

DUCK SEASON OPEN WILL RUSH TAXES SEEK BEST CORN

THE HUNTERS ARE CALLED FROM EARLY BREAKFASTS

Some Good Bags Reported—Birds Are Flying High to South and Rain is Needed

Duck parties were on their way long before the proverbial cock crowed this a.m. and they scattered hither and anon, to their respective points of advantage, in most cases picked out long before the first squawks headed for the south.

Rain is a necessity to bring the flocks lower and cause the ducks to settle on the bay. This is the reason the duck hunters have been intently watching the weather reports.

From the north they start at this season for California and they are wont to pass on their way, through to the destination, weather permitting, but the coming of Jupt. Pluv. is hoped to delay the flight long enough that the hunting will be good on the bay.

The law still says there shall be no hunting between sunset and sunrise. It is known there are several special deputy game wardens who are on the alert to see that this law is observed.

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COOS COUNTY TO COLLECT PERSONAL TAXES SAME YEAR

Means Two Payments This Year by Parties Who Do Not Own Considerable Real Estate

COQUILLE, Ore., Oct. 1.—Coos County will collect taxes on personal property the same year they are levied. This will mean that persons owning personal taxes will have to pay twice this year, having already paid last year's and now having to pay this year's tax before November 1.

It seems that under the law, parties who do not have sufficient real estate to more than protect the county on the amount of personal tax, the assessor is supposed to collect it immediately.

The new ruling will be felt especially by storekeepers who do not own real property. After this year, it will work out the same, having but one payment of taxes to make each year.

The addition tax money received may bring Coos County warrants up to par.

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EXPENSIVE PRIZES OFFERED IN COUNTY CONTESTS

Three Separate Districts Outlined—J. L. Smith Says Farmers are Enthusiastic

Three corn shows in three sections of Coos County will be staged in late November. Included in the list of prizes just announced by County Agriculturist J. L. Smith are such things as \$20 gold pieces, plows, watches, suits of clothes and as a grand prize for the best yield of corn ensilage on one acre, a Wisconsin silo.

Not a thing has been left undone to make this the largest and most enthusiastic corn show ever held in the county. Farmers, both young and old, have already evidenced a keen interest in the exhibits and reports from over the county show that there are going to be some wonderful records made this fall.

There are three districts in which will be held separate shows, the Coos Bay, the Coquille Valley and the Myrtle Point districts.

The Coos Bay corn show will be held in the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Silo Grand Prize

The grand prize will be competed for all over the county. The award is being donated by the E. E. Johnson Mill, of Coquille, and will be of the required size to suit the farmer who wins it.

The ensilage for an acre will be computed on the basis of one square rod. The stalks will be cut off close to the ground and weighed with the ears, then the number of stalks counted, then the ears and the weight of the husked ears taken from this square rod of ground.

The ears will be sacked and forwarded to headquarters together with the names of two witnesses.

The exhibits and prizes for the districts follow:

Coos Bay District

For best ten ears of mature corn—First prize, \$20 in gold, by the First National Bank, Marshfield; second prize, \$10 kodak, by "The Owl Drug Store"; third prize, \$5 in gold by the Scandinavian-American Bank, Marshfield.

For the best yield of corn ensilage on one acre—First prize, \$20 in gold by Flanagan-Bennett Bank, Marshfield; second prize, suit of "Styleplus" clothes by the Hub Clothing and Shoe Company; third prize, \$10 in merchandise by the Pioneer Hardware Company.

Myrtle Point District

For the best ten ears of mature corn, (any variety)—First prize, \$20 in gold by the Bank of Myrtle Point; second prize, rocking chair, by N. D. Pratt; third prize, barrel of flour, by Farmers' Store.

For best bushel of mature ear corn—First prize, ladies' coat or suit, by Spencer & Shelley; second prize, theater ticket, good for six-month season, by Henry Schroeder, "Unique Theater"; third prize, alarm clock, by Fearnley & Snyder.

For best yield of corn ensilage on one acre—First prize, \$17.50 plow by Huling & Lundy; second prize, suit of "Styleplus" clothes by Hub Clothing and Shoe Co.; third prize, seven-jewel Elgin watch by Geo. Rackleff.

Coquille District

For best ten ears of mature corn—First prize, \$10 in gold by Farmers & Merchants Bank of Coquille; second prize, 9x12 rug, by H. O. Anderson; third prize, \$5 hat by F. C. Pursley.

For best bushel of mature ear corn—First prize \$10 in gold, by the First National Bank of Coquille; second prize, 38-piece set of dishes, P. C. True; third prize, pair of \$5 shoes, by H. N. Lorenz.

For the best yield of corn ensilage on one acre—First prize, \$20 kodak, by Fuhrman's Pharmacy; second prize, 299 pounds Minnesota No. 13 seed corn, by R. S. Knowlton; third prize, \$7 worth of Patent Cow Stanchions, by Coquille Hardware Company.

Merchants Generous

Mr. Smith has laid particular stress on the generous manner in which the merchants of the cities in the county have come forward with expensive prizes. He said that they at once entered into the spirit of the show, and are doing everything possible to make the whole undertaking a success.

Don't buy your SUITS until you have read the Woolen Mills North Bend Store's special sale ad on page FIVE of The Times tonight.

Bulbs and plants at Marshfield Florists' display at Thomas Music Store.

Everybody's going to the big dance Saturday night in Eagles Hall.

Coos Bay Concert Band dancing in Eagles Hall Saturday evening.

News of North Bend

Carl Golder was arrested a few days ago for speeding on Sherman Avenue and paid a fine of \$5.

D. Gubser, of Ft. Rock, Oregon, who has been visiting his son A. L. Gubser and family, has left for his home. He was in poor health when he came but is much improved.

J. W. Russell and wife who have been at the fair for the past month, will be home in a few days and will be accompanied by their son, Lawrence, of Tulare, Cal., who will visit his parents.

William Ingersoll of Lakeside was in North Bend making arrangements to begin fishing for silversides in Tenmile creek, Oct. 15, and expects a big run.

Word has been received by Mrs. Charles H. Williams that her brother Ernest Murphy died in San Francisco following an operation. Mr. Murphy visited North Bend about five years ago.

RECEPTION TONIGHT

North Bend Superintendent and Teachers to Be Honored

A public reception to which the public is invited will be given by the North Bend Mothers' and Teachers' Club this evening at Taylor Hall. It is in honor of the new superintendent of the North Bend schools, Mr. Coe, and his wife, and also for the new teachers in the schools. There will be music and refreshments and the following talks will be given.

Mayor Russell—A word of welcome from North Bend.

Mr. Smith—A welcome from the school board.

Mr. Tiedgen—Representing the Marshfield schools.

Mr. Grubbs—A welcome from the North Bend high school.

Mr. Raab—Past work of schools, Mr. Coe—Response.

Mrs. Raab—Past work of Mother's and Teachers' Club.

Mrs. Watkins—Future work of Mothers' and Teachers' Club.

Music.

SHIPPING NEWS

MONEY COMING IN

WIRELESS SITE COMMITTEE MEETS WITH SUCCESS

Port Commission Gives \$400—Appeal Made to Steamship Companies and Others

Negotiable paper for \$400 has been received from the Port Commission to pay approximately half the amount needed for the government wireless site on Coal Bank Inlet, according to R. M. Jennings, chairman of the committee.

An appeal has been made to the steamship companies doing business on the bay. Favorable reply is expected from them it is said and the subscription lists have been circulated to an extent among the merchants.

The committee reports that it has been successful and that it probably will be that the money can be made up without the Chamber of Commerce needing to go on any notes or standing as security.

The papers regarding the site have been sent forward some days ago and word is expected soon from the wireless department at Mare Island.

The work is expected to be completed by the first of the year with the station in working order.

WESTERNER COMING

The steamer Westerner will sail from San Francisco Oct. 2 and will come here to load at the Smith mill.

IS BEING REPAIRED

From Portland comes the report that the bar dredge Michie reached there all right and is now in dry-dock getting new tail bearings put in and also a new wheel. It is expected that she will be back on Coos Bay early next week, ready to resume operations.

TWO DUE TOMORROW

Tomorrow morning the steamship Santa Clara is due in here from Portland and the steamship Kilburn from San Francisco and Eureka, both leaving again in the afternoon.

SAIL ON ADELINE SMITH

The Adeline Smith sailed south this afternoon. Among the passengers were Del Bengston, Vernon Smith, Walter Butler, J. W. Bennett and John D. Goss.

MRS. BARTON SCALDED

Injured Severely While She is Canning Corn

The Coquille Herald says: Mrs. J. S. Barton was badly scalded while canning corn. In lifting a boiler of boiling water upon the edge of the sink it slipped and fell to the floor. In trying to catch the boiler to prevent its falling she slipped and fell and the boiling water dashed over both her arms, inflicting severe burns.

Mill Store, the stock having been slightly harmed by smoke. Manager Rotnor said that the settlement was most satisfactory and praised Mr. Patterson's fairness and promptness in settling the loss.

Get your job printing done at The Times office.

Have your programs printed at The Times office.

Settle Insurance

Wm. Patterson, special adjuster of the Pacific Coast Adjusting Bureau, is now at North Bend and yesterday adjusted the claim of the Woolen

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Sailed

Adelin, Oakland, 2:15 p. m.

Arrived

Thomas L. Ward, San Francisco, 10 a. m.

Due Here

Kilburn, San Francisco, tomorrow a. m.

Santa Clara, Portland, tomorrow a. m.

Yellowstone, San Francisco, Monday.

TO REPAIR PLACE

DISTRICT ATTORNEY LILJEQUIST RULES IN CASE

Announces Suit Started Against Pauline Clint and Others Was Won by Fire

District Attorney Liljeqvist has notified the owners of the Joy building in North Bend that they can go ahead and rebuild or repair their damaged buildings without fear of the injunction closing the places for one year being enforced. He said that the object of the suit started by him in the name of the State of Oregon against Pauline Clint, W. P. Murphy and Mrs. J. Grissen of McManville was to eliminate the nuisance conducted by Pauline Clint. He said that the property owners had to be included owing to the law and now the fire had put Mrs. Clint out, he did not intend to work any hardship on the property owners since they assured him that they would see that there were no further violations on the place.

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We Have Moved From Third and Central to Second and Commercial

We are making some big improvements in our new quarters and it will be a few days until we are entirely settled, but in the meantime, we will be able to handle your business just the same as usual.

Ollivant & Nasburg The Good Housekeeping Store Home of Pure Foods

The FAIR The Store of Economy Do not pay more elsewhere when you can buy it for less here. Come and see some of the bargains we are offering for Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

Cut Flowers and Plants THE Marshfield Florist Co. has opened a FLOWER STORE at 73 Central Avenue, in the west side of building now occupied by the Wiley B. Allen Music Co.

ALL OUR MEATS are properly ripened in our large, sanitary refrigerating plant. That's why they are so good. Careful selection of butcher stock by our buyers enables us to furnish quality all the time.

WOOD! WOOD! Kindling wood, per load \$1.75 to \$2 Alder wood, 16 to 24 inches \$2 to \$2.50

WESTERN LOAN AND BUILDING CO. Assets \$2,340,000.00 Pays 8 per cent on savings

SAVE MONEY by ordering the famous HENRYVILLE COAL Nut coal, per ton Lump coal, per ton Or half ton of both