

OREGON STATE NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers

Eugene—The Lane county court has granted 182 old age pensions. The pensions range from \$5 to \$25 per month.

Jacksonville—Mrs. Alice Applegate Sargent, a pioneer resident of Jacksonville, is dead at the age of 82 years. She was a member of the pioneer Applegate family.

Salem—According to an opinion by Attorney Van Winkle, the state board of higher education has no authority to use its funds in paying salaries of county agricultural agents.

McMinnville—Yamhill county sportsmen have acted favorably on a petition to the state game commission to open the fishing season April 5 this year, on account of the early spring.

Astoria—The Columbia River Fishermen's Protective union has appointed a committee to scan the records and prospective ability of local candidates for offices affecting rights of fishermen.

Baker—President Adler of the Baker Chamber of Commerce has appointed a committee to contact service clubs of the city on a plan to celebrate the completion of the Auburn canal in 1862.

Newberg—Announcement is made at Newberg that the Butler tomato cannery has contracted this year's crop and that 17,000 unsold cases of last year's production have been bought by a Portland firm.

Eugene—One of the largest tax payments received by the sheriff of Lane county since last fall is that of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company. It was for delinquent taxes for 1931 and 1932 and amounted to \$32,414.

Medford—The ruling of the state liquor commission prohibiting the sale of beer within a 200-foot radius of a church will not be enforced in Medford. It would affect at least five business houses that are that near the Baptist church.

The Dalles—A band of sheep on which taxes are levied remains the same band of sheep over a period of years, in spite of deaths or sales of many of the original sheep, according to a decision by Circuit Judge Wilson of The Dalles.

Eugene—Out of a total of 446 applications for old age pensions in Lane county the county court has acted upon 320. Of these, 274 were allowed; 126 are being held up, chiefly for the reason of lack of information from relatives.

Newberg—The North Pacific Nut Growers' association, at Newberg, has begun the distribution of 470,000 among filbert and walnut growers. This includes final payment on the 1932 crop. Payments on the 1933 crop are to follow soon.

Klamath Falls—Reflooding of the 25,000 acres in the old lake bed of Lower Klamath lake for the purpose of creating a sanctuary for migratory fowl has been endorsed by the directors of the Klamath County Chamber of Commerce.

Salem—Old age pensions when granted by the Marion county court will be paid as of January 1. The first payment will be for the months of January and February and the second for March and April. Thereafter, payments will be monthly.

Bend—Fred Anderson, for many years a Central Oregon sawmill operator, has been instantly killed while falling logs on Tumdale creek. The snag of a dead tree that had been leaning against the tree that Anderson was falling was blown against him.

Tillamook—Samuel Harrison Booth, a pioneer of Tillamook county, is dead at the age of 84 years. He came to Oregon in 1852. He was prominent in the development of Tillamook county, having played a part in the construction of the Woods toll road.

Nyssa—After the annual meeting in March the Vale-Owyhee Land Settlement association will move its headquarters from Vale to Nyssa. Virtually all the lands under the Vale Irrigation project have been sold to colonists, while settlement is just beginning on the Owyhee.

The Dalles—The city of The Dalles must pay \$200 for a strip of land 60 feet wide to be used in widening the east approach of the Columbia River highway. Appraisers for the city valued the land at \$1, but a jury in the circuit court allowed \$200 instead of the \$500 asked by the owners.

The Dalles—Actual construction on the interstate bridge over the Columbia at Big Eddy has been started. Several men are at work drilling and preparing the foundation for the abutment on the Oregon side.

Milton—Under pressure of Milton business men the city council has called off a special election to vote on beer licenses and has adopted an ordinance licensing the sale of 3.2 beer. The sale of hard liquor will not be licensed.

HI-WAYS TO HEALTH by ADA R. MAYNE OREGON DAIRY COUNCIL

FLAVOR IS IMPORTANT

A famous chef says, "Good food need not be expensive. An extra pound of butter a week, judiciously used, could transform most meals into something like a series of domestic miracles. Actually inexpensive food can be the best."

Butter adds to dishes a flavor which can be obtained in no other way. Tasty dishes are prepared with butter, through their appeal to the appetite, invite most favorable conditions for digestion.

When you have a limited amount of butter, use it in such a way that its unusual flavor dominates the food with which it is served. The delicate flavor of butter is strengthened when used on such bland foods as bread, potato, and other vegetables. The smaller the amount of butter used the more important it is that its presence be apparent and that the enjoyment of the dish be traceable to the butter.

Butterfat is not only the equivalent in energy value of any other food but it is the only food which contains any considerable amount of vitamins. Butterfat is an excellent source of vitamin A and contains some vitamin D. Vitamin A is essential to growth and reproduction and is necessary to the positive health and vigor of adults and children alike. Vitamin A aids in building a health reserve in the body.

At this particular season of the year, children and grown-ups as well are enjoying hot cross buns. It is not difficult to make these favorite sweet rolls but it must be remembered that they depend upon butter, sugar, and spice to make them appetizing. A recipe follows:

Hot Cross Buns

One cake dry yeast soaked in one-half cup lukewarm water
One pint milk scalded and cooled
Two-thirds cup butter
One level teaspoon salt
Eight cups or more of flour
One and one-half cups chopped nuts, raisins or currants
Two eggs
Two-thirds cup sugar
Rind and juice of One-half lemon
One-half level teaspoon ground nutmeg or cardamom
In the evening break and soften yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk and cool. Cream together butter, salt and sugar. Add beaten eggs,

lemon, spice, lukewarm milk and yeast. Work in enough flour to make smooth dough. Knead well, adding nuts and raisins or currants, but keep somewhat softer than for bread. Cover well and let rise. When light turn dough onto lightly floured board. Divide into pieces size of an egg. Shape into smooth balls. When half risen in pans cut two gashes at right angles across tops of buns. Let rise until double. Bake about twenty minutes in moderately hot oven. While still warm fill gashes with white frosting. Serve hot with butter.

Wasco

Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller went to Portland last Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hines and children of Lookout, California, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Van Gilder.

Mrs. J. T. Eaton is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry Savin after spending some time in Spokane.

Mrs. Blucher of Weston returned to her home last Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Ella Van Landingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hines entertained members of their two families at dinner last Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hines who are here from Lookout, Cal., visiting relatives. Covers were laid for 23 guests.

Professor Dobbs of Pacific University was in Wasco Wednesday and spoke to the high school students.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lamborn and Mr. and Mrs. Bernis Guy went to Portland Friday where Mr. Lamborn will receive medical attention at the Portland Medical hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Guy returned Saturday night.

The Mary Elizabeth class of the M. E. church met on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Bruce Grady. A paper on Isaiah was given by Mrs. Ida Andrews and one on God our Refuge by Mrs. Herbert Root. Both were enjoyed. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

Mrs. Clothier entertained the Tuesday afternoon study club this week. The Tillamook bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Funk on Thursday.

The Wasco Women's Study Club met on Friday at the home of Mrs. Roy Atwood.

W. A. Spencer and Vern Dutton were visitors in Portland last week end.

Skip Weld and family have moved into the McClure house.

Mrs. Bernis Guy entertained the Junior bridge club and other guests at her home last Wednesday afternoon and Mrs. Afton McIntyre won club prize. Mrs. Lewis Hastings the draw prize.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sundby and son and Miss Riitha James all of Portland spent Sunday in Wasco with relatives.

The Altruistic club of the Pythian Sisters met on Friday with Mrs. Lawrence Kaseberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Royce were visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Reid came over from Yakima for a short visit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Giberson and daughter of Gresham were guests at the Neabitt home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Yocum and daughter were in The Dalles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Proudfoot and family spent Sunday in Yakima with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Grady and Naomi spent Sunday in The Dalles with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kaseberg were visitors in The Dalles on Friday.

Mrs. Ed Dutton entertained the members of the Thursday bridge club and guests at her home last week. There were 4 tables and Mrs. McKean won club prize and Mrs. Denton guest prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nesbit were in The Dalles Thursday night.

Miss Margaret McKee and Rosemary Walker visited friends in The Dalles Friday evening.

Mrs. Bruce Grady entertained the Contract club with 5 tables of guests at her home on Friday afternoon last week. Mrs. R. O. Scott won club prize Mrs. Riddell guest prize, and Bell Clothier consolation.

4-H Club News

Monday, March 19th the Camp Cookery boys held a meeting at Jack Sathers home. Paul Schilling and Cecil Norton rode out on their bicycles and the rest rode in a car. The meeting was called to order by Millard Howell at 8:00 o'clock, we sang three songs and then gave the club pledge. Robert Helyer, Melvin Barnett and Luther Davis were absent. We had the constitution read and it

was accepted. We appointed Jack Sather, Luther Davis and Robert Helyer a committee to arrange for the date for a dance. There was no more business so the meeting was adjourned. For the demonstration Paul Schilling and Jack Sather made biscuits and coffee.

The Kent high school cooks, The Merry Makers met at the home of Clarice Mitchell, March 14, where a very interesting as well as entertaining meeting was held. The meeting was called to order by our president, Clarice Mitchell after which the regular routine of business was followed. Evelyn Davis and Clarice Mitchell gave a very interesting demonstration of an Angel cake and Lorena Young and Phyllis Haynes gave a simple but appetizing luncheon.

At our next meeting which will be held March 23, Bertha and Virginia Helyer will demonstrate vegetable salad at the school house. Here's hoping that it is good.

At the present time we are greatly interested in the cooking school being given by Mrs. Humphrey, the well known cooking demonstrator.

We have an addition of two new members to our cooking club, Myrtle Helyer and Phoebe Lyons.

The more the merrier.
Virginia Helyer.

The Sunny Slope Foresters of Harmony school planted trees Thursday afternoon, March 15, with the assistance of Perry Johnston. We planted ten different kinds of trees including Junipers, Russian Olives, Pines, Green Ash and Black Walnut totaling sixty two trees. Some of the members are intending to plant trees at home.

Twenty years hence, we plan to have a picnic in our Sunny Slope Grove to which we extend a cordial invitation to Mr. Johnston who was

kind enough to help us. Quite a part of the day will likely be spent in recalling how we dug holes, wore blisters on our hands, carried water and played in the mud and got ourselves very dirty that eventful and dusty afternoon of tree planting.
Winifred Belshie, secretary

The Katty Kamp Kookery Klub held a meeting last Friday. David McLeod was the only member absent.

The exhibit committee and the contest committee decided to have the local exhibit Friday, May 4. Patricia McLeod and Leona McLeod are going to demonstrate tomato soup, Vernon Melzer and Thirley Chapman are going to demonstrate making griddle cakes; David McLeod and Millard Melzer are going to demonstrate cooking ham and eggs.

The exhibit will be preparing baking powder biscuits at home and exhibiting them at school. Judges will be chosen among visitors.

The club has decided to make their next trip Saturday, March 24, to Cottonwood bridge where they will prepare a complete meal.

The Grass Valley High School Cooking Club met this Monday at the home of our efficient club leader Mrs. Poley. The making of clam soup was demonstrated and served by Rachel Poley and Phyllis Dickson. All seven members of the club being present to enjoy it.

At the next meeting, which will be held in the same home on March 26, Eunice Noyes and Greta Russell will demonstrate and serve a vegetable salad.

Greta Russell.

The grade girls' Cooking 3 Club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Dunlap, Saturday noon. Anita Dunlap and Rosellen Barnett demonstrated a full dinner including the baking of light bread. On Wednesday Annie

Laurie Haynes and Levinia Barnett will demonstrate a luncheon, and Helen Wilson and Rosellen are the president and secretary of this club.

Mr. Ayres kindly excused the boys and girls who belonged to cooking clubs in Monday and Tuesday afternoons so they could attend Mrs. Humphrey's Cooking School at the grange hall.

Miss Magee's Camp Cookery Club met last Wednesday and cooked their luncheon in the open. Eugene Norton was in charge of the cooking and serving of the meal. They have meetings every Wednesday afternoon.

The trees in the forestry club are beginning to sprout. That's news! One of the boys says that he has already sent for a hammock so he'll be ready when his trees get large enough. Perhaps he will change his mind and hang it on the porch.
Margaret Dunlap.

The meeting of the Rabbit club was called to order March 9, in due form by the president. Bobby Axtell made a motion that we have a song and yell by next meeting. It was seconded and passed. Donald made a motion that we adopt the national 4-H club pledge and learn it by the next meeting. It was seconded and carried. Bobby Axtell made a motion we have a club reporter. It was seconded and carried. The president appointed Gordon Thompson as reporter. Bobby Axtell made a motion we have a meeting every two weeks, it was seconded and carried.
Donald made a motion the meeting to adjourn. It was carried.
Gordon Thompson.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Sherman County, Administrator With the Will Annexed of the estate of Minerva J. Medler, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, with vouchers properly verified, as by law required, at Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.
Dated this 28th day of February, 1934.

E. E. Barnum, Administrator
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Gavin & Gavin,
The Dalles, Oregon,
Attorneys for Estate.

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