

BERRIES ARE ON MARKETS

First Gooseberries of Season Offered — Canning To Start in Few Days

Local gooseberries are already being offered in fairly large quantities in the local market. They are not all fully developed, and to pick them right now means to cut short the yield by a large percentage in some of the fields.

However, canning will start within a very few days. The Oregon Growers will send all the gooseberries this year to the Corvallis plant to be canned instead of shipping any of them out as fresh fruit. The acreage is not too large to give the growers a good assortment line of fruits if they can all their gooseberries. They expect to open the Corvallis plant for these premium acid fruits Monday, June 5.

Strawberries Need Rain

Strawberries are coming on well, though a good rain would help amazingly in filling the fruit. There never was a finer promise for berries, if they get a good rain before the present hot, dry weather begins to cut them down. Some splendid local shows were visited portions of the valley last week, especially out near Seio and the fruits in that section could not look better. Some wonderful raspberries are also growing out that way.

Strawberries are coming into the local market from California, and now sell as low as 15 cents a box. The first of the Oregon berries are already being picked for home use around Salem, and they

will come generally into the market by next week. The local commission men expect to have Oregon grown berries on sale this week.

Some Cherries Dropping
County Horticultural Inspector S. H. Van Trump reports that the cherries are dropping quite badly in some sections, enough to reduce considerably the crop that had been expected. Some orchards and localities have not been affected, though the authorities have not quite decided what causes the difference between the heavy and the light orchards this year. Pears are also reported to be rather more variable than usual. Paul Wallace, who returned this week from an auto trip to Sacramento, Cal., reports that a good many orchards along the road in both states seem to have failed to pollinate properly. However, an exceptional size and quality might be the result of a decreased number of fruits.

Logans Show Improvement
Inspector Van Trump reports that the loganberry situation is rather better than it had been reported earlier in the season. The vines will not yield a full crop—they show the impossibility of such a result, in their small number of bearing canes that do not nearly fill the trellises—but they are flourishing and the total yield ought to be very large.

Evergreens promise to be the one big money crop. They are growing like bad weeds, and setting full of the finest fruit. Only a few years ago, farmers were wishing they could buy goats enough to gnaw all the berry plants off their farms; now they'd shoot a goat if he should think evil enough of the blackberries that are in such great demand. It is reported that they are being contracted at 6 cents a pound last year the price was about 25

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Capital paid up	Income
\$500,000.00	
Net premiums received during the year	659,085.42
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	58,079.89
Income from other sources received during the year	82.97
Total income	717,165.28
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	348,044.08
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	253,617.59
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	27,586.90
Amount of all other expenditures	60,572.61
Total disbursements	690,270.78
Assets	
Deposits with banks	100.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	1,102,890.10
Loans on mortgages and other securities	62,700.00
Cash in banks and on hand	61,085.53
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1921	106,384.50
Interest and rents due and accrued	9,185.66
Reinsurance due from other companies	6,739.66
Total admitted assets	1,518,072.15
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	92,659.41
Amount of unearned premium on all outstanding risks	551,754.96
Due for commission and brokerage	1,500.00
All other liabilities	14,885.70
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$500,000	660,740.07
Business in Oregon for the year	
Net premiums received during the year	15,375.47
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	6,013.82
Losses incurred during the year	1,999.10
THE AMERICAN NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., OF PHENIX FIRE INS. CO., OF PARIS, FRANCE	
Amount of deposit capital paid up	\$200,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	909,509.41
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	51,701.67
Income from other sources received during the year	40,709.95
Total income	1,001,721.03
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	622,750.15
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	306,702.95
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	30,791.25
Amount of all other expenditures	21,108.27
Total disbursements	981,353.42
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	1,116,417.11
Cash deposits with Philadelphia	800.00
Cash in banks and on hand	84,043.58
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1921	286,181.92
Interest and rents due and accrued	14,007.92
Reinsurance due from other companies	115.40
Total admitted assets	1,488,015.83
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	162,968.77
Amount of unearned premium on all outstanding risks	747,365.49
Due for commission and brokerage	71,980.62
All other liabilities	20,900.00
Surplus	248,800.94
Total liabilities, exclusive of deposit capital of \$200,000	911,015.83
Business in Oregon for the year	
Net premiums received during the year	8,979.65
Losses paid during the year	4,745.61
Losses incurred during the year	8,697.27
PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO., OF PARIS, FRANCE	
Amount of deposit capital paid up	\$200,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	8,979.65
Losses paid during the year	4,745.61
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\$300,000.00	
Net premiums received during the year	609,878.56
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	127,531.11
Income from other sources received during the year	6,768.41
Total income	744,178.08
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	618,775.41
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	75,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	101,320.23
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	104,304.23
Amount of all other expenditures	18,769.27
Total disbursements	918,067.18
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	100,000.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	1,892,470.75
Cash in banks and on hand	148,734.98
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1921	306,329.21
Interest and rents due and accrued	18,922.10
Due from other companies for reinsurance on losses	312.59
Total admitted assets	2,275,766.90
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	101,462.00
Amount of unearned premium on all outstanding risks	151,770.26
All other liabilities	16,500.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$300,000	370,732.26
Business in Oregon for the year	
Net premiums received during the year	4,281.20
Losses paid during the year	6,337.60
Losses incurred during the year	7,817.60
AMERICAN & FOREIGN MARINE INS. CO.	
Amount of deposit capital paid up	\$200,000.00
Income	
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Judge Bingham, in passing up on the test case, issued a peremptory writ of mandamus instructing the commission to draw a warrant in the sum of \$435 for payment of Hollister's claim.

Much interest has been shown in the case by other ex-service men, as many similar applications have been made. In order to secure higher court opinion of the validity of the law, the commission will appeal the case to the supreme court.

BANGERT KILLS SELF AFTER WOUNDING GIRL

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had made several attempts to approach. While near his car, Bangert permitted E. E. Laveller, delivery car driver, to approach Miss Gruenfelder and to carry her to the delivery car, Laveller taking the wounded woman to Salem.

Bangert continued searching for his wife, beating the underbrush in an effort to locate her, spending a quarter-hour in the hunt. Shots Fired at Officer Deputy Sheriff Bert Smith, in answer to the telephone call, approached on the highway at a high rate of speed, not having been informed as to the exact location of the disturbance. Bangert, seeing the oncoming motorcycle, fired at Smith, who, because of his buttoned coat, dismounted further down the road and started back after Bangert.

Here Bangert turned the gun upon himself, the 32-20 bullet entering the heart region. He was attended by Dr. E. E. Fisher but did not regain full consciousness during the brief time he lingered at the hospital. Here Four Years Bangert came to Oregon about four years ago from Dayton, Ohio, the home of his mother, Mrs. Chalmers Snorr and two sisters, Mrs. Alma Rowe and Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald. About three and a half years ago he married Miss Hilda Gruenfelder, of Marion county. Of this marriage there is a son, Charles William, 2 years and 6 months old.

Bangert's remains will be sent to relatives at Dayton, Coroner Lloyd Rigdon announced last night. It is not thought that an inquest will be held, as the suicide of Bangert was witnessed by several persons.

UNION HISPANO AMERICANA DE SEGUROS, S. A.

Capital paid up	Income
\$400,000.00	
Net premiums received during the year	1,393,156.51
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	190,503.02
Income from other sources received during the year	216,406.40
Total income	1,800,065.93
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	1,029,590.78
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	489,116.43
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	42,763.81
Amount of all other expenditures	95,960.12
Total disbursements	1,657,431.14
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	\$2,015,838.00
Cash in banks and on hand	\$9,018.12
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1921	27,866.94
Interest and rents due and accrued	\$24,304.60
Other assets	\$25,039.59
Total admitted assets	\$2,082,019.77
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$68,819.00
Amount of unearned premium on all outstanding risks	769,727.29
All other liabilities	\$2,000.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of statutory deposit of \$400,000	\$1,416,046.29
Business in Oregon for the year	
Net premiums received during the year	4,025.11
Losses paid during the year	5,209.54
Losses incurred during the year	2,711.77
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COMMITTEEMEN FOR PRECINCTS NAMED

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LITTLE MARY'S DIVORCE GIVEN LEGAL STATUS

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