

SPRING SALMON PACK IS ONE OF BEST IN HISTORY

Steady Run of Big Fine Fish Comes Into the Columbia River All Through the Season.

Columbia River Salmon Pack.		
Following is the pack of the various canneries on the Columbia river for both 1914 and 1915, showing the increase this year:		
	Cases—	
	1914	1915
Col. River Pkrs.		
Ass'n	95,000	125,000
Union Fishermen's		
Booth Fisheries	50,000	62,000
Co.		
Albion Pkg Co.	30,000	37,500
Warren Pkg Co.	25,000	35,000
Pack Rock Pkg. Co.	45,500	57,000
Co.		
McGowan Pkg.	21,500	32,000
Co.		
J. G. Megler &	47,000	56,500
Co.		
Tallant Grant	20,000	25,000
Pkg. Co.		
Sanborn Cutting	25,000	31,500
Co.		
F.	35,000	43,000
D. Hansen	17,000	15,000
	5,000	10,000
Totals	417,000	529,500
Mildcured pack—		
	1914	1915
C. R. P. A.	1100	880
Union F.	1250	1000
S. Schmidt Co.	700	500
Tallant Grant	200	300
Sanborn Cutting	360	300
Warren Pkg. Co.	300	225
Vandysessel Pkg. Co.	325	250
Klevenhusen Pkg. Co.	650	450
Totals	4985	3905

Astoria, Or., Aug. 20.—The Columbia river salmon pack for the spring season of 1915 will be approximately 25 per cent greater than 1914, according to figures secured from the most dependable sources in the business, and those who are in close touch with the situation. While the season does not close until next Wednesday, the catch is expected to be comparatively light, and probably halve the figures very little.

Counting the cases "as they run," it is estimated that they will total 529,500 cases, or about 20 per cent more than last year.

The season has been one of the best in the history of the industry. While there has been no big run, the fish have entered the river steadily, and fishermen and seiners alike have done well. It can be safely said that the season will leave \$1,500,000 to the fishermen of the lower Columbia river district.

Careful computation shows that the market value of the 1914 pack is close to \$3,992,500.

German Trade Cut Off.
The decrease in the mild cured pack due to the European war, which has been seriously with the business in the river, as Germany has provided the principal market for this class of fish. While there has been an unusually big pack, the salmon is well leaped up compared to this period of other seasons.

The output has been steadily moving during the past few months by water and rail to points on the Atlantic seaboard. Much of the pack has gone out in the Grace line and American-Italian line vessels.

Seiners Are Successful.
The gillnetters have been very successful during the season, but the seiners have done even better. Practically every seining ground in the river has made a record. At the Kaoh grounds more fish have been caught than at any other point in the river, and all former figures have been surpassed. The Mehan grounds have also done exceptionally well, and the Elliott grounds are among the best in the river.

One peculiarity about the present season is that the fish upon entering the river have immediately headed up stream instead of playing about the lower harbor, as is usually the case. Consequently the gillnetters and seining grounds near the mouth of the river have not profited as well as others farther up stream. Operators of river nets met with fairly good success and the trappers have no room to complain.

Large Fine Fish.
One excellent feature connected with the present season is that the fish

"Dollar Day" to Be Observed on Monday, Sept. 23

September 23 is to be "Dollar Day." Retail merchants at that time will show in every way they can think of just what a dollar will buy. As a matter of fact a dollar will buy a good deal if it is wisely distributed.

The date for this event was selected yesterday by the retail merchants' bureau of the Chamber of Commerce.

The day will be advertised throughout the retail trade district as a time of demonstration of the value of economical purchases. A large committee was appointed to carry out the campaign.

He's a Mayor in Name If Not in Fact

Albany, Or., Aug. 20.—By being appointed deputy sheriff yesterday, H. C. Moran of Crawfordville, this county, added another leaf to his wreath. Long since he had become known as the "mayor of Crawfordville." Crawfordville is a little village in the mountains of Linn county and is proud of several general merchandise stores, a postoffice and several residences. The postmaster got tired of a bundle of letters which was in the office. The address on the letters was "To the Mayor of Crawfordville." He turned them over to Mr. Moran, who was recognized as the leading man in the community and thereafter all such letters were turned over to him. In a short while he became known as "The Mayor of Crawfordville."

Two Men Hunting Missing Wives

Albany, Or., Aug. 20.—Two men have asked the local police to help them find their wives. B. W. Emerson of Cleveland, Ohio, says his 30-year-old wife left home while suffering from mental aberration. He wants her back to give her the tender care she deserves, according to his letter, which adds that "she took a \$400 diamond ring and forged a check before going."

B. L. Massey, of Big Eddy, Or., wants his 22-year-old wife back. He says she ran off with a 16-year-old boy.

Business Men Like Camp.
San Francisco, Aug. 20.—(P. N. S.)—Major J. G. Harbord, first U. S. cavalry, who has been designated to command the training camp for business men at the Presidio, today stated on authority of Colonel Swift, chief of staff of the western department, that a sufficient number of enrollments to justify the holding of the camp had been obtained and that the camp will open August 29 as scheduled.

Peaches Sent Parcel Post.
Ashland, Or., Aug. 20.—A. C. Joy of this city is sending peaches parcel post to customers and his peach orchard is giving good returns.

He is now supplying outlying districts over the state with his fancy peaches. Mr. Joy has sent out circulars in which he tells of varieties of peaches, when ready for shipment, prices, etc. Most of the circulars go to points that have no express offices.

There have been unusually large and of fine quality. Much of the large fish that have been picked heretofore have been canned, owing to the inactivity of the market for the first mentioned class of salmon.

There has been a big run of blue-back this season, but the gillnetters did not get many of these fish, as few of them are using small mesh gear. The traps, seines, and some of the men using diver nets made good hauls.

Value of Hatchery Proved.
The value of the hatchery has been manifested this year, marked fish having been noted all along the river, and in quantities as to indicate that the system is proving a big aid to the fishing industry, a state of affairs that is pleasing to all engaged in the business.

The selling prices for the spring chinook canned pack for the season of 1915 announced some time ago are as follows:

Pound talls, \$1.90; pound flats, \$2; half pound flats, \$1.25; pound ovals, \$2.55; half pound ovals, \$1.65; nominal, \$2.75; key cans, 5 cents per dozen.

There has been a decided falling off of the catch of salmon during the past two days, and another run is not expected before the season closes. The fish that have entered the river during the past few days are journeying up stream at a rapid rate. The trolliers outside the bar had poor success yesterday.

FOOD BEING RUSHED TO FLOOD VICTIMS IN CITY OF GALVESTON

People on Island Cut Off From Communication With Mainland.

ESTIMATED 200 PERISHED

Property Loss May Run Higher Than \$50,000,000, but No Definite Figures Expected Very Soon.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 20.—(U. P.)—With the actual recovery of scores of bodies and unverified reports of others being found in addition to persons who are known to be missing, indications today were that the Texas storm toll would exceed 200.

Estimates as to the property damage done by the terrific hurricane and floods are largely speculative, but it is believed the loss will amount to more than \$50,000,000 for the entire storm area.

Reports here today show that 101 persons are known to have perished in the storm. There are 155 missing, and it is feared that half of these are dead.

Supplies Being Rushed.
With the complete abatement of the storm, relief measures are being pushed to the utmost, and drinking water, one of the most urgent needs of Galveston, will now reach the island city through the causeway which connected Galveston with the mainland.

It will require three weeks to complete the wooden trestle which is to be built to temporarily take the place of the causeway which connected Galveston with the mainland.

Galveston Cut Off.
Work is to be started as soon as men and material can reach the scene, but until the trestle is complete Galveston will be cut off from rail communication as a result of the destruction of a large section of the causeway.

The loss of life in Galveston was today placed at from 14 to 20. At Texas City, 23 are reported to have perished and 19 are reported dead at Surfside. These are the heaviest losses of individuals, though more than a score of towns report from one to six deaths.

Galveston is still under martial law, with armed soldiers on duty in the streets and about public buildings and hotels. Eight bodies are said to have been sighted in the bay there.

Lighthouse Destroyed.
The destruction of the lighthouse at Surfside, 50 miles from Galveston, has been confirmed. All of the 19 persons reported to have perished at Surfside met their death when the lighthouse collapsed under the battering of the high sea and wind.

From Houston, where he has gone to aid in relief work, Governor Ferguson issued a statement, stating that outside assistance would not be needed. The governor said his information was that the loss of life was not great.

Fourteen Troopers Dead.
Washington, Aug. 20.—(L. N. S.)—The war department today received a report from General Bell that four more bodies of soldiers had been found at Texas City, bringing the total of known dead among the troops there to 14.

Marooned Near Port Arthur.
Bekumot, Texas, Aug. 20.—(L. N. S.)—Several thousand persons today were still marooned near Port Arthur. Most of the houses are surrounded by from three to five feet of water, making it difficult to get food to them.

Occupation License Planned.
Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 20.—(P. N. S.)—The city commissioners are considering here the adoption of a new license ordinance, requiring men in over 100 business and professional lines to pay license. The city attorney has been instructed to draw up an ordinance along the lines of the Portland occupation license ordinance. The new measure is intended to make up for the liquor license income which will be cut off entirely on January 1. Probably over \$100,000 will be raised by the occupation license.

Deer Reported Plentiful.
Florence, Or., Aug. 20.—A much greater number of deer hunters are out this season than ever before for this section. A number of parties have already returned successful. Among these were Munroe, Hansen and Turner who shot one buck just south of Glenada and Kenneth McCormack and W. Saffley who each shot one north of Florence, near Cape Hegets. Hunters returning from the Hegets district report that deer are plentiful there.

Year Ago in War

August 20, 1914.
Pope Pius X died. It was declared his end was hastened by grief over the great war.
Louvain, Belgium, headquarters of the Belgian army, captured by the Germans after being destroyed by shell fire.
French army in Alsace-Lorraine recaptures Muehlhausen from the Germans.
German army crosses the Meuse in Belgium between Liege and Namur. The Kaiser's two sons, Eitel Friedrich and August Wilhelm, pass Liege on the way to the German front.

Man Must Serve Out His Sentence

Earl Ross of North River, Wash., Commences His Term—Case Beginning of Celebrated Night Riders' Affair.

Raymond, Wash., Aug. 20.—Earl Ross and Mrs. Margaret Ross of North River, was placed in the county jail yesterday to begin serving out a fine of \$50 and costs, totaling over \$100, as a result of conviction on charges of assault. Young Ross, with his brother Frank, was convicted more than a year ago of assault on A. A. Bradley, an aged pioneer of North River, and a \$50 fine imposed. The case was appealed to the supreme court, which ruled adversely to the appeal. Governor Lister then granted the two men a reprieve of 30 days, later extending it for an additional 15 days. At the expiration of their reprieve, they not having paid the fine and costs, were ordered placed in the county jail. The whereabouts of Frank Ross is unknown to the sheriff.

This assault case was the beginning of the celebrated North River trouble, which finally resulted in the "night rider" cases, which attracted statewide attention.

Laborer Ends Life By Taking Poison

Quarrel With Wife Preceding Tragedy Leads to Belief Family Troubles Cause of Act.

Ed Harper, laborer, 52 years old, 6804 Fortieth avenue southeast, took carbolic acid last night about 10:30 or 11 o'clock, and died at St. Vincent hospital at 6 o'clock this morning. The suicide is said to be the result of a series of quarrels with his wife. According to Mrs. Harper, there was a quarrel after a violent quarrel last night, and she went to the house of a neighbor.

Other neighbors, through a window, saw Harper drink the poison. He came to the window and shouted to them: "I'll be dead in three minutes!"

Dr. N. G. Evans of the Mount Scott hospital, who attended Harper from 2:30 this morning, when the first call for medical assistance was sent out. Harper had a daughter, 20, and a son, 10, who live at home.

Deputy Coroner Smith is investigating the case.

Vessel Rocked by Alaska Tremor

Earthquake Carries Away 250 Feet of Pier and Threatens to Turn Over Ship.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 20.—(P. N. S.)—An earthquake which carried away 250 feet of the pier and threatened to turn the vessel over occurred at Thane, Alaska, on August 13, according to a report made by officers of the steamship Cordova, in port today. Three distinct shocks were felt, the officers report, and the Cordova rocked on the surface of the water like a chip in a tempest. Fifty tons of gold concentrates were on the pier, but luckily the portion on which the gold rested withstood the shock.

Roof Garden Smoker Highly Successful

The Progressive Business Men's club last night resumed its club activities by having a smoker at the Nortonia hotel. The event took place on the roof of the Nortonia hotel, where were arranged a big stage for vaudeville and a 100 ft. bar, where non-alcoholic fluids flowed.

More than 300 men were there and found plenty to eat, drink and smoke, besides a good time. The way of scenic femininity and much to hear in the way of song and string harmony.

LEO FRANK LAID TO REST

New York, Aug. 20.—(L. N. S.)—The body of Leo Frank, who was lynched last Monday night by a Georgia mob, was buried in Cypress Hill cemetery here today. Interment was made in the presence of the widow, her parents, a number of relatives and a small crowd of outsiders, drawn by curiosity.

School Increase Shown.
Salem, Or., Aug. 20.—According to the annual report of Superintendent Barnes, the number of children increased during the past year 276, the present enrollment being 8497. During the last school year the school terms averaged seven and one-half months and the per cent of attendance was 95.4, and the average monthly salary for male teachers was \$75.67, and for female \$60, while teachers in one-room schools received an average of \$60.

Washington county has had one rural supervisor in charge of 61 districts and he reported that 34 of his districts had modern heating plants, while in 42 districts sanitary conditions were improved.

Mrs. W. W. Davis Buried.
Albany, Or., Aug. 20.—The funeral of Mrs. W. W. Davis, who died at Corvallis Tuesday following an operation, was held here Wednesday afternoon in the local Baptist church. Mrs. Davis was 50 years of age. She was born in Chester, Pa., and came to Oregon in 1883. Mrs. Davis is survived by her husband and three children, two sons and a daughter, who are Leo and Harold Davis and Miss Ruth Davis.

Mortgage Foreclosure Suit.
Salem, Or., Aug. 20.—The Alliance Trust company, limited, of Dundee, Scotland, has instituted suit in circuit court against Fannie E. Hubbard, W. M. Welch and C. R. Welch to foreclose a mortgage on the Hubbard building, a four-story structure, corner of State and High streets, Salem, and some farm property. Plaintiff claims that there is due \$16,000 principal and several thousand dollars in interest and costs.

TAX COLLECTORS OF STATE RECEIVE THE ORDER OF COMMISSION

Delinquent Taxes Will Be Collected on or Immediately After October 5.

CONDITIONS ARE NAMED

Laws Governing Payments of Taxes and Delinquencies Throughout State Are Presented.

Salem, Or., Aug. 20.—Sections 2 and 3 of chapter 156, Laws of 1915, amending sections 3883 and 3887, Lord's Oregon Laws, are now in effect, and therefore, the tax collector is to make \$1000, as a result of conviction on charges of assault. Young Ross, with his brother Frank, was convicted more than a year ago of assault on A. A. Bradley, an aged pioneer of North River, and a \$50 fine imposed. The case was appealed to the supreme court, which ruled adversely to the appeal. Governor Lister then granted the two men a reprieve of 30 days, later extending it for an additional 15 days. At the expiration of their reprieve, they not having paid the fine and costs, were ordered placed in the county jail. The whereabouts of Frank Ross is unknown to the sheriff.

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Vital Points Given.
Where one-half of the 1914 taxes on any property was paid before April 1, 1915, the entire amount unpaid will become delinquent on September 1, 1915, and be then subject to a penalty of 10 per cent and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said date.

Where one-half was not paid before April 1, 1915, a penalty of one per cent for each calendar month or part thereof, on the total amount unpaid, accumulates during the period beginning April 1, 1915, and ending August 3, 1915. For illustration, if a tax bill as charged on the roll totals \$100 and the full amount is paid in the month of August, a penalty of 5 per cent (\$5.00) is to be added thereto. These cumulative penalties are not to be collected on or after September 1, 1915, being superadded on that date by the penalties and interest applicable to delinquent taxes.

Subject to Penalty.
Where one-half of the 1914 taxes on any property was not paid before April 1, 1915, the entire amount unpaid will become delinquent on September 1, 1915, and be then subject to a penalty of 10 per cent and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum. For illustration, the taxes as originally charged on a certain property amount to \$100; if paid in full on September 1, 1915, the total amount required would be \$110.00, a penalty of 10 per cent (\$10) and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum for 15 days (\$50) being added to the original tax.

Section 1 of chapter 156, Laws of 1915, amending section 3882, Lord's Oregon Laws, and providing in part:

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CHANGES IN Oregon-Electric Train Schedule EFFECTIVE Sunday, August 22

On the date named changes will become effective, as shown below. For complete information and time at stations, see new time cards to be issued Saturday.

Trains Discontinued
No. 51, leaving Portland 8:30 a. m., arriving Tualatin 7:20 a. m.
No. 52, leaving Tualatin 7:50 a. m., arriving Portland 8:45 a. m.
No. 53, leaving Portland 9:30 a. m., arriving Garden Home 7:55 p. m.
No. 54, leaving Garden Home 8 p. m., arriving Portland 8:35 p. m.
No. 1, from Salem to Eugene, leaving Salem 9:05 a. m., arriving Eugene 11:30 a. m.
No. 14, Eugene to Salem, leaving Eugene 11:15 a. m., arriving Salem 1:50 p. m.
NOTE—Nos. 1 and 14 will continue between Portland and Salem, as at present.

Other Changes
No. 1 will make local stops between Portland and Garden Home.
No. 6 will leave Salem 6:30 a. m. instead of 7:15 a. m., arrive Portland 8:45 a. m. instead of 9:30 a. m., moving between Portland and Tualatin on the present time of No. 52, except stops will not be made between Garden Home and Portland.
Nos. 5 and 6 (limited trains) will make local stops between Salem and Eugene, the time at Salem, East Independence, Albany, Gray, Harborside, Junction City and Eugene remaining the same as now.
Nos. 53 and 54, between Woodburn and Salem, will run daily except Sunday, instead of daily.
Nos. 9 and 15 will have direct connections to and from Woodburn on Sundays.

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that the first half of all taxes legally levied and charged shall be paid on or before the fifth day of April following, and the second half on or before the fifth day of October following, has no application whatever to taxes charged on tax rolls of the year 1914. Said section will become effective in 1915 and apply in the payment of taxes to be charged on the 1915 rolls.

Christian Science Church.
Hood River, Or., Aug. 20.—The mem-

bers of the Christian Science church of Hood River have purchased property on Ninth street and will begin the erection of a church building at once. The building committee is composed of C. O. Huelst, A. F. Howes, Frank B. Cram, Mrs. C. E. Coffin, Mrs. W. H. Chipping. The following officers will serve for the ensuing year: Frank B. Cram, first reader; Mary V. Brownlee, second reader; R. E. Scott, director to serve three years.

Plans and specifications are now in course of preparation.

Highway Workman Drowned.
Hood River, Or., Aug. 20.—Frank Balde, a laborer, working at Mitchell Point, on the Columbia river highway, while in bathing Wednesday evening, was drowned. The body was recovered near Viento and the corner of Hood River county took charge of the body. It is supposed that the drowned man took a cramp.

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