Baker is visiting old time neighbors here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Shortridge, accompanied by their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brown of Oregon City, spent Sunday at Yoncalla with Mr. Shortridge's sister, Mrs. R. C. McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fisher visited Sunday at the Addison Heath home at Hebron.

Elton Buck of Camp Clatsop was a guest Sunday at the A. M. Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Trent and Miss Mary Trent visited Saturday at the home of Mrs. Trent's sister, Mrs. Susan Oliver, at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foster and family were visitors Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Al Hinton at Latham.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Premazzi and daughter spent the week end at Vida with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Witcher, and accompanied them on a hunting trip.

Mrs. Herbert Raymond and daughters and Mrs. Ransom Raymond of Blue Mountain were visitors Saturday of Mrs. John Willian.

Mrs. Grace Odell of Gresham is a guest this week of a sister, Mrs. W. L. Whitlock, and on Monday accompanied Mrs. Whitlock to Eugene.

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Latham

Madge Overton of Portland spent the week end visiting at the Merle Porter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hull and children spent Sunday visiting at the Dick Harbert home at Valughn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krause of Pasadena, California, visited several days at the O. A. Nichols home. Mrs. Krause is a daughter of the late Mrs. Nichols.

Homer Hull spent several days in Portland visiting the Pacific International Livestock show.

Clinton, Belva and Thelma Garoutte spent Sunday at the Elvis Kelly home at London.

Mrs. Winnie Hagerty accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Krause to Marcola to visit the Lee Pashelk Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandusky are building a new house near the Huckins' new home.

Among those who have made recent improvements to their homes here are Bridwells, Carl Buffington, Claude Plaster, Lee Williams and Elvis Boswell.

Mrs. Ollie Powell returned to her home at Cougar Bend after caring for Mrs. Mamie Trunnell several weeks, so that her daughter could attend vocational school in Eugene. Miss Hazel Cline of Curtin is taking Mrs. Powell's place.

Mrs. Merle Porter attended a bridge party at the Cottage Grove hotel Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Mabel Smitson who was called to Eugene by the sudden illness of her son-in-law has returned to Murray Trunnell's to work.

Saginaw

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bradley are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schipper, Mr. Bradley is in the Navy and has just returned from China.

Mrs. F. T. Benston returned home from Puyallup, Washington, Monday after spending three weeks with relatives there.

Bobby Russell broke his left arm at the elbow when he fell from a teeter-totter board while at school one day last week.

Week-end guests at the Frank Chapman home were Mr. and Mrs. George P. Chapman and son George and daughter Loretta of Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Benston attended a birthday party Saturday night at the L. C. Eastburn home honoring Mrs. Arthur Greer on her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Rosemae Haney of Cottage Grove spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. Ray Stewart.

Francis Queener of Gowdville visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Long of Cottage Grove visited with her sister, Mrs. Jay Burleson, one day last week.

Mrs. Waldon Hileman of Cottage Grove spent Thursday at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Reed.

Mrs. Levi Russell and Mrs. Ray Stewart were dinner guests one day last week at the Charles Miller home at Goshen.

Lynx Hollow

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stout entertained recently in honor of their son Verne's sixteenth birthday anniversary with a weiner roast, held on the school grounds. About 19 guests were present.

The Community club held regular meeting at the school cabin with Mrs. Frank Chapman as hostess. Mrs. Lester Lebow and Mrs. Vera Mahler of the Hollow were guests. Seventeen members were present. The next meeting will be held at the same place on October 23rd with Mrs. W. M. Moore as hostess.

Mrs. R. W. Porter returned from a visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Horn of Portland.

Horace Wolfard has accepted a position with the Associated Oil company in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheldon and daughter Bessie and son William visited recently with relatives at Empire.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Taylor and family and their house guest, Mrs. Mahler, made a trip up the McKenzie and to Bend recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mills and family of Sutherlin were dinner guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lebow.

Mrs. Charles Peck Sr. went to Ridgefield to attend the funeral of Dr. and Mrs. Iles' son, who was killed in a car accident. Lawrence Fisher had two sheep killed recently by dogs.

Mechanized Coal

Charles O'Neill of the United Eastern Coal Sales corporation has said that without mechanized mining coal would be more expensive, that less would be sold, and even fewer miners employed. He suggested that the government should "equalize" taxes on products that compete with coal.

Income

The lowest per capita income in the United States in 1938 was in Mississippi, with \$205. New York was the highest with \$822. The per capita income payments in this country, the same year, was \$515, about \$160 less than in 1929.

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