

RANCHERS LAUNCH PLAN TO IRRIGATE LARGE BAKER AREA

Baker, April 21.—The strongest move ever attempted in Baker county for the promotion of irrigation was launched here Monday evening at a mass meeting held in the courthouse under the auspices of the Baker Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting was called for the purpose of arranging for the promotion of the Powder River irrigation district, including the Thief valley and Balm creek units, on Lower Powder river, some 15 miles from Baker. Land under this project has been set aside under the Carey act, and the present move is undertaken by the farmers now on the land in conjunction with the business men of Baker to interest the reclamation service in the project and, if possible, have the work completed by the government.

64,000 ACRES INVOLVED
Practically all the survey work has been completed, and if the government can be interested construction work can be started as soon as available. The project is the largest in Baker county, which county has the largest acreage of land of any county in the state classed by the United States geological survey as susceptible of irrigation, a total of 280,000 acres. The area to be brought under water by the proposed project is 64,000 acres.

This will be under two units. The Thief valley reservoir will have a storage capacity of 140,000 acre feet water, about 40,000 acres, while the remainder will be covered by the Balm creek reservoir, a part of which has been built. Water for the large reservoir is taken from the Powder River watershed and the remainder comes from Eagle creek and the Balm creek watershed.

FARMERS RAISE FUND
At present there is about \$6000 acre of land under the project having water. About 40,000 acres is government land and the remainder of the sugbrush land is privately owned. The average elevation is about 3000 feet. The estimated cost of putting water on the land is \$100 to as high as \$115 an acre.

At a meeting of the Lower Powder River irrigation district a few days ago, the farmers of the project voted a tax of 15 cents an acre, which will raise about \$3500 toward a fund for bringing the project favorably before the reclamation service. To this fund the Baker Chamber of Commerce has agreed to add double the amount voted, making a total of \$10,000, to be expended under the direction of a committee to be named. The committee will be composed of nine members, three of whom are directors of the irrigation district.

A man should protect the home, but he can't do it by staying there on election day.

Teacher's Screams For Help Bring Rescue From Tide

Newport, Or., April 21.—Miss Della Blomberg of Devils Lake and Miss Parmele of Taft walked down the coast Tuesday to attend the teachers' institute being held here. It is a good 30 miles hike. At Otter Rock they decided to walk the railroad ties. Miss Blomberg became dizzy and took to the beach, thinking she would have no trouble to pass the danger points.

As darkness came on, the tide rushing in caught Miss Blomberg at a point where she could neither retreat nor go forward. She was forced to climb a bluff 200 feet high to make her escape.

Miss Parmele, meanwhile, became alarmed, summoned A. J. Van Wassenhove and started in the search. Hearing screams, they located the lost school teacher, who was badly frightened.

Wasco County Signs Up 285,400 Bushels Of Wheat to Market

The Dalles, April 21.—Wasco county has 285,400 bushels of its 1921 wheat crop signed up for marketing through the Oregon Cooperative Grain Growers association, according to the report made by the board of directors for the state Wednesday.

A total of 2,637,516 bushels of the crop in Oregon has been contracted for sale by the cooperative agency, according to the same report. State headquarters of the association is located in The Dalles, Morrow county. Leads in the amount of wheat, contracted, with 999,430 bushels listed. Sherman county has 729,026 bushels contracted, Gilliam 381,650, Baker 120,560, Jefferson 63,000, Umatilla 22,475, Union 36,975 and Wallowa 30,000. V. H. Smith of Wasco, secretary-treasurer of the association, is in Chicago attending the deliberations of the United States Grain Growers, Inc.

March Tax Receipts From Distillate And Gas \$64,377.64

Salem, April 21.—Receipts from the tax on gasoline and distillate for the month of March, 1922, aggregated \$64,377.64 as compared with \$32,239.65 for the month of March, 1920.

The increase in the revenue from this source is due to the action of the last legislature in providing for an additional levy of 1 cent a gallon on gasoline and 1 cent a gallon on distillate. Under the 1919 statute the tax on gasoline was 1 cent a gallon and distillate ½ cent a gallon. These combined levies now provide a tax of 2 cents a gallon on gasoline and 1½ cents a gallon on distillate.

Total taxes paid by the several oil companies operating in Oregon for the month of March, 1921, follow: Shell Oil company, \$3298; Union Oil

O. N. G. Annual Camp To Be June 16 to 30

Salem, Or., April 21.—The annual encampment of the Oregon National Guard will be held June 16 to June 30, inclusive, according to dates tentatively set by the war department.

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This information was received by the adjutant general Wednesday. The place for holding the encampment was not mentioned in the telegram. Camp for officers and non-commissioned officers of Oregon will be held at Camp Lewis starting May 14.

Teachers of Lincoln County in Session

Newport, April 21.—The Lincoln county teachers annual institute opened her Wednesday with a full attendance. R. P. Going, county superintendent; J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction; E. D. Ressler of Oregon agricultural college; S. S. Duncan, the county superintendent of Yamhill county, and R. E. Cannon, county superintendent of Benton county, were present. The session will close Saturday.

Meat Market Change
Wheeler, Or., April 21.—C. L. Alley has purchased the Handy meat market from R. E. White. White and family go to Boise, Idaho, to reside.

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<h3>Sports frocks</h3> <p><i>of rare distinction, and of the new silks,</i> offer a wealth of design! Expressed in blouse, tunic or straight line effects, many are applied in gay colors; others richly embroidered. Silk fagoting trims one delightful model, another outlines its motifs with heavy stitching. Tangerine, peach, jade, flesh, white or Copenhagen blue, or smart combinations of black and white there are—the fabrics Roshanara and Canton crepes, Tonkin and Shantung. Skirts are pleated or plain. Small leather belts vie with loose hanging sashes for popularity. Prices are exceedingly low—</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$39.00 to \$55.00</p>	<h3>Sweaters</h3> <p><i>have long Tuxedos—</i> patch pockets and loose hanging belts. All of wool, these may be had at a price in no way descriptive of their worth—\$6.95. Smart slip-on sweaters, worn so effectively by the school lass, may be had in deep brown, priced \$2.45.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$2.45 — \$6.95</p>	<h3>Scarfs</h3> <p><i>are quite dashing—</i> and oh, so soft and warm! Green, brown and turquoise, many are striped—all are fringed. These will be sold for as little as \$1.75. Also, for motoring, huge scarfs of camel's hair are quite as effective as coats. They're unusual at \$15.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$1.95 — \$15.00</p>



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