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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Attorney General Brown has been ill at Salem with pneumonia.

The twelfth annual Clackamas county fair is to be held at Canby September 17-20.

Military training will be a part of the course at the Medford high school next year.

A meeting of the Oregon State Drainage association convened at Portland Tuesday.

Pendleton is to be made the eastern Oregon headquarters for a company of state police.

The annual convention of the State Bankers' association will be held at Bend June 7 and 8.

The annual convention of the Oregon Retail Jewelers meets in Salem this week, June 5 and 6.

Sherman county held her 11th annual field meet and declamatory contest at Grass Valley Friday.

The twenty-fifth annual assembly of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua association will begin at Gladstone on July 9.

The Federation of Women's Clubs of Yamhill county will hold their annual meeting in Newberg on Saturday, June 8.

With 45 delegates in attendance, the Washington district of the Evangelical Lutheran church held its 28th annual convention in Portland.

Purses totalling \$15,850 are hung up for the speed program for the fifty-seventh Oregon state fair, to be held at Salem September 23-28.

Harry West, of Scappoose, was appointed by Governor Withycombe as a member of the state livestock sanitary board to succeed the late J. M. Dickson.

The first section of the Ochooc project dam, which is about one-tenth of the size it will be when completed, has been finished and is now almost filled with water.

According to complete official returns Labor Commissioner Hoff has won the republican nomination for state treasurer over Judge Thomas F. Ryan by a majority of 118 votes.

The largest wool sale for the season in the state of Oregon was consummated in Echo when 350,000 pounds was delivered for Crummins & Peirce Co., Boston, Mass., on consignment.

In a head-on collision between local Southern Pacific freight trains at Gooding siding near Oswego, Engineer W. W. Knight was killed and five other trainmen were injured, two seriously.

Oregon must yet furnish 5458 selected fighters under the second draft. Since the first draft, which took but 717 Oregon boys, the state has furnished for military service 3861 men, official figures show.

Oregon is steadily progressing toward an entirely wheatless basis, according to reports from various counties in the state received at the office of Arthur M. Churchill, chairman of the conservation committee.

Veterinarians from all parts of Oregon and Washington are to gather at Portland on June 13 for a three days' joint session of the Oregon and Washington Veterinary Medical associations, continuing June 13, 14 and 15.

The Oregon Agricultural college class of 1918, with almost half its numbers in the service in France and the United States, held its graduation exercises Monday. Out of a class of 187, 99 were present to receive their degrees.

New business accepted by lumbermen of western Oregon and western Washington during the past week aggregated 86,786,235 feet. This is the greatest volume of business transacted by lumbermen of this territory for a single week in more than six months.

For the purpose of obtaining a supply of suitable stone for macadamizing adjacent stretches of the Columbia river highway, a charge of 7500 pounds of explosives was used for dislodging 20,000 cubic yards from the side of Teppola's Hill, five miles east of Clatskanie.

Mrs. George W. McMath, of Portland, was temporarily appointed by Governor Withycombe as a member of the woman's advisory board of the girls' industrial school. She will act during the absence of Mrs. Lu's G. Baldwin, who has entered the federal service.

Vice-President Piez, of the fleet corporation, told Senator McNary that concrete shipyards will be established at San Francisco and San Diego and that other cities on the Pacific coast will be passed up at present. It is the plan of the fleet corporation to encourage further building of steel ships on the Columbia river and to assist where necessary in building new ways for this class of construction. Mr. Piez said that while no concrete shipyard will be located on the Columbia, that district will have no cause to complain for lack of government patronage.

Two thousand men will be taken from Oregon for military service in the national army under call No. 663 of Provost Marshal General Crowder for 280,000 men and 309 men will be taken for special training in Portland at Benson Polytechnic under call No. 598 for 24,674 men, both issued Saturday.

The first permit of the wool division of the war industries board went to the Pendleton Woolen mills. Clarence M. Bishop, of Pendleton, manager of the Pendleton and Washougal mills, was in Washington, D. C., at the time the regulations became effective and his application was the first to be granted.

Following the announcement from Washington, D. C., establishing Portland as the western concentration point for wools, Lewis Penwell, chairman of the war committee in charge of wool administration, announced the appointment of Charles H. Green, of Portland, as chairman of the valuation committee which will appraise the 1918 clip.

The first deficiency appropriation to be asked for by a state institution will probably be in the latter part of June, when the state penitentiary will ask for about \$50,000 to carry it through the balance of the biennium. About \$12,000 now remains of the \$180,000 appropriation made by the last legislature to provide for maintenance of the prison.

Grocers of Umatilla county may form an organization on the lines recently formed by the grocers of the city of Pendleton for the purpose of obtaining uniform rulings on the food regulations during the war. Invitations have been sent to all the grocers in the county by the officers of the Pendleton organization, asking them to unite in the new county-wide plan.

State Forester F. A. Elliott anticipates fewer forest fires in Oregon timber this year than in the summer and fall of 1917, although at the present time the timber is dry, more so than at the middle of June last year. The early dry period, he believes, indicates rain late enough in the year to leave the forests in a damp condition during the period when the worst fires usually occur.

Wallace McCamant, associate justice of the supreme court, submitted his resignation to Governor Withycombe, to become effective June 4. Charles A. Johns, of Portland, will be appointed immediately after Justice McCamant's resignation becomes effective. Mr. Johns is the republican nominee for the place as associate justice now held by Judge McCamant, which would have become vacant January 5, 1919, had that jurist not decided to resign.

Every German alien woman, 14 years of age or older, must register between June 17 and 26, both dates inclusive. The registration will be conducted on the same general plan as that followed when German alien men were compelled to register. In Portland and other cities of the state having a population of 5000 or more the registration will take place at the office of the chief of police. In less populous communities these women must register with the postmaster.

If the 25 per cent increase in freight rates, which has been ordered to become effective June 25, is allowed to go into effect without adjustment between various sections of the United States, great hardship will be imposed on Oregon, according to a telegram sent by the Oregon public service commission to W. G. McAdoo, director general of railroads. The Oregon commission has named Max Thelen of the California commission to represent this state in a hearing on this subject which is to be held by Mr. McAdoo June 5.

Shortage of water on the range in central Oregon is endangering the cattle business, but the Indians say that there will be such heavy rains during the summer that the hay crop will be ruined. Herds are being rushed out of the country before they perish and already many cattle have been lost for want of water. Lakes which have for years afforded an unfailing supply are now dried up, due to the shortage of snow last winter and the absence of rain since then. Notwithstanding the arid condition of the country, the Indians predict that the coming summer will be exceptionally wet, so wet that the stockmen will have more trouble by losing their hay.

Projects of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company estimated at an aggregate of \$1,550,000 to increase power facilities in Portland, were approved relative to water rights on the Clackamas river by State Engineer Lewis. One of the applications approved is for the appropriation of 66 second feet of stored water, together with the waters of the Clackamas river for the development of 16,000 horse power. The development will involve the construction of a flume four miles long, which together with the power plant will cost approximately \$1,250,000. Another application receiving approval is for the construction of the Timony Meadows reservoir on Oak creek, in Clackamas county, for the storage of 40,400 acre feet of water. The project involves the building of a dam 80 feet high and 442 feet long and the estimated cost is \$300,000.

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