

Wheat Crop Drop in Europe Felt in U.S.

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Last season's poor wheat crop in Europe is beginning to tell in the United States, according to a U. S. department of agriculture report released Thursday.

Following the first quarter lull, the second quarter of the new fiscal year went into high gear. Farm exports met with a brisk pick-up — the best in 22 months. Total value of farm exports jumped 63 per cent from September to the final quarter. This caused an abrupt about-face in the downward trend and placed the value of the later part of the year 3 per cent above the corresponding time for the previous year.

Helping to step-up the exports was wheat, which rose 50 per cent in October from September, and was 62 per cent above October in 1953, final reports issued Thursday disclosed. However, United States exporters are having to compete keenly with other exporting countries for the larger European wheat market.

Lard and tallow exports were heavier, too, stimulated by lower prices and increased hog slaughter.

Smaller Turkey Crop Expected
Turkey growers in Oregon intend to follow the national trend and raise 4 per cent less turkeys in 1955, according to the Thursday USDA reports. If present intentions are carried out, the 1955 crop will be 1,809,000 compared to a preliminary estimate of 1,884,000 raised in 1954. The decline is expected to be entirely in the light breeds which show a drop of 42 per cent in intentions. An increase of 6 per cent is indicated for heavy breeds. The national drop in light breeds is 11 per cent less than in 1954. About 27 per cent of all the turkeys raised in the entire country this year are expected to be Beltville White and other light breed birds, compared with 30 per cent in 1954.

Prices to Vary
If the actual number of turkeys raised varies from the January intentions, the difference will come about because of prices of feed, supply and prices of hatching eggs and pouls, all of which are expected to vary some as the season advances.

Prices received by growers during the last half of 1954 averaged 15 per cent lower than during the

Spelling Clinic Draws 60 to Oregon State

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—A spelling clinic, set up on a no-credit, voluntary-attendance basis, drew 60 students this week at Oregon State college.

It was arranged by Mrs. Faith G. Norris, assistant professor of English, as a service to students. They took advantage of the service to the point that the class had to be divided into two sections.

Each section will receive one hour's instruction each week this term. One section will meet at 5 p. m. after classes are over and the other right after noon.

Mrs. Norris, who is writing a grammar-spelling book with another staff member, Stanley Clays, plans individual diagnostic tests to determine spelling difficulties. Her lectures will emphasize methods of overcoming the most common spelling problems.

Ninety percent of the 60 students who appeared for the first class were men and most were juniors and seniors.

Patterson Picks New Retirement Representative

William P. Stalnaker, Portland, was appointed by Gov. Paul Patterson Thursday to represent the public on the public employees retirement board.

He is treasurer of Standard Insurance Co., and succeeds W. C. Schuppel, Portland, who resigned.

W. I. West, Corvallis, was named to represent the Oregon State College School of Forestry on the advisory committee for the Oregon Forest Products Laboratory. He succeeds Dean Paul M. Dunn, who resigned.

last half of 1953, while feed prices averaged about 2 per cent higher, resulting in a less favorable turkey-feed price relationship.

There were fewer strawberries in freezers on Jan. 1 of this year than last, but more raspberries. Stocks of frozen strawberries totaled close to 11 million pounds less than a year earlier, as 1955 got underway. Blueberry stocks are large, about 80 per cent above a year earlier. Stocks of Young, Logan and Boyesen berries left in freezers this January are just about the same as a year earlier.

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Benton E. Loucks, 22, mill worker, Mill City, and Ada Ann Johnson, 21, telephone operator, McMinnville.

John Leland Jarvis, 24, printer, 215 S. Winter St., and Carol Lucille Scott, 20, laboratory assistant, 745 Ferry St.

CIRCUIT COURT

Carl Wendt vs. Glenn O. and Ethel A. Burrig: Plaintiff makes motion asking that judgment which favored defendants be set aside and new trial granted; plaintiff alleges court erred in handling of case.

State vs. George W. Carl: Defendant bound over to the grand jury on a charge of attempted rape; bail set at \$2,500.

Fred Hoffstadt, by Maxine Hoffstadt, guardian, vs. Max S. and Jane Doe Nettleton: Plaintiff seeks \$3,132; alleges dog owned by defendants bit him, leaving permanent scars on his right leg.

Walter and Edna Russell vs. Richard A. and Ernestine A. Pedersen. Case dismissed with prejudice.

Donald E. Tschirter vs. Rozella M. Tschirter: Plaintiff granted divorce.

Lee and Helen Dorothy Dow vs. Joseph J. and Leona M. Schaffers; James and Rita H. Stucklik: Plaintiffs seek judgment of \$16,000; allege that amount is owed by defendants Schaffers on mortgage and promissory note; plaintiffs further ask that mortgage be foreclosed.

State of Oregon, by and through Liquidators, a corporation, vs. Clyde and Jane Doe Riley: Clyde Riley ordered to appear Feb. 21 to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court.

State vs. Donald Godsey: Defendant released on own recognizance; charged with non-support.

PROBATE COURT

Millie L. Donald and Johnny Hampton guardianship estate: Order authorizes sale of real property in which Donald Hampton has an interest.

Ferin I. Elder estate: Order appoints William L. Elder administrator.

Roscoe Shelton estate: Final account hearing set Feb. 26.

Alma Crabtree estate: Order admits will to probate and appoints Charles Robert Montgomery as executor.

John W. Merrifield estate: Supplemental final account approved. Donna Lorraine Senske guard-

Suit Demands Foreclosure Of Property

A complaint filed in Marion County Circuit Court Thursday asks for a judgment of \$16,000 from a couple which, the complaint states, failed to comply with the terms of a promissory note and mortgage agreement.

Lee and Helen Dorothy Dow, plaintiffs, say that amount is due from Joseph J. and Leona M. Schaffers, named as defendants.

Involved in the mortgage are some 72 acres in the Pudding River area, alleges the complaint, which asks that the mortgage be foreclosed and proceeds from sale of the land applied toward the plaintiffs' judgment.

The land was mortgaged to guarantee payment of a \$20,000 note, says the complaint. Also named as defendants are James and Rita Stucklik, who the Dows say also have claim to the land. The complaint asks that the Dows' claim be declared paramount.

New Jewelry Firm Planning March Opening

Remodeling of the lower floor of the Nelson Building on N. Liberty and Chemeketa Streets will be completed by early March, a representative of Weisfield's Inc., which will occupy the space, said Thursday.

The representative, H. R. Rendahl, Seattle, said the store contemplates a mid-March opening in the completely renovated building.

D. W. Flaks, manager of the firm's Klamath Falls store, has been named to the managerial position here, Rendahl said.

ianship estate: Order authorizes sale of real property in which minor has an interest.

Louise Bertha Penton estate: Order appoints Robert F. Davey as administrator.

Lillian C. Ramage estate: Order authorizes sale of real property.

Andrew A. Lee estate: Order admits will to probate and appoints Paul A. Lee as executor.

DISTRICT COURT
Blaine William Cooper, 19, of 1254 Eighth St., and George Vernon Eigin, 18, of 853 S. Commercial St., both plead guilty to charge of larceny, to be sentenced Jan. 21; bail set at \$50 on each.

Burglars Rob Wooden Shoe Restaurant

Burglars took an estimated \$40 from the Wooden Shoe restaurant, 1301 Broadway, before the establishment opened Thursday morning, city police reported.

The theft was discovered by Mrs. Ethyl Brown, 2217 State St., a waitress at the restaurant, when she reported for work about 5:15 a.m. She told police the thieves had smashed a window to get into the restaurant.

Mrs. Berendina Verhagen, proprietor of the restaurant, lives in an apartment above the establishment. She reported she had heard no unusual noises during the night.

Police said the burglars had rifled two cash registers but had taken nothing else. They said they had discovered a partial fingerprint that might have been left by one of the thieves.

Police Receive Hit, Run Report

A minor hit-run traffic accident was reported to Salem police early Thursday by Clair E. Newman, 2296 Lee St.

Newman said his car was struck from the rear by another car Wednesday night after he stopped for a traffic signal at the intersection of Summer and D streets. The other driver failed to stop after the collision, Newman told police.

A tail-light lens was broken on his car in the accident, Newman reported. He gave police the license number of the other car.

Bang's Disease Reported Down

The Oregon Agriculture Department said Thursday that Bang's disease in cattle was not quite so frequent last year.

It tested 295,000 cattle, and found only .548 of 1 per cent had the disease. The percentage in 1953 was .65 of 1 per cent.

Enrollment at OSC Gains

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—An 11 per cent increase in enrollment this winter term over a year ago is reported by Oregon State college.

Enrollment has reached 5101, which is 519 more students than the 4582 total at the same time a year ago. It is the highest winter term registration since 1950-51.

Biggest gains are in the freshman class, 15 per cent, and sophomore class, 33 per cent up from last year. Veterans registration swelled by returning Korean servicemen is 813, compared to 581 last winter term.

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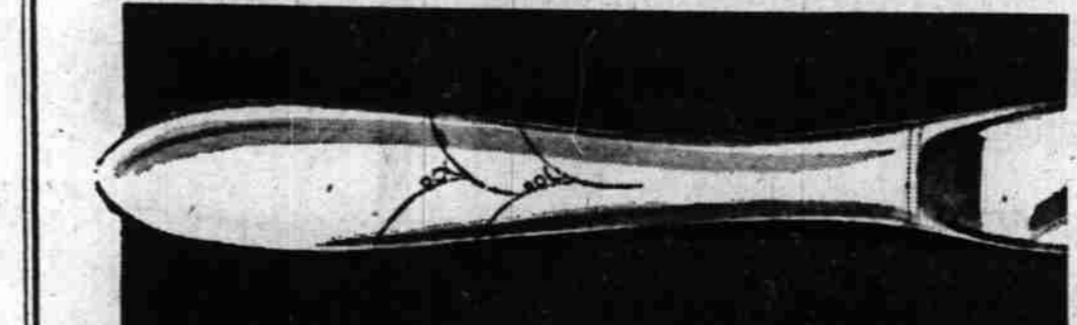


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