



Shaniko Wool Brings High Price

Shaniko, Or., June 5.—More than a million pounds of wool were sold here yesterday at prices ranging from 16 1/2 to 20 1/8c. The exact figures were 1,036,867 pounds.

Livingston was the largest individual buyer, securing a total of 480,024 pounds, for which he paid from 16 3/4c to 19 1/8c. The largest single sale was that of E. McLennan to Livingston, totaling 77,063 pounds, for which 18 3/4c was paid. Livingston also paid the highest price of the entire sale—20 1/8c for the J. W. Fisher crop of 40,863 pounds.

Total purchases by the five buyers who competed at the sale were as follows: Livingston, 480,024 pounds; Bennett, 251,715 pounds; Angell, 211,416 pounds; Holden, 70,771, and Hutehin, 22,941.

The following is the list of purchases:

By Livingston: Thomas Brogan, 50,336 at 19 1/8c; L. L. Jones, 44,413 at 18 3/4c; D. T. McRae, 20,916 at 18 3/8c; McRae estate, 21,931 at 17 5/8c; E. McLennan, 77,063 at 18 3/4c; M. Osborne, 10,909 at 17 2/4c; W. R. Keeton, 446 at 17 3/4c; H. Patjens, 39,720 at 16 3/8c; J. W. Fisher, 40,863 at 20 1/8c; S. R. Hamilton, 47,789 at 18 3/4c; J. F. Asher, 16,511 at 16 3/4c; W. G. Asher, 16,555 at 17 3/8c; Wallace Faragher, 21,700 at 18 3/8c.

The following purchases were made by Bennett: Hilton & Burgess, 68,575 at 18c; Bridge Creek Stock Ranch, 25,881 at 19 3/4c; M. J. Finlayson, 45,783 at 17c; Alex McLennan, 15,943 at 17c; Malone & Tate, 23,446 at 17 3/8c; A. C. Benton, 5658 at 17 1/2c; M. M. Deer, 5269 at 19c; B. P. Woodard, 5194 at 17 1/2c; Donald McKay, 17,174 at 17 1/4c; Wharton Brothers, 23,734 at 17 3/8c; Tom Fitzgerald, 15,983 at 19 1/4c.

The following were made by Angell: R. Rosenbaum, 10,885 at 17 5/8c; N. C. Shown, 12,777 at 17 5/8c; P. D. Bueker, 10,382 at 19 3/8c; J. McLennan, 16,335 at 17 7/8c; J. E. Hinton, 40,244 at 19 7/8c; F. Knox, 15,322 at 19 1/4c; A. J. Davis, 9937 at 17 3/4c; J. Kaser, 37,774 at 19 7/8c; H. C. Roper, 28,000 at 19 3/8c; R. W. Johnston, 13,000 at 18 7/8c.

The following were made by Hutehin: J. Karlon, 16,355 at 17 3/4c; James Mase, 6586 at 16 5/8c.

The following were made by Holden: F. C. Brock, 17,016 at 16 1/4c; Pat Reilly, 53,761 at 18 1/4c.

Scio, Or., June 5.—A wool pool approximating 30,000 pounds was sold here yesterday to M. Senders & Co., of Albany, at 22 1/2c a pound. This is the best price paid around here this season. All the wool grown in this vicinity has been cleaned up.

The big wool sale at Shaniko in the past week showed the Oregon market to be the highest west of the Rockies, both on grease price and cost of the wool. The estimated clean scoured. The wool is 58 to 63 cents. It was a mill buyers' market to a large extent, as 800,000 pounds of the wool bought at Shaniko go direct to manufacturers.

About 95 per cent of the Oregon clip has now passed out of growers' hands. Some 400,000 pounds of Shaniko wool are still to come in and will be sold at public sale. There is also some wool left at Madras and Hunt's Ferry and there are scattering clips here and there, perhaps 750,000 pounds, all told, left in the state. At Madras there is talk of having a public sale next week, if the wools are not sold privately in the meantime. Another two weeks will see Oregon practically cleaned up of all its best wools.

In the late trading in this state, competition has been more than active. The buyers have evidently

gone at it with only one object in view, that of getting possession of the wool, and they have abandoned their former efforts of trying to buy as cheaply as possible. These growers who were so fortunate as not to have contracted their clips were indeed lucky to have wool to sell. The prices realized in the Oregon sales were in some instances as high as the wool would sell for laid down in Boston.

Agriculturist Wants to Meet Farmers

To the Editor:

I am very anxious to get in touch with all of the farmers in Crook county who are interested in a study of our farm crops and farm conditions and those a betterment of the same and those who wish to learn in full the nature of the work the federal, state and county governments are undertaking in Crook county through the Oregon Agricultural College, which I represent here. With the distances so great between farms generally over the county, I find that the visit from farm to farm is not in itself the best plan for getting acquainted most quickly with the men on the farms.

Wherever a few farmers can get together in a school house or at some residence in the neighborhood, I shall be very glad to meet with them and explain the work and co-operate with them in a study of their soil and local conditions and in the solution of their problems or difficulties. In this way we may become acquainted sooner and I may be able to determine what lines of work are most important for that particular locality. If there are any men in any neighborhood who might be interested in holding meetings of this kind, either large or small, I shall be very glad to hear from them and I shall be glad to give each neighborhood the earliest possible date for a meeting.

This work is co-operative in every particular. We go where we are wanted and help where we can. Our work is for and with the farmers. We are not supposed to "know it all," but are willing to work with the men on the farms in trying to find out all there is possible to find out, either through work already done or through work that we may do through this co-operative plan.

These meetings will not interfere with my visiting the interested farmer on his farm, but will assist myself and the interested farmers in getting together more quickly. There is no expense attached to my presence at the meeting or my visit to the farm, and I am ready and willing to go wherever I may be of service.

A. E. LOVETT,
County Agriculturist,
Redmond, Ore.

Cultivator for Sale Cheap

John Deere 2-horse cultivator for sale cheap or would exchange for double disc plow. Brand new. Never been used. Inquire at this office.

Sagebrush Grubber for Sale

Sagebrush Grubber for \$15. Good as new. Write or call on Jacob Becker, Prineville, Or. 6-11-17

For Sale or Trade

One Mowing Machine, one new Wagon Box, one Potato Digger. Prineville Feed & Livery Stables. 6-11

Garden Hose and Sprinklers, Garden Tools of all kinds. J. E. Stewart & Co.

To do general house work; country preferred. Address Maude Malkson, Terrebonne, Ore. 6-4-3p

Horses Lost

Team, one buckskin, weight about 1200; halters and shoes on both. Buckskin branded on left hip. Notify Oscar Snavely, Rolyat, Or. 6-4-17p

Wanted

The names of boys who would like to own a motorcycle. No money required. To be given away free in exchange for a little work. Address, "Motorcycle," Postoffice Box 305, Sate, Ore. 6-11-21

Horses for Sale

Forty head of good work horses, 4 and 5 years old, for sale; weight from 1050 to 1300 pounds. Will be sold at right prices. G. H. Russell, Prineville, Or. 3-5

Chick Food, Oyster Shell, Grit, all Poultry Supplies at J. E. Stewart & Co. 4-30

Agents Wanted

Duntley Pneumatic Sweeper Co., 6501 So State st., Chicago, Ill. 5-14

LOCAL MENTION

T. M. Baldwin was registered at the Imperial Tuesday.

Miss Herman will spend the summer at the home of her parents at Genesee, Idaho.

Miss Mary Theresa Cassidy was married yesterday at Salem to Guy Odell Smith. They will be at home at 1025 North Church street after June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderpool and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sigman of Dufur are visiting at the home of Med Vanderpool. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderpool left here 26 years ago. They see great changes in Crook county since that time.

Jacob Becker of Powell Butte says he has the champion hatch of young chicks in Crook county. From 14 hens he got 174 lively young chicks. He claims the average hatch is 9 or 10 while his average is 12 1/2. Who can beat it?

Lee Wigle Takes

Bunch Cattle to Alaska

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wigle have gone to Alaska on a business and pleasure trip. They sailed from Seattle with a number of friends last Saturday. They will go to Skagway, whence they will take the White Pass & Yukon railroad into the Yukon country. After traveling as far as they can by rail and by boat, they will make a horseback trip of 130 miles into the interior. They expect to be gone until September.

Mr. Wigle is an experienced stockman and took with him 40 head of cattle which he expects to dispose of to advantage in the interior of Alaska.

Mrs. La Mance Lectured at M. E. Church

Mrs. La Mance, one of the National W. C. T. U. workers, gave an interesting lecture at the Methodist church last evening. She opened the meeting with an instructive talk on Alaska, where she was sent a few years ago to do missionary work. She supplemented her talk with many interesting curios collected while there. She then gave a good talk on temperance in the interest of which she is touring Central Oregon. Mrs. La Mance is a woman of broad experience and is full of the spirit of her work—the purifying and uplifting of the young people of the land. She left this morning for Bend.

DAIRY CLEANINGS.

Frequent stirring of ripening cream will make better flavored butter, as it causes the cream to ripen more evenly.

Good breeding and good feeding are so closely related that they must go together; one is useless without the other.

The heifer that is to be retained in the herd should be handled from her early calfhood so that she will have confidence in her keeper.

It's an exceptional cow that can get enough inspiration from a straw pile and a tank of ice water to give a decent mess of milk.

In feeding the cows do not give them more than they can use readily. Any feed that is left in the mangers after the cows are through will naturally represent a certain amount of waste.

The calves should be fed regularly, and they should have good, clean, pure feed in clean pails and boxes. Ignoring these points will account for much calf mortality.

Tonic For Horses.

A handful of linseed meal fed to the horses about three times a week will aid to regulate the system, promote health and a glossy coat.

Miss Palmer in New Location

I have moved to the building formerly occupied by Minger's plumbing shop. You wouldn't know the place. Paper and paint have worked wonders. In connection with my fifty line of millinery I have a choice line of confectionery. Everything new and fresh, I am now better prepared than ever to serve the public. 5-28 GERTRUDE PALMER.

House for Rent.

Residence of W. H. Keehn for rent; new 8-room house with bath and partly furnished; also a barn. For information call on F. A. Rowell. 4-30-17p

Important Statement

To the Public:

In order that there may be no questions raised later on, we wish to announce that no person connected with our store, or any member of their families will be allowed one piano vote. We positively will not sell these votes. One single vote cannot be purchased from us at any price. We are going to give the beautiful \$400 Parlor Grand Piano now on exhibition at our store to the person presenting to us the greatest number of piano votes, absolutely free. For every cent of your purchase of anything in our store you are entitled to one piano vote.

Yours faithfully,

Prineville Merc. Co.

Special Session of County Court

A special session of the county court convened at the court house in Prineville, Oregon, at 3 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, June 3, 1914, when were present:

G. Springer, judge, presiding.
R. H. Bayley, commissioner.
W. W. Brown, commissioner.
Frank Elkins, sheriff, and
Warren Brown, county clerk.

Whereupon the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Ordered that a widow's pension of \$10 per month be allowed Mrs. M. R. Mead.

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$117.62 be issued in favor of George H. Brewster, for bill presented at March term and disallowed then because of failure to itemize same.

Ordered that a warrant on the road fund in the sum of \$250.00 be issued to W. M. Farrell, and also a warrant for \$250.00 be issued to W. E. Claypool; said money to be used to complete work already begun in their respective districts.

In the matter of the McKenzie road: Whereas, Crook county is pledged to co-operate with the forest service in the improvement of the McKenzie road, and the people of Bend, Redmond, Sisters and Prineville are guaranteeing to carry the indebtedness till May 1915, in case it is required to protect the county's finances. It is ordered that work may continue on same.

The request for money for road improvement in the vicinity of Redmond and Bend presented. Judge objects on ground that if the money is expended it will exceed the budget for general improvement.

Request of the Commercial Club of Redmond for \$250 for the potato show for 1914, presented by Mr. Rodman. (Signed) G. SPRINGER, Judge.

R. H. BAYLEY, Commissioner.
WILLIS W. BROWN, " "

Teachers' Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Crook county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at Prineville, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 17, 1914 at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 20, 1914, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon

Writing, U. S. History, Physiology.

Wednesday Afternoon

Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon

Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

Thursday Afternoon

Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

Friday Forenoon

Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature, Chemistry.

Friday Afternoon

School Law, Geography, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday Forenoon

Geometry, Botany.

Saturday Afternoon

General History, Bookkeeping.
J. E. MYERS,
County Superintendent.

Subjects for Primary Thesis.

Garden Contexts.
Music in the Primary Grades.
Punishment as Seen by Children.
Physical Defects as Cause of Dullness and Discard.
Civic Pride Aroused Through Cooperation of Home and School.

To County Superintendents: For some time we have been unable to furnish copies of the elementary course of study to teachers who are preparing for the examination. For this reason, we have asked the members of the State Board of Examiners not to take any questions from the course of study for the June examination. Yours very truly,
J. A. CHURCHILL,
Supt. Public Instruction.

Baled Hay for Sale

Baled hay 80c per 100. S. J. Newson, Prineville, Ore. 4-30-17p

Powell Butte

N. P. Alley went to Cline Falls Monday, where he has a job of carpenter work. He was compelled to return home Friday, however, suffering from a severe cold.

Frank Kisler went to Redmond Wednesday, where he will assist with some carpenter work for a week or so.

Allen Wilcox and wife were dinner guests at the Earl Forrest home Wednesday evening.

Vern Sears, of Prineville, was a visitor out our way Thursday. He was accompanied by his mother, who will make a visit to the Sears and Yates homes. Miss Ada returned with her uncle for a few days' visit.

Geo. Hobbs made a trip to the Blue Mountains the latter part of the week, where he is interested in some mining property.

Road Supervisor Wilcoxson and crew have just completed a mile of grading on the road adjoining the Wurzwiler-McCaffery place.

E. A. Bussett and Earl Forrest were visitors to Bend Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Beckman was a visitor to Prineville Saturday. Her son Jesse accompanied her home.

Mrs. A. W. Bayn went to Prineville Sunday for a visit with her daughters, Hazel and Gladys. The latter young lady having accepted a position with the W. F. King Co., will probably remain in Prineville for the summer.

The Morse home was the scene of a most enjoyable affair Saturday afternoon when the Shumia Club of Prineville and the Powell Butte Sorosis were entertained by Mrs. Ida Morse and her daughters, Misses Ada and Edna Morse. The Morse home was attractively decorated for the occasion, the parlor being in the Shumia colors of light blue and gold, which colors were carried out in the wild flower decorations. The dining room displayed the local club colors of old rose and gold. Pink carnations were used in pleasing effect. Following an afternoon of unusual pleasure refreshments were served, the guests being seated at numerous small tables. Mrs. Allen Wilcoxson delighted the party with music during refreshment hour. In serving Mrs. Morse was capably assisted by Misses Ada and Edna Morse and Mabel Allen. The Morses who are known for their splendid hospitality, left nothing undone for the pleasure of their guests on this occasion, and the result was that each guest is loud in praise of the pleasant time afforded.

Sunday was the 63rd birthday of Mrs. Mary Brown, and that estimable lady was given a birthday dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Young of Redmond.

The Walcott family entertained the Haven family at dinner Sunday.

Rev. Baker, of Madras, delivered an address at the Wilson school house Sunday following Sunday school services. Arrangements were made whereby Rev. Baker will preach to the people here every first and third Sunday of the month, Rev. Ragan having the second and fourth Sundays.

Mr. Mathat left for Tacoma Monday morning and rumor has it that he will not return alone.

There was a decided "Back to the Farm" movement among the Powell Butte young folks who attended the C. C. H. S., following the closing of that school Friday.

Mrs. Guy Sears went to Prineville Monday, Misses Orisa and Ada accompanied her home.

Socialist County Convention

The Socialist County Convention for Crook county, state of Oregon, is hereby called to meet at the Stewart Hall in Prineville, Oregon, on Saturday, June 20, 1914, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for all county offices to be filled at the next general election and for the transacting of such other business as may come before said convention. This will be a mass convention, and all persons in Crook county, state of Oregon, known to be identified with the Socialist movement will be entitled to a voice in the proceedings of the convention.

Done by order of the Socialist County Central Committee, May 16, 1914. W. H. WILSON, chairman. 5-21 B. F. WILHOIT, secretary.

Estrayed

One bay mare, aged 8 years, roached mane, wearing halter, R with curve under brand on left hind leg. Left Powell Butte May 9. \$10 reward. C. C. KIMMELL, Prineville, Ore. 5-14-3p

Standing of Contestants In the \$400 Piano Contest For Week Ending June 10, 1914

No.	Vote	No.	Vote
5	902 945	90	49 560
6	556 170	99	7 900
11	10 200	102	37 239
12	136 885	113	65 720
13	716 509	124	117 310
18	4 000	127	37 045
23	231 190	138	32 920
34	12 920	140	182 275
35	533 465	143	75 760
36	50 835	144	458 265
52	190 440	153	135 085
53	209 075	159	13 240
58	321 775	160	15 240
67	13 090	162	175 055
78	171 450	164	3 150
79	222 730	184	7 845
89	45 985	185	553 715

Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

George Summers, plaintiff,
vs.
Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings and all heirs at law of John Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, defendants.

To Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings, and all heirs at law of John Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, the above named defendants: In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby notified that George Summers, the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1 issued on the 4th day of October, 1911, by the tax collector of the county of Crook, state of Oregon, for the amount of Eighteen and sixty hundredths (\$18.60) dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1910, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said county and state, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter 1/4 of the southwest quarter 1/4 of the southeast quarter 1/4 of the southwest quarter 1/4 of section one 1-1, the north half 1/2 of the northwest quarter 1/4 and the northeast quarter 1/4 of the northwest quarter 1/4 of section twelve 12-1, all in township eleven 11-south, range fourteen 14-E, W. M.

You are further notified that said George Summers has paid taxes on said premises for prior subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Tax for year 1909, paid May 2, 1914, tax receipt No. 8776, amount \$12.87, rate of interest 15 per cent.
Tax for year 1910, date paid Oct. 14, 1911, tax receipt No. 3648, amount \$18.00, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1911, paid Jan. 5, 1913, tax receipt No. 4744, amount \$35.75, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1912, paid Sept. 29, 1913, tax receipt No. 3842, amount \$24, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1913, paid March 26th, 1914, tax receipt No. 2309, amount \$21.11, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Said Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings, and all heirs at law of John Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, defendants, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that George Summers will apply to the circuit court of the county and state aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of the summons exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown together with costs and accrued interest and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. Springer, judge of the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Crook, and said order was made and dated this 3rd day of June, 1914, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 4th day of June, 1914. All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the state of Oregon, at the address hereafter mentioned.

Date of the last publication hereof is the 6th day of August, 1914.

WILLARD H. WRTZ,
District Attorney and Attorney for the Plaintiff. Address Prineville, Oregon.

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