

ADDITIONAL FRUITLAND ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Conanster are home from a month's stay at New Meadows.

B. C. Blakesley came in Saturday from the hospital at Rochester, Minnesota, where he has been several weeks for mastoid bone treatment. He stopped in Colorado for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hubbell are the parents of a little daughter born Wednesday, June 22nd, weight 6 1/2 pounds.

Miss Cora Bracewell, teacher fourteen years in the Los Angeles schools is here visiting her nephew, Albert Braecwell, and family. From here she will go to the seaside near Seattle to spend the summer.

Mrs. Frances Hengeler is in Midvale visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Betebeber.

Early Monday morning Emil Schmid left with fifteen boy scouts for the mountains near Tamarack.

Tuesday Rev. Todd and two other scouts left by auto to join them. They will return Saturday.

Miss Jane Shamzger came in Tuesday for Bethany Bible Institute Chicago.

Saturday Miss Ruth Thode and Mrs. Fred Davis accompanied Miss Scribner County Club worker, to Weiser where they were guests of the Washington County Farm Bureau at a Festival at which there were several companies of Boys' and Girls' Clubs with their leaders. A right good time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. James Treovey visited several days the first of the week in Boise valley with friends.

Mrs. N. A. Peacock is the guest this week of Mrs. T. J. Brosnan in Vale.

The Idaho Oregon Fruit Association Office has been temporarily disbanded.

The Fruitgrowers Exchange of Fruitland held an all day meeting Monday at the Denny Company Pack-

ing House. Mr. Denney of Chicago made an address.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eldredge have gone to Bear Creek on an outing.

APPLE PRODUCTION SHOWS SLIGHT DECREASE

Telegram Washington Bureau WASHINGTON, June 28—The bureau of census announces the following preliminary figures from the 1920 census of agriculture for the United States with comparative figures for 1910:

Apples, production (bushels) 1915, 128,746,154; 1909, 145,412,318.

Decrease (bushels, 8,666,164.

Per cent of decrease, 6.0.

Trees of bearing age, 1920, 115-265,929; 1910, 151,222,840.

Decrease, 56,057,811.

Per cent of decrease, 28.8.

Trees of not bearing age, 1920 26,171,694; 1910, 65,791,548.

Decrease, 29,620,244.

The production of apples in the United States in 1919, according to the fourteenth census, was 136,745,154 bushels, as compared with 145,412,318 bushels in 1909, representing a decrease of 8,666,164 bushels, or 6 per cent. The average production per tree was 1.2 bushels in 1919, as compared with one bushel in 1909. The states reporting the largest production of apples in 1919 were Washington with 21,568,691 bushels; New York, with 8,942,520 bushels; California with 7,842,017 bushels; Arkansas with 7,163,619 bushels, and Oregon with 6,921,284 bushels.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Services
 10 A. M., Sunday School
 11 A. M., Preaching
 7:15 Epworth League
 8:00 P. M. Preaching.

The Rev. W. M. Ewing our District Superintendent has kindly promised to preach at both the services Sunday in the absence of the Pastor.

LIVED ON FISH FOR A YEAR

Explorer Stefansson Tells of Year's Fish Diet Without Salt.

That we place too high a value on a great variety of food as necessary to health and good digestion is the opinion of Stefansson, the eminent explorer, who lectures at Chautauqua on the second night, based on his experience in the Arctic, and the experience of those who were with him on his historic expeditions.

"I lived on fish, both raw and cooked, for a whole year, and without salt," Mr. Stefansson says, "and weighed ten pounds more at the end of the year than at the beginning. I was not troubled with indigestion, or any other bad effects. In fact, I can say that I never felt better in my life. Taking up any new system of diet is largely a psychological matter," said Mr. Stefansson. "We have prejudices which it is a difficult matter to overcome. If the animals that are used for food were placed in one group and those that are not considered good for food were placed in another group, and a thoroughly unbiased person were asked for an opinion, he would say there is little or no difference between them."

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OREGON SLOPE

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard spent Sunday with relatives on Willow Creek.

L. L. Culbertson was a Sunday dinner guest in the Chapman home in Payette.

The people of the Slope are going to have a community celebration July 4th. A big time with all kinds of sports and a picnic dinner. Full particulars will be given later.

Miss Barker who has been spending the past week with her aunt, Mrs. John Howard, returned to her home on Willow Creek Sunday.

Lloyd Culbertson and Jonas Brown were in attendance at a power meeting at Ontario last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. McCracken of Pendleton, auditor for the State Industrial Accident Commission of Oregon, was transacting business in this locality Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sullens and son Harold and Fern Cole spent Sunday with Mr. Sullens' parents near Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Feldcher of Baker, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Feldcher of Payette, were guests at the Henry Feldcher home Sunday.

Mrs. Breithaupt of Ontario spent the past week with friends here on the Slope.

Miss Gertrude Heslop, who has been spending the past month with her parents here, left Monday for Minneapolis to resume her work there.

The Children's Day program given by the members of the Park Sunday School Sunday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all. The young people who decorated the school house for the occasion are deserving of praise as are those who helped in every way to make the entertainment a success.

The Junior Girls' Sewing Club met with Gertrude Boals Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Heslop celebrated their third wedding anniversary last Friday evening. Their guests for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moss and Mr. Harold Keeler of Payette, and Miss Gertrude Heslop.

Over a hundred people of the Slope gathered at the Otto Miller home last Wednesday evening for a farewell party for Mrs. Alice Simpson who expects to soon return to her home at Seattle, and the Bernard Boals family who will soon leave by auto for a trip thru Yellowstone Park on their way to their home in Nebraska. A delicious buffet luncheon was served at seven o'clock and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Mrs. Tom Heslop entertained last Friday afternoon the following ladies: Mrs. Alice Simpson and Mrs. Stanley Simpson, Mrs. Lias, Mrs. C. G. Heslop, Mrs. Nickerson, Mrs. Wilcox and Miss Gertrude Heslop.

Mrs. Wilcox entertained in honor of Miss Gertrude Heslop last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Boals entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. DeMont Judd and daughter Margaret of New Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Culler and son Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Karst and Edred Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Boals and family.

At the annual school meeting at the Park School District on Monday evening, Roy Burrell was elected as director to succeed P. M. Boals whose term expired. G. W. Lattig was re-elected clerk.

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COUNTY'S GENERAL TAXES HAVE DECREASED TWENTY-TWO PER CENT IN PAST FIVE YEARS

While there is abroad a spirit of criticism and examination of expenditures of various departments of government, the loose condemnation is being heaped on the County Court, the only taxing body in the county, has actually reduced its levies and expenditures. It is certainly fitting that the voters and taxpayers of Malheur county consider the following comparative statement published in the Oregon Voter of June 25, 1921 relative to County General Taxes in Oregon. The Voter shows that for the state as a whole there has been an average increase of 56.3 per cent in the cost of county government while for Malheur county there has been an actual decrease of 22.9 per cent.

In considering what this means, it should be taken into account that in 1915 figures had not yet begun to rise to the point they reached in 1920 and which still prevail. The comparative table and statement of the Voter is as follows:

Cost of county government, aside from schools and roads, have increased 56.3% from 1915 to 1921.

1915—\$3,533,458 1921—\$5,524,455

Following is a compilation showing the amount for two years, not including any school or road taxes, and the percentages of increase or decrease:

County	1915	1921	% Increase	% Decrease
Baker	70,084	80,469	14.5	
Benton	71,282	85,999	20.6	
Clackamas	103,821	91,358		12.0
Clatsop	178,844	241,110	34.8	
Columbia	84,855	105,765	24.6	
Coos	115,647	83,768		27.5
*Creek	129,838	39,449		
Curry	16,741	18,907	12.9	
*Deschutes		66,247		
Douglas	74,973	128,562	71.8	
Gilliam	21,856	16,915		22.6
Grant	32,032	38,006	18.7	
Harney	62,979	84,277	33.8	
Hood River	27,728	58,524	111.1	
Jackson	188,999	167,034		16.9
*Jefferson		37,115		
Josephine	72,084	87,417	21.3	
Klamath	114,938	148,984	29.6	
Lake	32,968	60,841	84.5	
Lane	257,313	249,966		2.9
Linn	40,978	198,576	384.6	
Malheur	75,480	56,643		22.9
Marion	78,480	96,643	22.9	
Morrow	167,017	277,325	76.6	
Multnomah	32,846	90,461	175.4	
Polk	832,408	1,599,226	92.1	
Sherman	107,760	77,190		28.4
Shoshone	23,672	29,961	26.6	
Tillamook	96,816	316,403	226.8	
Umatilla	65,640	286,212	349.7	
Union	72,519	119,377	64.6	
Wallowa	160,182	110,049		31.3
Wasco	60,251	150,607	150.0	
Washington	78,597	134,056	70.6	
Wheeler	17,848	1,539		91.2
Yamhill	85,066	133,144	56.5	
Total	\$3,533,458	\$5,524,455		

*Creek County in 1915 included Crook, Deschutes and Jefferson County.

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