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\$32,000,000 APPROPRIATED TO OREGON DURING THE PAST SEVEN YEARS

More than \$32,000,000 in federal appropriations and authorizations for the development of Oregon's resources and industries have been secured for Oregon during the seven years that Senator Charles L. McNary has been in the United States Senate.

This stupendous amount, \$32,024,587 to be exact, has been gained largely through the perseverance and influence of Senator McNary by virtue of his powerful positions with major committees of the Senate, his standing with the administration and the leaders in constructive legislation; and, by reason of this prestige, gained in recognition of his ability, fitness and close application to duty, he is now in position to secure even greater service for Oregon in the future.

How Money is Expended

Of the aggregate appropriations secured for the benefit of Oregon: \$9,005,782 was obtained for the improvement of the rivers and harbors of the state.

\$250,000 for the survey and preliminary work in connection with the establishment of a submarine and destroyer naval base on the lower Columbia river.

\$8,023,000 was procured for irrigation and reclamation. \$100,000 for the survey of the Columbia basin project and \$50,000 for the survey of the Umatilla Rapids power project.

\$7,329,322 federal aid for the construction of roads and highways. \$3,808,828 for forest roads and trails.

\$2,722,468 federal aid for post roads in the National Forests.

Besides these major items he has secured appropriations of \$50,000 for airplane service, in the protection of the forests from fire and divers sums, amounting to thousands of dollars, for establishing a government forest station for the Rogu River Valley and Southern Oregon.

broadcasting of daily weather, market and crop reports to the farmers; expert investigation into the broom, coal, cranberry, walnut and fiber; and fruit industries in order that the Oregon producer may get his products to market in competition with other states and countries.

Appropriations Authorized

As chairman of the Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, Senator McNary has secured authorization for expenditures of Oregon projects for the fiscal year 1924-1925:

\$940,000 for continued construction of the McKay Dam and Umatilla irrigation project.

\$695,000 for continued construction of the Klamath project.

Only New Projects Since War

Notwithstanding the strict embargo placed by Congress and the Department of the Interior upon federal aid for new projects and for the curtailment of expenditures for the benefit of existing enterprises the appropriations procured for Oregon industries have steadily increased since 1917, when Senator McNary took his seat in the Senate.

In 1921 he secured \$400,000 for the survey of the Deschutes irrigation project in Jefferson county; in 1922 he secured \$400,000 for the survey of the Baker irrigation project, and, during the present session of Congress he secured an appropriation of \$500,000 for the development of the Baker project.

This is the only new irrigation project that has been recognized and established in any state since the war.

THICK CREAM IS BENEFIT TO FARM AND FACTORY

"The advantages of thick cream are mutual to the farmer and the manufacturer," said B. D. Chappell, professor of dairy manufacturing, "cream separators, if properly operated skim thick cream as efficiently as they will cream with a smaller amount of butter-fat."

Thick cream has a lower percentage of milk serum than thin cream and because of this does not spoil as quickly. This may be taken advantage of by the farmer who can not bring his cream to the creamery very often. According to Professor Chappell, proper skimming of the cream is not objectionable, but when it is soured at random undesirable odors and over-ripening may occur, resulting in poor quality butter.

"Thick cream being lighter than thin cream lessens the express charges for the farmer and reduces the bulk for the creameryman to handle. As manager of the O. A. C. creamery, Professor Chappell has found that thick cream pasteurizes more efficiently, and larger amounts of starter may be used, which aids in controlling the flavor of the butter. The containers used are reduced in size and numbers, making less work sterilizing and washing them.

"For proper churning, the cream should not be less than 30 per cent butter-fat," declared Professor Chappell. "When the cream reaches the creamery it should be in such condition that it can be handled to the best advantage and churned exhaustively. These conditions are all important in making the farm dairy profitable."

NSW FOOTBALL MENTOR MEANS NEW STYLE PLAY

Corvallis—A style of football new to the west will come in with the advent of the new coach, Paul J. Schillinger of Lombard college, at O. A. C. The new mentor is a disciple of the mighty Knute Rockne and uses the balanced line, huddle signals and screened attack, made famous by Notre Dame.

This style of play has been used by Schillinger for three years at Lombard, a small institution registering some 150 men. From this meager group the new coach built up teams that played most of the small colleges and some of the big ones for a total of 24 games, winning 22, tying Detroit and losing to Notre Dame. His teams riddled up a total of 890 points against 69 for all opponents. The Notre Dame score was 14 to 0.

Schillinger will coach varsity football and help with other intercollegiate and all intramural sports. He signed a three-year contract at a salary of \$5500 the first year and \$6000 thereafter, which will be paid by student fees and admission charges. The amount will assist in paying the money.

Direction of the work of physical education for men will be segregated and given to V. A. Kearns, director of recreation extension at Oakland, Cal. Kearns will have charge of all work in physical education for men—intercollegiate and intramural athletics and gymnasium courses.

The new director is widely known for his success in sports and recreation work in peace and war times. He is a trained official of football games and other sports and officiated at the last game the college played against the University of California under Coach Joe Pinal.

WELLING OF FARM FLOCK IS BIG STEEP TO SUCCESS

Improvement of the farm flock is one of the longest steps to success in the business. It is associated with intelligent care, should be considered by every sheep owner.

In culling there are several things that must be considered. It should first be remembered that about two-thirds of the return from an ewe comes from the lamb crop and one-third from the wool. The ewe can produce a good crop of both in a year. She is not likely to produce as much wool together with the lamb crop as she will without the lamb.

As the lamb crop gives the most return it is given the first consideration when culling. A good type is most desirable. It is desirable to cull the ewes with weak backs or eddy backs.

Ewes with long legs, shallow loins and weak constitutions are off type and are not good lamb producers. Underfoot and overfoot mouths are undesirable from the standpoint of food feeding ability and it is best to get them out of the flock.

When it comes to wool production it is sheep that produce light, frousy wool, lacking in density, or those producing wool with too much variation in the size of fibers should be removed from the flock.

Fine wool sheep that produce patches of black wool on any part of the body, also those producing wavy hairs should be culled. Kems usually found around the face, orelegs and thighs.

By culling the flock on this basis and mating the ewes saved with a ram that combines good type and heavy fleece, the farmer soon increases the average return of his flock.

EXPERIMENT STATION NOTES

(Feed More Hay) If every farm on the project had a sign painted on the front gate: "No Hay For Sale" the results would come nearer solving our problems than any other one factor could possibly exert.

University of Oregon Helping in Editorial Contest

University of Oregon—The University of Oregon school of journalism is working with the Oregon State Editorial Association and the Associated Industries of Oregon in the promotion of a contest for the best editorial or article published in any Oregon newspaper on the benefits of patronizing Oregon industries and hometown merchants. Dan C. Freeman, of Portland, manager of the Associated Industries, is offering a prize of \$100, and the winner will be announced at the state editorial convention at Tillamook next July. The committee in charge of the contest is: Hal E. Hess, president of the Oregon State Editorial Association; George S. Turnbull, of the school of journalism faculty, and Mr. Freeman.

Political Notice

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for Joint Representative for Umatilla and Morrow counties in the coming Primary Election, subject to the will of the Republican voters in such counties.

WILLIAM B. BARRATT.

OREGON RECEIVES MORE THAN NEIGHBOR STATES

Salem, Oregon—With "tax reduction, farm relief, law enforcement, and Oregon development" as his campaign slogan, United States Senator, Charles L. McNary today filed with the secretary of state his declaration of candidacy for re-nomination in the May Republican primary.

Senator McNary's completing his seventh year in the senate, and during his term of office has accomplished more for Oregon than any senator in its history.

In fact United States Senator George H. Moses, Republican leader in the senate from New Hampshire, declares that Senator McNary "has accomplished more during his tenure in office than any western senator."

Since Senator McNary entered the senate Oregon has received appropriations from the government totaling the grand sum of \$29,789,819. It has received \$9,255,762 for its rivers and harbors, which is \$5,563,228 more than Washington received and \$59,617 more than California received during the corresponding period.

It has received \$9,808,000 for its reclamation and power projects, which when reduced to an irrigable area basis is approximately \$47 per acre for Oregon, which is \$25 per acre more than Idaho received, \$7 per acre more than Washington received, and \$14 per acre more than California received.

It received \$11,138,167 for its public roads, forest roads and trails which is \$1,691,254 more than Washington received, and \$1,350,962 more than Idaho received.

In addition Oregon received during the seven years Senator McNary has been in the senate an appropriation of \$57,500 for agricultural relief, \$50,000 for an airplane service for forest protection, and \$30,000 for the extermination of pine beetle.

Within the last few days Senator McNary also has been successful in passing in the senate his bill appropriating \$50,000 for a forest experiment station to be located in Oregon.

During his term in office Senator McNary has done more for the agricultural, horticultural, and livestock interests than any man in the senate. As a leader in the tariff bloc he secured a protective tariff on farm products including eggs, prunes, walnuts, filberts, maraschino cherries, cream, butter, butter substitutes, cheese, choice substitutes and other commodities. He secured appropriations for experts to make a study of the walnut, pear, apple and broccoli and cranberry industries, appropriations for frost stations, and broadening of market reports. He secured an amendment to the war finance act authorizing the advancement of funds to the farmers and livestock men so that they could carry their products until they could be sold. He also drafted, introduced, and is now championing the McNary-Haugen bill.

He has introduced and has pending a bill to perpetuate the country's forest resources, and which will materially reduce taxes by doubling the state's revenue from the sale of timber from its national forests.

BILSTER RUST—A MENACE TO THE WESTERN TIMBER

Great investments in the lumber industry, the means of making a living by thousands of men, and the unequalled beauty of the western forests—these are endangered by the appearance in the West of the white pine blister rust, according to a new United States Department of Agriculture motion picture, "Blister Rust—A Menace to Western Timber."

The film is in two reels. It shows the progress of the blister rust from Europe to America, its spread in the forests of the Northeastern States, and the destruction it wrought there and finally its appearance in British Columbia, and later in Washington State. Attention is centered on the destruction of black currants as the most practicable control measure, together with observance of the quarantine regulations forbidding shipments of carriers of the disease from west of the Mississippi River.

Some of the big lumbering operations and lumber mills of the West, together with some of the most wonderful scenery on this continent are seen in the film, which is a contribution to the Department of Agriculture's educational film service from the Bureau of Plant Industry.

The film will be circulated through the educational film service of the Department of Agriculture and the cooperating state institutions. Copies may be borrowed for short periods, the only cost being for transportation, or may be bought by authorized institutions at the laboratory charge.

TO TRADE FOR IRRIGATION

ranch, 71 acres firm River Bottom land in high state of cultivation on Rock road, 3/4 mile to school, 1 1/2 miles to Cooperative cannery. W.A. Umvancouver, Rt. 1 Dayton, Ore.

FARM POINTERS

(From O. A. C. Experiment Station.)

Germination tests of seed corn grown on the farm are being made now before the planting season is at hand. Knowing the germinating percentage of the seed will help in obtaining a full stand of corn. It is essential that seed corn which is purchased be of good variety and high germination. Minnesota 13 is recommended by the farm crop department at O. A. C. as a good variety for western Oregon.

Potato scab and Phytophthora are controllable by treating the potato seed with corrosive sublimate previous to planting. The quick solution is four ounces of corrosive sublimate dissolved in one gallon of hot water. Adding 29 gallons of water makes up the standard dipping solution. The seed is soaked for one and one-half to two hours. The solution may be used as long as it is clear, usually for five or six treatments. Wood or earthen vessels are usually used as containers for the solution.

Oregon livestock owners are learning the value of growing their own feed as largely as possible. This means more barley in most counties, more alfalfa, clover, peas, vetch and permanent pasture in western Oregon. Doubling the corn acreage will cut out the annual importation of 1500 to 2000 cars of corn, and vastly reduce the purchase of mixed feeds. These are some of the important changes in farm practices advocated by the college farm crops department.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, March 11, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Victor Rietmann, of Ione, Oregon, who on October 28, 1920, made Homestead Entry No. 922002, for all of Section 26, Township 2, North, Range 26 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Gay M. Anderson, United States Commissioner, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 24th day of April, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Claude Finley, of Lexington, Ore.; George Gorgor, of Ione, Ore.; Werner Rietmann, of Ione, Ore.; F. Krause, of Echo, Ore.

J. W. DONNELLY, Register.

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REV. B. S. HUGHES, Pastor.

For County Judge

To the Republican voters of Morrow county: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination at your hands for the office of County Judge at the primary election in May, 1924. My experience of many years as county commissioner makes me conversant with the duties of the office I seek, and I shall greatly appreciate your support at the primary and for all past favors, I thank you kindly.

G. A. BLEAKMAN, Hardman.

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