

Rice Growers Of California Seek Market

Two Million Sacks of 1920 Crop Is Yet on Hand; Large Losses Faced.

San Francisco, March 2.—California rice growers who raise the second largest crop of rice in the United States, have a surplus of approximately 2,000,000 bags of paddy rice on their hands.

The normal California rice crop is 4,000,000 bags. Estimates vary as to the loss occasioned by early seasonal rains, but Robert Mason, secretary of the Rice Growers' association, of California, is authority for the estimate of 2,000,000 bags.

The Rice Growers' association of the Sacramento valley has set a price of \$5.25 per hundred pounds, which they claim is the lowest that they can sell their crop and even hope to come out even.

The present mill quotations range around \$4.75 to \$4.80 a hundred, with but few sales reported at those prices.

The growers are holding their crop in hopes that some way may be found to sell it at figures which will pay the cost of production.

Only a small fraction of the 2,000,000 or more bags of paddy rice raised in California this year have been sold. Secretary Mason said today. "The rice growers face a serious situation. The California rice crop matures early and is usually sold in October and November. Today it is still in the growers' hands and the Oriental crop is coming in rapidly.

With this vast rice crop stored in the Pacific coast warehouses, and with idle shipping board ships in San Francisco harbor, the growers are urging that supplies of this rice be purchased with the Chinese famine relief fund and shipped to the famine districts.

Hazel Green Notes: Hazel Green, March 2.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, of Powell Prairie, visited at Jake Johnson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis and children, Homer, Wilma, Helen and Sanford, went to Newberg, Sunday to visit their friends, the Dotsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rogers have returned from Salem to the ranch. August Zielenki is staying with his daughter, Mrs. Max Woods, and cutting wood on Pudding river.

Mr. and Mrs. Lukinbeal, Mr. and Mrs. William Hawkins, Mrs. P. Williamson and small children are Robert Johnson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Zielenki had her tonsils removed this week. James Wilson went to a place at Peak Saturday. He was accompanied by Messrs. Emory and Walling who are going to purchase the timber.

P. Waldo Davis will give a concert at the Hazel Green school house, with his triple-toned golden chimes on Friday evening March 4 at 7:30. A reading and vocal numbers will be furnished by local talent. Mr. Davis's son accompanies him on the piano.

Jury Awards Man \$50,000 in Stirring Alienation Suit: Roseburg, Ore., March 2.—Convicted that the story of J. C. Carter and his wife was true, the jury in the alienation suit brought by Mr. Carter against Dr. R. L. Hall of the Sutherland sanitarium, late Saturday afternoon awarded a verdict in favor of Mrs. Carter.

Father Thomas of the Mt. Angel College, has been receiving a visit from his brother. Mrs. Benter of California has been visiting at the Wells home in this city.

The Mt. Angel Court, K. of C. held a smoker in Silverton, one evening last week and many members were in attendance.

Mrs. M. Stuppel of McMinnville is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Flying Squadron Adjusts Claims of Woodburn Vets: Woodburn, Ore., March 2.—The ex-service men of Woodburn and vicinity had their claims against the government adjusted when the "Flying Squadron" visited the city on Saturday.

The "Flying Squadron" is a group of men formed at the inauguration of the American Legion of the state, for the purpose of visiting all the Legion Posts in Oregon and adjusting the claims of all ex-service men, irrespective of whether they belong to the Legion or not.

Man Sentenced For Being Drunk: The Dalles, Ore., March 2.—The old adage concerning a "third time being the charm" has been reversed in The Dalles, at least in the case of Jim Powers, laborer.

Journal Want Ads Pay: JOURNAL WANT ADS PAY

Bringing Up Father — By George McManus.



Flirting With Death



Miss Marjorie Hallick, seventeen, pretty San Francisco dancer, practicing the art of balance on the steel girders of a building, 120 feet above Market street, San Francisco.

Mt. Angel Store Saved From Ruin By Fire Fighters

Mt. Angel, Ore., March 2.—At an early morning fire in rooms over the P. N. Smith furniture store a few days ago the citizens of Mt. Angel had an opportunity to see the real value of a chemical fire truck and a good fire company.

Pay Advance Is Refused; Linn Co. School Head Quits

Albany, Ore., March 2.—Mrs. Ida M. Cummings, county school superintendent of Linn county, has resigned her position with the county court, to take effect April 1.

Coos Bay Mills Now Operating

Roseburg, Ore., March 2.—E. E. Rorapugh, bond dealer of this city, who returned from the Coos Bay territory, says that quite a number of the sawmills on the coast are in operation.

Yamhill Y. M. C. A. Has New Secretary

McMinnville, Ore., March 2.—Byron Kenworthy has accepted the call as secretary of the Yamhill county Y. M. C. A. When H. B. Dorris, for reasons of health, resigned as county secretary.

Tanlac Overcame Her Troubles Year Ago and She is Still in Splendid Health—Gains Fifteen Pounds

"A year ago this February Tanlac restored my health and I have felt just splendid ever since," declared Mrs. Wm. Buchholz, 2987 Silver Beach avenue, Bellingham.

Women Flunk When Called To Examine Evidence In Case

London, Mar. 1.—Women's much vaunted curiosity flunked in the jury box here when given the first acid test. Just what attorneys, judges and even preachers predicted happened.

Roseburg Farmer Charged With Theft

Roseburg, Ore., March 2.—Worren Welkin, a young farmer residing near Coburg, is under \$500 bond for the alleged theft of three automobile wheels and four tires.

Two Men Held on Burglary Charge

Eugene, Ore., March 2.—Howard F. Belling, who says his home is at Baker, Ore., and Taylor H. Nichols, of Portland, are in the Lane county jail.

May Have Long Wait

London, Mar. 2.—At a meeting of the Swansea health committee, held to discuss the question of providing sanitary junk cans for the residents, it was decided to adjourn the question until the corporation report part of the German indemnity.

Humoldt sets down the Draconia Draco (a tree) at Orotava, in Tenerife, as one of the oldest inhabitants of the earth.

The percentage of oil in black mustard seed is 15.

Bellingham Woman Says It's Wonderful

"My digestion was so poor that nearly everything I ate turned against me and my stomach seemed to stay sour and upset all the time. Often there was a tight, distressing feeling in my chest, and my heart palpitated till it made me dizzy. I suffered a lot from constipation and headaches. I slept poorly, fell off in weight and was so discouraged I hardly cared whether I lived or not."

Crabtree Logging Road Maps To Be Ready Soon, Report

Crabtree, Ore., March 2.—L. E. Stalker and his crew of engineers who have been employed surveying, east of here, for the proposed road of the Hammond Lumber company, left Sunday for Astoria.

Session Laws of 1921 Will Take Up Over 400 Chapters

The session laws of 1921 will occupy a total of 412 chapters against a total of 438 required to accommodate the legislation enacted by the session of 1919.

Pimpily? Well, Don't Be

People Notice It. Drive Them off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets.

Trainloads of Bargains

Advertisement for 'THE PEOPLES CASH STORE' featuring 'A Sale of Sales' and 'Our Back From Market Sale, Saturday March 5th'. Includes an illustration of a train and a map of Oregon.

Advertisement for Swift Refrigerator Line, featuring 'IT FILLS THE NEED' and 'When your doctor decides that you need Scott's Emulsion'. Includes an illustration of a man carrying a large fish.