ROSEDALE HOST TO CONVENTION

Red Hills District Sunday School Group Holds Quarterly Session

ROSEDALE, May 4.—The Red Hills district Sunday school convention met in all day session at the Friends church here Sunday.

The morning address was given by Rev. Walter Shock of Woodburn and in the afternoon Rev. Edgar Busch who is holding evangelistic services at the First Church of God in Salem, gave an address on "Sunday School Evangelism".

He based his remarks on Matt. 28:19, 20, "Every teacher should be an evangelist." "Religious teaching is solution of the problem of juvenile delinquency." "The ultimate aim of all Sunday school teaching should be to bring the people into right relationship with God." One of the problems connected with Sunday school evangelism is the lack of any religious teaching in many homes. Another is the secularized and skeptical teaching received in many of the public schools.

Special Music Given

Special music was given by Rev. A. J. Haldy who sang "In the Cross of Christ I Glory", and Misses Claudine Gillespie and Dorothy Travis of Salem who so pleased the audience with their duet "Whispering Hope" that they were recalled and gave again the last stanza.

Officers for next year were elected as follows: President, Geo. Higgins of Roberts; vice-president, Lewis Judson, Salem Heights; secretary, Maxine Pettijohn of Roberts.

A collection was taken to help support an orphan in India through Miss Edna Holder, missionary.

Several ladies consented to raise asters for the Sunday school booth at the state fair this fall. A bountiful dinner was served at noon.

The Roberts Sunday school received both the attendance and collection banners. The next convention will be held at Liberty the first Sunday in November.

HUBBARD PLANS HEALTH PROGRAM

HUBBARD, May 4—A health day program and art exhibit will be held at the Hubbard schoolhouse Thursday, May 7 at 2 p. m.

The program will be given in the music room and will include entertaining numbers from the various rooms; the presentation of the Herald of Health pins to the honor roll pupils; and a demonstration of first aid by the class under the supervision of Miss Juanita Johnson, county nurse of the Hubbard unit.

The honor roll pupils are as follows: Robert Grimps, Junior Grimps, Mildred Schoor, Robert Moon, Arthur Moon, Marjorie Murphy, and Ray Aldeman, Grades 1-2; June Croisant, Barbara Cornell, Phyllis Brown, Ivan Ergish, Marie Zelinka, Shirley Grimps, Jimmie Stewart, Wallace Brown, Anna Koutney, Veona Troudt, and Jack Dempsey. Grades 3-4; Gordon Boje, Marjorie Rich, Robert Weaver, Bernice Stevens, Elliot Johnson, Richard Watkins, Herbert Schilicker, Marie Boje and Harold Wolfer. Grades 5-6: Lester Barrett, Manton Carl, Marvin Barrett, Jessie Ingalls, Edward Koutney, Howard Loney, Boyd Brown, Marion McKenzie, Bessie Ingalls, Gladys Ingalls, Eleanor Johnson, John Dimick, Helen Claypool, and Freida Voget.

The art exhibits will be in the school rooms.

WALNUTS, FILBERT CROP TO BE GOOD

Prospects are exceptionally good for a fine crop of walnuts and filberts this season, reports S. H. Van Trump, county fruit inspector who has spent most of the time the past two weeks in the orchards and fields. He has found no indications of blight or disease in the nut orchards.

The end of the week he was in Shaw, Aumsville and Turner districts, and there he found prunes also offering encouraging prospects. He says prunes grown on the hills will probably be better this year than prunes grown on bottom lands.

The April frost did some damage to berry patches in the hill sections. Strawberries are looking better now than they did for awhile, considerable cleaning having been done in the fields in recent days.

All crops will be materially benefitted by a soaking rain, sufficient to loosen up the earth's crust, the inspector says.

STATE LAND BOARD TURNOVER IS MADE

The state land department turned over to the state treasurer during the month of April a total of $56,443.77, according to a report prepared here by George G. Brown, clerk of the state land board.

Items included in the transfers follow:

Common school fund principal, $13,992.97; common school fund principal, income sources, $2,435.82; common school fund interest $31,109.52; common school fund, abstract deposits, $237; agricultural college fund principal, payments on loans, $511.60; agricultural college fund interest $778.15; university fund principal, payments on loans, $800; university fund interest, $308.18.

Rural credits loan fund principal $1077.20; rural credit reserve fund, interest, $4708.16; A. R. Burbank trust fund interest $21; J. T. Apperson fund principal, income sources, $25; J. T. Apperson fund, interest, $6; Thurston fund interest, $3.18.

PRODUCE STEADY AS WEEK OPENS

DROUGHT OUTLOOK HELPS PRICES

Frequent Heavy Rains Only Hope; Canada Conditions bad

CHICAGO, May 4.—(AP)—Despite Canadian reports of showers and some snow, wheat scored price advances today, largely owing to indications that drought perils were little if any abated.

Crop authorities asserted that only frequent heavy rains would insure an average crop of domestic spring wheat, that in many sections the surface moisture was almost exhausted, with no subsoil supply, and that in Canada the conditions were even worse. Late Canadian advices told of high winds and soil drifting.

Wheat closed nervous, ½-¾ cents higher, corn ½-1¾ advanced and oats ½-⅞ up.

General Markets

PORTLAND, Ore., May 4—(AP)—Produce exchange, net prices: Butter, extras 25; standards 24; prime firsts 23; firsts 22. Eggs, fresh extras 16; fresh mediums 14.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., May 4—(AP)—Wheat futures:

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	68	68	63	63
Jul.	59	59	59	59
Sep.	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾

Cash markets: wheat: big Bend bluestem .69; soft white, western white .69; hard winter, northern spring, western red, .66.

Oats: No. 2 38 lb white 22.00.

Millrun standard 16.50.

Corn: NoN. 3 E. Y. shipment 26.50.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., May 4—(AP)—Cattle 1555, calves 150, including 58 cattle, 19 calves direct or through, opening slow; looks fully steady.

Steers 600-900 lbs., good $7.35@7.75; medium 6.75@7.35; common 5.75@6.75. Steers 900-1100 lbs., good 7.25@7.75; medium 6.50@7.25; common 5.75@6.50. Steers 1100-1300 lbs., good 6.75@7.35; medium 5.75@6.75. Heifers 550-800 lbs., good 7.00@7.50; medium 6.00@7.00; common 5.00@6.00. Cows, good 5.75@6.00; common and medium 4.75@5.75; low cutter and cutter 2.50@4.75. Bulls (yearlings excluded) 5.00@5.50; cutter, common and medium 3.75@5.00. Vealers, milk fed, 9.00@10.00; medium 7.50@9.00; cull and common 5.00@7.50. Calves 250-500 lbs., good and choice 7.50@9.00; common and medium 4.50@7.50.

Hogs 3270, including 1064 direct or through; opening 25c lower.

Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded. Light lights 140-160 lbs., $7.00@8.00; light weight 160-200 lbs., 7.75@8.00; medium weight 200-220 lbs., 7.00@8.00; medium weight 220-250 lbs., 6.75@7.75; heavy weights 250-290 lbs., 6.50@7.50; heavy weights 290-350 lbs., 6.00@7.25. Packing sows 275-500 lbs., 5.00@6.25. Feeder and stocker pigs 70-130 lbs., 7.50@9.25.

Sheep 1130; steady, looks possible 50c higher.

Quotations on shorn basis except spring lambs. Spring lambs, $8.00@8.50; medium 6.75@8.00. Lambs 90 lbs., down, 6.00@6.50. Medium 4.75 @ 6.00; all weights, common 3.75@4.75. Yearling wethers 90-110 lbs., 3.50@4.75. Ewes 90-120 lbs., 2.50@3.00; ewes 120-150 lbs., 2.00@2.75; all weights, cull and common 1.00@2.00.

Fruits, Vegetables

PORTLAND, Ore., May 4—(AP)—Fresh fruit—oranges, navel, packed $3.60@4.50; grapefruit, Florida, $4.50@5.25; California, $3.25@3.25; limes, 5-doz. carton, $3.50; bananas, 5½c lb.

Lemons—California, $5@5.50 case. Strawberries — Oregon $3.25@3.50 for 24s; California, $2@2.25 for 20s. Cabbage—local, 1½@2c; California, 2½@3¼c lb. Potatoes—Oregon Deschutes, $1.40@1.50; Bakers, $2; local, 75c@$1; Yakima, $5@1.25. New potatoes—California garnets, 4@4½c; Texas, 3@3½c.

Onions—selling price to retailers: Oregon, 80@90c cwt; Texas new crop Bermudas, $2.75@3 bu. Seed potatoes—local, 1½@1¾c lb. Rhubarb—local, bulk, 1½@2c lb. Artichokes—60@85c doz. Spinach—local, $1@1.25 orange box.

Celery—California, $1.40@1.90 per doz.; hearts, $1.50@1.75 per doz. bunches. Mushrooms—hothouse, 50@60c lb. Peppers—bell, green, 16@18c lb. Sweet potatoes—eastern, $3.75 hamper. Cauliflower—California, $1.90@2 crate.

Beans—Texas, $5.25 per hamper. Peas—California, 7½@8c lb. Tomatoes—Mexican, $6.50 lug, repacked; hothouse, 35@40c lb. Lettuce—Salinas, $2.75@3.25 per crate. Asparagus—northwest, $1@1.25 doz. bunches.

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., May 4—(AP)—Milk—raw milk (4 per cent), $1.90 per cwt., delivered Portland less 1 per cent; grade C milk, $1.40.

Nuts—walnuts, Oregon, new, 21@25c; almonds, 22c; peanuts, 9@12½c; filberts, 18c.

Hops—1930 crop, 16½@17½c.

Poultry—(buying prices)—alive, heavy hens, over 4½ pounds, 20c; medium hens, 3½ to 4½ pounds, 15c; light hens, 13c; colored broilers, 2 pounds and over, 28@30c; white broilers, 21c; ducks, 4 pounds and over, 32c; old, 25c; colored ducks, 15c; turkeys, 25@32c.

Potatoes—No. 1 local, $1.10@1.25; Deschutes, $1.60@1.75; Yakima, $1.25@1.50; No. 2, local, 85c@$1; new potatoes, 4½@5c lb.

Hay—wholesale buying prices, delivered Portland. Eastern Oregon timothy, $22.50@23; do valley, $19@19.50; alfalfa, $15@16; clover, $15; oat hay, $15; straw, $7@8 ton; selling prices, $1 to $2 more.

Dressed poultry—selling price to retailers: turkeys, poor to good, 25@35c; ducks, 25c; geese, 18c; capons, 22@35c lb.

Salem Markets

Grade B raw 4% milk delivered in Salem, $1.50 cwt.
Butterfat at farm 21c. Salem 22c.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
Price paid to growers by Salem buyers. May 4, 1931

VEGETABLES	
Onions	
U. S. No. 1	30
Spinach, large crate	60
Rhubarb	02½
Bunched Vegetables	
Radishes, doz.	40
Onions, doz.	30
FEEDS Retail Prices	
Calf meal, 25 lbs.	1.30-1.65
Scratch, ton	30.00-35.00
Corn, whole ton	33.00 to 36.00
Cracked and ground, ton	34.00-38.00
Mill run, ton	18.00 to 20.00
Bran, ton	18.00 to 20.00
Egg mash, cwt.	1.85 to 2.25
EGGS Buying Prices	
Extras	12
Standards	13
Mediums	10
POULTRY Buying Prices	
Roosters, old	06
Broilers	22-26
Heavies, hens	16
Medium hens	12
Light hens	10
GRAIN AND HAY Buying Prices	
Wheat, western red	54
White, bu.	57
Barley, ton	23.00 to 23.00
Oats, grey, bu.	32
White, bu.	28
Hay: buying prices—	
Oats and vetch, ton	8.00-9.00
Clover	8.00-9.00
Alfalfa, valley, 2nd cutting	13.00-15.00
Eastern Oregon	19.00
Common	12.00
HOPS	
Top grade	15
Old stock	08-.10
PRUNES	
30-35	04
35-40	02¾
40-42	03¼
42-45	03¼
45-50	02¾ to .03
MEAT Buying Prices	
Lambs, top	06-.07
Hogs	07¾
Hogs, 200 lbs., up	06¾-.07¼
Steers	05½ to .07
Cows	03 to .04
Heifers	04-.05½
Dressed veal	11
Dressed hogs	10
WOOL	
Coarse	10
Medium	12
MOHAIR	
Old	15
Kid	20

Light Receipts Ample For egg Demand; Butter Firm

PORTLAND, May 4.—(AP)—Wholesale butter and egg markets opened today unchanged in tone and price. Butter was firm with moderate receipts readily absorbed by either retailers or shippers. Rather light egg receipts were more than sufficient for a lagging demand, prices were irregular and the market tone was weak.

Country dressed meats and poultry opened with steady quotations. Early receipts were light in all lines but supplies on hand were sufficient to take up the slack.

Fresh fruits and vegetables were steady throughout and featureless.

Turner Young People Picnic

TURNER, May 4.—The young people of the Christian church held their monthly Christian Endeavor social out of doors at the Peterson home Friday night. Outdoor games were enjoyed around a big bonfire. Before time to go home much fun was found in roasting weiners. Buns and lemonade made up the lunch.

Members and friends present were Misses Lillian Peterson, Helen and Helena Witzell, Josephine Gilstrap, Anna Johnson, Ruth Morris, Marjorie Pickard, Hildreth Bones, Margaret Robertson, Leone Cook, and Messrs. Ole and Walter Peterson, E. J. Gilstrap, Gerald Given, Wayne Chapman, Kenneth Bear, Kenneth Hickok, Harlan Bones, LeRoy Warner, Frank Sacks, Kenneth, Louis and Harold Fowler, Otis Brooks, Esmond Tappin, Wallace Chandler and Sam Smith.

MUSIC IS APPRECIATED

BROOKS, May 4—A special musical program was given in the Brooks community Methodist church Sunday morning with Mrs. Ray Barker in charge. The Parent Teacher association at Brooks will present a special program Friday evening at their regular meeting Friday evening at the Brooks school house, with their president O. O. Epley in charge. The annual election of officers will also be held at this time.

GUEST IN SALEM

BETHEL, May 4—Simpson Hamrick Jr., was in Salem over the week end. He was the guest of Walter Warner at the Sigma Tau fraternity house, and attended the Willamette May festival and reports a fine time.

HIGHWAY CONTRACT WINNERS REPORTED

Kern and Kibbe get job of Grading on Milwaukie-Oregon City Strip

The contract for grading the north unit of the Milwaukie-Oregon City section of the East Portland-Oregon City highway, covering a distance of 1.2 miles, Saturday was awarded by the state highway commission to Kern and Kibbe of Portland, who submitted the low bid of $40,590.10.

The contract for the middle unit of the highway, covering a distance of 3.2 miles, was awarded to the Jacobsen-Jensen company of Portland, on a bid of $30,740. Work on these two projects will get under way within the next few days, it was announced at the state highway department.

Grading of the west unit of the Douglas County-Burchard Creek-Paradise section of the Umpqua highway was awarded to Elliott and Kidd of Eugene, who submitted a bid of $37,100. This proposed improvement covers a distance of 2.3 miles. Elliott and Kidd also received the contract for grading the east unit of the highway, covering a distance of 3.7 miles, on a bid of $43,525.

Three Contracts Still Held up

Berke Brothers, Inc., of Portland, received the contract for widening 2.75 miles of the Tillamook county, Kilchis river-Tillamook section of the Oregon coast highway. The bid was $52,744.

Award of three contracts, covering projects for which bids were opened at the last meeting of the highway commission, are pending.

These projects are:

Klamath county, Terminal City-Klamath Falls section of The Dalles-California highway. Grading of 2 miles. Louis DeWitt of Woodlake, Calif., submitted low bid of $32,096.30.

Tillamook county, Kilchis river-Tillamook section of Oregon Coast highway. Grading 2.75 miles. R. L. Houck, Independence, submitted low bid of $45,795.

Umatilla county, Umatilla-Sand Station section of Columbia river highway. East unit 5.3 miles. Portland Sand and Gravel company submitted low bid of $56,750.

The contract for grading the west unit of this highway, covering a distance of 6.4 miles was awarded to O. D. Wolfe of Washougal, Wash., on a bid of $83,362.

Salem Firm Gets Polk County job

Bridge contracts awarded follow:

Douglas county — Bridge over Weatherly creek on Umpqua highway. O. N. Pierce, Portland, $11,805.

Malheur county—Bridge over Malheur river on Central Oregon highway, R. H. Jones, Baker, $15,125.

Polk county — Bridge over South Yamhill river on Salmon river highway. Roberts and Horstkotte, Salem, $10,044.

CANADIANS DISCOURAGED

TURNER, May 4. — Ronald Shelton writes to friends from northern Alberta that frost was still in the ground late in April. Mr. Shelton's parents and children, also the I. M. Stout family left the Roberts community about two years ago to take homesteads in the Canadian province, and at present find things quite discouraging. Mr. Stout and family were residents of Turner a few years ago. Ronald Shelton is wel. known in the Turner vicinity, where he spent some time on dairy farms. He is very anxious to return to Oregon.

FIRST POPPY FOR PRESIDENT

President Hoover receives the first "buddy poppy," made by the disabled veterans, from little Hazel Viola Markinson, of Easton Rapids, Michigan. The seven-year-old girl was raised up by Paul C. Wolman, Commander-in-Chief of the V. F. W., as she pinned the poppy to the coat of the Chief Executive.

DALLAS TO STAGE CONTEST TONIGHT

Finals in Declamatory Race To be Given at High School

DALLAS, May 4—The final declamatory contest for Dallas will be held Tuesday evening, May 5 between the high school contestants. This contest will cover three divisions, oratorical, humorous and dramatic. The winners in each of these will enter the county declamatory contest.

A gold medal will be awarded as a sweepstakes prize to the best speaker in the three divisions. Other prizes are donated by the following: Brown's Photograph studio, Mountain States Power company, Itemizer-Observer, J. R. Allgood, Butler's Gift Shop, Bell's Cleaners, Sterling Furniture, Retzers Jewelry Store, Kersey's Confectionery, Supt. R. R. Turner.

The program for the contest is:

"Golden Rod" ....H. S. Orchestra

Oratorial Division

"The Unknown Soldier" .....Edith Dunn

Address of Hon. Elihu Root at Unveiling of Lincoln Statue, London, 1920 ....Ormond Aebl

"New Competition" .....Arthur Schroeder

"Aliah's Holiday" Girls' Quartet

Humorous Division

"Encounter With an Interviewer" .....Dorothy Finn

"When Ma Rogers Broke Loose" .....Lydia Herbert

"At the Declam Contest" .....Evelyn Reynolds

"Jimmy Jones Studies Geography" .....Verne Arstill

"Moving Along" ....Boys Quartet

Dramatic Division

"Bobby Shaftoe" Marcell Reavis

"Danny" .....Carolyn Mellin

"A Man Without a Country" .....Ruth Petre

"A Forgotten Witness" .....Irven Peters

Musical Numbers

"Down on The Dewey Dell" .....Girls' Glee Club

"Breath of Spring" .....Girls' Quartet

"Wind Bells" .....H. S. Orchestra

MICKEY MOUSE — "Another Case of Insomnia" — By WALT DISNEY

POLLY AND HER PALS — "Stretching a Point" — By CLIFF STERRETT

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY — "Somebody's Heart is Broken" — By BRANDON WALSH

TOOTS AND CASPER — "A man to Know" — By JIMMY MURPHY