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WET YEAR

A report from the state college that claims of rain increasing in the tri-county area were not justified differs from the opinion of many who have been watching rains for many years. As an experiment it is worth watching.

This year rain is falling everywhere in Oregon. The official report shows the rainfall up to June 1 when every station in Oregon showed a tremendous increase for the crop year from September 1. Moro had 14.91 against a normal of 10.20 (and has received 1.74 since) Klamath has 16.90 instead of 11.65, Lakeview had 18.43 against 12.65. Over on the coast Newport got 89.53 compared to 61.57 which is normal, Eugene 52.90 instead of 35.50 and Medford 32.6 instead of 16.82.

The differences are huge running up to almost 100 percent increase in some places and 50 percent in most of the others. It would be hard for any weather modification company to prove much of anything in such a year.

We have had 15 such years now and this is the 16th. We do not think the weather is changing or that the mountains have been lowered for our benefit. We do think that our added rainfall has been strictly accidental and that the trend will change sometime. We then may get 15 dry years although no one knows anything about that.

Our average increase in the 15 years has been about two inches a year and that is a lot in a dry farming area. This year the increase will be well over four inches and that is fabulous in a dry land area.

Probably such changes have been going on for a long time, generations after generations, and probably for centuries before man began keeping records. The danger of long continued cycles is that people may get to thinking that the cycles are permanent or that they themselves have been responsible for them in some way. They may come to base their expenditures and make their plans on them.

DOLLAR STILL GOING DOWN
A report says that Republicans have joined Democrats in trying to arrange a little inflation so as to keep prices going up and every one happy. It looks that way although Republicans seem a bit more on the hard money side than the Democrats, although still not enough.

In any event the dollar is still slipping and the New York Times says that for food the 1945 dollar is now worth 74.4 cents, for housing 76.9, for clothing 89.1, for labor 51, for construction 45.2 and for electricity 100.3. Odd isn't it that we are still, or some of us are, trying to socialize the electric industry.

It may be no more than natural that some are trying to anticipate the future of this tendency and get a longer profit than usual. Certainly a part of the decreased value of the dollar comes from human avarice.

Inflation increases the value of property. Things get more valuable day by day. It decreases the value of money which gets less valuable day by day. Savings lose value in direct percentage with the inflation. Inflation at three percent a year will make useless the savings under social security. In fact, it is probable that social security is partly responsible for the inflation that is rendering it a poor investment.

Certainly our ideas about the worth of money have to be constantly changed under inflation. Also it is possible that the buyers will eventually rebel against constant price boosts and the upward whirl of prices will be reversed and the dollar will again become a dollar instead of some figure considerably less.

EATING HABITS
Down in Portlan this week visiting writers were served some rare viands at what must have been quite a party. Cougar, rattlesnake, bear and porcupine meat was served, all of which is off limits for ordinary diners.

Actually it probably wasn't as bad as it sounds. Bear is a miserable meat at best but was eaten regularly by some of the pioneers and many a westward ate porcupine and found it rich and tast-

ty. Cougar might be as good as the meat of any carnivore. Rattlesnake said to produce a very fine meat and it might be edible if one didn't visualize the snake in eating.

Lewis & Clark found the Indian dog more to their liking than the Indian's salmon contrary to the taste of the more modern tourist. Habit has a lot to do with it and over the world some strange things are on the regular diet of healthy people.

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Leo Watkins, Secretary

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O.E.S.
Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month; visiting members invited. Moro, Oregon.
Dorene Hall, W. M.
Dorothy Heater, Secretary

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A.F.&A.M.
Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us.
Dean Pinkerton, W. M.
Clyde Gillmor, Secretary

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Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome.
Laura Grabenhorst, N.G.; Vada DeMoss, Secretary

Summertime Eating is Fun in Oregon

by FRANCES FIELDS
Home Economist
Oregon Wheat League
Lewis Building
Portland 4, Oregon

Here we live in the one spot in the world where the finest strawberry shortcake is possible. Our Marshall variety strawberries are the finest berries known for flavor and richness. Oregon's dairy products meet the high standards set by the nation's dairy industry. And of course, the flour used in your shortcake is the finest baking flour known... made of soft wheat grown in Oregon.

OREGON HAS ALL IT TAKES to give you a summertime of fine strawberry shortcake eating. The wheat growers and strawberry growers have encouraged your grocer to make "specials" this week so you will be able to give your family all they want of this super dessert. Your baker too, will be featuring many delicious shortcake treats. Particularly handy are the shortcake dessert cups. However, if your idea for shortcake is crunchy, golden biscuits, here's an old-fashioned recipe which is a real snap... and made better because of Oregon wheat.

Shortcake Biscuits
Combine: 2 cups biscuit mix
1/2 cup melted butter
1/2 cup milk or light cream*

Mix lightly until blended. Turn out on lightly floured board or cloth and knead 4 or 5 times. Cut in large rounds. Bake at 450 degrees 15 minutes or until golden brown.

*To make a large shortcake to cut in slices or squares, add 1/2 cup milk or cream. Mix lightly and spread in greased baking pan. Bake at 425° about 20 minutes.

Satisfying in every way, eye-appealing and mouth-watering; there is nothing that tells you so well that summer is really here. Try Strawberry Shortcake for snacking, dessert-time, party-time or anytime... serve plenty.

REMEMBER! Summertime energy is in your shortcake, too. The choice Oregon wheat used in your shortcake helps give you the needed energy for the hot summer months, by contributing rich body building proteins.

OREGON WHEAT COMMISSION
305 S. W. 10th, PENDLETON, OREGON

OREGON WHEAT



Joan Eakin, Henry Jaeger Wedding Held In The Dalles Congregational Church

At a beautiful candlelight double ring ceremony June 9, at 4:30 in First Congregational church, The Dalles, by the Rev. Stuart Goude, Miss Joan Marie Eakin became the bride of Mr. Henry John Jaeger. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Eakin of Condon and the groom's parents are Mrs. Helen Jaeger of Fossil and Henry Jaeger of Condon.

The bride, given in marriage by her father was radiant in a fitted gown of white nylon net over satin and lace made en train, with wide V neck embroidered with mother-of-pearl sequins. Her fingertip veil fell from a cap of matching lace and pearls. Her jewelry was a single stand of cultured pearls and matching earrings—gifts of the groom. She carried a colonial nosegay of white Ester Reed daisies and white bearded wheat.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Van Reitmunn sang "The Wedding Prayer", "I Love Thee" and "The Lord's Prayer", accompanied by Mrs. Elton Eakin at the organ.

For her maid of honor, the bride chose Miss Sherry Woods, and for bridesmaids, her sister Miss Mildred Eakin and Miss Mary Jaeger, sister of the groom. All wore identical bellinera length dresses of mint green crystalline, made with V neckline and bouffant shirts, with matching mitts and picture hats. Their jewelry was green pearls and they carried nosegays of yellow Ester Reed daisies and ivory bearded wheat. Flower girl was little Miss Kathy Stangel, cousin of the

groom wearing a dress identical to those of the bridesmaids, with a coronet of yellow daisies in her hair and carried a tiny basket of daisies up the aisle. Smallest member of the wedding party was Master Douglas Reckman, cousin of the bride bearing the rings upon the grooms baby pillow.

Arden Peters, U. S. of San Diego, served as best man, and ushers were Harry Hatley, cousin of the bride, and Don Jaeger, cousin of the groom. Gordon Eakin, brother of the bride was candle-lighter and also ushered.

For her daughters wedding, Mrs. Eakin chose a rose mauve lace and net over rose satin, with matching shoes, white hat and gloves and wore a corsage of white daisies. The groom's mother chose cerise blue lace over blue satin with matching shoes and hat and white gloves with corsage of yellow daisies. Mrs. V. B. Eakin, grandmother of the bride was attractively gowned in violet crepe, and Mrs. Mary Flock, grandmother of the groom chose a blue and white chiffon print.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church Tenney room, which was beautifully decorated with baskets of mock orange, blue delphiniums and roses. The daisy and wheat theme which decorated the altar was carried out in the beautiful four tiered brides cake topped with icing in wheat design and the miniature bride and groom and flower girl that decorated the cake of the bride's parents 25 years ago.

Taking turns serving the cake

were Mrs. Estel Hartley and Mrs. Millard Eakin, aunts of the bride and Mrs. Walter Jaeger and Mrs. Chas. Quinn, aunts of the groom. Pouring were Mrs. Andy Reckmann, Mrs. Harold Eakin, Mrs. Paul Jaeger and Mrs. Arthur Jaeger. Serving punch were Mrs. John Reckmann, Mrs. Owen Eakin and Mrs. Vernon Eakin. Miss Bonnie Jaeger passed the groom's cake and Miss Carolyn Timmerman presided at the guest book. Assisting around the room were Mona Eakin, Carole Eakin, or Betty Jean Reckmann and Karleen Reckmann.

For going away, the bride chose a beige suit with hat, purse and shoes to match, and a white orchid corsage with blue ribbon to match the blue gloves. After a wedding trip to Calgary, Canada, the newlyweds will be at home in Condon after June 23.

Frank Mullen and his mother have sold the house they have lived in for ten years to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shoemaker. The Mullens were to start Thursday for Canada to make their home.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house, 4 lots in Kent. Robert Helyer, Kent, Ore. 34-5c

EDDIE & GENE SHOEMAKER have bought Frank Mullin's truck and will continue hauling garbage in Moro. The boys promise prompt service. 34-5c

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FOR SALE: Completely overhauled and guaranteed Hercules JXC motor, will fit John Deere or Harris combines, price \$300. Two hillside combine tires like new 11:25 by 36 with wheels, \$35 each; one header wheel and tire 7:50 by 36, \$15. Van Reitmunn, Condon, Ore.

FOR SALE: 2 milk cows and fryers. Ph-5-3221, Moro. 33-4p

NOTICE
Tri Co. Weather Research, Inc., will hold its annual meeting Monday, June 25, at the court-house in Moro, Oregon, beginning at 2:00 p. m. Directors will be elected and the corporation will take care of such other business which may come before it. 33-4c

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASCO COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of HARRY T. SHEARER, Deceased)
No. 3023)
NOTICE OF SALE)
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN)
that the executors of the will and)
estate of Harry T. Shearer, deceased,)
will sell, at private sale,)
for cash, in lawful money of the)
United States, to the highest bidder,)
subject to the confirmation of)
the County Court of the State)
of Oregon for Wasco County, on)
or after the 28th day of July,)
1956, all of the right, title and)
interest of the said decedent, Harry)
T. Shearer, at the time of his)
death, and all of the right, title)
and interest which his estate has)
in and to all that certain real)
property situated in Sherman)
County, Oregon, described as follows:)
All that part of Government)
Lot 3, Section 8, Township 2)
North, Range 16 E.W.M.; in)
the County of Sherman and)
State of Oregon, lying southerly)
of a line that is 280 feet southeasterly,)
when measured at)
right angles, from the Center)
line survey for the relocation of)
the Railroad of the Oregon-)
Washington Railroad and Navigation)
Company, said center line being more particularly)
described as follows:)
Beginning at center line station)
LR 3380+21.46 P.O.T., from)
which station the section corner)
common to Sections, 8, 9,)
16 and 17 in said township and)
range bears South 85° 43' 10")
East a distance of 4,310.86 feet;)
thence North 61° 31' 37" East)
a distance of 2000.00 feet.)
There is excepted therefrom the)
part thereof within the right)
of way of the Columbia River)
Highway.)
The land described contains a)
net area of 14.03 acres, more or)
less.)
All offers or bids must be in)
writing, and will be received by)
the undersigned at the office of)
the County Clerk for Sherman)
County, Oregon at any time after)
the first publication of notice)
hereof and before July 28, 1956.)
The undersigned reserve the)
right to reject any and all bids.)
Dated this 18th day of June,)
1956.)
Carl Shearer)
Walter Ohlgeschlager)
Executors of the Will and Estate)
of Harry T. Shearer, Deceased)
C. L. Gavin)
Attorney for Executors)
U. S. National Bank Building)
The Dalles, Oregon 34-37c

Notice of School Meeting
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of Sherman County High School District of Sherman County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of the said district will be held at Moro High School on the 13th day of July, 1956, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal school year, beginning July 1, 1956, and ending June 30, 1957, hereinafter set forth.

BUDGET

Sch. I	Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances	Total All Funds	General Fund
Basic School Support Fund	\$ 21,500.00	\$ 21,500.00	\$ 21,500.00
Other Sources	144,200.00	144,200.00	144,200.00
Estimated Available Cash Balance or Deficit (add cash balance—deduct deficit)	None	None	None
Estimated total receipts and available cash balance or deficit	\$ 165,700.00	\$ 165,700.00	\$ 165,700.00

SCH. II - General Fund Estimated Expenditures

ITEM	Secondary Schools Grades 1956-1957	Total Estimated Expenditures for the Ensuing School Year in Detail
I. GENERAL CONTROL:		
1. Personal Service:		
(1) Clerk	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
(2) Clerical assistants	400.00	400.00
2. Supplies	175.00	175.00
3. Elections and publicity	200.00	200.00
4. Legal service (clerk's bond, audit, etc.)	300.00	300.00
5. Other expenses of general control	200.00	200.00
6. Total Expense of General Control	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 1,875.00
II. INSTRUCTION:		
1. Personal Service:		
(1) Principals	6,000.00	6,000.00
(2) Teachers	26,850.00	26,850.00
(3) Sub. Teachers	200.00	200.00
(4) Clerical assistants	400.00	400.00
2. Library supplies, repairs	150.00	150.00
3. Teaching supplies	1,300.00	1,300.00
4. Textbooks	100.00	100.00
5. Other expenses of instruction	100.00	100.00
6. Total Expense of Instruction	\$ 35,100.00	\$ 35,100.00
III. OPERATION OF PLANT:		
(1) Janitors and other employees	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00
(2) Other Employees	300.00	300.00
2. Supplies	1,200.00	1,200.00
3. Fuel	2,500.00	2,500.00
4. Light and power	2,200.00	2,200.00
5. Telephone	250.00	250.00
6. Other Expenses of Operation	300.00	300.00
7. Total Expense of Operation	\$ 10,650.00	\$ 10,650.00
IV. MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:		
1. Repair, maintenance and replacement		
(1) Furniture and equipment	\$ 1,520.00	\$ 1,520.00
2. Upkeep of grounds	200.00	200.00
3. Total Expense of Maintenance and Repairs	\$ 1,720.00	\$ 1,720.00
V. AUXILIARY AGENCIES:		
1. Health Service:		
(1) Supplies and other expenses	\$ 110.00	\$ 110.00
2. Transportation of Pupils:		
(1) Personal service	15,325.00	15,325.00
(2) Supplies and repairs	1,200.00	1,200.00
(3) Insurance	300.00	300.00
(4) Other expenses of transportation	1,550.00	1,550.00
3. Other Auxiliary Agencies:		
(1) School lunch		
a. Personal service	3,500.00	3,500.00
b. Supplies and other expenses	125.00	125.00
(2) Other Auxiliary Services:		
a. Supplies and other expenses	350.00	350.00
4. Total expense of Auxiliary Agencies	\$ 22,460.00	\$ 22,460.00
VI. FIXED CHARGES (Exclusive of items included under V-2)		
1. Insurance	\$ 2,150.00	2,150.00
2. Rent	50.00	50.00
3. Retirement	2,735.00	2,735.00
4. Other fixed charges	135.00	135.00
5. Total Fixed Charges	\$ 5,070.00	\$ 5,070.00
VII. CAPITAL OUTLAYS		
1. Sites and improvement of sites	\$ 3,206.00	3,206.00
2. New buildings	26,683.00	26,683.00
3. Library books	300.00	300.00
4. Buses and other transportation equip.	9,000.00	9,000.00
5. Furniture, fixtures and other equipment	13,911.00	13,911.00
6. Total Capital Outlays	\$ 53,100.00	\$ 53,100.00
IX. EMERGENCY		
Total Sch. II - General Fund	\$ 132,500.00	\$ 132,500.00

SCH. III - BOND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

1. Principal on bonds (including negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under section 111-1016 O.C.L.A.) \$ 26,000.00

2. Interest on bonds 7,200.00

3. Total Sch. III - Debt Service - Bonds and Interest \$ 33,200.00

Sch. VII - Summary of Estimates of Expenditures, Receipts and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies

Estimation of Tax Levy	Total All Funds	General Fund	Bond Interest and Sinking Fund
1. Total est. expenditures and available cash balances (schedule I)	\$ 165,700.00	\$ 132,500.00	\$ 33,200.00
2. Total est. receipts and available cash balances (schedule I)	None	None	None
Total estimated tax levies for ensuing fiscal year	None	None	None

INDEBTEDNESS

1. Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under ORS 328.205) \$ 301,000.00

2. Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for want of funds" None

3. Amount of other indebtedness None

4. Total indebtedness (sums of items 1, 2, 3) \$ 301,000.00

Dated this June 13, 1956.
Signed: Wily W. Knighten
Ex-officio District Clerk
Charles Burnet
Chr. Board of Directors

Approved by Budget Committee June 13, 1956
Signed: Ivan A. Blagg
Sec., Budget Committee
Paulen W. Kaseberg
Chr. Budget Committee

Where are your valuables?

A desk drawer provides little protection for your hard-to-replace valuables. Yet that's the "filing" place for many insurance policies, wills, deeds, car titles, discharge papers, even savings bonds. Fire and theft are constant threats but they can't harm the valuables you keep in a Safe Deposit Box at U. S. National. Your valuables receive bank-vault protection... and you are sure of absolute privacy. Rent your Safe Deposit Box now at U. S. National—real peace of mind for little more than a penny a day!

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