

16 Eastern Oregon Counties Plan Wheat Growers Conference

Dates for the all eastern Oregon economic conference on wheat have been set for February 11, 12, and 13 by officials of the college extension service and experiment station, who, with leading farmers, are sponsoring the plan.

Decision to hold such a conference was reached recently at a meeting in Portland attended by college officials and county agents from all grain growing counties east of the mountains. As problems connected with wheat raising are fairly uniform in the counties in that district it was thought that a joint conference this winter, following a fairly satisfactory season, would be opportune.

Place of meeting and details of the conference are tentative pending further conferences with leading wheat raisers throughout the district, the advice of whom will be followed closely. Preliminary plans call for

five subcommittees, each headed by a wheat raiser, to consider the question of world supply and demand; farm management and land utilization; finance and credit; grading, handling and transportation; tillage and production practices.

Pendleton is favored by many as the logical meeting place for the conference, though the opinions of more growers will be sought before this matter is settled. E. R. Jackman, farm crops specialist in the extension service and one of the men most familiar with wheat growing conditions, will spend the next two months in the district concerned consulting with growers and holding preliminary meetings in preparation for the central conference.

All 16 counties east of the mountains will be represented in the conference according to present plans, as all have wheat areas of more or less importance.

A SAFETY RHYME.

Here lies the remains of Percival Sapp; he drove his car with a girl in his lap.
Lies slumbering here, one Wm. Blake, he heard the bell but had no brake.
Beneath this stone lies William Raines; ice on the hill, he had no chains.
Here lies the body of William Jay. He died maintaining the right-of-way.
John Smith lies here without his shoes; he drove his car while filled with booze.
Here's Mary Jane—but not alive, she made her Ford do thirty-five.
Often it's more important that the automobile driver thinks to stop than to stop to think.

BILL THE BARBER SAYS



many bootleggers are slowly being won over to prohibition they are adding more pure water to each bottle

The Dorcas Study Club Presents Pantomime

Moro Dorcas Study Club met last Friday afternoon, November 6th, at the home of Mrs. D. E. Stephens. The program consisted of a reading and pantomime of the famous classic "The Courtship of Miles Standish."

The leading roles were ably carried by Mrs. W. E. Buell as Miles Standish, Mrs. George Mitchell as Priscilla and Mrs. Collis Moore as John Alden. Others who took part were Mrs. J. F. Foss as the Indian; Mrs. W. F. Jackson, Mrs. L. V. Moore and Mrs. J. R. Morgan as important Pilgrim characters, and Barbara Kunsman and Robert Richmond as flower girl and ring bearer. Mrs. Henry G. Hanson read the story.

The pantomime was very realistic and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Mrs. C. V. Belknap was in charge of the program.

M. G. Melzer and family returned Monday from a week's vacation auto trip to Sherwood, Corvallis and Portland, visiting with relatives at each place and also attending the international livestock show at Portland. Mr. Melzer's parents reside at Sherwood and accompanied them to Corvallis where they visited with Herman Pape and family while Melzer Jr. and family divided time with Mrs. Melzer's brother, C. J. Thompson and family. The down trip was made Sunday, the party stopping at Hood River to attend Sunday school and church and later continuing their journey over the Mt. Hood loop into Portland.

Dewey Thompson and family returned last Saturday from an auto trip to Portland where they visited relatives and attended the international livestock show. The down trip was made Sunday, the family stopping at Hood River to attend church and later continuing the journey by way of the Mt. Hood loop highway. Mrs. Peake, sister-in-law of Mrs. Thompson accompanied them upon their return.

Calves for sale or trade. Brown Leghorn hens wanted. Moro Dairy, phone 21F1.

How many Sunday automobile accidents are due to people hurrying to church?

Eye Specialist Coming

To be in Wasco at the Hotel Sherman all day and evening Thursday, November 19th. In Moro at the Hotel Moro all day and evening Friday November 20th. See Dr. Clarke. The examination is absolutely free.

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BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

Notice of estimated expenses and receipts and the proposed tax levy for the City of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, for the year 1926.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to a legislative act approved by the Governor February 19, 1921, that on Tuesday, November 24, 1925, the Budget Committee of the City of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, will be in session at the city hall at the hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. and that any tax payer of the City of Moro will be heard in favor of or against the proposed tax levy as hereinafter itemized.

ITEMIZED BUDGET	
Recorders salary	\$ 240.00
Treasurers salary	180.00
Marshals salary	1200.00
Library fund	125.00
Emergencies	600.00
Water fund	2500.00
Retirement of bonds	3000.00
Interest on bonds	2070.00
Total expenditures	\$9915.00
Estimated receipts, water fund	4400.00
Total amount to be raised by taxation for all purposes for the year 1926	\$5515.00

Dated at Moro, Oregon, this 6th day of November, 1925.

J. E. Coleman, Chairman Budget Committee
J. F. Foss, Secretary Budget Committee

ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET

of the city of Moro, Oregon, for the years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926

This original estimate is made in compliance with section 231-A of the laws of 1921 and shows in parallel columns the unit costs of the several services, materials and supplies for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, the expenditures and budget allowances for the first six months of the current year and the budget allowance for the year 1926.

	Estimated Expenditures for year 1926	Expenditures for 1st six months 1925	Budget Allowance for 1st six months 1925	Detailed Expenditures For Three Preceding Years		
				1924	1923	1922
Salaries	1620.00	810.00	810.00	1620.00	1620.00	1838.31
Labor						5.50
Office expenses					191.80	1556.92
Water fund, material and supplies					2629.75	
Library fund	125.00	60.00	62.50			
Emergencies	600.00	275.00	500.00	277.16	1077.06	705.24
Water	2500.00	992.80	1325.00	1506.67		3174.46
Park sewer					182.25	1462.50
Park fund			25.00	10.80		610.00
Park sewer Ext. No. 1				7.50	318.90	
Court sewer					719.52	517.50
Retirement of bonds	3000.00	1500.00	1000.00	3000.00	5000.00	1000.47
Bond interest	2070.00	1518.00	1035.00	2901.00	2631.59	4531.47
Water fund to secure water						1542.00
Sewer system and tank					200.00	1600.00
Street				118.30		
Totals	9915.00	5185.80	4757.50	9441.43	14565.67	18544.37

I, J. L. Searcy, do hereby certify that the above expenditures for the year 1925 were prepared by me and that the expenditures and budget allowance for the six months of the current year and the expenditures for the three fiscal years preceding the current year, as shown above, have been compiled from the records in my charge, and to the best of my knowledge and belief are true and correct copies thereof.

J. L. SEARCY, City Recorder

Teachers Hold Local Institute at Wasco

Three addresses were given by E. F. Carleton of Eugene, at the teachers' institute, held at Wasco Saturday. Mr. Carleton was for three years city superintendent of Eugene, two years field representative of the University of Oregon, and for thirteen years assistant state superintendent.

In his lecture on teaching history and civics, Mr. Carleton warned the teachers to beware of the insidious attacks that are being made upon the Constitution of the United States. "Under the name of scholarship some of the most brilliant writers and even some of the lecturers in our great universities," he said, "are encouraging an attitude of cynicism toward our institutions, the founders of our government, and in fact toward all that the American people have been taught since early childhood to revere."

Mr. Carleton also told the teachers that if they allowed themselves to be affected by such false doctrines the result of their teaching would be a group of young men and women with whom all faith was destroyed, with no fixed beliefs in religion or government, with utter disrespect and contempt for law and order and all of the finer things in life.

The speaker then took up a discussion of the Constitution and gave the history of the Constitutional convention, with the purpose of showing that the principles of liberty and justice set forth in the Constitution are as true and of vital importance today as the day when the Constitution was adopted. He described the men who took part in the convention and proved by many arguments that they were in character, training and intellect one of the most distinguished groups of men ever assembled for civic duty.

In closing, Mr. Carleton gave the teachers a list of books for reading, and urged them to make themselves familiar with the political philosophy upon which the Constitution is based and pleaded with them to establish high ideals of service and of true patriotism in the minds of the young people in our public schools by giving interpretation of the Constitution and by holding up for their emulation the results upon our American institutions of the lives of our greatest patriots.

The committee on resolutions for the local teachers institute held last Saturday at Wasco, wish to thank the county superintendent for the instructive program which was so well fitted to all the teachers; thank the Wasco school board for the use of the building; thank the Wasco high school girls for the excellent lunch they served free to those present; thank Professor Dodson, of Wasco school, in particular for his courtesy and assistance.

Picture Show News For The Current Week

Amateur theatricals are features of every town and hamlet in America. Curiously few dramatists have attempted to utilize them as a play basis. It is doubtful if there is anything funnier than amateur theatricals, except to those who have relatives or friends involved. Amateur theatricals play a large part in "New Toys."

The comedy is built about the trials and tribulations of married life in its first two or three years. The young wife has scored in amateur theatricals and, when domesticity begins to pall a bit, she longs again for the footlights. How she is cured forms the basis of a rollicking comedy. The role is played by Mary Hay (Mrs. Barthelme).

Yosemite National Park was used as location for some of the scenes in "Smoldering Fires."

Paulina Frederick and Laura La Plante are co-starred in the picture which tells the tragic story of a middle-aged woman who became the wife of a man half her age and then learned that he was in love with her young sister. Malcolm McGregor plays the part of the young husband and Miss La Plante is the young sister. Others in the cast are Tilly Marshall, Wanda Hawley and Helen Lynch.

"Black Cyclone" is the story of Rex, a wild horse—a flashing black of great power—an ebony streak in the sunlight. He was born in the Wild Lands, self-raised and self-taught, for a rattlesnake bite had deprived him of his mother while he was still of tender age. He sought protection in a herd, but his leader, the ferocious Killer, drove him out. He had no place in his herd for an outcast—a weakling—a baby stallion. But there came a day when this untamed weakling was a magnificent, powerful creature who defeated the Killer, who had never before known anything but victory!

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Many people who would be insulted if told they fall utterly in right living insofar as having any finer qualities of real down-right principles of Christian living bring to town each year all the half starved kittens they are too lazy to rid themselves of in a humane manner. The kittens are dumped onto the streets of the town to starve or be killed by others who have a finer quality of humane spirit towards dumb animals. This year is no exception and as a result the city marshal has a disagreeable duty to perform. We wonder each year what sort of education is given the children of such people and what they themselves sometimes think in their old age when they themselves are dumped onto the world by their children. It is no more than they deserve.

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