

Tentative Rules For Big Game Set

The game commission pulled in on the check reins for deer hunters but allowed similar elk and antelope hunts as last year as it set the tentative big game regulations for 1963 at its public hearing in Portland Friday and Saturday, May 24 and 25.

Eliminated this year from the deer hunts will be all controlled hunts which last year numbered 21,850 tags allowing hunters to take one or more deer, plus the reduction of 37,750 in the number of unit permits to be issued for the 1963 seasons. The unit permit reduction was from 135,100 in 1962 to 97,350 for the coming season.

The commission allowed a three-week general buck season from September 28 through October 20 under the tentative regulations. As in the past, hunters would be restricted to bucks with forked-horns west of the Cascades and bucks with visible antlers east of the Cascades.

One week was lopped off the unit hunts from last year with the season for permit holders set for October 12 through 20. The commission made a general reduction in unit permit quotas, although in the northwest and northeast regions the number remained consistent with last year.

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An increase of 50 tags would be allowed for the antelope hunts with the addition of one new area, the Interstate — available to hunters this year. The season would extend from August 17 through 21. A total of 650 tags would be issued for the seven antelope areas. Antelope hunters would be allowed to draw in a party of not more than two.

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gion, 27,500 compared to 33,100 a year ago.

An early high Cascade buck season from September 7 through 15 would give 8,000 permit holders an opportunity to hunt the high country prior to inclement weather; the Minam Paek area would again be available to Minam permit holders for a nine-day hunt, August 31 through September 15; and the early Waldport-Mapleton hunt would again be available to hunters August 31, September 1-2; and 7-8.

A total of 14 extended hunts would be on the docket, most of which will run for short periods in November. These seasons would be available to unused tag holders with respective unit permits. All extended hunts are in problem areas which would be taken care of by permit holders rather than the controlled hunts of last year.

The general elk season would be comparable to last year, October 26 through November 11 in the coast range and October 26 through November 24 in the Cascades, northeastern Oregon and southeastern Oregon areas. Bag limits would remain the same as last year.

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buck antelope having horns longer than the ears. License required: Hunting license and antelope tag by area.

Buck Deer Season:
Open season: September 28 through October 20. Bag limit: One buck deer having not less than a forked antler in that part of Oregon west of the summit of the Cascade mountains and the Keno unit, or One buck deer having visible antlers in all other units east of the Cascade mountains exclusive of the Keno unit. License required: Hunting license and general deer tag. No person may obtain more than one 1963 general deer tag. ALL hunters are required to check in and out of the Silver Lake unit.

Expanding Markets For Oregon Cattle Predicted At OSU

Expanding California markets for Oregon-grown beef were predicted by a West Coast livestock specialist at the annual Oregon State University Beef Cattle Day.

Some signs indicate that cattle feeding in California has reached its peak and may taper off in years ahead, reported Reuben Albaugh, University of California.

At the same time, demand for finished beef in California will increase rapidly with the state's population growth and high level per capita income, Albaugh told some 150 Oregon cattlemen attending the meeting.

California now imports nearly 2 million head of stocker and feeder cattle that are finished in California feedlots. The state also imports about one-half its needed supply of livestock feeds for finishing beef animals in lots. This combination of importing both unfinished animals and feed imposes limitations even though feedlots are highly efficient, operating on large-volume, low-unit profits, the specialist explained.

More than 450,000 head of finished cattle were imported into California in 1962 for immediate slaughter with about three-fourths of this number coming from Arizona. Oregon supplied only 18,000 head but has the potential for greatly increased sales of finished beef, believe many Oregon livestock market authorities.

In 1961, Oregon produced about 500,000 calves and 166,000 cull cows — most of which were shipped out of state for finishing in states that have developed grain feeding industries, according to a recent study by Oregon State University.

Beef cattle feeding in Oregon now generates about \$53 million annually in local economic activity. The OSU study estimates it would be \$250 million if the state's potential feed grain resources were "marketed" through finished beef.

Beef market opportunities in California were pointed up by Albaugh with a report that California's present population of more than 16 million persons is expected to top 21 million by 1970. And Californians are heavy beef eaters — about 130 pounds per capita a year compared to 87 pounds for the U.S. average. This is, in part, a reflection of high income per capita.

EOSH Schedules Orientation Period For Public Health

Nine public health nurses and welfare workers who work with the families of the mentally ill will learn more about Oregon's mental hospitals during a three-day orientation program at Eastern Oregon State Hospital in Pendleton, June 5-7.

This is the second such program to be sponsored for Eastern Oregon communities by the Community Service Section of the Mental Health Division of the state. The first, held in mid-May, brought together eleven public health nurses and welfare workers from four counties.

The program is signed to bring the mentally ill patient closer to his home community through these public health nurses and welfare workers. A third such program is planned for the first week in September.

The "Orientation for Community Workers" will allow the participants to observe such programs as remediation and adjunctive therapies. They will observe the routine of admitting a new patient to the hospital, will hear a review of treatment methods from a panel of doctors, and will see the outpatient clinic activities.

Attending the June 5-7 session from Wasco - Sherman County welfare department is Mrs. Jean Reed; and from the health department are public health nurses, Mrs. Olympia Brunt and Miss Carla Chamberlain.

Actual for Fiscal Year July 1, 1959, to June 30, 1960	Actual for Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961	Actual for Fiscal Year July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962	July 1, 1962, - June 30, 1963 Actual for First Six Months	Budget for Year 1962-63
471.44				
\$90,304.06	\$96,287.15	\$99,905.22	\$ 52,259.43	\$115,334.00
3,826.15	2,454.55	3,408.45	5,463.95 134.55	3,500.00 1,250.00
32,908.08	34,191.60	32,444.32	17,300.99	35,000.00
12,314.79	13,047.88	11,637.49	3,436.38	10,000.00
7,226.31	6,065.77	4,892.29	2,833.32	6,000.00
4,079.84	1,441.61	3,303.91	699.38	3,500.00
2,187.71	2,222.30	2,440.35	607.28	2,500.00
820.49		47.25		200.00
503.01	752.63	658.02		750.00
1,013.37	754.44	1,926.00	15,191.12	2,000.00
2,363.43	31.67	2,914.00	4,557.64	5,000.00
2,750.00	2,258.78	2,750.00	1,049.17	2,750.00
962.99	674.02	2,426.34	479.44	2,500.00
6,108.89	15,041.41	11,933.15		5,000.00
12,050.00	21,554.26	13,757.98	-16,235.00	15,000.00
2,000.00		1,049.38	8,305.90	15,000.00
888.73	910.81	919.97	418.81	1,050.00
7,500.00	3,140.00			16,000.00
\$99,503.79	\$104,541.73	\$96,508.90	\$ 61,040.93	\$126,950.00

GENERAL FUND			
2,979.95	2,378.46	2,500.00	
782.24	611.11	450.00	
600.00	600.00	600.00	
6,879.75	7,803.10	7,000.00	
25.00	25.00	25.00	
2,038.42	3,005.59	2,200.00	
4,143.94	2,787.48	3,500.00	
	1,020.79	1,806.06	
	2,203.34	2,285.40	
	225.00	210.00	
		459.15	
25,419.83	25,699.83	25,669.82	
381.00			
1,273.95	774.08	1,500.00	
820.10	732.05	500.00	
4,346.59	2,052.42	2,800.00	
1,000.00		571.02	
	1,548.35	1,112.60	
	351.58	525.26	
	558.75	545.09	
		1,015.14	

SHERMAN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION		Estimated for Fiscal Year July 1, 1963, to June 30, 1964 Approved by Budget Comm. 1963-64
Insurance on Fair Ground		
AMBULANCE MAINTENANCE		1000.00
SURPLUS FOOD		1500.00
TOTALS		\$120,973.84
ROAD FUND		
WEED CONTROL		
Materials		4000.00
Labor		1200.00
WAGES & INSURANCE		50,000.00
REPAIRS		12,000.00
GAS & OIL		8000.00
TIRES & TUBES		3500.00
GENERAL SUPPLIES		4000.00
DRILL STEEL		
GRADER BLADES		750.00
STATE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMM.		3200.00
BLASTING QUARRY SITES		
INSURANCE		2750.00
MISCELLANEOUS		5000.00
BRIDGES & CULVERTS		5000.00
ROAD MACHINERY		15000.00
MACADAM MAINTENANCE		10000.00
RETIREMENT		1600.00
F. A. S. MATCHING FUNDS		
TOTALS		\$126,000.00
GENERAL FUND		
Clerk's Fees		2000.00
Sheriff's Fees		500.00
Rent ASC offices		600.00
Justice of Peace—Fines		7000.00
Beer License		25.00
State Malt Beverage		2500.00
Miscellaneous		1000.00
Int. on deposits		1800.00
Wasco REA Tax		2200.00
Boat License		200.00
Surplus Food		800.00
Ambulance		750.00
Total—Items 1 to 35, inclusive		19,375.00
Add: Beginning available unappropriated and unexpended Cash Balance or Deduct:		
Beginning (Deficit)		6000.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS OR (DEFICIT)		25,375.00
GENERAL ROAD FUND		
Motor Vehicle Fund		24,500.00
Justice of Peace Funds		750.00
Sale of Equipment & Material		600.00
Rent of Equipment		750.00
Miscellaneous		150.00
State Gas Tax Refund		550.00
Sale of Gravel		1000.00
Weed Control		500.00
Land Sales		450.00
Int. on accounts		800.00
Total—Items 1 to 35, inclusive		29,300.00
Add: Beginning available unappropriated and unexpended Cash Balance or Deduct:		
Beginning (Deficit)		24,600.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS OR (DEFICIT)		53,900.00

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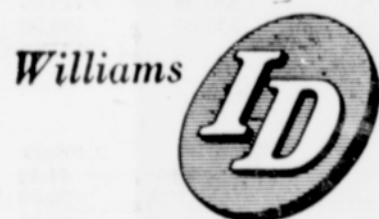
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