

## OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week  
Assembled for Information  
of Our Readers.

### THE MARKETS

**Portland**  
Wheat — Big Bend bluestem, hard white, 72½c; soft white and western white, hard winter, northern spring and western red, 67½c.  
Hay — Buying price, f. o. b. Portland: Alfalfa, \$14.15; valley timothy, \$15.15; eastern Oregon timothy, \$18.15; clover, \$11; oat, \$12; oats and vetch, \$12.15.  
Butterfat — 27¢.  
Eggs — Ranch, 23¢.  
Cattle — Steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.25. Hogs — Good to choice, \$4.50 to \$5.10. Lambs — Good to choice, \$4.50 to \$5.10.  
**Seattle**  
Wheat — Soft white, western white, 55c; hard winter, northern spring, 60c; western red, 59c; bluestem, 71c.  
Butterfat — 21c.  
Eggs — Ranch, 19¢.  
Cattle — Steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.25. Hogs — Good to choice, \$5.15 to \$5.15. Lambs — Choice, \$5.50 to \$5.50.  
**Spokane**  
Cattle — Steers, good, \$5.50 to \$6.25. Hogs — Good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.50. Lambs — Medium to good, \$4.35 to \$5.25.

State crews were sanding icy curves on the Columbia highway last week.  
Mrs. Margaret Huffman of Enterprise has been appointed Walla Walla county health nurse.

Applications for half-year motor vehicle licenses will be accepted after December 21, Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state, announced.

George Peters, 25, was fatally injured while helping to erect a community Christmas tree on the high school grounds at Sweet Home.

Two carloads of horses gathered from the Warm Springs Indian reserve were shipped from Gateway by A. C. Martin to Portland markets.

The Walla Walla County Co-operative creamery has doubled the output from its plant since the business was taken over November 1 as a co-operative project.

The movement to include Diamond Lake in Crater Lake national park has been revived and a bill to this effect will probably be introduced at the coming session of congress.

L. C. McDaniel, 76, of Millington, near North Bend, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his small shack. His family was helpless to aid him, as the flames drove them back.

Throughout the month of December every Southern Pacific dining car, buffet car and steamer will have printed on its menu a photograph and description of Rogue River valley peaks.

Umatilla is preparing to place a crew of 40 or 50 men at emergency road work on the Mission-Thorn Hollow road. The work will be paid for out of the county's share of gas tax money.

Motorists to the number of 3699 have passed the examination for motor vehicle operators' licenses since the new examination law went into effect July 1, according to Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state.

Funds for the suppression of fires for the fiscal year 1933 will give Oregon \$98,392, supplementing state and private funds of \$215,575, is the announcement of the department of agriculture.

Construction of the Grants Pass water main extension planned for this winter to aid unemployment will not start until after the first of the year, when the county's road work relief will cease.

E. Woodard of Grants Pass has carried a half dollar coin almost constantly for 21 years. It is of the mintage of 1874, when there were but 13 states in the Union, and carries the 13-star flag.

Fire damaged the Masonic temple, Frank Turner's insurance office, Wells' barber shop, a pool hall and the American Legion hall in Heppner. It is believed to have started from a defective fuse in the pool hall.

A reduction of 10 per cent in the cost of basic readers used in the primary grades of the Oregon public schools, was announced in Salem by Charles A. Howard, state superintendent of public instruction.

Curry county's budget for 1933 will be one-fourth less than it was during the present year. The budget committee has slashed expenditures to the bone. The approximate total for 1933 is \$168,000, as against \$124,000 for the present year.

The Corvallis water board has decided to reduce rates from June 15 to September 15 to give people a lower rate during the summer, that they may give their lawns better treatment. The reduction will be 10 per cent on bills exceeding \$2.54.

A total of 171 new borrowers made use of the facilities of the Oregon City public library in November. During the month, a total of 4623 books were loaned, an increase of 1175 over the same month a year ago.

Winter irrigation of pear orchards is being tried out this season on the Van Hornberg orchard in Bams valley. Considerable water was applied during November to test the advisability of giving the trees extra moisture during the dormant period.

Demonstrations to test the possibility of controlling wild morning glories and Canadian thistles by applying sodium chloride dry instead of in liquid form, as was formerly the practice, will be conducted this winter on the farms of G. H. Taylor, near Thurston, and J. E. Neher of Springfield.

Mrs. J. G. Greenwood of McNelly has three Virginia bronze turkey hens which she feels have set a laying record for turkeys. The three hens began laying in March when they were about nine months old, and with the exception of about two weeks in the fall have laid an egg apiece every day.

The 3-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Ralph, at Harbor, near Gold Beach, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the family home. Three other children were saved when Bud Van Pelt rushed up the stairway and threw them out of the window into the arms of the father standing below.

Explosion of a gasoline lamp at the Silver Falls Logging company camp 16, near Silverton, caused a fire which practically wiped out the camp. Damage was between \$35,000 and \$40,000. Manager M. C. Woodward announced. Thirty bunkhouses on flatcars remain. No work will be possible until the camp is rebuilt.

About 88 per cent of the sheep that were being fed on the bed of Goose lake, Lake county, have been moved to the desert for the winter. The pasture weed, which grew so profusely on the bed of the lake, and was harvested by a number of stockowners, has not been found so palatable for sheep as at first thought.

According to the census of the forest ranger there are 2560 deer in the Deschutes national forest, a slight increase over last year. Of the deer 2450 are mule deer, 220 whitetail and 190 blacktail. It is estimated that there are some 380 black or brown bears and one silver tip. The antelope census is 150, mostly in the Fort Rock country.

Central Oregon alpine clover seed for the second time in three years has been declared the best seed entered in the Chicago international grain show. Deschutes county growers took four first prizes at the Chicago fair this year. Winners this year were George Thompson, Glen McFall and Clayton Green, all of the Tumalo section, and E. E. Varco of Plain View.

Considerable strawberry planting has been carried out in the Zona community of Marion county this fall, with several of the growers setting out plants of the new Corvallis variety now highly recommended for canning and cold packing.

A large stone mortar, nine inches in width and weighing ten pounds, has been presented to the Albany college treasure room by E. H. Sapp of Aleska. The stone is believed to have been used by prehistoric tribes in that section of the country.

## Wasco

The Community Christmas tree will be held at the school house Dec. 23. Both churches will cooperate in putting the program across.

The Mary Elizabeth class of the M. E. church had their class party of Mrs. Frank Knox. A number of invited guests were present.

Mrs. Walt Medler entertained at bridge Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCulloch entertained the teachers of the Public School at their home last Saturday evening. Bridge was played throughout the evening. Miss Magness made the high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Banta are the proud parents of an eight and 1½ pound son born Monday Dec. 14th, at the Mid-Columbia hospital in The Dalles.

Last Saturday evening a "no host dinner" was given at the Fred Hennigan home. The following were present: A. C. Kaseburg, Hildred Zell, E. H. Watkins, M. G. Tuel and wives, Mrs. E. B. Hailey, Miss Martha McKean, and Hollis Hull.

The Masons and Eastern Stars are planning on holding a joint installation next Tuesday night.

E. K. Knox and wife, of Portland, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at the Frank Knox home.

Truman Cross is reported to be in the Veteran's Hospital at present where he will undergo an operation for goitre.

Henry Howell is moving from the Roy J. Baker ranch to the W. A. Murchie house just west of town.

During the second six weeks the honor roll showed a decrease of two students. Those who made the honor roll for the second six weeks according to classes were:

| The Senior Class |        |        |
|------------------|--------|--------|
| Name             | No 1's | No 2's |
| Edward Grady     | 5      | 0      |
| Nyal Grady       | 5      | 0      |

Paulen Kaseburg 2 2  
The Junior Class  
Arthur Spencer 4 1  
The Sophomore Class  
Winifred Fortner 5 0  
Mary J. Sargent 5 0  
Mignon Wall 3 2

The Freshman Class  
Robert Ferrell 3 1  
Geraldine Funk 3 1  
Eugene Spencer 1 3

In order to be on the honor roll must have at least one 1 and no grade below that of a 2.

Week end visitors at the E. W. Ferrell home were Miss Irma Ferrell and Stanley Woods of The Dalles and Jody Morrison of Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Everett returned the last of the week from a month visit with relatives in Portland, Vancouver, Aberdeen, and Corvallis.

Dr. J. A. Butler will spend part of each week in Moro, maintaining his offices in the Moro Hotel.

Clark Dunlap was in Wasco last Wednesday from his home in Tumalo. He was formerly a resident here.

Mrs. F. R. Fortner entertained five tables at bridge Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hugh White made high score and Mrs. Bernice Guy second.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Burris went to Portland Saturday. They were accompanied to The Dalles with Mrs. W. H. Burris. Hugh Bell, of LaGrande, was here Saturday and Sunday moving his furniture.

The Wasco Study Club met Friday with Mrs. Frank Lamborn. A paper on "Missi" was given by Mrs. Roy Atwood and one on "Christmas in foreign lands" by Mrs. B. H. Grady. Special music was sung by Mrs. John Royce and Mrs. E. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sargent and daughter and Darwin Van Gilder were in The Dalles Saturday.

B. H. Grady and family visited in The Dalles Sunday with relatives.

The Pythians held election and annual roll call at the Fraternity hall Thursday night. It was preceded by a potluck dinner. A good crowd was there and a pleasant evening spent.

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Mrs. Billy Fulton of The Dalles is visiting Mrs. Frank Lamborn.

Miss Cathryn Johnson was a week end visitor of Miss Myrtle Garland.

Rev Hawk and twelve members of the Epworth League motored to The Dalles Sunday night and put on the program at the League of the M. E. Church. About sixty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Van Gilder went to Portland on business Sunday.

Mrs. Harley Dutton, of Fossil, is visiting relatives here this week.

The Rebekah lodge held a benefit card party Wednesday night. Eight tables played 500 and Mrs. Walton of The Dalles won high score for the ladies and John Mc Dermid for the men.

E. R. Spencer, of Portland, was in Wasco Saturday and Sunday. W. A. Spencer returned to Portland with him.

The Skyrocket card club met with Bell Clothier Saturday night. Miss Myrtle Garland made high score.

Mrs. Jessie Amos returned Tuesday from The Dalles where she visited relatives.

Hugh Christman was a visitor in Wasco the last of the week.

The Eastern Star held their election Tuesday night and the following took office for 1932: Worthy Matron, Mabel Wall; associate Matron, Esther Proudfoot; Worthy Patron, Chas. Patterson; associate Patron, Melbourne Burnett; Secretary, Estelle Bailey; Treasurer, Amelia Root; Conduetress, Ellen Harper; associate Conduetress, Daisy Burnett.

Mrs. Hildred Zell has Miss Camilla Gates of The Dalles as her guest.

Miss Martha McKean is spending several days with Mrs. Fred

Hennagin.

The Les Jours bridge club met with Mrs. Albert Kaseburg Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. John McDermid entertained with a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon.

The M. E. church will have a Christmas program at the Sunday School hour Dec. 20th.

The Night-gale bridge club met with Miss Leona Clothier Tuesday night.

### Basket ball Season

Opens At Wasco

With the 1932 basket ball season in the offing and the Warriors nightly preparing to do battle, Principal Paul R. McCulloch, announces that fourteen games are scheduled for the season.

Teams to be played include: Hood River, Gass Valley, The Dalles, Rufus, Lone, Kent, Moro and Mosier.

The state has changed rules and districts so that the winning school in the county can enter the Salem tournament for the state title.

The Warriorettes are also practicing under the direction of Virginia McGness for a schedule of eight games two with each school in the county.

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|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
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Vs. Roy E. Laird, 1 day, 56 miles ..... 8.00  
Dave McKevey, Witness: State vs. Roy E. Laird, 1 day, 70 miles ..... 10.00  
Mrs. S. L. Coats, County Charge ..... 20.00  
Mrs. Fern Rakes, Work in Supt's. office ..... 33.33  
Alva Stone, Predatory animal control ..... 24.99  
F. D. Antrim, Sealer of Wt. and Measures ..... 3.03  
W. E. Finzer Co., Clerk's office supplies ..... 3.50  
Geo. G. Updegraff, Dist. Atty's office expenses ..... 7.28  
Far. Elev. and Supply Co. 4060 lb. coal, Court-house ..... 25.38  
Hugh Christman, Board of prisoners ..... 18.57  
Floyd D. Platt, Drayage for courthouse, Nov. 12, 1931 ..... 2.00  
J. K. Gill Company, Supt's. office supplies ..... 6.84  
Pac. Power and Light Co., Courthouse light bill for Oct. ..... 5.20  
W. C. Printing and Binding Co., (Assessor's supplies, \$5.13; Clerk's supplies, \$90.68 ..... 95.81

Ginn, Coleman and Co., Courthouse supplies ..... 1.10  
J. C. Freeman and Co., Supplies for feeble-minded (Salem) ..... 6.10  
Wasco Co. Indus. Farm % Chas. Patterson and supplies ..... 42.58  
Geo. A. Potter, County Judge's expenses ..... 8.80  
Sherman County News, County Printing \$9.10, Printing Co. Budget (2 issues) \$85.05 ..... 94.15  
State Indus. Acc. Com. Contributions for November ..... 5.75  
Sherman County News, Supt's printing ..... 5.25  
Sheriff's turnover report accepted. In the matter of allowing charges of operation for Mrs. Krouse, held for information. In the matter of Schadewitz Loan, regarding delinquent and current interest. District Attorney instructed to draw up chattel mortgage to cover same.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman, as Ad-

ministratrix of the Estate of Roy E. Moore, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, duly verified, with appropriate vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned, at her place of residence in Wasco, Oregon.  
Dated November 27, 1931.  
Dora F. Moore  
Administratrix for the Estate of Roy E. Moore, deceased.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

"Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Oregon is in charge of the assets and affairs of the Moro State Bank, Moro, Oregon, for the purpose of liquidation. All persons who may have claims against said bank are hereby notified to make legal proof thereof by filing a duly verified claim, as by law provided, with the Deputy Superintendent of Banks in charge at the office of the Moro State Bank, Moro, Oregon, on or before January 8, 1932.  
"A. A. Schramm,  
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