

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union

The second annual Hood River county poultry show was held in Hood River.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the Midway grocery and the House Electric Shop in Milton.

The coast fork of the Willamette river was frozen over last week for the first time within 25 or 30 years.

Christmas turkeys brought Douglas county growers 32 1/2 cents a pound with a few lots purchased at 33 cents.

Fir Grove school building of school district No. 114, near Oregon City, was destroyed by fire caused by a defective flue.

Two fires causing a loss of more than \$5000 and the destruction of two houses, were results of the cold spell at Ashland.

Will Church, United States commissioner, and Mrs. Church were burned to death in a fire which broke out in their home at La Grande.

Ice on Ewauna lake in Klamath county six inches thick has brought about the temporary shutdown of the mill of the Ewauna box factory.

The government has been asked to pay Astoria the sum of \$7496, representing the cost of street improvements near the postoffice building in that city.

Twenty-three horses, the last in the street cleaning bureau, will be retired by the city of Portland within 90 days when the entire bureau has become motorized.

The state irrigation securities commission refused to certify bonds of \$98,000 for the Shasta View irrigation district and \$96,000 for the Malin irrigation district.

Fire destroyed the interior of the factory section of the Portland Vegetable Oil Mills company, in the North Portland industrial section, and did \$60,000 damage.

J. H. Chambers of Cottage Grove purchased 56,000,000 feet of government timber five miles west of Cottage Grove and contiguous to about twice that amount which he already owns.

Jesse Edwards, known as the father of Newberg because of his numerous development enterprises, died in that city Mr. Edwards came to Newberg in 1881 and was the oldest citizen of the city.

More than one-half the water in one of the water supply reservoirs of Oregon City drained out when residents of the city left faucets and taps running to prevent their pipes from freezing.

James H. Mills of North Bend and Emil F. Klinks, Newport, have been appointed to the United States military academy at West Point. The appointments were made from the Oregon national guard.

There were 135 fire alarms with losses of \$25,948.50 in Portland in November, as against 122 alarms with losses of \$23,862.19 in October, according to a report made by Edward Grenfell, fire marshal.

C. K. McCormick, county clerk of Union county, was elected president of the County Clerks' Association of Oregon at the association's annual two-day session in the Multnomah county courthouse.

Oregon's death rate will be lower this year than at any time in its history, Dr. Frederick D. Stricker, secretary of the state board of health reports. The figures on the death rate are not yet available.

Investigation of the lawfulness of the rates and practices of the Puget Sound Power & Light company, which operates in various sections of the state of Oregon, was ordered by the public service commission.

George Griffith, who some time ago was appointed deputy state treasurer, by T. B. Kay, state treasurer-elect, has announced that he will accept the office. Mr. Griffith will enter upon his new duties January 5.

The public service commission has authorized the Eastern & Western Lumber company to establish its logging railroad across certain county roads in Clackamas county. It was said that nine grade crossings are involved in the order.

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company has requested permission of the public service commission to discontinue its toll station at Meritt Josephine county. If the request is approved the toll station will be discontinued January 17.

Another investigation of the Umatilla rapids irrigation project, which would reclaim 95,000 acres of land in Oregon and Washington, is provided

for in an amendment to the interior department appropriation bill offered by Senator McNary.

Amendments to the present laws relating to state depositories to the end that all deposits of state funds shall be made upon competitive bidding by the banks of the state, was recommended in the biennial report of the state treasury department.

Congratulations have just been sent the Portland Grade Teachers' association by J. W. Crabtree of the National Education association on the fact that 15 schools of the city have 100 per cent of their teachers enrolled in the national association.

The legislature, at its next session, will be requested to amend the present salary laws so as to provide compensation for the deputy state treasurer and deputy secretary of state in the amount of \$300 a month. These officials now receive \$250 a month.

The booklet recently issued by the Jackson county board of commissioners to advertise Jackson county has proved so popular that the 10,000 printed in the first order will not be sufficient and the commissioners are contemplating issuing 10,000 more.

As the result of action taken by the state game commission at a recent meeting, a letter was sent to President Coolidge by L. N. Fleischner, of Portland, chairman, protesting against the proposed extension of Crater lake national park to include Diamond lake.

The West Coast Power company, which owns and operates a string of electric plants between the Umpqua and Yaquina bays, along the Oregon coast, has taken over the plant at Florence, having purchased it from G. G. Bushman of Springfield and H. M. Peterson of Florence.

F. M. Lucas and C. W. Harris, owners of a large farm in the Tule lake section, filed suit in circuit court to recover \$2500 damages from a group of seven livestock men on the charge that stock owned by the defendants had been driven into the plaintiffs' grain fields and destroyed the crops.

William M. Ramsey, practicing attorney at McMinnville, was appointed by Governor Pierce to succeed Harry Belt as circuit judge of the 12th judicial district, comprising Yamhill and Polk counties. Judge Belt will retire from the circuit judgeship January 5 to accept a seat on the supreme court bench.

United States senators and representatives in congress from Oregon, Washington, California and Idaho will be asked to attend a meeting of cherry growers from the four states to be held in Portland some time in January to discuss an increase of the import duty on foreign cherries from two to five cents a pound.

The first "loch laven" trout eggs to be received in Oregon came from Montana last week when 1,000,000 were taken to the hatchery of the state game commission on the McKenzie river. The trout are of Scotch stock and are really Atlantic salmon which have lost seagoing habits, according to Captain A. E. Burghdoff, state game warden.

A total of \$5,981,943 will be required in 1925 and 1926 for the operation of all state departments and institutions for which the legislature authorizes appropriations, according to the estimates of proposed expenditures approved by the state budget commission. Copies of the report will be sent to the legislators for their consideration.

The best news for the last week in the lumber industry received from all parts of the country by the National Lumber Manufacturers' association came from the West Coast Lumbermen's association, which includes most of the large mills of western Oregon and Washington. New business for the 120 mills reporting for the week ending December 13 was 19 per cent above production and 17 per cent above shipments.

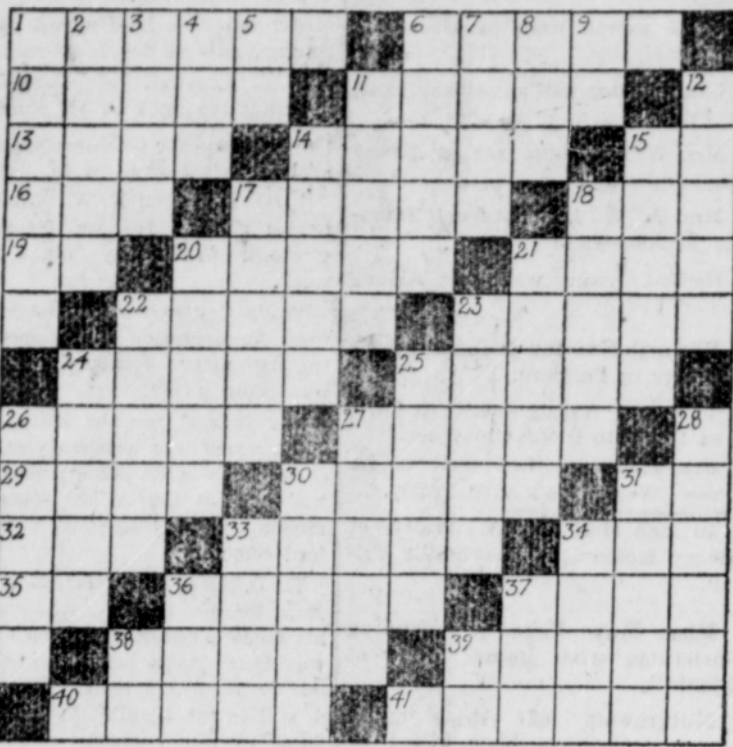
Re-election of all of the present officers until the next annual convention is held, and selection of Corvallis as the site for the 1925 deliberations, to be held some time in May, featured the closing session of the 14th annual convention of the Oregon Farmers' union at The Dalles. Herbert Egbert of The Dalles will continue as president, W. F. Laird of Eugene as vice-president, and Mrs. G. B. Jones of Monmouth as secretary-treasurer.

Unless sportsmen and game conservationists want to see beaver totally exterminated in Oregon they must urge the state legislature to order the closed season on these little fur-bearers permanently. In the opinion of Captain A. E. Burghdoff, state game warden, who submitted a report to the state game commission showing that in the four months from November 1, 1923, to February 28, 1924, more than 12,000 beavers, valued at \$128,895 were taken by licensed trappers of the state.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 2

"THE HEAVENLY STAIRWAY"

You're likely to trip up if you try to ascend or descend too rapidly. Go slow, watch your interlock, and this "cuss-word puzzle" will give you a lot of fun.



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| Horizontal. | Vertical |
| 1—Relating to a hundred | 1—Mystic art |
| 4—The contrabass | 2—Evade |
| 10—Watchful | 3—Roman emperor |
| 11—Musical instrument | 4—Assay |
| 13—Infer | 5—By |
| 14—Food containing gelatin | 6—Raiding party |
| 15—Thus | 7—To unite |
| 16—Stir | 8—Crafty |
| 17—Completely | 9—In order that |
| 18—Shelter | 11—Small rooms |
| 19—Definite article (French) | 12—Cook in oven |
| 20—Poorly | 13—Magistrate |
| 21—Bodies of water | 15—Closes |
| 22—Substance used medicinally | 17—Hero of a drama by Goethe |
| 23—Distributed | 18—Permits to escape |
| 24—Seed of a tubaceous vine | 20—Burg with iron |
| 25—Plants for | 21—Magistrate |
| 26—Slope | 22—College supervisors |
| 27—Vehicle on runners | 23—Considers |
| 28—Earth | 24—Flat dish |
| 29—Dams up | 25—Number |
| 31—Forward | 26—Viscous mud |
| 32—Belonging to it | 27—To deprive |
| 33—Female horses | 28—Anything that unites or cements |
| 34—The sun | 29—Auctions |
| 35—Not you | 31—To taunt |
| 36—Spring power | 32—Fifth |
| 37—Tolay | 34—Bartered |
| 38—A muscle | 35—Bind together |
| 39—Deceitful | 37—Boy |
| 40—Smells strongly | 38—Exist |
| 41—Crude form of steps | 39—Musical note |

The solution will appear in next issue.

Solution of Puzzle No. 1.

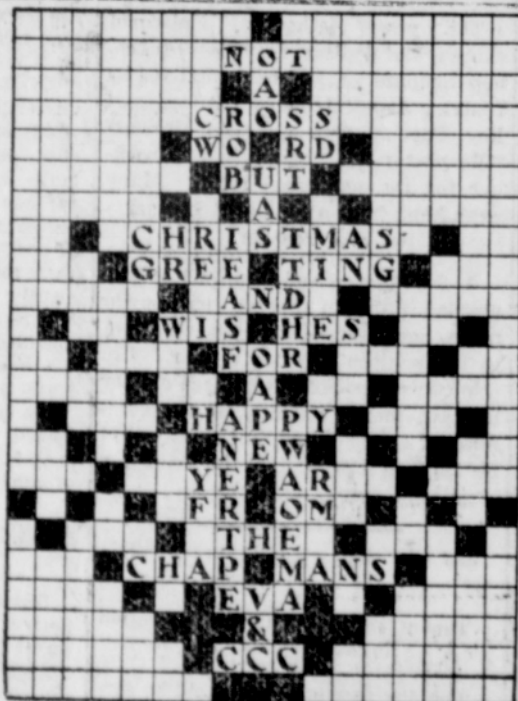


We believe Charles Hornbeck of Tangent is making good on peppermint and is not afraid to have the prohibition enforcement officers catch him running a still. By a curious combination of lines from two items he is represented in a paragraph on page 6 to be in a quite different line of business. Perhaps he combines them. We hope to have some facts about peppermint growing to present soon.

Harrisburg bans public dances

BIG CARNIVAL DANCE
at
Tumble Inn
2 1/2 miles north of Albany, on the Pacific highway,
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Suggestions on Feeding Forage

Mistake to Leave Animals in Fields Until Crops Are Cleaned Up.

A mistake often made when crops are harvested by turning live stock into the fields and to leave the animals there until the fields are entirely cleaned up of all feed. At the beginning of such a feeding period feed is relatively plentiful and the stock makes some gains in weight. Later, when the animals should be on heavier feed, the supply of feed is relatively scarce and it requires a lot of moving around for an animal to get enough feed to continue making a gain. Sometimes animals come to a standstill or even lose weight on this account. Such a loss in weight is a double loss.

Let Stock Clean Up.

A better plan where a whole crop is to be fed to live stock is to harvest the better part of the crop and allow the stock to clean up the remainder; then, when this is gone, feed the harvested part of the crop and avoid losing any of the gains made from the cleanup of the field. Another way of harvesting a crop with live stock is to remove the fattening stock before feed becomes scarce and replace them with other stock to clean up what the fattening stock has left.

Water is Essential.

A readily available supply of good drinking water is also essential when stock is used to harvest a crop. When a fattening animal has to walk a mile or so for a drink it won't always drink enough water, especially on cold, windy days. It takes a lot of energy for a fat animal to walk any great distance and to produce this energy it requires feed, so a good water supply will save feed.—E. H. Huelkemper, Extension Service, Colorado Agricultural College.

It's Very Necessary to Supply Egg Ingredients

When we realize that a hen makes eggs containing all the twelve elements needed in human nutrition and makes them out of raw material, we see how necessary it is that she be supplied with the needed ingredients for producing eggs. Eggs contain iron, and most of this iron must go into the fowl's systems through the green leaves they eat. That is why poultry must be supplied with clover or alfalfa throughout the winter.

Ground alfalfa is used extensively in poultry rations, both in the dry mash and in wet mash, or sometimes as steamed greens. Greens fed in this way are good, but we find hay preferable. In the first place, the ground alfalfa seems rather heavy and the birds do not relish it as they should. Besides this you will notice that when the birds are fed hay, they leave the hard woody parts and eat only the leaves and tender parts.

A little observation will show you that any animal that is in a reproducing condition will consume more leaves and green food than when it is not reproducing. For this reason, a hen that is laying needs more green food than when she is not laying, as some of these elements used in building eggs are taken out of her system every day.

Clover Hay More Than Doubles Gain in Lambs

A little clover hay and linseed oil cake lowered the feed cost and more than doubled the daily gain in weight when fed to lambs in tests in lambing down corn at the Ohio experiment station.

In a 41-day test 24 lambs turned into standing corn without additional feed made an average daily gain of .16 pounds at a cost of \$14.80 per 100 pounds gain. A similar lot receiving three-fourths pound of good clover hay in addition to standing corn made a daily gain of .34 pounds at a cost of \$0.45 per 100 pounds.

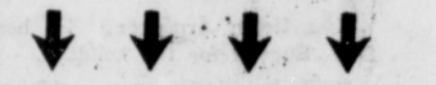
Linseed oil cake added to the clover hay at the rate of .15 pound per lamb still further increased the daily gain and lowered its cost per hundred.

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If you are not a subscriber and receive a copy of this week's Enterprise you are requested to read it carefully and decide if it is not such a paper as you can well afford to support. We believe there is a field for a paper giving special attention to the farmer and his needs and opportunities in Linn county.

Leonard Gilkey is known to about every farmer in the county. His work in presenting Linn products at state and county fairs and smaller exhibitions was so successful and beneficial that the county fair board made him manager of its 1924 county exposition, and his unprecedented success in managing that undertaking led the Albany chamber of commerce to make him its secretary. He knows the farmers of the county and their problems probably better than any other man.

When, a few weeks ago, the change now in effect in the Enterprise was outlined to him he wrote in reply:

Your proposed new venture in newspaper work, I believe, if carried to a successful conclusion, will be a real service to the people of Linn county.

If the Enterprise, through the patronage accorded it by Linn county farmers, is enabled to verify Mr. Gilkey's expectation its publisher will be amply paid, though he fails to accumulate checks in excess of the cost of improvements made. He hopes you will enable him to make a better week by week and month by month.

Here is a premium offer which will remain open to all Enterprise subscribers, new or old, for another week, till the end of 1924:

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Good Stories and
The Farm Journal

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Halls' Potted Plants
FOR CHRISTMAS
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Latest Sheet Music



Confectionery for the Affectionary

If the way to a man's heart is through his stomach, then the road to a woman's good graces is via a box of chocolates and bonbons. Of course only the daintiest morsels will accomplish that end, and "best" mean Clark's. "Where there's a candy box, there the heart unlocks."

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