

OREGON GUARD BRINGS MONEY

Million Spent by Federal Government in two Years in State

Oregon is one million dollars richer than it was two years ago as the result of the operation of the Oregon National Guard, according to the biennial report covering the activities of the military department filed with Governor Norblad by Major General Dawes A. White, commanding general of National Guard troops in the northwest and adjutant general of the state.

This amount, which is given in round figures, represents the amount expended by the federal government in Oregon as its part in the maintenance of a partnership army and includes armory drill and camp pay for officers and men of the National Guard, pay of officers and enlisted men of the regular army on duty with the guard, foodstuffs and supplies for field camps, labor and materials for construction purposes, and other items.

Every cent of this large sum has been expended within the boundaries of the state and placed in circulation in the 21 counties where units of the guard are stationed. The cost of the guard to the state is comparatively small, the report shows, the state receiving practically \$5 for every dollar expended. In this connection, General White's report contains an interesting table compiled from national statistics which indicates that the per capita cost to the state is less than any state in the union having a similar or greater strength in troops.

More than \$130,000 has been expended by the war department in permanent installations at the field training site at Camp Clatsop, with promises from the government for the allotment of an additional \$103,000 in installations during the next few years to complete the project, the report shows. The only cost to the state is the annual rental fee of \$253. The state holds an option to buy the camp site at a very low figure, a step that General White recommends in view of the fact that the annual rental fee, if considered in terms of interest, represents an interest rate of more than 6 per cent.

SWEGLE HAS A TRAVELING LIBRARY

SWEGLE, Nov. 18 — M. C. Klemsmeier and family from Albany spent Sunday with Edwin Intg.

Swegle school received the library that it will be open to anyone in the district as well as the school children from Monday to Friday each week.

Miss Stebens and Mrs. West took the children from the primary room on a tour of inspection through Curly's Dairy Monday morning where they learned many things of interest.

James Darcy and family went to Toledo Tuesday to visit his son Merrick who was injured in the mill.

WOODBURN HAS CLASS DEBATES

WOODBURN, Nov. 18 — As a result of the final interclass debate at Woodburn high school, the freshman team won a three-to-nothing decision over the upperclassmen Monday afternoon when the final debates were run off.

The freshman team, consisting of John Espy and Dale Trullinger had the affirmative side of the question. Resolved that the chain stores are detrimental to the best interests of the American people. The juniors' team was made up of Helen Stanton.

Judges for the debate were V. D. Bain, Keith Powell and Mrs. Mochel. Mr. Otto was timekeeper.

WILL PRESENT PLAY

HUBBARD, Nov. 18 — The senior class of the Hubbard high school have worked hard and are now ready to present, "Rooms to Let," a rollicking comedy full of laughs, at the basket social which will be held at the Hubbard city hall Friday evening November 21, at 8 o'clock.

FIRST G. O. P. VICTOR IN DALLAS

Miss Helen Ackenhausen is the first successful Republican candidate for public office in Dallas, Texas. She was elected to the office of public weigh-

HAIL! HAIL! THE WOMEN OF CONGRESS



MRS. RUTH DAKER PRATT.

Election Day brought reversal of political fortune to many who had for years been notable figures in the legislation of the nation. When the next House meets, even though Democrats and Republicans are almost sitting in an even balance, it will

boast of feminine leaders of political thought and endeavor who are yearly growing in reputation of feminine legislators in the halls of the nation. They are Ruth Pratt, New York;

Edith Nourse Rogers, Massachusetts; Florence F. Kahn, Calif.; Ruth Bryan Owen, Florida; Otis Wingo, Arkansas, and Mrs. Mary T. Norton, of New Jersey.

Value of County Agent Shown to Fruit Grower; Valuable Programs Given

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the ninth of a series of articles dealing with the work of a county agent and showing his value to the farming industry. The assistance of an agent in horticultural work is explained herewith.

Oregon county agents working under the direction of the horticultural specialist co-operated in the conduct of 211 horticultural meetings attended by more than 13,000 fruit growers during the year 1929. In the campaign for the correct pruning of prune trees, 28 pruning demonstrations were conducted with an attendance of 720 prune growers. The outstanding work of the year 1929, in connection with orchard soil management and the use of commercial fertilizers. In this connection, 52 extensive fertilizer demonstration tests were established in orchards, small fruit plantings or on vegetable crops in nine counties.

Horticultural extension work is carried on in some degree by every county agent in the state. In the counties where horticulture is of major importance, it is of course, made the major activity and conducted in an organized manner. The project is headed up by one full time horticultural specialist to whom the county agent is responsible for subject matter dissemination.

The program for 1929 was built up to make progress in effecting a better balance between horticultural production and marketing possibilities, to effect standardization upon the most desirable horticultural practices, to work toward more economical production, to improve the harvesting methods, and to increase the effectiveness of marketing.

Many Group Meets Held: In the work of balancing production with marketing possibilities, effort has been made to keep horticulturists throughout the state advised on the trend of various horticultural enterprises. This was done at 24 county horticultural outlook meetings participated in by 1831 growers. At these meetings the history of the development, present status and the long time outlook of the more important horticultural products of each county was presented. In connection with this balancing of production with marketing possibilities, county agents continuously point out the fallacy of continuing to produce horticultural crops on marginal land where the yields are low and cost of production per unit is high. The good producer on good land is encouraged to increase his yields so long as the corresponding decrease in cost of production follows.

In the field of "economical production," it is found the major activity of the Oregon county agent staff. In this field is included all the activity which comes under the headings of pruning, thinning, soil management and fertilization, disease and pest control,

or when a friend wrote her name on a vacant line on the ballot. She had no opposition and had not sought the position.

Silver Falls Area Has Heavy Snow

SILVERTON, Nov. 18. — Three inches of snow was reported at Drake's Crossing, 12 miles above Silverton, Monday afternoon. Men from Silver Falls Timber company, camp 14, came out Saturday because of the snow and Monday morning a foot and a half of snow was reported there.

The report also said that snow was still falling. None of the Silver Falls Timber company camps are working now.

comprising the intimate problems which confront individual growers who constantly seek the services of the county agent in finding solutions for them.

Prune Demonstrations Profitable: In Yamhill county pruning demonstrations were held in 18 communities at which there was an attendance of 234 fruit growers. The Glenn Beagles orchard in Chehalis valley, seven years old, pruned according to the long or high-renewal system recommended by the college, produced 40 tons of dried prunes on 26 acres in 1928. As a four year old orchard, it produced 1500 pounds of dried prunes per acre. This indicates the value of these pruning demonstrations.

Four cherry pollenization demonstrations were conducted on many farms using bees to aid pollenization. An all day fruit and nut tour was held in the vicinity of Newberg in which 100 fruit growers participated. Seven brown rot dusting demonstrations to determine the value of sulphur dusting compared with liquid sulphur spray in controlling brown rot were conducted in as many communities. Constantly during the year scores of individual calls on the county agent to supply information on the control of various diseases and insect pests of fruit land vegetable crops were answered. Timely information was disseminated as to time and rate of application of sprays for the control of codling moths, the cherry fruit fly and other pests.

Seventeen other horticultural meetings were arranged, conducted or participated in by the county agent at which there was an attendance of 1300 interested in fruit growing. In addition to all forty fruit fly and other pest demonstrations established in the use of commercial fertilizers on various horticultural crops. Of these, seven were carefully designed demonstration tests which will be conducted over a period of several years.

Likewise in each of the horticultural counties in the Willamette valley county agents carried on similar work in horticulture.

Liberty Women Hearty Backers Of Health Unit

Resolutions strongly supporting the continuance of health work by the Marion county unit have been adopted by the Liberty Women's club and copies sent to the press. Dora S. Stacy, chairman of the resolutions committee, signs the following endorsement of the health work:

"Whereas the condition of health in Marion county has been greatly improved during the past few years and the death rate lowered, and

"Whereas these beneficial results have been brought about by the work of the Child Health Demonstration, and

"Whereas we believe that these results can only be maintained through the continuance of this work,

"Therefore, be it resolved, by the Liberty Women's club that they believe it would be a wise and proper expenditure on the part of this county to contribute the funds necessary for carrying on this work."

ANKENY GRANGE HAS SOCIAL MEET

SIDNEY, Nov. 18. — (Special) — The Ankeny grange number 540 held a social meeting at the Winlock hall Saturday night. Cards were played the first part of the evening, five tables of "500" being in play. High score was won by Mrs. R. H. Farr, and G. H. Mariatt. An hour of dancing was enjoyed after supper. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Belknap, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wintermantel, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Marlett, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Emmons, Mrs. N. H. Doty, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. J. O. Farr, Miss Eloise Mathews, Miss Phyllis Cole, Miss Janet Belknap, Miss Laisel Mathews, Miss Marjorie Cole, Miss Nova Emmons, Miss Ida Belknap, Miss Georgia Gilmore, Donald Smith, Ora Atkinson, Dale Bohna, Lloyd Marlett, Jake Brown, Elmo Brown, Billie Austin, Keith Brown and Miss Minnie Harris.

MONMOUTH HONORS RETIRING PASTOR

MONMOUTH, Nov. 18. — Rev. L. L. Daily, pastor for the last two years of the Baptist church, delivered his farewell sermon yesterday, after which a farewell dinner complimenting him and Mrs. Daily was held in the church basement dining room. The tables were charmingly decorated with autumn flowers, and a large attendance of members and friends of the church and personal friends of the Daily family were present. Rev. and Mrs. Daily are already located in Eugene where he is in charge of an archery concession with five public ranges operated by the A. R. Gray Amusement company.

CHURCH BAZAAR WELL PATRONIZED

SILVERTON, Nov. 18 — The Methodist Ladies' Aid society sponsored a successful bazaar and dinner Friday at the Methodist church. The society, of which Mrs. Albert Grinde is president, netted over \$80 on the affair. The committee in charge of the dinner was composed of Mrs. E. R. Adams, Mrs. E. Morrison, and Mrs. John Gebke. In charge of the bazaar were Mrs. H. J. Iverson and Mrs. George Israelson.

Brooks 4-H Clubs Active

BROOKS, Nov. 18. — The girls sewing and cooking clubs of the Brooks public school have begun their work and considerable interest is being shown. Mrs. H. H. Bosch was chosen as leader, Irene Sturgis as president, and Evelyn Atata as secretary and treasurer. Members are: Mary Clark, Arleta Wood, Hattie Aspinwall, Minnie Ogura, Evelyn Arata, Irene Sturgis, Clara Umamoto, Sumie Ogura and Evelyn Moisan. Cooking club members are: president, Norma Roberts, secretary Mary Clark; Ada Hatto, Marie Bosch, Irene Sturgis, Gladys Epley, and Daisy Potts.

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LIBERTY WOMAN'S CLUB PLANS MEET

Guests are Entertained at Various Homes in Community

LIBERTY, Nov. 18. — The Liberty Woman's club will meet at the community hall on Thursday afternoon, November 20, at 2:00 o'clock for a special meeting and social afternoon. All ladies of the community are urged to be present.

Miss Florence Berndt, who is attending the winter term of the Oregon Normal school at Menmouth, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Berndt.

Oscar Berndt is still confined at home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Clarence Holder spent Monday in Portland.

Harlan Judd, deputy in the county clerk's office, was a Corvallis visitor on Saturday. He went up to attend the O. S. A. C. and U. of O. football game.

Other residents of Liberty who attended the game at Corvallis on Saturday were Mr. John Dasch and daughter Carol.

H. H. Sinks, county sanitary inspector, was a visitor at the Liberty school Monday.

Miss Grace Taylor, district nurse for the Red Hills district spent last Friday at the school.

Mrs. Anna Robbins left Tuesday for Aberdeen, Washington, where she went to get her car which was stolen last July. On her return trip she will visit with relatives in Portland.

Miss Phillis Van Kimmel of Portland, was a week end guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Walker.

Mrs. A. B. Todd and Mrs. Dora Schoolcraft of Forest Grove were Tuesday visitors at the Robbings home. Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Robbins are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dennis of Salem and Miss Frances Williams of Detroit, Michigan, a niece of the Dennis' were Sunday visitors at the Oscar Deneer home.

ROSEDALE FOLK VISIT AT COAST

ROSEDALE, Nov. 18. — Mr. and Mrs. Way went to Florence on Monday for a fishing trip and visit with Mrs. Way's brother, Chas. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Culbertsen have sold their place here, and returned to California for the winter. Part of the Trover place has been sold, and C. Tucker and family who resided there, have moved to the Neptune house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith returned to Roseburg Monday. Mrs. Smith is employed there with the Fuller Brush company.

Several families from here attended the quarterly meeting at the South Salem Friends church Saturday.

BROOKS P. T. A. HAS MEETING

BROOKS, Nov. 18. — The regular meeting of the Brooks Parent-Teacher association was held in the Brooks school house on Friday evening, with a large crowd in attendance. Meeting was opened by singing "America," a short business session was conducted by the president, O. C. Epley, after which a good program was presented by the program committee.

Mrs. N. E. Abbott of Salem, vice-president of the Marion County Council of P. T. A., gave a very interesting talk on P. T. A. work. Local people contributed an interesting program, after which refreshments were served.

BACK AT SILVERTON: SILVERTON, Nov. 18. — Mrs. M. Cooley, who has been spending a week at Portland with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Miller, returned to Silverton Sunday accompanied by her brother, William Smith of Portland. Mr. Smith returned to Portland Sunday night. Mrs. Cooley is one of Silverton's well known pioneers.



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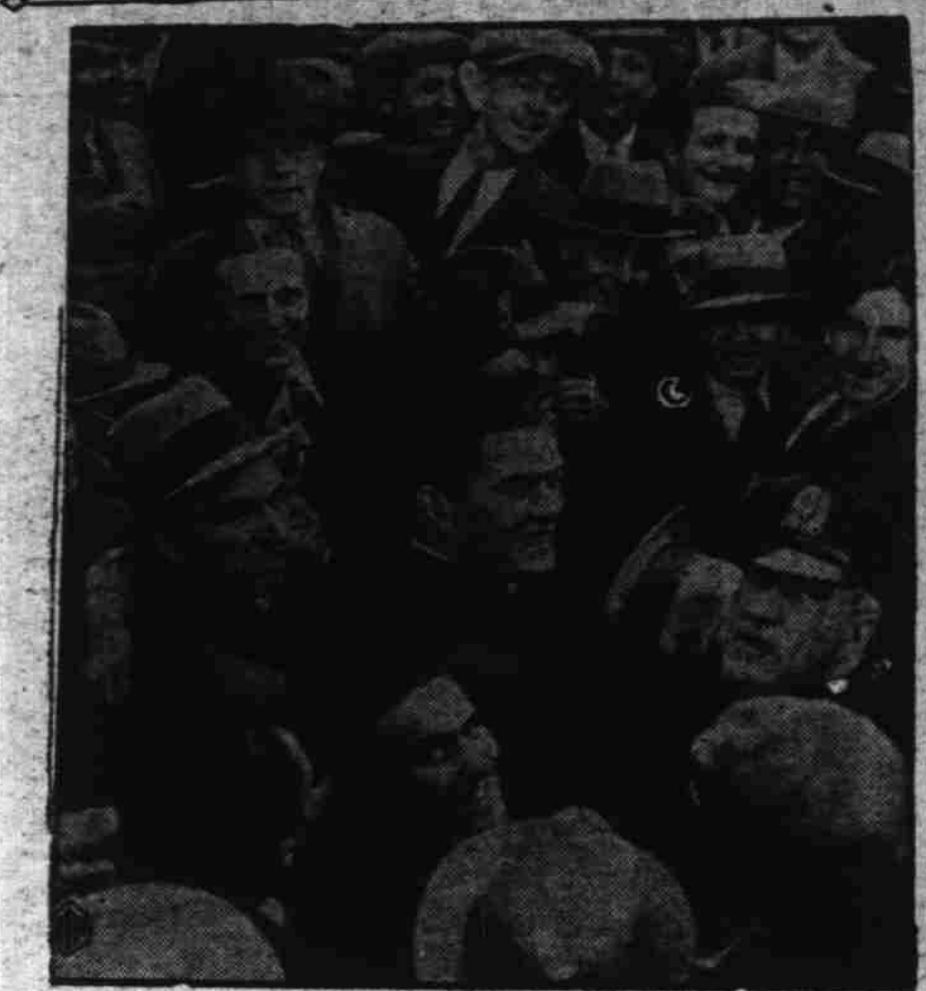
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GENE GIVES PROMOTER K. O.



Some of the throng who surrounded Gene Tunney, retired heavyweight champion, to extend their congratulations upon his legal victory over Tim Mara, sports promoter, who had sued him for \$500,000. The former ring star was said to be near collapse when the verdict was brought in.

"Hard Times" Today Are Nothing to Days of Tight Credit, Reports Bishop

"Times will get better; they always have," stated C. P. Bishop, pioneer manufacturer and merchant, in an interview Monday. "This burial of 'Old Man Depression' ceremony instigated by the local Lions club is a worthy while idea. If it does nothing more than relax the tenseness of our grip on over-conservation, it is a good thing. While some of us older men have sat back and wondered what to do about it, the young men of the Lions club have taken hold to try something. With our minds turned to thinking about what can be done to relieve depression, there is little doubt but that somebody will think of something that will help."

"I recall, during the fairly good times of 1922, we had a campaign poster: 'Vote for Cleveland and Dollar Wheat.' Well, Cleveland was elected, and along about June, 1923, things began to drop, and before it was over wheat was selling for 23 cents. Times were so hard that if a farmer drove a load of wool into Salem he couldn't sell for cash then. At that time we were supporting a soup kitchen across the street from our Salem store. The young people of today do not know what hard times meant in those days.

"Banks in Old Days Tight: "The difference in banking conditions then and now points to the real difference in times. At that time one could not borrow a dollar from the banks to carry on a business, no matter how sound. Today there is all the money in the banks people need to buy goods, pay employ-

has increased its savings deposits \$100,000 in the past three months. The banks may not have money to loan to pay debts with, but there is plenty of capital for business and industry.

"The fiddler must be paid—those that did not save up for a rainy day have had to pay. It is up to everyone to work and save while they may. This thing had to come, because everything that goes up must come down. Stocks were boosted out of all reason. Whenever stocks go above a reasonable rate of interest, the time is not far off when they will come down again.

"In the Pacific Northwest we are not in the doldrums as badly as they have been in the east. In our own line of manufacturing, for instance, we have not laid off any people, while many of the plants in the east have been operating on part time. We employ about 500 people in our plants at Pendleton, Eureka, Washougal and Portland, with another 500 people or more dependent upon them. We plan to take care of our own people; we will not allow any of them to suffer.

Good Times Coming Back: "Like the better times that followed the panic of '93, good times will return. The people of the Pacific Northwest must look to their resources of materials and manpower to push forward. We must plan our ambitions along sane paths, so that they work out. We must face the inevitable problems of life now, and not put them off until later. Save saving, sane spending, sane living—these are the elements of better times."

CENTRAL HOWELL HAS PROGRAM

Silverton Physician Tells Community Group About Hawaii

CENTRAL HOWELL, Nov. 18. — The volcanoes of Hawaii were the subject of a talk given by Dr. McCannel of Silverton at the community club meeting Friday evening. In addition to his description of the volcanoes in Hawaii the speaker also explained the alphabet and pronunciation of the Hawaiian language. The use of the blackboard in making his talk helped to make it more clear.

Dr. McCannel is qualified to talk on Hawaii as he spent two years there during the World War. Pictures he took at that time were on display.

The University of Oregon is starting a new extension service in the interests of community clubs and J. D. Bryant of Linu county told of this service to the club. Mr. Bryant very briefly outlined the four aims of the community club movement as: material, mental, moral and spiritual advancement.

Other music on the program were piano solo by Mrs. Glenn Howe; vocal solo, Mrs. Glenn Parrish accompanied by Mrs. Howe; piano solo by Paul Silke; vocal solo, Mrs. Flora Fletcher Headrick accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Simmons; recitation by Lucille Hall; vocal solo, Bessie Darkens accompanied by Mrs. Howe.

Lunch was served following the program by the refreshment committee, Mrs. J. L. Lauderback and Mrs. R. C. Ramsden.

It was decided during the business meeting that a play should be given this winter and Mrs. Clarence Simmons, Mrs. Glenn Parrish and Mrs. Robert Janz were appointed to choose a play. Frothing committee, appointed for the December meeting in Mrs. F. E. Way and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. Refreshment committee is Mrs. Jasper King and Mrs. Alphens Schar.

S. P. Station at Aurora Robbed

AURORA, Nov. 18. — The Southern Pacific station was entered either Saturday night or Sunday night. Entrance was gained by breaking a window pane in the office, which allowed the thief to put in his arm and open the window.

Only 25 pennies were taken, ticked and monies orders were not molested. Whether local or outside talent was responsible, it was undoubtedly the work of amateurs.

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